

REPUBLICANS CARRY MAINE ELECTION

PETITION OUT FOR NEW CENTRAL SCHOOL GROUNDS

K. D. COMPANY HAS OFFERED NEW SITE

TRACT HAS HOT WATER FOR PLUNGES AND SHOWER

It is Understood That School Board Has Under Consideration Modoc Park and the Brandenburg-Evans Tract on Eighth Street—Larger Tract Needed for Play Grounds and Safety From Vehicles.

A petition now being circulated, asking the local school board to consider Modoc Park as a site for a new school ground, has revived the agitation for a removal of the Central grammar school to some place off of Main street. The petition already is signed by several of the most substantial citizens and heaviest taxpayers of this school district.

The reasons for changing the site of the Central school are that the lives of the pupils are constantly endangered by passing automobiles and teams, and because the present grounds are too small. They afford no room for a play ground or an athletic field.

The Klamath Development company is offering Modoc Park, or the grounds described as lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, block 5, Park Place street, and the unplotted area south of the hot springs, on request of several parents and property owners. The petition is being circulated merely to get the proposition before the school board.

The Klamath Development company offers Modoc Park for \$18,680. The property is now bonded to the Anglo-California Trust company of San Francisco for this amount. The bonds are due January 1, 1927, and bear interest at 6 per cent. The Klamath Development company offers to donate its equity in the property, the city only to assume the bonds.

The petition being circulated asks the school board to call a special election that the people may vote on the proposition of moving the site of the Central school.

It is known that the school board is considering as a new site for the school the C. K. Brandenburg property on Eighth street. This tract in itself is not large enough for a school, but with the Evans property across the street a tract slightly less than a block in size would be available. About \$21,000 is asked for this property. It is understood. Were it purchased the property owners would have to vote on a bond issue for that amount.

CALIFORNIA MAN (N-ED) OP 85; BEGAN SCHOOL 1847

United Press Service COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 12.—Amir-lev's oldest co-ed, formerly a student at the Ohio State university here, will enter the University of California this fall, she announced today. She is Amy D. Winship, 85.

Mrs. Winship started her education in a log school in Illinois, in 1847. She attracted much attention at Ohio State by attending classes with students sixty years her junior. Last year she attended Wisconsin university. She specializes in botany, physics and international law wherever she goes.

CITY MAY FACE SUIT IN COURT

COUNCILMAN MILLER SAYS COLLIMAN MAY SUE CITY IF COUNCIL DOESN'T TREAT HIM NICE REGARDING WAGES CLAIM

That the city of Klamath Falls is threatened with a law suit because it would not pay a claim of John H. Collman for services was intimated by Councilman A. D. Miller last night. The question came up when Collman submitted a bill for \$168 as pay at \$4 a day for his services as inspector of the Eleventh street improvement. Collman was engaged by City Engineer Don Zumwalt to serve as inspector at \$4 a day. When the council authorized Zumwalt to engage an inspector it did not tell him what the salary would be. Zumwalt told Collman he would get \$4 a day, and the latter submitted a bill for that amount. The bill was filed August 1, and at the next meeting the council went on record as willing to pay but \$3 a day for this work. Collman continued to work, and on September 1 filed another bill for \$4 a day. The council paid him \$4 a day until August 1 and \$3 a day thereafter. Last night Collman appeared with another bill for thirteen days in July, twenty-six in August and three in September, all at \$4 a day, or a total of \$168.

Councilman Miller intimated that a suit would result from the action of the council, and asked City Attorney Groesbeck for an opinion as to what would be Collman's chances to maintain a suit in court. Councilman Mathews objected to the question, not wishing Groesbeck to show the city's hand. This brought forth a tirade from Miller that maybe better not be printed.

After Miller and Mathews had carried on their verbal battle, City Attorney Groesbeck admitted that he wouldn't like to go into court against Collman.

The council referred the matter to City Attorney Groesbeck.

