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ZEITUNG DECLARES WILSON GREATEST OF OUR POLITICIANS

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—The National Zeitung publishes today a leading article under the heading: "Wilson, Bryan and Roosevelt," which is noteworthy for its friendly tone and for the ungrudging admiration expressed for President Wilson.

The article says that discussions of the Arabic affair have been in a quieter tone since Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador at Washington, presented his request to the American government to delay action until Germany had the opportunity of presenting its side. Even the anti-German newspapers admitted the justice of this request, the article says, and there is now no obstacle to friendly discussions of differences.

President Wilson is pictured in the article as standing between the two rivals, whose activities threatened to bring about such a situation that the president might make his attitude toward Germany dependent on domestic political considerations.

"That President Wilson withstood the temptation and may be counted on to withstand it further must be acknowledged," the newspaper says, "notwithstanding the fact that the German people certainly have reason to be dissatisfied with his attitude in the matter of submarine warfare."

Mr. Wilson is characterized as a much better politician than "the unshakable Bryan and the astute Roosevelt."

SUBMARINE VICTIMS ARRIVE AT GOTHAM

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The steamer Rossano arrived today from Cardiff, bringing Captain Wrye and the crew of seven of the British schooner Stofa, which was sunk by a submarine fifty-eight miles east of Gallyhead, Ireland, on August 19.

Captain Wrye said he was bound from Llanelli, Wales, for Parrishore, N. S., when a German submarine appeared off the port side of the schooner and ordered the vessel abandoned.

"The submarine commander gave us ten minutes to get away. Just as all hands were pulling away the submarine opened fire on the schooner, shelling her until she filled and capsize. We returned to the wreck and hung on until the Rossano came along more than five hours later."

HEIR TO MILLIONS STRANGELY MISSING

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Police were searching today for F. J. Van Sielken of Yakima, Wash., who left his home nine weeks ago to come here to sign papers that would permit the final distribution of an estate of nearly \$4,000,000 left by his grandfather, Herbert Van Sielken.

The missing man is an Elk and it was said that members of the order in many cities have joined in the search. When Van Sielken left Yakima he sent a telegram engaging rooms at a Brooklyn hotel, but he never appeared. He was said to have a large sum of money.

PEGOU FAMED FRENCH AVIATOR IS DEAD

PARIS, Sept. 1.—Reports of the death of Adolphe Pegoud, the famous aviator, have been officially confirmed.

Pegoud, who was only 24 years old, served five years in the French cavalry, fighting in the Moroccan campaign. At the outbreak of the present war he joined the aviation camp as a private, but soon gained a sublieutenant's commission because of his skill and daring. His exploits won him the military medal and the military cross. Pegoud brought down his sixth German aircraft on July 11.

INTERURBAN AUTO CAR CO. Time Table Leave Medford daily except Sunday for Ashland, Talent and Phoenix at 8 a. m., 1:15, 3:00 and 5:15 and 10:15 p. m. (Saturday at 11:15 p. m.) Sunday leave at 8:00 and 11:00 a. m., 1:00, 3:00 and 9:30 p. m. Leave Ashland daily except Sunday at 9:00 a. m., 12:50, 2:30, 4:30 and 7:00 p. m. and Sunday at 10:00 a. m., 12 noon, 4:00, 6 and 10:30 p. m.

WHERE THE ALLIES ARE STRIKING TERROR TO TURK HEARTS



Map shows advanced position along the Dardanelles now held by the allies. The dotted lines are points held by French and British. The heavy arrows and figures explain the latest big move made against the Turks.

TALENT TALK

The Talent Farmers' club will hold a meeting at the city hall Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This will be an important meeting, as reports upon the proposed irrigation project will be discussed and final action will be taken. Everyone interested in obtaining water should attend this meeting on August 31.

Misses Grace and Linnie Hanson returned Sunday from Blackrook, where they spent the past two weeks visiting their sister.

Glenn I. Wardrip and family have moved up on Wagner creek, where Mr. Wardrip will teach his second term of school.

W. Willis has been taken to the home of Mr. Pace, the former superintendent of the farm. Mr. Willis has decided to spend the rest of his days with the Pace family and has transferred his property to Mrs. Pace as a compensation for her kindness in taking care of him in his old age. Mr. Willis is not in very good health and has been bedfast for many months.

School begins Monday, September 6. There will be a forenoon session only on that day, at which time assignments, lists of books, etc., will be made. Everything will then be ready to begin work in earnest on Tuesday morning. Nearly all supplies will be furnished the children as they were last year, the pupils being required to secure books and a few other individual articles necessary for efficient work. The teaching force for the year will be as follows: Primary, first and second grades, Mrs. Ada Stannard; lower intermediate, third and fourth grades, Miss Mabel Micky; advanced intermediate fifth and sixth grades, Miss Lillian Pierce; grammar grades, Peter L. Spencer; domestic science and art and high school assistant, Miss Gladys Olson; principal, G. W. Ager.

Peter L. Spencer came down from Ashland Monday, looking up a desirable place to stay during the winter. The Methodist Sunday school classes will leave Talent Tuesday evening for a swim in Helman's baths. Hayricks have been secured to accommodate the merry-makers.

Mrs. Baucus, with her daughter, Opal, and young son, Virgil, will leave the first of the week for Chico, where they will join Mr. Baucus. It is possible that they will remain in California during the entire winter.

ALONG ROGUE RIVER

John Fry was a valley visitor recently. Gene Bellows sold a load of hogs to Walter Woods.

