

FARMERS NEED ON THE TUMALO

District Has Everything Else, Says Journal

Example of What Must Come About In Reclamation Declared In Editorial

The opportunity that the Tumalo district offers to the farmer, combined with the opportunity it offers to prove to the federal government that reclamation is profitable and advisable, is stressed in an editorial appearing in Thursday's Oregon Journal. Under the head, "All That Tumalo Needs," the Journal says:

"The Tumalo project is an example of what needs to be done in order to make Oregon reclamation a success in the sense of bringing arid land under cultivation and making it repay the cost of bringing water to it. There is plenty of water to irrigate the entire 13,000 acres, actual results of cultivation have realized hopes that may have seemed extravagant when the land was covered with sagebrush, but the settlers are in danger of losing their investment and the labor of years because there are not enough of them. About 100 families are trying to make 4,000 acres produce enough to pay the water charge and to return construction cost for 13,000 acres. Those 4,000 acres yield abundantly and can provide a good living for the settlers, but they cannot carry the load of 13,000 acres.

Berry Crop Big

"Large crops of big strawberries, ripe in September, which the growers sell for 50 cents a gallon, 'pick 'em yourself,' corn at 25 cents a dozen on the same terms, alfalfa, wheat, oats, chickens prove the productivity of the soil. There are land and water enough for at least 200 more farmers, but they have not taken the opportunity because they have not been informed of it or have been misinformed. The land settlement committee of the Portland Chamber of Commerce has undertaken to spread knowledge of this opportunity, to find settlers for the other 9,000 acres and thus to save the project, and with it the 100 families living on it, from bankruptcy. It will hold a public drawing on October 17 for 2,600 acres of raw land to be sold in tracts not exceeding 40 acres to actual settlers at \$1 an acre with a lien for water of \$58 an acre, payable in 17 years. The remainder of the land is improved and will be classified and sold at higher prices.

Farmers Can Prosper

"Farmers can prosper on the Tumalo land if there are enough of them to divide the water charge over its entire acreage. The settlers already there have furnished proof that cannot be disputed. Oregon needs demonstration of that fact, for it needs the addition to its population and

wealth which these hundreds of families would make, and it needs to prove the possibilities of irrigated farming in this state to the bureaucratic skeptics in Washington. Tumalo can silence their carping with great crops of strawberries in September and with wheat at 60 bushels an acre. We need also to prove that, when the government reclaims land, we can find settlers of the right kind who will cultivate it.

"This is the affair of Portland, for there is no business in bankrupt farmers and there is much business in farmers able to buy all necessities and some luxuries. It is the business of the whole state, for bankrupt farmers or idle land contribute nothing to maintain the government and educational institutions of the state. Plant people on land where they can earn a good living, and benefits will spread to the city and the whole state."

AMERICANS OFFER PLAN ON PAYMENT

Advance Amounts Suggested by Caillaux

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studied by experts in connection with voluminous data bearing on the French capacity to pay.

Caillaux, one of the shrewdest financiers of Europe, naturally did not advance his best terms and it is assumed that the Americans will not give him theirs today. Little by little, however, with a concession here and a modification there, common ground will be reached and it will greatly surprise all members of the commissions if an agreement cannot be then concluded.

According to good authority, the rough and apparently incomplete outlines of the Caillaux offer were as follows:

1. Consolidation of all categories of debts into a lump sum—\$3,340,606,377—the principal of the French debt as carried on the treasury books.
2. Payment of this principal over 52 years with the first year's payment \$25,000,000; the second year \$30,000,000; from the third to the 10th year \$45,000,000 or \$50,000,000, and thereafter for 5 years payments gradually rising to \$90,000,000.

3. A provision insuring that France may seek revision of the terms of any agreement if unforeseen conditions adversely affect the future capacity to pay.

Brief Session Held
After consulting President Coolidge at the cabinet meeting and then with his debt commission colleagues in a private meeting, Mellon laid the proposal before Caillaux in a brief session.

The American commission went into secret meeting at 11:15. The French commission arrived at the treasury at 11:30. They were not admitted to the conference room, however, until 12:25, spending their time waiting in another office. Meanwhile the American commissioners discussed the counter offer.

The French mission, headed by Caillaux, spent only 13 minutes with the American commissioners, being dismissed as soon as the counter offer had been read and then handed to them.

As the French delegates filed out of the room, disappointment was plainly written on their faces. They seemed downcast at what appeared to be a flat rejection of their first terms and the stiff agreement proposed by the Americans.

