

EARTH SHOCKS KEEP ITALIANS IN TERROR

Detailed Reports Increase List of Dead and Injured and Property Loss.

Rome.—A renewal of seismic disturbances has served to add to the terror of the people in parts of the district that was visited by the heavy earthquake last week.

Although the shocks were light, buildings which had been cracked and were tottering from the effects of the first disturbance, were completely razed. In Avezzano and Sora, the towns which suffered most from the disaster, the people left their temporary shelters and took refuge in open places.

Detailed reports received in the capital regarding Italy's stupendous earthquake disaster increase rather than diminish the appalling list of the dead and the enormous property loss.

The Messaggero, after making a careful compilation of all the figures it has been able to gather from the districts and villages hitherto isolated, announces that the number of dead and injured in the Abruzzi district alone is 30,000, without including the Sora district.

San Atollio has 200 dead and 500 injured, Morino 1500 dead, Canistro 600 injured, Cervaro 200 victims, Borgo 50 dead and Valloreveto 1800. At Civitella Roveto almost the entire population escaped because they were at work in the fields when the shock occurred.

Twelve thousand bodies, it is semi-officially estimated, are buried under the fallen walls of the earthquake ruined city of Avezzano.

ALLIES GAIN IN FLANDERS

Paris and Berlin Agree Artillery Duels Are Chief Activities.

London.—Official German and French reports agree in saying that late activities of the armies on the western front have been confined chiefly to artillery engagements. The German account tells of the blowing up of a foundry at Blangy, east of Arras, and the French version admits losing this position, but asserts that it was promptly regained and is still held.

A feature of the German report is the estimate it makes of the losses of the allies since the general advance was reputed to have been decided on in December. These are given by Berlin as 20,000 killed and 17,860 prisoners, and it is added that the grand total, including wounded, sick and missing, must have been 150,000 men.

"Our total losses for the same period," says the Berlin account, "do not amount to one-quarter of that number."

RUSSIANS DESTROY NEW TURKISH CORPS

London.—A Petrograd dispatch to the Central News says:

"An official communication says the Eleventh Turkish army corps has been exterminated near Kara-Urgan."

This is the third Turkish corps destroyed by the Russians.

The following official statement regarding the operations in Poland, Galicia and Bukowina, was issued from general headquarters:

"On the right bank of the lower Vistula we are still making successful progress."

"In the other sections we repulsed the enemy and forced them to fall back on their positions."

"In Bukowina our advanced columns captured by storm the Kirlibaba Pass, on the Transylvania frontier, situated on the road from Kimpolung (in the southern part of Bukowina) to Maramoros-Sziget (northeastern Hungary) and Dees."

President Wilson is Grandfather.

Washington.—A son was born at the White House to Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre, President Wilson's second daughter. Mrs. Sayre and the child were reported to be doing well.



Photo by American Press Association. James M. Sullivan, American Minister to the Dominican Republic, whose conduct of affairs is being investigated.

OREGON ON WAY TO CANAL

Battleship Leaves Puget Sound Navy Yard on First Leg of Trip.

Seattle.—The battleship Oregon, refitted and repaired until, her officers say, she is in even better trim than when she made her cruise around the Horn to participate in the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Santiago, sailed from the Puget Sound Navy Yard on the first leg of her voyage to the Panama canal. The Oregon will call at San Francisco on her way south to take aboard stores and coal.

From San Francisco the Oregon will proceed to San Diego, to honor the Panama-California Exposition and receive more explicit orders concerning the part she is to play in the naval celebration at the canal. Besides Commander Reeves, Captain Frederick Ramsey, of the Marine Corps, and several enlisted men who were aboard the Oregon in 1898, sailed with her.

Carranza Lifts Embargo on Oil.

Washington.—The British embassy announced that word had been received from General Carranza through the British legation in Mexico lifting the embargo on the exportation of oil at Tampico, which had threatened the fuel supply of the British fleet.

Dry Alabama Bill Passes.

Montgomery, Ala.—A bill to make Alabama a prohibition state after June 30, 1915, was passed by both houses of the legislature.

Chicago to Build \$5,000,000 Subway.

