

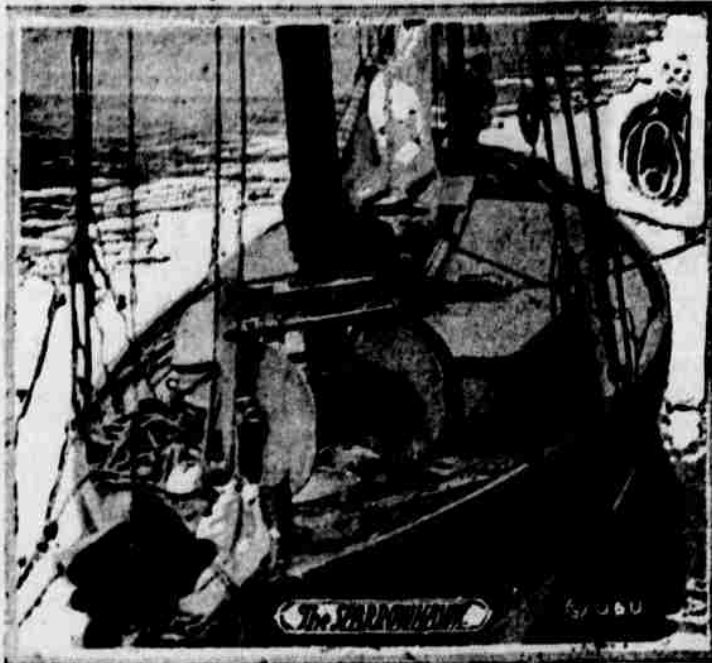
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White Pelican Garage

Boston Secret Service Men Capture Sloop Equipped to Cut the Great Cable to France



The Sparrowhawk, a small sloop, equipped with a powerful gasoline engine and a windlass with many hundred feet of strong wire, was captured in Boston harbor by Frederick P. Schmid, head of the Federal Secret Service in Boston, while she was trying to slip out under command of Ernest Bethge, a German, who was once in the Kaiser's navy. His two companions were Swedes. All were charged with conspiracy to cut the cable which stretches from a point near Gloucester to Europe. They were locked up.

LEGAL NOTICES

SALE OF TIMBER KLAMATH INDIAN RESERVATION—Sealed bids, marked outside "Bid, Middle Mount Scott Unit Timber," and addressed to the Superintendent of the Klamath Indian School, Klamath Agency, Oregon, will be received until twelve o'clock noon, Pacific Time, Thursday, May 31, 1917, for the purchase of timber upon about 14,000 acres within Township 36 South, Range 7 and 8 East. The sale embraces approximately two hundred million feet of which about ninety per cent is yellow and sugar pine and the remainder red and white fir. The cutting of red and white fir will be optional with the purchaser. Each bid must state for each species the amount per thousand feet Scribner decimal C log scale that will be paid for all timber cut prior to April 1, 1920. Prices subsequent to that date are to be fixed by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs by three year periods. No bid of less than three dollars per M feet for yellow and sugar pine, seventy-five cents for red fir and fifty cents for white fir during the first period will be considered. Each bid must be submitted in triplicate and be accompanied by a certified check on a solvent National Bank in favor of the Superintendent of the Klamath Indian School in the amount of \$5,000. The deposit will be returned if the bid is rejected but retained if the bid is accepted, and the required contract and bond are not executed and presented for approval within sixty days from such acceptance. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. For copies of the bid and contract forms and for other information application should be made to the Indian Superintendent, Klamath Agency, Oregon, Washington, D. C., March 22, 1917. CATO SELLS, Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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Pacific Coast Towns and Residents Prepare

ASTORIA, Ore., April 17.—Fred Heribell, who stands six feet four inches and one quarter, is probably the tallest militiaman in Oregon. He is a member of the Ninth company, O. A. C.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 17.—"It's perfectly safe to be a little careful," is Sheriff Himecker's motto. In spite of the fact that over a thousand soldiers are stationed at the barracks here, the sheriff swore in fifty deputies this week to have them ready in case of an outbreak of any kind.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 17.—Eighty-five students of the High School of Commerce are members of the cadet corps, just organized. All local high schools have formed or are organizing military training classes.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—James Rolph III, son of Mayor Rolph Jr., with eleven other boys, today started planting a large lot at Twentieth and Valencia streets to potatoes. The potatoes, when harvested, will be donated to the cause of the reduction of the high cost of living and an increase of the supply of the nation.

