

CARRANZA FLEES, BROKEN; VILLA HOLDS NOGALES

FORTY MACHINE GUNS AND ARTILLERY DOES WORK

115 Dead, 300 Wounded, and 650 Prisoners in Loss—Americans Withdraw—At Brownsville Mexicans Fire, Killing Horse—Troops Meet, Engage in Artillery Duel, Which Lasts Till Infantry Arrives.

United Press Service NOGALES, Sept. 17.—The battle for the possession of Nogales and Sonora has turned against the Carranza forces. The Villa followers are holding the city this morning. The Carranza right was smashed by the concentrated fire of forty machine guns and twenty field pieces. Carranza fled, leaving 115 dead, 300 wounded and 600 prisoners. Hundreds of Americans on the boundary witnessed the battle, which has been raging since Tuesday.

United Press Service BROWNVILLE, Sept. 17.—Mexicans entrenched at the electric light plant at Matamoros fired into Brownsville and killed several horses. A troop of cavalry was ordered to the rescue.

Twenty-five soldiers exchanged volleys with the Mexicans for half an hour. One Mexican was killed and four were wounded.

A hail of bullets greeted the troop sent to investigate the firing when they appeared on the bank of the river at Rameriano. Infantry were then sent to reinforce the troopers, at which the Mexicans ceased firing.

Villa forces are looting ranches near Torreón, dispatches to the state department claim. They evacuated Musquis and are fleeing to Chihuahua, stripping American ranches on route of horses and mules. The Americans were not harmed otherwise.

FINLEY TO FILM WILD ANTELOPE

STATE BIOLOGIST AND NOTED ARTIST WILL ARRIVE HERE TOMORROW ON WAY TO LAKE COUNTY

Deputy Game Warden Stout is in receipt of a telegram from State Biologist William L. Finley of the Fish and Game Commission, announcing that he will arrive in Klamath Falls tomorrow night in company with Jewett Horsfall, the noted artist and painter.

The party is on the way to Lake County, where Mr. Finley hopes to get some motion pictures of antelope in that section, to be used in his illustrated lectures.

Mr. Happy Not Contented United Press Service OAKLAND, Sept. 17.—The Happy family is no longer happy. They were happy for years, but if Mrs. Happy presides her present change of fortune to provide in the superior court, she may no longer be happy, but happy.

OUR WANT ADS ARE ALWAYS IN THE PUBLIC EYE They are seen by the millions of people who read the Evening Herald. The Classified Advertising Department is the best place to get your advertisement.

President's Niece to Make Debut



Miss Alice Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson of Baltimore, will make her debut in Washington society this fall. The event is likely to be one of the big social occasions at the White House. She has often visited the White House, and is therefore well known in the capital.

STREET CLEANER DISCOVERS FIRE

McGAVRAN PAINT SHOP SCENE OF BLAZE EARLY THIS MORNING. HEAT FROM CHIMNEY IGNITES WOODWORK

An early morning fire did a few hundred dollars worth of damage to the building occupied by the S. E. McGavran paint store, on Sixth street, between Main and Klamath, belonging to Ed Du Fault. Mr. McGavran's own loss was very slight.

The city employees had just begun to clean Sixth street, at 3 a. m., when smoke and flame was seen pouring from the roof of the building. The fire department was immediately summoned, and Mr. McGavran, who was sleeping in the building, made a hasty exit. No attempt was made to stop the fire before the department arrived except that a cook in a nearby restaurant threw a dishpan full of water upon the blaze.

The fast and efficient work of the fire department soon put out the fire. The cause of the blaze is mostly a mystery, and a significant fact is that many of the rafters are charred and black where no water was thrown, causing McGavran to believe that heat from the chimney had been pouring into the space between the ceiling and the roof for many days, and the temperature slowly increased until the flame broke out.

MELHASE BAGS TWO BIG BEARS

RECORD DEER ALSO FALLS TO HIM—GROUSE SEASON OPEN, AND BIRDS ARE PLENTIFUL IN KLAMATH COUNTRY

The hunting season is almost in full swing. Deer, bear and grouse at present occupy the attention of the local sportsmen. One Melhase broke all records for

the season this week. Two big bears, the biggest of the season, and one buck, the biggest killed this year in this section so far as known, fell to this aim.

The season for grouse and doves is also open. The grouse are said to be plentiful up about the Klamath Agency. These large, beautiful game birds in the past have been considered an incidental factor in a deer hunting trip, but many hunters find them quite worth a separate trip.

October 1st will see the opening of the quail and water fowl season, and then Klamath Falls sportsmen will be in their element.

