

NEWS FROM OUR NATIONAL CAPITAL

Government Takes Steps to Prevent Financial Stringency as a War Result.

Washington.—War developments in Europe overshadow all else in the attention of official Washington. Steps to prevent a financial stringency in this country as a result of Europe's sudden need for gold were followed by a series of precautionary measures, designed to protect Americans and their interests abroad as well as at home.

Germany, France, Great Britain and practically all the other governments of Europe which may become involved in the struggle have asked the United States to care for their diplomatic interests in those countries with which they may be compelled to sever relations. The United States has accepted every request of this kind.

In this way the United States government, by acting as the sole channel of communication between the powers, may find an opportunity to assist in the settlement of the conflict by means of diplomacy.

Relief For Stranded Americans.

The administration has under consideration sending army and navy transports to carry American refugees home. If necessary the Washington government is prepared to send American vessels abroad with gold for the relief of Americans. Mr. Bryan cabled all consulates, legations and embassies to spare no pains in caring for Americans who remained in the war zones and giving every facility to those who wished to leave.

State department officials admitted that the most serious problem confronting them was the plight of Americans abroad. They estimated that a least 100,000 and perhaps as many as 200,000 are scattered throughout Europe.

The disorganization of European exchange has made it practically impossible to cash checks or letters of credit. American consulates, legations and embassies are devoid of funds for the emergency which has suddenly confronted them. They are being besieged on all sides with requests for financial assistance.

With the cancellation by several steamship lines of their sailings, many Americans find themselves unable to get passage on the overcrowded boats of American register.

Brief News of the Week

Government is collecting documentary evidence against the so-called kodak trust, says a Boston report.

Armour millions stopped a wheat panic on the Chicago board of trade, preventing crashes and failures.

Kermit Roosevelt will take a position as credit man in a branch bank of the National City bank of New York at Rio de Janeiro.

The Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis railroad went into the hands of a receiver. The road is said to have failed to pay interest on \$2,000,000 bonds.

As a result of the European war situation the stock exchanges of the world have been closed.

Jean Leon Juarez, the noted French socialist leader, was assassinated when dining in a small restaurant in Paris.

Paul M. Warburg, of New York, President Wilson's nominee to the federal reserve board, was examined by the senate banking committee.

Unsettled market conditions as a result of the war crisis have closed the Great Falls smelter of the Anaconda Copper Mining company in Montana. More than 3000 men were thrown out of work.

Secretary McAdoo has announced that the \$34,000,000 which the treasury will deposit in national banks, to help in the movement of crops, would be available as soon as they complied with conditions outlined to them.

Transatlantic service of passenger and freight steamships with sailings between German and American ports has been practically suspended for an indefinite period, owing to the international situation abroad.

To save trans-Atlantic shipping from paralysis during the European crisis and avert a threatened blockade of America's bumper crops, President Wilson and congressional leaders have agreed upon an amendment to the Panama act which will permit foreign ships to come under American registers.

Five per cent increase freight rates between Buffalo and Pittsburgh and the Mississippi river were granted by the Interstate commerce commission in a decision in the eastern advance rate case. All increases east of Pittsburgh and Buffalo were denied.

In an attempt to avert the threatened strike of 55,000 firemen and engineers on 98 western railroads, President Wilson appealed to representatives of the employers and employees to accept the settlement plan proposed by the federal board of mediation and conciliation.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

The postoffice department has rescinded the order discontinuing the postoffice at Disston, Lane county.

Leaders of the republican, democratic and progressive parties in Oregon have agreed to leave the prohibition issue out of the campaign.

Action of the postal department in rejecting tenders for carrying mails in rural sections is resented by the Coquille commercial club.

Big meeting representatives of all commercial interests in Portland and Columbia river basin was held at Portland to unite in campaign for rivers and harbors bill.

Refund will be ordered by the Oregon railroad commission to a passenger who was made to pay more for himself and mother-in-law than for himself and wife.

There will be no delay in getting action on the deed to the locks at Oregon City, according to information given Senator Lane by Assistant Secretary Breckenridge.

Ray Carroll will be sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of John Zoller, marshal of Gervais, a jury in the circuit court having found him guilty of murder in the second degree at his third trial.

That loganberry juice, made from the Oregon loganberry, is going to take a prominent place alongside of grape juice as a beverage, is the opinion of F. A. Breck, who has organized the Breck Fruit Juice company.

Fifteen thousand boxes of peaches in the vicinity of Eugene and Junction City is the estimate placed on this crop by Dr. H. F. McCormack, field agent for the Eugene Fruitgrowers' association, who has spent a week estimating the crop.

