

One Year Ago

We predicted a crisis with regard to the prices in Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Ready-to-wear.

The Crisis Is Here.

There is an acute shortage of production—especially in every branch of wearing apparel. Allotments are now made to the Merchant by the Manufacturer and there is no prospect of any relief.

Again We Say

To our patrons and friends:—Buy now all you need for a few months and save from 25 to 50 percent in comparison with prices that must prevail for spring.

Remember Sale Closes Saturday evening, Jan. 24th

D. M. NAYBERGER

McMinnville, Oregon

Every person in any way interested in the Community Hall for Dayton or in the Campfire Girl or Boy Scout movements are urged to be present at the free program in the Opera House Friday evening, Jan. 23.

This cold foggy, damp weather has started the most of us on the road to sneezes and bad colds causing handkerchiefs to raise

Dale Skinner was here Sunday from Oregon City, Oregon, to visit his wife and children who have been staying with Mrs. Skinner's mother since Christmas. Mrs. Skinner has been sick the most of her stay here and is still with her mother.

Glen Lord is here and has a crew of men at work placing a new re-inforced concrete lining to the vault in the Bank of Dayton. When this work is completed it will give the bank an eighteen inch re-inforced concrete wall which will give greater security for safety deposit boxes and papers stored in the vault.

FOR SALE:—The undersigned is offering for sale at his home a few miles from town a number of pigs, weight about 50 or 60 pounds.

C. L. Fowler, phone 5X22.

W. S. Hibbert and family whenever they get one of those lonesome spells get in the car and motor to Portland for an hour or so. They had one of these spells last Saturday and were on the road to and from Portland a short time reaching home about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. F. T. Mellinger and son Jimmie have been confined to the house during the past week on account of sickness. At this writing they are both greatly improved.

SEE OHLERT AND BUSBY for the best drag saw on the market "King of the woods."

FOR SALE—2 thorough bred Poland China sows, 10 months old. Litter of pigs by side. Also high grade Jersey calf 3 weeks old, subject to register

Kirk Walling, R. F. D. Amity, Ore. Phone 7X14, Dayton.

Safe bills are out announcing the auction sale of Lester Holt on the L. R. Alderman place near the S. P. Station, on Monday, January 19th, where there will be offered for sale 37 head of high grade Holstein and Jersey cows some with calves by their side and others to freshen in the coming spring. Also 5 head of heifers and 35 head of shoats. Sale commences at 10 a. m. Free lunch at noon. Remember the time and place.

Human nature is frail. Every man wants all the news printed until he himself gets into trouble. Then he assumes the attitude that not everything is the public's business.

W. D. Driver and family who have been living with his brother in the house near the ravine bridge in Dayton, a month or more has moved to the Green Acre place now owned by Lynn Gubser.

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NEW LIBERTY LOAN MAY BE NECESSARY

Washington.—Another liberty loan will be necessary if congress embarks on "new fields of large expenditures or reduces the aggregate volume of taxes," Secretary Glass declared in a statement setting forth the government's financial condition. If the present tax level is retained and new expenditures are kept down, the turn has come in the tide of government financing, the secretary asserted.

Although further issues of treasury certificates of indebtedness may be expected they will be redeemed through the sale of new issues of certificates for the first time since late in 1917.

As indicative of progress made by the treasury Mr. Glass pointed to reductions between September 1 and January 1 in the nation's gross debt and in the two classes of certificates of indebtedness outstanding. The gross debt which on September 1 was \$26,596,701,648, was \$25,837,078,807 on January 1.

BIG EUROPEAN LOAN ASKED

Relief Held Necessary to Prevent "General Disintegration."

Washington.—Loans aggregating \$150,000,000 for food relief in Austria, Poland and other European countries and Armenia, to prevent "a general disintegration of political cohesion in western Europe," were proposed to congress by Secretary Glass, who said it might be necessary to increase this amount to \$200,000,000 when the full situation in Europe had been assessed.

