

TREATY IS SIGNED BY GERMANS

Final Act That Brings Formal End to World War Occurred Today

HERMAN HUELLER AND JOHANNES BELL, FOR GERMANY FIRST TO SIGN HISTORIC DOCUMENT

U. S. TAKES LEAD

President Wilson and the American Delegates First Allied Signatories

GREAT BRITAIN NEXT

Then Follow France and All the Other Allied Nations in Their Regular Order—China Did Not Sign the Treaty and South African Representative Did So Under Protest.

PARIS, June 28.—(By Associated Press)—The Treaty of Peace between Germany and the allies was signed today in the Historic Hall of Mirrors at Versailles, bringing formally to an end the world war which began four years ago.

The treaty must be ratified by the legislative nations and separate treaties must be signed between the contending nations and those which were aligned with Germany in the war, but today's event marked the virtual close of the war.

The ceremony of signing began at 2:13 P. M. Paris time or 10:30 Washington time.

Dr. Hermann Mueller and Mr. Johannes Bell, the German Delegates, signed first, then President Wilson and the American delegates. Then Premier Lloyd George and the British representatives and those of other nationalities in turn. The ceremony was finished at 3:49 P. M., although the cannon signals, heralding the completion of the historical event, began at 3:44.

The Chinese delegates did not sign the Treaty and were not present.

Christian Smuts, representing the union of South Africa, signed under protest, being dissatisfied with certain territorial settlements.

PARIS, June 28.—In the completed peace treaty which was signed today, the newspapers say there were certain stipulations which it was hoped would hasten ratification of the treaty by the German national assembly. The Journal says that the allies stipulated that the liberation of German prisoners would be dependent upon the ratification of the treaty by the German assembly.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—Acting Secretary Polk informed the senate committee on foreign relations today that the final draft of the League of Nations' covenant showed some changes in the wording from the version printed in this country.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—President Wilson and party will leave Paris tonight for Brest, to sail

for home. Secretary Tammity was notified today. A cable from President Wilson said that all members of the party were well. The President has consented to an unofficial reception for him upon his arrival in New York.

NEW FACTORY IS PROJECTED

THE CRATER LAKE BOX COMPANY IS INCORPORATED AND EXPECTS TO BE OPERATING THIS FALL.

Articles of incorporation have just been filed for the first of what will probably be eight new manufacturing establishments to be located in this vicinity within the next two years. The name of the concern is to be the Crater Lake Box company. It will have a capitalization of \$50,000, and will be financed by local and outside capital. The names of the promoters are not yet ready for publication.

Arrangements have been made for the location of the plant on the sixteen acre site alongside of the Pellier Hay Lumber company's plant, the assumption being that the lumber from this mill will supply the needed material for the manufacture of the shooks, though on this point those interested refused to make a positive statement.

Work on the erection of the necessary buildings and the installation of the machinery will start immediately, and it is the expectations of the promoters to have the plant in operation early this fall.

LAST CHANCE FOR A BIG BARN DANCE.

The Barn Dance that is to be given tonight at the Louis Schmitz ranch under the auspices of the Mrs. P. E. Hannon and Mrs. Schmitz band at the Sacred Heart church, promises to be the most successful of these popular affairs, judging from the advanced sale of tickets.

The fact that it is one of the finest floors in the county, that the music is to be the best, that refreshments will be served and that it is in all particulars to be a unique and unusual affair will surely make it one of keen enjoyment for those attending.

AUTEN LOSES A TIRE.

John Auten is having more than his fair share of bad luck this month. First his garage and car burned up and in order to replace this loss Mr. Auten went to Portland the first of the week and purchased a Paige "six".

He was driving the car home and reached Hornbrook without mishap, but upon stopping there for a few minutes he came back to his car only to find that the brand new tire had been taken from the rack at the back of the machine. A thorough search failed to reveal either the tire or culprit who stole it.

SOLDIERS' DANCE A BIG SUCCESS

The best kind of a time is reported by the very large number who attended the dance Thursday evening for the soldiers at the Houston Opera House.

