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LET'S GET BUSY

WHAT has become of the Klamath County Scenic Attractions League...

Last October about sixty Klamath Falls men journeyed to the scene of the war of '72...

The result was the formation of the organization. This had for its purpose the making of a roadway into the Lava Beds...

At the first meeting a second junket for the sixty or more was arranged. This was a trip to the summit of Stukej Mountain...

The autumn waned, and winter held sway, to give way later to spring and summer...

That the Modoc Lava Beds is a region that will awe everyone by its historic associations...

Parties visiting the Lava Beds this summer are convinced that a few men with rakes, picks and shovels would have no difficulty in making a good road clear into the region of attractions...

Why not get active NOW in the arrangement of this road and the placing of the monuments to guide travelers?

Europe is at present shut to the tourist on account of the war, and even for years after the war it will be uninviting to those who go to see the highest works of man in the arts and sciences...

To what section will the tourist turn? To the one that offers the most interesting scenery, especially the rugged, natural kind...

"Seeing America," and the Panama-Pacific exposition will draw thousands of tourists to the Pacific Coast next year...

There is a great work before the local scenic exploitation organization.

STEEL WORK ON JAIL REJECTED

The steel work on the jail in the basement of the new city hall is not in accordance with the specifications...

CRATER LAKE MANAGER SEES BIG TRAVEL FOR 1915

Firmly convinced that Crater Lake is to become the most popular national park in the West...

"Considering the size and the newness of Crater Lake National Park, it received more patronage this season...

"There is no question but what the war and the financial unrest had their effect," said Mr. Parkhurst...

Great progress was made on the construction of Crater Lake Lodge, the new hotel at the rim...

"With the completion of the hotel, we will remove the tents from the rim of the lake. These we will group at the Lower Camp...

A still greater collection of Crater Lake views than his matchless work in other years was made this year by Mr. Kiser...

From this new set of pictures, Crater Lake is to be still more widely advertised. A set of enlargements...

"In addition to the exhibit of Crater Lake pictures with the Southern Oregon exhibit and installed in the illuminated columns...

Although the hotel is closed at the park, road construction is still under way in the government camps...

A force of men is at work now building the roads to connect the Fort Klamath, or Klamath Falls entrance road with the Sand Creek road...

There is a possibility of the city's books being experted this year. The matter was discussed at Monday night's meeting of the council...

SIXTH STREET JOB NOW COMPLETED

Sixth street is now fully completed by O. A. Harris. At Monday night's meeting of the council...

Employees of J. C. Mitchell are today loading on fifty cars of the 1,300 head of cattle Mitchell recently purchased from the ZX ranch in Lake county...

John Knott, "mayor of Beaver Marsh," and Mrs. Knott are here today from their fine ranch in the northern part of the county...

SOME HOMESTEADS CAN BE ENLARGED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 6.—Secretary Lane has notified Senator Chamberlain that he has designated as non-irrigable more than 1,000,000 acres of land in Oregon.

Persons having entries of 160 acres within the designated area, may apply to enlarge their homesteads to 320 acres by taking up designated vacant land adjoining their present entries.

The order will become effective November 10th.

The lands lie principally in Klamath, Wasco, Crook, Sherman, Wheeler, Morrow, Harney, Grant, Umatilla, Malheur and Baker counties.

SCOPE OF LOCAL LIBRARY WORK IS EXTENDED

Through the kindness and generosity of some Klamath Falls citizens, the Women's Library Club has at last been able to fulfill one of its greatest ambitions—that of making its books free to the general public.

Heretofore a small charge has been made, payable quarterly, for the purpose of maintaining the institution.

One of the big objects the club sought to accomplish was to furnish a comfortable place where those without home conveniences could spend spare time.

The new system goes into effect Monday. A general invitation has been extended to the general public, the high school students and pupils of the grade schools to make use of the books.

City council Monday night passed an ordinance vacating that part of Roosevelt street, between blocks 17 and 18, in First Addition.

Tom Woods, an old resident of Klamath county, living near Malin, was brought to Klamath Falls Monday and brought before the county court on Tuesday to be examined as to his sanity.

Woods mental equilibrium appears to be in a pitiable condition now, but there is hope that under the treatment of the specialists at Salem, he may become normal again.

INITIATIVE BILL TALKS NOW GOING

Work of making the people acquainted with the purport of at least some of the proposed laws, submitted to the people by initiative petition has been started in the county.

Monday night Fred Peterson conducted a well attended discussion at Olney, Tuesday he and Rollo C. Groesbeck left for Worden, where a discussion will be held tonight.

Monday Mr. Groesbeck spoke at "Politics and the Common People" at the Library Club.

Other discussions to be held in the county are as follows: Friday, October 9, Malin.

Tuesday, October 13, Upper Poe Valley.

Saturday, October 17, Hildebrand. Tuesday, October 20, Midland. Wednesday, October 21, Merrill.

Friday, October 23, Miller Hill. Tuesday, October 27, Pine Grove. Friday, October 30, Henley.

