

BOLSHEVIK CONTROLS RUSSIAN POLICY.

RUSSIAN CONGRESS RATIFIES HUN TERMS

CONGRESS OF SOVIETS RATIFIES PEACE TREATY WITH CENTRAL POWERS BY BIG MAJORITY. DECISION CAUSES MUCH TROUBLE.

BOLSHEVIK DELEGATES ONLY BELIEVED REPRESENTED IN THE VOTE CAST. REPRESENTATIVES OF UNIONS RESIGN FROM BOLSHEVIK.

PETROGRAD, March 15.—The all Russian Congress of Soviets at Moscow yesterday ratified the peace treaty with the Central Powers by a vote of fifty-three to thirty. The representatives of all the professional unions resigned from the Bolshevik following the vote.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—The acceptance of the peace terms by the Russians at the Congress of Soviets yesterday clears the way for the announcement of the Allied intentions regarding the Japanese intervention in Siberia.

The Allies do not have much fear that the Germans will advance far into Siberia, but it is thought that they might have valuable supplies shipped to them.

LONDON, March 15.—Russian dispatches seem to indicate that only the Bolshevik delegates to the Soviet are represented in the vote which may have been a majority caucus. However in view of the Bolshevik strength it is improbable that their decision could be reversed by other factions.

Field battles between the Soviet adherents and the natives have occurred in Turkestan according to a dispatch just received in which over 20,000 casualties have been reported.

TWENTY-SIX ARE LOST IN COLLISION

LONDON, March 15.—Twenty-six are missing following a collision between a naval vessel and the British steamship Rathmore. Destroyers headed the survivors.

FIFTY-FIVE MILLION SUBSCRIBERS WANTED

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—Preparations are being made to get 15,000,000 subscribers to the Third Liberty Loan. There were 11,000,000 subscribers to the Second Loan.

KLAMATH PRINCESS WEDS HERO

MILIONAIRE CHEROKEE CHIEFTAIN, NOW IN SERVICE OF UNCLE SAM, WEDS PRINCESS OF KLAMATH RESERVATION.

SALT LAKE CITY, March 15.—Attired in native regalia, White Elk, chieftain of the Cherokee Indians, reported to be a millionaire, who was on board the ship Antilles when it was torpedoed, and Princess Ah-Tra-Ah-Sua, of the Klamath reservation, Oregon, obtained a marriage license here Tuesday. The ceremony was performed on the steps of the state capitol. White Elk bought more than \$200,000 worth of second liberty loan bonds. It is reported he is here aiding the United States to obtain recruits for the army. He has seen service in France and when the Antilles was torpedoed he had five ribs broken.

GUILD GETS NAMES OF CHILDREN IT SUPPORTS

The St. Paul Episcopal Guild has received the names of the last two French children adopted by the Guild. They are Yvonne Biron, a seven year-old girl and Maurice Bougeon, an eight year-old boy. Both children are from Le Havre Seine Infere, the address of the girl being 73 Rue Michelet, and of the boy, 4 Rue St. Vincent. The Guild has now adopted four French children which are being supported entirely by the Guild.

EXTRA PAY WILL GO TO AVIATORS

SENATE MILITARY COMMITTEE REFUSES TO REPEAL LAW ALLOWING EXTRA REMUNERATION FOR AVIATION MEN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—The legislation to repeal the law giving extra pay to averaging fifty per cent to men in the aviation service which was recommended by General Pershing and Secretary of War Baker, was unanimously disapproved by the Senate Military Committee. The clause in the bill amending the defense act which provided for the repeal of extra allowances was struck out.

MERCHANT UNDERGOES OPERATION

PROMINENT CITIZEN GOES UNDER KNIFE AT HOSPITAL LAST NIGHT. RESTING EASIER TODAY BUT IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

Edgar Virgil the well known furniture dealer of Klamath Falls underwent a serious operation last night at the Klamath Hospital at the hands of Drs. R. R. Hamilton, C. V. Fisher and E. D. Johnson. He was reported to be resting easier today, but his condition is still serious. Mr. Virgil has experienced an extended illness due to troubles of the stomach.

NEW NAVAL SEAPLANE ACCEPTED

FIGHTING AIR MACHINE WITH TWO LIBERTY MOTORS NOW BEING MANUFACTURED AND DELIVERED. BIG FLEET CONTEMPLATED.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—America's first fighting seaplane equipped with liberty motors has been tried out and accepted, it has been announced and a number of the craft are now being delivered for the use of the naval air service. They are the advance guard of a big fleet which will be added to the forces engaged in submarine hunting in the war zone.

