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HERRICK PLANTS KISS ON DEPARTING FRENCH MINISTER

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Victor Henry Berenger, France's new ambassador to the United States, left this afternoon for Havre, whence he will sail for America on the liner Paris.

He was given a send-off by a large crowd at the station, which caused him deep emotion. American Ambassador Herrick, after the French custom, kissed M. Berenger on both cheeks.

Secretary Mellon's statement to the house and means committee on the debt questions, extract of which have been published here, is regarded in official circles as most happily coinciding with the departure of the new French ambassador, Henry Berenger. Ambassador Berenger is accompanied by several experts from the finance ministry. The presence of these experts indicates that settlement of the war debts will be the first care of the new ambassador.

Secretary Mellon's reference to the debts are hailed as expressions of a spirit which will permit resumption of the negotiations under more favorable circumstances than when Caillaux went to Washington.

Valvoline motor oil at Wharton Bros.

MOUNT VESUVIUS VOMITING LAVA

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

NAPLES, Italy, Jan. 6.—Mount Vesuvius broke into violent eruption today. A large eruptive cone was formed on the western side of the mountain while a cavity opened near the base on the northern slope.

Large quantities of lava are flowing from both the cone and the cavity, with violent explosions in the former.

Tonight the surface of the volcano, which lately had been covered with fields of snow and ice, assumed a pinkish tinge, under the reflection of the great reddish clouds lighted by the flames belching from the new opening.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—An earthquake shock caused many people living along the Rhine to awaken from sleep early today, and rush out of their houses to open spaces, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Cologne.

The shock was felt generally throughout western Germany and even in Hamburg. No damage was reported.

Singer machine. Special price \$25.00. Powell Furniture Co.

MARKETS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 6.—Print butter is a cent lower 10-day in the local market at 45 cents.

Caretons are listed at 49 cents creamery basis. Portland butter makers decided on a decline this morning following receipt of advice of a two-cent drop in the Seattle market, placing Puget Sound prices a cent under Portland.

Bids for butterfats are two cents lower today with 42 cents offered for No. 1 fats in the country, f. o. b. shippers track and 45 cents offered for Portland delivery.

On the dairy exchange cubo butter remains steady at 45 cents for extras and 44 cents on standards. Receipts of country cubes continue large. Mild weather is largely responsible for the heavy production.

Declines continue in the fresh egg market with extra standards, firsts and current receipts a cent lower for the day. At the same time pullets are posted one cent higher. The undertone of the market is very soft.

Poultry prices are holding on the street, but receipts are heavier and the trade is over the acute shortage of a few days ago. If receipts continue good prices are not likely to hold long at current levels.

Country dressed hogs are holding firm at 16 1/2 to 17 cents with occasional sales of real fancy. Country calves are easier with the bulk of the choice light veal going at 16 to 16 1/2 cents.

Potato buyers, who have returned from trips out through the country, report growers as a rule in no mood to sell at any price. Recent purchases of U. S. No. 1 Burbanks were made at \$2.75 with sacks and hauling extra, but now growers are not interested in any kind of an offer.

Another carload of American zinc insulated fence will arrive at Wharton Bros. within a few days. Buy while our stock is complete.

Sheriff Starmer left last night for Portland to appear as a witness before the federal grand jury.

RUBBER MONOPOLY THREATENS WORLD. HOOVER DECLARES

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Secretary Hoover declared today investigation of the foreign control of the price of crude rubber "threatens not only the same progress of the world but contains in it great dangers to international good will."

Testifying at the opening session of the inquiry into British rubber prices, being conducted by the house commerce committee, Mr. Hoover said governments deliberately have erected official control of trade in raw materials and through these controls are arbitrarily fixing prices for all peoples of the world.

"It is this intrusion of governments into trading operations on a vast scale," he said, "that represents a host of new dangers—the inevitable aftermath of any such effort by political agencies to interfere with the normal process of supply and demand."

"Our experience of the last 12 months with these controls has developed a series of fundamental questions which we can no longer ignore and upon which we must determine a national policy. These questions not only concern our own welfare but also the welfare of consumers in fifty or more nations."

Mr. Hoover said the issue before the committee was much broader than the price on any particular commodity, declaring that the United States shall pursue toward a comparatively new and growing menace in international trade.

