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KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1915

Price, Five Cents

U.S. INFANTRY AND MEXICANS CLASH; AMERICAN HURT

WILL ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH NEUTRAL ZONE

United States Officials Making Every Effort to Protect Citizens From the Bandits—Carranza and Obaldia Telegraph Texas Governor, Promising Co-Operation in Suppressing Lawlessness.

BROWNSVILLE, Oct. 29—A small detachment of Mexicans attacked American infantry twice this morning between midnight and daylight.

One American soldier was wounded. No Mexicans were injured. The Capote ranch north of Hidalgo was attacked. A troop of cavalry arrived from Hidalgo and the Mexicans fled. Two hours later they re-attacked. The cavalry flanked and attacked from the rear. Soldiers and civilians are hunting the bandits.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 29.—Negotiations are proceeding to protect Americans in Douglas, Ariz. The state and war departments are trying to induce both Mexican factions to move further away from the border. General Funston is endeavoring to re-establish a neutral zone.

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 29.—Carranza and General Caballero, Carranza's aide, telegraphed Governor Ferguson from Torreon, assuring their co-operation with the Texas authorities in suppressing the Mexican lawlessness.

DRESS-UP DANCE IS BIG SUCCESS

JUDGES HAVE DIFFICULTY IN DETERMINING WINNERS FROM BIG ASSEMBLAGE OF LATE EVENING

The "Dress-up" dance at the opera house last evening was a brilliant affair and was well attended. Excellent music was furnished and the affair was one of the pleasantest held for some time. The judges had some job on their heads in trying to determine the best dressed man and woman among a hall full of well dressed people. When this was finally determined they were up against even a more difficult problem in selecting the best dancers in attendance, as Klamath has a reputation for good dancers. The following awards were made:

DEAD LAND HOME TO OLD AMERICAN

G. N. WOOD WILL RETURN TO ORIENT WHERE HE HAS SPENT FIFTY YEARS, TO LIVE HIS LAST DAYS

United Press Service SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—"China is commercially dead. It's as dead as the wood in this deck." The little old man shook his head sadly, and looked back across the ocean. "But I'm going back. I never could stand the hustle and bustle of America again," he continued. For G. N. Wood, aged 80, is seeing his native land for the second time in fifty years. For twenty-six years he has been engineer for the Pacific Mail company in the Orient, and he knows every corner of China. He's going back. He has not a living relative, and all the ties of friendship he knows are in the Orient. "They are too busy over here to pay much attention to a little old man like me, and I know hardly a soul here any more," he went on. "China is dead. The war and internal troubles have killed its business."

Body Found at Portland

PORTLAND, Oct. 29.—B. Reed, a farmer, found the body of an unidentified man of about 45 years of age, a few feet from his home, six miles from Portland. A shotgun lay beside the body. The police are investigating.

THROGHS ATTEND CAVELL SERVICE

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR EXECUTED WOMAN HELD IN ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—ROYAL FAMILY ATTENDS

United Press Service LONDON, Oct. 29.—The memorial services in honor of Miss Cavell, executed by the Teutons in Brussels, were held in St. Paul's Cathedral, and were attended by immense throngs. The Queen Mother Alexandria was present, and the king and queen were represented. Cabinet members, diplomats and notables attended. Six hundred nurses occupied the front seats.

FAMOUS INDIAN LEAVES FOR FAIR

WINKMA HIDDLE, THOUGH TOO LATE FOR KLAMATH DAY, WILL BE AN ATTRACTION ON SATURDAY, OREGON DAY.

Winema, most picturesque of the Klamath Indian women, will be an attraction at the exposition after all. She left today for the exposition, and although she will be too late for Klamath Day, she will be a feature in the Klamath department of the Oregon building on Saturday, Oregon Day.

She will be visited as a noted historical character, whose courage and loyalty to her white friends in the Modoc War did much to prevent massacre and bloodshed. She is an intelligent woman, and the mother of Jeff Riddle, the Indian author. Though 73 years of age, her mind is perfectly clear as to the occurrence of her girlhood days—the Modoc War of the early 70's, through which she acted as interpreter, as well as other historical events, and it is expected that she will have many interesting stories to tell to the guests at the Klamath booth on Oregon Day.

DEER SEASON IS CLOSED SUNDAY

HUNTERS REGRET PASSING OF SEASON ON GROUSE AND DEER. MANY TAKE A LAST TRY FOR WINTER VENISON

Sunday is the last day of the deer, grouse and dove season. As bigger game is so plentiful in Klamath, no one regrets the passing of the dove season—in fact, it is doubtful if a dozen doves were killed in this county this year—but many sportsmen, particularly the farmers in the mountain regions, regret to see the deer and grouse season pass. Quite a number of hunters are in the hills now, taking a last chance for the venison. Many have already succeeded in procuring their winter supply of jerky.

