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Ireland Splits on Question of the Ratification of the Anglo Treaty

CHECK PUT ON SUBMARINES BY 5 POWERS

Agreement Reached That Will Force Recognition of Law

COMMANDERS TO BE HEAVILY PUNISHED

Refusal to Abide by Recognized International Law Will be Punished as Piracy.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Consideration of the submarine question was concluded today by the five-power naval committee with the adoption of the final root resolution declaring submarine commanders who with or without orders violate existing international law or submarine warfare to be guilty of piracy.

The American delegation, through Root, thereupon brought forth a new proposal to prohibit the use of poison gas in future wars. It was received favorably but the decision went over until tomorrow. The piracy resolution was widened to include commanders of all naval vessels violating recognized rules.

BULLETINS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Senator Newberry is to address the senate Monday to answer charges that he be ousted.

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—Arthur C. Burch, on trial charged with the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, made a move while being taken to court today which the officer who was leading him said was an attempt to jump through the railing of a corridor. Burch declared that he merely stumbled.

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Welterweight champion Jack Britton will defend his title against Dave Slade at Madison Square garden on January 31. A contract for a 15-round decision bout has been signed.

(By Associated Press)
SALEM, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Martha Williams, 58, dependent over ill health, drowned herself in a creek near her home this morning. She was dressed only in night clothes.

(By Associated Press)
PORTLAND, Jan. 6.—The state-wide exposition executive committee adopted a resolution yesterday declaring for an exposition but to wipe out legislative action and start a new plan, which will be formulated. The governor yesterday vetoed the election bill.

(By Associated Press)
CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 6.—Beginning tomorrow bread will be sold here at the pre-war price of 5 cents for a 16-ounce loaf.

Building of Flume in Ladd Canyon Is Planned

Surveys are being completed this week for the construction of a flume in Ladd Canyon for floating logs down from the various creeks to be established by the White Pine and Lumber company which re-owns the canyon will be abandoned and newly acquired large holdings in the Ladd Canyon section. Work on the flume is expected to be begun within the next ten days or two weeks.

DAIRYMEN'S NEEDS TAKEN UP BY CLUB

Ad Club Committee Talks Over Plans for Benefitting Producers.

Problems confronting the man with a cow or two were thoroughly discussed by an informal committee of dairymen and the dairy committee of the Ad Club last evening. Decision to take further steps toward the betterment of the dairyman's condition was reached after a full discussion of the problems attaching to the industry. Such a meeting will be held at a date to be definitely fixed later, but probably a week from Saturday, and it will be an afternoon gathering. The daylight session was chosen because of the greater likelihood of a representative attendance.

The merits and demerits of cheese making, condensaries and manufacture of butter, along with pooled cream were gone over at the meeting last evening. The cost of overhead for maintaining cream stations throughout the county should be applied to the producers' profits, it was contended, and some means to bring that condition about were cited as necessary.

Another loss to the country that is a large one, was pointed out through the fact that great quantities of cream are shipped out and the buttermilk resultant therefrom is used to fatten other people's hogs and chickens, but not this county's. Altogether, the attainment of better results in dairymaking is a crying need the committee found, and every member present felt that if the dairymen themselves would meet and study their problems that some good could be accomplished.

The meeting was held in the Ad Club headquarters.

New Officers of Odd Fellows Put into Office

Star Encampment, No. 31, Odd Fellows held its annual installation Wednesday evening in the lodge hall. The officers installed were: F. R. Suddam, C. P.; Chas. Weagle, S. W.; Alfred Harvey, J. W.; Glenn H. Forward, H. P.; R. P. McCall, G.; Frank Lake, First W.; J. M. Kokemparger, Second W.; John Eggers, Third W.; Chas. Chadwick, Fourth W.; Elmer Houston, O. S.; Albert Lamb, J. S.; M. Elledge, G. of T.; Clifford Bragg, G. of T.; Roscoe E. Clark, Scribe; and H. E. Coolidge, treasurer.

Get-Together Dinner Given At Y. M. C. A.

The young men's gymnasium class was entertained at a get-together banquet last night in the Y. M. C. A. Harry Clark's band served as hosts and were heartily congratulated upon their excellent arrangements. The banquet commenced at about 7:30 with twenty gentlemen present. The meeting was opened by Woodward Williams, who said grace, which was then followed by a few songs in which the ladies participated. A three-act play, "The Mystery of the Old Mill," was presented and was well received. The evening closed with the singing of "God Bless America." The affair was a most successful one and the proceeds of the banquet will be used for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A.

CONTROVERSY ON SHANTUNG IS HOPELESS

Kiao Chow-Tsinanfu Railway Deadlocks Japanese and Chinese

"CONVERSATIONS" MAY BE BROKEN OFF

No Announcement Made on Altitude Today But Japanese are Expected to Stand Pat.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The Shantung controversy again appeared hopeless of solution late Thursday when after a two and a half hour session between the Japanese and Chinese delegations devoted to consideration of the return of the Kiao Chow-Tsinanfu railway, the latter announced that unless the Japanese accepted the Chinese plan for payment for the road in cash or installments by Friday the "conversations" would be ended. Only a removal of the "good offices" of Arthur J. Balfour and Secretary Hughes, it was said, could then bring about a meeting of the two governments.

The Chinese delegation definitely refused to accept the Japanese proposal for payment of the railway by a Japanese loan, Wellington Koo, a Chinese delegate said, but the Chinese made a concession regarding immediate deposit of \$2,000,000 Chinese dollars as a cash payment.