October Committee Named At the regular meeting of Prosperity Rebekah Lodge No. 104, I. O. F. met in regular session last night. The following were named as the banquet committee for October: Virginia Alford, Henrietta Brookfield, Hazel Brookfield, J. W. Smith, Chas. Garretson, Lizzie Fitch, Mary North, W. H. North, Evelyn Hughes, Dr. A. J. Lyle, Jessie Lyle, Chas. Graves, Eva Graves, Grete Bradley, George Bradley, Agnes Masten, May Tower.

An 8 1/2-pound daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. James T. Henley at the Henley ranch south of the city.

Odd Fellows Will Give Visitor Venison Feast

Grand Patriarch Andrews of the Encampment branch of Odd Fellowship of the jurisdiction of Oregon will visit the local lodge tonight in the interests of the order, and at the last meeting of Ewauna Encampment the following were named as a committee to prepare for his reception: R. J. Sheets, Carl Adams, Jasper Bennett, C. C. Brower and Fred Hyndman. When anything in the line of "big cats" is entrusted to such men as composed that committee, something substantial may be looked for. Yesterday Sheets and Adams, with Jack Pringle as mentor and instructor and Earl Hill as guide, started for the Jenny Creek district for the purpose of securing the meat for the banquet. They did not go with "the hope of getting it"—they went to get it. No one knows that country better than Earl Hill—"he said he calls most

KLAMATH COUNTY FRIEND, PATRON ANSWERS DEATH

ABEL DAY IS DEAD AT HIS MERRILL HOME

Heart Failure Claims Head of Water Users Association—Was Injured in Railroad Wreck at Thrall, and Has Never Quite Recovered—Devoted Last Years to Interest of County. Leaves Wife and Four Children.

Abel Day, president of the Water Users Association, died at his home at Merrill last night. Heart failure was the cause of his death.

The last several years of Mr. Day's life has been a constant war against heart disease, but the malady has at last triumphed. He was injured when he jumped from a railway wreck years ago at Thrall, and since that time has been unwell.

At the last meeting of the Water Users Association, according to John Irwin, he was nearly stricken by his effort to climb the stairs. Since then he has been sinking rapidly, and the end came last night.

He leaves a wife and four children, and was about 48 years of age. He came to this section from Santa Clara county, California.

Since his election to the presidency to the Water Users Association he has devoted most of his time and energy to the upbuilding of this district. And according to all Klamath Falls people, this county has lost a friend and patron that cannot be replaced.

The funeral services will be held at 2:30 tomorrow at Merrill.

WILL CELEBRATE 64TH ANNIVERSARY

POPULAR LODGE WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDATION OF THE ORDER WITH SOCIAL EVENING

Monday evening, September 20, will be the sixty-fourth anniversary of the founding of the Rebekah Degree of Odd Fellowship, and the event will be celebrated by Prosperity Rebekah Lodge No. 104, I. O. F., with a social evening at Odd Fellows Hall. Arrangements for the entertainment have been placed in the hands of a committee composed of Mrs. Nellie Westenberg, Mrs. Adeline Coter and Nate Otterbela. A program is being arranged, and will be published in the Herald before Monday evening.

Ambassador May Be Sent Home



Ambassador Frederick C. Penfield

Ambassador Frederick C. Penfield, the American representative in Austria, may be sent home by the government of that nation as a result of the request by President Wilson that Austrian Ambassador Dumba be recalled. Washington diplomats have not yet been able to gauge the situation, but they fear this will be the result of President Wilson's action.

RODEO AND FAIR PLANS ARE MADE

SUBSCRIPTION LIST OPENS WITH \$200—SOUTHERN OREGON-NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FAIR IS PROPOSED

Two big projects for next year are occupying the attention of Klamath Falls business men. One is a great fair, to be held at Klamath Falls, embracing products from all of Southern and Eastern Oregon and Northern California, and the other is the Rodeo.

Louis Jacobs is one of the foremost behind these two plans, and he has opened the subscription list for the Rodeo with \$200. And as many Klamath Falls men are in favor of this novel and popular sort of festival the subscription list is expected to grow rapidly.

The fair idea is meeting immediate popularity. It would be a new thing, according to its promoters, would bring thousands of people to Klamath Falls, and would tend toward a more rapid development of Northern California and Southern Oregon.

AUTEN ACQUITTED OF MANSLAUGHTER

JURY RETURNS VERDICT IN TWENTY MINUTES AFTER THE CLOSE OF SENSATIONAL TRIAL LASTING FOUR DAYS

(Special to The Herald) LAKEVIEW, Ore., Sept. 17.—The jury in the case of John B. Auten found the defendant "not guilty" of manslaughter for the shooting of Ray Curtis on July 19th.

The trial has been in progress since Monday. The jury was out only about twenty minutes. Auten admitted the killing of Curtis, but the defense was based on the plea of temporary insanity of the defendant at the time of the shooting. The defense was handled by Judge Gale of Klamath Falls and W. Lair Thompson of Lakeview. Mr. Auten left for Klamath Falls immediately after the return of the verdict by the jury.

