

AMERICAN TROOPS MOVE ON BORDER

No Word Yet Received From Man Lost in Modoc Lava Beds

RESUME BATTLE NEAR SABINUS; SCENE GREWSOME

REBEL FORCES ARE MATERIALLY STRENGTHENED

Thousand Additional Constitutionalist Arrived Against the Federal Garrison—Corpses Strewn Streets of the Villages—Towns Looted and Burned, and Non-Combatants are in Imminent Peril.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 30.—Three special trains left this city this morning for Eagle Pass, carrying two squadrons and one machine gun platoon of the Third Cavalry, and Battery C of the Third Field Artillery. No definite reason for this move has been furnished by the army headquarters.

United Press Service

EAGLE PASS, Sept. 29.—A thousand additional troops and other reinforcements reached the constitutionalists army, and today the fighting was resumed around Sabinus. The constitutionalist forces are under command of General Blanco. Fatalities are increasing, according to stories brought here by refugees. In some of the interior towns, they say corpses are piled like wood in the streets, and no effort has been made to bury the victims of the fight. Every city and town in the path of either army has been destroyed. After looting the houses for food and driving off all the available stock, the troops are using dynamite and fire. Non-combatants are fleeing by the hundred for the border, in imminent peril. It is stated that many are on the verge of starvation.

Mrs. R. E. Smith will leave this evening for a month's visit with relatives in Sacramento.

REJECTS WORDEN SITE

Instead Council Prepares for City Hall Bonding

Lots 1 and 2, block 75, of Klamath addition, at a cost of \$10,400, does not appeal to the city council as a city hall site.

This was shown last night when the council, by a divided vote, rejected the offer made by Major Chas. S. Worden for the sale of the two lots on Fifth street and Klamath avenue. This provided for the removal of the buildings.

Mathews moved for the rejection, and Rogers, Townsend, Hamilton and Underwood voted with him. Opposed were Goeller, Savidge, Owens and Doty.

"Why should we reject this offer?" asked Savidge, who secured a four

Francis Quimet, Champion Golfer, Carried From Field After Beating Englishman



When Francis Quimet, the twenty-year-old golfer, won from Edward Ray, British professional champion, and Harry Vardon, former professional champion of England, in the contest at the Country Club in Brookline, Mass., his friends and admirers who had followed him about

Root Experts Meet

DETROIT, Sept. 30.—Various plans for a national policy of road building and improvement were discussed at today's sessions of the American Road Congress in third annual session here. Senator Jonathan Bourne of Oregon was today's principal speaker.

New Cleaver Welder

Joe Konop has accepted a position with the People's Meat Market, and is now presiding behind the big block.

months' option on the site for the city.

"Because it jumps in price too quick," replied Mathews. "I understand that we can get the two lots on the other side of the garage for less money, and with the buildings included.

Following this action, Councilman Leslie Rogers resurrected from the table the petition of numerous citizens, asking for action toward securing a city hall, which was presented some time ago. Attached to this was an ordinance providing for a special election to determine the question of issuing bonds for city hall construction on the city's property in block 75. This was introduced by Rogers, and passed its second reading.

MANY BUILDING PERMITS GIVEN

STANDARD OIL COMPANY WILL PUT IN SEVERAL NEW BUILDINGS—GARAGES PROMINENT IN THE LIST

The following building permits were granted at last night's meeting of the council:

- Standard Oil company, stable, wagon shed, pump house and office building, at Sixth and Spring streets. To be of corrugated iron. Henry Rabbes, four-room bungalow on lot 3, block 62, Nichols addition; to cost \$800. Bert McIntyre, small barn on lots 4 and 5, block 96. J. Konop, woodshed on lot 8, block 35, First addition. Annie B. Jardine's barn, on lot 3, block 10, Second Fairview addition. Albert E. Elder, enlarging and shingling cottage on lot 10, block 4, First addition. F. M. Garish and B. S. Grigsby, garage on lots 7 and 8, block 50, Nichols addition. A. P. Hutchins, two porches on dwelling on lot 4, block 85, Klamath addition. C. E. Riley and Harry Stilts, garage on Northwest corner of lot 2, block 37.