There were many deer this season, all hunters agree, but the woods were so dry that stalking was difficult. Some hunters say that the Oregon system of killing bucks has been carried too far, and the deer do not increase as fast as would be the case if some does and fewer bucks were killed.

The grouse, a bird little appreciated in Klamath county until recently, is also safe after October 31st. His family has made many good dinners for Klamath folk this season, and the splendid birds were plentiful in the hills.

URGE CARRANZA TO STOP RAIDS

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Governor Who Hurried British Nurse to Death



GENERAL VON BISSING, MILITARY GOVERNOR OF BELGIUM

General von Bissing, military governor of Belgium, is the man who refused, despite the protests of American Minister Brand Whitlock and other neutral foreign envoys in Belgium, to delay the execution of the death sentence of Miss Edith Cavell, British nurse, convicted as a spy in Brussels. She was shot to death while those who were interceding for her were trying to get delay to appeal to Kaiser Wilhelm.

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DANCE TONIGHT EVENT OF YEAR

OVER A HUNDRED COUPLES WILL PARTICIPATE IN BRILLIANT DANCE AT WHITE PELICAN TONIGHT—ALL PLANS COMPLETE

Over a hundred couples are expected to participate in the social event of the season, the masquerade ball at the White Pelican hotel, tonight. This masquerade, according to all indications, cannot be compared with any dance of the kind ever held in Klamath Falls, and a more brilliant social affair of any kind is not expected in this city again for many months.

In the first place, every arrangement has been made to assure the success of the dance. Elaborate decorations, the best of music, and the famous Pelican floor are all factors in its success.

Everyone will be masked the first part of the evening. Costumes of every kind, representing every nation in the world, with a sprinkling of yama-yama suits, devils suits, etc., will be worn by the guests. The dance will start at 9 o'clock.

Sees for \$2,000,000

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—The Churchill International Steel Company of Wilmington has sued Bethlehem Steel for \$2,000,000, alleging an infringement on three patents for producing and hardening steel and iron in making munition for the allies.

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KLAMATH DAY IS OBSERVED TODAY

THOUSANDS NOW KNOW OF KLAMATH WHO HADN'T HEARD OF HER BEFORE—DANCE WILL WIND UP FESTIVITIES

Today is Klamath Day. By this time many thousand people who until today didn't know that Klamath was on the map, or if they did know, thought it was a region of only Indian, and swamps and desert, will have tasted Klamath county cheese, celery and mineral water, and will have heard all about Klamath.

Two hundred Klamath folk are at the exposition to celebrate today. The festivities in reality started this afternoon, though all morning samples of Klamath products were given away to the thousands of visitors at the Klamath booth. This afternoon real ceremonies started—the presentation of the bronze plaque, and the speeches.

The festivities will be completed tonight with a dance at the Oregon building, at which the Klamath folk are hosts.

FREE MATINEE TO SCHOOL CHILDREN

BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION EXTENDS INVITATION TO ENJOY FREE SHOW AT STAR THEATRE TOMORROW AT 2:30.

Listen, children, for you are going to hear of something that will gladden the hearts of all whose age will range under the sun of fifteen. It seems that the Business Men's Association has been thinking of something to please the hearts of those near and dear to man, and with this culminating thought in mind, arrangements were made with the management of the Star theater that they give a special matinee Saturday afternoon at 2:30, to the school children under 15 years of age, and you don't have to have a ticket, either.

LINKVILLE RELIC AT POSTOFFICE

THE OLD POSTOFFICE WINDOW, WHERE OLD-TIMERS GOT THEIR WEEKLY MAIL ON EXHIBITION—USED 30 YEARS AGO

A relic from the days of Linkville is on exhibition in the postoffice. It is the front of the old Linkville postoffice, with the window where mail was handed to the early settlers once a week—and through which perchance guns were pointed at the trembling postmaster with orders that he hand over the cash and stamps on hand to some masked "bad man" outside.

Thirty years ago, when Linkville was a cluster of houses about the lake front, this old postoffice window was used. Postmasters came and went, and still the window stayed. Mail once a week, by stage, was distributed here—that is if the stage wasn't held up before it reached the postoffice.

There are many old settlers that remember when the window was first used, and relate how the bearded cow punchers and pioneers lined up before it for their weekly mail. It was still in use ten years ago.

Charley Withrow, Dick Hammond—both of these in the capacity of postmaster—handed mail through this barred window.

Postoffice officials found the old relic in the basement of the present postoffice.

