

## GERMANY BOWS TO AMERICA ON MARINE POLICY

### ADMITS SINKING OF LUSITANIA UNLAWFULLY

Cable Received From Berlin and Bernstorff Immediately Communicates With Secretary Lansing, Giving the Last Portion of the Message Verbally—Officials Are Jubilant, and Believe This First Step Toward Peace.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—Germany has accepted the demands made by America in regard to her submarine policy. Count von Bernstorff has submitted to Secretary Lansing the substance of Germany's answer to the president's last communication orally.

In effect, all demands regarding the warning of ships, visit and search before they are sunk are conceded. The question of future discussion of her past actions were left open, and nothing was included in any way in the shape of a request that America reciprocate by taking up with England the British blockade. It is thought this will be discussed later.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—Bernstorff rushed to Lansing in an automobile as soon as he received the cable from the German foreign office, not waiting to present a written memorandum, delivered it orally, and then rushed back to the German embassy, transmitted the message into English and sent it to Lansing by special messenger.

The text of the memorandum says in part: "Liners will not be sunk by our submarines without warning and without the safety of the lives of non-combatants being regarded, provided the liners do not try to escape or offer resistance."

Government officials stated that this would revolutionize the American attitude towards Germany, and it is believed the White House will accept it in good faith. It is understood that the note practically admits the sinking of the Lusitania contrary to international law.

Officials are jubilant, and this note is regarded as evidence that Germany is determined to avoid further friction. Diplomats are hoping that this will prove the initial step toward making peace among the warring nations. The sweeping character of the concessions surprised all at the capital.

It is pointed out that concessions were really made to the allies as well as America, and has placed England in an embarrassing position if she now refuses to modify her blockade.

Chief Justice White called it the greatest stroke of modern diplomacy. It is believed that when the text of the note is available it will admit the sinking of the Arabic.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—An official message similar to the news accounts of the sinking of a German submarine by a British patrol was received the day after the sinking of the Arabic by the state department from London. Lansing admitted that the submarine has not been positively identified as the one which sank the Arabelle.

A New White Hope

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 1.—After having "cleaned out" a saloon at Verden, George Pinnars, 31, known as the "common ball express," fought sixteen men on a street corner near by. He scored fourteen of the allies, and made Policeman Hamilton miss so many lawmakers that the officer dislocated his right shoulder. Pinnars was finally subdued and incarcerated.

## "KLAMATH MUST CONNECT"—DELAP

### TOURIST TRAVEL ON COAST ABOUND, AND BELIEVES KLAMATH MAKING MISTAKE UNLESS GOOD HIGHWAY IS PROVIDED

"Klamath county will make a big mistake unless provisions are made for tourists in the future," stated County Clerk De Lap this morning.

"I was astounded at the amount of tourist travel that is on the coast this year, and though late, we passed car after car, still going south, as we returned from the fair.

"A link from the Coast highway through by Crater Lake and to the Columbia highway means a great deal to this country, and provisions must be made for it if we are going to live up with other sections.

"Klamath's exhibit is good, but is small. Sinnott is the right man for the place, and makes up a great deal of what is lacking in the exhibit. Now is the time to send more products, and they should be sent."

## KANSAS LOSES THIRD OF WHEAT

### LATEST ESTIMATE REDUCES 1915 YIELD FROM 138,000,000 TO 98,000,000 BUSHELS—LOSS CAUSED BY CONTINUED RAINS

TOPEKA, Kans., Sept. 1.—J. S. Mohler, secretary of the state board of agriculture, in his report just issued estimated that the Kansas wheat yield this year at 98,000,000 bushels, as against an estimate of 115,700,000 bushels in July, and 138,700,000 in June. Continued rains that made impossible the harvesting of the Kansas wheat were held responsible for the big loss in the state's crop production. Corn conditions are unchanged, the report continuing to estimate the yield at 149,482,000 bushels, as against a yield of 87,360,272 in 1914.

## SCHOOL STARTS NEXT MONDAY

### CHILDREN, FROM LITTLE TADS TO BIG 'UNS, WILL ANSWER CALL MONDAY MORNING FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR

Monday morning will witness the annual opening of the city schools for the fall term, and Klamath Falls' hundreds of school children will once more take their places in the school rooms to pursue further knowledge.

