

MOVE MADE TO SPEED UP THE PEACE TREATY

Council of Foreign Ministers Is Appointed

MAY HASTEN THE END

New Body Will Take Up Other Issues Than Those Before Wilson and Colleagues—Lenine Urging Hungarians to Attack Vienna—Offers Support for Army.

(By Associated Press).

PARIS, March 28.—A council of foreign ministers and foreign secretaries of England, United States, France and Italy has been created to work simultaneously with the Premier and President Wilson but on different branches of the great technical questions which are now involved in the peace settlement. The action is said to have been taken in the interest of hastening the culmination of peace. It is expected that the new organization will consider the Italian Rumanian situation and the feasibility of arranging a peace treaty to include all the belligerents.

LONDON, March 28.—Premier Leagué has sent a wireless to the Hungarian government urging it to send an army against Vienna, according to a dispatch from Budapest. Leagué promised to advance one hundred million kronen to finance the project.

LONDON, March 28.—Action by the American troops who were looking after Russian prisoners in Germany is believed to have nipped in the bud an important Bolshevik plot, a Berlin dispatch says today. The Spartacists had planned a big uprising Thursday in the camp. The Americans however rushed the Russians aboard the train Wednesday night, scattered them throughout Germany, under guard of the various Americans.

PARIS, March 28.—Rumors are now current that the United States has received notes from Lenine and Trotsky asking for recognition of the Soviet government, according to Marcel Sutin in the "Echo De Paris." The writer says, "I cannot say that President Wilson has declined to give the request favorable consideration."

DEEP SNOW IN NATIONAL PARK

INDICATIONS THAT CRATER LAKE WILL NOT BE OPENED TO TOURISTS UNTIL LATE THIS SEASON

MEDFORD, March 27.—The Crater Lake season this summer can not possibly open before the middle of July, in the opinion of Alex Sparrow, supervisor of Crater National Park, meaning that cars can not run to the rim of the lake before that time, although as usual some venturesome tourists will wade miles thru the snow before that time.

Mr. Sparrow bases his opinion on the fact that, according to latest information he received from the ranger at park headquarters this week, the snow there measures 13 1-2 feet, twice its depth a year ago at this time. Last year the park season opened June 18. Two years ago cars were not able to reach the lake rim until July 24.

HAVE YOUR OLD CLOTHING READY

In order that the workers in the canvass for old clothing which is to be made tomorrow by the Red Cross, may not be delayed, it is asked that all those who have things to furnish, get them ready early in the day and that those who are going to be away, leave the things in a bundle at the front of the house, marked so that they can be picked up.

Apartment houses and business houses are asked to have their things all at one point, convenient of access.

People of the city are asked to remember that although the war may be over, the suffering in the war zone is not and will not be for a long time to come and that by taking a little time and picking up some things which would probably never be made use of, the greatest comfort may be brought to some one who would otherwise suffer.

KLAMATH ROAD MOVE SPREADS

COUNTY ROAD ASSOCIATION RAPIDLY SPREADING OVER EUCLIPIDEAN NEW MEMBERSHIP FROM FRANCE

While the best kind of local advertising has been given the New Klamath Good Roads Association it has hardly been placed on par throughout the world with the Peace Conference, nevertheless things of the organization are rapidly spreading thru Europe, according to information received here today.

The mission of the organization is being carried thruout the land or rather over it at the rate of a few hundred miles per hour by no other than Lieutenant Robert Riggs of the Aviation branch of the service who writes to his father F. W. Riggs asking for immediate membership and wanting one of the sticker emblems to paste on his flying machine.

Riggs declares that he has read about the good road move in the Evening Herald and wants to be in on this enterprise. He says that he is boosting the Klamath Country among his associates and has all competitors pushed off the map until the subject of roads is brought up and he then finds it incumbent on him to take his place quietly in the rear.

YANKEES GET SAFELY OUT OF BUDAPEST.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Prof. Philip Brown and Captain Nicholas Roosevelt, American members of the International mission to Budapest have succeeded in leaving there safely, the State Department has announced.

THREE REGIMENTS HOME SATURDAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 28.—The War department has announced that the transport "Aquitania" is due in New York March 29th bringing the 166th, 347th and 348th Field Artillery regiments complete. The latter regiment is a part of the 91st division.

WILSON FAVORING WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

ST. LOUIS, March 28.—The following message from President Wilson at Paris was read today at a session of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association. "Best wishes for convention. I earnestly hope that the suffrage amendment will soon be adopted."

