

Sea Raider Had Pigmy Submarines Aboard

SWISS FORCES ARE ORDERED MOBILIZED

CONSULS TOLD TO SEND RESERVISTS HOME

Minister Ritter Further Calls Out Three Additional Army Corps, Saying New Men Should Replace Troops Now on Duty—Massing of German Forces on Swiss Frontier Believed to Be Real Reason of Order.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.—Swiss Minister Ritter has issued orders through all Swiss consuls abroad, ordering all reservists on conditional leave to return to Switzerland immediately.

Ritter also ordered three additional Swiss army corps to be mobilized soon. He says Switzerland does not fear a hostile move, but believes new troops should be used to relieve those now mobilized.

London reports recently have mentioned a massing of German forces on the Swiss frontier, and this is believed to be the real reason for Minister Ritter's orders of mobilization.

FARMERS WILL HELP NEW ROAD

LAND OWNERS BETWEEN KLAMATH FALLS AND OLENE WILL GET RIGHT OF WAY FOR STRAHORN RAILROAD

The farmers of the district between Klamath Falls and Olene are organizing to help get the Strahorn railroad, according to a telephone message received today from R. E. Bradbury, one of the farmers.

These farmers are enthusiastic for the road, says Bradbury, and plan to take it upon themselves to get all right of way between Olene and the city limits of Klamath Falls. They also expect to help with the fund for a passenger terminal within this city.

KANAPOLIS, Kan., Jan. 20.—James Cowie, son of the president of the Exchange State bank, was wounded in a running fight here today with five bank robbers. The robbers dynamited the bank vault and escaped with \$3,500.

Klamath May Get Federal Building

Representative Wires That House Votes \$10,000 for Purchase of Site for Federal Buildings Here

Klamath Falls may have a federal building. A telegram received this morning from Representative N. J. Sizoo of this district says the house of representatives yesterday appropriated \$10,000 for the purchase of a site for a federal building at Klamath Falls. The appropriation has yet to pass the senate and then be signed by President Wilson. It is expected by many, however, that the president may veto the entire bill for public building appropriations.

KLAMATH TO GET ELK CALVES FROM WALLOWA COUNTY

TWENTY CALVES WILL BE HERE ABOUT FEBRUARY 1ST

State Fish and Game Commissioner Stone Writes to Game Warden Stout to Expect Calves and Arrange for Their Transportation From Chiloquin to Fort Klamath, Where They Will Be Cared for.

About twenty elk calves are expected to arrive in Klamath county within the next ten days or two weeks for planting in the wilds of this county. In a letter to Game Warden Henry Stout received this morning, Charles F. Stone, state fish and game commissioner, says the elk will be shipped in crates from Wallowa county soon, and should arrive here about February 1st.

The elk calves will be unloaded at Chiloquin and taken from there to the Wood River Valley. L. C. Sizemore and other stockmen of that valley will care for the calves until they are larger. Then they will be released.

By this means Klamath may in the future years become an elk raising territory of some consequence, and the time may come when there will be enough elk to allow hunters to shoot them under certain restrictions.

The state has a considerable band of elk in Wallowa county. Fish and Game Commissioner Stone for some time has been trying to get elk calves for Klamath county, and at last has succeeded. At present he is in Salem and Portland, meeting with other members of the commission.

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Russia's "Sacred Devil" Assassinated



Gregory Rasputin, called the "Sacred Devil of Russia," whose influence over the royal family, particularly the czar, became obnoxious, was quietly assassinated by several relatives of the czar and high officials. He was one of those strange mystical characters who have floated through all Russian history. Rasputin had gained such power over the royal family that it was feared he would interfere seriously with the conduct of the war. At any rate he interfered with officials of such importance that the Russian police fear to prosecute the men who killed him.

WOMEN GET \$200 MORE FOR FUND

WALFORD & WANN OF YAINAX GIVE HANDSOMELY, AND FARMERS OF KLAMATH BASIN HELP GET STRAHORN RAILROAD

Two hundred dollars for the Strahorn railroad passenger terminal fund was secured yesterday by the Women's 1,000 Railroad Club. These subscriptions were secured largely outside of Klamath Falls, showing the women are not confining their efforts to persons in town only.

