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With Medford Stop-Over

BOMBS EXPLODED IN TWO CATHEDRALS NEW YORK CITY

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—From bits of iron picked up in both St. Patrick's Cathedral and in the yard of the St. Alphonsus rectory in West Broadway, the police believe that the bombs exploded yesterday afternoon and early today at the two edifices were the work of the same person or persons.

That the bomb in the cathedral was placed there by a demented person was the opinion expressed by Monsignor Lavelle. The explosion rendered a boy, kneeling in prayer 20 feet away, unconscious and tore a hole in the floor several feet wide, splintered nearby pew doors and chipped the marble ceiling.

The bomb in the arway at St. Alphonsus exploded seven hours after the one at the cathedral and slightly injured a priest. Windows in the rectory and nearby buildings were shattered.

St. Alphonsus was visited March 5 by an "army of unemployed" under the leadership of Frank Tannenbaum. The men forced their way into the church and nearly all of them were arrested. Tannenbaum was found guilty of participating in an unlawful assemblage and sentenced to serve a year in the Blackwell penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500.

NO CRIME TO CLEAN DIRT OUT OF GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 14.—That it is legitimate to raise the grade of grain by cleaning it after it has been consigned to an elevator on an inferior grading, was the decision given the Grain Dealers' National association in convention here today by Dr. J. W. T. Duvel, crop technologist of the United States department of agriculture. Dr. Duvel said there can be no ground for charging fraud against those dealers who buy dirty grain, which for that reason had been given a grade below that it would otherwise receive, and who, by properly cleaning it, make it eligible for a higher grade.

AMMUNITION FACTORY INCREASES ITS FORCE

ALTON, Ill., Oct. 14.—An order for ammunition received by a local cartridge company yesterday will necessitate the employment of several hundred additional hands and the operation of the factory day and night for six months. The order was placed by a New York banking firm, which did not disclose the identity of its client. The ammunition, however, is to be delivered at New York.

INCREASE IN ICING CHARGES APPROVED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—An increase of 5 cents a hundred pounds in the refrigeration charges of less than carload shipments of freight from New Orleans, and similarly located points, to Chicago, was approved today by the interstate commerce commission. The commission found that the increase was not unreasonable and vacated the order of suspension previously entered.

Do It Today: Resolve to smoke Gov. Johnson cigars, the best, and thereby patronize home industry.

NO EXPERIMENT TO TAXPAYERS

DR. C. J. SMITH, in his admirable and common-sense talk to the voters at the Natatorium Tuesday evening, mentioned the fact that legislative appropriations had increased from less than two millions to nearly seven millions in the past few years, and that nearly one-seventh of the money appropriated by the last legislature went to the Oregon Agricultural college. He praised the college work and suggested its extension to such practical purposes as solving the marketing problem, but questioned whether taxpayers were receiving full value for the enormous expenditures, citing the eastern Oregon experiment station in Union county as an example of O. A. C. finance.

The history of the Union experiment station is as follows: Years ago an appropriation was made by the legislature for the construction of an insane asylum in eastern Oregon. A tract of 640 acres of the finest land in the Grande Ronde valley was purchased by the state. Afterwards the supreme court declared the appropriation unconstitutional and the land was turned over to the O. A. C. for experimental purposes. Seventy-five acres of this fertile tract has been utilized for grass experiments, the other 565 acres farmed or leased.

Notwithstanding the fact that no better land can be found in the state of Oregon than this state farm, and that farmers, with much smaller tracts, in the vicinity have grown wealthy farming; that the revenue derived from the 565 acres has been used, the station has been far from being self-sustaining. Annual appropriations have been sought from the legislature and secured. Since 1911, \$7500 a year has been appropriated, in addition to the revenue from the state's land.

This experiment station has been conducted by Dr. James Withycombe, republican nominee for governor, and his son, Robert Withycombe, has had regular employment there at a good salary, yet nothing has been accomplished, so far as it is possible to learn, to justify this expenditure. The people in the immediate vicinity have not only failed to profit by this station, but the state at large is hardly aware of its existence.

Properly conducted, the proceeds of the 565 acres of the richest soil in Oregon ought to more than pay for planting to grasses the remaining seventy-five acres. What kind of farming is it that calls for the expenditure of \$7500 a year in addition to the proceeds from 565 acres to take care of seventy-five acres in grass? It is surely a farming of taxpayers, if not of land—and a good thing for the Withycombe's—father and son.

While on the subject of experiment stations, a glance at some of the other state stations will prove instructive in the explanation of why taxes are high.

An experiment station on the Umatilla irrigation project costs the state \$3000 a year and the national government \$3000 a year, a total of \$6000. Forty acres was set aside by the federal government for this station. It is conducted wholly by the Agricultural college, and farmers across the road and in the immediate vicinity of this station, although in debt and having to find a dollar wherever possible to get it, in the improvement of land, have surpassed many fold in many instances the work on this station. Further, the reports issued jointly by the man in charge of the station and a man in the federal service, have done the Umatilla irrigation project more harm than the station itself could do good in many years.

