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CONGRESSMAN KELLER



Oscar E. Keller, congressman from Minnesota, who filed charges of impeachment against Attorney-General Daugherty.

AMERICA OPPOSES TURKISH DEMANDS

Lausanne.—America and Japan both lined up with Great Britain and Italy when they took their stand against Ismet Pasha's contention that Turkey had wiped out all the capitulations, or extra territorial rights for foreigners, by declaring them null in October, 1914.

Richard Washburn Child, spokesman for the United States, said that if any legal dispute should arise, the Washington government would be obliged to take the same position as the allied powers.

Baron Hayashi for Japan said he had great sympathy with Turkey's dislike for the capitulations, because his government once labored under the same system. Japan, however, had taken 20 years to build up a legal system satisfactory to the foreign powers, and Turkey, he believed, would require the same time for the same work.

Ismet told the delegates that Turkey's resentment against the capitulation system was beyond the comprehension of foreigners. These special rights, he said, were no longer necessary, as the nationals of other countries receive adequate protection from the Turkish courts and other institutions and should not expect different treatment from that accorded Turkish subjects.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

James Couzens, mayor of Detroit, was appointed to succeed Senator Newberry.

Russia's harvest this year is satisfactory, according to a statement issued by M. Bruchanoff, people's commissary for food.

Treasury operations in the last twelve months resulted in a reduction of nearly three quarters of a billion dollars in the national debt.

The cost of living in Germany continues to mount. The index figure for the necessities of life rose 102.2 per cent in November as compared with October.

Representative James R. Mann of the Chicago district of Illinois, former republican floor leader, died at his home in Washington, D. C. He was 66 years old.

France joined Great Britain and Italy in protesting against the summary execution of former state and military officials of the Greek government at Athens.

The republican presidential candidate in 1924 "obviously will be Warren G. Harding," Secretary of Commerce Hoover said in an interview while visiting at his home in Palo Alto, Cal.

Great Britain acted without consulting her allies in withdrawing her minister from Athens after the executions of the former Greek high officials. Prime Minister Bonar Law informed the house of commons in answer to a question.

MANY DINNER PARTIES ON THANKSGIVING DAY

Thanksgiving day was the occasion for many dinner parties. The largest one was probably at the Highway Inn, where Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Warner entertained Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lee and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Klitz. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stewart had George Ayres as their dinner guest; Mr. and Mrs. I. Skoubo entertained the Paul Smith family; Mr. and Mrs. Chas Nizer had as guests the John Jenkins family and the F. L. Brown family and Chas. Barnes.

CASH MERCANTILE TO MOVE TO BROYLES BUILDING

The Pastime pool room has moved from the Broyles building into the south room of the Mack building, which has been used as a storeroom by the Cash Mercantile company. The Cash Mercantile company will move into the Broyles building as soon as the building is renovated and shelves are built.

Bazaar Postponed

Owing to the snow storm the bazaar that was to be held in the school house next Friday night has been postponed until next Tuesday night, Dec. 12, when it is hoped the weather will be better, so that everyone can come. The busses will run and a small charge of ten cents for adults, and five cents for children, will be made to cover their expense. This will be a fine time to buy those Xmas presents and at the same time help the Ladies Aid. Buy your candy at the Christian Endeavor booth, but be sure and come whether you buy or not.

New Houses Being Built

The new houses which are being built on the project are rapidly nearing completion. The Glen Carpenter 2-room bungalow was plastered this week; W. H. Mefford has the stone work on his house up to the coping; Clarence Berger is putting in the partitions this week, having finished the roof; and the Weston house is finished except some minor interior work.

Adventists Holding Interesting Meetings

This last week the Adventist congregation has built a coal shed back of the church, and had begun to apply another coat of paint on church, but were prevented by the snow storm. A series of very interesting meetings is being conducted this week by Rev. Watson, of College Place, Wash., and Rev. Thompson of Pendleton.

New City Dads

At the city election held on Tuesday the following were elected: For mayor, J. C. Ballenger; town councilmen, N. A. Macomber, F. F. Klitz, O. H. Warner, W. A. Goodwin, Frank Cramer, L. V. Root; for recorder-treasurer, Mrs. F. F. Klitz; for marshal, Jack Gorham.

First Snow

The first snow of the winter came Monday night as a surprise to us all.

Clemenceau at White House.