NEW ARRIVALS REPORTED.

Dr. Warren Hunt reports the following birth notices: Born on March 22nd to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson of South Riverside, a girl baby; weight 7 1/2 pounds. Born, March 27th to Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Morgan, of 515 Klamath Ave., a boy.

RAILROAD BUILDER EXPECTED TONIGHT

Robert E. Strahorn, contractor for the Klamath Falls Municipal line to Dairy and promoter of the Strahorn railroad system of Eastern Oregon is expected in this evening from Spokane, Washington after an absence of many months. His arrival here has been looked forward to by many who are anxious to know what the railroad construction program for this season is to be.

SOLDIER BACK FROM SIBERIA.

Mrs. George B. Merserve of this city has received the glad news that her husband, who has been in the military service with the Ninety-first Infantry in Siberia, has arrived in San Francisco.

The young man had the influenza and is believed to have been sent home on this account. He is still under hospital care, and it is expected that he will not come to Klamath for about a month.

VISITORS FROM LANGELL VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown of Langell Valley left yesterday afternoon for their ranch after a short business visit in this city. Mr. Brown reports that crop prospects are good at this time for the farmers of his locality. The roads there have also been dragged and put in much better shape during the last few days.

DRAFT BOARD NOW MEMORY

RECORDS OF LOCAL EXEMPTION BOARD PACKED UP AND SHIPPED AWAY. MEMBERS GLAD TO BE RELIEVED OF DUTIES.

The local exemption Board of Klamath County which has had such a huge task, especially during the closing months of the war, is now practically a thing of the past. All the records which were compiled by the board and its assistants have been shipped away and this organization will be only a memory after the first of the next month.

To say that Sheriff George Humphrey, County Clerk C. R. DeLap and Dr. E. D. Johnson who comprised the Klamath County Board are pleased to be relieved of their task, would be putting the matter mildly as they are about as glad to lose the job as they would be to have a good healthy jumping toothache snatched away from them.

Not only was the task one which required endless time and detail work, but the responsibilities involved were most heavy as the matter of deciding on those entitled to exemption was given them. In addition to being entirely without compensation, they were obliged to make many small expenditures which were never made up. They were glad like the millions of others who served to do what they could, but they are also glad like the others that they are done.

Marion Barnes has served as chief clerk for the Board during the last months of its existence.

INDIANS WEDDED WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

The wedding ceremony which bound Victor Swanson Nelson and Miss Martha Hill of the Klamath Indian Reservation, in the holy bonds of matrimony was performed Wednesday evening by the Rev. E. P. Lawrence at his home at Pine and Third Street.

MISS GARRISON TO PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

SEATTLE, March 28.—Miss Ruth Garrison will be arraigned here today for the murder of Mrs. Dudley Stora last week. The eighteen year old girl who confessed to murdering her rival for the affections of the victim's husband an auto mechanic, will plead not guilty, according to her attorneys.

AN AMUSEMENT HALL FOR CITY IS UNDER WAY

Building Will Go Up Near Town Center

BUILDER IS LIVE WIRE

California Man Buys Valuable Property Here One Day and Starts Work for New Building on the Next—Skating Rink, Dance Hall and Other Amusements Included.

The latest business building to be started in Klamath Falls, is a new skating rink and amusement hall, which was begun here yesterday by tearing down the old photo studio on the property recently owned by J. W. McCoy on Fifth Street below Pine. The man behind the new enterprise is William S. Brunner, who came here very recently from Nader, California and is identified with the Pelican Bay Lumber Company. That Mr. Brunner is a live wire is indicated by the fact that he took over the property from Mr. McCoy on Wednesday and commenced preparations for the new structure on Thursday morning. The lot taken over was 58 by 130 and the new building will be 55 by 130. It is to have a dome shaped top, according to reports and will have a soundless floor of special material shipped in from the east. It is expected that the building may be completed within the next two months. A San Francisco man will be on hand to undertake the management of the building when it is completed, it is declared.

IRVIN COBB IS TO COME HERE

CELEBRATED WRITER WILL VISIT KLAMATH COUNTY AND CRATER LAKE SOMETIME THIS COMING FALL.