The situation cannot be solved, he said, by acquiescence or acceptance, and it will only be compounded and aggravated by retaliatory action. He urged the working out of a broad constructive solution.

Mr. Hoover said there are at present governmentally controlled combinations in nine raw materials—Egyptian long staple cotton, camphor, coffee, iodine, nitrate, potash, mercury, rubbers and sisal.

Dry cell and hot shot batteries at Wharton Bros.

COPCO INQUIRY BY U. S. SENATE ASKED BY KLAMATH FALLS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Jan. 6.—Senate investigation of the manner in which affairs of the Klamath irrigation district have been handled by the U. S. reclamation service is asked by the directors of the Klamath Irrigation district in a letter mailed today to Oregon representatives in congress.

The letter sets forth that repeated hearings before officials of the interior department have failed to bring redress.

In their letter the directors ask especially that thorough investigation be made of the manner in which the California-Oregon Power Company acquired use of water from a government reservoir without charge, together with control of the main source of water supply of the Klamath project for a period of 50 years.

It is also asked that a probe be made concerning the sale of two power sites to the power company for what is termed a "vastly inequitable" consideration.

Charge is also made that the bureau of reclamation has attempted to influence elections in the district by publishing confidential reports from Washington, with a view to discrediting irrigation district candidates known to be not in favor of the manner in which affairs of the district had been conducted.

A total of seven charges are listed and the letter states that full proof regarding each of them has been secured and is now ready for presentation.

Cross-cut saws, axes, wedges and other wood cutting tools at Wharton Bros.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

The school board met last night in the regular session, devoting the greater part of the time to considering the work on the new school building. Excellent progress is being made with this structure, but the board is constantly required to consider various matters which arise. Architect T. M. Gerow was present last night and made a report on the work so far, the board being well pleased with the progress reported.

Returns From Portland—Mrs. Alma Harness, of the Marksbury company, who has been spending a week or so in Portland on business and purchasing new spring stock for the store, has returned to Roseburg.

BOUNTY FUND OF COUNTY EXHAUSTED. CLERK REPORTS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

The bounty fund for 1925 has been exhausted and claims amounting to \$599 still remain to be paid, according to County Clerk Riddle. During the month of December bounty claims amounting in all to \$660 were received, but only \$70 remained in the bounty fund of \$3,000 voted by the county court the first of last year, claims totaling \$590 remain unpaid.

These claims have been filed in the order in which they have been received. Like claims presented will be filed in similar manner and when the first half tax money is paid and money becomes available for the 1926 bounty funds the payments will be made.

It is the policy of the county court not to issue warrants when bounty money is exhausted. Such warrants would bear interest and prove an expense to the county. Instead of that method the court has instructed the clerk to pay bounty claims only when money is available in the fund, and that during times when no such money can be paid out to file the claims in order and pay them when the money is available from the payment of taxes.

Although payments on bounties probably cannot be made until late in the spring, yet claims should be presented as soon as possible, as warrants will be issued in the same order as the claims are presented, the county clerk says.

FARM BUREAU HEAD ASKS JUST SHARE NATIONAL PROFITS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Sam H. Thompson, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, in a statement today, pleaded with the American people to give thought to the problem of handling the farmers' exportable surplus.

"Who is there to say that the farmer is getting his fair share of the national income? Everyone who he is not. It is that deplorable situation which we are trying to relieve," said Thompson.

"All Americans will open a sympathetic ear and a kindly heart to the farmers' unsatisfactory situation and help relieve his lack of fair income, then if relieved, the complete curing of the ill would be reflected in a new kind of permanent prosperity among the American people never before witnessed in the world. We have seen the spurt of business and industry because of the partial cancellation of agriculture during 1924 and 1925. Cure the low price of agriculture and all Americans will benefit."

AUDIT OF COUNTY BOOKS FOR 1924 IS COMPLETED

The audit of the books of the various county offices for the year of 1924 has been completed by D. Ed Ross, of Salem, and his report was filed today with the county court. The auditor reports the books to be in a good condition, and that although several adjustments were made in the books they were all of a minor nature. The statement accompanying the audit was as follows:

The report herewith has been carefully compiled from the records of the various offices. The adjustments because of this audit in the clerk's records are largely due to items of interest and other income not reported on the treasurer's monthly reports.

