

LOCAL MEN SUBPOENAED TO TESTIFY Huerta Is Reported to Be Dissipating

Dictator is said to start his breakfast with champagne, and wash it down with cognac

FOR THIS REASON WASHINGTON HAS NOT TAKEN HIS MOVES SERIOUSLY

Reports from Lind and O'Shaughnessy are to the effect that over half the time he is not responsible—Bryan denies reported protest against two British cruisers in the Vera Cruz harbor.

Secretary Bryan made the following statement today: The statement made this morning to the effect that the war department protested against the action of England in sending two warships to Mexico is absolutely false.

BULGAR KING IS TO QUIT THRONE

ROYAL PRINCE WILL ASSUME AUTHORITY, SAYS DISPATCH, FOLLOWING LENGTHY STATE CONFERENCES

United Press Service BELGRADE, Nov. 22.—The Politika publishes dispatches from Sophia to the effect that King Ferdinand has definitely decided to abdicate in favor of Crown Prince Boris.

Every year on October 16th there is preached at the Church of St. Catherine Cree, in London, a sermon to commemorate the deliverance from a lion in the Arabian desert of Sir John Gayer, who was lord mayor of the city of London, in the early part of the seventeenth century.

MISS HARTER WINS IT

Merrill Declamation Contest Is Full of Interest

(Herald Special Service)

MERRILL, Nov. 22.—Miss Jeanette Harter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harter, was awarded the silver medal by the judges at last night's Silver Medal Declamation contest, held by the local branch, Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The judges were Mrs. J. G. Swan, Miss Laroebish and W. C. Dunning. Their task was by no means an easy one, as all the young ladies rendered excellent readings, showing forcibly the evil of excessive drinking.

The following program was rendered:

- Scriptural Reading—Mrs. Jay P. Harter, chairman. Prayer—Rev. Carl. "The Wrecked Express"—Miss Lucy Carle. Song—Miss Eileen Sutherland. "In the Keg"—Miss Vivian Hunting. Duet—The Misses Graybael. "Horemiah and His Paw"—Miss Audrey Tolle.

"The Unexpected Habit"—Miss Oerms Graybael. Selection, quartet—Rev. Carl, Mrs. Blake, Miss Morovich and Professor Blake. "Two Portraits"—Miss Blanche Coppock. Vocal solo—Miss Erma Anderson. "Good Night, Papa"—Miss Anna Carl. Vocal solo—Prof. Russel Blake. "Horatio's Oil Can"—Miss Jeanette Harter.

While the judges were in session, to arrive at a decision, Miss Mary Terwilliger rendered a piano number and Professor Blake a vocal solo. The silver medal was presented to Miss Harter by Professor Blake, who prefaced this with a short, but effective talk on the evils of drink. The other contestants were presented with pretty gold shield-shaped pins.

Beautiful Diamond Necklace Given as Wedding Present



Miss Jessie Wilson, who is to wed Francis H. Sayre, November 25th at the White House, will receive one of the most notable wedding presents ever given in the United States—the diamond pendant and necklace subscribed for by members of the house of representatives, republicans and democrats.

Mr. Mann is one of those genial, whole-souled politicians who can arise above party in such matters. The gift cost \$2,800.

The pendant is outlined in pear shape, containing eighty-five small diamonds and one large canary diamond in the center, weight six and a quarter carats, and is perfect in every particular. The small diamonds are placed around the large stone in concentric rings, which are built of delicate lace work of platinum.

MINIMUM WAGE BILL IN FORCE

EIGHT HOURS, TWENTY MINUTES THE MAXIMUM DAY'S WORK FOR WOMEN EMPLOYED BY ANY STORE

United Press Service PORTLAND, Nov. 22.—After today Oregon's new minimum wage law will be in effect. Under its provisions a minimum wage of \$9.25 per week must be paid all women clerks who are not apprentices, eight hours and twenty minutes will be the maximum day's work, and fifty hours for the week, and no woman shall be employed in a mercantile establishment on any day of the year after 6 p. m.

The new law, which was decided on by the Industrial Welfare Commission of Oregon on September 24th, automatically eliminates Saturday night shopping and night shopping during the Christmas rush. Only one big department store in the state appeared in favor of the law when it was being considered. All the others protested vigorously against it.

Gerber Buys Springs. George Batchelder has returned from Barnes valley. Mr. Batchelder had a ten-acre tract in the valley just over the line in Klamath county and on this land was a large spring, and several stockmen have been trying to buy from Mr. Batchelder without success until about a week ago when Louis Gerber came to Lakeview, and getting the news from George that the tract was for sale, took him in his buggy and visited the tract, and in a short time made the purchase.

Mr. Batchelder would not state the price, but he said he got what he asked and that was all that was necessary.—Lakeview Herald.

"Almost as Good." Fred English, who formerly lived here, but now residing in Klamath Falls, where he is connected with the California-Oregon Power Company, was here Sunday and Monday shaking hands with his many old friends. He says that he and Mrs. English think that Klamath Falls is almost as nice a place as Yreka.—Yreka Journal.

Oil in River a Mystery. How a layer of crude oil that coated the Sacramento river from bank to bank for a distance of three miles, got into the water, is being investigated by Commissioner Bliss. River Patrol Officer Wilson reported on Thursday that he had found the river covered with oil on Sunday and had made an investigation.

As near as can be learned by Commissioner Bliss, the oil came from a point about twelve miles north of Sacramento, but how he does not know. Bliss has come to the conclusion that about the only thing to blame the condition is that an oil gusher suddenly burst forth at the bottom of the river.—Sacramento Union.

