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WOMEN FACE
IN SMOKE
TUNNELS

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RESCUE PARTY

Equipment Is
Rabbed from
Mines

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STEIWER WANTS KLAMATH VOTES

Prominent Eastern Oregon Attorney Campaigning For U. S. Senate

After burying the political hatchet for eight years, Frederick Steiwer, prominent lawyer of Pendleton, who arrived in Klamath Falls last night, has announced his candidacy for the republican nomination of United States senator from Oregon.

"In the spring I will start an active campaign and I will return to Klamath Falls, in fact every section of Oregon will be visited. At that time I will make a formal announcement of my platform," said Steiwer last night.

"I am making a preliminary trip through southern Oregon for the purpose of ascertaining the senatorial situation and making some alignments with residents of southern Oregon as well as extending my acquaintances.

"My formal platform has not yet been published. However, I have already announced that I will be a candidate and in the preliminary announcement I took a strong stand for law enforcement and for law observance."

As a native son of Oregon, Steiwer was born in Marion county in 1883 of Oregon pioneer parentage. He obtained his prep school education in Oregon, later graduating from both Oregon Agricultural college and the University of Oregon. Steiwer was admitted to the bar in 1908 and has practiced law since that time with the exception of a year and a half when he saw active service in France during the world war. In 1912 Steiwer was elected district attorney of Umatilla and Morrow counties which were then combined in the same district. He served four years in this capacity and was then elected to the state senate in 1916.

NEW FRENCH DEBT PARLEY EXPECTED

Another Attempt to Agree on Funding Four Billion Dollar Liabilities

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—(United News)—Indications are strong that the capital may soon see another French debt drama, and officials are hopeful that it will end more happily than the last display here, which went along smoothly for several acts, and then fizzled out unsatisfactorily.

The usual preliminaries have taken place. Secretary of the Treasury Mellon received assurances Thursday that the new French government desired to take steps now to fund its four billion dollar debt. This came in a letter from French Ambassador Daeschner, who had received a telegram to that effect from Finance Minister Loucheur.

This was followed Thursday afternoon by a meeting of the American debt commission called, it was announced to arrange for signing the Roumanian debt settlement Friday, but during which there was talk of the French debt situation.

The trend that these new efforts at settlement take will depend, it now appears, largely upon the debt settlement that develops in congress, which will meet next week. Congress has before it, for ratification, several settlements reached during the recess, as well as the facts concerning the abortive French negotiations. Principal among these settlements are those with Italy and Belgium, which differ, too, from the model set by the British settlement, which congress has regarded heretofore as a precedent.

FORM NEW GOVERNMENT
MADRID, Dec. 3.—Gen. Primo de Rivera, dictator of Spain since September, 1923, formed a "civil" government to succeed the military directory today.

King Alfonso had authorized the formation of the new government a few hours before.

De Rivera remains at the head of the state in the position of president of the council of the new government. The other positions are divided among naval and military officers and civilians.

SEALED VERDICT SAID TO FAVOR NEGRESS WIFE

Jury in Famous Case Out 12 Hours

REPORT IS UNVERIFIED

Verdict Will Be Opened At Ten O'clock This Morning

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 4.—(United News)—The jury trying the annulment suit of Leonard Kip Rhineland against his colored wife, the former Alice Beatrice Jones, reached an agreement late Friday night, but its verdict will not be read until 10 o'clock Saturday morning when Justice Morschauer reconvenes the Westchester county court.

The Rhineland jury returned a sealed verdict at 11:25 Friday night and it was believed that the verdict favored Leonard Kip Rhineland's colored wife, the former Alice Beatrice Jones.

The sealed verdict of the jury returned after 12 hours of deliberation was handed to the clerk of the court, who locked it up in a safe for presentation to the court in the morning. The jury was out since 11:27 a. m., and returned the verdict at 11:25 p. m.

None of the jurors would discuss the verdict, but there was a report about the court house that it was in favor of the defendant. In either case, final decision as to whether the marriage of the son of the old and wealthy Rhineland family to the colored hack driver's daughter shall be dissolved, rests with Justice Morschauer. The task of the jury was to determine

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MOSQUITO BITE LEADS TO SUIT FOR DAMAGES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—A mosquito bite on a sleeping driver's tongue has started a supreme court action here involving \$2,700.

William Miller, in charge of cattle, was sleeping in the open more than a year ago, when the mosquito descended upon his tongue. Infection followed and Miller, by an award of the state industrial accident commission received, \$2,000 for medical expenses and \$700 compensation for time lost.

KLAMATH NEWS WILL SPONSOR FOUR-BIT DAY FOR CHEST FUND

The News is preparing to sponsor a four-bit day. Why?

The News knows there are many ways of ridding one's self of 50 cents. A half-dollar will purchase four cigars which, after being lighted, will not precipitate a mob scene with the smoker as victim. It knows that 50 cents will buy a bottle of perfume, or some candy, or a few drinks at the soda fountain. A half-dollar, perhaps, will bring the purchaser a pair of socks, or maybe some powder which, subsequently, will find its way to various quarters of the buyer's physiognomy.

