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THE WEATHER OREGON: Tonight and Sunday generally fair; heavy frost east portion early morning; moderate winds. Local: Rainfall .3 inch. Max. 58; min. 42; part cloudy; river —.9 ft.

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ITALY UNDER MARTIAL LAW TO CHECK REVOLUTION

Medford Sees Klan At Worst

Medford and Jackson county have felt the Ku Klux Klan at its worst, probably because this section of the state experienced the influx of nightshirt brigade first and it was made the testing ground of public sentiment in Oregon by the Kluxers. The policy of the masked forces here appeared to be one of determining how far they could go in trifling with constituted authority and public sentiment.

Started Among Masons. The Klan in Medford was organized at a meeting of 30 men, most of them Masons, by Powell one night in January, 1921. The meeting had been secretly called and it was not until they were assembled that the men knew the purpose of the gathering. Powell placed the proposal to organize a Klan before them, declaring that the K. K. K. was dedicated to the separation of church and state, while supremacy, one hundred per cent Americanism and law and order. The prospects were told that 50 members were needed to secure a charter, but that Klan officials of the Pacific coast domain would like to see a lodge of 400 or 500 members organized at Medford. To this suggestion the prospects objected, declaring themselves in favor of a smaller lodge selecting its members with care and some

ASK AMERICA TO PEACE PARLEY

Washington, Oct. 28.—Active participation by the United States in the Near East conference at Lausanne, Switzerland next month was formerly requested today by the British, French and Italian governments through their diplomatic representatives here. The invitation was handed to Secretary Hughes by Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador, who was accompanied to the state department by Charge d' Affaires DeChambon of the French embassy, and Charge Rossi of the Italian embassy. The three allied envoys spent exactly three minutes in the secretary's office and left with little hope apparently that the invitation would be accepted.

EUROPEAN WINERIES TO FIGHT PROHIBITION

Paris, Oct. 28.—(By the Associated Press)—A large fund reaching many millions of francs has been pledged by the wine interests of Europe to make a "merciless" campaign against prohibition in the United States and other countries. The fight will be waged through the newly organized International League Against Prohibition with headquarters here.

MANAGER OF PEKING BANK UNDER ARREST

New York, Oct. 28.—Henry Warlow, acting manager of the Peking, China branch of the Asia Banking corporation, was arrested upon his return from China today on a charge of grand larceny in connection with an alleged attempt to defraud banks out of \$139,900 by means of forged cablegrams. His brother, Robert, until recently an employe of the Chase National bank, was arrested on a similar charge.

FORMER GRAND MASTER DECLARES SCHOOL BILL IS AFFRONT TO MASONS

Wm. C. Bristol Asserts Compulsory School Measure Un-Masonic in Character and Quotes From Masonic "Bible" to Prove Case—Keynote of Masonry is Tolerance and Consideration of Beliefs

Denouncing those Masons who are advocating enactment of the so-called compulsory school bill as being ignorant of the basic principles and teaching of their own order, and declaring the proposed measure to be fundamentally un-Masonic, W. C. Bristol, Portland attorney and former grand master of the Masonic fraternity in Oregon, refers P. S. Malcolm, G. B. Cellars, Fred L. Gifford and others of the Scottish Rite Masons, who are actively identified with the campaign in behalf of the school bill to certain sections of Pike's "Morals and Dogma," the accepted text book of Scottish Rite Masonry, for their enlightenment.

True Masonry, according to Mr. Bristol, does not countenance such intolerance, bigotry and infringement upon personal religious freedom as are contained in the school bill, and it is the misdeed of Masonic influences in support of that bill, rather than the bill itself, that disturbs the public. That Masonic principles should be so misconstrued and controverted as to be interpreted to sanction such a proposal is to him almost sacrilegious.

It is just such ignorance of Masonry as is displayed in interpreting Masonic principles as sanctioning the restriction of religious liberties that is wrecking the Masonic lodge, Mr. Bristol declared, and those misguided Masons who are championing the school bill he refers to the following passages from "Morals and Dogma," of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, prepared for the supreme council of the thirty-third degree for the southern jurisdiction of the United States and published its authority.

"Masonry alone preaches toleration, the right of man to abide by his own faith, the right of all states to govern themselves. It rebukes alike the monarch who seeks to extend his dominions by conquest, the church that claims the right to repress heresy by fire and steel, and the confederation of states that insist on maintaining a union of force and restoring brotherhood by slaughter and subjugation."—P. 74.

"Masonry, by its teachings, endeavors to restrain men from the commission of injustice and acts of wrong and outrage. Though it does not endeavor to usurp the place of religion, still its code of ethics is a part of the religious code of the world."—P. 74.

APPLES TO BE SUBJECT AT CHAMBER LUNCHEON

"Apples" will be the subject on which Robert G. McNary of the Oregon Growers' Cooperative association will speak Monday noon at the Salem Chamber of Commerce luncheon. Next week is apple week and apples are to be generally featured in Salem.

His Wife Is No Catholic Avers Walter Pierce

There is just no end to what people will say in an effort to defeat Walter Pierce for governor. Mr. Pierce, in his speech at the armory here last night, exposed the methods.