Yesterday's subscribers were: Walford & Wann, Yainax \$150.00 Fred Plum, Keno road 20.00 Clyde Bradley, Merrill 15.00 Barks & Sons, Klamath Valley 15.00 From business men not in the business Men's Association, the main terminal fund committee yesterday secured \$35 more for the fund, as follows: Klamath Transfer Co. \$10.00 F. C. Markwardt 25.00

COMMITTEES HAVE GOOD MEETINGS

W. PAUL JOHNSON SAYS HE IS SATISFIED WITH PROGRESS FOR FIRST TIME SINCE TERMINAL CAMPAIGN STARTED

"Our new committees mean business; we are going to get the rest of the terminal fund," said W. Paul Johnson, who is in general charge of all work for the Strahorn railroad passenger terminal fund. "We have had some fine meetings of the committee which have given us little encouragement. For the first time since this campaign started, I am satisfied with the progress being made." Fred Houston and Syd Evans are the chairmen of the two committees.

BUCK ANDERSON BOUND OVER TO THE GRAND JURY

GIVES BOND IN SUM OF THOUSAND DOLLARS

By Stockman' Who is Charged With Bringing Liquor on Klamath Indian Reservation, Must Face Federal Grand Jury—Former Employee, Who Would Take All Blame for Act, Must Also Await Jury's Verdict.

O. T. Anderson, by stockman, this morning was bound over to the federal grand jury by United States Commissioner Bert C. Thomas on a charge of introducing liquor on the Klamath Indian reservation. His bond was placed at \$1,000, which was furnished by W. F. Arant and C. D. Willson.

W. A. Saunders, a former employee of Anderson, was bound over to the federal grand jury on the same charge. His bond also was placed at \$1,000. His sureties are Joe Joseph and O. T. Anderson.

Saunders was with Anderson when the booze was hauled onto the reservation in Anderson's automobile. Saunders at the hearing early this morning swore he bought the booze at Doris and was taking it with him to Burns, which he said was his ultimate destination.

Pershing Not Moving SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 20.—"Absolutely nothing to it," said General Funston today when asked if reports that General Pershing's forces were moving from Mexico were correct.

Another Town Falls BERLIN, Jan. 20.—The capture of the Rumanian town Nanesti, on the River Sereth, is officially announced. The capture was made during a heavy snow storm, which impeded the artillery.

Clean Up Chicago's Police Department



Mayor Thompson of Chicago has appointed as chief of police First Deputy Herman F. Schuetzler in place of Chief Charles C. Healey, who was arrested on bribery charges after he had left the force. Chief Schuetzler, who has been on the force for thirty-four years, announced there would be a shake-up in his department. He will proceed to clean up the department, several of whose members were arrested along with the chief on charges of bribery and conspiracy with dive keepers.

Elected New Canal Zone Governor



Colonel Chester A. Harding has just been appointed governor of the Panama Canal Zone by President Wilson. He was formerly engineer commissioner of the District of Columbia. He is now at work in Panama.

SKATERS TO BE IN THE MOVIES

C. R. MILLER WILL COMPLETE REEL OF MOVING PICTURES AT MODOC PARK RINK TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Again tomorrow afternoon moving pictures will be taken of the ice skaters at the Modoc Park rink. The film was partly made last Sunday and tomorrow one reel will be completed. C. R. Miller is taking the movies.

The ice skating at the rink is all that could be asked. Each night the pond is flooded with warm water, and next day the ice is slick as glass. Large crowds are enjoying the skating, especially on Sundays.

OREGON ACCEPTS SHACKLEFORD ACT

SHARP DEBATE MARKS PASSAGE IN OREGON HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—BEAN'S HIGHWAY MEASURE

SALEM, Jan. 20.—State co-operation with the Shackleford federal act, providing that the government shall appropriate dollar for dollar with the state in the construction of highways which run through or partly through national reservations was accepted in the house on behalf of Oregon.

Representative Bean's bill providing that the state board of control should have the power to issue bonds for highway construction to meet with the conditions of the Shackleford act brought on an oratorical display that lasted for some time.

Fire Claims Eight Victims SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 20.—Fred Gilham, battalion chief of the fire department, was burned to death today when the roof of the Grand theater collapsed and caused the rise of fire. Eight other firemen were seriously injured.

