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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Infor- mation of Our Readers.

Jitneys again have made their appearance in Portland.

James Ellison, resident of Albany for the past 40 years, died there, aged 80 years.

The Farmers' Creamery company of Carlton is installing a plant for the manufacture of cottage cheese.

The president sent to the senate the nominations of Edith B. Ward, postmaster at Stanfield, and B. C. Small, postmaster at Turner.

Herbert Nunn, state highway engineer, was elected president of the Northwest Society of Engineers at a meeting held in Portland.

George G. Watts, a Corvallis soldier, and Private Claude D. Perrin, of Monroe, with the American expeditionary forces in France, died of pneumonia.

The Oregon penitentiary service flag has 15 stars and the 16th is soon to be added, as another prisoner has just been pardoned to fight for his country.

Two of Douglas county's pioneers died last week. T. G. Dubell, 86 years old, passed away at Riddle, and Grafton Worthington died at Myrtle Creek.

An organized effort is under way for the draining of 3500 acres of land in the southwestern corner of Marion county, known as the Ankeny bottom.

The consolidation of Oregon rural schools as a wartime measure of economy is advised strongly by the Oregon normal school department of rural education.

Oregon farmers prospered so exceedingly during the past year that they are from 25 to 100 per cent better off than they were a year ago, according to estimates.

Mandus Olsen, owner of the fine Newell farm and stock ranch at Seghers, a few miles south of Forest Grove, died at his home from the results of self-inflicted wounds made by a razor blade.

Bend will be the convention city of the Oregon State Federation of Labor in 1919. That was decided by the unanimous vote of the delegates attending the fifteenth annual convention at Astoria.

The best record of any rural mail carrier in Oregon in the sale of war savings stamps is claimed by Roy Hanville, mail carrier on route No. 2 out of Newberg. One day last week his sales amounted to between \$1200 and \$1300.

The car service committee has advised Senator Chamberlain that instructions have been sent the local car committee at Seattle to investigate and take steps to remedy the car shortage complained of by lumber mills at Baker.

The authorities at Astoria have doubled the military guards about the mills, wharves and warehouses in the city. It is thought this action was taken with a view of preventing any disloyal act by German sympathizers or agents.

Sergeant George H. Mullin, of Portland, who, according to press dispatches captured a "pill-box" single-handed, and rushed a sniper's post, destroying the garrison, on the western front, is a nephew of Mrs. J. M. Shelley, of Eugene.

The last legislature changed the law relative to Arbor day so that it will hereafter be observed on the second Friday in February in all schools west of the Cascade range and on the second Friday in April in schools east of the mountains.

Tillamook county interests are taking up with the state highway commission a proposal that a serviceable automobile road be constructed through the Grand Ronde Indian reservation to tap the extensive spruce regions of the county.

SCHOOL NOTES

The basket ball game played last Friday night between the 8th grade and the Freshmen girls turned out to be a very interesting game. The score stood 14 to 18 in favor of the Freshmen.

Uncle Sam has slackers and so has the High school.

The High school has a splendid yell team.

NEW RULES TO SAVE WHEAT ARE PLANNED

Spokane, Wash.—The people of the United States probably will be asked to observe an additional wheatless day each week, under new rules being formulated by the federal food administration, Charles Heberd, federal food administrator for Washington, announced upon his arrival from Washington, D. C., where he has been attending a conference of state food administrators.

The use of wheat substitutes with all-wheat flour also probably will be asked in the new rules, which are expected to be issued about the middle of this week, he said, and which aim at a further reduction of wheat consumption during the year by 30 per cent.

"There is no shortage of flour and no necessity for hoarding," Mr. Heberd said. Mr. Hoover is authority for the statement that the saving made by the people in the last five months amounts to between 25,000,000 and 50,000,000 bushels of wheat. But already this surplus has been exported, and there still must be saved for export in the next seven months 75,000,000 to 90,000,000 bushels. The home supply, however, will be safeguarded at all times.

BRIEF WAR NEWS

"The people must either go on or go under," was the stirring climax of an address delivered to the trades unions of Great Britain by David Lloyd George, the British prime minister.

A mutiny among submarine crews at the German naval base of Kiel on January 7 is reported in an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Geneva. Thirty-eight officers are said to have been killed.

The peace conference proceedings at Brest-Litovsk again have been suspended, and Foreign Minister Trotsky is reported to have returned to Petrograd. Foreign observers in Petrograd believe that the negotiations are working to a final break.

The political unrest in Germany continues unabated and Chancellor von Hertling again has postponed his speech to the main committee of the Reichstag in answer to the war aims announced by President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George.

The Austrians have made another attempt to force the Italian right flank on the Piave river line and push a way to Venice close to the Adriatic coast. Rome reports an attack on a wide front in this sector. The Italians met the attack determinedly, and arrested the enemy effort.

The crisis in Austria, arising from the discontent of the people over the continuation of the war, to the scarcity of food and a general desire for peace, has resulted in the resignation of the Austrian cabinet.

In Hungary also the people are endeavoring to ascertain what are the prospects for a cessation of hostilities and a return to normal life. So insistent has been their effort in this direction that the Hungarian premier has been forced to announce in the lower house of parliament that the government adhered to the principle of peace without annexations or indemnities.

