

Strahorn Banquet Should Bring Out Every Klamathite

With the arrival of Robert E. Strahorn, leader in the movement to build the Oregon, California & Eastern railway, and thereby connect Klamath county and other Central Oregon territory with Portland, but a few hours off, local interest centers in the visit here of the railway promoter and his associates. Everybody is anxiously awaiting a speech from Strahorn, to ascertain his views as to the feasibility of building into Klamath Falls.

The visit of Strahorn is to be made as eventful as possible. The tentative program includes a trip through the farming sections of the county tomorrow, and the certain event is the big banquet at the White Pelican hotel at 6:30 Monday night.

The banquet will be the golden opportunity for Klamath county to demonstrate to Strahorn that the

county is united in its support of the railroad move. Everybody in the county feels this way, and Monday night is the psychological moment to show this in a serious manner.

This can only be brought about by a full attendance at the banquet, which is to be an informal affair, and for both men and women. Other than ordinary attire is taboo. Other sections have shown forcibly that they will help the railway. Klamath needs the railroad more than any other section, so the attendance at the banquet should be such as to make it certain that the road will be built to Klamath Falls just as soon as possible.

Hon. Will S. Worden, the newly elected president of the Central Oregon Development League, will be toastmaster. The visiting delegation will be called on for talks, and there will also be fifteen minute talks by Klamath Falls men.

da, who was in the Pitcairn islands ten years ago, and who informs postal authorities that an English missionary boat sailing from New Zealand calls there twice a year. The officials will act on Carlson's information, and Clark may get the letter which has been on the way so long.

GEORGE DEAL IS DEAD IN 'FRISCO

PROMINENT KLAMATH COUNTY STOCKMAN SUCCEUMS TO BRIGHT'S DISEASE—RELATIVE LEAVE TODAY

Word was received today of the death of George Deal, a pioneer Klamath county stock man, in San Francisco last night. Death was due to Bright's disease, and it was in the hope of improvement that Mr. Deal left here for Southern California a short time ago. He was taken very ill before he reached San Diego, and was sent to San Francisco for treatment.

George Deal was about 50 years old and was one of the best known men in Klamath county. He has resided here about thirty years, and in that time has been ranching successfully in Langell Valley, raising stock. He has always been an influential citizen, and his demise has caused profound regret all over the county, as his friends were legion.

Relatives left this morning for the south, in answer to wires telling of his demise. It is believed he will be buried in Hornbrook, where other members of his family are interred.

Besides his widow, Mr. Deal is survived by four sons, Cecil, Clyde, Virgil and an infant boy, a daughter, Nola, and two brothers, Carl and William, all of whom live in the Langell Valley country.

MAY GET MAIL TWO YEARS OLD

U. S. BELIEVES AT LAST IT HAS WAY TO SEND MAIL TO LONESOME ISLAND IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PACIFIC

United Press Service SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Lincoln Clark, who lives on one of the mid-Pacific Pitcairn islands, may get his mail after all.

For the last two years the postoffice has been trying to forward a letter to him. The islands are off the traveled sea lanes, and every steamer that has taken the letter for delivery has returned it to the federal officials.

Now comes L. C. Carlson of Alamo-

Say That Dyes Are Adulterated



Herman A. Metz I. F. Stone

Herman A. Metz, former member of congress, and I. F. Stone, president of the National Aniline and Chemical company of Buffalo, both of whom are very prominent in the dye trade, have made the charge that American manufacturers of dye have adulterated their products with a large quantity of salt. When the dyes fall to work they make the excuse that this is the best that can be furnished under war conditions, they say.

THREE INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

NOT A TRUE BILL IS RETURNED IN A. D. EMERY CASE—SUNDAY SALOON OPENING CAUSES TWO TRUE HILLS

Four true bills, and one not true bill were returned by the grand jury late yesterday afternoon, after a week of investigations. The not true bill exonerated A. D. Emery of the charge of threatening to kill one "Tex" Weatherford.

The indictments returned follow: Charles Murphy, furnishing intoxicating liquor from his saloon to Chas. A. Smith on a Sunday. Charles Murphy, keeping a saloon open on a Sunday.

