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From the story published in Everybody's Magazine. Introducing dainty Ella Hall and Herbert Rawlinson. It's a Bluebird play in five acts.

SATURDAY: Theda Bara in "Destruction."

PRESIDENT ASKS NATIONS

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there was every indication that the same careful secrecy, which prevented anything whatever becoming known about the President's action until it had been taken, would surround any of the succeeding moves.

Nowhere on the surface appears any indication of the history making events which diplomats generally are convinced must have transpired since the German allies brought forth their proposals to dispel the generally prevalent belief that such an action on the part of President Wilson would be unacceptable to the entente powers.

British embassy officials declared they were utterly taken by surprise, were wholly unable to explain it and were emphatic in their statement that no exchanges whatever had passed through the Embassy here as a preliminary.

Notes Are Identical.

After a separate introduction to the notes sent to the European central powers and to the entente allies, all the notes proceed identically as follows:

"The President suggests that an early occasion be sought to call out from all the nations now at war such an avowal of their respective views as to the terms upon which the war might be concluded and the arrangements which would be deemed satisfactory as a guarantee against its renewal or the kindling of any similar conflict in the future as would make it possible frankly to compare them. He is indifferent to the means taken to accomplish this. He would be happy himself to serve, or even to take the initiative in its accomplishment, in any way that might prove acceptable, but he has no desire to determine the method or the instrumentality. One way would be as acceptable to him as another if only the great object he has in mind be attained.

Objects of Belligerents Same.

"He takes the liberty of calling attention to the fact that the objects which the statesmen of the belligerents on both sides have in mind in this war are virtually the same, as stated in general terms to their own people and to the world. Each side desires to make the rights and privileges of weak peoples and small states as secure against aggression or denial in the future as the rights and privileges of the great and powerful states now at war. Each wishes itself to be made secure in the future, along with all other nations and peoples, against the recurrence of wars like this and against aggression or selfish interference of any kind. Each would be jealous of the

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formation of any more rival leagues to preserve an uncertain balance of power amidst multiplying suspicions; but each is ready to consider the formation of a league of nations to insure peace and justice throughout the world. Before that final step can be taken, however, each deems it necessary first to settle the issues of the present war upon terms which will certainly safeguard the independence, the territorial integrity, and the political and commercial freedom of the nations involved.

"In the measures to be taken to secure the future peace of the world the people and government of the United States are as vitally and as directly interested as the governments now at war. Their interests, moreover, in the means to be adopted to relieve the smaller and weaker peoples of the world of the peril of wrong and violence is as quick and as ardent as that of any other people or government. They stand ready, and even eager, to co-operate in the accomplishment of these ends, when the war is over, with every influence and resource at their command. But the war must first be concluded. The terms upon which it is to be concluded they are not at liberty to suggest; but the President does feel that it is his right and his duty to point to their intimate interests in its conclusions, lest it should presently be too late to accomplish the greater things which lie beyond its conclusion.

"The President therefore feels altogether justified in suggesting an immediate opportunity for a comparison of views as to the terms which must precede those ultimate arrangements for the peace of the world, which all desire and in which the neutral nations as well as those at war are ready to play their full responsible part. If the contest must continue to proceed towards undefined ends by slow attrition until the one group of belligerents or the other is exhausted, if millions after millions of human lives must continue to be offered up until on the one side or the other there is no more to offer, if resentments must be kindled that can never cool and despair engendered from which there can be no recovery, hopes of peace and of the willing consent of free people will be rendered vain and idle.

"The life of the entire world has been profoundly affected. Every part of the great family of mankind has felt the burden and terror of this unprecedented contest of arms. No nation in the civilized world can be said in truth to stand out of its influence or be safe against its disturbing effects. And yet the concrete objects for which it is being waged have never been definitely stated.

"The leaders of the several belligerents have, as has been said, stated these objects in general terms. But, stated in general terms, they seem the same on both sides. Never yet have the authoritative spokesmen of either side avowed the precise objects which, while it aimed, satisfy them and their people that the war had been fought out. The world has been left to conjecture what definite results, what actual exchange of guarantees, what political or territorial changes or readjustments, what stage of military success even, would bring the war to an end.

Peace Dove Hovering Near.

"It may be said that peace is nearer than we know; that the terms which the belligerents on the one side and on the other would deem it necessary to insist upon are not so irreconcilable as some have feared; that an interchange of views would clear the way at least for confidence and make the permanent concord of the nations a hope of the immediate future, a concert of nations immediately practicable.

"The President is not proposing peace; he is not even offering mediation. He is merely proposing that soundings be taken in order that we may learn, the neutral nations with the belligerent, how near the haven of peace may be for which all mankind longs with an intense and increasing longing. He believes that the spirit in which he speaks and the objects which he seeks will be understood by all concerned, and he confidently hopes for a response which will bring a new light into the affairs of the world."

The note to the entente group will be delivered to Great Britain, Italy, Portugal.

DELEGATES ELECTED.

At Wednesday's meeting of the Douglas County Taxpayers' League held at the court-houses in this city, District Attorney George Neuner, County Judge R. W. Marsters and Edwin Weaver were chosen as delegates to attend the annual meeting of the State Taxpayers' League, which will be held at Salem early in January. Delegates from all sections of Oregon will be present at the Salem meeting and a number of important matters will be considered there.

France, Japan, Russia, Belgium, Montenegro, Portugal, Roumania and Serbia. That to the central allies will be delivered to Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria.

