

INCENDIARY FIRES WILLIAMS DAIRY

FIRE CONSUMES MILK HOUSE AT WILLIAMS DAIRY

PRESENCE AND ACTION OF HAY CREW CONFINES FIRE

Believed Attempt of Industrial Workers to Cut Off Another Milk Supply to Klamath Falls—No Doubt Exists That Fire Was Set—Calm Night Assists in Controlling the Flames. Loss Is Considerable.

In an attempt to destroy the buildings and occupants of the Williams dairy, five miles south of this city, at 2 o'clock this morning, one more headish effort to cut down the food supplies of this community is evidenced. Even with the prompt measures taken by nearly a dozen men on the early discovery of the blaze, the new milk house and up-to-date pasteurizing apparatus was lost at a value of several hundred dollars.

The Williams dairy has been operated by Ferd C. Williams only about a month, and the best of machinery had been installed. Shortly after 2 o'clock the fire was discovered by members of the hay crew sleeping in the barn, and it was only due to exhausting efforts on the part of all that all buildings on the place were not burned. The fact that there was no wind also assisted materially.

It was declared this morning by members of the household that there was absolutely no doubt but that the fire was set, as there had been no fire around the milk house since early in the morning before, and then only in the boiler outside the house. Moreover, the floors were all damp from being recently scrubbed.

GARDEN PARTY GIVEN

A very pleasant garden party was given at the home of Miss Nora McLean on Wall street Monday night.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church has been having a contest to increase membership, and for the past month the "Reds" gained the most points, so they were entertained by the "Blues."

Games were played on the lawn. Miss Jean Applegate favored the company with a piano solo. Miss Wise and Clyde Bachelder each gave a vocal solo, which were much appreciated. Delicious refreshments were served at a late hour.

The following were present: Mrs. W. E. Rambo, Mr. W. E. Rambo, Miss Rachel Applegate, Maud Miller, Ruth Miller, Inez Bell, Leda Harvey, Grace Homland, Eva Hanks, Beatrice Wise, Ruth Musten, Ada Gould, Mrs. Montgomery, Nellie Bliss, Anna Hackland, Gertrude Wirts, Clyde Bachelder, Irvin Buck, Kenneth Wallen, Albert Buck, Bernard Hackland, Miss Jean Applegate.

KLAMATH INDIANS TO WED

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Joseph Brown and Louise Urbin. Both are Indians of the Klamath reservation, residing near Chiloquin. The groom is engaged in ranching in that vicinity.

The Young Women's Club gave a porch party last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Rambo. About twenty-five were present, and each guest was dressed to represent some member of the vegetable kingdom, which caused much merriment. The afternoon was spent in needlework. Miss Rachel Applegate read extracts from "Reverent." Light refreshments were served.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—Virtually rewritten as it came from the house a month ago, the administration food bill modified, but giving the president broad authority to regulate food, feeds, fuels, providing for a board of three food commissioners instead of a single individual, and authorizing a minimum price of \$2 a bushel for wheat, passed the senate.

FORT KLAMATH IS ORGANIZED

RANCHERS OF WOOD RIVER VALLEY TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT ANY OUTRAGES BY INDUSTRIAL WORKERS THERE

An effective organization for the protection of property during the I. W. W. menace was created yesterday at Fort Klamath, according to the report of J. F. Loosley today.

A business like body of men gathered at the creamery, where Frank Burns was made chairman of the organization and Lindsay Sisemore secretary. An executive committee of six was then selected to work out the details for a system that would safeguard the community. These were Chas. Copeland, Ed Leever, Wm. Norton, Joseph Vase, T. F. Loosley and R. S. Loosley.

It is expected that a committee of the Citizens' Defense League of Klamath Falls will meet the Fort Klamath officers there at 7 o'clock tonight.

STRANGE PLANT IS DISCOVERED

MRS. FRED SCHALLOCK SPIES MYSTERIOUS OBJECT BEFORE ANY MISCHIEF IS DONE—AUTHORITIES IN DARK SO FAR

That too great precautions cannot be taken by citizens of the community to guard their own premises, carefully these days is brought out by the finding of a bunch of excelsior covered with some unknown substance, and which was placed concealed against the woodshed at the rear of Fred Schallock's residence on the bluff.