This affair which was given by the Women's Relief Corps was another of the "Welcome Home" occasions, which have been staged by this patriotic order, and which have proved so successful. Fine punch was served throughout the evening.

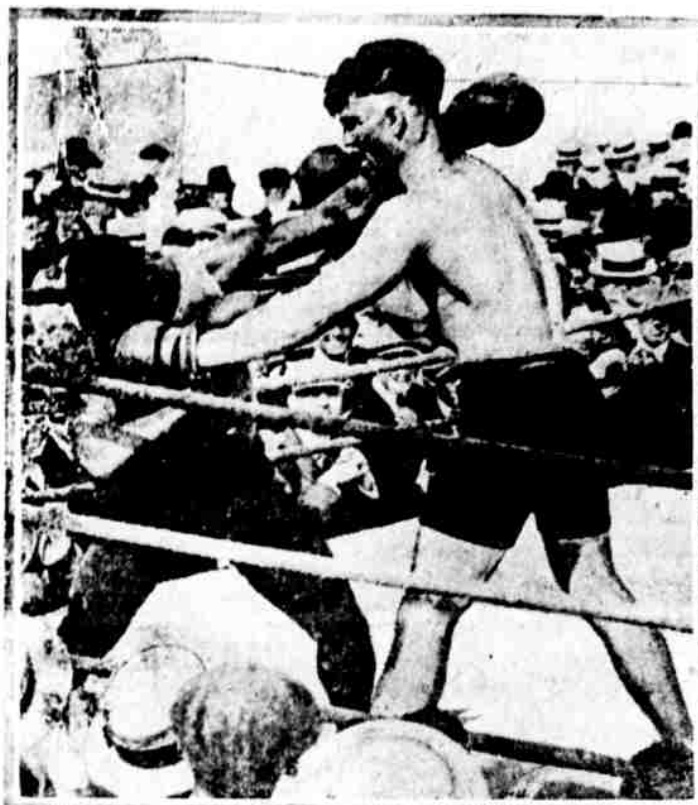
COUNTER REVOLT IN HUNGARY IS QUELLED

BERNE, June 28.—A counter revolutionary movement in Hungary during which the monitor Danube was seized by the rebels, has been quelled, according to advices from Budapest.

RANCHER VISITS.

S. E. Icenbice was in town today on matters of business from his ranch in the Pine Grove district.

DEMPSEY TRAINING AT TOLEDO FOR HIS CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT WITH JESS WILLARD



Jack Dempsey believes that when he gets a crack at Jess Willard's title on July 4th he should be in the best of condition. He is working on that principle. His sparring partners will touch for that. Dempsey is seen here boxing at Toledo with Jamaica Kid. He has just finished three fast rounds with another man. Our sporting editor remarked that you can see Dempsey's ribs, which means to him that the contender for the heavyweight title is in pretty good shape.

MAMMOTH ARENA RISES FOR FIGHT

ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE FOR SEATING FIFTY THOUSAND SPECTATORS—COST WILL BE OVER \$150,000

TOLEDO, O., June 28.—Thrilling to gaze yellow skeleton skyward the huge bowl-shaped arena, costing \$150,000 and originally planned to seat 30,000 persons, is rapidly nearing completion for the "cock-fight" championship contest between Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey here July 4.

The arena is located in Bay View Park, a municipally owned plot of ground 1 1/2 acres in extent and directly north four miles from the heart of the city. Before being turned over to Tex Rickard, promoter of the championship contest, the park had been used as a recreation center and the arena rests on the site of two baseball diamonds. On the north side of the park is Maume Bay and to the east is Maume River. Encircling the plot is a road of crushed stone. The park is of artificial construction, most of it being filled in land, but it is ideally situated in every respect. It is perfectly flat and treeless, making the work of the engineers constructing the arena easier than it otherwise would have been.

Some idea of the immensity of the arena may be obtained from the fact that it is four times as large as the arena in which Jack Johnson battered Jim Jefferies to defeat in Reno, Nev., and capable of seating four times as many persons. Approximately 1,750,000 feet of lumber has been used in the structure. Not a bolt has been used, the entire building being held together by nails of which two carloads or 50,000 pounds have been driven. All new lumber has entered into the construction and this will be sold after the contest.

