

THE WEATHER
 Oregon City—Rain today; increasing southerly winds.
 Oregon—Rain west, rain or snow east; southerly winds.

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EXTRA SESSION TO TAKE UP TARIFF

WILSON, AFTER CONFERENCE, INDICATES LINE OF ACTION HE WILL PURSUE

SPEAKER URGES IMMEDIATE WORK

Clark insists That Members of Congress Should not Wait too Long Between Sessions

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 24.—Congress probably will be called into extraordinary session by President Wilson shortly after his inauguration, perhaps on March 15, and the particular legislation that will come before it will be tariff revision.

After a two hours' conference with Speaker Clark, the President-elect said today he would endeavor to meet the wishes of the Democratic leaders in Congress, who, he was informed, were desirous that the intervals between the two sessions of Congress should be as brief as possible.

While the speaker said the time of the present Legislature would be consumed with appropriation bills, leaving the bulk of the Democratic platform pledges to the new Congress, he concurred with Mr. Wilson that the tariff should be the uppermost subject to come before the special session.

When the conference was over Mr. Wilson said the talk had been along "universal lines", legislation as well as Cabinet possibilities having been taken up. He added that they had discussed the general character of the extra session and the preparedness of general legislation to come before it.

"We both agreed that the tariff should be the main interest of the extra session," said the Governor.

In urging an early meeting of Congress, the speaker told Mr. Wilson he believed members of Congress ought not to be kept waiting too long between sessions.

PROGRESS NUMBER TO BE BEST EVER

MERCHANTS GIVE AID TO BIG MAGAZINE TO BE ISSUED IN JANUARY

RESULTS ARE SPECIALLY GRATIFYING

Publication One of Best Mediums for Advertising City and County in Great Eastern Country

After only ten days active work by the Enterprise representative in soliciting patronage for the big Progress and Anniversary Edition to be issued about the middle of January the results justify the prediction that the 1913 Annual will be far better than ever from every standpoint.

Considering that the soliciting has been confined to the period immediately preceding the holidays, when for obvious reasons the larger merchants and many others whom we might reasonably expect to interest, could not be seen, the results are especially gratifying. Nothing in the way of a publicity measure for Oregon City or Clackamas County was ever put out in a more attractive form or on a more comprehensive scale than the forthcoming Progress and Anniversary number will be, and, if perchance, there should be any who are dissatisfied with the issue after it is in circulation we issue that it will be some one who has failed to arrange for representation in its columns—and happily it seems that their number will be extremely limited. Below we are printing a list of the live, progressive business firms and others who have already signified their willingness to cooperate with the Enterprise in making this handsome edition possible.

These people believe in progress. They believe in a more progressive Oregon City and a more populous Clackamas County. They believe that an issue of this kind carrying the message of Clackamas County's opportunities and progress to thousands of Eastern readers will be of untold benefit to the community in attracting new blood, new brains, and new money to the county.

They also recognize this magazine as an ideal medium of local publicity, going into the homes of Clackamas County as a part of the regular issues of the Enterprise as it does, but apart from any benefits which may accrue to them directly as a result of their participation in the issue they are broad minded enough to appreciate that anything that will help to build up the community will help every business man and every property owner in it—and are public spirited enough to bear their part cheerfully.

There are a great many yet to be seen in behalf of the Progress and Anniversary Number and now that Christmas will soon be over the work will proceed rapidly.

Watch this list grow:

Publicity Dept. Oregon City Commercial Club.

Willamette Pulp & Paper Company.

Hawley Pulp & Paper Company.

McLaughlin Institute.

First National Bank of Oregon City.

Crown Columbia Paper Company.

J. Levitt, Men's Clothing and Furnishings.

Oregon City Abstract Company.

Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company.

Dillman & Howland, Real Estate and Insurance.

Williams Bros. Transfer Co.

McLaughlin Institute.

George A. Harding, Drugs.

Portland Railway, Light & Power.

Oregon City Transportation Company.

Operating the Steamers "Grahamona", "Pomona" and "Oregona."

Ogle Mountain Mining Company.

The Northwestern Association, Realty Investments.

Charman & Company, Drugs.

White Bros., Architects and Contractors.

Pacific Paper Company.

Clackamas Southern Railway Company.

E. H. Cooper, Insurance.

F. C. Gacke, Plumbing.

Gustav Schnoerr.

Oregon City Screen Plate Glass Works.

C. G. Miller, "Overland" Autos—Garage and Electrical Supplies.

S. P. Davis, Abstractor—Secretary Title & Investment Co.

Skinner & Herman, Agents Ford Automobile.

SUES TO COLLECT NOTE.

The Clackamas Abstract & Trust Company Tuesday filed suit against Henry Kerbs and Herman Scherzinger for \$1,400 on a promissory note alleged to have been executed October 12, 1912. The first National Bank lent the money and sold the note to the plaintiff. It is alleged in the complaint. The saloon was closed Tuesday night.