BEND, March 28.—In a letter received from Irvin S. Cobb, the noted lecturer and author, from New York, he advises that he has made definite plans for a hunting trip thru Central Oregon early in October with A. Whelan, editor of the Press, and Norman G. Jacobson, supervisor of the Deschutes national forest. While in Bend in February, Mr. Cobb was attracted by the advantages offered by this section for an outing trip on his return from Europe where he will go in a few weeks in the interest of a new series of articles in the Saturday Evening Post. On his return to the United States he will likely "do" the West for the same publication, and his trip to Bend and Central Oregon will be among the first visits made. It is his intention to spend the latter part of September hunting in Jackson Hole, Wyoming, whence he will come directly to Bend. The trip planned consists of a visit to Lake and Klamath counties, to Crater Lake, and a cougar hunt in Western Douglas county, north of Crater Lake.

ACCIDENT LAST EVENING.

To have the big Winton Car which he was cranking, start backward with a jump, dive across Main Street and into the front window of Barney Chamber's Gun Store was the unusual and very unexpected experience of Vernon Lindsay of the Vans Auto Service last evening. The car was in gear when the engine started and with no one at the wheel, there was no way to stop it. The damage to the Gun Store, window and articles is estimated at about \$200.

ELKS VAUDEVILLE ARTISTS GUESTS

Participants in the recent Elks' Vaudeville show here with the beaux and girls they may choose to invite are to be guests of honor tonight at a pretty party at the Elks Temple. The members of the lodge who are unwilling to have a dance go on without their being present are also going to be there in full force, according to report. Those who wish to go in formal attire are going in such a garb while many others maintain that they are not going to be handicapped in the work of the evening by swallowtails. It is apparent, however that they are all going in one way or another, as they have all been invited.

FRENCH GENERAL GIVEN HUGE TASK.

PARIS, March 28.—General Mangin, one of the leading officers of the French army, will be recalled from his command at Mayence, the newspapers announce today, to undertake a mission, the character and scope of which is indicated plainly by the events in Hungary.

ALGOMA ROAD OPEN.

What is declared to have been the first trip thru to Klamath Falls from Algoma for many weeks was made Tuesday by H. E. Hauger who indicates that the road is now in passable shape for vehicles of all kinds.

TROPHY TRAIN HERE SUNDAY

SOUVENIRS OF EVERY KIND FROM BATTLEFIELDS OF EUROPE TO BE BROUGHT FOR INSPECTION OF KLAMATH FOLK

The first gun of the approaching Victory Loan campaign which is to start on the 21st of next month, is to be fired here Sunday by the arrival of a big trophy train containing souvenirs of every possible description, which is to be brought in for the inspection of the local public.

The message from the Portland headquarters was received today by Attorney Charles J. Ferguson asking that a band be secured and that a guard of soldiers be on hand for service.

The train is to arrive in the city at six in the morning and to remain until one in the afternoon so that all may have ample opportunity to see the interesting trophies, brought home by the American soldiers at such a heavy sacrifice.

The exhibition at Klamath Falls will be the first in Oregon, according to an Associated Press dispatch this afternoon. A Committee from Oregon will meet the train at Dunsuir on its way from the south. The train will exhibit Monday at Ashland, Medford, Grants Pass, Gold Hill, Glendale, Riddle, Myrtle Creek and three hours at Roseburg Monday evening. Coos bay towns will be visited Tuesday and Eugene Tuesday evening. Corvallis, Albany, Salem, Woodburn, Hubbard, Aurora, Canby and Oregon City will be covered on Wednesday and the train will arrive in Portland Thursday.

DARING HOLD-UP IS MANAGED TODAY

DETROIT, March 28.—Six armed men this afternoon held up a branch of the official state bank and escaped with \$50,000 after locking up twelve persons including patrolman and employees, it is reported.

DIVORCE SUIT FILED.

An action for divorce has been instituted by Dollie L. Ruff against George L. Ruff in the office of the County Clerk. The plaintiff charges are desertion and failure to provide. The custody of the four year old child is asked and sufficient funds for the defendant for its support Attorney J. H. Carnahan represents the plaintiff.

LIBERAL TERMS FOR NEW LOAN BUYERS

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 28.—The terms of payment in the new Victory Loan announced today are the most liberal ever offered by the government.

The deferred payments may be extended over a period of six months from May tenth to November 11th.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION INCREASES GAS TARIFFS.

SALEM, March 28.—The public Service Commission has granted an increase of gas rates to the Oregon Gas and Electric Company supplying Grants Pass, Medford, Phoenix, Talent and Ashland. The commission held that the increase was necessary to prevent a shut down.

