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THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1918.

FOREST FIRE LOSS IN 1917 FAR LESS THAN IN FORMER DRY YEARS.

Losses from fires in National forest last year amounted to \$1,358,000, according to figures compiled by the Forest Service. While the loss was larger than for several years, it was unusually light considering the dangerous conditions. Protracted drought and periods of high winds made conditions virtually the same as in 1910, when \$25,000,000 worth of timber on national forests was destroyed.

Careless campers were responsible for 1,288 fires, Railroads, partly through failure to comply with the law, set 1,905, while the number of incendiary fires is given as 452. The total number of fires fought was 7,814. All but 2,132, set by lightning, were caused by human agencies.

REVIEW OF WAR LIST ACHIEVEMENTS OF ARMY AND NAVY.

The following statements are from the Official Review of the first year of War, made public by the Committee on Public Information:

Total estimated expense of the United States Government in the first year of war, without loans to the allies, is \$12,067,278,679.07.

During the first year of war the United States Army has increased in actual strength from 9,524 officers and 202,510 enlisted men to 123,801 officers and 1,528,924 enlisted men. Strength of the Navy to-day is nearly 21,000 officers and 330,000 enlisted men; strength a year ago was 4,792 officers and 77,946 enlisted men. The total number of persons now in the Naval Establishment exceeds 425,000.

The first contingent of the expeditionary forces landed safely at a French port 88 days after war was declared. American troops went on their line for their baptism of fire 187 days after war was declared.

Nearly 73,000 mechanics and other civilian employees are working at navy yards and stations.

More than 700 privately owned vessels have been purchased or chartered by the navy.

Some 300 woolen mills are working on Army contracts.

Over 20,000,000 pairs of shoes have been ordered for the Army.

Treasury Department floated \$6,616,532,300 subscriptions to Liberty bonds.

Loans to a total of \$3,882,900,000 had been made to cobelligerent nations to end of 1917.

Total weight of steel thrown by a single broadside from the Pennsylvania to-day is 17,508 pounds; maximum broadside of largest ship during Spanish-American War was 5,660 pounds.

Two weeks after war was declared contracts had been made covering the requirements of an Army of 1,000,000 men, this material comprising 8,700,000 items.

More than 11,000 manufacturers bid for navy business.

Total deaths in the Army from April 6, 1917, to March 14, for all causes, was reported by The Adjutant General's Office to be 1,191. Of this number, 132 were reported as killed in action and 237 died or were lost at sea. The total number wounded in action was 404. Thirty-five men have been reported as missing;

28 of them are said to have been captured. Casualties in the Navy and Marine Corps from April 6 to December 31, 1917, include 5 naval officers and 139 enlisted men, killed or died from wounds. No officers were reported as wounded in action, but 10 enlisted men were so reported.

An Easter Program at Oretown.

An Easter program, under the direction of Mrs. Rock, ably assisted by Miss Eva Etzweiler and Miss Sanstrom, was successfully rendered at the Oretown church last Sunday.

The attendance was good and those who participated in the services deserve much credit. The children did remarkably well. The program was as follows:

Organ selection, Miss Gladys Kandle. Welcome, Arnold Jensen. Remarks on Easter, Mrs. Rock. Solo, "Beautiful Easter Day," Ona Bailey.

Recitation and song, Ruth Etzweiler. Solo, "Jesus Leads," Mrs. Fogg. Recitation, Esther Otzen. Song, little Helen Bordow.

Easter song, to tune of America, Anna Christensen, Elma Carver, Ruth Etzweiler, Roy Redberg, Herbert Redberg. Recitation, Jessie Irish.

Solo, "Its a Long, Long Time," Elma Carver. Recitation, "Thief on the Cross," Walter Afolter.

Reading, "Is It Nothing to You," Miss Sandstrom. Song, in motion, the singing by Mrs. Fogg, "Scatter Seeds of Kindness," Marion Etzweiler, Elma Carver, Ruth Etzweiler, Ona Bailey, Esther Otzen, Anna Christensen.

Recitation, "The Last Hymn," Mrs. Rock and Mrs. Porter. Solo, "I Never Knew," Miss Eva Etzweiler.

Recitation, "Nobody's Child," Anna Christensen. Song, "Easter Song," to tune of Blue Bird, Marion and Hazel Etzweiler.

Recitation, Marion Gaines. Reading, Mrs. Gaines. Musical selections on graphophone, Mr. Porter.

Organ solo, Miss Gladys Kandle. Miss Viola Redberg assisted continually at the organ. John and Gilbert Rock assisted in the decorations in the church.