The American commission continued in session for a short while after the French left.

Negotiations Harmonious
Under Secretary of the Treasury Winston said after the French left that the negotiations were "proceeding in the usual manner of offer and counter offer."

He added, however, that there was no sign of a break up of the negotiations and that, on the contrary, all

continued harmonious.

No official version of the counter offer was made public, but experts estimated that the Americans would after an initial period of reduced demand at least \$125,000,000 a year, payments and furthermore informed the French that the period of reduced payments which the French proposed was completely out of harmony with American ideas on the subject.

The French offer contemplated annual payments of not more than \$90,000,000 at the highest, but an initial period of 12 years reduced payments, ranging from \$25,000,000 to \$50,000,000. A flexible provision also was included stipulating that France should have the right to seek revision of the debt settlement terms if unforeseen conditions should adversely affect her future capacity to pay.

Punish Army Officer For Improper Parties

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 25.—A fine of \$300 and confinements to the limits of the army post for six months were inflicted upon Captain Walter Blaylock, first infantry, U. S. A., by a courtmartial today. The officer was found guilty of several specifications under the 95th article of war. He was acquitted of all specifications under the 95th article of war. Trial was secret.

The charges were based upon discharge parties the captain is alleged to have held in his quarters with women. One woman prominent in San Antonio society was said to have been involved. Three other women, also prominent socially, it was said, were called, as witnesses.

Article 94 governs actions "tending to bring discredit to the military service" and article 95 covers "conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman."

Road Officials Plan Work Farther to South

Arriving last night in Bend from headquarters at The Dalles, C. W. Wanzer, division highway engineer, left this morning for Crescent, where he was to confer with H. D. Farmer of the bureau of public roads. They will consider the question of surfacing The Dalles-California highway from Crescent to the vicinity of Corral Springs. It being intended to combine this with a contract to be let in October for surfacing from La Pine to Crescent.

While in Bend, Wanzer stated that a truck has been sent from Salem to be used in processing the McKenzie-Bend highway from Tumalo to Sisters.

President Gives O. K. For Soldier's Death

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)

MANILA, P. I., Sept. 25.—President Coolidge has approved the sentence of death imposed on Private William Johnson, convicted of murdering Private William Willoughby March 16 at Port Santiago, according to military announcement today. The president's action is believed to establish a precedent for executing a similar fate for Lieutenant J. J. Thompson, young West Pointer, sentenced to die for killing 16-year-old Audrey Hurligh, his sweetheart, during a lovers' quarrel here.

The Busy Man's Newspaper



Divorced Man Divides Property With a Saw

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27.—Otto Shaler, ordered by the court to divide the community property with his divorced wife, Mrs. June Shaler, has done so, he advised Judge T. I. Fitzpatrick today.

Desiring to carry out the court's decree to the letter, Shaler said he sawed the family piano in half, giving his wife the bass octaves and one pedal. He kept the soft pedal and the higher keys.

They had a picture, so Shaler gave that to his wife, keeping the frame as his portion.

MacMillan Ships In Touch Through Radio Once Again

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The MacMillan arctic expedition flagship Bowdoin, after being lost from communication for 48 hours in heavy equinoctial gales, today reestablished radio contact with the Peary, the expedition's airplane carrier.

The Peary, now near Battle Harbor, Labrador, reported to the national geographic society that its crew was "extremely worried" until word was received that the Bowdoin is lying in a cove off the Greenland coast near Godthaab.

PLANE OVER CITY

The airplane which was in Bend about a week ago for the purpose of taking aerial photographs arrived over the city shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon from the north. It is supposed that the work of securing photographs will be completed at this time.

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Hagen, Mehlhorn Left To Compete In Finals

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OLYMPIA FIELDS COUNTRY CLUB, CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Walter Hagen, reigning king of professional golfers, and "Wild Bill" Mehlhorn of Chicago won their way into the final round of the P. G. A. tournament here this afternoon and will meet tomorrow for this year's title.

Hagen survived the semi final round by defeating Harry Cooper, Dallas, Texas, 3 and 1. Mehlhorn won his semi final match from Mortie Dutra of Aberdeen, Wash., 8 up and 6 to go. He was only one up after the first 18 holes but won six of the first nine this morning and then after halving the 28th and 29th, ran out with a par four on the 30th hole.

What Makes Good Toast?

—That plate of crisp, hot-buttered toast for breakfast carries good cheer through the day. But do you know that it is the presence of sugar in bread that gives the delicate golden-brown bloom and beguiling flavor in toasting?

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