The United States department of agriculture has set apart \$11,000 for extension work in agriculture and home economics in Oregon during the next year. This amount may be increased to \$15,000. This allowance is in addition to the \$10,000 appropriated to Oregon under the Smith-Lever bill.

According to census reports received by State Superintendent of Public Instruction Churchill the school population of Tillamook, Harney, Coos, Yamhill, Willows, Baker and Clatsop counties increased during the year while in Hood River and Wasco counties it slightly decreased.

Nearly a score of those who were nominated at the May primary have failed to file their expense accounts with Secretary of State Olcott, and he has sent notice to all of them that their names will not appear on the ballot until they furnish a statement of their expenses.

The drought of the last six weeks seriously affected the pear crop in the Rogue river valley. Picking probably will begin next week. Experts who have looked over the valley fear there will not be more than 60 per cent of the 1913 harvest. The crop is estimated at 400 cars.

That Willamette valley products will be well represented at the Panama-Pacific exposition was assured at a meeting of the Willamette Valley Exposition association at Salem. Members reported that much headway had been made in their sections toward obtaining exhibits and that the people were deeply interested in making the best showing possible.

Auto streetcars, the first to be installed in the west, are to be in operation in Pendleton before the opening of the Roundup. Two 25-passenger cars already have been ordered and are now being built in Portland. When received they will run on regular schedule about the city and to the eastern Oregon hospital for the insane. Streetcar rates will be charged.

Ezra Meeker, of Puyallup, Wash., pioneer of 1852, who has twice crossed the plains by ox team, recently retracing the "Oregon trail," shipped his ox and prairie schooner from Springfield to San Francisco. Mr. Meeker also departed to take a position under the Washington state commission at the Panama exposition. He is to exhibit his outfit throughout the fair and assist in the publicity work.

Figures prepared by Corporation Commissioner Watson for his annual report and just made public show that his department is the greatest revenue producing arm of the state government. The department was started June 3, 1913, and from that time until May 31, 1914, the receipts totaled \$221,149.66. From June 1 to June 30, inclusive, the receipts were \$89,463.43, making a grand total of receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, \$310,613.09.

Forest rangers on the Umatilla forest are engaged in erecting a 65-foot "fire tower" on the top of Lookout mountain, one of the highest peaks in the forest. Owing to the fact that only the raw material to be found in the forest was available for building the tower, its construction was a difficult task. It is nearing completion, however, and will be equipped with a powerful glass and "fire finder." A man will be on duty constantly and with the aid of the equipment at his command will be able to locate every fire within a radius of 75 miles, almost as soon as it is started.

RAYMOND POINCARÉ



Raymond Poincaré, president of France, whose government will side with Russia in the present European crisis.

AMERICANS 'BROKE' IN PARIS

Ambassador Herrick Wants Gold Rushed By a Cruiser.

Paris.—The situation of Americans on account of the war crisis is bad. Their panic was increased by the closing of banks, Cooks' agency and American Express. The inability to secure money is the chief peril of the Americans, for there will be plenty of trains to boats after mobilization is over.

Ambassador Herrick, however, considers the financial situation so critical, it is reported, he will ask Washington to send a swift cruiser with cargo of gold to enable Americans to cash their checks, at present useless. He also will ask for transports to facilitate getting out of the country.

The most unfortunate part of the situation is the fact that such a great number of American women are here alone. Several hundred are in the embassy. The majority of Americans at the embassy are refugees from Germany and Austria.

Italy to Be Neutral.

Rome.—It is authoritatively announced that the Marquis di San Giuliano, Italian foreign minister, has informed the German ambassador at Rome that Italy will remain neutral, her obligations under the triple alliance treaty applying only to defensive war.

RUSSIANS INVADE GERMAN TERRITORY

Berlin.—Russia has begun the invasion of German territory. Russian forces having crossed the German frontier at Schwinden, southeast of Bialla, while a Russian patrol entered Germany near Eichenried, in Posen.

The Russian column, which crossed the frontier at Schwinden was accompanied by artillery.

The Russian patrol which entered near Eichenried attacked the German guard at the railroad bridge over the Warthe. The attack was repulsed. Two Germans were slightly wounded.

The above information was given out by the imperial staff.

Russians Repulsed.

Berlin.—Russian Cossacks, who had crossed the frontier from Russia into Germany, were repulsed at Johannisberg by the Eleventh Pomeranian dragoons.

A Russian officer and five Cossacks were killed and 11 were captured. Seven Germans were wounded.

German troops have occupied Kalisz, in Russian Poland.

Lord Kitchener Recalled.

London.—Owing to the critical war situation, Lord Kitchener has been recalled from Egypt to take up command of the British army.

Grand Duke Heads Army.