Monday will be taken up with the organization and classification according to an announcement made by Superintendent R. H. Dunbar of the city schools. The students will assemble in the rooms they occupied last year, and will then be moved on to the rooms they will occupy for the coming year.

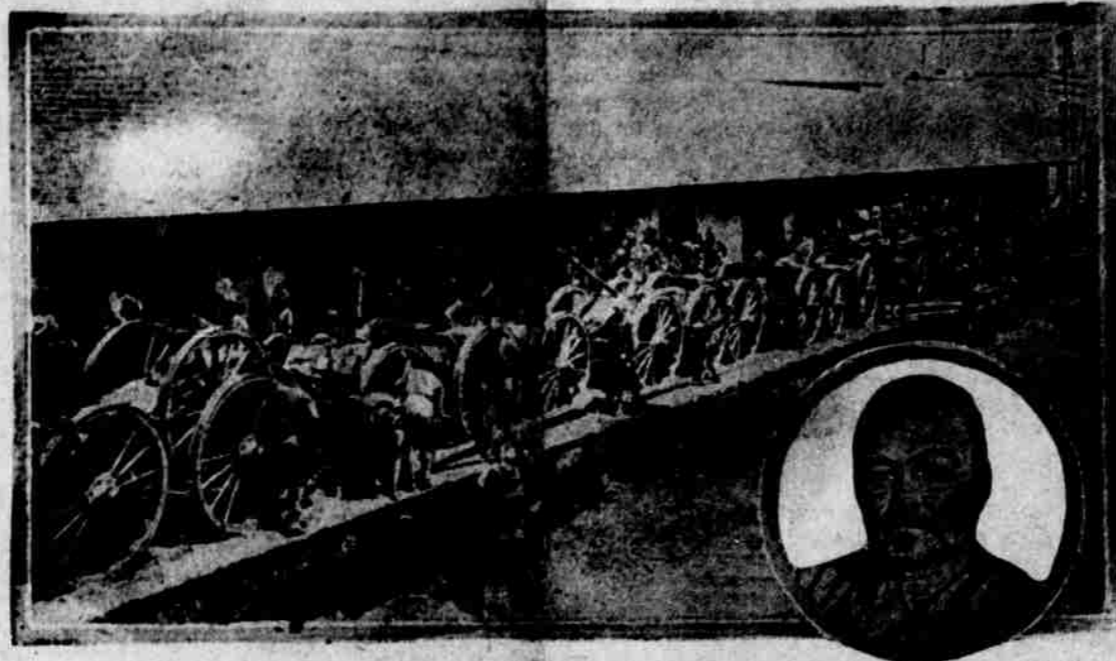
All teachers are requested to assemble at the Central school building Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock for assignments and conference.

During the summer the buildings have all been renovated and cleaned, and some improvements made where they have been needed. A corps of twenty-two teachers has been chosen for this year.

Arson Case Dismissed

The charge of arson against Joe Grobshoff, a Russian from near Malin, was dismissed this morning by Justice of the Peace Gowen, after the state's complaining and main witness repudiated former statements. One of the witnesses stated that he was offered \$10 by the other witness to swear that he saw Grobshoff pick up a piece of paper that was closely connected with the fire.

## Cannon at Brownsville Ready for the Mexican Raiders



These suggestive 4.7 calibre guns, which have a range of seven miles, have just arrived at Brownsville, Tex., in charge of the Fifth Field Artillery of the United States army. They are designed to keep out Mexican raiders.

Rumors that Brownsville was to be attacked by a large Mexican force have been set at rest. It is doubtful if the whole Carranza army has as many guns as this single battery. The guns were in plain sight at the Brownsville

railroad station, where Mexicans, who were curious, might look at them. General Frederick Funston, who is in command, now has sufficient soldiers to drive out all Mexican raiders who may be inclined to attack isolated Texas ranchers.