Precautions for safety have been taken in the construction. Careful tests were made of the ground to find out whether it could carry the great human weight which would rest upon it. The carrying capacity of the lumber and the tensile strength of the nails were determined and a margin allowed for safety.

Although the structure was originally planned for 50,000 persons, a load of 80,000 persons was taken as the basis of the estimate and, instead of allowing 175 pounds per person, as is done in ordinary construction for "live loads", an average of 200 pounds was taken. This gave a total "live load" of 8,000 tons, but to allow even a further amount of safety mar-

gin, construction was based upon a load of 10,000 tons.

As an insurance against any settling should rainy weather on the day of the match, or even a few days before, cause the structure to settle slightly, heavier footings were used. This entailed an additional expense of about \$3,500 but Promoter Rickard decided it would be cheaper for greater safety afforded.

Nor is the actual safety of the spectators the only thing which has been considered. Every effort has been made to make it certain every ticket holder will get the seat to which his ticket entitles him. To take care of the big crowd, there will be four grand entrances, one each at the north, south, east and west side of the arena. At each of these will be four runways, one each for the \$10, \$15 and \$25 seats, while the fourth will take care of the \$30, \$40, \$50 and \$60 ticket holders. In order to obtain entrance it will be necessary to pass muster of three separate ticket takers to guard against anyone not holding a ticket slipping by.

REASONS MANY FOR BUYING THRIFT STAMPS

The present movement to develop thrift as an enduring American trait is vitally necessary to the stability and prosperity of the United States. Every citizen can do his part by saving systematically a part of his earnings before spending a cent of the remainder and placing it in such a safe investment as war Saving Stamps. They pay 4 per cent interest compounded quarterly, and besides that their sale directly aids the government in carrying out its post-war work, and lays the foundation for the buyer's financial independence and success.

1705 STUDENTS ON RIOTS AT EUGENE

EUGENE, Or., June 28.—When the Eugene schools closed this June 1705 pupils were on the rolls against 1804 of a year ago. At the end of the term in 1917, 1618 children were registered on the books. The largest growth was made within the month following the armistice when 125 children were added to the registration. The attendance comes more nearly approaching the high water mark of four years ago when 1802 children were attending the city schools at the end of the term. The figures were compiled by Superintendent W. R. Rutherford yesterday.

DR. MITCHELL'S CONDITION.

The many friends of Dr. Mitchell will be glad to learn of his continued improvement, his condition being better today than at any time yet. Dr. Massey, however, states that it will be at least two days before a definite conclusion can be reached. Indications of slight peritonitis are present, but the greatest infection is located outside of the abdominal cavity, and it is this that is causing the greatest uneasiness to his physicians.

HAD FINE TIME AT FT. KLAMATH

THE BUSINESS MEN OF THE CITY HAD THE TIME OF THEIR LIVES ON THEIR JAUNT TO THE NORTHERN TOWN

The banquet held at Fort Klamath last night for the Business Men's Association was attended by forty Klamathites, which is a fair representation of the city's business men and their families. They all vote that it was worth the trip up there, even though the roads were slick after the rain.

A fine dinner was served at the Fort Klamath hotel at 7 o'clock, after which the Peerless Orchestra furnished music for dancing. They did such a good job that everybody danced, age not entering into the occasion at all. By 12 o'clock every one was ready to eat again, and the happy crowd adjourned to the other hotel, where the ladies of the Fort had prepared a lunch for their guests.

During the evening a whole roast pig was raffled off, and the proceeds turned over to the Salvation Army fund. Before the lucky number was found \$64 had been netted for the worthy cause.

Mrs. Lindsey Sisemore was chairman of the committee in charge of the party, assisted by her two sisters, Mrs. Pelton and Mrs. Cochet, and Mrs. Dan Ryan. The success of the affair was due to the natural ability of these ladies as hostesses. They left nothing undone that would provide comfort and pleasure to their guests from Chiloquin, Klamath Agency and Klamath Falls.

The dance broke up at 2 o'clock, and cars have been arriving here since 4 o'clock this morning.

