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Today's Roundup

SPACE restrictions and John Houston's excellent guest editorial make brief comment advisable here today. The Oregon house of representatives, 29-26, refuses to tax slot machines because it would be "surrendering to the racketeers"...

Guest Editorial

By JOHN HOUSTON President, Klamath County Chamber of Commerce. AS I see it, the chamber of commerce is an organization of persons interested in Klamath county who band themselves together to accomplish those objectives which they can reach more easily by united action than by individual effort...

STATIC

By KELLY ROBERTS. Della Musselman, in front of whose house all the shooting took place the other evening, submitted the names of three songs on "What's the Name of That Song" over KFJI last night...

The editorial office received a clipping this morning from the Miami, Florida, Herald, right from the land of sunshine, showing the picture of the three little girls that were snapped by Wes Guderian and featured on our front page several days ago. The kids are shown lying out in the middle of some good old Klamath sunshine, let it snow, let it snow. Get your suntan in the middle of a snowball fight, come to Klamath Falls!

RADIO PROGRAMS

- THURSDAY EVE., APRIL 3. KFLW-1450 kc. 8:00 Sports Lineup. 8:15 Home Town News. 8:30 World News Summary. 8:35 Klamath Theatre Guide. 8:40 Amer. Town Meeting ABC. 9:00 World Security Work ABC. 9:15 10:00 Stardust Melodies. 10:30 Freddy Martin Orch. ABC. 11:00 Night News Summary. 11:30 Sign Off. 11:45 News MBS.

into action. The larger cities were persuaded to withhold their efforts to secure competing service until Klamath Falls had been granted its air line connection with the rest of the world. Those few illustrations show what I mean when I say that the chamber turns wishful thinking on the part of a lot of individuals into well organized, intelligent action in the best interests of Klamath county.

Many Activities

YOU can add from your own knowledge some reports on other chamber activities, such as helping get more refrigerator cars, assisting new and established industries, promoting tourist travel, urging the planting of more fish and game birds, encouraging construction of private housing, securing the new veterans hospital, strengthening inter-city relations, securing highway development, watching state and national legislation (and acting in what seems to be the best interests of Klamath county)...

News Behind The News

By PAUL MALLON. WASHINGTON, April 3—Moscow has turned out to be Versailles all over again. The French want more coal than Germany can produce lying prone economically. The Russians have taken over the former position of the British empire and want similar reparations beyond Germany's defeated capacity...

Not Kidding

If you wish to go all through that again, the Russian position might be accepted. What aided us in making fools of ourselves last time was an illusion that somehow our money and help would bring peace. That illusion is not visible this time in the reparations situation. These half-stated considerations are what lie behind General Marshall's rejection of the Soviet ultimatum on reparations. He said frankly no agreement at all was better than one like that. Marshall is not kidding. He is not playing diplomatic politics, rejecting something for effect and inwardly intending to compromise later. He means what he says.

The World Today

By DeWITT MacKENZIE AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

England has given no more impressive exhibition of determination to whip her economic crisis and defend her interests at home and abroad than we have just witnessed in the circumstances surrounding the passage of the peace-time conscription bill through its second (and decisive) reading in the house of commons. That measure is a live bomb, providing as it does for the calling up of some 200,000 men between 18 and 26 annually for service in the armed forces...

Moreover, owing to the shortage of miners the country for weeks has been without adequate fuel and light because of scarcity of coal. And to make the cup of misery overflow, England has been wading through hell and high water, due to unprecedented storms and floods.

Prestige Maintained

Could one imagine a tougher moment in which to present a bill for the conscription of manpower into the army, the navy and the airforce? Yet the socialist government is determined to keep the country on an armed footing which will provide adequate defense and maintain Britain's prestige as one of the Big Three. And in this emergency the conservatives, who politically are the mortal foes of the socialists, turned to and supported the government when it was faced with a split in its own party.

What happened was that a considerable left-wing section of the labor (socialist) party deserted the government over this issue—enough so that Prime Minister Attlee's ministry might have been overthrown if the big conservative minority had joined with the socialist dissidents. But former Prime Minister Churchill led his followers into the fight for Attlee, with the result that the measure was adopted by a vote of 386 to 85—a result which doesn't show the full extent of the leftist revolt, since quite a bloc of members refused to vote.

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Five Year Act

The conscription act would run for five years and Defense Minister Alexander says that by 1954 it would produce a trained reserve of 700,000. At present Britain has some 1,500,000 men on active service—a tremendous fighting machine. The government is trying to reduce this number to 1,000,000 by March 31, 1948—still a great force. With all this evidence at hand, can any doubt that John Bull not only is determined to see his crisis through, but that he has faith in himself. That's a question of vast importance in these days when the world unhappily is divided into two camps, and Britain is siding with America.

Indications are that the British public in general is united on foreign policy. This view is strengthened by the bi-partisan vote on the conscription bill, because socialists and Tories are strange bed-fellows under ordinary circumstances. There are vast differences of opinion on how to handle some imperial problems—India, for example—but not so much where British foreign interests are involved.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes tendered us during our recent bereavement in the death of our beloved father, husband and brother. Just W. Poltras Ruby W. Wright and family Harry Wright Jr. Orville Wright.

Youth Fractures Arm In Bad Fall

Young Dickie Houser celebrated his 9th birthday in Hillside hospital April 1, but doesn't consider it a joke that a badly broken left arm has ruined his spring vacation from Shaata school. Dickie was moved by ambulance to his home, 6077 Shaata way, late yesterday afternoon, the severity of the break making it necessary for him to remain in bed at least another two weeks. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Houser. The child fell outside his home last Friday afternoon when spring holidays were little less than one hour old.

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