

WEST TELLS OF HIS DIFFICULTIES

GOVERNOR DECLARES THAT HE HAS A HARD TIME GETTING SHERIFFS AND PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS TO ACT

ALBANY, Nov. 29.—Governor Oswald West addressed a capacity audience at the opera house here on the general subject of "Civic Righteousness and Law Enforcement," after he had been the guest of honor at a banquet given by the leaders of the law enforcement in this city earlier in the evening.

He said it was a difficult matter for the governor to secure the enforcement of the laws of the state if the prosecuting attorneys and sheriffs did not co-operate with him in the work, and that he was having a bill drafted for presentation at the next session of the legislature, having for its object the giving to the governor of power to remove from office, or at least suspend, officers who do not enforce the laws, and giving him authority to appoint special prosecuting officers to do the work.

Another bill, he said, was being worked on the present time requires express companies to refuse all shipments of liquor not plainly labeled as to contents, so that liquor cannot be shipped into dry territory in plain packages. He complimented the people of Albany for having handled their own problems without coming to the governor's office for help, as he said he had troubles of his own. He reiterated his former statements that he did not intend to run for governor again, and that he had no political fences to build and no one to shield in his efforts to enforce the laws of the state.

In speaking of his labors throughout the state recently, he said: "The prosecuting attorneys of the state have the power to enforce the laws, and when they say they cannot do so they are either incompetent or crooked, and should be removed."

At the close of his address L. E. Hamilton read a resolution of support of the governor's policies, which was unanimously adopted by a standing vote.

SEATTLE FEARS ANOTHER SHOCK

SEATTLE, Nov. 27.—"Do you think there will be another?" is the question on everybody's lips here today as the result of three earthquake shocks which jarred Seattle at intervals of an hour last night.

"Very ladylike little tremblers," was the statement of students who observed the records made by the seismograph at Washington University. There was none of the upheaving felt in destructive shocks. The first occurred at 7:20 and the last, which was accompanied by a low rumble, at 9:15.

ATHENS, Nov. 27.—A general renaming of streets in the Greek capital has been decided upon to commemorate the victories of the Balkan armies in Turkey. Already University street, Stadium street and Academy street have been rechristened respectively Salonica street, Constantinople street and Venizelos street.

Every town captured by the Greeks will be similarly recognized.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. V. Fisher on Friday afternoon at 2:30 for work. Preparations will be made for the bazaar to be given just before the holidays.

HICKEY TELLS OF HIS CRIMES

BUFFALO, Nov. 29.—District Attorney Dudley announced that Hickey has confessed to the murder of Joseph Josephs, the 7-year-old school boy, and Michael Kruke, a newsboy whose body was found in Central Park, New York, ten years ago.

Hickey attributed his downfall to drink.

FRUIT RATE TO CITY REDUCED

Henry Kofeldt, the Ashland fruit grower who made several trips to this city recently in an effort to establish a market for Ashland fruit, has secured a lower freight rate, so that he believes that next year he will be able to ship a great quantity of fruit here at a profit.

By dint of hammering with the officials he succeeded in getting the rate reduced from 59½ cents per hundred pounds to 40½ cents, a saving of \$3.80 per ton in fruit rates. He also secured a refund of about \$30 per car on the two cars of fruit shipped to this city last summer by the Fruit and Produce Association and himself. Mr. Kofeldt is much interested in the success of Ashland and the marketing of her products.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—There is as yet no trace of Watt, the missing Napa banker.

PREACHER JAILED

Charged With Attempting Assault on Little Girl

United Press Service
WALTHAM, Mass., Nov. 30.—Rev. A. Nix is in jail here on a charge of attempting to assault a 9-year-old girl, a member of his Sunday school. Lynching is threatened.

TWO DEATHS OCCUR IN FORT KLAMATH COUNTRY

News of the death of Mrs. Chiloquin at the old fort was also received here from the north last Friday. She died at 7 o'clock that morning of tuberculosis. She was a member of the well known Indian family after whom the town of Chiloquin was named.

