

PARIS SAYS KAISER HAS LOST SPEECH

Affliction Declared by Matin, Despite Denials, to Be Cancer of Throat.

OPERATION GIVES RELIEF

Complete Removal of Larynx Said to Be Only Alternative—Offer to French Physician in 1911 is Related.

PARIS, Jan. 4.—The Matin affirms, notwithstanding denials, that the German Emperor is suffering from cancer of the throat and is no longer able to speak.

In February, 1911, according to the Matin, the doctors were considering whether it was necessary to remove the entire larynx in order to stay the progress of the disease.

This explains why the Emperor would not wish to speak if such an operation were performed.

NEW DRINK IS FORBIDDEN

Non-Alcoholic Substitute for Beer Taboo in Seattle.

CENTRALIA STORE ROBBED

Thieves Leave Own Clothes Taking New Suits and Other Goods.

EMBROIDERY TRADE DROPS

America's Purchases From Switzerland Show Marked Decline.

MR. HUERTA IS IMPROVED

Operation Is Performed and Patient Is Cheerful as Usual.

DRINK ADS BAR MAGAZINES

Popular Periodicals Withdrawn From Sale at Vancouver.

DRUCK HUNTERS UPSET IN LAKE

St. GASTON, Or., Jan. 4.—(Special.) John Conwell, of Hillsboro, and J. H. Woodcut, of Gaston, had an unpleasant

POWDERED MILK BEING SENT TO GERMANY FOR BABIES.



PACKAGE PREPARED FOR SHIPMENT. To test the validity of Britain's interference with United States mails, a committee is to mail 150 five-pound cans of milk powder to Germany and Austria-Hungary for the use of babies.

LILLE ON VOLCANO

French Town "Game," but Dislikes Waiting Silently.

PAST HISTORY IS GLORIOUS

Civilians Have Their Share of Unsettling Uncertainties, but They Have Not Yet Been Accused of Being Pusillanimous.

WILSON MAY ASK COUNSEL

(Continued From First Page.) The next step shall place the Government in a position where it will be able to maintain the principles of international law and humanity.

WILSON'S COURSE IN PRESENT AND PREVIOUS SUBMARINE CRISES.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Secretary Tumulty today issued the following statement for President Wilson:

RHEUMATISM GOES IF HOOD'S IS USED

The genuine old reliable Hood's Sarsaparilla corrects the acid condition of the blood and builds up the whole system.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion.

Coughing

Spells are eased and relieved by Bess's Bronchial Trachea which soothe the throat and bronchial tubes, allaying irritation.

Buffum & Pendleton

Morrison Street Opposite Postoffice

TUNNEL TO CRATER LAKE IS SUGGESTED

Superintendent Would Pierce Rim, to Lessen Danger in Reaching Water.

STEEP TRAIL IS AVOIDED

Past Season Largest in Park's History in Number of Visitors. Paving of Present Roads to Precede New Ones.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 4.—In order that visitors to Crater Lake Park may have ready access to the lake itself, and not be compelled to make the hazardous trip down the steep trail that leads from the lodge to the shore below, Will G. Steel, superintendent of the park, recommends the construction of a tunnel through the rim, just above the level of the lake.

Small Notions and Dress Findings AT BIG SAVINGS

Check Your Needs From This List

- 5c Bowstring Machine Thread, 6 for 25c, or dozen at... 47c
10c Silk-covered Featherbone, Clearance Sale Price, 8c yd., box 90c
15c Cotton-covered Featherbone, Clearance Sale Price 8c yd., box 85c
5c Brass Hooks and Eyes, Clearance Sale Price 4c yd., box 20c
15c Shell Hair Pins, one dozen in box, Clearance Price, box at 10c
25c Sew-on Hose Supporters, Clearance Sale Price, Set at... 15c

Advertisement for Roberts Bros. Third & Morrison. Store Opens Daily at 8:30 A. M. On Saturdays 9:00 A. M. Pacific Phone Marshall 5080. Store Closes Daily at 5:30 P. M. On Saturdays 6:00 P. M. Home Phone A 2112. The Most in Value—The Best in Quality.

Advertisement for Undermuslins and Corsets. See the Clearance Sale Reductions in Undermuslins and Corsets. Worthy Price Reductions Are General Throughout These Stocks of Reliable, Trustworthy Merchandise. These Items for Example:

Choice at 59c: Chemise, Combinations and Skirts Selling Regularly to \$1.25 and \$1.50. Choice at 49c: Muslin Gowns, in Both High and Low Neck Styles, in 75c and 85c Qualities.

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Washington, which classed San Francisco with cities in which influenza is epidemic.

SAN FRANCISCO HAS GRIP

Accuracy of Epidemic Report Is Upheld by Federal Officer.

STATE LAW IRKS BRYAN

Little Known, However, as to Details of Work of Department or of Sale of Warships to Greece.

EX-SECRETARY PAYS OWN EXPENSE AS WITNESS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—William Jennings Bryan vigorously protested today against the law of New York state, because he was required to come here at his own expense and give testimony in a suit for libel.

Centralia Couple Steal March.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—J. S. Dickerson, city electrician, and Miss Lola Machen, a popular Centralia girl, were married Friday.

Men!

—You who have resolved to economize during 1916 can begin right now and here during our

January Clearance

Replenish your wardrobe while the opportunity offers.

Underwear \$2.00 Union Suits, now... \$1.60 \$2.50 Union Suits, now... \$2.00 \$3.00 Union Suits, now... \$2.40 \$3.50 Union Suits, now... \$2.80 \$4.00 Union Suits, now... \$3.20 \$5.00 Union Suits, now... \$4.00 \$6.00 Union Suits, now... \$4.80

Two-Piece Underwear \$1.00 Garments, now... 80c \$1.25 Garments, now... \$1.00 \$1.50 Garments, now... \$1.20 \$1.75 Garments, now... \$1.40 \$2.00 Garments, now... \$1.60 \$2.50 Garments, now... \$2.00 \$3.00 Garments, now... \$2.40 \$3.50 Garments, now... \$3.00

Neckwear 50c Neckwear, now... 35c \$1.00 Neckwear, now... 65c \$1.50 Neckwear, now... \$1.05 \$2.00 Neckwear, now... \$1.25 \$2.50 Neckwear, now... \$1.55 \$3.00 Neckwear, now... \$1.85

Nightwear \$1.00 Nightwear, now... 75c \$1.50 Nightwear, now... \$1.15 \$2.00 Nightwear, now... \$1.35 \$2.50 Nightwear, now... \$1.75 \$3.00 Nightwear, now... \$2.05 \$3.50 Nightwear, now... \$2.55 \$4.00 Nightwear, now... \$2.95 \$5.00 Nightwear, now... \$3.75

Clearance Sale MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats, Hats