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WAR NEWS.

President Wilson in his address to congress yesterday, expressly deprecated the idea or feeling that there would be any war with Mexico as a nation. It is not war, he said, but armed coercion against an individual and his followers. The incident of the arrest and detention of the paymaster and marines was only the culmination of a series of affronts and insults, had it been an isolated case it might have been passed by and attributed to the ignorance or arrogance of a single inefficient official. The general trend of the message delivered by the president was to ask authority of congress to uphold and defend the dignity of the United States, and not to wage warfare. The plans that have been formed and approved are to seize the ports of Vera Cruz and Tampico, as also the Mexican gunboats in those waters. It is claimed that this can be done without creating any precedent or without the necessity of making any formal declaration of war. In other words, a peaceable and bloodless seizure will be attempted, but it is also understood that a single shot from either side will inevitably bring on the conflict that is desired to be avoided. It is plain that the president and his advisors do not want war, and they are also quite sure that no great portion of the people of this country desire it in any great measure, but it is as plainly evident that the temporizing policy has about reached the end, and whatever the outcome may be, whatever price it may cost in life and treasure, an enthusiastic and united people will follow our flag to victory in upholding its dignity and honor. Honor is a blood stained and around whom "rod all tar all homicide and war," but this is a case in which that madness to which insults leads its votaries may well be excused.

NO FAITH IN IT.

An article is going the rounds of the press that purports to be a letter from "Mother Jones," the old lady who has been associated with the labor troubles in the Central West, and who is kept in detention by the authorities until the trouble is over. The letter goes on to state that the writer is confined in a damp underground cell, and that her only companions are rats and other vermin, that she is surrounded with armed guards and has no means of communicating with her friends. It is further addressed to her good friend Villa, of the Mexican rebels, asking his assistance for herself and others who are situated as she says she is. Candidly, we don't believe the story of her incarceration in such a place by any state or federal authorities, nor do we believe that one person in a hundred, even among her own sympathizers, believe it. The publication of such erratic nonsense is responsible for much of the dissatisfaction that is abroad in the land.

The wires are kept hot with messages tendering offers for service in Mexico, from individuals and from states. The ambitious politician well knows the advantage that leading a company or a regiment gives him after coming back. They recall Roosevelt and his meteoric rise as soon as the mailed title of Colonel was attached to his name.

NINE ARE KILLED

Fight Between Unionists and Militia in Coal Fields.

FOUR OF THE DEAD ARE CHILDREN

Of Five Others Killed One Was a Woman—Gas Schooner Goes Ashore at Mouth of Alsea River.

(Special to The Evening News.)

DENVER, April 21.—Advice at noon from John McEannan, a union official, stated that nine were killed in a clash between strikers and the militia in the Ludlow district yesterday. Four strikers were killed, four children, and one woman constituted the dead, the message said. McEannan said that eight militiamen were also killed, but the officials denied this. Another battle between the warring factions is said to be imminent.

Gas Schooner Ashore.

NEWPORT, Ore., April 21.—The gas schooner Mirene, of Astoria, thirty-four tons register, went on the beach at the mouth of the Alsea river early this morning. There is no great damage to her hull, and as the surf is not running high it is believed that she can be saved.

Senate Debates Resolution.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The debate in the senate over the resolution empowering the president to use armed force against Huerta, was opened by Senator Lodge, who defined at some length the powers of the president and congress.

ATTENTION, SECTION CHAIRMEN

If the different chairmen of the committees appointed for the four sections in and around Roseburg, will send a schedule of their plans for good roads day, and a list of the helpers they have kidnapped or shanghaied, The News will be pleased to give them publicity, so there may be no confusion or discouragement.

EXPECT LAND RUSH IN NORTHERN LAKE

Throwing Open of About Two Hundred Thousand Acres of Land Is Reason For Preparation for Visitors.

PICKSBURG, Ore., April 20.—The throwing open to entry of some 200,000 acres of lands lying in the Deschutes and Paulina national forests, May 9, 1914, is expected to bring a large number of home-seekers into northern Lake county. Fully one-half of these lands are tributary to Ficksburg and arrangements have been made by the development club to show intending settlers the best lands suitable for agriculture. The area through open embraces tillable agricultural land, grazing and partly timbered lands. The nearest railroad point at present is Bend from thence people will be transported by auto, by team, horseback and some will cover the distance on foot. It is believed a real old time land rush will be a feature of the opening and that men and women from all part of the Northwest will participate.