The discovery was made this morning by Mrs. Schallock on going to the shed for wood. Near the door she noticed a block leaned against the side, and upon removing it she found a small quantity of excelsior covered with a yellowish, waxy substance, the nature of which remains a mystery to all the officials. It was immediately brought down town and was tested at Whitman's drug store for every variety of inflammable substance, but without result. Later it was placed under guard in the sun in the courtyard, with the idea that it might be affected in that way.

That this move is more fiendish devilry of the I. W. W. is the general belief, but its exact nature is still unexplained.

Mrs. Addie Walker, Miss Edna Miller and Dr. Johnson returned Tuesday evening after a most delightful trip in Dr. Johnson's car. They went as far south as Dunsmuir, going by way of Ashland over the Green Spring Mountains, and returning by way of McCloud and Castle Point.

Ohio Governor and the Girl He is Going to Wed



Governor James M. Cox of Ohio, 47 years of age, has decided to wed, and this fall Miss Margaretta P. Blair of Chicago, daughter of the head of the Blair Engineering company of that city will become his bride. The parties to the wedding did not care to have the engagement announced, but when it finally did come out, Governor Cox and Mr. Blair both admitted it.

FIRE DESTROYS HARRISON, IDAHO

ENTIRE BUSINESS SECTION AND HALF OF RESIDENCE DISTRICT ALREADY GONE, WITH LOSS OF HALF A MILLION

HARRISON, Idaho, July 21.—Fire of an unknown origin began here early this morning, and by 10:30 had destroyed all the business section. Half of the residence section is gone, with a loss of half a million dollars. The town contains about 1,000 inhabitants.

It is reported that ten forest fires are burning in Northern Idaho, all of a mysterious origin.

TRouble BETWEEN RUSSIA AND FINLAND THREATENS

HELSINGFORD, Finland, July 21.—A conflict with Russia is regarded as inevitable as a result of the Finnish diet adopting the bill granting independence.

PAUL JOHNSON ILL

W. P. Johnson, who has been suffering for several days with an infected foot, is now confined to his bed at home, under the care of a physician. The trouble started with a lump on the foot, which was opened and later became infected.

R. C. SHIPLEY BURNED

R. C. Shipley, while employed at the Ford garage, was painfully burned this morning about the hand and arm by the explosion of some gasoline near which he was working. His injuries, the painful, are not considered serious.

Paul McDonald, a merchant at Merrill, is in the city today on business.

H. H. Van Valkenburg, a prominent rancher on the Keno road, is a Klamath Falls visitor today.

Mrs. A. L. Harrison and Miss Agnes Matt left this morning for a two weeks' visit with their two sisters and brother, Clarence A. Matt, of Portland.

U. BOATS ARE MAKING HEADWAY

SHIPS OF ALLIES BEING SUNK FOUR TIMES AS FAST AS BUILT. MILLION TONS MONTHLY SINCE CAMPAIGN STARTED

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—The government figures indicate that since the beginning of the German ruthless submarine campaign, the destruction of merchantmen hitherto available to the entente allies commerce has been at least four times the amount of tonnage built.

The losses indicated are about a million tons dead weight monthly, including the weight of cargo.

NO PEACE NOW SAYS L. GEORGE

WAR NOW STRUGGLE BETWEEN DEFINITE NATIONAL IDEALS. KERNESKY ASSUMES LEADERSHIP IN RUSSIA

LONDON, July 21.—"The speech of Chancellor Michaelis in the reichstag showed that the ruling powers of Germany have made a choice for the moment for war," said Premier Lloyd George in a speech here today.

"If Germany is victorious," he said, "there would be annexations all around, and military autocracy would be established more firmly than ever. We cannot make peace with Germany dominated by autocracy." "The war now becomes a struggle between two definite forms of national ideals."

Significant in this respect is the news announced today of the brilliant Russian, Kernesky, to leadership in the Russian democracy. It is freely predicted that it will be long before the chancellor delivers a different speech. It is said that the Russian food supply for 1917 and 1918 has already been secured.

MORE MEN ARE CALLED TODAY

FROM PRESENT INDICATIONS, THE ENTIRE REGISTERED LIST WILL BE DRAFTED.—OFFICIAL LIST MAILED WHEN COMPLETE

Eighty three more names have been received today by wire for the selective draft. These names are, of course, not official, and it is possible for errors to be made in getting them over the wire, but they are probably correct.

