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CAMPAIGN IS APPROVED BY COMMITTEE

More than a score of men representative of different lines of business in Klamath Falls, constituting the service Fund Committee of the expansion movement for the Klamath County Chamber of Commerce, met at headquarters last night and after going over the contract entered into between the directors of the chamber and the American City Bureau carefully, decided to lend their best assistance, individually and collectively, for the success of the campaign. The committee went into a lengthy discussion as to the needs of Klamath County and the part the Chamber of Commerce may take in bringing about accomplishment. It was the opinion expressed that the tentative goal originally specified in the contract, \$17,000 was too low, and it was raised to \$20,000. Memberships and pledges to the service fund are to be signed for period of three years, as the tentative work before the chamber is of such magnitude and importance that some of the activities will extend beyond a period of one or two years.

It was explained by the committee that the plan for financing the organization provides that at least 400 members at \$25 shall be sought, and in addition a service fund of \$10,000. The revenue from membership dues will be used in defraying the administrative overhead expense, while that derived from subscriptions to the service fund will be used in carrying out the special activities provided for in the program of work. These activities, of rather a tentative outline to be suggested for the consideration of the membership after the campaign has been completed, will be announced through the local press and in campaign literature after they have been finally compiled.

Those present at the meeting were: E. B. Hall, chairman of the service fund committee; J. E. Swanson, M. S. West, E. W. Doe, John Martin, Gus Krause, C. L. Daggett, E. H. Thomas, J. J. Furber, O. D. Burke, James Milne, J. T. Perkins, K. Sugarman, W. H. Klingenberg, Will Baldwin, M. P. Evans, T. B. Watters, C. S. Curran, M. A. Callaghan, T. L. Stanley and Burge Mason; also L. W. Depuy and Brice W. Hoskins of the American City Bureau field staff who are assigned to assist the local organization in its expansion campaign.

Assistant Campaign Manager Glenn M. Still last evening addressed the women of the American Legion auxiliary.

The campaign arrangements committee will meet this afternoon, to complete arrangements for the Community Conference that is to be held tomorrow evening. Thomas H. Reed, of the political science department of the University of California, will arrive in Klamath Falls tomorrow afternoon from Berkeley.

Come From Portland Via the Auto Road

M. S. Lester, of the Ewauna Motor company, with Mrs. Lester, arrived here last night from Portland, having made the trip by auto via Eugene, Medford, Ager, and Topay grade. They left Portland Sunday morning, and visited along the way. They made the trip in a Hupmobile, the Ewauna Motors company having taken the agency for that car in this district. They averaged 25 miles to a gallon, and the oil consumption was very low.

The Ewauna Motors company has also taken the agency for the Overland and the Willys-Knight cars.

Place Bars Against All Immigration

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Bars against immigration from Europe will be placed May 1, under plans announced by republican leaders. Senator Dillingham has prepared for immediate introduction in the new congress an immigration restriction bill vetoed by Wilson. It would limit immigration for one year to three percent of the population of alien origin now in the country.

Merchants Bureau To Discuss Rates

Tonight at the Chamber of Commerce room merchants and business men will hold a meeting, at which freight rates and other matters will be discussed.

It is probable that the question will be raised as to whether the rate reductions proposed by the Southern Pacific will be accepted or a reopening of the rate case before the interstate commerce commission asked.

ALL TIMBER FOR OIL WELL ON THE GROUND

With the shipment to the well site, yesterday, of the last carload of timber, the Crater Lake Oil and Gas company has all the wooden material for its first drilling operation on the ground. The site is about a half mile north of Merrill.

Bunk houses and a cook house are being erected for the rig carpenters, and for later use by the drillers. Local carpenters are doing the work.

The last car of material delivered contained the wood for various shafting, also the cams for the giant wheel on which the drilling cable is coiled.

The shafting material is iron wood from Australia, a wood that is harder than oak, and used in preference to oak because it is cheaper. Each board foot weighs seven pounds. The diameter of the shafts is 16 inches, and there was about 60 linear feet of it, making a weighty cargo.