Washington, D. C.—Georges Clemenceau paid his respects Tuesday to President Harding. Arriving at the White House three minutes before 10 o'clock, the hour at which the president was to receive him, he was ushered immediately into the executive offices, where the president greeted him. Late Wednesday afternoon the war premier called on former President Wilson, with whom he sat in the council of the big five at Versailles.

Britain to Halt Scrapping of Navy.

London.—No more ships will be scrapped by Great Britain until Italy and France ratify the Washington disarmament treaty. Eyres Monsell, under secretary of the admiralty, stated in the house of commons.

Guess What They Are Talking About.



OREGON NEWS NOTES OF EVENTS HAPPENING DURING WEEK

The Roseburg-Coos Bay highway has been closed.

Portland soon will have another automobile stage terminal.

Bend grocers have signed an agreement to retail no bread not made in Bend.

Ninety-six violators of the prohibition law were arrested by the morals squad of the Portland police force during November.

Headquarters of Willamette university has announced that \$803,960 of the endowment fund of \$1,250,000 has been subscribed.

More than 100 people attended an annual Oregon products dinner given at Bend under the direction of the woman's civic league.

At a special election recently the people of Falls City voted a bond issue of \$15,000 to purchase the electric light and power plant there.

The state land department, through George G. Brown, clerk, turned over to the state treasurer during the month of November a total of \$155,987.48.

Only one dog may be kept inside the city limits of Eugene by one person, firm or corporation if an ordinance introduced in the city council is passed.

A total of 133,653 motor vehicle licenses for the year 1922 had been issued by the state motor vehicle department at the close of business November 30.

Roy Ritner of Pendleton, acting governor during the absence from the state of Governor Olcott, arrived in Salem Sunday night and will remain until Christmas.

The foundation has been completed for the new Brooks-Seaton Lumber company mill at Bend and construction of the frame work of the building will be started immediately.

Following the examples set by the Riverside and Crabtree communities of Linn county, Knox Butte citizens have inaugurated a movement in their district for a community hall.

Vessels of all trades entered at Portland for 11 months ending Thursday numbered 1062, with a total tonnage of 2,884,862. In the same period 1070 carriers of 2,884,397 tons were cleared.

Schools throughout Union county are making vigorous protests following the action of the county court in cutting off the appropriations for the county nurse and the county library service.

Clyde Lafollett, member of the lower house of the legislature from Marion county, narrowly escaped being drowned when an automobile in which he was riding plunged off the Wheatland ferry and into the Willamette river.

Twenty carloads of dried prunes have been shipped this fall from the plant of the Eugene Fruit Growers' association, according to J. O. Holt, manager, and ten carloads are left in the warehouses.

The state highway department, at a meeting to be held in Portland December 13, will open bids for the construction of roads and bridges aggregating a cost estimated at approximately \$500,000.

In order to preserve the surface of a number of roads in the county during the coming winter, the Lane county court has issued an order regulating the weight of loads to be hauled over particular roads.

November, 1922, was the coldest November in the last seven years, according to the figures of Lee Goetschius, weather observer at Eugene. The rainfall during the month was the lightest since 1914.

The balance in the various funds of the city of Portland on November 30, which marked the end of the fiscal year, was \$1,919,945.47, according to the financial statement compiled by William Adams, city treasurer.

Three men lost their lives and \$30,000 worth of property was destroyed when fire of an unknown origin swept the Ben Hur hotel at 247 Oak street, Portland. The dead are: Christosomo Madarang, 24; Thomas Carino, 26, and J. J. McDonald.

Some relief was noted in the car situation by the mills of the northwest last week, according to the figures of a report for the week ending November 25, issued by the West Coast Lumbermen's association. Shipments were within 8 per cent of new business placed on the books of the 152 mills reporting to the organization. New business was 13 per cent below production and production was 4 per cent above normal.

The district attorneys of Oregon will hold their annual convention in Eugene December 15 and 16, according to announcement by Clyde N. Johnston, Lane county prosecutor, who is secretary and treasurer of the state association.

Speeders and other violators of traffic laws totalling 6791 fell into the hands of the motorcycle speed squad of the Portland police force during the past 12-month period, according to the annual report filed with Chief of Police Jenkins. Fines aggregating \$23,255.35 were collected from drivers.

As a result of the tremendous numbers of motor tourists visiting the Oregon caves of the Sklakyou national forest, which followed the opening last season of automobile roads there, Fred Cleator of the Oregon office of lands will see about utilization of state land in that region for recreational purposes.