The Angel's Harp was made by Mrs. Follett. The closing selection was a full dress recital of the "Prisoners of Sin Saved by Grace." The three prisoners were represented by Anna Christensen, Roy Redberg and Elma Carver. They were under the charge of the death guard of six soldiers with spears until the bearer of Christianity brought to them the message of Joy. The soldiers were Ralph Redberg, Zodie Etzweiler, Walter Otzen, Herbert Redberg, Oral Ray, Arnold Jensen. The bearer of the message of joy was Miss Eva Etzweiler, who directed the prisoners Heavenward. Then their robes of sin fell from them and they gradually climbed toward the Angel, represented by Esther Otzen, who awaited them. The audience, Eva Etzweiler and Mrs. Fogg and the prisoners assisted with the singing during this selection.

Will Christensen presented the subject of the Liberty Loan in a short address followed by closing prayer by Mrs. Rock.

Notice for Publication.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE at Portland, Oregon, March 5, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Claude M. Lane, of Hebo, Tillamook County, Oregon, who, on March 20, 1915, made Homestead Entry No. 04468 for e 1/4 s e 1/4 Section 24, Township 4 South, Range 10 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the clerk of the County Court for Tillamook County, Oregon, at Tillamook, Oregon, on the 16th day of April, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. Lewallen, Joe Price, A. S. Lane, Fred Lewallen, all of Hebo, Oregon. Proof made under Act of June 11, 1906, and Act June 6, 1912.

N. Campbell, Register.

NOTICES OF CANDIDATES

Announcement.

To the Voters of Tillamook County:
I beg to announce that I will be a candidate for County Commissioner for the south end of the county on the Republican ticket at the next primary election.
Ole B. Redberg.

Announcement

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination on the Republican Ticket for County Commissioner, to be voted on at the nominating convention to be held in May, 1918.

If nominated and elected I promise to the best of my ability all efforts for the development and advancement of Tillamook County.

Believing myself perfectly competent to administer the office I place my candidacy before the voters for their suffrage.
Yours truly,
D. A. Bailey.

Announcement.

To the voters of Tillamook County:
I herewith announce myself as a candidate on the Republican ticket at the nominating convention to be held in May for the office of County Commissioner. My motto: "A square deal all around."
John Weiss, Sr., Meda

To The Voters of Tillamook County

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate at the next primary election for the office of County Commissioner for the South part of the county on the Republican ticket. I believe in good roads, and will use my best efforts in seeing that roads are constructed permanently and built economically, if elected.
Yours respectfully,
A. A. Imlah.

To The Voters of Tillamook County.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Tillamook County, on the Republican Ticket, at the Primary Election, May 17, 1918.
Respectfully,
W. L. Campbell.

Announcement.

To the Voters of Tillamook County:
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held May 17th, 1918. If nominated and elected I will render the people of our county and nation faithful, conscientious and patriotic service, and will favor road building of a permanent nature.
Respectfully,
H. V. Alley.

To the Voters of Tillamook County.

I take this method of announcing my candidacy for the nomination of County Commissioner on the Republican ticket at the primary election to be held May 17, 1918. I will work for the best interest of the taxpayers and citizens of Tillamook County especially in the matter of roads, and will insist in a definite road policy as follows: Appropriating as much of the road fund as possible for the purpose of hard surfacing the main highways without neglecting the tributary roads and conforming to the state regulations when the same are to the interest of Tillamook County.
Respectfully,
H. M. Farmer.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Surveyor of Tillamook County on the Republican ticket.

If nominated and elected I will conduct the office in an efficient and economical manner.
Yours respectfully,
W. S. Coates.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate on the Republican ticket for nomination for County Clerk at the Primary election to be held May 17, 1918.
Erwin Harrison.

Easter Song.

Try this Easter Song to the tune of Blue Bird. Composed by Mrs. S. H. Rock, of Oretown, and sung by the little Misses Marian and Hazel Etzweiler on Easter Sunday in Oretown church.

Jesus was crucified, Romans and Jews deride.
Jesus laid in the grave amid death and gloom.
Mary early came there, her love, spices to share.
She found the stone rolled back and an empty tomb.
Somewhere her Saviour has vanished an' grief makes her tear drops start.
Mary weeps in her anguish and sorrow with broken heart.
"Why weepst thou, Mary," an angel

voice speaks from the sepulchre
"Somewhere they've taken my Saviour and Lord and I know not where."
No more can death appal, no more the grave enthal.
He rose and He left the grave for Paradise.
Risen as He had said, redeemed, when hopes had fled.
Jesus rose from the tomb, He's our sacrifice.
Christ is risen, He is conqueror o'er the grave.
Christ is risen, Christ is risen, and my Jesus lives to save.
Ring out glad tidings of joy and be happy this Easter time.
Jesus, our Lord and Redeemer! Paschal Lamb! such love divine!

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