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PRO RESERVATION LINES WEAKENING

Wilson Letter Stiffens Administration Ranks—Lodge Faction Is Discouraged

Washington, March 9.—Article 10 more than ever the dominating issue in the peace treaty fight, today became the unfinished business of the senate.

Several of the republican leaders, convinced that ratification would be impossible with their article 10 reservation of November unchanged, agreed on a substitute and made an active campaign to line up the necessary democratic votes behind it. But they did not succeed; although compromise negotiations will continue, no one has hope of agreement.

The new republican reservation follows the general outline of that adopted in November, but it puts into different and more specific form its declaration regarding the article's obligations. Some of the democrats were satisfied with it, but 28 was the peak of democratic votes which its republican advocates claimed for it, and it would take at least 30 and probably 34 for ratification.

It was indicated that President Wilson's new letter, although it failed to stop compromise negotiations, had not been without effect in stiffening administration ranks against anything like the old republican reservation. Democratic senators were in disagreement over what the president would do in event of a compromise ratification, and many of them declared their inclination to let the doubt resolve itself in favor of a conservative course.

So discouraged were the republican leaders that they have not decided whether their substitute reservation would be offered in the senate, but would try for compromise.

JORDAN ITEMS

H. C. Foltz was a Jordan visitor Saturday.

Mesdames H. Shelton and M. Prill called on Mrs. C. Schneider Saturday.

The stork left a fine son at the Tony Lockner home Saturday. All parties doing fine.

Dr. Prill was called Sunday night to attend the little son of Joseph Jungwirth who has rheumatism.

The electricians for the light and power plant are with us again and if appearances are not deceptive Jordan will soon be a busy place.

We understand a baseball club is soon to be organized at Jordan for the coming season.

A farmers meeting is to be held here on the 15th for the purpose of discussing the local cheese factory question.

The flu has not invaded our part yet. Aside from a few sore throats, etc., Jordan can boast of its good fortune.

OREGON MIST.

Report of the Condition of THE SCIO STATE BANK

At Scio, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business February 28, 1920:

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$190,742.67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,620.49
Bonds and warrants and U.S. Treas. Cert.	56,973.83
Banking house	
Furniture and fixtures	
Cash and due from approved reserve banks	52,255.61
Checks and other cash items	541.31
Total	\$302,133.91
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,069.81
Individual deposits subject to check	221,799.32
Demand certificates of deposit	3,392.15
Cashier checks outstanding	7,061.93
Time and savings deposits	43,559.00
Reserved for interest and taxes	1,351.70
Letters of credit	
Other liabilities	
Total	\$302,133.91

State of Oregon, }
County of Linn } ss

I, E. D. Myers, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. D. MYERS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March, 1920.

R. Shelton, Notary Public

My commission expires Feb. 14, 1921

Correct attest:

W. A. Ewing, A. E. Randall, Directors.

Widows and old maids, take notice: John W. Moore of the Gates Lumber Co., confided to our printer last Sunday that he (Moore) made a special trip to Scio that day in the vain hope that some leap year lady would lasso, hog tie and force him to marry her. John is a pretty boy and why he hasn't managed to catch a mate is a mystery. They'll fall for the cave man stuff, John. Try it, and if you're still alive your example will sure be followed.

Present indications are that we shall not wait for snow and rain in the month of March.

Jordan Mill Purchased.

Last week the city council purchased the mill property, residence, in fact all of the holdings of E. M. Kimball at Jordan at a cost of \$4000.

Mr. Kimball was here on Thursday when the deal was made, the same being ratified by the council at its meeting on Thursday night of last week.

The mill will probably be electrified and then rented or sold. The main object of the purchase was to obtain the right of way, ditch, etc., from Mr. Kimball.

This was the first move toward building the new power station up there.

Engineer Cunningham came up from Portland Sunday to start work on the entire project.

Cletus Holt, Manager Co. "A."

The appointment of Cletus Holt to the position of manager of company "A" at the state training school is not a complete surprise to his many friends here, as his interest in boys has been evident for some time. Cletus is our own boy and we are proud of the distinction he has rightly earned. He has the ability to make good. The best wishes of his many friends in the forks of the Santiam go with him in his work.

INCOME TAX IN NUTSHELL

WHO—Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more for the year 1919.

Married couples who had net income of \$2,000 or more.

WHEN—March 15, 1920, is final date for filing returns and making first payments.

WHERE—Collector of Internal Revenue for District in which the person resides.

HOW—Full directions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

WHAT—Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to \$4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable income. Sur-tax, from one per cent to sixty-five per cent on net incomes over \$5,000.

Engineer Cunningham is on the job completing the preliminary work for the new power station at Jordan this week. He can secure the right of way, set the grade stakes, let pole contracts, etc., and have everything in readiness to begin the real work as soon as weather permits.

One sweetly solemn thought Comes to us o'er and o'er, Our taxes are higher this spring Than they've ever been before.