The records herewith concerning the treasurer's office have been audited and found very largely from original records assembled in this form.

The practice of the sheriff's office to turn over all collections promptly to the county treasurer is very commendable and we believe a profitable action for the county because of the daily interest accruals on the treasurer's bank deposits.

The clerk's office is well organized, and we found the records in good shape.

The funds in the treasurer's office were all accounted for, and disbursements found to have been properly made on account of warrants issued, or other proper authority.

We appreciate thoroughly the many courtesies extended during the period of audit by all officers and employees with whom we had contact.

SUPPOSED BROTHER OF MAN CONDEMNED DENIES CRIME

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., Jan. 6.—John C. Redding, San Quentin state prison convict, who is being held here as police information that he is Robert Scott, supposed Chicago murderer, today denied that he had any connection with the Chicago crime.

"I am confident that the misunderstanding as to my identity will

be cleared up," Redding said, "I never committed a murder. I know nothing about the case."

"I realize that I am in a jam and can say no more until I have retained counsel. I do not want to make it any worse."

Redding refused to answer a directed question as to whether he was Robert Scott or that he is the brother of Russell Scott, under sentence of death for the crime.

He reiterated his willingness to return to Chicago.

DEFAMATORY MAIL SENDER IS QUICKLY CONVICTED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—William E. Wolfe, arrested a few weeks ago for sending defamatory literature through the mails which indirectly threatened the president and other high Washington officials, was convicted in the United States district court here today after a trial lasting but a few minutes.

Judge Patridge said he would hear evidence as to Wolfe's mental condition before he sentenced him.

Wolfe was arrested after a nation-wide search in which he baffled his pursuers for more than three years. In his quarters was a printing press and a great quantity of defamatory literature.

LOCAL NEWS

From Glide—

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Shrum returned to Glide last evening after transacting business and trading here during the day.

We are agents for Vaughan drag saws and carry repair parts in stock. Wharton Bros.

Case Under Adjudication

The case of Ida Burgoyne against N. D. Burgoyne, a contest of divorce action heard in the circuit court yesterday, was taken under advisement by Judge Hamilton.

From Peel—

Among those from the rural districts to attend to business affairs and spend a few hours trading here yesterday was Bert Young, of Peel.

Visitors Yesterday—

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Singleton, Glide residents, motored here Tuesday and spent several hours visiting and on business.

Mr. Chenoweth In

George Chenoweth, Oakland resident, was among the Roseburg visitors Tuesday, and spent a few hours transacting business.

In Yesterday—

Jack Parrott motored from Camas Valley yesterday and spent several hours visiting and attending to business affairs.

Mrs. Burgoyne Here—

Mrs. Ida Burgoyne and daughter and son, of Riddle, are visitors in Roseburg today, shopping and attending to business affairs.

From Astoria—

H. L. Wilson returned to Astoria yesterday afternoon after attending to business interests and visiting here during the day.

From Riddle—

Mrs. A. Crowe returned to her home at Riddle yesterday evening after visiting and shopping here during the day.

Mr. Springer In—

Clarence Springer, Glendale resident, was a visitor in Roseburg yesterday, visiting and looking after business affairs for a few hours.

From Glendale—

F. R. Springer of Glendale, was among those to spend several hours in Roseburg yesterday attending to business matters.

Fine Is Paid—

A. F. Anderson was arrested last night charged with being intoxicated. He was arrested by Officer Vaughn who reports that the man was found drunk in his room and that whiskey was taken from him. Anderson entered a plea of guilty in the city court this morning and was fined \$25 by City Recorder Whipple.

Klores Return From South—

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Klores, who have been visiting in Southern California for the past three weeks, have returned to their home at Looking Glass. They visited with their daughter, Mrs. C. D. Haupt at Santa Barbara, and state that they had a fine trip, but because of the extremely warm weather in the south, they are very glad to return home.

Serves Lunches—

The Hi Way Corner Pharmacy at Oakland, is doing a fine business in that city at the present time, and in connection with the regular business, is serving lunches, with fountain service. On last Saturday the proprietors served ice cream, hot coffee and sandwiches free to visitors. Sherman A. Spang and Charles O. DeVore recently purchased the company. Mr. Spang was formerly of Salem and Mr. DeVore, the brother of Dr. John DeVore, a resident of Oakland years ago, came from Portland.