All of the timber was furnished by the Lakeside Lumber company.

GUILD PROGRAM

The apen committee of the St. Paul Episcopal Guild will give a card party in the dining room of the White Pelican hotel on the evening of April 20. Further plans will be announced later.

MAY SETTLE COAL STRIKE

LONDON, April 6.—The executive body of coal miners today accepted the government's proposal that the miners' delegation met representatives of the owners and the government with a view to re-opening negotiations for settlement of the strike. The mine owners have accepted the proposal.

LONDON, April 6.—The transport workers federation today decided to support the miners' strike.

LONDON, April 6.—Factory owners of Turin, an important Italian industrial center, have declared a lock-out says a dispatch, and troops have occupied the factories.

Uncle Sam Insists On His Full Rights

WASHINGTON, April 6.—News notes on mandates have been sent by the American government to Japan, Great Britain, France, and Italy, and the occasion for sending them is said to be the receipt of Japan's reply to the original American note which protests against Japan's mandate over former German Islands in the Pacific north of the equator. Notes broad enough to cover all American rights growing out of the world war form part of the series begun by former Secretary Colby in which the United States insisted upon its full rights as one of the allied and associated powers.

PARIS, April 6.—The allies reply to the American mandates note will probably express intense satisfaction if the United States is disposed to resume collaboration with the allies in settlement of war questions.

MARKET REPORT

PORLAND, April 6.—Hogs weak; sheep, slow; eggs, irregular, birds ranging from 18 to 20 cents, selling price unchanged; butter, 4 cents lower.

FULL TEXT OF C. OF C. CONTRACT WITH AMERICAN CITY BUREAU

The charge has been made by those interested in misrepresenting the terms of the party of the first part at Herald that it did not publish the correct figures when it gave to its readers the terms of the contract entered into by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and the American City Bureau and that this agreement does not call for 25% commission.

"6. The notes provided for in Article 3 and 4 shall bear interest at the current local rate of interest on commercial paper, and shall be negotiable at the bank or banks in which the party of the first part deposits its funds."

The Herald overlooked the provisions of Articles 4 and 5 in its statement of Saturday. Article 4 make it obligatory for the chamber of commerce to make a cash settlement with the American City Bureau if the pledges and payments exceed five per cent of the contract goal. The "contract goal" is 400 memberships or membership pledges and \$7,000 budget fund. The aggregate of the two is \$17,000. If the amount collected in cash and pledges exceeds this by 5 per cent, then the chamber of commerce shall pay the first year's commission in cash, less ten per cent; and the second and third years with negotiable notes, less ten per cent, the notes carrying 8% per cent interest.

"Estimated commissions" means that commissions shall be paid on all memberships and applications for membership and all financial pledges. There is a provision, however, that if the estimate exceeds the amount of commission actually earned, then there shall be an adjustment, as provided in section b, article 3.

"(d) All dues and pledges paid before, after, or during the commission period shall be subject to the regular commission charge, insofar as they cover any portion of said period.

"3. The method shall be as follows:

"(a) Within thirty days from the termination of the membership and financial campaign, settlement of the estimated commissions for the first year shall be made by the party of the first part to the Bureau by the payment of fifty per cent thereof in cash and the remaining fifty per cent in a seven months' negotiable note.

"(b) If at the beginning of the second fiscal year, commissions earned by the Bureau on the basis of actual collections for the first year shall exceed the amount of estimated commission for that year, payment shall then be made by the party of the first part to the Bureau in cash for the amount of such excess; but if the commissions earned shall be less than the estimated commissions, the party of the first part may deduct the amount of such over-payment from its subsequent payments to the Bureau.

"(c) Within thirty days from the termination of the first fiscal year, commission payments for the second and third years shall begin; and such payments shall be made quarterly by the party of the first part on the basis of actual collections until final settlement of all obligations under this agreement shall have been completed."

