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Today's Roundup

By MALCOLM EPLEY

A N acquaintance of ours, who has made inquiries of the army engineers concerning the proposed Central Valleys diversion of Klamath river water, writes that the engineers have assured him that Klamath

has nothing to fear. The irri-gation needs of the Klamath gation needs of the Klamath basin will be given full con-sideration in any diversion proposal, he was told.

Promises of this nature will be found in the engineers'

tentative report on the pro-posed diversion, and they will be made freely by the engin-eers when asked about the matter. When this writer matter. When this writer raised the question several EPLEY months ago, he immediately received a letter from the U. S. engineers' office assuring him will be satisfied

that basin irrigation needs will be satisfied.

This creates a dangerous situation, inasmuch as these promises may lull the fears of those who might otherwise be properly concerned over this diversion proposal. We do not mean to intimate that the engineers are not sincere in their extenses. They mean what there in their statements. They mean what they say, but it is clear to anyone, upon giving the matter consideration, that no guarantees can be given at this time in which we can put full con-fidence for the future.

We know that any law can be repealed. We know that there are changed interpretations of such basic principles as state's rights, for instance. We know that in recent years, the supreme court of the United States has given new interpretations to constitutional provisions, even upsetting decisions previously handed down by the supreme court and long-established in legal precedent.

At tremendous cost, it is proposed that a diversion channel be built to carry a specified minimum of water from the Klamath basin to the Central Valleys watershed. Once the channel was built, and use established over a long period, it might be difficult, indeed, for the irrigationists of the upper basin to prevent Central Valleys from getting that minimum flow, even though a need for the water had developed in the Klamath.

Without the channel, we know the Klamath basin will get all the water that is available here for full agricultural development. Once it is built, we can never be sure. Long dry cycles which cannot now be forecast, increased use of water for more intensive crops, and other factors, can enter into the situation and develop conflicting claims for the water. When that time comes, the promises made back in 1945 might or might not prove of value to us. We are sorry, but we cannot regard such guarantees, as eternal or fool-proof.

Guest Editorial By MARVIN D. HIXON Klamath County Junior Chamber of Commerce

THIS month we pay tribute to two great Americans—Abraham Lincoln and George Americans—Abraham Lincoin and George Washington. Their ideals and accomplishments are our heritage and we must feel proud to live in a country founded on their principles. They lived and strived in an era when our great country was young, its people suffering extreme country was young inst beginning to realize the hardships and just beginning to realize the full benefits of a democracy. Pioneer families—our ancestors—were plodding westward, fighting and working, to settle the land and to expand industry. Wildernesses had begun to vanish industry. Wildernesses had begun to vanish and large cities sprang up throughout the west.

Hence, we now have not only a thriving civilization, but a free and democratic nation. Our democracy is well founded. It has with-

stood pioneering hardships and has repelled fors, both foreign and domestic, and is now carrying us victoriously througenests struggles of all times. through one of the

Let us here in this great community, where democracy is in action closest to us, pause and meditate for a brief moment. We have here in concrete evidence the fruits of a free nation. We can see a future in our community even more prosperous and fruitful than in the past. Under the rights of a free people, you and I will have equal opportunity to build that future and will reap our just benefits.—ALL this because of a democracy.

The War Today

By DeWITT MacKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst

THE undertaking reached by the Big Three-Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin—in the brief eight days of their Crimean parley represents the greatest task ever essayed by manbringing the European war to a successful conclusion, rehabilitating a stricken Europe under the Atlantic charter, and establishing permanent

The immediate and outstanding impressions which I get from this staggering program are two. The first is wonderment that such a detwo. The first is wonderment that such a gree of accord should be reached, for now-if ever—is the moment when international suspicions should be riding high and tempers should be on edge. The other is that one can see real hope that success will crown the report.

We saw the peace of the last war fall because too many cooks messed about with the broth. This time supervision of the job is for all practical purposes in the hands of only three—the world's dominant powers. Our hopes rest largely in that fact.

Capable of Enforcement

THE BIG THREE are capable of enforcing any program-no matter how vast-upon which program—no matter now vast—upon which they are agreed. That is, they're capable of enforcing it so long as they stand together and pool their mighty influence. This doesn't mean that the ideas and cooperation of all nations aren't essential, for they are, but we are on the verge of an epochal change which demands that we take a practical view of things.

The Big Three seem to be evoking warm approval for their recognition of France's positions as a major ally. She is being invited to take over one zone of occupation in Germany (the chances are that it will be the Rhineland west of the river) and put a member on the control commission with America, Russia and

Britain.

