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EX-KAISER CUTS THOUSANDTH TREE IN DUTCH REFUGE

AMERONGEN, Holland, March 15. (By the Associated Press.)—Former Emperor William today completed sawing into logs his thousandth tree since he took refuge at Count Von Bentinck's castle here last fall. From the thousandth tree a few logs were converted into souvenirs of the achievement and marked in red ink with the inscription "W.-2." These were presented to members of the Bentinck family and to those who have assisted the ex-emperor in his work during the last ten weeks.

As he was completing his task a young countess took a snap shot of Herr Hohenzollern and his assistants, Dr. Roerster and Captain Von Isemann, together with the young gardener who adjusts the logs on the bench for the ex-ruler to saw them. The picture included the former empress, who was reading a newspaper nearby.

COMPANY "C" TO SERVE IN GUARD

PORTLAND, Mar. 17.—Members of Company C, old Third Oregon, which had an active part in the war, have planned to reorganize as a National Guard company upon their return home. Returned members of this fighting unit, and others who were members formerly but who did not go overseas, have made definite plans for reorganizing the company as soon as all the boys have come back. A veteran corps will be formed and application will be made to the government to muster in the company again as a National Guard unit.

WATER WORKS MAN GIVES OUT FACTS

After Searching for Years He at Last Finds Medicine That Ends Troubles

"I have been trying for years to get something that would relieve me of my troubles and have found it at last in Tanlac," said Alfred Jolly, of 3291 Quittman street, Denver, Colo., and an employe of the water works department of that city.

MEXICAN REBEL LEADERS SURRENDER

MEXICO CITY, Mar. 17.—Among the most notable recent surrenders of rebel leaders to the government, according to an official report by General Fortunato Maycotte to the war department, was that of the former federal brigadier general, Pablo Vargas, in the state of Guerrero. Vargas revolted about a year ago when his chief, General Silvestre Mariscal, governor of Guerrero, was imprisoned in Mexico City for disobedience of orders.

KENLY DEMOTED.

THE country hears with regret of the demoting of Major General William L. Kenly as director of military aeronautics as a reward for his successful efforts in reorganizing the aircraft service. He reverts to his rating as colonel of field artillery. His demotion again calls attention to the autocratic rule of the general staff, which in Prussian-like manner, punishes officers that have capacity and originality enough to suggest changes in the red-tape inefficiency of its bureaucracy.

General Kenly, who had been chief of artillery for the A. E. F. was selected by Pershing to become director of aircraft when the scandals of the aircraft program forced Secretary Baker to divorce training and production. He at once demonstrated his efficiency and what the division of military aeronautics was at the signing of the armistice was wholly his work and that of the organization he built.

The reason for "scalping" General Kenly is the fact that he held that the air service ought to be a distinct establishment, that just as the army is the military establishment of the nation on land and the navy the military establishment on the water, the air service should be the military establishment of the air—as is the case in Great Britain.

A bill along this line, providing for a consolidation of the flying arms of the army, marine corps and navy under its own member of the cabinet, was introduced in the last congress by Senator New and approved by Senator Chamberlain. Whether General Kenly had anything to do with drafting the measure is not known, but it embodied his views.

The proposal aroused the antagonism of the general staff, of the navy and of the marines, who sought to keep the control of their respective air branches in their own hands. The general staff proposes to detail officers to the air service for specified periods, during which they retain their rating to the branches to which they formerly belonged. The result will place a shifting personal of inexperienced men in charge of air craft, spell inefficiency and make for neglect of this vital branch of national defense.

Whatever the general staff wants, goes with Secretary Baker. When it opposes reform of army injustice in court martials, and demotes the officers favoring it, Baker sanctions the opposition. When it opposes efficiency in air service, and demotes those favoring it, Baker O.K's the action. It is a law unto itself and its rigid red-tape rules the military establishment—which is one reason why the people pray for a league of nations to minimize its power.

BENEFIT AT PAGE FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Commencing Thursday the Athletic association of the high school will put on a benefit at the Page. The program will be made up of vaudeville, glee club orchestra and this will be supplemented by the Italian government war film, "Italy's Flaming Front." The students will appear on the program Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday afternoon. This program is of unusual merit and tickets are being sold for 25c. Every one should not only stand behind the students but should plan to enjoy this program.

21 COUNTIES FILL CHAMBER QUOTA

PORTLAND, Mar. 17.—Twenty-one counties were reported already to have exceeded their quotas in the state-wide Oregon state chamber of commerce membership drive, which opened today. There were assurances that the remaining fifteen shortly would be heard from.

Damp, Changing Weather Brings Its Toll of Sickness to Medford People

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ATLANTA, Ga., March 17.—About 1,500 railroad clerks, employed on all roads entering Atlanta, except the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis returned to their desks this morning, after having been on strike since Friday and tying up freight traffic in Atlanta and adjacent territory.

STRIKING RAILROAD CLERKS RETURN TO THEIR DESKS

Medford people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Mrs. J. H. Gustin, 52 1/2 South Grape St., Medford, says: "I have been taking Doan's Kidney Pills whenever I have felt the need of a kidney medicine for several years and I have always received the most satisfactory results. My kidneys seem to be my weakest spot and every little cold or strain affects them and my back becomes weak and lame. After I have taken a couple of boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, my kidneys become normal and in every way I feel as well and strong as ever."

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BOSTWICK STRUCK BY BULLETS 4 TIMES IN TWO BATTLES

"I was conscious all the two days I lay on the battlefield in France, and about all that I could think of was to drink water and smoke cigarettes," said Irwin D. Bostwick, who so far as is known was Jackson county's most wounded and worst wounded soldier of the war, who arrived in New York, Feb. 12, and is here on the thirty days furlough from the base hospital at Camp Lewis to visit his mother, Mrs. Eva Bostwick. They formerly resided in Applegate.

He was first wounded in the neck on Feb. 22nd a year ago on the Lorraine front. He was returned to duty immediately after he was released from the hospital. He escaped in the

CHURCH RECEPTION TUESDAY EVENING

The members of the Christian church, their relatives and near friends will have a get-together meeting and reception to the new pastor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Millard, at the church tomorrow. The dinner will be served at 6:30 and the business men are requested to go from work to the church. Members should take enough in their baskets for the family and one more. Take your own silver and mark it so you will be able to identify it after the dinner. Also put your name on your basket. They will be taken by a committee and arranged for the dinner.

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PERSHING AWARDS HEROES OF FAMOUS RAINBOW DIVISION

COBLENZ, March 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—General Pershing said good bye to the boys of the 42nd division today. In a farewell address to the troops of the Rainbow unit who are preparing to start for home the first week in April, the American commander-in-chief wished them all good luck.

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