Selection will be made between 9 and June 7, when filing on the lands will be made at the various May 9 and June 1 when filing on the United States commissioners, and at the government land office at Lakeview.

George Crane and Peter Ball left this morning for San Francisco for a week's sojourn. During their absence they will visit Oakland, Berkeley, and Richmond. They were accompanied by John E. Boquet, of Richmond, resident of the Bonquet and Moran Land Co., of Richmond, from which company both Crane and Ball have recently bought property, and they are to visit their property while at Richmond.

The much-talked-of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw arrived in town this afternoon, and a large crowd had gathered at the depot—not to see Evelyn, of course, but to see some friends off on the train. A fair proportion of the assemblage consisted of women and they were compelled to stand a lot of jolting at the hands of the men. When the train arrived everyone rushed to the south end of the platform to see the woman in question. They were disappointed, however, as the private car of the company was in front, and by the time the crowd discovered their mistake the company was well on their way up town, and very

CITY NEWS.

G. C. Moore, of Riddle, is a visitor in Roseburg today.

Dry body fir wood \$2.25 per tier. Economy yard, phone 123. 396-tf  
Roy. C. Williams will preach at Edenbower this evening.

See what is happening at the Golden theatre tonight.

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Preston Baker and wife, of Eugene are visiting at the home of J. G. Belleu, of this city.

Ben. Huntington, Jr., of Riddle, and a candidate for the republican nomination of county clerk, was in the city today.

Sheriff George Quine left this afternoon for Wilbur where he had official business requiring his attention.

Patronize the Farmers Public Market Tuesdays and Saturdays. Producers' and consumers' interest. Prices always reasonable. 309-tf

The Douglas Creditors Association this morning filed in the circuit court an action against J. I. Springstead for \$9.25.

Mrs. Clark Bargar, who underwent a serious operation at home yesterday is reported as resting easy this morning.

George B. Goodwin, who was formerly connected with the McChallen hotel returned this afternoon to his home in North Yakima, Wash.

Let us repair your wagon and farm implements. All work done in a workmanlike manner. Kinser & Marsh, the scientific horsehoers, 232-tf

Word was received today to the effect that Eugene, oldest son of N. T. Jewett, will be married to a young lady from California in the course of a few weeks.

Three coaches filled with officers and men of Company F, Second Battalion United States Engineer Corps, passed through here on the early morning train enroute for Gilroy, Cal.

A large number of ladies were present at the Commercial Club rooms last night, it being social night. No business was transacted. A very pleasant evening was spent, after which refreshments were served.

Ripe strawberries from Ed Ware's place in North Roseburg, are in evidence. Mr. Ware picked some of the luscious fruit yesterday, a sample of which was shown in The News office windows today.

The Sells-Floto publicity car arrived in town yesterday and is idled-tracked on North Sheridan street. Today a large force of men are busy placing the posters in windows and on billboards telling of the many wonders to be seen at the circus.

Assistant Inspector General C. W. Wadsworth left this morning for southern points after spending the day inspecting the records and books of the Soldiers Home. This morning muster roll was had before the inspector in which all the veterans participated.

The farmers public market was well attended this morning although there are still many vacant stalls. A great many men were noticed coming from the market with fresh vegetables and other truck in their arms. Evidently their wives are fearful lest all the produce will be gone before they can arrive on the scene.

The wife and daughter of Morrison Campbell came in from Cleveland this morning to see the prisoner at the county jail. Mrs. Campbell is a woman about 55 years of age and seemed much affected when approached by friends at the sheriff's office. A son-in-law of Campbell is expected here tomorrow from California.

C. E. Owens presented a local real estate firm with a full box of beautiful ripe strawberries this morning. Mr. Owens' place is located 12 miles west of town, near Cleveland, and he states that all indications point to a bumper crop this season. We wonder what visitors from the cold and wintry East will think of ripe strawberries on April 21. These berries are on exhibit in the windows of Douglas & Wallace, 419 Cass street.

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JUST RECEIVED  
from the factory a shipment of the very best Lawn Mowers made  
"The Clarinda"  
Notice this cut and the improvement shown in the Reel blades. Divided in the centre and set to throw all cuttings in a centre window or direct into your grass catcher.  
This is a cut of "The Clarinda" with a solid reel, like the other it has 12-inch wheels, also has a cutter bar adjustment that no other make of lawn mower can equal. You will note a square nut on top of frame above the roller, by simply turning this to right or left the cutter bar can be raised or lowered. No bolts or screws to loosen or to tighten, simply a turn of the wrist. Then, they all have the squirrel tooth or raised edge knife, another advance in construction.  
Call and let us show you.  
Churchill Hardware Co.  
The Iron Monger's Place

few people saw the "most-talked-of woman in the world."