W. C. Hill, failure to provide for his wife and family. A. Ernest Lawrence, setting fire to a building owned by Dorsey E. Johnson.

All of the parties indicted are under bond. The date of their arraignment has not yet been set.

Following their report yesterday, the members of the jury were retained for another term, an order to that effect being made by Circuit Judge Kuykendall. This was done at the request of District Attorney John Irwin, and indicates that some of the matters looked into at this session will bear further investigation by the same men.

Up From Merrill. Dr. John D. Patterson, the well known Merrill physician, is here on business sojourn.

LITTLE DONE AT CONFERENCE ON THE LAND GRANT

RAILROAD MEN WERE BADLY HANDICAPPED

Proposals Will Be Submitted to Railway Officials by Delegates Representing Railroads, and Another Session of Conference Is Scheduled for December 1st—Much Is Expected From That Meeting.

United Press Service

SALEM, Nov. 20.—The conference over the disposition of the Oregon & California land grants, attended by the representatives of the Southern Pacific and the committee appointed at the recent land grant meeting ended with no definite results accomplished. The committees will meet again December 1st.

In the meantime, Ralph Moody and B. A. McAllister, the railroad representatives, will acquaint the railroad officials with the views expressed by the committee. It is hoped that at the coming meeting plans will be submitted whereby an agreement can be reached.

Unless some definite plan is submitted by the Southern Pacific, there is little reason to believe that further attempt will be made at a compromise.

Real action at the meeting just closed was impossible, as the railroad's representatives could only listen to the proposals of the committee, and promise nothing on the part of the Southern Pacific.

BULL MOOSE MAY BE TAKEN BACK

CHILD OF THE BOLTING ROOSEVELT FACTION WILL GO BACK IF G. O. P. SEEMS DISPOSED TO TAKE RIGHT STAND

United Press Service

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Whether or not the progressive party will reunite with the republican party depends largely upon the attitude and action of the old organization. So declares Medill McCormick, following a conference with Colonel Roosevelt, and prior to his departure for Washington.

McCormick says many republicans and progressives will vote for Wilson rather than for Elihu Root, whose candidacy is being shouted about the East. They say they do not intend to support men who "helped frisk them at the last convention."

MANN SAYS HE GETS NO ORDER

REPUBLICAN LEADER SAYS HE IS WILLING TO CONSULT WILSON, BUT WILL NOT BE DICTATED TO BY HIM

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—Informed that President Wilson has invited him to a consultation over the administration preparedness bill, Congressman Mann, republican leader, made the following statement:

"I am willing to consult with the president on this measure, but I do not propose to take orders from him. Most of the republicans favor the general policy of the preparedness program, so there will be very little controversy on this score from republican quarters."

Beautiful, But Broke; or How She Lost \$6,000,000



MRS. MAUDE BRINVVOFT BARCLAY

The strange story of the loss of \$6,000,000 by a New York society beauty came out in court the other day when a judge fined her \$250 for contempt in failing to explain why she could not pay a debt of \$3,027. The alternative for the fine is imprisonment, for, despite the general belief to the contrary, they still imprison for debt in New York city and state.

It developed that Mrs. Barclay has filed a petition in bankruptcy, and that practically all her great fortune was gone. Where the well known society leader's \$6,000,000, represented by large holdings, has vanished was explained by her lawyer, Norman W. Kerngood. He said Mrs. Barclay, like many other social leaders, had entrusted her business affairs to agents and servants. The result was that

Mrs. Barclay's agents borrowed money at usurious rates, paid exorbitant bonuses for loans, and made unreasonable and unbusinesslike concessions to tenants. This mismanagement had brought her to a point where she had little more than \$30,000 worth of realty left.

The marriage of Mrs. Barclay to her present husband was, like her first wedding, an affair of much social prominence. She is the daughter of the late George W. Fowler of Tarrytown. Until a few years ago she exhibited at the horse shows.

Her first husband, Augustus Brown Prentice, was left a vast fortune by his father, but the task of looking after it weighed so heavily upon the son's mind that he became afflicted with nervous disorders, and he was finally committed to Bellevue, where he died in 1906.