GETTING READY FOR THE BIG CONVENTION

When the Elks hold their convention here next August, the visitors will find two bright spots in the old town, a least. Mrs. Agnes Eskelson is having a new coat of paint put on both her houses, but she has not stopped there. The yards surrounding these newly painted homes are being improved with flowers and grass, a thing many yards in Klamath Falls are sadly in need of.

If the rest of the city residents follow in Mrs. Eskelson's footsteps there will be no cause for criticism from the many strangers who plan on visiting here during the convention.

WILL REPORT ON ALL PROHIBITION BILLS

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The House judiciary committee today voted to report out all prohibition enforcement legislation in one general bill, with wartime enforcement set down as part one.

SOUTHPORT, England June 28.—British, French and Italian labor representatives have decided to make a general demonstration July 20-21 to protest against allied intervention in Russia, according to an announcement made by Arthur Henderson, British labor leader at labor conference here.

SEATTLE EMPLOYEES GET SALARY BOOST

SEATTLE, June 28.—Mayor Ole Hanson today recommended salary increases for about five thousand city employees.

OCCUPATION TAX DUE JULY FIRST

BUSINESS MEN ARE EXPECTED TO PAY THE TAX TO THE CITY TREASURER WITHOUT FORMALITY OF NOTICE

The business men of the city are overlooking something of their own making—the payment of their occupation tax, and if they don't pay it by the 1st of July—well somebody will catch you, if you don't watch out. Under the ordinance it is the duty of the business man to pay an uninvited visit to Miss Ida Mommyer, city treasurer, who will graciously accept your contribution to the city treasury.

Following is the license each business will have to pay:

Abstracters of Title	\$5.00
Agents selling fruit trees or nursery stock	2.50
Agricultural implements	10.00
Art Stores	2.50
Auctioneers	2.50
Auction sale of goods per day, by	1.00
Attorneys and counselors at law, each	5.00
Automobile agents, transient	10.00
Agents soliciting laundry from outside city	2.50
Bakery	2.50
Bakery, with confectionery	5.00
Barber shop, two chairs or less	2.50
Barber shop, each additional chair over two	1.00
Book agents, per day	5.00
Book and stationary stores	5.00
Banks	10.00
Boot and Shoe stores	10.00
Blacksmith shops	2.50
Bootblack stands	2.50
Brickyards where kilns are burned	2.50
Brokers, including pawn shops	2.50
Butcher shops	10.00
Bill posters, sign hangers, tacklers and distributors	2.50
Boarding house where more than two boarders are kept	2.50
Carpenter shops	2.50
Contractors	10.00
Chiropodists	10.00
Civil engineers	5.00
Commission and forwarding merchants	5.00
Confectioneries	2.50
Cooper Shops	2.50
Creameries	5.00
Cement block factories	2.50
Cleaning and pressing establishments	10.00
Cobbler and shoe repairers	2.50
Department stores	25.00
Dealers in bicycles, or repairers of bicycles	2.50
Delicatessen stores	2.50
Dentists, each	5.00
Drug stores, carrying stationery	10.00
Drug stores, carrying building materials	15.00
Dye works	2.50
Dry goods stores	15.00
Dry goods stores, carrying boots and shoes	20.00
Exhibitions, other than menageries or circuses or side-shows (except for charitable purposes, which shall be free) first exhibition	5.00
each succeeding day	1.00
Fish Market	2.50
Foundry and machine shops	5.00
Furniture stores	10.00
Fruit vendors on foot or selling from baskets	2.50
Fruit vendors with portable stands	3.00
Fruit packing houses	2.50
Flouring mills	10.00
Fruit stands	3.00
Feed stables	2.50
Feed stores	2.50
Gas companies	15.00
Oil companies	15.00
Garage where automobiles are kept and repaired	7.50
Garage where automobiles are kept and repaired, and sales agencies maintained	10.00
Garage where automobiles are kept and repaired, sales agencies maintained and wholesale oil agencies maintained	10.00
Gunsmiths	2.50
Grocery stores	12.50
Gents furnishing goods	10.00
Hardware stores	15.00
Hardware stores with harness manufacture or repairs	20.00

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