Chicago, Ill.—An appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the construction of a downtown subway was voted by the city council here.

GAIN AT SOISSONS PLEASES GERMANS

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—The fighting in the region of Soissons is regarded by German military experts as the greatest success for the German troops in France for three months, and it is held to confirm their convictions that the offensive of General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, has broken down.

Major Morant, writing in the Tageblatt, says the total French losses in the three days' fighting in the Soissons district must have reached 30,000. His conclusion is that this victory must expedite the German operations in the Argonne forest and around the French fortress of Verdun.

"The enemy's attacks on our positions northeast of Arras were repulsed. In a counter attack our troops captured two trenches and made prisoners of the occupants."

"The hamlet of La Boisselle, northeast of Albert, which has been mentioned frequently of late, was completely destroyed and cleared of all Frenchmen."

THE MARKETS.

Portland. Wheat—Club, \$1.41; bluestem \$1.43; red Russian, \$1.35; forty-fold, \$1.42; red fire, \$1.38. Hay—Eastern Oregon timothy, \$15; grain hay, \$11; alfalfa, \$13; valley timothy, \$13. Butter—Creamery, 30c. Eggs—Ranch, 28c; candled, 30c. Hops—1914 crop, 12c; 1913 crop, nominal. Wool—Valley, 18c; eastern Oregon, 20c. Seattle. Wheat—Bluestem, \$1.43; club \$1.41; red Russian, \$1.37; turkey red, \$1.40; forty-fold, \$1.42; five, \$1.39. Barley, \$30 per ton. Hay—Timothy, \$16 per ton; alfalfa, \$14 per ton. Butter—Creamery, 31c. Eggs—30c.

GOVERNMENT TRIES TO STOP RISE IN PRICES

President Orders Inquiry Into Possible Illegal Combinations in Background.

Washington.—With the department of justice, under instructions from President Wilson, seeking to determine whether any illegal combinations are back of the recent sudden rise in foodstuffs prices and the departments of agriculture and commerce compiling figures showing the amounts of food supplies in the United States and the recent increases in exports, the government began vigorous efforts to cope with the food price situation.

In addition, legislation giving the president power to stop the exportation of foodstuffs whenever necessary and other bills designed to lower the prices were discussed informally at the capital, but there were no indications that anything along this line will be done during the present session of congress.

Supply Bills May Fall This Season.

Fears that no general legislation, including the government ship purchase bill, can be passed in the senate before adjournment of congress by March 4 are now being supplemented by apprehension on the part of administration leaders that some of the general supply bills also will fall unless a plan can be devised to expedite legislative business that has been dragging at a snail-like pace for several weeks.

Fifteen appropriation bills, including the District of Columbia measure, with its prohibition rider, now before the senate, are to be disposed of within six weeks, if the necessity of adopting joint resolutions to continue existing appropriations is to be averted.

Naval Bill Reported.

The naval appropriation bill, carrying \$148,000,000, was formally reported to the house by the committee on naval affairs. It does not alter the two-battleship program. The submarine is declared to have proved its great value, but it is pointed out that battleships have been shown to be necessary for control of the sea in war. The bill increases the building program of the navy department by \$8,492,000.

The total number of vessels in the United States navy on July 1, the report summarizes, was 296, with a total displacement of 1,658,647 tons, of which 336, with displacement of 1,354,384, are "fit for service," including those under construction or authorized. Those listed as fit for service include 10 first-line battleships, 25 second-line battleships, 10 armored cruisers, 24 other cruisers, nine monitors, 59 destroyers, 19 torpedo-boats, 30 submarines and numerous other craft.

Turkey Meets Demands of Italy.

Rome.—The Turkish government, according to a semi-official communication published in the Giornale d'Italia, has renewed its order sent through Rome to the Valli of Yemen, Arabia, instructing him to give complete satisfaction for all the demands presented by the Italian government in connection with the incident at Hodeida, where Turkish officials forcibly removed the British consul from the Italian consulate, where he had taken refuge.

Former G. A. R. Chief Dies.

Newburg, Ore.—Major Thaddeus Clarkson, formerly commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and ex-postmaster of Omaha, Neb., died here aged 74. He had lived here with a daughter for several years past.

