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MATTHIAS ERZBERGER



Matthias Erzberger, civilian leader
of the German armistice delegation.

**LUMBERING WAGES
TO BE CONTINUED**

Portland, Or.—Lumber manufactur-
ers of western Oregon and western
Washington are determined to main-
tain the wages of their employes at
the standard which has prevailed dur-
ing the war, despite the industrial un-
certainty of the immediate future.

This is the substance of one of the
principal resolutions adopted at a
meeting of representative lumbermen
and loggers of the two states held
here Saturday. Reduction of wages,
"even should lumber fall in value," is
opposed by the operators.

Continuation of the Loyal Legion of
Loggers and Lumbermen was urged as
an absolutely necessary part of the
organization of the lumber industry,
in resolutions adopted. The meeting
was conducted under the auspices of
the West Coast Lumbermen's associa-
tion, and was largely attended. Lead-
ers of the industry from all parts of
the northwest were present.

INFLUENZA TOLL IS HUGE

Deaths From Epidemic Exceed Cas-
ualties of Yankees in War.

Washington.—The recent epidem-
ic of influenza in the United States has
caused more deaths than occurred
among the American expeditionary
forces from all causes from the time
the first unit landed in France until
hostilities ceased. This announcement
by the census bureau was based on
unofficial estimates of the total cas-
ualties among the overseas forces and
reports from 46 cities having a com-
bined population of 23,000,000, which
showed 82,306 deaths from influenza
and pneumonia from September 9 to
November 9.

"Total casualties in the American
expeditionary forces," said the an-
nouncement, "have recently been un-
officially estimated at 100,000."

Nation Asked to Voice Gratitude.

Washington.—President Wilson, in
a proclamation, has designated Thurs-
day, November 28, as Thanksgiving
day and said this year the American
people have special and moving cause
to be grateful and rejoice. Complete
victory, he said, has brought not only
peace, but the confident promise of a
new day as well, in which "justice
shall replace force and jealous in-
trigue among the nations."

Canadian Soldiers to Have Farms.

Winnipeg, Man.—Thousands of acres
of farm lands in the Canadian north-
west are being set aside for returning
soldiers. It is understood that scores
of Canadian soldiers who have married
English and French girls have already
applied for homesteads and that a
movement is on foot to establish "sol-
diers' colonies" throughout the west-
ern provinces.

THE MARKETS.

Portland.
Oats—No. 2 white feed, \$54 per ton.
Barley—Standard feed, \$50.25 ton.
Corn—Whole, \$72@77; cracked, \$75
@79.
Hay—Timothy, \$23 per ton; alfalfa,
\$28.
Butter—Creamery, 60c per pound.
Eggs—Ranch, 68c per dozen.
Potatoes—\$1.75@2 per hundred.
Poultry—Hens, 25@28c; springs, 27
@30c; roosters, 18c; ducks, 27@30c;
geese, 18c; turkeys, 30@31c.
Seattle.
Hay—Eastern Washington timothy,
\$38 per ton; alfalfa, \$34 per ton.
Butter—Creamery, 40@53c.
Eggs—Ranch, 80c per dozen.
Poultry—Hens, 24@28c; springs,
26c; roosters, dressed, 27@28c; ducks,
26c; geese, 21c; turkeys, 40@45c.

The Methodist Ladies Aid are hold-
ing a food sale today, beginning at
2 p. m., in the former rest room one
door east of the First National Bank.

Goose hunting is the order of the
day nowadays. Sometimes the hunters
bag a goose or two, but more times the
geese make "gooses" out of their pur-
sues.

A letter from the state food ad-
ministration is to the effect that on
December 1st the individual allowance
of sugar per month is to be increased
to four pounds.

Read The Movie advertisement else-
where in this issue. It is about Am-
bassador Gerard's "Four Years in Ger-
many," which will be screened at the
local playhouse a week from tonight.

While the new food administration
ruling which permits of the purchase
of white flour, without substitutes, ap-
plies to bakers and all public eating
places as well as the homes, the ad-
ministration advises that the bread al-
lowance is not increased. In other
words a person is supposed to be just
as saving with food now as when oblig-
ed to use substitutes.

BUTTER CREEK ITEMS

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

There is to be a turkey shoot at Pete
Sheridan's on Sunday, Nov. 24. The
shooting will begin at 9 o'clock and
continue on through the day as long as
it is light enough to see. All are
cordially invited to come and try their
luck shooting, as this Thanksgiving is
to be a real thanksgiving.

There will be a dance at the Butter-
creek Hall on Saturday evening Nov.
30, so be sure and tell all your friends
about it and bring all the family, as we
expect to have the best dance that
there has ever been at Butter Creek.

School started Monday of last week
and nearly all the children are there,
but they all say that these short days
make it hard to make up back studies.

I. D. Basey has sent his stock over
to Monument. Mr. Basey intends to
make Monument his home next sum-
mers as soon as school is out.

Mr. Marks is shipping his hay to
Tillamook Co.

The ditch work will soon be finished
on the low line as the crew is at the
road below Bert Nation's.

Howard's sheep were moved to the
Hinkle place Wednesday.

CHURCH NOTICES.

BAPTIST
Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.
A. E. Bense, Supt.
Everybody welcome.