It is being delivered to all neutral governments for their information.

Plan Another Statement.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Secretary Lansing conferred with President Wilson. It is planned to issue a supplementary statement late this afternoon.

Supplementary Statement.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Secretary Lansing issued a supplementary statement this afternoon saying that the United States does not intend to abandon its neutrality. He said he learned that the earlier statement was subjected to "various constructions that he did not mean to convey."

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. N. Plyler left this afternoon for Sutherlin to attend to some business.

Mrs. E. J. Gonier left this afternoon for Portland to spend several days.

Mrs. Earl Benedick returned this afternoon from a visit at Grants Pass.

S. Fletcher, of Portland, arrived here this afternoon to spend a couple of days.

Mrs. Sophia Murray, of Portland, who had been here several days, returned home today.

Mrs. E. J. Lester, of Portland, who had been visiting her son, B. E. Lester, returned home today.

Mrs. Olive Ripley, of Eastern Oregon, who had spent several days in Roseburg, left this afternoon for Redding, Calif.

Mrs. Bruce Stephenson has returned here after some time spent at Grants Pass and other Southern Oregon towns.

Union Encampment, I. O. O. F., will have degree work at their regular meeting tonight and a large attendance is expected.

J. H. Brown, of Looking Glass, left this afternoon for Pleasant Grove, Cal., where he will visit with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Keys.

Claire Biedgett, a former resident of Roseburg, has entered a journalistic school at Los Angeles, according to word received from him today.

C. R. Garvey, who is connected with the local Indian office, will leave here tonight for San Francisco, where he will spend the holidays.

George Hammond, of Westlake, arrived here this afternoon to spend the holidays. Mr. Hammond was formerly a resident of Roseburg and is well known here.

George Hammond, formerly of this city, who has been attending Stanford University, arrived here this afternoon on his way to West Lake to spend Christmas with his parents.

John J. Baker was appointed administrator for the estate of Della J. Baker, deceased, his wife, by the probate court today. The estate amounts to \$1000, to which there are several heirs.

Misses Beatrice Newland, Hensie Newland and Mrs. J. C. Clark, of Ten Mile, arrived here this afternoon to attend the teachers' examinations, which are now in progress at the Ross school.

C. S. Heinline will leave tomorrow night for The Dalles, where he will spend a couple of days looking after business matters connected with the local Indian Agency. He will be accompanied as far as Portland by Mrs. Heinline. They will spend Christmas at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Eldridge, in

Portland business men will draft bill with purpose to amend laws of state to permit a community to tax itself to raise funds for the support and fostering of shipping—would be a great aid to shipbuilding industry.

VALUATIONS OF ALL PROPERTY LOWERED.

Part of Shrinkage Laid to Elimination of Land Grant Tracts.

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 28.—Exclusive of the valuations of the public service corporations the total valuation of the taxable property in the state this year is \$761,925,127, according to reports received by the state tax commission. This is \$61,481,512 less than last year.

In Baker, Clatsop, Crook, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Jefferson, Lake, Sherman, Umatilla, Union, Walla Walla and Wheeler the valuations have slightly increased. In all other valuations have decreased. In Multnomah County there is a slump of \$15,539,815. Two causes are given for the decrease—the elimination of the Oregon & California land grants from the tax roll and a general shrinkage in property values.

By counties the valuations last year, and this, are as follows:

Counties	1916	1915
Baker	\$18,879,245	\$18,400,340
Benton	9,909,380	11,242,710
Clackamas	23,028,965	24,242,200
Clatsop	19,361,238	18,888,192
Columbia	10,645,560	15,087,825
Cook	18,929,545	20,578,677
Crook	7,999,170	7,552,895
Curry	4,833,755	4,815,670
Douglas	21,668,615	27,622,865
Gilliam	7,231,255	6,848,403
Grant	6,852,758	6,407,250
Harney	8,856,363	8,121,863
Hood River	7,324,340	8,154,160
Jackson	22,988,109	28,211,430
Jefferson	3,795,220	3,767,490
Josephine	6,761,419	8,600,520
Klamath	14,230,536	14,406,764
Lake	9,420,264	9,316,303
Lane	26,413,272	35,553,640
Lincoln	9,275,386	9,422,980
Linn	26,933,139	26,871,660
Malheur	5,938,929	8,933,730
Marion	36,142,129	37,199,565
Morrow	5,630,139	9,731,729
Multnomah	271,357,940	286,888,255
Polk	11,852,255	12,794,110
Sherman	6,305,409	6,257,040
Tillamook	19,829,975	20,219,885
Umatilla	37,924,138	37,878,706
Union	16,127,160	16,067,973
Walla Walla	14,947,189	10,828,655
Wasco	12,269,080	12,574,550
Washington	19,160,000	19,405,813
Wheeler	4,305,294	4,154,943
Yamhill	14,885,910	15,257,247
Totals	\$760,884,176	\$812,516,649

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Ray Buell, who has been a patient at Mercy hospital for several days, will leave for his home tomorrow. He resides at Sutherlin.

I. O. O. F. ATTENTION.

All Odd Fellows that possibly can do so are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, Frank B. Long. The services will be at the Cleveland church at 1:30 p. m., Friday, the 22nd. And the start will be made from the undertaking parlors in Roseburg at about 11:45 a. m. There will be conveyances for those who have none, and can go. By order of the N. G.
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