The official list will be mailed to the county board as soon as completed. It is probable from the way the names are coming in that the entire list will be drawn, so that each may know in just what order he will be called.

As there are now many more drawn than will be drafted at the first call, no more names will be received by wire here. The complete official list will soon be received by the county board. The names received today are:

- 970—Alouza D. Huff, Klamath Falls
937—Fumoshi Nakatu, Klamath Falls
360—Thos. A. Lovelady, Hildebrand Falls
1217—Carl P. Peterson, Klamath Falls
571—James Krcelj, Merrill
588—Lee Earl Brown, Merrill
794—John E. Hanan, Olene
72—Oscar B. Cornish, Klamath Falls
1052—Christ Vangeles, Klamath Falls
356—Ivan Welch, Dairy
112—John J. Stankey, Klamath Falls
1067—Athanasios Petetzogias, Klamath Falls
128—C. Austin Hayden, Klamath Falls
619—Chesley Gilbert Tower, Worden
805—Wm. J. Uhrin, Algoma
900—Clarence V. Mustard, Sacramento
363—Ora W. Engle, Fort Klamath
1142—Chas. Sghers, Klamath Falls
6—Irvin F. Tobey, Klamath Falls
327—Arthur R. Leavitt, Klamath Falls
664—Lloyd Linville, Crescent
93—Philip B. Motschenbacher, Klamath Falls
957—Jim Varelas, Klamath Falls
1112—Umberto Reginato, Klamath Falls
345—Thos. Wilson, Klamath Falls
103—Claude O. Prentice, Klamath Falls
1221—Gobemo Piepro, Klamath Falls
1102—Herbert Spencer Ballard, Klamath Falls
556—Clarence Harding Bralley, Merrill
154—Frederick William Schallhorn, Klamath Falls
51—Rufus A. Perkins, Klamath Falls
717—Robert E. Gillespie, Cordon, Wisconsin
1057—Frank Pistas, Klamath Falls
30—Antone Johnson, Klamath Falls
199—Alex Matthew Pardue, Klamath Falls
388—Earl Milton Jackson, Fort Klamath
773—Merle Shelly Kilgore, Langell Valley
608—Edward Milton Knox, Merrill
406—Frederick Joy, Bly
519—Charles Franklin Triplett, Olene
25—Lloyd Gibson Rippey, Klamath Falls
392—Ernest Byres Bennett, Fort Klamath
889—Jesse Anson Hunsaker, Klamath Falls
383—John Emmitt Sisemore, Fort Klamath
1166—Benhee Linn, Klamath Falls
588—Lee Earl Brown, Merrill

FEDERAL MEN ON WAY HERE

OFFICIALS FROM DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO SEND FEDERAL TROOPS

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21.—On orders from the department of justice, Federal Attorney Orobaum and two deputy marshals have left to investigate I. W. W. activities at Klamath Falls and Dorris. They will decide whether to send troops to stop attempts to destroy crops and livestock.