A second type of fighting plane for the American army, known as the Bristol model, also has now reached the production stage and a considerable number will become available during the present month. Still another type, a two-seated machine, is being manufactured.

Construction details of these planes never have been published. It is known, however, that the seaplanes are substantially similar to the British flying boats and are equipped with two liberty motors, which provide approximately 700 horsepower. This is understood to be much in excess of power used in British craft and their performance is expected to be proportionately better.

PRESIDENTIAL TIMBER REGULATIONS CURTAILED

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—The Senate military committee has struck out the provision in the Administration Timber Requisition Bill to authorize the President to prescribe regulations for timbering operations. The lumber interests had bitterly opposed this provision.

ROLLING BOULDERS WRECK TRAIN

HARRISBURG, March 15.—Two women were killed and fifteen others injured when boulders rolled on cars passing thru a cut on the Pennsylvania railroad near Elizabethtown today. Two of the sleeping cars were wrecked.

COUNTY IS LINED OUT FOR BATTLE

KLAMATH COUNTY ARMY TANKS PREPARED TO SMASH EVERY OBSTACLE IN THE PATH TO THE BLUE COLUMN.

That Klamath County thru its exceptionally perfected machine-like organization, in ahead of any other County in Oregon in its preparation for the coming Third Liberty Loan Drive and that there is no reason why it should not be the first to go "over the top" in flying colors was information given this morning to a hall full of enthusiastic workers by Blaine Hallock of Portland, State Leader for the coming campaign outside of Portland.

The meeting was held in the Upper Hall of the Elks Building. Mr. Hallock preceded his detailed instructions for the workers with some well chosen and inspiring remarks concerning the importance to the nation of the work in hand, pointing out the fact that the volunteers present were as truly in the service of their Government as the boys who were fighting on the fields of France.

He predicted that the county would bury its past record of a forty-seven per cent subscription by rolling up a total to which the citizens would look back with pride.

The active campaign will begin on April Sixth and continue thirty days but it is hoped that by a concentrated effort of the effective corps organized, the time can be cut down materially. A tribute was paid little Martin Adams of this city, who recently, while in the Klamath Hospital made the first application for a bond in the State of Oregon and in Mr. Hallock's opinion, one of the first in the United States.

RESIDENCE PROPERTY SOLD TODAY

MERCHANT BUYS HOME NEAR FOOT OF NINTH STREET. THE PROPERTY SOLD BY MEDFORD MAN, IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

A realty deal was completed today whereby O. J. Eskelson, a well-known city merchant takes over a six-room house and lot on Jefferson street between Ninth and Tenth. This property was previously held by A. B. Crance of Medford.

It is Mr. Eskelson's intention to make his home on his new property. The deal was completed thru the Smith Realty Company. The consideration was not made public.

OIL COMPANY AGENT RESIGNS

Oscar Peyton of the Klamath Fuel Company today severed his connection with the Union Oil Company after four years of service as agent here. His place will be filled for the present by O. Lemmon.

In speaking of the change today, District Manager J. H. Larkin referred with regret to Mr. Peyton's move declaring that he had been instrumental in building up a substantial business and that the firm would have been glad to retain him if possible.

SHIPPINGTON WOMAN DIES THIS MORNING

RESIDENT OF CITY FOR SEVERAL YEARS IS CALLED AT EARLY HOUR TODAY. FUNERAL TOMORROW AT WHITLOCK CHAPEL.

Mrs. I. E. Lucas passed away this morning at her home in Shippington after an illness of several weeks, caused by a complication of troubles. She is survived only by her husband in the immediate family. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock at the Whitlock Chapel, under the auspices of the Christian Science Church. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas have been residents of Klamath Falls for a number of years and the deceased has many friends who will mourn her departure.

TOWNS MUST SEND MEN TO HELP FARM

STATEWIDE "WORKLESS DAYS" ARE PROPOSED TO SENATE COMMITTEE. BUSINESS MEN MAY HAVE TO GO TO FIELDS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—"Statewide workless days" during the harvest season have been advocated by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Ousley.

Appearing before the senate committee on agriculture Ousley stated that it would be necessary to close down non-essential industries for a period of 15 days during the harvest season in order that workers might be sent to the farms.

"No act of legislation can send the men back to the farms," he declared. "I believe the business men will have to close their places for days and even weeks, and go into the fields and help harvest the crop."

MANY CONCRETE SHIPS TO BE TURNED OUT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—The company which launched the concrete ship yesterday can construct fifty more within eighteen months, it is announced today. Trials in the open seas will determine the value of this kind of ship.

I. W. W. CONVALED IN KANSAS

WICHITA, Kansas, March 15.—Indictments have been returned by the Federal Grand Jury here against thirty-five alleged industrial workers of the world. All but one are now under arrest and some have been already interned.

