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GUNS ARE BEING DRAGGED TO FRONTIER

STATE HOSPITAL NEEDS UMATILLA RAPIDS PROJECT

Increase in Electric Company's Charge Forces State to Consider Installing Own Plant.
COAL COST ALSO BIG ITEM OF EXPENDITURE
Institution Paid Out \$12,913.53 for Coal in 1920 Despite Very Favorable Coal Contract.

If electric power can be developed at Umatilla rapids on the Columbia River, one of the big problems confronting the management of the Eastern Oregon State Hospital will be solved. The institution is threatened with a serious advance in both fuel cost and its charge for electricity.

Electric Rate Advanced.
For the year 1920 the institution paid the company \$243.64 for fuel but at the rate now being assessed against the institution the bill for 1921 will be approximately \$500.

Coal Cost \$12,913.53.
The state hospital originally used oil for fuel but so high has become the price of fuel that coal is now being used with an oil supply on hand as a reserve.

From what is known of present prices for coal to large users it is possible that the hospital's fuel bill under a new contract may run to \$20,000 a year. This of course is the bare cost of fuel and does not include the labor expense involved in heating by coal.

The large sum being paid by the state for fuel and electricity is cited to show that the state of Oregon has a particular interest in power from Umatilla rapids because it has a large and rapidly growing institutions located close to the project.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS CAPTURED IN IRELAND

LONDON, March 1.—(U. P.)—Proposals for a union of the Sinn Fein and the Russian soviet forces were contained in documents captured in Ireland, the Irish office announced.

UNITED STATES TROOPS SAVE LIFE OF PRESIDENT PORRAS WHEN MOB ATTACKS HIS HOME

3 WEEKS OF FORCED HUNGER STRIKE IS EXPERIENCE OF HEN

Three weeks without food or water is the record established by the first known hunger strike of Pendleton.
She is a Barred Rock hen owned by Dr. D. C. McNabb and her little imitation of Mac-Sweeney was at the McNabb place on Court street. Some time ago, after diligent effort, the hen according to the custom of her species hatched a number of chicks. Dr. McNabb, not wishing to have all the hens engaged in mothering, took the chicks from the happy parent and added them to a group for which another hen was caring.

Offers to Pay Reparations.
LONDON, March 1.—(A. P.)—Germany's delegates to the conference with the allies made reparations offers of approximately \$6,000,000,000 marks or about \$7,500,000,000.

HARDING REGRETS TO LEAVE OLD FRIENDS HE TELLS U. P. MAN

'I Don't Seem to Have Any Feelings' Says President-Elect Referring to State of Mind at Approach of Mar. 4

MARION, March 1.—(By Raymond Clapper, Copyrighted by the United Press.)—President-elect Harding told the United Press in an exclusive interview what a man thinks about as he approaches the assumption of the greatest job in the world. It was a simple expression of keen regret at parting from "the folks" in Marion. Strolling along the street as he talked, Harding was hailed every few feet by acquaintances whom he addressed familiarly as Joe or Charlie or Jim. "I seem oblivious to it," he said, referring to the great drama in which he will play the leading role shortly. "I feel perfectly normal. I don't seem to have any feelings at all except regret at having to leave Marion and the old town folks. You can mark that down. It is a real regret. It is a little hard to leave after you have spent your life among these people. The only time I can realize it is when I am dealing with appointments and problems I will soon have to face."

TENDLER HAS SHADE MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 1.—(A. P.)—Lew Tandler, Philadelphia lightweight, had a shade over Sailor Friedman, Chicago, in a 10-round bout last night according to local sporting writers.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT IN FRANCE NEW YORK, March 1.—(A. P.)—The world's hard court tennis championship tournament will be held in Paris May 28 to June 5. It was announced yesterday by the U. S. lawn tennis association.

NOTED SINGER HAS THIRD OPERATION

NEW YORK, March 1.—(A. P.)—Caruso, who has recently been critically ill from a heart attack following plenary, underwent a third operation today for the removal of pus from the pleural cavity. He is reported to be resting comfortably.

Mob Was Instigated by Men Angry at President's Published Interview Saying He Favored Settlement With Costa Rica.
PANAMA, March 1.—(A. P.)—United States troops saved the life of President Porras of Panama when a mob broke into the executive mansion yesterday. The mob was instigated by men who were infuriated over the president's published interview stating that he favored a settlement with Costa Rica after Panama had recognized the territory the Costa Ricans seized.

GERMAN DELEGATION ARRIVING IN LONDON IS RECEIVED COLDLY

Porters at Station Hesitated to Carry Baggage; Representatives Were Snubbed at Hotel.