BILLINGS JURY IS COMPLETED

IT IS STATED THAT EACH SIDE IN POMM TRIAL EXPECTS TO EXAMINE MORE THAN HUNDRED WITNESSES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—The jury in the case of Warren Billings, charged with murder in connection with the preparedness parade bomb outrage, was completed this morning. Assistant Prosecutor Brennan made the opening statement, reviewing the history of the case.

Lieutenant Steve Bunne, the traffic policeman stationed near the scene of the explosion, will be the first witness for the state.

Each side expects to examine more than 100 witnesses.

New Greek King and Man Behind the Throne



CROWN PRINCE GEORGE OF GREECE



KING CONSTANTINE OF GREECE

Crown Prince George of Greece becomes king by the abdication of his father, and former Premier Venizelos, the real power in the nation, will be the man behind the throne. For many months a bitter controversy has been waged between the majority of the people led by M. Venizelos, against King Constantine, whose training has been German and whose queen is a German, the sister of the kaiser. Her influence has thus resulted in his loss of his throne.

COUNTY PROPERTY FRANCHISE PUT IS \$14,322,934 OFF ONE WEEK

ASSESSMENT ROLLS JUST COMPLETED BY ASSESSOR LEE SHOWS SMALLER ROLL THAN PREVIOUS YEAR

Tax payers in Klamath county next year will pay taxes on \$14,322,934 worth of property, according to the assessment rolls just completed by Assessor J. P. Lee, and turned over to the board of equalization. If the levy made by the county court in January for county purposes should be the same for this year, 22.7 mills, the taxes collected next year will amount to \$325,130.61.

Had the California-Oregon railroad lands not been withdrawn from the assessment rolls this year, the rolls would have shown \$14,737,214 worth of property. In other words, property valued on the assessment rolls at \$414,280 has been withdrawn from taxation.

At a levy of 22.7 mills this means the county and state will lose \$7,501.91 in taxes.

Sells Corn Again.

Billy Snow has purchased the popcorn and peanut wagon which stands in the lobby of the Star theater, and again is at his old business. Snow formerly was in the popcorn business, and although he has been engaged for some time in other pursuits, says he had to come back to the old trade.

Because it has not completed its investigations, the light committee of the city council last evening asked another week to make a final report on the franchise for the Keno Power company. The extension was granted.

The committee was to have reported last evening, but Councilman R. J. Sheets, a member of the committee, is out of town. The committee has not finished its corrections of the ordinance calling for a special election nor its corrections of the proposed franchise.

A final report is expected next Monday evening, when a special election probably will be called.

Ald to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Barnes in the Houston hotel. A good attendance is desired as important work is to be done.

Returns From Hunt.

Ross Nickerson and party returned last evening from Gearhart mountain, where they spent a month fishing and hunting. Nickerson got one buck and all the fish he wanted.

COUNCIL WILL GRADE STREET

MICHIGAN AVENUE WILL BE CROWNED AND DRAINED IN RESPONSE TO PETITION FROM RESIDENTS LIVING ALONG IT

The city council last evening voted to improve Michigan avenue, the street just east of the railroad, in Second Hot Springs Addition, by grading or crowning it and digging drain ditches along the side. The council took this action in response to a petition from residents living in that district.

The work will be done with money from the street fund, and is expected to cost about \$40 a block.

Owing to it being very low, this street is almost impassable in the winter, and is wet in the spring long after other streets are dry and hard.

WILSON WON'T COME TO WEST

SAYS PRESIDENT SEEKING RE-ELECTION SHOULD NOT MAKE STRENUOUS CAMPAIGN OF PLATFORM SPEECHES

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 12.—Following a conference last evening with democratic national committeemen, President Wilson has decided to make more pre-election speeches. The national committee will arrange for these.

However, the president insists that he will accept invitations to speak only from non-political organizations.

He asks that all speeches he makes be confined to the East, as he feels that a president seeking re-election should not make a strenuous campaign of platform speeches.