In nearly every street in Japanese cities is a public oven, where, for a small fee, housewives may have their breakfasts, dinners or suppers cooked for them.

Calls on the Clerk. Francis O. Freuer, a resident of Poe Valley, came to the county seat today to pay a visit to the office of County Clerk De Lap. Mr. Freuer presented the county clerk with a couple of coyote hides, and the clerk, not to be outdone, presented Mr. Freuer with a county warrant for \$5.

AIRMAN CUTS A NEW DEATHTWIST

ASCENDING A MILE IN THE AIR, FRENCHMAN LOOPS THE LOOP AND THEN DROPS HEADFIRST TOWARD THE EARTH

PARIS, Nov. 22.—Aviator Canteloup today ascended a mile in the air, and looped the loop three times, flying head down in a high wind. The birdman then pointed his machine toward the earth, and dropped plummet-like a distance of 2,000 feet. Seventy feet from the earth he righted the craft, and alighted in safety.

The Village Cutup.

Every town has its joker. In this instance Yreka is not behind the times. The joker approached the Journal reporter on the street on Monday evening and said: "Say, Mr. Pencil Pusher, did you hear the very latest news that is going around?" The reporter replied, "Nearly all—'if not all,' and then asked him what the latest news was. The joker replied: "Rain! which is very much needed by our farmers, which came down very hard, and you will also notice, that this downpour did not even make Miner street muddy, which has not occurred before in fifty years."—Yreka Journal.

Deaths in England and Wales due to Phthisis have decreased in number during the past half century by considerably over 50 per cent.

HARVARD TAKES TITLE

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 22.—Harvard University today defeated Yale by a score of 15 to 5. From the very start of the game the football victory was conceded to the Crimson eleven. Brickley's work was the feature of the game. The Harvard crowd is almost wild with enthusiasm and delight, as this is the first time in the history of football that the Crimson has won two victories in succession over the sons of Eli.

MINING COMPANY ORGANIZED HERE

OREGON-NEVADA MINING AND MILLING COMPANY WILL DEVELOP EXTENSION OF THE FAMOUS COMSTOCK LOBE

At a meeting of interested people last night, there was formed the Oregon & Nevada Mining company, which was recently incorporated for \$1,000,000, under the laws of Nevada. The main office of the company will be at Reno, and the branch office here.

The following directors were elected: O. W. Robertson, Charles Graves, A. L. Leavitt, Fred Houston and J. J. Keller. The officers elected are O. W. Robertson president, Charles Graves vice president, A. L. Leavitt secretary-treasurer.

There are twelve stockholders, all of whom reside here. Charles R. Baldwin, one of the stock holders, will go to the mine the first of the month. The property owned by the company is the west extension of the Comstock, which in the early days produced over \$800,000,000 in gold. The company has already tunneled in 490 feet, and is within seventeen feet of the ledge they will tap. It owns its own stamp mill.

Schmidt Trial Next Tuesday

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Judge Foster today denied the motion of the wealthy experts for time for further examination of Hans Schmidt, and ordered the trial for next Tuesday.

CITY HALL BONDS UP

Only Property Owners Allowed to Vote Monday

Monday, November 24, the qualified electors will be called upon to say whether or not Klamath Falls shall have a city hall and jail properly equipped.

If the bonds are voted the common council contemplates adopting a plan that will not only furnish adequate space for the conduct of the business of the city, but will include also adequate space for jail and fire department purposes.

The members of the council are confident that the amount asked will be sufficient to erect the building, properly equip the city hall and jail, and discharge the indebtedness against the lots already purchased.

ORINDALE LOTS BEING LOOKED UP BY U. S. OFFICERS

LOCAL MEN SUBPOENAED TO TESTIFY IN TRIAL

Tract of Sagebrush, Rocks and Hillside Platted and Sold to Middle Westerners as Suburban Property Adjoining Klamath Falls—Clerks, stenographers, etc., eager to get a start, bought on small payments.

A thorough investigation of the affairs of the Oregon Inland Development company, which placed on the market Orindale Addition to Klamath Falls, is being made by the federal district court at Portland. The promoters are being tried on charge of using the mails to defraud.

Rufus S. Moore and Frank McCone have gone to Portland, in answer to summons from the authorities. Deputy County Clerk Charles DeLap leaves tomorrow morning, in response to the following from K. A. Johnson, assistant U. S. district attorney:

"Please make a search of the records in your office for any land located in the county of Klamath which now stands, or has since 1909 stood in the name of the Oregon Inland Development company. We desire to secure the date of the deed, the description of the land, from whom purchased, the consideration and the date on which the deed was recorded."

"Please get this information in such shape that you will be able to testify in court here in the trial of the case of the United States against J. T. Conway and Frank Richet. We also desire that you familiarize yourself with the location of these tracts of land in regard to the distance from the main portion of Klamath Falls, whether or not these tracts would be suitable for plating as an addition to the city of Klamath Falls, and the approximate value of the land described.

"Kindly secure this information for us, and arrange to arrive in Portland Tuesday morning, where a subpoena will be awaiting you."

The tract is six miles from Klamath Falls. (Continued on page 4)

No opposition has been heard against the sale of the bonds, and it is believed that they will carry by a large majority at the election on Monday. Prominent tax payers are of the opinion that it is much better for the city to own its own building than to continue paying rental. Another feature that has brought support for the bonds is the fact that the city would have a suitable jail in which to place prisoners arrested from time to time. A wooden structure, such as is used at the present time, is a menace to the lives of all persons confined therein, and it has only been by good luck that the city has so far escaped a costly damage suit.