OIL KING WILL NOT GIVE HELP IN BILLION LOAN

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER WOULD REFUSE COMMISSION

Will Take No Part in Lending Money to Carry on European Conflict—Refuses Loan to England and Russia. Makes Definite Decision—"This War is Awful; Don't You Think It is Awful?" Asked Magnate.

(Copyright, 1915, by United Press) CLEVELAND, Sept. 17.—John D. Rockefeller has finally decided definitely that he will take no part in lending money to carry on the European conflict, according to a United Press interviewer.

"You are expecting a call from the commission of European bankers now in New York to negotiate the billion dollar war loan?" was asked.

"No," replied Mr. Rockefeller. "I certainly do not expect a visit from the commission. They know that I would not consider it, if they asked me. Both England and Russia asked me for a loan and were refused."

The oil king was silent a moment. Then he added: "This war is awful. Don't you think it is awful?"

JUST QUIETLY STEPPED OUT

THIS YOUNG COUPLE DID NOT NOTIFY A SOLITARY SOUL OF THEIR INTENTIONS AS THEY STARTED FOR A WALK

To escape all the fuss and feathers usually attendant upon a wedding of popular young people, Wellington Temple and Miss Bee Summers started out for a quiet walk last evening, and when they returned they were man and wife.

While their marriage was one of those assured facts that people contemplate with interest, no date had been set for the event, and friends were resting easy in the security of the thought that all would be notified in due time, but the young 'uns had their own ideas of what they wanted, and with the assistance of Rev. E. C. Richards they succeeded in fooling 'em all.

The ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage last evening.

STEFANSSON ON HIS WAY NORTH

NAVAL DEPARTMENT RECEIVES MESSAGE FROM EXPLORER THOUGHT LOST—HAS FURNISHED SHIP, ENGAGED MEN

United Press Service OTTAWA, Sept. 17.—Stefansson is safe. The naval department received a message dated August 21st, as follows:

"I have purchased the 'Polar Bear,' engaging her on terms similar to the 'Kariuk.' Have engaged Hoff as engineer; also five extra helpers, who have ample outfit for a year. I have the 'Polar Bear' for two years. My plan is to continue Northern explorations to 145 west, 82 degrees farther north, if a northerly course is secured."

Camp Fire Girls to Meet There will be a meeting of the Camp Fire Girls at Mrs. Montclair's residence on Crescent avenue Saturday, at 2:30.

400,000 GERMAN TROOPS ASSAULT VILNA REGION

SOUTH DVINSK FALL, BUT ELSEWHERE RUSSIANS VICTORS

Artillery Supports in Vast Change. Germans Determined to Conquer Riga and Vilna—Russians Fall Away, in Admission—Germans Defeated in Other Sections—Conquered Region of Great Importance.

United Press Service BERLIN, Sept. 17.—It has been announced that the troops under General von Hindenberg have conquered South Dvinsk. The conquest is of great importance.

United Press Service PETROGRAD, Sept. 17.—General von Hindenberg is hurling 400,000 men, artillery supporting, in a desperate effort to capture Vilna, Dvinsk and Riga. It is admitted that the Russians retired before their assaults in this region, but elsewhere the Germans were defeated.

IMMENSE THEFT IS ACCUSATION

LATE GUY DEBOISE CHARGED WITH HALF MILLION STEAL FROM GOLD DREDGING CONCERN—DAUGHTER SUED

REDDING, Calif., Sept. 17.—Thefts of half a million dollars in gold dust are charged to the late Guy A. Dubois by the Michigan people, who are alleged to have financed the Shasta county gold dredging man in his operations, and who are now suing his daughter for the recovery of the property said to have been misappropriated by her father.

According to the complaint filed in the county clerk's office by Attorney R. Rathburn of Sacramento on behalf of Charles Binder, Robert Binder, Christopher Switzer, William Larkin and Ernest King, all of the state of Michigan, the plaintiffs in the year 1905 formed a corporation to be known as the Huron Submarine Mining company, to do a gold dredging business near Redding in Shasta county. The corporation had patents on a gold dredger to be used in the work, and they proceeded to employ Guy A. Dubois to operate the gold ship.

DEPUTY MARSHAL BERRY VISITS

TAKES ALLEGED BOOTLEGGERS, THORNTON AND RIDLEY, TO PORTLAND—NEED OF A FEDERAL BUILDING SHOWN

Frank E. Berry, deputy United States marshal, was in Klamath Falls this morning on his way back to Portland with Tom Thorsen and Bob Ridley, who have been in jail here the past week on the charge of bootlegging.

The frequent arrests on charges of selling liquor to Indians necessitate many visits to this section by officers of the United States. And that is why, according to those officials, as well as many Klamath Falls business men, a federal building should be provided here.