NEW PRESIDENT IN MEXICO

Colonel Garza Named When Gutierrez Flees From Mexico City.

Washington.—Colonel Roque Gonzales Garza, one of General Villa's principal officers, is the executive head of that portion of Mexican territory controlled by the Villa-Zapata forces.

Advices to this effect reached the state department from American Consul Silliman. Details of the term of office which Garza will serve were lacking, but the general belief in Mexican circles here was that he had been appointed temporarily to meet an emergency created by the sudden departure of General Gutierrez and members of his cabinet from Mexico City.

The reasons for the departure of Gutierrez are unknown here, but the belief prevails that he declined to be continued in office under the restrictions suggested by the Zapatistas.

Gutierrez is in Flight.

El Paso, Tex.—General Eulalio Gutierrez, deposed as provisional president of Mexico by the convention, which named General Roque Gonzales Garza as his successor, fled from the capital with several members of his cabinet to escape assassination at the hands of Zapatistas, according to reports received here.

Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Crook, W. G. Mustard, Plaintiff, vs. Ada Johnson, J. O. Johnson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and all persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real property described herein.

To Ada Johnson, J. O. Johnson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and all persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real property described herein, the above named defendants: In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby notified that W. G. Mustard is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered Eighty-four -84- issued on the 22nd day of December, 1914, by the Tax Collector of the county of Crook, state of Oregon, for the amount of Eleven and 19 hundredths -\$11.19- dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1910, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owners as appears of record, situated in said county and state and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lot Six-6-, Block Two-2-, original town-site of Bend, in Crook county, state of Oregon, according to the legal and official plat thereof on file in the office of the county clerk of Crook county, aforesaid. You are further notified that the said W. G. Mustard has paid taxes for subsequent years upon said property with the rate of interest on said amounts, the number of tax receipts and from the dates as hereinafter set forth, to-wit:

For the year 1911, paid December 22, 1914, receipt No. 1388, amount \$4.75, rate of interest 15 per cent per annum;

For the year 1912, paid December 22, 1914, receipt No. 1386, amount \$49.72, rate of interest 15 per cent per annum;

For the year 1913, paid December 22, 1914, receipt No. 6312, amount \$39.92, rate of interest 15 per cent per annum;

Said Ada Johnson, J. O. Johnson and Mrs. J. O. Johnson as the owners of the legal title of the above described real property as the same appears of record, and each and all other persons, unknown claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real property above described are hereby further notified that the said W. G. Mustard will apply to the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within Sixty -60- days after the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication and defend the action or pay the amount due as above shown to-wit with the costs and accrued interest and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above described.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable J. Springer, judge of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the said Crook county, and said order was made and dated this 31st day of December, 1914, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the said 31st day of December, 1914.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned, residing within the state of Oregon, at the address hereinafter mentioned.

Date of the last publication of this summons is the 4th day of March, A. D. 1915.

WILLARD H. WIRTZ, District Attorney and Attorney for Plaintiff. Address: Prineville, Oregon.

Notice for Publication

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

Notice is hereby given that Paul Mertsching of Prineville, Oregon, who, on March 1st, 1911, made homestead entry No. 08221 and on September 25th, 1914, made additional homestead entry No. 613883, for sw 1/4 sw 1/4 section 23, n 1/4 sw 1/4 section 26, n 1/4 sw 1/4 section 27, tp 16 south, range 16 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before Timothy E. J. Duffy, U. S. Commissioner, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 3rd day of February, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Curt Miller, H. Earl Cross, Curt Wilson, William Horsell, all of Prineville, Oregon. 12 31 H. Frank Woodcock, Register.

Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Crook. Central Oregon Irrigation Company, a Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. F. B. Nelson, Defendant.

To F. B. Nelson, the above named 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 within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, namely within six weeks from the 10th day of December, 1914, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: The cancellation of the contract for the acquirement of title to the land and water rights under contract relating to the sw 1/4 and ne 1/4 of section 15, township 17 south, range 12 E. W. M., together with the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order made on the 7th day of December, 1914, by Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, judge of the above entitled court.