The secretary reviewed at length the condition in the suffering countries, particularly Austria and Poland, and said Great Britain, France and Italy were assisting in relieving distress in Austria, through a \$48,000,000 loan, and that England would continue to lend aid by furnishing ships for

transporting American food and such supplies as possible from the United Kingdom.

Under the treasury department plans the loans would be advanced by the grain corporation out of the billion-dollar wheat guaranty fund and would be used to establish credits in this country on the basis of \$70,000,000 for Austria, \$50,000,000 for Poland, \$25,000,000 for other European countries and \$1,000,000 for Armenia.

Congress Back on the Job.

Washington.—Returning to work Monday after two weeks' holiday, congress faces one of the busiest sessions in history. In addition to innumerable domestic matters there are international questions of far-reaching import that must be settled, including the treaty of peace with Germany and Austria. Adjournment was not expected before fall, and the only break in the long session that members can look forward to is the brief recess that will be taken coincident with the holding of the national party conventions in the summer.

Coal Output Picks Up.

Washington.—Coal production is again sufficient to meet current requirements, according to the weekly report made public by Walker D. Hines, director-general of railroads.

Five Millions Loaned China.

Washington.—The Pacific Development company of New York, including some of the principal banking institutions of that city, has advanced a \$5,000,000 loan to China.

36 Sows Bring \$55,975.

Chicago.—A record sale of thoroughbred hogs was made when 36 Poland China sows were auctioned for \$55,975, an average of \$1554.84 each at the farm near Lake Geneva, Wis., of William Wrigley, Jr.

Territory Taken From Spain.

At the close of the war with Spain the American government obtained possession of Porto Rico, Guam and the Philippines, agreeing to pay Spain \$20,000,000 and give Spanish ships special trading privileges in the Philippines for ten years. Neither statehood nor citizenship was promised to any of the islands taken over and they are governed as territorial possessions.

"Good Stickers."

There are some practical "make-shifts" for mullage. The white of an egg will be found quite as good for sealing letters. Another substitute is a cold boiled potato rubbed over the paper.

Not Much Credit Coming to Them.

Jud Tunkins says he knows two men, and maybe three, who bragged about not being profiteers, simply because they never had a good chance.

PEACE TREATY IS NOW IN EFFECT

United States Only Nation Not
Now on a Peace Basis
With Germany.

Paris.—The treaty of Versailles, making peace between Germany and the ratifying allied powers, was put into effect Saturday afternoon by the exchange of ratifications.

The peace treaty now goes into effect as between Germany and those powers that have finally ratified it—Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Guatemala, Peru, Poland, Siam, Czecho-Slovakia and Uruguay.

The United States alone of the "big five" has not ratified the treaty. As the list shows, formal ratifications have been given by most of the smaller powers signatory to the treaty.

The outstanding comment on the ceremony was that it left the United States the only power which was actively at war with Germany not now on a peace basis.

That was the note sounded by Baron Aurt von Lersner, head of the German peace delegation, in a statement after the ceremony.

"I am naturally happy that peace has finally become effective," he said. "My great regret is that the United States is the only country with which Germany is still in a state of war. I hope, however, that this situation will soon be changed."

BOLSHEVIK REGIME IN MEXICO PLANNED

San Antonio, Texas.—Information regarded by government agents here as evidence that Carranza government officials are countenancing a plan to establish a bolshevik regime in Mexico and that the radical programme is supported largely by evaders of American army draft, will be given to the senate sub-committee investigating Mexican affairs to be held here.

Summonses for more than 200 have been issued but the number who have notified agents of the committee of their willingness to testify is much greater.

American government records and reports of special agents tend to support the statement. According to the published boast, 30,000 Americans escaped service in the army by flight to Mexico. Most of them have returned to the United States, but many remain, and the names of a few have appeared in the literature of the communist and I. W. W. organs as actively engaged in furthering the cause of radicalism.

Not all the testimony offered will be unfavorable to the present Mexican administration. Supporters of the Carranza government have placed before the committee the names of many, who, they assert, will be able to counter at least some of the statements of special investigators, refugees and ordinary observers.