Below is a verbatim copy of the contract, complete:

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made this 29th day of November 1920, by Klamath County Chamber of Commerce of Klamath Falls, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Oregon, hereinafter designated as the party of the first part, with the AMERICAN CITY BUREAU, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, hereinafter designated as the Bureau:

WITNESSETH:

1. The party of the first part hereby retains the Bureau in the capacity of organization counsel for the following services:

(a) To organize and direct a campaign the purpose of which is to enroll 400 members, more or less, pledged to pay annual dues of \$25.00 a year for a period of three years.

Educational, Membership and Financial Campaign

(b) To procure additional financial pledges or payments aggregating Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7000.00) a year, more or less, for a period of three years, to be used by the party of the first part in stimulating

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Hopes for New Reparation Schedule

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Hope that negotiations would be reopened between Germany and the allied gov-

ernments for a new schedule of reparations was expressed in a memorandum transmitted to Berlin by the state department. It was sent to Loring Dressel, American high commissioner, for communication to German officials.

Highway Bridge Contracts Let

PORLAND, April 6.—Barban and Marshall were yesterday awarded contracts for state highway work in Klamath county by the highway commission as follows:

Crossing on the Altamont canal on The Dalles to California highway, \$3997.

Crossing of the Oregon, California and Eastern railway near Dalry, \$2,952.50.

FARMERS READY FOR ORGANIZED GRAIN SALES

CHICAGO, Apr. 6.—The complete machinery necessary for farmers to handle marketing of grain, outlined in the report of the committee of seventeen recommending the establishment of corporation to be known as United States Grain Growers Incorporated was submitted to a ratification conference o cooperative grain marketing assembled here today.

A committee was appointed to interview Colonel W. B. Greeley, chief forester of the United States, now in Portland, and seek to enlist his co-operation. On this committee are George M. Cornwall, C. S. Chapman, A. J. Jaenicke and R. H. Shapler, all of Portland.

Six resolutions were adopted, among them a request for state appropriations in the beetle infested states of New Mexico, Arizona, California, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, and the province of British Columbia.

Another resolution asks federal co-operation and the appropriation by congress of a sufficient sum to conserve timber from loss through unnecessary insect depredations.

Others ask the co-operation of the railroad systems operating in the infested states and the Chamber of Commerce of those states and also the United States Chamber of Commerce.

The local Chamber of Commerce and the Forest Fire association were thanked for their co-operation in the campaign so far and for bringing about the conference. Appreciation is also expressed to the federal and state forestry officers and entomologists for their attendance and interest.

"Through information presented by representatives of the federal government, and states," says the resolution, "it has been possible for those attending this conference to secure a much more comprehensive idea of possibilities of control work than would otherwise have been possible.

Elks Will Install Tomorrow Night

Installation of the new officers is expected to attract all members of the Elks order to the temple tomorrow night, and a social evening with plenty of amusement and abundant refreshments is promised after the induction ceremonies.

The officers-elect are:

C. A. Hayden, exalted ruler; Burge Mason, esteemed leading knight; Dr. Paul Noel, esteemed loyal knight; Glen Jester, esteemed lecturing knight; M. P. Lavenik, treasurer; Henry Momoyer, secretary; Jas. Swansen, trustee, and A. F. Salicky, tyler.

STRIKE NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN HALTED.

LONDON, April 6.—A hitch developed last evening in the proposed resumption of the negotiations to end the miners' strike. Lloyd George announced.

FARMERS SMUDGE TO PROTECT THEIR CROPS.

MEDFORD, April 6.—Smudging was prevalent in the Rogue river Valley today as a protection against heavy frosts.

NO GAME TODAY

SALT LAKE CITY, April 6.—It is snowing here again today, probably interfering with the second scheduled game of the Pacific Coast League.

ACCEPTS AMBASSADORSHIP

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Myron T. Herrick has decided to accept the ambassadorship to France.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ireland, who have been here several days visiting with friends, left for Portland today.