C. Beale, the Indian who was injured a couple of months ago by a horse rolling on him, died near Modoc Point Thursday, according to word received in this city Friday afternoon. He had been hovering between life and death for some time, and his recovery was not expected.

MANY WITNESS BAD ACCIDENT

GRANTS PASS BRAKEMAN IS CAUGHT BETWEEN TWO BOX CARS—ONE OF HIS ARMS IS AMPUTATED

MEDFORD, Dec. 2.—A hundred people Saturday afternoon saw Tacy Riggs of Grants Pass, a brakeman, aged 21 years, on the Southern Pacific, battle for life between two box cars of a moving train, with his right arm clutched in the jaws of an air-controlled coupling. They also saw an exhibition of iron nerve on the part of the youth, who, pinned close to death, patiently waited for scores of hands to free him.

At the Sacred Heart hospital his arm was amputated by Drs. E. B. Pickel and Stearns.

ODD FELLOWS TO HOLD A REUNION

Final preparations have been made for the annual re-union of the Odd Fellows of Klamath Falls, to be held tonight. Following a business meeting, during which the semi-annual election of officers will occur, there will be a reception and a banquet.

Members of the Rebekah Lodge and their husbands, and visiting brothers and their wives are invited to attend, and the occasion is planned to be notable in the history of Odd Fellowship in this section. The entire third floor of the building has been reserved for this occasion, and while the Odd Fellows conduct their meeting in the east hall, the visitors will be entertained in the west hall with a program, dancing and cards.

TEXT BOOKS DO NOT PLEASE ALL

Several of the faculty of the high school have expressed themselves in the last few days as regards the coming change in text books, which will take place in the spring. While the majority of the books now in use are very satisfactory, several of the books have not come up to the standard.

Miss Applegate, English teacher, stated that she wanted a decided change in the English Literature and Rhetoric. She said that those books were too hard for the average student, especially in Literature. Mr. Morrison is advocating change in the bookkeeping texts. He states that the books and methods now in use in the schools are out of date, and that no business houses use that method. He has sent out several hundred letters to the principals of the high schools in the state, asking them to co-operate with him in bringing about a change.

PETERSON TALKS TO THE PUPILS

Fred Peterson, the successful candidate for county superintendent of school a pleasant talk Monday morning school an interesting talk this morning. He had no particular subject, but he made many fine points regarding the students' work.

Mr. Morrison also announced a change in basketball, whereby the boys will get three practices a week at the Pavilion. This is for preparation for the trip that the high team will take during the holidays.

Mr. McCall announced that in order to prepare for next year in football, a meeting of the team would be held this afternoon. Several phases of the football situation were discussed, and all the boys are interested in next year's schedule as a result.

SETTLERS BARRED FROM MUCH LAND WEST AUTHORIZES ROAD MONEY

RULING OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR IS AGAINST TAKING UP LAND WITHDRAWN FOR RECLAMATION

Settling on lands which have been withdrawn for reclamation purposes will not be allowed hereafter, according to a ruling of the secretary of the interior, a copy of which has just been received here.

The ruling follows: A number of cases having occurred wherein operations under the reclamation act the United States has been subjected to expense in compensating settlers who have located upon and improved lands withdrawn under the reclamation act, notwithstanding the prior withdrawal, it is hereby ordered that:

(1)—Whenever knowledge is acquired by any engineer or employee of the reclamation service that any person has settled upon lands withdrawn under the first form, or upon lands withdrawn under the second form before they have been declared subject to entry, and after such withdrawal, written notice be served upon the settler to the effect that the land is not subject to settlement, and that no preference right can be acquired thereby in the event of the future opening of the land to entry.