Then why The News' four-bit day? The News knows other things about 50-cent pieces. It knows they will get a freckled-faced youngster some small trinkets that freckled-faced lads cherish and carry about in the pockets of holey overalls. It knows that a half-dollar, spent as it should be, will get a five-year-old girl a doll which, maybe, isn't very pretty, but which will bring a very peculiar light to the five-year-old's face. The News knows that four-bits, which might be tossed carelessly on a counter, might buy quite a bit of happiness. The News knows its readers will understand. The News is thinking of Christmas morning when scores of unfortunate children will be looking for the presents which may not be waiting for them unless enough four-bit pieces appear.

The News believes it can promise that each of its employees will furnish his four-bits. And The News further believes that scores of its readers will drop into The News office and likewise contribute.

Soon The News will announce the date of its four-bit day.

MEDFORD GETS SOUSA'S BAND

Famous Organization Visits Valley City in Two Concerts Jan. 20

Chas. D. Hazelrigg, who produced the Kiwanis opera at the fair grounds during the summer, announces that he and George Andrews have secured Sousa and his incomparable band for two concerts in Medford, afternoon and night of January 20. For this, the thirty-third annual tour of this wonderful aggregation, the veteran conductor has made an extra effort to secure the very best men obtainable, and as he says himself, it is the best organization he ever had.

Mr. Hazelrigg says he is especially anxious that Klamath people shall be well taken care of, and with that in view will have a regular seat sale in this city, where intending patrons can see just what seats they are getting. Dates of the sale and prices will be announced later.

M'CARTHY IS HELD FOR NEXT TRIAL

Attorney Asks Convicted Man To Be Held Here for Witness

Today Sheriff Bert Hawkins had planned to accompany to the state penitentiary at Salem, one C. K. McCarthy. McCarthy recently was held guilty by a jury in circuit court of the charge of larceny.

But McCarthy will not go to Salem today. Instead he will remain in the county jail. All because he was subpoenaed in the case of Arthur Ames, also charged with larceny.

McCarthy and Ames were jointly indicted by the grand jury, but each demanded a separate trial. Sheriff Hawkins' plans were upset late yesterday afternoon when W. P. Myers, attorney for both of the defendants, insisted that he needed the convicted man as a witness.

McCarthy was arraigned for sentence yesterday before Circuit Judge A. L. Leavitt. He was sentenced to serve a period of two years behind the gray walls of the Salem prison.

SNOW HITS KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4.—A driving snow storm that moved north-eastward late Friday, left this city blanketed under five inches of snow, demoralized street and railway traffic and resulted in several minor accidents in the downtown section.

TRAMP STARTS RIOT IN CALIFORNIA TOWN

WOODLAND, Calif., Dec. 4.—Andy Seoney, a tramp, has escaped from the Woodland jail, but the authorities are not searching for him. In fact, they hope he won't come back.

Andy dropped off a freight train here early Thursday and a few minutes later was embroiled in a street fight with several of the town's citizens. He was taken to jail and a few hours later rolled his blankets and bedding in a corner of the cell and set fire to them.

In the confusion which followed the wooden jail building was destroyed and Seoney disappeared. Posses are not scouring the countryside in search of him.

Paul Evans Loses Car in California

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Evans of Klamath Falls yesterday lost their car and personal belongings near Sacramento, only to find them a short time later safe and sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans were homeward bound after two weeks spent in San Francisco, Berkeley, and other southern cities. Only 20 miles out of Sacramento, a day-light "job" was pulled by auto thieves who escaped with the car and the entire personal belongings of the party.

Reaching Sacramento several hours later, they informed the police, working on the description of the car, found it lodged in a garage.

Upon identifying the car as their own, Mr. and Mrs. Evans took "inventory" to find but a few of their personal belongings missing.

They are now safely on their return home.

Mr. Evans is an employee of the Shell Oil company and Mrs. Evans formerly an employee of the Klamath News, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter West of this city.

BOOZE UPHEAVAL REACHING ACUTE STATUS IN N. Y.

Dry Leaders Fight Each Other

CONGRESSMEN KICK

Moderate Drys Resent the Attack of Extremists On President

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Difficulties and complications growing out of prohibition have reached such an acute stage that they are monopolizing attention in almost every direction.

Coast guard officials are preparing to court martial all of their men involved in the sensational New York rum running scandal.

Rival dry leaders are denouncing each other and have split completely on the issue of laying enforcement failures directly on President Coolidge.

The anti-saloon league executive committee is in session trying to decide whether it will join with the rabid fringe of the dry movement, or whether it will flirt with the moderates.

Clinton N. Howard, spokesman for the Protestant extremists, has directed a letter to Pope Pius XI asking him to urge Catholics in America to support prohibition wholeheartedly.

Yet congressmen arriving for the new session are registering complaints regarding enforcement and agitating for repeal of the Volstead act.

The anti-saloon league, in resolutions, commended President Coolidge's enforcement policies and urged creation of adequate judicial machinery to prosecute all violators, large and small.

Wets, through the association against the prohibition amendment resented the attack of the extreme drys on President Coolidge declaring it would "completely destroy the already shaken confidence of the general public in the prohibition experiment."