JANUARY TERM OF COUNTY COURT IS STARTED TODAY

The county court today started its January term, entering the busiest and most tiresome term of the year. At this meeting it is necessary to select the election officials for the elections to be held during the year, draw the names of men and women to serve on circuit court juries and to transact a vast amount of routine business.

Three elections are to be held this year, one a district election covering the proposed Umpqua highway improvement district and the others the regular primary and general elections.

The court spent the greater part of today auditing the usual routine of county bills. Tomorrow they will complete this work and will attend to road matters, after which the more tedious work of the term will be undertaken.

JOHNSON LOSES FIRST ROUND IN McCAMANT CASE

(Continued from page 1.)

tempt, however, to have the senate itself act on the proposal.

The committee vote was 8 to 3, with Senators Reed, Borah and Johnson voting for a favorable report.

Reed Scores Bankers. WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—By a vote of 54 to 16 the senate today refused to order an investigation of propaganda in favor of the world court and the foreign debt settlement, as demanded in Senator Reed's resolution.

Senator Reed declared the world court and the foreign debt settlements had behind them "the most astonishing propaganda this country and perhaps the world has ever known."

"An organization has emissaries in every hamlet of the United States, has sent out literature by the ton and has paid agents going over the United States to produce sentiment favoring this propaganda going into the league court," he declared. "I believe an equally organized effort is being made for the purpose of deceiving the United States into debt settlements for which Italy and other countries stand."

"I want to know who is putting up the money and what influence is behind it."

"I want to know who originated the argument on this side of the ocean for cancellation of the foreign debts. I want to know if the argument did not emanate from the institutions which loaned large sums of money to Europe."

"I want to know whether we have come to the point in this country that these international bankers can use the United States for their own enrichment and profit."

"I want to find out if it isn't a fact that gentlemen put forth the propaganda to cancel the debts that their own securities may be made more safe and they may reap profits running into millions."

"We know practically nothing of the negotiations for the settlements of these debts. We are told that Italy can pay no more than is proposed unless she is to become bankrupt. That's the story the Italians told our commissioners, but what is the story they told the international bankers when they borrowed \$100,000,000 from them?"

Stanfield's Tax Bill.

The Senate finance committee today approved the provisions exempting from taxation the income of the American salesmen, when abroad for more than six months engaged in selling products of this country.

Senator Stanfield of Oregon, a Republican member of the committee, today introduced amendments proposing to repeal the capital stock levy and increase instead, the corporation tax from 12 per cent to 34 per cent. Such a move was initiated in the house but was defeated.

The senate today ordered an inquiry into the failure of the department of justice to bring contempt proceedings against the Aluminum Company of America, in which Secretary Mellon is a large stockholder.

To Increase Veteran's Aid. Amendment of the World War veterans act, as provided in the Johnson bill, to provide a permanent medical service for the veterans bureau and appropriating \$20,955 for pay of 315 medical officers, assistants and nurses was urged before the house veterans committee today by Director Hines. The amount is an increase of nearly \$600,000 over that provided in a previous measure.

Creation of an Interstate Marketing Association "to place the agricultural industry on a sound commercial basis and to encourage cooperative associations" was proposed in a bill today by Representative Aswell, Democrat, Louisiana.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau, local office, Roseburg, Oregon, 24 hours ending 5 a. m.

Precipitation in ins. & Hundredths—

Highest temperature yesterday 57

Lowest temperature last night 43

Precipitation last 24 hours.

Total precip. since 1st month.

Normal precip. for this month 5.70

Total precip. from Sept. 1.

1925, to date. 10.25

1897. 14.98

Total deficiency from Sept. 1.

1925. 4.73

Average precipitation for 48 wet seasons. (September to May inclusive). 51.48

Cloudy tonight and Thursday, moderate temperature.

WM. BELL, Meteorologist.

WITHOUT LUMBER CO. IS HIT BY \$7500 FIRE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Jan. 6.—Fire of unknown origin today caused about \$7,500 damage to the machine shop and store rooms of the Stout Lumber Company will at North Bend.

The metal roof of the machine shop is believed to be all that saved the offices of the company and possibly the large mill. The buildings were gutted and the logging and other supplies of the store room and machine shops were a total loss.