The original forests of the United States contained timber in quantity and variety far exceeding that found on any similar tract in the world.

BOILER EXPLODES AND YOUNG BABY IS BADLY BURNED

UEHLING BLAMES WATER COMPANY FOR INJURY

Water Was Shut off by Company's Order—Uehling Declares His Wife Did Not Know This, and Went Ahead Using What Water There Was in the Boiler—Company Says He Had Been Notified of Shut-Off

The two-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. John Uehling was painfully scalded, and Mrs. Uehling's hand seriously burned by the explosion of a hot water boiler in the kitchen of the Uehling home.

The explosion was caused by the shutting off of the water early this morning by an employe of the water company.

Mrs. Uehling, not knowing the water was off, had built a fire in the stove, heated what water remained in the boiler, did some washing, and was giving the baby a bath near the boiler when the accident happened.

The members of the household claim that no one had notified them of the water being cut off, though there is a provision made to the effect that the water company must notify the family, not only that the water will be cut off, but after it has been turned off.

Mr. Uehling visited the office of the water company immediately after the accident, and had quite a "set-to" with the local office force.

The little child is blistered about the face, chest and stomach, and Mrs. Uehling has a badly scalded hand.

"Mr. Uehling received notice several days ago that his water service would be discontinued," said Manager George J. Walton of the California-Oregon Power company today. "He was in arrears, and our Mr. Foster handed Mr. Uehling personally a notice that the water would be shut off on the 27th if the amount due was not paid.

"The water was not shut off until this morning."

Uehling contends that it was the duty of the company to notify his residence at the time the water was shut off.

ORDER LIGHTS AND HYDRANTS

SEVERAL OF BOTH ARE SCATTERED THROUGH THE DOMAIN OF ONE DOTY, REPRESENTING "THE GROWING FIFTH"

A number of lights and fire hydrants were ordered installed by the council last night.

J. W. Straw asked for the installation of a fire hydrant at the southeast corner of block 15, North Klamath Falls. He also asked for street lights on D street, at Third and Fifth.

Three West Klamath residents asked for a light at the corner of Cypress and Seymour.

Councilman Doty asked for a light for Third and D streets. He also asked for a hydrant at Upham and Pleasant avenue.

FORT COUNTRY HAS GOOD YEAR

IN ADDITION TO GOOD HAY AND GRAIN CROP PRICES ARE GOOD AND CATTLE IN GOOD SHAPE. OTHER NEWS NOTES

(Herald Special Service)

FORT KLAMATH, Sept. 30.—Hay is all up in this section. The crop and prices are both satisfactory. There has been a ready market for all that has been for sale.

Thrashing has been on for some time. The Burns and Cox outfit is now thrashing for the Pelton Sismore company. They expect to finish in a few days.

While there will be a large amount of grain threshed this season, there would have been much more had it not been for the frost that caught it in August at the time it was in the most delicate state.

Weather conditions have been excellent for harvest, also for the fattening of stock. The beef cattle in the valley is in fine condition, and shows every indication of bringing the top price.

The output of the creamery also indicates prosperity in the dairy business. The only thing now needed along that line is more cows.

Prosperity is also indicated by the up-to-date residences that are being built this season in the Wood River, Valley. Three who are building and expect to move into their new residences in a few days are George A. Lisk, the Pittman sisters and Walter Dixon, all of whom have late up-to-date bungalows.

The Utter and Burns sawmill will start up Monday to make the fall run. They will cut about 1,000,000 feet to supply the local market. They were compelled to wait until after harvest, owing to the scarcity of men to operate the mill.

The two big power plows will start in a few days, and will continue to plow until winter. This will increase the grain crop next year about 20 per cent, and increasing the cultivated acreage to about 5,000 acres in this little valley.

REGISTRATION IS PICKING UP

SEVENTEEN NEW NAMES ADDED TO THE LIST TODAY—REGISTRATION BOOK CLOSES ON OCTOBER 20TH.

Since the opening of the new books for registration, 267 voters have registered their names in order to be qualified for the November election. Of this number seventeen came in today.