St. Petersburg.—Grand Duke Nicholas Nicolaevitch has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Russian army.

Naval Battle in North Sea Reported.

London.—Six German and two British warships were reported sunk as a result of a desperate naval battle in the North sea.

THE MARKETS

Portland.

Wheat—Club, 85c; bluestem, 88c; red Russian, 83c.
Hay—Timothy, \$16; alfalfa, \$12.
Butter—Creamery, 28c.
Eggs—Ranch, 23c.

Seattle.

Wheat—Bluestem, 85c; club, 83c; red Russian, 80c.
Hay—Timothy, \$17 per ton; alfalfa, \$14 per ton.
Butter—Creamery, 28c.
Eggs—30c.

FOR SALE!

The machinery used by the Oregon Agricultural College on Demonstration Farms at Redmond and Metolius:

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| 1 Campbell Packer | 1 Hand Cultivator |
| 1 Disk Harrow | 16 Double Disks for Drill |
| 1 Sythe with Cradle | 16 Alfalfa Reducers for Drill |
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Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county.

James Rice, plaintiff,

vs.

Edward Schrader, defendant.

To Edward Schrader, the above named defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby notified and required to appear and answer the complaint filed in the above entitled court in the above cause on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, as hereinafter stated, and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, or otherwise plead thereto, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, namely, for a judgment against you for the sum of \$100.00 with interest thereon from the 25th day of November, 1907, at the rate of ten per cent per annum; for the further sum of \$50.00 attorney's fees; for the further sum of \$20.71 with interest thereon from the 15th day of March, 1911, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum; for the further sum of \$21.00 with interest thereon from the 15th day of March, 1912, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum; for the further sum of \$28.00 with interest thereon from the 1st day of April, 1914, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and for plaintiff's costs and disbursements made and expended in said suit; and further, for a decree of the above entitled court foreclosing that certain mortgage made and executed by you, Edward Schrader, to Mrs. I. N. Moore on the 25th day of November, 1907, to secure the payment of one promissory note of \$100.00 with interest at 10 per cent per annum from the said 25th day of November, 1907, and for an order of sale of the premises described in said mortgage as follows:

South half (½) of the northeast quarter (¼), the northwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) and the northeast quarter (¼) of the southwest quarter (¼) of section fifteen (15), township eleven (11) south of range eighteen (18) E. W. M. in Crook county, Oregon, containing 160 acres.

That the proceeds of said sale be applied in payment of said judgment, together with attorney fees, costs and disbursements and accruing costs and expenses of sale.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for six consecutive weeks in the Crook County Journal, a newspaper of general circulation, published weekly at Prineville in Crook county, Oregon, by order of the Honorable W. L. Bradshaw, judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the first day of June, 1914, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 18th day of June, 1914.

C. L. FARRIS,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore.
July 23d, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Ansel M. Stewart, of Bend, Oregon, who on March 17, 1811, made homestead entry No 63398 for e½ section 18, township 20 south, range 18 east, Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at Bend Oregon, on the 5th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses Samuel W. Merrill, Oscar W. Cruse, William T. Walters and Rolf O. Brown, all of Bend, Oregon.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,
Register.

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Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county.

Julia I. Allen, Plaintiff,

vs.

Willie Allen, Defendant.

To Willie Allen, Defendant.

In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 4th day of September, 1914, and if you fail so to appear and answer the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit: for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff, for a decree that plaintiff have the custody of Kathleen Allen, the minor child of plaintiff and defendant, and for her costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable G. Springer, judge of the county court of the state of Oregon for Crook county, made on the 20th day of July, 1914, which said order prescribed that this summons be published in the Crook County Journal, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Prineville, Crook county, Oregon, for a period of six consecutive weeks.

The date of the first publication of this summons is the 23d day of July, 1914.

M. R. ELLIOTT,
7-23-6 Attorney for Plaintiff.

Order of Cause for Sale of Real Estate.

In the county court of the state of Oregon for Crook county.

In the matter of the guardianship of Nora Miller, a minor.

This cause coming on regularly to be heard upon the petition of B. F. Johnson, guardian of Nora Miller, a minor, for an order of sale of certain real estate of said ward, particularly described in said petition.

And it appearing to the court from said petition that it is necessary and would be beneficial to said ward that said real estate should be sold.

It is ordered by the court that the next of kin of the said ward, to-wit: William W. Miller, father of said ward, and all persons interested in the estate appear before the court on Monday the 7th day of Sept. 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the county court room in Prineville, Oregon, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why a license should not be granted for the sale of the real estate described in said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order shall be published three successive weeks in the Crook County Journal, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Prineville, Oregon.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1914.

7-23-4 G. SPRINGER, Judge.