(2)—Where a settler is preparing to make improvements or expenditures upon withdrawn land needed or likely to be needed for reclamation work, or where settlement or occupation interferes or is likely to interfere with the operations of the service, the notice served shall contain information to the effect that the occupation is illegal and that unless said entryman promptly vacates the land, or shows cause as to why he should not do so, proper steps will be taken in the courts to secure his removal. Notices provided for in paragraphs 1 and 2 should be limited to statements substantially the language indicated.

(3)—If after service of notice to vacate, the entryman does not, within a reasonable time comply with the notice, the engineer shall at once report all facts to the director of the reclamation service, through the supervising engineer in charge of the district embracing the project, the report to contain sufficient information to form basis of appropriate legal action.

CONGRESS TO BE ONE OF "BILLION DOLLAR" MEETS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 2.—That the present congress will be another of the "billion dollar" order was evidenced today when the amounts of the appropriations which would be asked for became known. For the expenses of the fiscal year commencing July 1, the sum of \$323,515,455 will be asked. This is an increase of \$37,680,000 over the present fiscal year.

The most important appropriations to be asked for are:

Completion of Panama Canal, \$30,174,000.
Three new battleships, \$45,000,000.
Reclamation and irrigation work, \$7,000,000.
White House expenses, \$171,000.
Senate maintenance, \$1,844,000.
House maintenance, \$4,974,000.
Pensions, \$21,500,000.
Army aviation corps, \$100,000.
Suppression white slavery, \$200,000.
Enforcement anti-trust laws, \$300,000.
Army, \$96,000,000.
Navy, \$144,000,000.

Among the river and harbor estimates are the following:

San Francisco harbor, \$100,000.
Redwood Creek, \$3,000.
Oakland harbor, \$25,000.
Suisun channel, \$14,500.
Petalsuma Creek, Napa Creek, consolidated, \$18,000.
Monterey River harbor, \$400,000.
Sumboldt harbor, \$300,000.
Eureka, channel improvements, \$500,000; maintenance, \$220,000.
Sacramento-Feather rivers, \$40,000.
San Joaquin, improvements \$150,000; maintenance, \$26,500.
California debris commission, \$12,000.

An indefinite amount is specified for further work.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Apparently inspired by the report that Gaby Deslys is receiving \$5,000 a week during her present American tour, a pretty danseuse in Berlin wrote to ex-King Manuel, begging him to promise that if she came to London he would "compromise" her by his attentions. At least, that is the story they are telling in the clubs of Pall Mall and Piccadilly.

"I am, and want to remain, a good girl," she is said to have written, "but with an advertisement such as you could give me, I could get rich." Being deficient in a sense of humor, his ex-majesty is reported to have been exceedingly annoyed by the incident.

CONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAY TO CONNECT THE BLUE LEDGE COUNTRY WITH THE KLAMATH RIVER COUNTRY

Governor West has sanctioned the use of \$1,000 of Oregon's forest reserve receipts for the construction of the Cook and Green road that connects the Blue Ledge country with the Klamath River and Happy Camp. The money will be expended under direction of the forestry bureau, and as part of the road lies in California, special request by the governor was necessary.

"OUR ABSENT BROTHERS" REMEMBERED BY ELKS

The second annual memorial exercises of Klamath Falls Lodge No. 1247, B. P. O. Elks, was observed by the members of the lodge and their friends Sunday at the opera house. About 100 members marched in a body from the hall to the meeting place where a large number of citizens had already gathered to witness the impressive services.

Exalted Ruler Hunter Savidge presided, and after the ritualistic responses by officers of the lodge, the program of music and addresses was carried out.

The eulogy on W. J. Proudfoot, who died November 16th, written by Hon. W. Lair Thompson, was read by Past Exalted Ruler E. B. Hall.

The address of Porter Neff of Medford Lodge No. 1168 was a masterpiece. It was a veritable sermon in which the speaker clearly and brilliantly explained the great part played by the Elks organization in teaching men how to get the most that is worth while out of life.