Several important questions will come up for a referendum settlement at the approaching election, and it is expected that all who are entitled to exercise the right of franchise will have their names on the roll before the day of closing the books, which will be October 20th.

According to two English investigators, heating soil by steam before planting seed increases its food value. Plants raised therein blossom earlier and produce more and better fruit.

O. L. WAITE HAS BEEN MISSING SINCE YESTERDAY FORENOON; SEARCH PARTIES SEEKING HIM

MEAT INSPECTORS ARE KEPT BUSIED

MORE THAN 2000 ARE CONSTANTLY AT WORK SAFEGUARDING THE HEALTH OF THE NATION IN THIS WAY

But very few persons realize the magnitude of the government meat inspection service or the close scrutiny that is given all meat slaughtered. In the past seven years 377,000,000 were inspected at slaughterhouses, and 1,100,000 carcasses and 4,700,000 parts were condemned. Eight billion pounds of prepared meat were inspected and certified for export.

To do this work a force of 2,400 veterinary inspectors has been kept continuously at work at 792 slaughtering and packing establishments in 227 cities and towns. These men, through long experience, can instantly detect tuberculosis or other disease in a carcass, and can, by touch and smell, detect abnormality in any organ.

MILLIONAIRE IS ACQUITTED

CHARGES AGAINST GEORGE BIXBY ARE NOT SUSTAINED AND OTHER INDICTMENTS WILL BE DISMISSED

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 30.—The charge against George Bixby, the multi-millionaire, charged with contributing to the delinquency of Cleo Helen Barker, was proven unfounded on facts by the verdict of not guilty returned by the jury last night.

The state prosecutor announced today that he intended to dismiss the charges preferred by Marie Brown Levy. The grand jury will start the investigation of Bixby's blackmail charges soon.

DIVIDEND, 10 PERCENT

Union Pacific Stockholders Waxing Wealthier

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The executive committee of the Union Pacific Railroad company is in session, and according to Wall street rumors a juicy melon of \$52,000,000 will be divided on a 10 per cent basis. According to the best obtainable information concerning the financial affairs of this corporation, their surplus consists of \$250,000,000. After deducting \$100,000,000 as a reserve fund for the possible purchase of the Central Pacific, which the supreme court may order, and \$25,000,000 as shrinkage in investments at the present stock prices, this will still leave almost \$82,000,000 available for distribution among the stockholders.

ATTEMPTING TO MAKE A SHORT CUT, IS LOST IN THE WIERD VOLCANIC STRETCH

Search From Noon Until Dark Yesterday Proved Fruitless, So It Is Continued Today—Parties From Merrill and From Klamath Falls Left Early This Morning to Take Up the Hunt—May Be Injured by Fall.

The expedition of Klamath Falls men to the Modoc Lava Beds came to anything but a desirable ending Monday, by a member of the party, O. L. Waite, becoming lost in that region of craters, cinders and lava.

Since he left the members of his party at 10 o'clock Monday to take a supposed short cut to the other members of the party headed for Captain Jack's Stronghold, he has not been seen.

Waite has neither food or water. Although he has a revolver, no shots have been heard.

Thirteen automobile loads of men went into the Lava Beds Sunday, and Sunday night was spent at the big ice caves.

Early Monday morning the party set out afoot for Captain Jack's Stronghold. Some distance from the caves a halt was made to await the arrival of Charles Merrill, who acted as guide.

During the halt W. O. Smith, W. A. Detrell, J. A. McCoy and R. E. Smith discussed the lava fortified region that was the principal battle ground during the Modoc War in the early 70's, and in advance of the other party, they set out for the stronghold, planning their route to take them through the battlefield. Waite accompanied this party.

The other members of the expedition, after the arrival of their guide, went to some of the cinder cones, before going to the stronghold, and they skirted the battle ground. These arranged that the automobiles should be brought from where they were parked, near the ice caves, to the Phloeny camp, which was nearer the stronghold, so as to expedite the journey.

Waite suffered from blistered feet on the Sunday hike, and Monday at 10:30, as the smaller party was

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