JESSE STEARNS and F. EWING MARTIN Attorneys for Plaintiff. First publication Dec. 10, 1914. Last publication Jan. 21, 1915.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, Not coal lands U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Ore. January 8, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Patrick D. McNamee of File, Oregon, who, on June 15, 1910, made homestead entry Act Feb. 19, 1909, No. 63662, for ne 1/4 sec. 19, section 19; w 1/4 sec. 20, township 21 south, range 23 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before Charles A. Sherman, U. S. Commissioner, at File, Oregon, on the 1st day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Paul P. Werner, R. G. Douglas, H. W. Douglas, Ed Street, all of File, Oregon. JAS. F. BURGESS, Register. 1-21

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the executor of the estate of Avery G. Scoggin, deceased, to all creditors of said deceased and to all persons having claims against said estate to present them with the proper vouchers at the office of N. G. Wallace, in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

Dated and published first time this 21st day of January, 1915. N. G. WALLACE, Administrator of the estate of Avery G. Scoggin, deceased. 1-21-15

W. A. BELL

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M. R. Elliott,

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Summons.

In the justice court of the state of Oregon for Crook county, District No. 1. J. M. Tengman, Plaintiff, vs. H. P. Speer, Defendant.

To H. P. Speer, defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed herein against you in the above entitled cause on or before January 29, 1915, which is the time prescribed in the order of the justice of the peace of Crook county, Oregon, for district No. 1, pursuant to which this summons is published, in which you are required to appear, answer or plead, and if you fail to so appear, answer or plead, the plaintiff will take judgment against you as prayed in his said complaint, to-wit: for the sum of thirty dollars with interest from the 14th day of December, 1914, at ten per cent per annum, for fifteen dollars attorney's fee and his costs and disbursements herein.

The date of the first publication of this summons is the 17th day of December, 1914.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of Hon. A. R. Bowman, justice of the peace for Crook county, Oregon, for District No. 1, made on the 16th day of December, 1914

A. R. BOWMAN, Justice of the Peace. pd

Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Crook. Jonathan Johnson, plaintiff, vs. Roy Young, defendant.

To Roy Young, defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, on or before the 21st day of January, 1915, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint here in, to-wit:

For a decree of this court declaring the plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of the south half of section 9, and southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 16, in township 14 south, range 12 east, W. M., and forever quieting the title of the plaintiff against you and barring and enjoining you from at any time hereafter setting up or asserting any claim or title to said premises or any part thereof.

This summons is served upon you by the publication thereof in accordance with an order made at Prineville, Oregon, by the Honorable W. L. Bradshaw, judge of the circuit court, on December 11, 1914, requiring that this summons be published at least once a week for six consecutive weeks in Crook County Journal, a newspaper published at Prineville, Crook county, Oregon, and that the first publication thereof shall be on the 17th day of December, 1914. pd

FOSTER & HAMILTON, Attorneys for plaintiff.

Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county. The First National Bank of Prineville, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. S. R. Cooper, defendant.

To S. R. Cooper, the above named defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled court and action, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within Crook county, state of Oregon, or, if served within any other county in the state of Oregon, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or, if served without this state by publication, as required by law, then on or before the 6th day of March, 1915. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear or answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of Seven hundred fifty dollars, with interest thereon at rate of ten per cent per annum from the 2nd day of June, 1914, (less the sum of Two hundred fifty-seven and one-half dollars paid thereon July 8th, 1914,) and for the further sum of Fifty dollars as attorney's fees, and for the further sum of Three hundred dollars with interest thereon at rate of ten per cent per annum from the 23rd day of July, 1914, and for the further sum of Thirty dollars as attorney's fees, and for the further sum of One hundred sixty-eight dollars with interest thereon at rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of October, 1914, and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and for an order of said court that certain personal property belonging to you, and attached in this action in this county, be sold to satisfy said judgment. This summons is published in the Crook County Journal for six full weeks in seven consecutive issues thereof, commencing with the issue of January 21st, 1915, and ending with the issue of March 4th, 1915, by order of the Hon. G. Springer, county judge of Crook county, state of Oregon, made and entered on the 13th day of January, 1915.

Dated and published first time January 21st, 1915. M. E. BRINK, Attorney for Plaintiff.