

BRYAN WORKING ON ANTI-JAP BILL

CALIFORNIA LAND BILL SAID TO BE THE ONLY OBSTACLE IN THE ROAD OF SECURING SUCH A LAW

WOULD HAVE PRESENT GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT MADE INTO A LAW

According to Authoritative Advice, Mikado's Country Is Willing to Consent to Such a Bill, if It Excludes Only Coolie Class—House Immigration Committee Still in the Air Over the Baker Bill.

United Press Service WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—It was authoritatively stated today that Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan is seeking the consent of Japan to the enactment of an exclusion act affecting Japanese the same as does the Chinese exclusion act affect the people of the new republic.



William Jennings Bryan

alien land bill, passed by the California legislature last year, is the only obstacle in the way of bringing about such an agreement.

It is understood that Bryan is working to have the mikado and his cabinet consent to make statutory the present gentlemen's agreement between the nations, which is practically an exclusion against Jap laborers in Japan. It is stated, is willing to

consent to the adoption of such a law, operating only against the Japanese coolies, if the California ban against the ownership of land there by the Japanese is raised. It also seeks to keep the interests of wealthy Japanese land owners in America from being hindered.

LABOR OFFICIALS MAKE LAST STAND

ARGUMENTS MADE TODAY BEFORE U. S. SUPREME COURT IN BEHALF OF THOSE CONVICTED AT INDIANAPOLIS

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—The final effort to save from imprisonment twenty-four of the labor union officials, convicted in the Indianapolis dynamite trials, and refused new trials by the United States court of appeals in Chicago, was made in arguments for a writ of certiorari before the United States supreme court today by Attorney E. N. Zollne.

That the defendants were doubly punished, once for conspiracy to transport dynamite and again for the actual transportation of the explosive.

That Orrie McManigal and Edward Clark, having pleaded guilty to a felony, were incompetent witnesses, and should have been tried separately.

On the Job Again. D. C. Morris, instructor of manual training at the Central school, is up and around again, after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

Klamath May Get Mill

Lumberman Coming This Evening to Find Location

One of the arrivals on this evening's train comes with the intention of visiting his fortunes with the Klamath country and turning some of the great natural resources of the land to his profit.

This gentleman is E. O. Zeek. Mr. Zeek has been identified with the lumber industry of the coast, both in California and Oregon, but for the past fifteen years he has confined his endeavors to Union county, in this

LEVY QUESTION PUTS FIRE INTO DIRECTORS MEET

FARMERS SAY ADY IS A GREAT BENEFIT

Several Appear Before the Directors and Say That if Necessary, They Will Double the Money They Are Giving to Defray the Expenses of the President of the Water Users in the Capital at This Time.

The regular monthly meeting of the Water Users Association was convened this afternoon by the presence of a delegation of stockholders in the association. This delegation quickly divided itself into two factions, one faction favoring sending Abel Ady to Washington, the other opposing such a move.

Mrs. Thomas, objecting to the 15-cent-per-acre levy, wanted to know if the extra four cents went toward paying the expenses of Mr. Ady in Washington. She did not particularly object to his being in Washington, but said the water users had enough expenses to meet without adding an expense that she believed could not be the means of accomplishing anything more than the present administration would do for Klamath county, anyway.

E. M. Chilcote admitted that he had never been in sympathy with Mr. Ady's work. He, too, thought that, with an administration that had proved itself in sympathy with the water users, a secretary of the interior who knew the needs of the West, and had given evidence of his hearty co-operation with any movement to forward the interests of the Klamath project, and an assistant secretary who had made a special point of informing himself as to the conditions existing here, it was not necessary to have anyone lobbying in Washington.

Mr. Koontz took occasion to say that Mr. Chilcote had always talked in the same way about every new move the association tried to make; a statement promptly denied by Mr. Chilcote.

Guy Merrill asked the members of the board of directors and the stockholders if it wouldn't be just as well to avoid personalities, and the temperature again lowered to normal.

It developed that the \$50 per month paid by the association did not go toward Mr. Ady's trip to Washington, but to his family while he was away, the Washington trip being paid by popular subscription.

Some of the signers of the petitions (of which there were seven) protesting against the cost of maintaining the association, said they did not sign to register a kick against Ady's trip, but because they thought the salaries of some of the officers of the association could be cut to some extent without hurting anyone.

Another thing that bothered some of those opposed to Ady's trip to Washington was the fact that a goodly portion of the funds raised for his expenses came from owners of swamp lands only, and it was questioned whether he would lobby for the water users or for a drainage bill.

The matter of whether the office of attorney should be abolished and the work done by the secretary was also taken up, and will be argued for some time.

Mr. Chilcote and W. W. Patch, the former project engineer, contended that this could be done easily. Others, and Secretary Elder was among this number, held that it would be advisable to continue the office, rather than allow some litigation to grow through this method of economy.

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SPORTSMEN CLUB GOING TO SECURE LOTS OF MEMBERS

DURING PRESENT YEAR 500 WILL BE SOUGHT

Delegates Are to Be Named to Attend Meetings of State Organizations in Portland—As a Result of the Activity of Local Association, Klamath County Game and Fishing Are Being Well Advertised.

Plans are to be made to increase the membership of the Klamath Sportsmen's Association to 500 during 1914. A meeting of the association was held last evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms on Fourth street. Reports of officers were made and routine business transacted.