WERE 18 FEET LONG AND HAD TORPEDOES

COMPLICATIONS WITH GERMANY REGARDED NEAR

SITUATION MORE CRITICAL THAN FOR MONTHS

Capturing of Neutrals and Imprisoning of Them on Ships, as Well as Wider Submarining of Vessels is Causing No Little Concern With Administration—Official German Statement Tells Yarrowdale's Arrival.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Danger of serious complications with Germany over the marine problems seemed near today than for many months.

The capturing of neutrals and imprisoning them aboard the Yarrowdale, one of the steamers taken by the German sea raider, and the strong trend of German sentiment toward a wider submarine campaign have made possibilities ominous, to say the least.

The official German statement recounting the arrival in Germany of the Yarrowdale with neutrals among the prisoners has caused grave concern in Washington.

President's Action Attacked WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.—Today's issue of the Army and Navy Journal bitterly attacked the promotion of Dr. Carey Grayson, President Wilson's private physician, to the position of medical director of the navy. The Journal says this is the direct result of the substitution of the merit system for the seniority system.

Car Shortage is Serious WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.—Declaring that the car shortage is very serious and that it requires immediate relief, the Interstate Commerce Commission directed the immediate return of all coal and refrigerator cars to their own lines when they have been received empty.

BRAZILIAN STEAMER SIGHTS GERMAN RAIDER

Seen Off South American Coast Traveling North—Southern Republics Are Closely Regarding Neutrality, and Raider is Doing Same, is Report. Uruguayan Steamer is Patrolling the Southern Coast.

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 20.—According to the captain of the British steamer Netherby Hall, several pigmy submarines were carried aboard the German raider in the South Atlantic.

Three of these submarines on board the raider were about eighteen feet long, and were equipped with torpedoes, dynamite and ammunition.

The captain stated that he was treated well aboard the raider, but the quarters on board the prison ship Hudson Maru were very cramped.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 20.—The Brazilian packet steamer Bahia reported today as having sighted a vessel which is believed to be the German raider on Thursday.

The vessel was sighted off the coast of Rio Grande del Norte, and was traveling north at twenty knots per hour. The majority of the South American countries are strictly guarding neutrality in their territorial waters; the steamer Corsario is patrolling the Uruguayan coast. Several Brazilian war ships are now scouting in the South Atlantic.

American Consul Gottschalk declared today that official advice to him indicate that the Germans are punctiliously observing international law, and have planned to avoid attacking any passenger ships.

Charge Dismissed. The charge against C. M. Adams on the Upper Merrill road, and his daughter, Rose Jensen, of obstructing justice, was dismissed last evening by United States Commissioner Bert C. Thomas. Adams and daughter were charged with giving Deputy United States Marshal Frank T. Berry a "bum steer" when Berry was looking for Fred Hickey, wanted at Yakima, Wash.

Siemens Reelected President of Club

Will Guide Destinies of Klamath Commercial Club for Another Year—New Directors Chosen

About 100 backers of Klamath Commercial Club and boosters for Klamath Falls and Klamath county gathered around the banquet table last night at the Moose hall to hear the annual report of Secretary Fred Fleet, listen to rousing addresses by members of the club and elect officers for 1917. The banquet table was filled; the spirit of the gathering was fine; the interest great. J. W. Siemens was re-elected president of the club, Harold D. Mortenson was elected first vice president, W. Paul Johnson second vice president, R. H. Dunbar treasurer and Fred Fleet secretary-manager. The following directors were chosen: H. N. Moe, O. J.

Eakelson, Carl A. Piath, Percy Evans, I. D. Whitmore, M. S. West and K. Sugarman. W. Paul Johnson will head the committee on membership, H. N. Moe will head the tourist and publicity branch, O. J. Eakelson mercantile, Carl A. Piath traffic and transportation, Percy Evans agriculture, I. D. Whitmore social, M. S. West industrial and K. Sugarman civic. Good humor and optimism characterized the speeches last night. The speakers were J. W. Siemens, Rev. O. H. Bennett, C. E. Bowman, W. A. Dalzell, E. B. Hall and W. Paul Johnson. Dr. E. D. Johnson was toastmaster.