Perhaps our readers would be interested in a medical definition of a cold, here it is: "The congestion of the blood vessels by cutaneous chilling retards the removal of the products of cell metabolism, or increases the permeability of the epithelial cell surfaces to the bacterial products, or alters the media in the tonsillar crypts and folds of the pharyngeal mucosa, thus disturbing the equilibrium between host and parasite and exciting infection."

Ira Blodgett has been added to the number of flu victims in Albany. He was a brother-in-law of W. W. Crawford. The funeral occurred at Lebanon Sunday afternoon in the family plot.

SANTIAM FARM TOPICS

Old one-eyed Pie Eater has been laid up for repairs for a week or so as he got out of kilter, his legs failing him, but he's on the mend and soon will be good as new.

George Griffin has salted down a 50-lb box of smelt.

The Burget family have all recovered from the flu.

Billy Kalina has his new house all finished, Henry Hassler doing the paper hanging.

Ed Kalina has had his house dolled up a la city style.

Ely Ramer is hauling milk for the cheese factory, now running.

Our school, No. 77, has been closed over a week, but opened Monday.

The widow stopping with Pie Eater is having a round with flu in her knees, or rheumatism.

Most people are putting in early garden. The old man had a fit and did likewise. He set out three bushels onion sets, a gallon of peas, seven bushels potatoes, 100 cabbage plants and an ounce of lettuce seed.

The Santiam Farm has a fine young horse for sale; also pick from three cows, all young and good milkers. Bring \$100 and take one.

Billy Kalina presented his wife a new talking machine.

Charley Chrz came over Sunday and bought Ed Kalina's favorite cow paying \$75 therefor.

Mrs. Newt Crabtree was a caller at the Farm Monday.

Mrs. Rebecca Morris was out for a visit Monday with her sister, Mrs. Sam Gaines. She got a square meal. PIE EATER.

In Memoriam.

Leone Rebekah Lodge No. 84.

I. O. O. F.

Whereas, The Great Ruler of the Universe has removed from our lodge our beloved sister, Julia D. Stepanek, by the messenger of death we bow our heads in sorrow as we submit to the will of Him who holds the destinies of us all in His hands.

Be it therefore resolved, That the lodge has lost an upright and faithful member and sister, her daily walk and actions truly exemplifying friendship, love and truth.

Resolved, That we do truly sympathize with the grief stricken family in their bereavement and that we commend them to our Heavenly Father who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the records of this lodge, a copy thereof transmitted to the family of the deceased sister and published in The Scio Tribune.

JULIA BILYEU
EMMA SHOPE
CORA CALAVAN
Committee.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to our friends, the Masonic order, and all those who served us in any way for their kindly sympathy, and floral offerings received during our sad bereavement.

MRS. C. A. EVERETT
and family.

D. C. Thoms went to Portland on Tuesday with business intent.

SCIO BANK VAULT ENTERED BY ROBBERS

No Attempt Made to Blow Money Safe—Safety Deposit Main Loot Taken.

After a period of 30 years in which no attempt to rob was made, the vault of the State Bank of Scio was entered by robbers on Thursday morning of last week and all of the personal deposit boxes rifled of their contents, but only liberty bonds, war stamps, small amounts of money and keepsakes which they contained were taken.

The burglars entered the bank from the rear and drove a hole in the rear end of the vault sufficiently large for a man to enter, who evidently passed the boxes out to a confederate into a rear room where they were forced open, the valuables taken and private papers scattered over the floor. No attempt to blow the money safe was made.

Most of the liberty bonds and war stamps taken were not registered, as the registered bonds were in the money safe.

The burglar or burglars had evidently visited the bank before the robbery as they seemed to be familiar with the inside arrangement of the building and vault. The wall was dug through just over the safe, at a convenient height for work.

The robbery was made sometime about 2 a. m., Thursday morning of last week, as dogs made a racket at about that time. Tracks indicate that the burglars came into town on Pentland avenue and retired with their loot through the same street.

Sheriff Kendall was telephoned and reached Scio shortly after 10 a. m., Thursday, and Postmaster Stewart and Assistant Postmaster Powell arrived a few minutes later. A post-office detective in Portland was sent for and arrived later in the day.

The bank vault is a flimsy affair, not built as a guard against burglars but for fire protection only.

Investigation by a Portland detective shows that the yegg men were professionals. A piece of carpet, evidently used to deaden the sound of drill driving, found, was the same found in the Monmouth bank, robbed some time ago.

When John Sticha assembled his private papers he found \$1200 in liberty bonds which he had placed in an envelope with other papers. The yeggs had not taken time to look through the envelop, but \$250 in bonds loose in the box were taken.

Cashier E. D. Myers thinks \$5000 will cover the bonds and stamps not registered. Some valuable papers are yet missing, but the larger part were dumped from the deposit boxes onto the floor. Several of these boxes with contents were taken, as no part of the boxes were found.

It is thought the robbers cannot dispose of the registered bonds and war stamps, yet they may destroy them, causing trouble to the owners.

Postmistress Daisy Buckner thinks the postoffice lost about \$500, mainly in stamps.

The rain is welcomed in the belief that it makes us feel better.

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