MAYOR OUT FOR CLEAN KLAMATH

EXECUTIVE CALLS FOR SUPPORT OF ALL TO TIDY UP TOWN FOR SEASON AND BE READY FOR BIG CONVENTION

Klamath Falls is going to have company and she is going to be dressed up to receive her guests in an appropriate way, if Mayor I. R. Struble has anything to say about it and if you happen to hear him talk, you will think he has something to say. "The thousands of visitors who come in to attend the second Annual meeting of the Elks' State Convention in August must find a clean place," said the Mayor today, "and there is no time to start like the present time." I am out to make every personal effort to bring this condition about, but I must have the co-operation of the citizens of the community if it is to be successfully carried out. Let us start the season right by getting all the old rubbish and litter cleaned up and hauled away. It will then be an easier matter to continue this condition thru the co-operation of the scavenger department, which has just been created and which will be launched the first of the month."

ROMANCE ENDS HAPPILY.

James N. Kilgore and Miss Florence Weyant were married at the residence of J. M. Watkins here on Tuesday evening by the Reverend Simpson Hamrick of the Methodist Church. Both participants are residents of Fresno, California, where the groom is engaged in grape growing and the wedding here is the culmination of a romance of long standing, according to Mr. Watkins, an old friend of the groom. The couple left for California this morning.

FORECLOSURE SUIT FILED.

Suit for foreclosure on a mortgage given on property in Minnesota as security for two notes signed January first 1917 aggregating \$7,000, has been instituted in the office of the County Clerk here by Carl E. Elving versus Emil C. Nelson, Hannah Nelson et al, thru his attorney Bert C. Thomas. The two alleged notes were for the amount of \$3,500 each and the action recites that no part has been paid except the sum of \$47.16 interest, which was designated at six per cent.

SOLDIER GLAD TO RETURN TO CITY.

Law Pritchard, who is well known here where he was formerly identified with the Pelican Bay Lumber Company, has returned after several months absence in the military service with the motor transport department. He has been in a number of the military camps over the United States while away and states that he is very glad to get back to Klamath and that he will probably remain here.

COMMITTEE OUT TO GET FUNDS FOR NEW CLUB

Commercial Organization Is Demanded by City

CAMPAIGN IS NOW ON

Booster Meeting Is Held at City Hall Last Evening—Opinion for Need of Live Wire Body Is Unanimous. County Must Not Let Opportunities Slide By.

The desire to see a good live commercial organization launched in this city, which would work for the interests of Klamath Falls and Klamath County was shown by about forty enthusiastic boosters who appeared at the mass meeting at the City Hall last night, where it was decided to send out a committee under the auspices of the old Commercial Club to enlist support for what may be later worked into an entirely new organization.

Many of the prominent men in the city believe that it would be well to form an entirely new body at this time but it would not be possible to go out for financial support unless under some responsible organization head, so the above decision was reached after considerable discussion.

The Committee is composed of E. L. Elliott, O. D. Burke, R. G. Grobeck, Oscar Peyton and J. F. Maguire and these men expect to make an immediate canvass of the city.

It was the unanimous opinion of those present that some body should be created immediately which would take care of the development problems that now confront the community. Some believed that the highway question was the biggest thing to be confronted, others brought the railroad matter up. The need of housing for the rapidly increasing population, bringing in more factories, assisting the development of the agricultural lands aiding the farmers and many other needs were cited.

Talks were made by R. C. Grobeck, Senator George T. Baldwin, Rev. E. P. Lawrence, Mayor Struble, Professor Moore of the High School, Archie Wishard, O. D. Burke, F. Hill Hunter, R. H. Runbar, E. S. Veach and others.

It is expected that another meeting will be called at a very early date when a report of the committee will be made.

ENEMY ALIENS SOON SENT OFF

DANGEROUS CHARACTERS WHO ARE NOW INTERRED HELD FOR FUTURE DEPORTATION.

MANY ARE I. W. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—Attorney General Palmer disclosed the fact today that four thousand enemy aliens were interred here during the war. He said that parole would be granted here to some six hundred of the harmless class and that others would be repatriated. Nine hundred dangerous persons are to be held indefinitely, according to the official. These include two hundred I. W. W. whose cases are to be referred to the department of Labor with a view to deportation.

COUPLE WEDDED BY JUSTICE CHAPMAN.

Announcement is made today of the marriage of Lee Vandell and Miss Lena Clay by Justice N. J. Chapman on March 25th.