EMPEE OFFICIALS VISIT
Assistant General Manager J. H. Dyer and Division Superintendent J. Fitzgerald of the Southern Pacific Company, left this morning after short inspection trip over the lines in Klamath County.

I. W. W. ON RAMPAGE IN IDAHO TOWN

MOB ATTACKS SHERIFF AND KNOCKS HIM DOWN. CITIZENS GATHER AND OVERCOME TWO HUNDRED VIOLENT MEN.

ST. MARIES, Idaho, March 15.—A mob of 200 I. W. W. knocked down Sheriff Noland after it was learned that the prosecution had secured a change of venue in the trial of W. M. Nelson here.

The I. W. W. charged that a criminal syndicate had been formed and threatened to storm the jail. The citizens surrounded them and forced them to surrender. The mob was placed under a heavy guard. Pistols were found on some of the men.

PROMINENT STATESMEN AND LUMBERMAN PASSES

MARINETTE, Wis., March 15.—Former U. S. Senator Isaac Stephenson died here today at the age of sixty-nine years. His service in the Senate was from 1907 to 1911. During his service he enjoyed the distinction of being the oldest as well as the wealthiest Senator in the upper house of Congress. He ranked as one of the greatest lumbering producers of the nation. His various industries in Wisconsin employ thousands of men.

His death was due to the infirmities of old age and followed a week's illness.

YANKEE "GETS" GERMAN PLANE

WITH THE LAFAYETTE SQUADRON, March 15.—Paul F. Baer of Fort Wayne, Indiana, downed a German airplane Monday.

CASUALTY LISTS ARE INCREASING

NAMES OF SEVENTY TURNED IN BY PERSHING. FORTY HOWEVER ARE ONLY SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—General Pershing's casualty list just received, carries the names of seventy soldiers. Four of these were killed in action, two are dead from severe wounds and nine from disease. Fourteen have been severely wounded and forty slightly wounded.

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EFFICIENT ARMY NOW PREPARING CAMPAIGN

PERSONEL OF GREAT CORPS OF LIBERTY LOAN WORKERS ASSISTING CAPTAIN CHAS. FERGUSON OUTLINED.

BEST COOPERATION HAS BEEN EXTENDED LEADER IN HIS EFFORT TO PUT KLAMATH COUNTY AT HEAD OF STATE LIST.

That an efficient army has been enrolled for work in connection with the Third Liberty Loan in Klamath County is perhaps not realized by the people of the county for the work has been done quietly but thoroughly. Every department is organized under competent officers and the coming campaign will be fought along systematic lines wherein nothing is left to chance. Many hours have already been spent by the loyal and patriotic soldiers who have responded to their country's call and no desertions have been reported. The organization covers the entire field of endeavor and nothing has been overlooked. Orders from the commander have met with instant response in almost every instance. The first thing found necessary was a room for Headquarters and Chas. Loomis promptly placed at the disposal of the Government three rooms in the Loomis Building which has been a busy hive of industry. The California-Oregon Power Company have furnished the light required and the Masonic Lodge gladly donated the use of the necessary furniture. With the headquarters established the following list of loyal workers were enrolled under the command of Louise E. Ferguson, the Executive Manager of the County: Mrs. Geo. J. Walton, Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mrs. W. W. Baldwin, Mrs. F. E. Ankeny, Mrs. Hazel Powell, Mrs. H. G. McCarthy, Mrs. Rose Torrey, Mrs. J. B. Balcomb, Mrs. A. G. Horner, Mrs. Lisette B. Hague, Mrs. Ruth Gowen, Mrs. D. W. Parker, Mrs. Leslie Olds, Miss Alice J. McCourt, Miss Edith Rutenic, Miss Clara Calkins, Miss Myler Calkins, Mrs. C. K. Brandenburg, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ward, Mr. R. E. Smith, Mr. Arthur R. Wilson.

Strike in Austrian Railroad Shops On

GOETTERGEN, March 14.—Men at the workshops of the Austrian Railways have a "lock. By a newspaper declare that they have refused to obey orders of the military officers and return to work. The strike movement is reported to be spreading to other factories.

Huns Plan to Lose Army in Big Drive

AMSTERDAM, March 15.—That the Germans are prepared to lose 30,000 men in the coming great offensive on the western front, is news received here today. The Associated Press correspondent learned this from responsible neutral quarters. Field Marshal Von Hindenburg stated in an interview at Berlin that the leaders were prepared to make great sacrifice for the success of the drive. He stated that the Entente had shown an unresponsive attitude toward Germany's peace overtures and that the German offensive must therefore go on.