"Unless the Japanese accept either this offer or our alternative offer to pay in installments at Friday's meeting, that will be the last meeting," Dr. Koo said.

No intimation could be obtained from the Japanese concerning their attitude Friday, but it was understood that they stood firm on their insistence on lending the Chinese the money with which to buy the road back.

EUROPE MUST HELP HERSELF SAYS PREMIER

Lloyd George Tells Allied Conference that all Must Drop Their Prejudices.

(By Associated Press)
CANNES, France, Jan. 6.—The supreme council's action of inviting Russia to participate in the economic conference is regarded by a majority of the delegates as amounting to a recognition of the Russian soviet government.

(By Associated Press)
CANNES, France, Jan. 6.—Lloyd George in addressing the opening session of the allied supreme council today warned the allied powers that they could not look to any others but themselves to work out any rehabilitation of Europe. He appealed to the allies to set aside prejudices and work together.

The council approved calling an international economic conference in which Germany and Russia are to participate.

Van Dong To Return To Valley; Acquires Ranch Near Cove

B. M. Van Dong, former La Grande resident and late of Weiser, Idaho, traded about three hundred acres of irrigated land near Weiser to L. A. McNish, of Cove, for the old French place, which was owned by Mr. McNish. Mr. Van Dong will return to the Grande Ronde valley and will make his home here. He believes the Grande Ronde valley the best place to live in and is prepared to make it his home from now on. Mr. McNish will leave for Idaho to take over the property.

Bank Cashier And Hundred Thousand Are Among Missing

(By Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—The Day and Night bank, with deposits of three million dollars did not open today. The state bank commissioner found a shortage of over \$100,000. A. O. Meininger, the cashier, has not appeared at the bank since Wednesday, it was said.

"Happy—But Cured!"



Anyone wishing to break the new airplane non-stop record just hang up by Eddie Simson (right) and Lloyd Beraud over Long Island, is welcome. These fliers say "Never again!" They stayed up in a snowstorm and sleet, despite an oil pipe burst, for 24 hours, 18 minutes and 35 seconds. And almost froze. "We're happy," said Eddie, "but cured, on endurance tests."

First Coasting Accident of the Year Last Night

Mrs. H. G. Trull is Seriously Injured When Two Girls Run Her Down On Main Street Hill.

Mrs. H. G. Trull, wife of H. G. Trull, owner of the Sherry Theatre, was seriously injured last evening at the foot of Main street hill when two girls who were coasting down the hill on their sleds ran into her.

Mrs. Trull was returning home from the home of her son at the time and was thrown to the pavement. She suffered severe injuries on her limbs and on her head. Her recovery is believed certain.

The names of the girls on the sled were not learned.

This is the first coasting accident of the present winter season reported here.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN IS LEGION PLAN

New Year to be Started With Organization of Ladies Auxiliary at Early Date.

The La Grande post of the American Legion No. 43, will meet Monday night at the Eagles' hall at 8 o'clock for their first meeting of the present year. Several important items will be discussed such as forming a ladies' auxiliary and plans for a membership campaign in the present year. The membership campaign is a national movement and the goal is 100 per cent membership for each post. At the close of the business meeting refreshments and amusements will be enjoyed.

The dues for the present year are now due and payable, Post Commander Ray Murphy announced.

Pythian Sisters To Install Officers

At the joint installation of the Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters on Monday evening, January 9, the latter organization will install the following to serve for the current year:

Frances Clesmer, past chief; Sarah E. McCree, most excellent chief; Becca McCarthy, excellent senior; Claude Shannon, excellent junior; Shaded Wilson, manager; Mollie Moss, secretary; Corrie Clesmer, guard; Leo Kromer, press correspondent; and G. W. Smith, installing officer for emblems.

These officers were installed on January 9, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith, 1234 Main street. The installation was a most successful one and the proceeds of the banquet will be used for the benefit of the Pythian Sisters.

D'VALERA HAS HANDED IN HIS RESIGNATION

Cabinet is Also Reported to Have Resigned Today

FIGHT AT ELECTION MAY BE NEXT STEP

Ex-President is Hovering on Decision as to What to do and Makes Conflicting Statements.

(By Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Jan. 6.—Late this afternoon it was said that De Valera said he would withdraw his resignation on agreement that a vote on the treaty would be taken tomorrow.

(By Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Jan. 6.—De Valera told the Dail today he would offer himself for re-election, standing on the principles of 1916. He said he must have a cabinet supporting him and would demand all resources be given him to defend the republic.

Later he said he was sick at heart and intended to retire to private life. He spoke with tears in his eyes.

(By Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Jan. 6.—Official announcement was made this afternoon that Eamon De Valera had resigned the presidency of the Irish republic. De Valera opened the afternoon session of the Dail by saying that the split over the treaty was fundamental and irrevocable.

De Valera in announcing in announcing his own resignation to the Dail said the cabinet had also resigned. Before the afternoon session opened Liam Roiside, of Cork, said the situation was extremely critical and he feared strife might come from the division of the country on the treaty.

The committee which sought to bring about an agreement failed.

TOO MANY DELILAHS SPOIL SAMSON'S HAIRCUT



Pullets Earn Big Money on J. M. Jensen Farm

These eggs are worth, according to market, a little over \$40 per week. The feed cost for the poultry, including over 100 additional hens and roosters, amounts to slightly over \$11.00 per week, which leaves about \$27.00 net in figuring interest on investment of labor.

Mr. Jensen is also starting in the dairy business in a small way at the present time but he

Tonight and Saturday unsettled, probably rain in the west and rain or snow in the east portion of the state.