MELHASE PLANS STORE BUILDING

New Brick to Rise Opposite County Court House On Main St.

Approximately \$20,000 is to be spent in the erection of a new two-story office building on Main street between Fourth and Fifth streets, it was announced yesterday. The Al Graham Construction company is to do the work.

The first shovel-full of dirt will be turned about April 1, it was announced.

The new building is to be of brick and is to rise across from the Klamath county court house. At the present time the property is occupied by Peasley's photograph shop and the Home restaurant. These will occupy the ground floor of the building, and offices will be on the second floor.

Richard Melhase, pioneer of Klamath Falls, is to finance the new structure.

CHILOQUIN FORMS BOY SCOUT TROOP

First Unit Established By Nord in Progressive Northern Town

For the first time in its history Chilquin is able to boast a Boy Scout troop, Wednesday evening, December 2, the Commercial club at the request of Everett O. Nord, scout executive of Klamath county agreed to sponsor the first troop, which will be known as Troop No. 1, Chilquin, Boy Scouts of America. Three members of the club agreed to act as troop committee, and have made arrangements for a meeting place which will be the DuVoll hall. The troop committee is composed of the following business men of Chilquin: George A. ... secretary of the Commercial club; J. S. Prime, S. P. depot agent, and C. C. Heldrich, of the Klamath Supply Co. These men selected William C. Balfour, hotel man, as scoutmaster, Frank E. Bell, electrical contractor and DeFore Cramblit, principal of schools, as assistant scoutmasters. At a meeting held at the school Thursday noon, with the boys, Mr. Nord, who was introduced to them by Rev. Dean Pol-

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Police Hold Four Robbery Suspects

Four men are held in the city jail as suspects in the reported robbery of the Waldorf Pool Hall, last week, according to Chief of Police Loucks.

Police are endeavoring to sift to the bottom the circumstances surrounding the case, but, last night, were not prepared to give out any information. Some of the men, Chas. Loucks believes, are using aliases.

About \$50 was stolen from the Waldorf. The number of men engaged in the robbery is not known. Details regarding the suspects are expected to be available soon.

ANTI-EVOLUTIONISTS OPEN UP IN FLORIDA

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 4.—Centering their attack in Florida on text books which they charge are "encouraging disrespect for the bible" fundamentalist forces, marching under the banner of the bible crusaders and defenders of the faith, have launched a fresh national offensive here to "protect young America from the evolutionists."

It's all right if the older folks want to believe their forefathers hundreds of years ago leaped from tree to tree, say the crusaders—although they will try to convince these that they're out on the wrong limb—but the minds of the generation of tomorrow must not be clouded by the evolution theory and other modernistic ideas.

KIPLING HOLDING OWN

BURWASH, Sussex, Eng., Dec. 4 Ruddyard Kipling is maintaining his strength in his battle against plural pneumonia contracted as a result of a chill last Saturday.

The famous author's condition was reported unchanged Friday night.

PELICAN SCHOOL CLOSED BY CASE OF MENINGITIS

Situation in Hands of Health Dept.

SCOOLOPENS MONDAY

Pupils Will Be Fumigated To Guard Against Infection

With one case of spinal meningitis discovered in the Pelican Bay school, Lee Craft, engaged in county health work, yesterday morning closed the school and dismissed all pupils.

Each of the four rooms was fumigated by Mr. Craft. Dr. G. S. Newsom, in charge of the county health unit, declared yesterday afternoon that all measures will be taken to prevent the spread of the dread disease.

The lad who is the victim is about six years of age, Mr. Craft said. His name was not made public.

Discovery of the case was made about 9 o'clock yesterday morning and, at 3:30, the school was ordered closed.

The school is to re-open Monday, it was announced, but pupils exposed will not be allowed to attend any public gathering during the next two weeks.

Spinal meningitis, Dr. Newsom explained last night, is an acute infectious disease.

"Because of its rather terrible nature, I shall make the rules regarding the case extremely rigid," he said. "I don't propose to have it spread if it is possible to avoid such a thing."

The disease, the physician explained, is the result of a germ which affects the membranes of the brain and also the spinal cord.

Through the use of a serum, he said, the mortality rate has been materially reduced in recent years but, even now, there are many fatalities as the result of the disease.

Frequently the disease affects the limbs of a victim, rendering them useless. There are many cases of this kind, Dr. Newsom said.

Generally, the health of Klamath county has been unusually good this year, and Dr. Newsom expressed regret at the appearance of the new disease.

German League Puts Ban on Jazz Babies

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—(United News)—A league against modern women has been formed in Germany by men who yearn for the old fashioned girl.

At the inaugural meeting, a resolution was passed whereby the members pledged themselves "never to marry a girl addicted to cigarettes."

To the more puritanical of the members this resolution seemed too mild, whereupon they moved that the league ban marriage with girls who "either smoked, drank intoxicating beverages, wore their hair bobbed or painted their lips."

Ladies, It Is Necessary

That we clear our ready-to-wear department of winter dress and sport coats.

We do not want to carry any over to take up stock room rightfully belonging to future merchandise.

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