One notes, however, that there's no sign of enlarging the Big Three into the Big Four for Europe. That's understandable, for poor France is so broken that she isn't yet prepared to resume her place as a world power. She will climb back to that exalted position through the rebirth which she now is undergoing under the leadership of General De Gaulle.

At this moment De Gaulle can't say, France can't say and the outside world can't say just

can't say, and the outside world can't say just what evolution our old and valued ally will pass through to restore her position. Certainly great spiritual, political and economic changes are in the making.

The Crimean report gives us a partial answer to the question of whether the Big Three intend to call on the German people to quit Hitler. The conferees would seem in effect to do exactly that through their statement.

Law Laid Down

THIS lays down the law to the Germans—but gives them hope. "Nazi Germany is doomed," but "it is not our purpose to destroy the people of Germany." There will be a "decent life" and "a place for them in the comity of nations" when "nazism and militarism have been extirpated." But they "will only make the cost of their defeat heavier for themselves. the cost of their defeat heavier for themselves by attempting to continue a hopeless resistance."

The explosive Polish question naturally fig-ured in the discussions. The most important result achieved would seem to be that the result achieved would seem to be that the three were able to agree on a procedure to be followed in settling the highly controversial governmental and frontier problems. Time alone will tell whether there will be any change from the program already laid out by the present Polish provisional government. That regime now is reconstructing the war-torn country. And one would expect the ultimate plebiscite to ratify what's being done. iscite to ratify what's being done.



SIDE GLANCES

"Our goalie's not here yet, Joe-you can fill in fill he comes if you make your nose stop running!"

Medal Due Chinese Soldier; He Invented Rocket Defense

arrow zoomed skyward under its own power.

The bewildered soldier on the Chinese wall drifted into obscurity, and rockets next pop up 100 years later among the Arabs, who often exchanged scientific chit-chat with the Chinese. A hunch-backed Arab scientist invented a rocket-propelled boat which was pear-shaped — hundreds of years ahead of modern "streamlining."

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This led a British colonel, Sir William Congreve, to come up with a rocket which was to prove the terror of Europe for the next 55 years. The projectiles weighed about 40 pounds, could carry explosive or incendiary charges. They had a maximum range of about 3000 yards.

Sir William's fireworks got their first battle test in 1806, when the British moved against the French at Boulogne. One night a fleet of small boats expecially rigged to fire rockets slipped into Boulogne harbor and shot the works.

The French were as surprised as the Germans 138 years later when a fellow named Eisenhow-

(Fourth of five stories on war rockets)

By FRANK CAREY

Associated Press Science Writer
WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 (P)—
There ought to be some sort of posthumous award for a 13th century Chinese warrior when historians start listing the heroes of this war.

One legend has it that he invented the rocket while helping defend the Great Wall against Kublai Kahn in 1232. In preparing a flaming arrow, he accidentally used some gunpowder. Imagine his surprise when the arrow zoomed skyward under its own power.

The beginning ships in the invasion of Normandy

The following year the British really went to town with rockets. This time the Danes were their victims. A naval barrage of 25,000 rockets sank the Danish fleet and burned Copenhagen to the ground.

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LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13 (A?)—Naval authorities here have amounted the names of eight service men whose bodies were removed by pack train yesterday from the burned wreckage of a patrol plane in the mountains near Brookings, Ore.

The dead included Aviation Machinists Mate 2nd Class Bendering States and States and

D. C.

But when the British were storming Fort Henry in Baltimore harbor hidden American batteries knocked off one of the rocket ships and chased others away. Out of that battle Francis Scott Key wrote of the "rockets red glare" and gave us our national anthem.

We used rockets in the Mexican war of 1846-48, but by 1950 rifled cannon had developed such accuracy that rockets again got the go-by throughout the

got the go-by throughout the world. However, the Germans had other ideas. In the closing years of the century, one Her-man Ganzwindt was expounding his theories on "space ships" powered by rockets.

Klamath's *Yesterdays*

From the files — 40 years ago.

From the Klamath Republican
Feb. 23, 1905
A ledge of fine building sandstone has been located on property owned by the Klama'h
Canal company, in the Marion
Hanks traet north of town. The
company is expected to present
the school board with enough
stone for the new school building here.

J. E. Bodge has arrived here from Salina, Calif. He has se-cured quarters in the old New York Kitchen, and will open a tailor shop.