"Merry Christmas"



BIDS REJECTED FOR LIBRARY FURNISHINGS

All bids were rejected for the new Public Library, at the meeting of the Library Association committee, which met in W. S. U'Ren's office Monday afternoon. There were present Mrs. W. S. U'Ren, Miss Myrtle Buchanan, Miss Frances, Louise Holmes, and R. T. McElnain. The bids covered fixtures, furniture, and electric wiring, but there was so much disparity in the various offers that the committee felt justified in rejecting all of them.

CUPID AWARDS 6 XMAS PRESENTS

Dan Cupid and Santa Claus formed a combination here Tuesday afternoon, which resulted in six licenses to marry being issued by County Clerk Mulvey. There have been more licenses to marry issued in Oregon City the day before Christmas, but never were there couples more anxious to get them than the six young men and six young women who received the licenses Tuesday. They were Edna Darling and W. S. Osborn, Oregon City; Edna Denister and Louis Krummel; Mary Phillips and Clay S. Warren, 1566 Virginia Street, Portland; Hattie Pearl Keck and Charles Templar; Zeta Mae Andrews and Alexander W. McLeod and Eva M. Walton, 783 Brooklyn Street, Portland.

Several of the couples were married in this city while the others went to Portland to have the ceremonies performed.

PRESIDENT TAFT AND PARTY ARRIVE AT COLON

COLON, Dec. 24.—President Taft and his party arrived here on board the United States warship Arkansas, landing at 8 o'clock Tuesday. The party includes the President and Mrs. Taft, Charles P. Taft, Jr., Miss Louise Taft, Charles D. Hilles and Mrs. Hilles, Beekman Winthrop and Mrs. Winthrop, Major T. J. Rhoades, United States Army, aide-de-camp; Lieutenant-Commander J. W. Timmons, United States Navy.

CHRISTMAS OBSERVED BY ALL CHURCHES

The churches of Oregon City celebrated Christmas fittingly Tuesday "Light of the World" was the subject of a program rendered at the Congregational Church Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Sunday School. There was a big Christmas tree and all the members of the Sunday school received presents. Christmas hymns were rendered and Sunday school pupils representing various countries sang beautifully. Margaret Clark made a fine declamation, her subject being, "Why do Christmas Chimes Ring?"

The Presbyterian Church gave a Christmas party from 2 until 5 o'clock in the evening. There was a Christmas tree and a program for the benefit of the children and members of the Sunday school. Rev. C. W. Robinson, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will conduct holy communion at 8 o'clock this morning and again at 10:30 o'clock. There will be special music and the rector will deliver sermons at both services.

A Christmas tree celebration was held at the Baptist Church Tuesday evening. A cantata under the direction of Mrs. van Brakel and Mrs. Olmsted was a feature of the celebration.

Services will be held at St. John's Roman Catholic Church, beginning with mass at 6 o'clock this morning. Mass will also be conducted at 8 and 10 o'clock this morning by the pastor, Rev. Father Hillebrand.

He looked remarkably well in spite of the arduous labor of receiving many delegates who had come to bring him the greetings of the season.

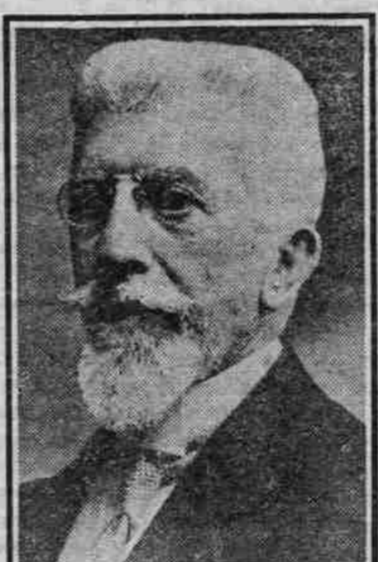


Lewis Einstein, United States Minister to Costa Rica.

POPE IS PLEASED BY PEACE OVERTURES

ROME, Dec. 24.—The Pope, during his Christmas reception to the cardinals, referred to the peace conference saying that all Christians should unite in prayer that the outcome of the present councils of the nations should be peace, for which he rejoiced there was reasonable hope. The Pope deplored the attempt to assassinate the Viceroy of India at Delhi.

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Gen. Jose Manuel Hernandez, who aspires to be President of Venezuela. He is leading a movement to overthrow President Gomez.

ASKS \$1,000 OF MAN HE SAYS STABBED HIM

Antinio Chirozo filed suit Tuesday against Giovanni Di Benedetti for \$1,000 damages, alleging personal assault. The plaintiff declares that the defendant December 16, 1912, assaulted him in his own home in Milwaukie. Chirozo says he was seriously injured and that he should be awarded the amount of money asked.

LIFE OF JAPANESE PRINCE IMPERILED

ASSASSIN BREAKS INTO RESIDENCE OF CHIEF OF STAFF OF LATE WAR

MAN CAUGHT, ATTEMPTS TO KILL SELF

Yamagata, Official Whose Life is Sought, Supreme Council and Visited America in 1888

TOKIO, Dec. 24.—An attempt was made early Tuesday to assassinate Prince Arimoto Yamagata, the president of the Japanese privy council and supreme councillor of Japan. The prince escaped unhurt. His assailant tried to commit suicide.