ARREST MADE FOR POSSESSION AND SALE OF LIQUOR

Russell Carpenter was arrested last night at his apartments on a charge of possessing and selling liquor. According to Deputy Sheriff Shambrook, acting during the absence of Sheriff Starmer, the officers have evidence of the sale of liquor by Carpenter, and after obtaining such evidence last night obtained a search warrant and visited the young man's apartments where three pint bottles of liquor were found. He was arraigned on two counts this afternoon and entered pleas of not guilty to each. Bail was fixed in the sum of \$500 on the possession charge and \$600 on the charge of sale.

LEGION OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED LAST NIGHT.

The new officers of Umpqua Post of the American Legion were installed last night at the regular meeting. Commander Leon McClintock addressed the veterans, thanking them for his election and promising to give them the best possible administration. Several matters pertaining to the legion membership drive were discussed. The meeting was a good one and well attended. At the next regular meeting an entertainment and feed will be given the boys.

BORN

PERENI—To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pereni, of Anlauf, January 4, 1926, a son, weight 11 pounds.—Eugene Register.

Proof of the pudding is in the eating—whether buyer or seller—read the classified ads.

Send a copy of the News-Review New Year edition to your eastern friends. Ten cents a copy—wrapped, ready to mail.

WILD TO GO these chilly mornings

RED CROWN GASOLINE

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NEW WINTER 'RED CROWN'

ODE TO DOUGLAS COUNTY FOLKS.

(By Rev. J. R. Benton of Sand Point, Idaho.)

Down in Douglas County, Oregon, there's folks I'd like to see, I'd like to see Dale Cowan and Luther Daugherty;

I'd like to see Edgar Richards, Ben Huntington and Aunt Laura Applegate;

And that's not all; I'd like to eat Some more of her Burnt Leather' Cake.

I'd like to see "Tommy" Thompson, Will Rupprecht and Postmaster Edes;

Aunt Ida, and all the rest of the folks,

I'll never forget their kind deeds. I'd like to see Harley Stonaker.

"Dad" Whittin; the Henry Burts; Mrs. Samler, Sue and some more of the folks.

Why I'm so lonesome for Oregon, it hurts.

I'd like to see Charlie Danford Who works with blacksmith tools; And I'd like to see all the girls and boys

And the teachers of their schools. I'd like to see Glen Cooper

Who's a Highwayman, you see. And I'd like to see Willard Satchell

Who runs the old S. P. I'd like to see Elmer Daugherty, My, but he's tall and slim. But I'd take long steps home again, If I were as tall as him.

I'd like to see the Chesso boys, "Bud" and Pete and the rest; Jay Huntington and his fine turkeys and pick out one of the best.

I'd like to see W. E. Ramsey And Wm. Hellwell, I said, And I'd like to see George Wilson, Grant Applegate and Fred.

And there is Barton Hellwell, Gus Peret, Joe Wilson and Dee; But I haven't time and paper to tell half I'd like to see.

I'd like to see Ernest Warner, Avery Laswell, Les Miller and Hermann, too. I want to see them all so bad I don't know what to do.

I'd like to see John and Annie Kruse. And go once more to the Grange. And fill up on real pork sausage. And then eat some more for a change.

I want the Oakland Tribune And Roseburg News-Review. It's lonesome here without 'em The New Year's coming, too. So send along the papers. With all the home news going. And I can sit and toast my feet. And read while it is snowing. Well, Christmas time is coming And this I've been trying to say I'd like to see every last one of you

In my home town, on Christmas day. So I'll wish you a Merry Christmas.

Happy New Year and all the rest; But to be once more in my Home town For me would be better than best.

Where minutes are golden

When you read your newspaper, you probably think of it as informative, interesting entertainment—as a source of news which keeps you abreast with people and what the world is doing.

That is all true—but your newspaper serves still another and equally important purpose. It brings to you news which can vitally affect your home, your mode of living, the clothes you wear, the menu for your dinner.

Advertisements. You aren't spending time when you are reading advertisements. You are saving both time and money. Each day advertisers help you to compare values and prices. They tell you where you can secure the best and most serviceable at lowest cost.

Advertised goods are more dependable than goods unadvertised. They must be exactly as claimed. They can't afford to be otherwise.

Make a daily habit of reading the advertisements. It pays.

Mistakes in buying are costly—avoid them by reading the advertisements

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