From the Klamath Herald Feb. 13, 1935 The Herald published an extra today on the conviction of Bruno Richard Hauptmann for the kidnap-slaying of the son of Charles Augustus Lindbergh,

The Road to Berlin

By The Associated Press
1—Eastern front: 32 miles
(from Zellin),
2—Western front: 304 miles
(from southeast of Kleve),
3—Italian front: 544 miles
(from Reno river),

Names of Casualties In Plane Wreck Given

OBITUARY

Alonzo Storey, for the last 40 years a sident of Klamath county. Oregon, assed away at his residence west of the last 10 years a store of the last 10 years a store of the last 10 years a native of eight months. He was a native of clight month, lie was a native of assecs county. Illinois, and at the time this death was aged 77 years 4 months and 15 days. Surviving are his wife.

FUNERAL

JOHN HENRY BOGGS

Funeral services for the late John
Henry Boggs who passed away in this
city on Sunday February 11, 1945 will
he held in Linkville cemetery on Wednesday February 14, 1945 at 2, p. or
communicative vices with filter than the
Earl Whitlock Funeral Home of this
city.

Courthouse Records

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
STATE OF OHEGON FOR KLAMATH
IN MAILER of the Esiate of Katherine Ess. (also known as Katherine. It
see Deceased. Notice is bereaty given
that the undersigned has been appointed
daministrator of the Estate of Katherine
Ess. (also known as Katherine I. Ess.) Deceased. All persons listying claims spainst
said estate are directed to present claims
read to the property of the property of the property
Fred D. Fletcher, I.2 Melhase Building,
Klemath, Falls. Oregon, within als
months from the date of the first publication of this notice, which is February 13th, 1945. K.S.
Administrator.

F. 13-20-27; M. 6-13-No. 33.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT Notice is hereby given that Raiph R Meastrine, the duly appointed qualified and acting executor of the Estate of Rive S. Durment, deceased, has filled in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Kinamath County, his final account of his administration and said Court has fixed the 9th day of March, 1945, at 15,00 ocleek A. M. as the line and the Circuit Court room as the place for the hearing and settlement of said account.

P. 6-13-20-27-No. 32.

IN THE CHRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF THE COURTY OF OREGON FOR KLAMATH COURTY OF THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF NELLEL L LANGER. Deceased. Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed Kacculor of the Last Will and Testament and estate of Nellet L Langer, deceased. All persons having claims against asid estate are required to present them, with the promote Nellet L Langer, deceased. All persons having Ganong, 724 Main Street, Klamath Falls. Oregon, within six months from date hereof.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1945.

WILL HUMPHIRY.

Executor of the above estate.

J. 50: F. 6-13-20-No. 27.



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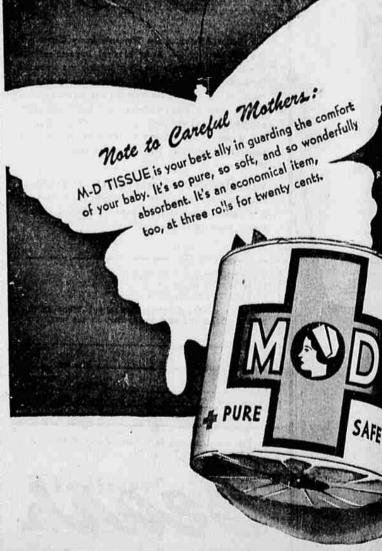
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Telling The Editor

AGAINST DIVERSION

BLY, Ore., (To the Editor)—
I wonder if we people of north-ern California and southern Ore-gon are going to sit by and let central and southern California steal our birthrights from under us?

If California would make arrangements to save the flood waters that have been going to waste and causing great damage, they would have no need to ask for the waters that we need so hadly. for the waters that we need so badly.

The Klamath river can be made one of the greatest power-producing rivers in the country, creating great wealth and payers of the greatest power by the country of the great wealth and payers of the great wealth roll in every community from Keno to the coast. In this devel-opment, it would be quite pos-sible to make Klamath Falls a

sible to make Klamath Falls a seaport city.

And now for the reservoirs and irrigation. We do not want reservoirs on such valuable land as the Sprague River valley. These dams should be further up the rivers so that all the hills and smaller valleys can be irrigated. Too many people think

these hills are just so much waste land, but that is a sad mistake. Just any of that rocky land is worth \$100 per acre for pasture when the water is applied, and we have many thousands of acres on which to apply the waters of our streams without dumping it into the Pit.

Let's keep this water for our own inland empire—Siskiyou, Modoc, Klamath and Lake counties!

O. H. OSBORN

was introduced in the senate today by President Howard C. Belton, Canby: and Sens. Marthall E. Cornett, Klamath Falls, and Joel C. Booth, Lebanon. All are republicans.

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O. H. OSBORN.

Limit On President's Terms Eyed In Senate

SALEM, Feb. 13 (P)—A memorial asking congress to pass a proposed constitutional amendment limiting the president of the United States to two terms

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