EX-PREMIER CAILLAUX



Joseph Caillaux, former Premier of France, who was arrested on charges of treason.

JORDAN ITEMS

Mrs. Clyde Thomas and Miss Mary Daugherty called on Mrs. E. M. Kimball Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Schneider is very poorly at present. Dr. Beaver, of Stayton, is attending her.

Miss Evaline Bilyeu is visiting at Greys Harbor.

The Red Cross Auxiliery met at the Daugherty home last Thursday. After the sewing was done, a nice supper was served, the occasion being Mr. Daugherty's birthday.

BOLSHEVIKI DISSOLVE RUSSIAN ASSEMBLY

Action Will Result In Internal Strife, Is Opinion of Many.

Petrograd.—Russia's constituent assembly had been in existence but a few hours before it was dissolved early Sunday by the executive committee of the congress of workmen's and soldiers' delegates. It is reported it will be succeeded by the workmen's and soldiers' congress, which has been supporting the Lenin government. Dissolution came after the Bolshevik adherents had been defeated in attempts to gain control of the assembly.

Lenin himself introduced the dissolution decree in the assembly and in a 90-minute speech lauded the soviet deputies as representing the highest power of democracy in the world. He said he considered the most resolute action which the decree proposed as the only means remaining—the Russian people otherwise were doomed.

The constituent assembly opened on January 18 and gave a majority to the socialist revolutionists of the right—the party of Kerensky, Tchernoff and Avksentieff.

A. I. Shingaroff, minister of finance in the Kerensky cabinet, and Professor F. F. Kokoshkine, state controller under Kerensky, were murdered in their beds in the Marine Hospital.

M. Shingaroff and Professor Kokoshkine were removed recently to the hospital from the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul because of illness.

HOLLEY ITEMS

(Delayed from last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Miss Neva Malone is hello girl at the Holley central office.

Frank Cameron is putting in a feed store at Holley.

We have a new sawmill on the south side of the Calipooia. They saw 3000 to 4000 feet a day.

CHAMBERLAIN FAVORS UNIVERSAL TRAINING

New York.—The National Security league paid tribute here to Senator George E. Chamberlain, of Oregon, and Representative Julius Kahn, of California. At a luncheon given in their honor the speakers referred to the efforts of the two statesmen in congress in the interests of national defense.

Senator Chamberlain, in discussing the military policy of the United States, advocated the adoption of universal military training. He pointed out that this system is fair to all—the high and the low, the rich and the poor, the professional man and the artisan.

Representative Kahn denounced the pacifists. "The strong arm of the government," he said, "should reach out and get these people. A few prompt trials and a few quick hangings would prove most salutary at this time."

Representative Kahn was followed by Theodore Roosevelt, who said: "Back Mr. Chamberlain; back Mr. Kahn in seeing that every hindrance of having these men supported as they should be supported by this nation is taken away."

Washington Man With Perishing Stain
Washington.—General Perahing reported Corporal Walter Roberts, infantry, killed in action January 20. No details of the engagement were given. His mother, Mrs. Kate Roberts, lives at Hartline, Wash.

Preliminary Action Taken

The railroad meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall last Saturday evening resulted in what may be the starting of the ball rolling towards building a track into Scio.

Mayor Thayer was called to the chair and Recorder Sticha was made secretary. After more or less discussion, the general consensus seemed to be that a stock company should be organized and stock sold with which to finance the project.

A committee was appointed of which Mayor Thayer is chairman with power to appoint his associates to employ a competent engineer to make preliminary surveys in order to select the most feasible route for the road and to obtain estimates of the probable costs. A subscription paper was circulated to obtain money to pay this initial cost, it being understood that the money subscribed should apply on the purchase of stock later on.

It should be the policy of every citizen to boost the project in every way possible and subscribe liberally to the stock of the company when offered for sale.

The Tribune believes that if all the business between Scio and West Scio should be given, the road would pay more than operating expenses and especially if the lumber mills would provide four or five loads per day.

NOTICE REQUIRING GERMANS REGISTER

All German Aliens Are Required to Register Between February 4th and February 9th

By proclamation of the president of the United States, all German aliens are hereby notified that all natives, citizens, denizens, or subjects of the German Empire or Imperial German government, being males of the age of 14 years and upwards on registration day, who are within the United States and not actually naturalized as American citizens, are required to register as alien enemies.

The dates of registration, within the state of Oregon, have been fixed for February 4 to 9 inclusive.

All German aliens residing or being within the city of Scio or vicinity are hereby required to present themselves for registration at the post-office in said city to the postmaster who has been designated by the Attorney General as assistant registrar of said city, and to complete their registration on or before the 9th day of February, 1918.

Any German alien, required to register, who fails to complete his registration within the time fixed therefor, or who violates, or attempts to violate any regulation duly promulgated by the president of the United States, or these regulations, in addition to all other penalties prescribed by law, is liable to restraint, imprisonment and detention for the duration of the war or to give security, or to remove and depart from the United States in the manner prescribed by law.

Forms of registration affidavits, registration cards and instructions to registrants and other necessary forms will be furnished by the postmaster.

Geo. F. Alexander,
U. S. Marshal
District of Oregon

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