SEDITION BILL IS PASSED

Act Provides Severe Penalties For Advocating Overthrow of Government.

Washington.—An anti-sedition bill, prescribing severe penalties for acts or propaganda advocating overthrow of the government by force or violence, was passed by the senate without a record vote. The measure now goes to the house.

Under an amendment to the bill proposed by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, and accepted by the senate, persons having radical literature excluded from the mails may secure a hearing before a federal court and thus avoid the delay and expense of bringing suit in Washington against the postmaster-general.

Maximum penalties contained in the bill are a fine of \$5000 and five years' imprisonment, applying to all acts or circulation of literature in furtherance of forcible overthrow of the government.

The bill also bars from the mails any matter advocating force or sabotage.

Fight at Tijuana Rouses Governor.

Sacramento, Cal.—Governor William D. Stephens of California announced that he would ask the government at Washington to enforce passport restrictions that would prevent the proposed world's championship bout between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier at Tijuana, Mexico, just across

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the border line from California.

Last of Americans Return From Brest.

New York.—The last contingent of troops quartered at the military camp at Brest arrived here Monday on the transport George Washington.

1,000,000 Cases of Influenza in Japan.

Tokio.—Influenza is spreading throughout Japan. There are 1,000,000 cases reported, of which 12,000 are soldiers.

Poisoned "Fire Water."

Chicago liquor is full of poison, and it isn't the word of woman reformers that has spread the alarm, either. It is an honest-to-goodness chemist, hired by a jurist who was puzzled by the actions of the young and old men who were called "drunk." The chemist, after careful analysis of the fire water, exclaimed that the drink was the worst kind of stuff, and nothing short of poison. The report states that the "licker" contained wood alcohol, fusel oil, creosote and water. The gin which is sold extensively in Chicago saloons contained a concoction composed of either oil of juniper berries or the berries themselves. Another substitute found to be very popular was "bitters," which is made largely of tincture of cinchona.

The poisonous drinks are stupefying and frequently make the drinker deathly sick.

Page Mr. David.

Do you know Edward Albert Christian George Andrew David?

This is not the first name of several people. Instead it is the full name of his royal highness, the prince of Wales, who has been visiting Canada. When Emperor Joseph of Austria died he had a string of names which made a long paragraph in the newspapers.

Royalty has family names like other folks. The British royal family is often spoken of as the Guelphs. The ill-fated Russian imperial family was known as the Romanoffs; the former ruling family in Portugal was called Braganzas. The family who before Napoleon ruled France and later ruled Austria was the Bourbons. Everyone knows who the Hohenzollerns used to be.

Queen Victoria was originally Miss Ason von Este. King Edward VII, grandfather of the prince of Wales, was named Albert Edward Wettin.—Boston Post.

Prosperous Mines in Sweden.

In one of the mining fields in Daleland, Sweden, belonging to the Mangano Silicom company, several deep borings have been made, which gave a good result. The company's newly erected smelting works at Trollhatta, which are arranged for a yearly production of about 4,000 tons of prepared alloy, can be considered as provided with the necessary ore for ten years in advance.

Incompleteness.

How universal is the sense of incompleteness in human experience! Youth, maturity and even old age are ever reaching for the something else which they crave for the hour, which seems to be the essential need of the year while we occasionally meet natures who are begging every force of their working years to the end of attaining some great ambition, falling in which, life to them is but a fraction.—Robert Carron.

FARMERS ATTENTION!

Federal Loan 5 1/2 per cent on your Own Terms. You can borrow from the U. S. Government on your own terms at 5 1/2 per cent upon making application to the Secretary of the Local Board. This money is to be used to improve your farm, buy livestock, buy additional acreage or to pay off mortgage or other indebtedness. **NO COMMISSION, NO FEE, NO BROKERAGE.** For full information see Frank Holmes, Secretary of the Local Board, U. S. Nat'l Bank Building, McMinnville, Oregon.