Cargo lumber shipments from the Columbia river for the month of November were much less than during the previous month, according to statistics compiled by Deputy Collector of Customs Lamb at Astoria. Sixty-nine vessels loaded at the mills on the river in November and their combined cargoes totaled 48,354,418 foot of lumber.

J. E. Wheeler of Portland, member of the Soper-Wheeler Timber company and part owner of the Portland Telegram, has purchased the defunct Klamath Pine Manufacturing company's plant at Pelican City, according to announcement made at Klamath Falls. The plant adjoins that of the Pelican Bay Lumber company, and comprises a 63-acre site, and a small sawmill. The mill will be enlarged and a box factory added.

With the coming of winter Union county market and county road work is being wound up for the season. Several projects are now completed, among them being the market road work on the Union-Medical Springs road, and graveling on the market road between Cove and Union. Construction work on the Cove-Island City road is being completed. Grading on the Island City-Elgin road and the graveling on the La Grande-Kameia project are both completed and open to travel.

Oregon's outstanding debt on September 29, the close of the fiscal year, was \$50,138,722.58, according to the biennial report completed by O. P. Hoff, state treasurer. The indebtedness includes state highway bonds in the amount of \$34,500,000, district interest bonds aggregating \$734,000, farm credit bonds totalling \$450,000 and world war veterans' state aid bonds of \$15,000,000, less \$25,000 redeemed highway bonds and less a sinking fund of the world war veterans' state aid commission of \$520,297.42.

Award of a sale of 7,157,000 feet of timber on the Breitenbush river to the Hammond Lumber company by the Santiam national forest was announced by C. C. Hall, supervisor of the reserve. The area involved in the sale is adjacent to a rich timber belt sold to the Hammond company about a year ago. A logging road has been constructed through this tract to tap the larger holdings. Under the sale contract the lumber firm pays \$2 a thousand feet for the Douglas fir and red cedar, \$3 for the white and sugar pine and 50 cents for the hemlock.

The historic mill race extending past the campus of the University of Oregon at Eugene will be straightened at a point opposite Villard hall to make more room for a sidewalk on Franklin boulevard. The city council has authorized the expenditure of \$2000 in the work.

SENATOR BAYARD



Thomas F. Bayard, democrat, elected senator from Delaware, is a son of the late Thomas F. Bayard, secretary of state in Cleveland's cabinet.

NO WARSHIPS TO BE SCRAPPED YET

Washington, D. C.—Holding the view that the naval disarmament treaty does not become effective until all five signatories have ratified it, this government has taken no steps to scrap ships specified other than the obsolete craft which would have been dismantled in the normal course.

Great Britain, in announcing that no more of her ships will be scrapped until the treaty is ratified, appears to be following the example of this government.

Unless France and Italy ratify the armament treaties within a reasonable time the United States is prepared to revise the naval scrapping agreement into three power form so that it will be effective upon the three nations which have already given final approval—the United States, Great Britain and Japan.

MORE TAXES ABOUT DUE

Payment December 15 Expected to Total \$275,000,000.

Washington, D. C.—The treasury has issued a reminder that another payment of income and profits taxes is due December 15. It estimated, a formal statement said, that the payment would bring in about \$275,000,000. Not all of the payment, however, will be in cash, as, under the optional forms of payment permitted, taxpayers may turn in, in addition to cash or checks, either treasury certificates of indebtedness maturing December 15, or 4 1/2 per cent victory notes, whether or not they have been called for redemption.

Besides the certificates of indebtedness maturing December 15, the treasury must take care of about \$700,000,000 in victory notes which have been called for redemption on the same date.

California Mayor Sent to Jail.

Fresno, Cal.—The Fresno county jail will be the unofficial "city hall" of Firebaugh, Cal., for the next 60 days, Max Knittle, mayor of the town, having taken up his residence in the county battle for that period. He was convicted on a charge of bootlegging.

The Tillamook County Mutual Telephone company, with headquarters at Tillamook, has filed an application with the Oregon public service commission requesting a slight increase in rates.

The salmon pack of the Columbia river district, which is considered one of Oregon's greatest industries, did not equal in value this year the pack of the five fruit canneries located in Salem. The canned fruit pack in the five Salem canneries aggregated \$77,000 cases, which were sold at an average of \$4 each. This would fix the value of the fruit pack of these concerns at \$3,045,500.