## OREGON BENEFIT FROM EXPOSITION

### "WILL GET RESULTS YEARS FROM NOW," SAYS POE VALLEY FARMER—SINNOTT A GOOD MAN—MOVIES TO HELP

"Oregon will receive benefit from the fair at San Francisco years from now," stated A. W. Slover, prominent Poe Valley farmer, this morning following his return from the fair. "People are going there, looking over the fair on one visit, everything passing before them as one panorama.

"Later things will come back to them that they have forgotten about for the time being. Their friends will ask them about the fair and they will tell them of the things that appealed to them and those that made a lasting impression," stated Slover.

"Some people seem to think that the fair is simply an advertisement for California, but they are mistaken because the visitors are visiting the exhibits. While I was in the Australian building, which is well arranged and places the advantages and opportunities to be found there in good shape, a man that was viewing the place stated that he was going to Australia and see what they had.

"And that's the way it goes. The regions that have the exhibits and show what they have are the ones that will benefit. Klamath's exhibit is being put into good shape now. Sinnott is the right man in the right place, I believe," said Slover. "He is young, wide awake, active, and, above all, he is telling the truth. When somebody asks him about something that we produce here or do not produce to any extent, he tells them the fact, and that is as it should be. However, he is losing no opportunity to put the real facts before them.

"While I was there a shipment arrived from the Commercial Club, this one happening to be the alfalfa from the Elmer Applegate place. It drew immediate attention, and it was not long before a large crowd had gathered.

The moving picture idea is a good one, and I do not know of a better method of advertising a place. It is proved so time and time again in the movie theaters in the various buildings every day.

"The Oregon building and the big flag pole, the longest in the world, with a flag over forty feet long at the top, which looks like an ordinary flag, is attracting attention. Astoria gets the credit for it, and the people show a great interest in these things."

## 82 TEACHERS IN THE COUNTY

### THIRTY-TWO EMPLOYED IN THE CITY AND FIFTY IN THE RURAL SCHOOLS OF COUNTY—FEWER CHANGES THIS YEAR

With the general opening of the schools of the county Monday, September 6th, eighty-two teachers will be in their places to announce to the bright faces before them that the first day of school is in session. These teachers have been hired, but several more are yet to be secured to fill a few positions in the city schools and several vacancies in the rural schools.

Twenty-two of these teachers are employed in the city schools of Klamath Falls, fifty in the rural schools, ten in the high school, making a total of thirty-two teachers in the city.

There are nineteen men teachers employed and sixty-three women in the schools. While there are many new faces among the teachers this year, states County Superintendent Peterson, yet the number this year is much smaller than a year ago, indicating that better satisfaction has been found with the present personnel of the present corps, which means greater efficiency.

Bonanza—Ray F. Burke, principal; May F. Croso, assistant in high school; Seventh and Eighth grade not chosen, Artie Nichols, Grace Lytle. Beswick—Winifred Spencer. Olene—Susie Crapson. Dairy—Carrie Ellertsen. Gale—Ella Callahan. Fort Klamath—Geo. C. Winters, principal; Florence Short, Willieka Roberts. Keno—Ethel Puckett. Bly—Elizabeth Lewis, high school; Anita Jarvis. Pine Grove—Emma H. Murray. Lorella—Lulu M. Baldwin. Hildebrand—Ione Myers, May Mercedler. Plevna—Mrs. R. W. Beach. Lower Poe Valley—Anita Keater. Lone Pine—Mrs. H. Parish. Crystal—Sadie Bonner. Worden—C. D. Oberpening.

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## MOLTKE SIGHTED UNDER HER OWN STEAM, REPORT

### BRITISH ADMIRALTY SAID SUNK IN BALTIC

Copenhagen Wires Ship Seen Off Kiel Canal Under Own Steam—Ship Bombarding Gulf of Smyrna Founders. Over 1,000,000 Russians Captured 300,000 Killed and Wounded Since Beginning of Austro-German Drive.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—The German dreadnought Moltke, which the British admiralty declared had been sunk in the Baltic Sea, was seen cruising off the Kiel canal under her own steam, says a wire from Copenhagen.

A wire from Smyrna states that one of the enemy cruisers which was bombarding the Gulf of Smyrna, suddenly foundered. Another attempt to resist the Turkish artillery proved a failure.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—An official review just out states that since the beginning of the Austro-German drive on May 22, 1,100,000 Russians have been captured and 300,000 killed and wounded.