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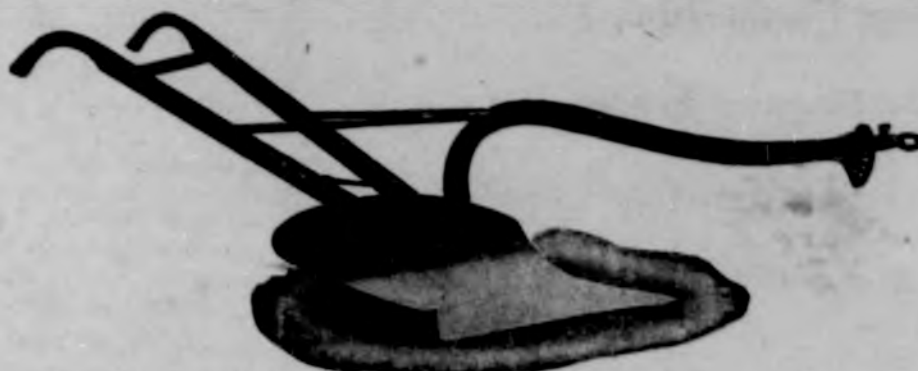
(At the Lodge Hall)
Thanksgiving Services — Everyone
in the community is invited to join
in the Thanksgiving service Thursday,
Nov. 28, at 10:30 a. m. Good singing
by the united choirs. Sermon by Rev.
M. R. Gallaher of the Methodist
church.

Was there ever a time like this for
thanksgiving?
Services Nov. 24.
Sunday school 10 a. m.
T. C. Parks, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Subject, "Others."
Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m.
Subject, "A Castaway."
M. R. Gallaher, Pastor

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Hermiston, 10:00 a. m.

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EVERYTHING IN FARM IMPLEMENTS

TAKEN UP

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned
has taken up and holds at his ranch 4 1/2 miles
northwest of Hermiston, the following described
tract:

One black bear, weight about 200 pounds: four
white feet, white spot under neck and white on
nose, and two very small cuts on right ear.
The above described property will be sold at
public auction to the highest bidder for cash in
hand Monday, December 2, 1918, at 10:00 a. m., at
the above mentioned ranch, unless redeemed by
owner.
J. M. Prindle

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at
La Grande, Oregon, November 8, 1918.
Notice is hereby given that Otto G. Sapper,
of Hermiston, Oregon, who on May 12, 1915,
made Reclamation Homestead Entry No. 014665
for lot 3, section 32, township 5 north, range 29 East
Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention
to make three-year proof to establish claim to the
land above described, before W. J. Warner, U. S.
Commissioner, at his office at Hermiston, Oregon,
on the 4th day of January, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses: Henry M. Som-
merer, Charles A. Keller, Paul M. Miller and Wil-
liam J. Downer, all of Hermiston, Oregon.
C. S. DUNN, Register

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters
of School District No. Fourteen, of Umatilla
county, state of Oregon, that a school
meeting of said district will be held at the
school building on the 14th day of December,
1918, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to
vote on the proposition of levying a special
district tax.
The total amount of money needed by the
district during the fiscal year beginning on
June 17, 1918, and ending on June 16, 1919,
is estimated in the following budget and in-
cludes the amounts to be received from the
county school fund, state school fund, special
district tax, and all other moneys of the
district:

BUDGET	
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
Teachers' salaries	\$8460.00
Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc.	200.00
Library books	100.00
Flags	35.00
Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuild- ings or fences	100.00
Improving grounds	50.00
Transportation of Pupils	1275.00
Janitor's wages	900.00
Janitors' supplies	265.00
Fuel	700.00
Light and power	250.00
Water	175.00
Clerk's salary and bond	145.00
Postage and stationery	35.00
For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under sections 117, 144 to 148, and 422 of school laws of Oregon, 1917	2580.00
Interest on warrants	720.00
Printing notices	20.00
Insurance	75.00
Miscellaneous	365.00
Total	\$16450.00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	
From county school fund during the coming school year	\$ 596.00
From state school fund during the coming school year	446.40
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year	858.00

Total estimated receipts not includ-
ing the money to be received from
the tax which it is proposed to
vote.....\$4147.40

Total estimated expense for the year \$16450.00
Total estimated receipts not includ-
ing the tax to be voted.....\$4147.40

Balance, amount to be raised by
District tax.....\$12302.60
The amount of money to be raised by this
special tax is more than the amount raised
by special school district tax in the year im-
mediately preceding this, plus six per cent.
It is necessary to raise this additional
amount by special levy for the following
reasons:

The estimated increase in cost of conduct-
ing the school is twenty-five hundred forty-
seven dollars, due chiefly to the increased
cost of the following items over last year:
Teachers' hire, twelve hundred thirty dol-
lars; pupils' transportation, three hundred
seventy-five dollars; interest charges, two
hundred dollars; fuel, one hundred fifty
dollars.

The following items, viz: Janitor and
janitor's supplies, teachers' supplies, library
books, building repairs, ground improve-
ments, water and miscellaneous contribute
the balance of the increased cost, or five
hundred ninety-two dollars.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1918
J. D. Watson,
Chairman Board of Directors
Attest: R. C. Todd, Clerk 8-11

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