LONDON, March 1.—(Ed L. Keen, U. P. Staff Correspondent.)—The allied leaders met this afternoon to consider what penalties would be inflicted on Germany for not meeting their reparations demands was officially announced, following the first session with the German delegates. After Foreign Minister Von Simons informally outlined the German counter proposals.

TERMS REGARDING UNACCEPTABLE

LONDON, Mar. 1.—(A. P.)—Premier Briand said that the German proposals were so drawn they amounted to an offer that if the allies would advance Germany the money on favorable terms then Germany would pay the allies.

BUILDING HIGHWAY THROUGH THE SKY

WASHINGTON, March 1.—(U. P.)—America's first model aerial highway will be constructed early this year, the U. S. Air Service declared today.

PRICES CONTINUE TO DECLINE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 1.—(A. P.)—Shrimp declined from prices prevailing last May continued today in the winter auction of the international fur exchange. All pelts found a ready market, however, the principal activity today was in Russian squirrel, 1,500, 245 pelts bringing \$1,262,938, with the top \$1.52.

STEPS ARE BEING TAKEN TO FORCE GERMANY TO PAY

There is Renewed Signs of Life in Infantry Camps and Activity is Felt in Army Circles.

FRANCE HAS CALLED OUT CURRENT CLASS

France Refused to Demobilize Army Which Had Served Time; Other Troops are in Readiness.

PARIS, March 1.—(U. P.)—Preliminary steps for the execution of the military plans devised by the allies to force German obedience to the reparations demanded were taken. For the first time in two years, trains of long-snouted guns are being dragged to the frontier. There is renewed signs of life in the big infantry camps.

WILL AVOID USING FORCE

Aside from the activity of troops there was no information regarding the French plans. In the last two months, France has filled in her military organization by calling up the current class and refusing to demobilize one which had served its regular term.

OPENING DATE IS SET FOR MARCH 15

March 15 has been named as the date for the opening of a campaign to sell \$5,000 worth of stock in the Northwest Grain and Hay show to be held here September 13 to 24. Stock is to be sold at \$10 a share.

CHEAPER TO SWIM BUT H. C. L. GRIPS SPORTS

NEW YORK, March 1.—(Henry L. Farrell, U. P. Staff Correspondent.)—If you're a "water-dog" you can have fun next summer at bargain prices.

AGED MESSENGER IS HANDCUFFED TO TREE

JEFFERSON CITY, Missouri, March 1.—(A. P.)—Four armed men robbed George Williams, aged 69 years, a postoffice messenger, of three sacks of registered mail.

PHYSICIANS HAVE ABANDONED HOPES OF CLARK'S RECOVERY



WASHINGTON, March 1.—(U. P.)—Hope for the recovery of Champ Clark, former speaker of the house, who is ill with pleurisy and complications, was abandoned by his physicians today.

DECLARES AMERICA SHOULD RETAIN AN ADEQUATE NAVY

Senator Poindexter Says Japan is Superior in Her Battle Cruisers and Modern Scout Cruisers.

DISPATCH CLERK IS TAKEN TO TUNNEL AND THEN EXECUTED

CORN, March 1.—(U. P.)—Dragged from the railway station here by Sam Feinera, a dispatch clerk was taken to a tunnel and executed. It was assumed they objected to the clerk's part in forwarding official messages.

HALF OF COUNTY'S QUOTA IS RAISED

Seven thousand six hundred dollars has been raised toward Umatilla county's \$14,000 quota in the Chinese-American relief drive, says Joseph N. Scott, county chairman.

Weather

Reported by Major Moorhouse, weather observer.
Maximum, 62.
Minimum, 23.
Barometer, 29.70.

WOMAN SHOTS AS MAN TRIES TO ENTER ROOM

Herbert Zeigler is Killed as He Tried to Enter Apartment After Being Told to Keep Away.

MAN FAILS TO KEEP DINNER APPOINTMENT

Quarrel Follows After Woman Meets Zeigler in Down Town Cafe in Company With Two Women.

CHICAGO, March 1.—(U. P.)—Mrs. Isabella Orthwein shot and killed Herbert Zeigler, manager of the Good-year Tire and Rubber company, at her apartment in a fashionable residential district today.

ATTEMPTED TO END HER LIFE

Mrs. Orthwein made a full confession. "I loved him—and shot him," she told the police when she was taken to the station. Persons living in the same building where the beautiful divorcee had a luxurious apartment, said Zeigler was known to them as Mrs. Orthwein's brother.

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