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STIRRING APPEAL TO GET ENGLISHMEN TO ENLIST

By ED L. KEEN (Staff Correspondent United Press) LONDON, Sept. 21.—(By mail to New York)—Arthur Mee, the well known Cardiff editor and journalist, has just written the greatest appeal yet made to the men of England to take up arms for their country.

"The surprise that Germany possessed such mortars," he says, in an article published by the Ueue Zuercher Zeitung, "was as great in Germany as it was in other countries."

"This war is a hundred times more important than the Boer war, it means life and death for us. We are fighting to keep our word, but we are fighting also, to keep our homes. We are fighting, with France and Belgium, to keep the Germans out of England."

"If Germany should beat us you will be colonists of Prussia. Your children will be taught German and compelled to speak it; your boys will be German conscripts. You will be taxed to keep up the German army; which will keep you down. You will lose all that England has given you—your free speech, your vote, your free newspapers, your right to organize."

"Germany is not a democratic country. In England the people own the government; in Germany the government owns the people. The British idea is that the will of the people must prevail; the German idea is that the will of the emperor must prevail."

"In England the army is the servant of the nation; in Germany the military class over-rides the people. In England the king rules through the ministers; in Germany the emperor rules without them."

"There is no secret about the German emperor's intentions. He means to conquer England and France. He is throwing away masses of troops to stagger the allies to defeat by force of numbers, and is terrifying the civil population by cruelties too horrible to believe."

"He could have stopped the war by a word; he could even now stop the shooting down of innocent populations and the destruction of beautiful buildings and works of art."

"But he does not because he dare not. It is his way of winning, and he must win at any cost if he is to save his throne. He has staked his crown on the defeat of England in order that he may strip us of our trade and our empire and be master of all Europe."

"The Germans are almost at our gates. The gallant Belgians and French are keeping them back until more British troops arrive in France. Our little army is doing its best, but the dauntless spirit of our thousands cannot hold out forever against Germany's millions. Soon they must be at our doors."

"Then, if the German army should come, your freedom, your home, perhaps your life, will go. Nothing will matter to you then. These streets will be filled with German troops; perhaps your home will be burned down; but those things will be nothing. What will matter is that all your life you will be under the heel of the German army; you will lose even the right to put a poster like this on your walls unless it has been passed by a German officer. That will be the end of England."

"Men, will you let England go down? She has done something for you. She has given you freedom and sheltered you while tyrants trampled on other lands. She has given you peaceful years and your children opportunities. She has made you prouder than a Roman."

"Will you help her now. England is in the gravest peril she has ever known, and 10,000 men can save her. Our little army is fighting against great odds while you stand here. Will you stand and see it beaten?"

"Give yourself for home defense or foreign service. Your family will be cared for and you will be free after the war. Apply at the postoffice."

King Alfonso of Spain has made diplomatic representations to the United States, offering to co-operate with President Wilson to bring about peace in Europe.

BIG SIEGE GUNS WERE SURPRISE TO GERMANS

BERLIN, Oct. 6.—A member of the German parliament, who for nearly ten years has been connected with the army budget committee of the reichstag tells some interesting things of the history of the now famous 42-centimetre siege guns, which served the Germans so effectively at Liege and Namur.

"The surprise that Germany possessed such mortars," he says, in an article published by the Ueue Zuercher Zeitung, "was as great in Germany as it was in other countries."

"Over forty officers took part in the discussions at which the military budget was prepared for submission to the budget committee of the reichstag. When a new clause was reached with only the heading, 'Arms,' the chief of the department of arms requested that for the time being this subject could not be discussed. At the conclusion of the conference he told me in strict confidence that the title 'Arms' involved new siege mortars. The general staff requested urgently that not a word be said of the matter in the committee; not even the officers present had any knowledge of it."

"Six weeks ago I visited an ammunition factory as member of the armament commission, and ascertained that a number of projectiles and cases for these mortars could be produced within a very short time. In reply to my question whether these mortars did not wear out rapidly, a director of the company said, 'There are not enough fortresses in existence in the whole world to wear out a single mortar.' As a matter of fact, our army possesses 3,000 mortars of an earlier date, which are still usable."

"The official North German Gazette also discusses these new mortars with special reference to their projectiles. It says: 'If a weapon of the German army has a claim to popularity it is the 42-centimetre mortars, which in spite of their huge dimensions have managed to remain concealed. In fact, the nickname 'Hrummer,' which has been given to these mortars, shows at how far this popularity has progressed. One cannot be astonished that a shot which bursts with accuracy a weight of 800 pounds over a space of a German mile to its goal, causes an atmospheric pressure which for miles around hurls everything into the air. Reports have shown that the projectile, after it has left the mortar, causes a great noise only by cutting through the air.'

TO OPEN BIDS SOON FOR NEW WARSHIPS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 6.—Bids are being received and will be opened soon at the navy department and contracts awarded for construction of the three new battleships authorized by congress this year.

The new super-dreadnoughts will be "triplets," each 624 feet long, of 97-foot beam, 30-foot draft and with 21-knot speed, larger and faster than any now in the navy.

Their batteries will include twelve 14-inch guns, four submerged torpedo tubes and twenty-two 5-inch rapid fire guns.

Insurance that pays. See Chilcote, 635 Main street.