MAJORITY IS MORE THAN 12 THOUSAND

PREMIER ZAIMIS RESIGNS FROM GREEK CABINET

CANNOT DEAL WITH EXTERNAL SITUATION, HE SAYS

Balkan Fighting Yet Is Nobody's Victory, Yet Central Powers Seem to Be Making Greatest Advances. Turkish 500,000 Forces With Germans and Bulgarians to Help in Invasion of Rumania.

United Press Service ATHENS, Sept. 12.—Stating that international incidents of the last few weeks prevent him from dealing satisfactorily with the external situation, Premier Zaimis today submitted the resignation of the Greek cabinet.

The king is trying to persuade Zaimis to reconsider the resignation of himself and cabinet.

United Press Service SALONIKA, Sept. 12.—The French today joined the British and Serbians in the Balkan offensive. The combined forces have captured Yenimapa.

United Press Service BERLIN, Sept. 12.—The British this morning captured Ginchy.

Constantinople announces that the Turks have joined the Germans and Bulgarians in the invasion of Rumania.

United Press Service PARIS, Sept. 12.—Resuming the battle on the south bank of the Somme, the French have captured more trenches. These are south of Berny.

A German attack east of Belloy and En Santerre has been repulsed.

United Press Service PETROGRAD, Sept. 12.—The Russians have occupied the ridge north of Mount Kaupl and several heights in the vicinity of the Belytchermoch River.

United Press Service BERLIN, Sept. 12.—The Turks, after repelling a large force of Russians this morning occupied the heights south of Dobendo. Also the Turks have regained yesterday's losses in the Caucasus mountains.

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PARIS, Sept. 12.—The allies in a fierce offensive this morning captured the Bulgarian trenches along a two mile front north of Majadan. They have advanced half a mile.

The Serbians have repulsed a Bulgarian attack southwest of Lake Ostrove.

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BERLIN, Sept. 12.—The Bulgarians have so far been very successful in the heavy fighting along the Stru-

SUPPORTERS OF HUGHES ARE JUBILANT

Senatorial and Congressional Offices Are Swept by G. O. P. Candidates. Strenuous Campaign, Including Speeches by Dozens of National Figures, Preceding Voting Yesterday, Says Augusta Dispatch.

United Press Service

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 12.—"As Maine goes, so goes the country." If this old political adage is to hold true in the 1916 election, Charles Evan Hughes will be the next president of the United States.

Practically complete returns from the election yesterday show that the republicans have carried the state by 12,000 majority, sweeping the senatorial and congressional offices.

Supporters of Hughes are jubilant. They are taking the vote in Maine as an indication of the whole country's vote. They have ground for this reasoning because of the old political adage. The vote of Maine for a return of republicanism is expected to have a moral effect in every other state. At least politicians take it that way.

More than 250 different political addresses before that many different crowds were delivered in various parts of Maine Saturday. Hughes has been here, besides most of the members of Wilson's cabinet and many prominent senators from many states.

The vote in 1912 for president was: Democrats 51,118, progressives 48,493, republicans 26,545.

The progressive vote yesterday amounted to little or nothing. The republican victory here shows that most of the 48,493 progressives of 1912 have gone back to the republican ranks.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Following the announcement that the republicans won in the election in Maine yesterday in Wall street United States Steel Corporation common stock advanced to 105 1/4. This price is the highest figure this stock has reached in the history of the corporation.

Other stocks advanced because of the republican victory.

EVANS BROTHERS SELL THEIR VARIETY STORE

Sale of the variety store conducted by S. B. and Percy Evans on East Main street was made yesterday by Samuel Smith, who owns the variety store next door to the Orpheus theater. Mr. Smith will move his stock to his new holding, next door to the Sunset grocery store, and conduct his business there.

ma front. The Bulgarian advance into Southeastern Rumania continues.

United Press Service

LONDON, Sept. 12.—Although it is not announced officially, it is generally understood that the resignation of Premier Zaimis has been accepted, according to Athens dispatches.