"Most people," said Mr. Neff, "have the impression that the Elks are a lot of fellows who think of nothing but having a good time. This, to a certain extent, is true," but Mr. Neff stated that this was in accordance with the teachings of Christ, who he believed did not mean that we were to "become as little children" in only one or two particulars, but in every respect. We should be as pure and as trustful as little children, and we should also be as happy and joyful as the child. There was really not so much trouble in the world, declared the speaker, and if each one bore a little it would not be a great burden, and all could be happy, as Christ expected them to be.

Order of Exercises
Opening Ode—"Great Ruler of the Universe"

Prayer—Chaplain of the Lodge
Carey Ramsby

Hymn—Mixed Quartet—Wilson, Walton, Andrews and Hammell

Eulogy—Hon. W. Lair Thompson—Read by E. B. Hall

Duet—"The Crucifix" (Faure)—Wilson and Andrews

Address—Porter Neff, Medford Lodge No. 1168

Solo—George Wilson.

Closing Ode—"We Have Finished Our Labors"

Benediction—Rev. Stubblefield

Smiley Is Dead

REDLANDS, Calif., Dec. 2.—Albert Smiley, internationally known as a peace advocate, died today. He was 85 years of age. His wife is critically ill.

NOTICE
Office of the County Treasurer, Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all road warrants protested prior to and including June 28, 1912. Interest will cease from November 21, 1912.

CLAUDE H. DAGGETT,
County Treasurer.

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NOTICE
Office of the County Treasurer, Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all general fund warrants protested prior to and including a March 4, 1910. Interest will cease from date.

November 21, 1912.

CLAUDE H. DAGGETT,
County Treasurer.

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ALLIANCE RENEWED

Significant Action Is Taken by the Great Powers

United Press Service
BERLIN, Dec. 2.—It was officially announced today that the Triple Alliance had been renewed for three years.

This is significant in view of the conditions in the Balkans.

PRINCE DANIELO ON DEATH BED

CETTINJE, Dec. 2.—Prince Danilo is in the hospital at Riega. His condition is considered very grave.

In the assault at Scutari he was shot through the intestines. The king is at his bedside.

Armistice Delayed

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 2.—It was officially announced this morning that the signing of the fourteen-day armistice had been delayed until tomorrow.

FAKE COUNTESS GETS THE COIN

POSES AS A RICH ROUMANIAN WHO IS TO BE FORCED INTO A LOVELESS MARRIAGE WITH A SERBIAN PRINCE

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—Posing as a rich Rumanian countess condemned to a loveless marriage with a Serbian prince, Lydia Mehle, a hairdresser's assistant, has been sent to prison for swindling wealthy and amorous Berliners. Attracted by her beauty, alleged title and wealth, a prominent government official was easily persuaded to take the "Countess Dehmuse" out to dinner at evenings and to lend her \$100 to enable her to return home to ask papa's permission to call off the Serbian match.

JOHNSON PLANS TO MARRY GIRL

AUTOMOBILE IS IN WAITING, READY TO TAKE BIG BLACK TO THE PLACE WHERE LUCILLE CAMERON IS HIDING

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—An auto stands in front of Jack Johnson's house today ready to leave when the negro receives a special delivery letter from Lucille Cameron.

"As soon as I get the letter," said Johnson, "I will rush to where Lucille is. We will be married in the auto." Federal authorities say that the marriage will not affect the white slave case, as the girl is only a witness.

Deliberately Kills Self

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—In order that authorities would have the least possible trouble with his body, a man whose name is said to be Jonas, proprietor of a dry kiln, walked into the Berlin Morgue, and after viewing the bodies on the slabs, casually remarking he "wanted to see what a dead man looked like," deliberately shot himself through the head. He was a sufferer from asthma, which is believed to have been the motive for taking his life.

J. R. Rooker, formerly foreman of the Savidge Bros., Lumber company, is now in Madero, Mexico, according to letters received here. He says he is well pleased with the country.

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