There are 9,400 retail stores in Pennsylvania managed by women.

ENGLAND THINKS GERMANS TRYING TO REACH COAST

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Realizing that the German right in France is seriously threatening British communication with the coast, the British are energetically making efforts to check this movement.

It is reported here that the Indian cavalry, just arrived, has been ordered into action. These dusky troopers will have their "baptism of fire" against von Kluk's and von Boehm's commands.

The war office has great faith in these troops. It is believed that they will be able to check the flanking movements of Uhlans and German automobile batteries.

There is no great alarm here, although it is admitted that the German right is gaining.

CIVILIANS SHOW SOME ANXIETIES

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Non-military circles are anxious regarding the situation in France. The optimistic attitude of the war office last week aroused expectations which have not as yet been fulfilled.

It is admitted that the entire British expeditionary forces, including the Indian regiments, are in action.

TURKEY SAID TO BE READY FOR BATTLES

BERLIN, Oct. 7.—(By wireless)—It is announced that the Austro-German situation is hopeful.

It is reported that the Russian ambassador at Constantinople is furious because of the embargo on Russia's export grain trade and the importation of arms.

It is expected that the Turkish navy, lately increased, will soon attack the Russian Black Sea fleet, and that the Turkish troops will soon attack the English because of the British suppression of the khedive's rights in Egypt.

CHOLERA SPREADS THROUGH HUNGARY

LONDON, Oct. 7.—A Venice dispatch to the News states that cholera is spreading throughout Hungary. Officials are alarmed.

The schools at Budapest have been closed in fear of an epidemic.

GERMAN CRAFT SUNK IN NORTH SEA

THE HAGUE, Oct. 7.—It is announced that a German destroyer was sunk in the North Sea by either a mine or a torpedo. The location of the occurrence is withheld.

The crew of the wrecked craft was saved by a German cruiser.

More than 200 giant searchlights which are to be used as a part of the 500 at the Panama-Pacific exposition have arrived on the exposition ground and are being put in place.

There will be 100 30-inch searchlights, and many between three and four feet in diameter.

Down From Homestead.

M. K. Gray, who has a homestead near Coon Point on the Upper Lake, is here attending to business matters.

Antwerp's Fall Is Expected Quickly By the Germans

United Press Service BERLIN, Oct. 7.—(Via Wireless)—The general staff announces that the capture of Antwerp in a short time is certain. It is stated that the forts at Kessel and Brochem have surrendered, after being battered by the big siege guns.

It is stated that the bombardment of the inner ring is being rushed. The general staff is confident that the Belgians will not resist much longer.

The staff says the German successes are uninterrupted on the western wing in France, and that the French are gradually being driven back.

GERMAN WAR VESSELS REPORTED DAMAGED

TOKIO, Oct. 7.—It is reported that the German unprotected cruiser Cormoran and two gunboats were damaged by Japanese shell fire at Kiao Chau, and were beached to prevent sinking. The Japanese and British warships continue the bombardment. The harbor forts have been damaged to some extent.

UNITED STATES TO HAVE DIRIGIBLES

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Local airship builders say that America has ordered two war dirigibles as a result of the European war. Colonel Sam Rober three weeks ago reported the result of his investigations abroad, and recommended the dirigibles.

THIRD HOHENZOLLERN IS HURT IN FIGHT

THE HAGUE, Oct. 7.—Prince Eltel Frederich, the second son of Kaiser Wilhelm, has been wounded in the knee, and has been taken to the rear for treatment, according to dispatches received tonight.

Censorship will not permit the message to show where the prince was when wounded. It is stated that he fell from his horse while leading a charge.

This is the third member of the Hohenzollern family to be invalidated during the war.

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice to Creditors In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Klamath. In the Matter of the Estate of Jessie N. Offield, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Emily M. Matthews has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Jessie N. Offield, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Klamath county, and has duly qualified as such.

Notice of Publication (Not Coal Lands) Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, September 2, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Hattie C. Linsl, whose postoffice address is Klamath Falls, Oregon, did, on the 20th day of May, 1914, file in this office sworn statement and application No. 07557, to purchase the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 (being lot 1), Section 7, Township 38 S, Range 10 E, Willamette meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised at a total of \$100, the timber estimated 160,000 board feet, at 50 cents per M., and the land \$20; that said application will offer final proof in support of her application and sworn statement on the 7th day of November, 1914, before C. R. De Lap, county clerk of Klamath county, at Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

JAS. F. BURGESS, Register. 9-10 11-5 aw

Advertisement for Remington-UMC Steel Lined Speed Shells. Includes an image of a Remington-UMC rifle and a box of shells. Text describes the shells as 'Arrow and Nitro Club' and 'Everybody calls them "The Speed Shells" for short.' It also mentions 'Steel Lined, all the explosive force kept back of the shot. No side expansion. A straight-away blow that gets the load there quick. You take a shorter lead on the fast birds—get more of them.' and 'To get the Speed Shells be sure to see the Red Ball Mark of Remington-UMC on every box.' The address is 'Remington Arms-Union Metallic Cartridge Co. 229 Broadway, New York.'