It is announced that the Germans are before Grodno, and are preparing to attack the fortress.

## ROUND LAKE TO HAVE PUMP PLANT

### PURCHASER OF 120 ACRES ON ROUND LAKE TO INSTALL PUMP TO DRAIN AND IRRIGATE HIS LAND

M. E. Real, a local resident of several years, has purchased 120 acres of land at Round Lake, which he expects to place under irrigation and to drain for the purpose of farming.

He will construct nearly a mile of dike about four feet high, and will then install a pumping plant of sufficient capacity to drain the land behind the dike. This water will then be used for irrigating the high land in the tract and by working the two combinations he expects to have one of the best farms in the country.

Real has resided in this country for several years, and is not a stranger with the climate or local conditions. He purchased the land from the original owner, E. R. Plum, through E. M. Chilcote, local real estate man.

## BOUNDARY BOOZE DEPOTS FOILED

### OWING TO DRY VOTE IN DISTRICT NO. 3, DEALERS PLANNING ON DISPENSERIES ARE OUTWITTED BY RESIDENTS

ALTURAS, Cal., Sept. 1.—No warehouse for the sale of liquor to persons in Oregon will be built in Modoc county, as supervisor district No. 3, whose northern boundary is the Oregon line, decided to remain dry at an election recently, by a vote of 222 to 71.

The district voted dry several years ago, but following the election in Alturas which closed saloons in that city, an effort was made to have liquor licenses in district No. 3. The state line precinct was the only one to give the wets a majority. From the Nevada state line near Reno to the Canada boundary line through California east of the Sierra; Oregon and Washington the entire territory is dry.

## OROZCO KILLED WITH FIVE OTHERS BY TEXAS POSSE

### IS IDENTIFIED AS ONE OF FIVE SHOT

Situation Along the Border Looking More Dangerous—General Funston Requests More Troops—Reports Go Out That Government Undertaking to Restore Law and Order in Mexico. Orozco Sympathizers Say Murderers

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—Government officials have received advices that Orozco, the Mexican leader, has been identified as one of five men killed yesterday by a Texas posse.

General Funston has requested that additional troops be sent, and says they are needed, due to increasing and more threatening conditions along the border. It has been widely reported that the government has undertaken to restore order and further the government's plans for the restoration of order in Mexico.

United Press Service

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 1.—Mexican sympathizers of Orozco claim that the Americans deliberately murdered him. Demonstrations are expected tonight when the body arrives here.

The police force has been increased and the army is ready to quell riots at the funeral.

## KLAMATH WHEAT EXCELS, STATED

### SPEAKER AT MEETING OF COMMERCIAL CLUB MAKES STATEMENTS REGARDING KLAMATH WHEAT THAT MEANS MUCH

"You have a great and wonderful region for producing wheat here," stated Tom Fitch, a grain buyer for a large house in San Francisco, in speaking at the meeting of the Commercial Club last night in the city hall.

"Klamath wheat contains a higher percentage of gluten than is found in but a few sections, and this ingredient makes it especially valuable for the production of flour. When this is known Klamath wheat will be in great demand," stated Fitch.

"Also, you have land here that will grow good wheat for a third less than land in other regions that is used for wheat, or could be, but does not produce the quality that Klamath county does."

W. Frank Arant has taken up part of the club's problem in gathering up products to be sent to the fair, and has already brought in several loads of products from different parts of the county. Nearly a ton of sheep wheat is going to be gathered by the club and sent for the exhibit, some of which has already been secured. It will be packed together in the exhibit booth.

The farmers that have good stands of oats, barley, wheat or alfalfa are urged to bring them to the Commercial Club, where they will be sent to the fair.

A Great Idea, But—

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 1.—Tommy Terry, an inventor, is said because he had too much faith in a mixture which he believed would make his skin tough enough to turn a bullet. He accepted the concoction over his face, the police say, and then shot himself with a rifle. His head was torn open, his friends say Terry had great faith in the skin toughening mixture, which was designed to make soldiers proof.