Dr. Kirchgessner of Fall City, Or., was out on the river Sunday. Ray Whitley of Ashland is spending a few days at the Debenger Gap ranch.

A bouncing baby boy arrived August 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grieve on the Nichols ranch.

Professor Collins was interviewing the directors of the several districts in regard to new furniture. There was a dinner party and family reunion at the Ayers home Sunday.

There was a swimming party at Mrs. Gene Bellows Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller are out from Central Point visiting relatives here.

C. H. Veights of Ashland was out to the ranch the first of the week. George Melonough and family and Mrs. Gilchrist of Sams Valley passed en route to the berry patch Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Graham have returned to their home after a year's absence in San Francisco. Mrs. Graham has been quite sick for the last week.

WILLOW SPRINGS

W. D. Clarke motored to Medford Thursday afternoon. Gay Conner of Medford was in the district Saturday.

Omar Ockerman of Central Point transacted business in this district on Saturday.

Miss Ruth Kennedy attended a farewell party in Talent Tuesday evening.

Merritt Hoagland and Harold Gudmanson are in the Grants Pass vicinity for a few weeks.

Mrs. George Murray of Portland spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Sam Anderson.

A forest fire endangered several homes in this part of the valley Monday, but was soon controlled when our neighbors began to fight it.

Sunday Mrs. R. A. Pierce returned to her home from Portland and was accompanied by Mrs. Botwright, who will remain several weeks.

Mrs. Weimer and four children spent several days with J. P. Hoagland this week.

Paul Olson of Central Point was in this vicinity calling on friends Thursday evening.

Friday, Mrs. L. M. Foss and two daughters returned to their home in Lewiston, Idaho, after a very pleasant visit with Mrs. Foss' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stone.

Mrs. H. M. Porter and daughter, of Hilt, Cal., are enjoying a visit with the parents of Mrs. Porter, J. P. Hoagland and wife.

Allan and Arthur Hopkins were pleasant callers of friends in this district Monday.

Mrs. Maule and two daughters of Medford were at Mrs. Straube's home August 27 celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. Maule and Mrs. Straube, which were on the same day.

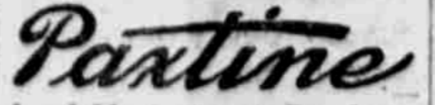
Tuesday Sam Anderson and family, Miss Erickson of Portland and Mrs. George Murray of Portland picnicked on the banks of Rogue river. The picnic dinner was a treat, but the wading in the river was far more enjoyable.

A very jolly event of the week was the picnic supper at Ray Gold Thursday evening. The party enjoyed supper over a camp fire and enjoyed the moonlight on the Rogue river. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Mrs. Frank McKee and family, Misses Norwood and Smith and Eric Grant.

Wednesday, Mrs. R. W. Elden most happily entertained the Central Point Missionaries on the lawn at her home, "Green Acres," the time being the club's annual picnic. Special papers were read and numerous musical selections were enjoyed after a basket dinner.

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RUSSIA PREPARES ANOTHER LOAN IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

PETROGRAD, Sept. 1.—The finance committee of the duma presented a bill today extending the rights of the state bank to issue paper money. The committee report discussed the entire problem of meeting war expenses, stating that the sums needed were so large that all possible sources of revenue must be used—taxation, internal credit operations, paper money and foreign loans.

"For 1915," the report stated, "the estimated war expenses are 7,242,000,000 roubles (\$3,621,000,000) and other expenses 2,847,000,000 roubles (\$1,423,500,000) making a total of over 10,000,000,000 roubles (\$5,000,000,000)."

"The revenue from ordinary receipts estimated at 2,796,000,000 roubles (\$1,398,000,000) while credit operations up to the present time have yielded 4,814,000,000 roubles (\$2,407,000,000) leaving over 3,000,000,000 roubles (\$1,500,000,000) yet to be provided."

"The government must prepare the ground for another important loan in foreign markets to pay for material purchased abroad, but in view of our agreement with our allies there is no doubt of our success."

STATE FRUIT AUCTIONS OPEN IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Fruit auctions, by which the state department of foods and markets hopes to aid both producer and consumer began today at Red Hook, N. Y. Nearly 50,000 barrels of apples were offered for sale. The biggest peach crop in the state of New York ever known will be offered at auction in this city within a week. If this auction idea is successful it will be extended to every type of fruit and produce extensively grown in the state.

11,000,000 ACRES OF UNCLE SAM'S FOR HOMESTEADS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—More than 11,000,000 acres of land were eliminated from the public domain during the past fiscal year by homestead and other entries and sales to individuals, the annual report of Commissioner Talman of the general land office will show. There are still however, open now, or will be, 295,545,404 acres, "unappropriated and unreserved, of which 172,987,912 acres are surveyed and the rest unsurveyed."

All this is in the twenty-five public land states and in addition to this enormous area there are approximately 300,000,000 acres in Alaska which will be available to American citizens.

Nevada is shown to have the most public land, 55,417,540 acres, of which almost 30,000,000 acres are already surveyed, and Missouri, with only 9923 acres, reports the least. Michigan has 76,639 acres subject to entry, Kansas 75,214 acres, North Dakota 493,667 acres and South Dakota 2,880,282 acres surveyed and 53,781 unsurveyed; Nebraska 192,358; New Mexico 27,788,357; Oklahoma 42,177; Oregon 15,442,178; Utah 33,363,857; Washington 1,144,605; Wyoming 3,0029,599.

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