The mission society of the Baptist church will meet at the residence of Mrs. B. W. Strong on South Main street Thursday afternoon. A fine program has been arranged.

A meeting of the directors of The Douglas County Social Service League will be held tonight at the Parish house when matters of importance will come before the body. It is hoped that all members will be present.

In the city recorder's court this morning a man giving his name as Frank Stevens, of Ohio, was given a fine of five dollars for being in an intoxicated condition on the streets. He will work his fine out on the city rock pile.

The case of Mrs. Adelle Galarnous against Mrs. Adeline Woodin was heard in the recorder's court this morning, and in the absence of City Recorder Wimberly, J. E. McClintock presided. A motion to dismiss the case was overruled by the court, and an effort to settle the affair out of court also failed. The evidence showed that Mrs. Woodin was in court before on a similar charge and had been fined, but this had been remitted during good behavior. The court gave the defendant a pointed lecture and told her that sentence would be passed tomorrow.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

A local teachers' institute will be held at Yoncalla, Saturday, April 25. The morning session will open at 9 o'clock a. m. There will be an afternoon session, and a lecture in the evening by Dr. Joseph Schafer, or Dr. Rebeck, of the U. of O. Teachers and patrons are cordially invited to attend.

Program—A. M.

- D. W. Wright, principal of the Yoncalla schools—Methods in Arithmetic.
- E. H. Hedrick, supervisor district No. 3—Primary Reading.
- F. H. Fitzpatrick, principal Roseburg high school—Preparation for Entering High School.
- Afternoon Session.
- Alfred Powers, superintendent Oakland schools—Methods in History.
- F. B. Hamlin, principal Benson school—Language.
- Dr. Schafer or Dr. Rebeck, of the

U. of O.—(Subject to be supplied.)

Ben. Huntington, Jr., supervisor district No. 2—Rural Supervision. An evening program is being arranged.

Very truly yours,  
O. C. BROWN,  
County School Superintendent.

SPORTY TROUSERS SOUGHT.

Man Steals 60 Pairs, Police Arrest Those Who Wear "Flashy" Suits.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Easter trousers in colors loud enough to be heard against a healthy dog horn are bringing suspicion and police inquiry upon their wearers in the northwest district this season.

John Giobenco, who admitted stealing 60 pairs of trousers, said he did not know to whom he sold them, but he described them as "sporty, flashy and spotty." "Bring in men wearing sporty trousers," directed Judge Scully. Ten young men were brought in, but were released. The hunt continues.

FOR SALE—Gas range, A1 condition, \$10. 629 S. Stephens street. 502-2579

WANTED—Man and wife to work on ranch. Phone evenings only 15712. 505-2278

DANCING PARTIES—Use Ferguson's building, Edenbower, 2nd floor, music, conveniences, \$5.00 night. Phone 8F12. 507-2209

FOR SALE—Neatest ten acres in famous Umpqua valley, suitable for fruit and poultry; improved and equipped. Beautiful country house; new bungalow; on Pacific highway, near town. \$2500.00 will handle this. For detailed information address 5027 News. 502-2142

FOR TRADE—Cows Bay farm land to trade. 80 acres of land in Cows Bay district, close in on water transportation, only 2 1/2 miles from Cows Bay. Will trade for Roseburg property. This party has relatives here and wishes to locate in Roseburg. If you want to go to the Coast this is a good opportunity for you. Douglas & Wallace, 419 Cass street. 508-tf

GOLDEN  
5c Theatre-5c  
TO-NIGHT  
The Heart of Carita  
A Mexican Drama  
An Old Locket  
Lois Weber in her own production.  
The Light Weight Champion  
Joker Comedy with a swift punch.  
Tomorrow, Wednesday  
THE COUCH OF A CHILD  
With King Haggot  
A MEXICO MIX  
Joker comedy with Max Asher.

New Shoe Shop  
329 N. JACKSON ST.  
Men's soles .....90c  
Men's heels .....35c  
Rubber heels .....50c  
Ladies' soles and heels .....75c  
We pay return parcel post on repaired shoes.  
Opposite Electric Light Office  
W.H.Boyle W.W.Boyle

FOR LIVER ILLS  
A. D. S. HEPATIC SALTS

This Coupon Presented  
Wednesday, April 22, Entitles you to  
Ten 2/4 Green Trading Stamps Free  
on any purchase of 50c or more  
The REXALL Store