Worden Is President of Central Oregon League

Klamath county was honored at the Bend reorganization of the Central Oregon Development League by the election of Hon. Will S. Worden as president of the organization, which is to work for the betterment of Central Oregon conditions, and especially to assist in every way possible the construction of the Strahorn road.

Judge Worden was active in the old Central Oregon League, and was, in addition, an influential officer in the Oregon Development League. Other officers elected at the Bend session this week were: First vice president, John B. Bell, Prineville; second vice president, H. C. Levens, Burns; third vice president, Judge Bernard Daly, Lakeview; secretary treasurer, R. W. Sawyer, Bend; assistant secretary treasurer, T. S. McKinney, Silver Lake.

The following are excerpts from the talks made at the Bend meeting:

Mr. Strahorn: "Suppose Central Oregon raises \$500,000 of the million and a half it is calculated must be raised out here to enable me to complete the financing. That means only about \$20 for each inhabitant of these four counties, and will secure the investment of \$4,500,000 more of outside capital. Over \$4,000,000 of the total will be spent here, or about \$100

for every man, woman and child—a direct return of \$120 for each \$20 invested, to say nothing of the incalculable enhancement of all property values besides all the other long list of benefits to be derived from convenient and comparatively cheap transportation.

"The tax revenue from increased property values would soon pay each your total investment. "I am often asked why we cannot build here and there or elsewhere that we plan. No preference will be shown for any town or land speculation of other special interests. We must look beyond mere local considerations. The lines will be located to best serve all of Central Oregon, with due regard to the best engineering, the shortest distances that will most economically connect up the communities, the most productive areas and the terminals of the five existing roads."

Mr. Mills: "I am convinced that no big railroad interest is back of this projected. I am convinced that Mr. Strahorn is playing this game alone, and he asks us to get into the game and not sit on the benches and criticize. Personally, I want to see the game, and mean to, if I can."

GREECE AGAIN IN LIMELIGHT; WAR SEEMS INEVITABLE

GREEK SHIPS CALLED FROM ALLIED PORTS

Fighting in Balkans Continues Very Actively, and in Other Parts of Balkans Clashes between Troops and Allies Continue Intermittently—Montenegro's Troops Reported Crushed in Battle.

United Press Service

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The Greek situation is most critical, according to private advices from Athens. This source says the government has ordered all Greek vessels in French and Italian ports to clear immediately.

This is regarded as a hint that Constantine means to defy the allies.

German reports that the allies have sent an ultimatum to Greece are unconfirmed. Lord Kitchener expects to see Constantine today.

United Press Service

PARIS, Nov. 20.—According to today's communique, there is further artillery and hand grenade activity all along the Western front. "So far there is no indication of a fresh German drive, for which Copenhagen dispatches say the Kaiser is transferring a number of troops from the eastern front.

The thinning of the German ranks in the east is believed to be the result of the Serbian campaign, and the concentration of troops on the Rumanian frontier to safeguard German interests in the event that Rumania decides to join the allies, or permit the Russians to cross Rumania.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Nov. 20.—It is announced that the Germans have captured 2,000 more Serbs. The Austrians have moved south to occupy Dren Procopine. Monitors that shelled the German positions on the Belgian coast are reported repulsed.

The Serbian army in the north faces capture or flight. The army can go to Montenegro if they move quickly, but if they delay for a last stand against the invasion they are certain to be cut off.

It is announced that the Bulgarians have administered a crushing defeat to the Montenegrins. A Vienna dispatch says Montenegro is preparing to move its capital from Cetinje to Sarajev.

United Press Service

VICTORIA, Nov. 20.—The American Society here today telegraphed Colonel Roosevelt, declaring that if the rumors he will join the Canadian forces are true, a full company of American volunteers will organize for service under him.

United Press Service

ROME, Nov. 20.—In heavy fighting Thursday night, and all day Friday, the Italians occupied Austrian positions between Monte San Michael and the Isoneo River.

One's Are Back.

Judge C. M. Howell and wife are back again, after a trip of several weeks' duration. While away they visited many points in the West, East and South, and Klamath looks by far the best of these.

Services Tomorrow.

As the condition of the deceased, the late Father Matthews, was such that he could not be buried in the usual hour of church tomorrow.

To the Hospital.

In order to have about a recovery, the patient was ordered to the hospital by the attending physician.