- 856—Louis James Cooley, Algoma
705—Roy G. Helmes, Bonanza
576—Jesse Wright, Merrill
944—William Ralph Earle, Klamath Falls
132—Cameron Wilson, Klamath Falls
642—Thomas Percy Dixon, Klamath Falls
939—Johannes Peter Nielson, Klamath Falls
222—Jack K. Murphy, Klamath Falls
906—George E. Panagos, Klamath Falls
700—Francis J. Brotherton, Olene
1—Paul Roswell Dodge, Klamath Falls
974—Angelo Sarter, Klamath Falls
320—Morris Grey Leslie, Klamath Falls
950—Sidney L. Beales, Klamath Falls
936—Nicholas John Karwow, Klamath Falls
1010—Bustuli Alexi, Oakland, Calif.
919—Carl Aden Grubb, Klamath Falls
656—Clarence Chris Mahn, LaPine
814—Pietro Viol, Algoma
1070—John Georges, Klamath Falls
738—Gerald W. Oden, Dairy
1167—Guissippe Reginato, Klamath Falls
1097—Rossi Gio Babbista, Klamath Falls
1191—Loeth LaFeyton Marrow, Klamath Falls
848—Thomas Stough, Algoma
1118—Algot Westman, Klamath Falls
121—Hyman Wechsel, Klamath Falls
231—William Warver Powell, Klamath Falls
292—Otto Arthur Arnold, Klamath Falls
533—Silvio Finato, Algoma
1064—Pietro Simoli, Klamath Falls
1205—Gibannini Oriste, Klamath Falls
1091—Tom Accatanni, Klamath Falls
470—Frederick R. Mickelson, Camas, Wash.
312—William Pose Hooper, Midland
90—Rhinehart G. Motschenbacher, Klamath Falls
191—Charles Elven Ogle, Klamath Falls
477—Frederick E. Becholdt, Bonanza
1187—Aiselm Meruato, Klamath Falls
1170—James Spyropoulos, Klamath Falls
753—Alfred Nicholas, Lorella
130—William Alvin White, Klamath Falls
856—Louis James Cooley, Algoma
168—Russell Lee Griffith, Klamath Falls
1023—George Got Sovas, Odessa
424—Orlet Clarence Edsall, Bly
840—Hosmo Vial, Algoma
657—John Adolf Knight, LaPine
175—Milton Harold Era, Klamath Falls
300—Benjamin Franklin Owens, Midland
278—Howard Ervin Quinby, Klamath Falls
1021—James Harris, Klamath Falls
584—Hiram Miller, Olene
911—George Corbino, Klamath Falls
1173—Arminio Torrecum, Klamath Falls

VAGRANCY CHARGE IS FILED HERE AGAINST I. W. W.

THIRTY-FIVE COMPLAINTS HAVE BEEN INSTITUTED

Judge E. W. Gowen Has His Day Today—Attempt Will Be Made to Convict Prisoners Already Taken—A Number of Those Now in Custody Can Be Proved Guilty of the Offenses Charged Against Them

Charged with vagrancy and of being members of the I. W. W. or of associating with members of that order, whose precepts teach willful, wanton destruction and wanton appropriation of property, directly antagonistic to the laws of the State of Oregon and the United States government, complaints are today being filed with Justice of the Peace E. W. Gowen against thirty-five of the prisoners now in the city jail.

Attorney Wilson S. Wiley, who is assisting District Attorney W. H. Duncan in issuing the complaints, declares his belief that those attempting to spread doctrines that are radically opposed to the spirit and the letter of the laws of the land, as these men are known to be doing, can be convicted.

The form of complaints being issued is as follows:

is accused by this complaint of the crime of vagrancy committed as follows: The said ... on the ... day of July, 1917, in the County of Klamath, and State of Oregon, did willfully and unlawfully, then and there being, then and there wander about the streets of the City of Klamath Falls at unusual hours of the night, the said ... then and there being an idle, dissolute person, who conducts himself in a violent, riotous and disorderly manner, the said ... then and there being an associate of persons, to-wit, members of the Industrial Workers of the World, whose doctrine teaches the willful and wanton destruction of property, and the willful and wanton appropriation of property created by the labor of members of the aforesaid Industrial Workers of the World, contrary to the statute in such cases made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the State of Oregon.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1917.

Names of those against whom complaints have been issued are:

- Dan Dempsey, George Hennessey, Charley Hettinger, Martin Waeltch, Rueben Goldman, G. F. Little, Conrad Ruiggi, Jim Howell, Max Hierley, J. McBride, John Fretell, William McHugh, Bert Ralls, William Mealie, Carl Swelgin, Frank Sisson, Charles Martin, Harry Lloyd, Herman Vanseeelen, Frank Burns, Dan Sullivan, Joe Chapman, Curtis Randall, W. J. Hagbred, R. O. Maino, J. J. Conner, Charley Miller, Mike Lawler, Frank Armstrong, Henry Savage, Robert Wure, Chauncey Grim, Fred Anderson, James Fraser, John Riley, Kenneth Thompson, Joseph Schroeder.
532—Earl John Gavison, Klamath Falls
1139—Conrad Richardson, Klamath Falls
1214—Guissippe Pretari, Klamath Falls
236—Earl Linwood Tracy, Klamath Falls
215—Edwin J. Fry, Klamath Falls
46—Frank Coburn Pool, Klamath Falls
8—George Chlatoe, Klamath Falls