The station at Moro, costing the state \$2500 a year for the purpose of demonstration as to the kind of cereals especially adapted to that community, is such a failure that the farmers refuse to even visit it in that county. In fact, the only station in the state that seems to be appreciated by the people in the community in which it is located is the one in Harney county.

The experiment station in Jackson county is still an experiment except to the taxpayers. How much practical aid it has been to the valley is a matter for the farmers themselves to say.

The Oregon Agricultural college recently printed at public expense a beautiful book bound in Russia leather, entitled, "Orange." The printing is in colors, requiring several plates for each page. Special etching adorns the borders, while countless half-tones and illuminated initials bear witness to an expenditure that must have totaled \$10,000 of the taxpayers' money. Its frontispiece is a fulsome and flattering testimonial to Dr. Withycombe.

As Dr. Withycombe has, since he resigned as state veterinarian, been for fourteen years a right bower of the O. A. C., lobbying through many of its appropriations, which now total one-seventh of the state's enormous expenditures, the O. A. C.'s delight at the prospect of having him governor to aid by his "harmony program" its money-grabbing campaign, perhaps justifies a ten thousand dollar testimonial in his behalf at public expense.

No experiment here!

Irrigation in Southern Oregon

To the Editor: Have been reading Friday's Mail Tribune this evening and particularly interested in the article on first page, "Irrigation for Rogue River Valley."

I think it high time that the orchardists of Rogue river valley realized their need of the crop insurance that water on the land will give them.

A few of us signed up for water two years ago, and many more hung back and cried graft, and refused to sign up because each one couldn't draw a contract to suit his individual notion. They, in common with the rest of us, have lost more on the crop this year, for lack of water, than the fifty dollars per acre the Roguelands company asked for installing the irrigation plant.

There are thousands of acres of lemon groves in this valley in which the water system has cost several times as much per acre as the Roguelands company ask. Many of the large lima bean

ranches here have elaborate water system of underground concrete conduits, costing a mint of money. They are reaping the benefit now in thrashing a crop that runs up to forty sacks per acre and selling at 4 1/2 or 5 cents per pound. The walnut crop, also irrigated, is being marketed now at 16 to 20 cents per pound. I saw a load of nearly four tons come in town a few days ago that brought 20 cents as that is the price for budded nuts. It is to be hoped that your people will not wait for a repetition of this season's experience, but will sign up their acreage and let Mr. Sullivan get busy. C. W. POTTER, Santa Paula, Cal.

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Geography of the War Zone

ARRAS—An important French city, 27 miles southwest of Lille, and the same distance from the Belgian border, on the Scarpe river, at its junction with the Crinchon. Vauban erected numerous fortifications there in the seventeenth century, of which a gateway and a dismantled citadel are all that is left. Arras was the chief town of the Atrabates before the beginning of the Christian era, passing under the Roman rule later. Louis XI stormed the town, tore down its walls, banished its citizens and changed its name to Franchise in the fifteenth century, but his successor, Charles VIII restored the city to its former name and position. The town, which now has a population of about 23,000, possesses oil works, breweries, dye works and manufactures of hosiery. It exports cereals and grain.

APREMONT—A French village, 18 miles north of west of Verdun and 30 miles from the Belgian border, in the picturesque valley of the Aire river, about 15 miles from its junction with the Aisne. The town is in the northeastern part of the forest of Argonne and is four and a half miles northwest of the little town of Varennes, where Louis XVI was arrested in 1791 on his attempted flight from Paris. Apremont has but a few hundred inhabitants, who are busily engaged in iron working.

LOMZA—A town of Russian Poland, the capital of the government of the same name, 78 miles south of southwest of Suwalki and 84 miles north of northeast of Warsaw, on a height near the left bank of the Narw river. The town is one of the oldest of Russia, one of its churches having been erected before 1000. It has broad and well paved streets and well built houses. The town was formerly fortified and had two citadels, but it was frequently invaded by the Germans and Tartars and was twice plundered by the Cossacks of the Ukraine in the seventeenth century.

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THREE BOMBS FROM AIRSHIPS STRIKE NANCY

NANCY, via Paris, Oct. 14, 5:45 a. m.—Three bombs from German aeroplanes fell yesterday in the railway station near the bridge of the Rue de Mon Desert, in the southwestern part of the city. The bombs struck a passenger coach, cut telegraph wires and wounded three persons.

AMERICAN WOMAN CHOSEN FOR FRENCH FIELD SURGEON

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Dr. Mary M. Crawford of Brooklyn has been chosen as one of the six American surgeons selected through a fund started by the Duchess of Talleyrand for hospital and field service in France. Dr. Crawford will leave on board the Rochembeau, which starts Saturday for Havre.

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FOOD SOURING IN STOMACH CAUSES INDIGESTION, GAS

Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary.—Adv.



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