The assassin broke into Prince Yamagata's residence just before midnight, and endeavored to approach the prince. He was observed by some attendants, and then tried to commit suicide, but he was prevented as he was in the act of stabbing himself. He was arrested. An investigation is now proceeding into the reason for his attempt.

Prince Yamagata was the chief of general staff during the Russo-Japanese war. He is well known in all European countries.

Prince Yamagata fought with the imperial forces during the war of the Restoration, after which he was appointed Major-General and Junior Vice-Minister of War. He became Minister of War in 1873. He was chief of Staff of the imperial army during the Civil War of 1877.

Later he held the portfolios of Home Affairs and Justice and reformed the system of local government, and also brought about sweeping judicial reforms.

Yamagata visited America and Europe in 1888 and 1889. He attended the coronation of Czar Nicholas in 1896, and concluded the Yamagata-Lobanow convention with Russia in connection with Korea.

PULLMAN CO. RAISES SALARIES OF 2500

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Clerks, bookkeepers, stenographers and other office employees of the Pullman Company, to the number of 2500, are to receive an increase in pay of from 6 to 12 per cent at the beginning of the new year, according to a statement of President Rannels, of the company.

The lower the pay of the clerks, the more they are to be benefited by the increase in salary. In all the advance in pay will cost the company \$300,000.

OLDEST TWINS, 94, TO CELEBRATE XMAS

BABYLON, N. Y., Dec. 24.—Samuel and William Muncy, who claim to be the oldest twins in the world, will celebrate their 94th birthday at their home Wednesday.

Both of them are active, and they tell inquirers that they attribute their long life and excellent health to the fact that they are total abstainers, not excepting such dual occasions as they will celebrate Wednesday. They will attend church together, as usual, and afterward eat a Christmas dinner at the home of one of their relatives, where there will be a family reunion.

60 IMPERILED ON STRANDED STEAMER

SHIP HARD AND FAST ON JERSEY SANDS IN BLINDING STORM

EFFORTS TO SAVE MEN ARE FUTILE

Lifesavers Standing by Find it Difficult to Locate Exact Position of Big Fruit Vessel

SANDY HOOK, N. J., Dec. 24.—The Steamer Turrillaba went hard and fast aground on the Jersey sands south of Barnegat, pounded by a heavy sea and with more than 60 passengers aboard.

Summoned to their aid by wireless, the revenue cutter Seneca, after a run, under forced draught from New York, reached the side of the United Fruit Company liner shortly after midnight, prepared to give what assistance might be necessary.

As the Turrillaba, though beginning to list badly, was not taking water and the falling sea and wind combined to mitigate the danger of her position it was decided not to attempt to remove the passengers before morning.

Direct news from the steamer by wireless via Cape Bay, N. J., came shortly before 10 o'clock tonight in a message timed at 8:45 o'clock to the office of the line. It read:

"Seneca arrived. We have decided to hold passengers till daylight, owing to heavy swell. Seneca and lifesavers' boat standing by. Ship dry. Lindsay."

For many hours after the steamer grounded the lifesavers were unable to get to her, because of the position, three miles off shore. In the afternoon however, a lifesaving crew made its way out to her and stood by ready to give assistance. The word that came from the steamer then was reassuring. Though in a precarious position, and pounding considerably, her hull was intact.

2 COUPLES TO WED AT SAME CHURCH TODAY

Two marriages of more than usual interest will be solemnized in this city today. Miss Bessie Pickthorne, daughter of S. L. Pickthorn of Portland, and Wilbur D. Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Andrews, will be married at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Lansborough officiating. Mr. Andrews is a graduate of the Oregon Agricultural College and is an Estimating Engineer employed in Portland.

The second marriage will be that of Miss Zeta Andrews, niece of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Andrews and Alexander McLeod, who owns a wheat ranch near Kent, Eastern Oregon. The marriage of Miss Andrews and Mr. McLeod will be at 6 o'clock. Both couples will take extended wedding trips.

STAR THEATRE

Special for Xmas

THE McCLOYS

In A Strong Dramatic Act

THE BELLS

This classic is taken from Sir Henry Irving's greatest success and has been played by the McCloy's on both the Orpheum and Pantages circuits with flattering comment from both press and public. In addition

GERALDINE McCLOY Will sing "Those Songs My Mother Used to Sing" with novel Electrical effects. DON'T MISS IT. Also one other song.

Extraordinary Picture Program
 The Truant's Doom
 The Servian Army in the Balkan War
 Her Own Country

THURSDAY
 Hawley and Mitchell Singing, Talking, Dancing Clever Entertainers.

STAR THEATRE

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season. We wish to announce that our store will be closed all day TODAY
Price Bros

Store Closed Today
 To our patrons and friends who have so liberally patronized this store we extend our best wishes for a
MERRY CHRISTMAS
Adams Department Store