The report shows that the association now has a membership of 160. This is an increase of 67 over the membership of last year. About half this number were taken in at the annual meeting, and the remainder have joined since.

This increase has been made with very little work on the part of the organization, and it is believed that with a good working membership committee and co-operation on the part of the old members that several hundred names can be added to the list.

The Portland Angler's Club has issued a call for a state convention of representatives of Rod and Gun clubs throughout the state to meet in Portland on March 16th for the purpose of organizing a state association. It was decided that the local club would assist in the organization and delegates will be appointed later to attend the convention.

Through the promotion of the propagation and protection of game and fish in Klamath county, the association expects to make this the greatest sportsmen's resort in the state.

Already much valuable advertising has been done for the county, and the stronger the organization the more it will be possible to accomplish for the good of the entire community.

KLAMATH WINS FROM ASHLAND

SLOW, ROUGH CONTEST IS TAKEN BY THE KIDS ON TOUR—GAME WITH THE POLYTECHNIC TEAM THIS EVENING

(Herald Special Service) ASHLAND, Feb. 7.—In a slow, rough game, Klamath county high school won from the Ashland high school in last night's basketball game, the final score being 8 to 7.

The teams were pretty evenly matched, and the first half closed with the score 4 to 4. In the second, during play that was anything but lady-like, the visitors slipped over one more point than the home contingent.

Two field baskets and four fouls brought the victory to Klamath high. This evening the Klamath quintet will play the team from the Polytechnic institute here. They leave tomorrow for Klamath Falls.

Undergoes Operation. Peter Colvin, an employee of the Pelican Bay Lumber company, was operated upon last night at Blackburn hospital for appendicitis. Drs. Hamilton and Morrow, who performed the operation, say he is getting along splendidly.

He Will Soon Be Marching Against Federal Troops Now in Mexico City



General Pancho Villa, the intrepid military leader of the Constitutionalist party in Mexico, whose troops are now near the outskirts of Mexico City, and whom, it is certain, will overthrow Huerta in a few days. Carranza is the head of the constitutionalista government, being chosen as president, but many are of the opinion that crafty Senor Villa, should he reach the capital first, will proclaim himself president.

C. OF C. WILL HAVE A BANQUET

REFRESHMENTS ARE TO BE SERVED TUESDAY NIGHT, AND MANY IMPORTANT MATTERS WILL COME UP AT THAT TIME

Matters of prime importance to the development of Klamath county will be discussed at Tuesday's meeting of the Klamath Chamber of Commerce. This will be the regular monthly meeting of the organization, and all are invited to attend and offer suggestions.

It has been arranged that refreshments will be served during the meeting.

Sues to Collect. Alleging that \$200 is due him on a promissory note, Leland M. Mosler today filed suit against John C and J. L. Yaden, through attorney W. S. Wiley. He also asks for \$35 for costs.

Marriage License. A marriage license was issued today to Walter R. Grow and Berta Brewer. The bride is a resident of Port Klamath, and the groom's home is in Ashland.

VILLA'S TROOPS ARE SAID TO BE IN CAPITAL SUBURBS

SCENE OF LAST YEAR'S FIGHT IS FORTIFIED

Beginning of the End Is Here, According to Advice From Mexico. Felix Diaz, Who Led the Fight Against Madero's Troops Last Year Is in Charge of Revolt This Time. Garrison at Guadalupe Revolts.

United Press Service MEXICO CITY, Feb. 7.—While 2,000 federal soldiers guard the national palace, wherein Huerta and his lieutenants are in excited consultation, it is reported that Villa's rebels are near the city, and that fighting will soon start in the suburbs.

Residents of the city believe that the final explosion is near. The foreign colonies are all wildly excited, and many are panic stricken.

Felix Diaz, it is reported, is really behind the new revolt. He is in command under Villa.

Around the arsenal, where Diaz last year directed and started the fight against the Madero administration, and where a battle waged for several days, machine guns have been mounted on the roofs of houses, and families have been ordered to move. Federal troops slept near these guns all last night.

Couriers report that the garrison at Guadalupe, four miles north of the city, revolted last night. This paves the way for an entrance to this city by several thousand rebels.

DRIVES NAIL IN PALM OF HAND

CASHIER AT THE GOLDEN RULE MEETS WITH PAINFUL ACCIDENT IN ATTEMPTING TO AVERT A FALL

Quite a distressing accident befel Miss Ora Nelson, cashier at the Golden Rule, at her home yesterday evening.

In crossing the yard, Miss Nelson slipped on a bit of ice, and to save herself from falling, thrust out her hand to catch at the corner of the woodshed for support.

The piece of scantling she clutched contained a rusty nail which the force of the fall drove through the palm of her hand.

After releasing her hand from the nail, Miss Nelson sought a doctor and had the wound properly dressed and bandaged. While very painful, the wound will not prove dangerous unless blood poisoning should follow.

Haytien Troops Wild

Commander Has Lost Control; Rob and Pillage

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—According to a wireless message received from Captain Bostwick, General Theodore has lost all control of his troops in the Haytien revolt. As a result, the city is in a reign of terror. The armed men are pillaging houses, stealing, and many houses are set on fire. Wholesale riots are indulged in. Bostwick, who is commander of the cruiser Nashville, has landed all of his marines. They are on duty guarding the foreign population, and have been instructed to protect them at all hazards.