J. P. MORGAN IS OPERATED UPON

RICHEST AMERICAN UNDERGOES OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS. IS RESTING EASILY—HOLT WOUNDS NOT RESPONSIBLE

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—J. P. Morgan was operated on for appendicitis at his Glencove home today at noon. He is now resting comfortably, and the doctors announce a successful operation. A perfect recovery is expected.

In regard to questions as to whether the wounds he received when Holt attacked him have anything to do with his condition, a member of the Morgan firm said that they had not.

RUSS PEASANTS AT REVOLT POINT

RUSSIA FACES GREATEST REVOLUTION OF ITS HISTORY, SAYS REFUGEE—PEASANTS TIRED OF THE WAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Russia is on the verge of the greatest revolution in its history!

It is only a matter of months before the peasants and people who are supplying the fighting men for the Russian army will declare against the war.

So declared Mat Surgoovsky, Russian refugee, who arrived with fifty refugees on the steamer Mongolia Wednesday. Among the fifty are five men who escaped from the war zone after the first German drive against the czar's forces.

WINDOW CONTEST WINNERS NAMED

JUDGES ANNOUNCE DECISION IN TRIMMING CONTEST—SUGARMAN HAS BEST DRESSED WINDOW

The judges, consisting of Will H. Bennett, Leelle Rogers and Fred Fleet today announced their decision in the window dressing contest during "Dress-up Week." On account of the postponement of the judging some of the merchants were under the impression that the contest had been cancelled, and no special efforts were made by them in trimming their windows. However, the Klamath Falls merchants made a good showing and the general appearance of the stores and city was much improved.

The winners are as follows: Best grocery window—Roberts & Whitmore. Best hardware display—Baldwin Hardware company. Best shoe window—Regal Shoe store. Best window showing gentlemen's complete outfit—K. Sugarman. Best window display of men's furnishing goods—K. K. K. Store. Best window of ladies' wear—Golden Rule Store. Best furniture window—Willie-Johnstone Co.

Best advertising window—Willie-Johnstone Co. Best dressed window—K. Sugarman.

ADVISES KINGDOM OF REPUBLIC

TOKIO, Oct. 29.—It is announced that Japan has advised the president of China in a friendly manner to postpone the making of the republic into a monarchy, with view of avoiding calamities in the Far East.

ALLIES GIVE UP HOPE OF SAVING SERBS FROM FATE

WILL TRY TO STOP TEUTONS IN BULGARIA

ALLIES WILL LEAVE SERBIA TO DEATH, AND ATTEMPT TO CHECKMATE TEUTONIC MOVEMENT TO CONSTANTINOPLE BY BATTLING THEM IN BULGARIAN OR TURKISH TERRITORY—SERB RESISTANCE WEAKENS—INVASION PROGRESSING.

PARIS, Oct. 29.—Serbia seems doomed. The invasions from the Austro-Germans and the Bulgarians are progressing remorselessly. The allies are preparing for a tremendous attempt to stop the invaders before they reach Constantinople, but indications are that they will make the attempt in Bulgaria or Turkey.

It is announced that the Austro-Germans captured by storm positions on both sides of the Roava River, southeast of Srijanac, and captured 1,300 French troops.

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—Serbia's resistance is collapsing. It is announced that the main drive through the Morava Valley has advanced from West Lopoze to Kragujevac.

The Austrians, advancing in the southeast, have crossed the Kolubara River northwest of the battle front at the Rudnik road.

What will be the fate of Serbia is no longer a question—she is doomed. The Germans and Austrians, supplemented by the Bulgarians, are already well upon their drive toward Constantinople. It is a crisis of the war—the allies must head them off before they reach the Turkish capital and connect Turkey with the central empires. They must move quickly, too, for as far as can be learned only 200,000 allied troops are in the Balkans, against twice as many Germans. They cannot hope to checkmate the Teutons in Serbia. From today's reports from Paris it is evident they will not attempt to. Their only hope is to meet them either in Bulgaria or Turkey. The result is that Serbia will be left to her fate.

Of course, the Teutonic armies on their march through Serbia will crush her, efface her, so that she cannot possibly be an aid to the allies. So, from all indications, little Serbia, where the egg of war was hatched, is a doomed nation.

JESTER BREAKS TENPIN RECORD

ROLLS THE HIGHEST SCORE EVER MADE ON THE PRESENT ALLEYS—NEVER BEATEN BUT ONCE IN THIS CITY

All records for high tenpin score on the Brunswick alleys were shattered last night, when Glenn Jester rolled up a score of 256, the highest score that has ever been rolled on the alleys since their installation.

Kloth Ambrose still holds the city high score with 267, which was rolled on the old alleys.

Nearly all of the old time bowlers are getting back into form, many scores of 225 and over having already been registered. Mrs. Lee Howard holds the honors for ladies' high score with 176.