The mayor declared today that all vacant lots in the city should be planted with potatoes, or onions, and called upon the youngsters to plant them forthwith.

LOS ANGELES, April 17.—Many a plot of ground designed for a flower garden in Los Angeles will yield the rare potato and onion in the place of carnations, tea roses and bachelor buttons. This is the result of a movement among the club women of Los Angeles to turn their flower garden space into a means to take a fling at the high cost of living, help feed the nation during war time, and at the same time prepare themselves in a measure for more extensive farming should such an occasion arise, as to demand their services.

OAKLAND, April 17.—War and patriotism has overshadowed interest in the primary elections, which are being held in Oakland today, the trouble with Germany coming just at the time when the campaign was beginning to be interesting as immediately relegating it to the back seats. The voters are electing an auditor, nominating candidates for two seats on the council and for three school directorships.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—"What shall I do as my part in national defense?" is the question which will be answered for the farmers of California at a series of meetings to be held by the agricultural department of the University of California, beginning today. This campaign is a part of the work which the university has undertaken to prepare California for war emergencies.

LOS ANGELES, April 17.—Los Angeles is in the throes of a skyrocket leap of food prices. Uptown grocers are limiting the amounts of many necessities which their customers are allowing to purchase. Buyers are thronging the stores, piling up orders which tax the capacity of the merchants to handle them. Jobbers are telling the retailers that the goods are not to be had and are cutting orders in half and at the same time the retailers are urging customers to go easy. Above all, a sharp watch is being kept for food speculators and when one is found he gets nothing more.

NITRATE BODIES TO BE DEVELOPED

PORTLAND, Ore., April 17.—Even the great undeveloped water power of the Pacific northwest may be an important factor in the war with Germany.

Sites where electric energy can be generated at a low cost are necessary for the economical manufacture of nitrate, used in making powder. At the present time the United States is dependent upon importations from Chile for nitrate.

Congress has appropriated \$20,000,000 for the establishment of a nitrate plant and State Engineer Lewis, with the backing of many civic bodies, is urging that \$1,000,000 or more of the appropriation be used for the development of one of the many ideal sites in the Columbia basin. In a statement made to W. D. B. Dodson, secretary of the Portland chamber of commerce, Lewis suggests that the government erect a plant on the Deschutes river in eastern Oregon. Extensive help beds along the coast of Washington and Oregon, rich deposits of phosphate rock in Idaho and Montana, and a deposit of diatomaceous earth in central Oregon, coupled with the wonderful possibilities of power development, would enable the government to manufacture explosives at a low cost, according to Lewis.

Idaho, Montana and Washington also have ideal sites for a nitrate plant, and at several points along the Columbia are sites for power plants of exceptional capacity.

HOME PREPAREDNESS

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HOW TO TREAT THE SOIL

By CARL VROOMAN

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. Member of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission. (Written for the United Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—When the back yard garden is ready for spading, the first thing to do is examine the soil—first its chemical condition, then for its planting condition. Soil of the average city back yard may not be very good for the purpose of planting vegetables with a view to cutting the cost of living.

In the spring as soon as the soil has dried grasp a handful of it and if it will slowly fall apart it is in fit condition to prepare for planting. Never work clay or heavy soils while wet.

Soils which are naturally moist are sour and as a result are not in the best condition for planting.

Whether sour or not, it will be well to test the soil. A piece of blue litmus paper should be obtained from a drug store. Take a handful of the soil slightly moistened and place the paper on it. The paper will turn red if the soil is sour.

If this condition is shown, it can be corrected with a little lime. Cover the ground with a thin coat of air-slacked lime, which can be obtained at little cost. Work this in well.

Clayey or stiff clay loam, where severe freezing has covered, will be in a much better condition if it has been given a good dressing of manure in the fall.

Do not be too quick to get into the garden work. Some of the over-sealous seize the first warm spell as the opportunity and work heavy clay soil before it is dry. They waste

energy and do harm to the soil, from which it will not recover in a long time.

Timeliness is a big item in gardening and the thing to do is to have everything ready when the right time comes. Fresh vegetables are very desirable and those from the back yard garden are not subjected to exposure and transportation. Then, too, home-grown products are free from infection.

Another point is that many garden products lose flavor between the time they leave the farm and reach the city table. This is avoided in the home-grown garden. It is not desirable to start things before danger of late frosts is over.

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JUMP FROM BED IN MORNING AND DRINK HOT WATER

Open sluices of system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter, says authority.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drank each morning before breakfast, keeps us looking and feeling fit.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, which will cost but little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

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