GREER REFUGEES CROWDING ROADS FACE STARVATION

Dedeagatch, Thrace, Oct. 28.—(By Associated Press)—Exhausted by their slow and weary flight toward Macedonia, vast swarms of refugees who crowded the country roads now face starvation and disease. Thousands will perish in the next few weeks, it seems certain, in spite of all the relief workers can do.

COMMISSION PRAISES BRUMBAUGH'S WORK

Since the resignation of Harry C. Brumbaugh the last of September from the world war veterans' state aid commission, rumors have been current that he was in some way implicated in the alleged padding of the land values of Deschutes county by H. J. Overturf for which he was dismissed from the commission, and in order that a quietus may be put on the matter the commission at the last meeting passed a resolution extending their thanks and appreciation to Mr. Brumbaugh for the work he had done as secretary.

Only 2 More Days Remain

In which to take advantage of The Capital's Journal's BARGAIN OFFER of a year's subscription by mail in Marion and Polk counties, for \$3.00

LABOR TERRORISTS DYNAMITE HOME

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Labor terrorists were blamed by the police today for the bombing last night of the new home of Bernard E. Sunny, chairman of the board of directors of the Illinois Telephone company.

POLITICS OF CITY SIZZLE, 8 ASK JOBS

Long more than tepid, the Salem city political pot is beginning to show a rising vapor and, before much more water has flowed under the bridges, will commence to boil. Four city officials—a mayor, a city recorder, a chief of police and one alderman—and two measures are to be dealt with by the voters of Salem at the election on November 7.

PIERCE NOT SAFE M'NARY INFORMS DALLAS AUDIENCE

Dallas, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—In a speech delivered here last night, John H. McNary declared that Walter M. Pierce, democratic candidate for governor, is not only a "lavish spender," but is "economically unsound and dangerous."

ALBANY HI PLAYER DEAD FROM INJURIES

Maynard Osgood Bilyeu, aged 17, son of W. J. Bilyeu, prominent and popular high school student and star quarterback on the Albany H. S. football team, died at 5:00 o'clock this morning in a local hospital as the result of complications due to pneumonia and injury to his shoulder.

DEMOCRATS PLAN TO INDORSE KU KLUXER

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 28.—Plans were made today to endorse Earle B. Mayfield as candidate for the United States senate approve the action of the Dallas county democratic committee in calling a state wide rally for tonight, according to members of the democratic executive committee.

GAMBLING CLUBS BAILED

Portland, Or., Oct. 28.—Forty-two men are in jail today on vagrancy charges following raids last night on four "clubs" at which the police suspected gambling was conducted.

Klansmen Settle Out of Court Woman's Suit for \$200,000 Damages

Houston, Texas, Oct. 28.—The \$200,000 suit of Nelda Meyer against the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan was settled out of court here today. Miss Meyer said after the settlement that she could not make public the name of the men who made the settlement nor the amount of money which was paid to her in cash because she had pledged him her silence and was satisfied with what she had obtained.

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Old Cabinet Acting With Energy To Restore Order—Florence, Pisa and Cremona Occupied.

Rome, Oct. 28.—(By Associated Press.)—The cabinet council has been in session since midnight in order to receive reports from the provinces where the fascist movement has taken a subversive direction and to adopt necessary measures to meet the situation.

The cabinet decided first to issue a proclamation declaring a state of siege in all the provinces beginning at noon today, but later this decision was modified and a proclamation was issued urging the public to maintain order in the face of insurrectionary attempts.

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Reports received by the cabinet council from a number of points in central Italy show that the fascist are extending their movement with a view to exerting pressure for the formation of a fascist cabinet.

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The Facta ministry, despite its resignation, is acting with energy to reestablish order.

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King Victor Emmanuel is known to have returned to Rome last night with the intention of conferring today with various political leaders in an endeavor to form a new cabinet to succeed the Facta ministry which was forced out by the threats of the fascist.

JAPANESE PREPARE TO EVACUATE SHANTUNG

Tokio, Oct. 28.—(By Associated Press.)—Orders have been sent to the Japanese garrison at Taing-tao, Shantung, consisting of 200 men, to prepare to evacuate. Under the terms of the treaty with China, the evacuation must be completed early in November. The Japanese civil administration ends October 31 and officials expect the troops to sail home-ward soon afterward. All public property will be turned over to China.

AMERICA DECLINES TO ATTEND PEACE MEET

Washington, Oct. 28.—American Ambassadors Harvey at London, Herick at Paris and Child at Rome have been instructed by Secretary Hughes to notify the French, British and Italian governments that the United States cannot officially participate in the Lausanne peace conference because it was not a belligerent with Turkey, but that in view of its important interests in the Near East situation the Washington government will designate observers to be present during the Lausanne negotiation.

TODAY FOOTBALL SCORES

First period: Michigan 0; Illinois 0. Second period: Minnesota 9; Ohio State 0. Third half: Chicago 12; Princeton 7. Fourth period: Navy 7; Pennsylvania 7. Harvard 12; Dartmouth 3. Penn State 0; Syracuse 0. Cincinnati 16; Case 0. Hobart 24; City College of New York 0. Lafayette 10; Boston College 0.