

GREY MAKES REPLY IN BARALONG CASE

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Outrages of War to Im-
partial Tribunal.

AMERICAN IS SUGGESTED

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Probable That Example of Sav-
agery Set by Germans at
Sea Is Contagious.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—A British state-
ment issued today says:
"Mr. Edward Grey, Secretary for For-
eign Affairs, has answered the com-
plaint by the Germans through the
American embassy regarding the de-
struction off the coast of Ireland of a
German submarine and crew by the
British auxiliary Baralong, by refer-
ring to various German outrages."
The statement says that the British
government is willing to submit all
outrages of war to an impartial tri-
bunal, and that it is even probable
that the example of savagery set by
the Germans at sea is contagious.

Full Correspondence Given Out.
"The Foreign Office has presented to
the House of Commons the full corre-
spondence between Ambassador Page
and Mr. Edward Grey concerning the
case. A memorandum from Germany
concerning the sinking of the subma-
rine includes affidavits from six Ameri-
cans—J. M. Garrett, of Kila, Miss.;
Charles G. Hightower, of Crystal City,
Tex.; Bud Komer, of Detroit; Ed-
ward Clark, of Detroit; R. H.
Curry, of Crystal City, and James J.
Curry, of Chicago. The above were all
passengers aboard the submarine, and
witnessed the sinking of the Baralong
and the destruction of the submarine."

A further affidavit from Larimore
Hildbrand, of Chattanooga, Tenn., who
was a member of the crew of the Bar-
along, was submitted. All the affidavits
speak of the Baralong as disguised,
saying the American flag.

Sea Warfare More Savage.
The Daily News in an editorial to-
day, pointing out what it terms in-
consistency in the Baralong evidence,
says it is possible, even probable, that
sea warfare since the sinking of the
Lusitania and the Arabic has assumed
a degree of savagery which formerly
was inconceivable.

"The Daily News," says the Daily News,
"have been up kindly sea traditions,
and it is idle to expect that their ex-
ample should be wholly unimpaired.
When the war is ended it will be one
of the most urgent and difficult tasks
of civilization to re-establish them."

Half Insult Reply Approved.
"So far as the German protest is con-
cerned, Mr. Grey's reply is a half in-
sult, and it is not to be expected that
it will be accepted as an impartial tri-
bunal is a fair enough reply."

The British patrol boat Baralong, ac-
cording to several dispatches on the
British steamer Nimrod, which ar-
rived in New Orleans early in Octo-
ber, sank a German submarine August
15 off London. The dispatches said that
marines from the Baralong killed the
captain and 18 men of the crew of the
submarine after the underwater boat
had been sunk, and that while they
were struggling in the water.

DETROIT CLAIM REFUTED

Salesman's Club of Eastern City Not
Only One in World.

A. G. Clark, president of the Portland
Salesman's Club, has provided the
chamber of commerce with informa-
tion which will refute the claim of De-
troit to have the only salesman's club
in the world. The article in which this
statement was made appeared in the
Detroit Free Press of December 21, and Mr. Clark
gave the information concerning the
Portland club to the chamber yester-
day.

The Portland club is the oldest of the
two, having been organized December 1,
1914, with a charter list of 25. It is
composed of salesmen from the jobbing
and manufacturing concerns of the city,
and now has a membership of 135.
Officers for the current year, to be
installed at the meeting January 1, are:
President, A. G. Clark; first vice-presi-
dent, Fred A. Snow; second vice-presi-
dent, W. S. McQuire; third vice-presi-
dent, Bert Holmquist; secretary, R. Paul-
son; treasurer, A. T. Burton; directors,
Richard Adams, C. S. Hanna,
Walt, Kenneth O'Leary, R. R. Thomas
and C. V. Weyer.

FLAG IS GIVEN TO COURT

Emblem Presented at Albany as
Albany Seek Citizenship.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—A
United States flag was presented to
the Circuit Court of Lane County
yesterday by the Oregon Chapter of the
sons of the American Revolution, and
was presented when the examination of
applicants for citizenship was in
progress.

Frederic P. Nettling, editor of the Albany
Democrat, made the presentation ad-
dress and the flag was received by
Judge Callaway. Talks were made by
Dr. W. H. Walker, president of the
Albany College; Rev. M. Howard, pastor
of the First Christian Church; Rev.
Arthur Lane, rector of St. Mary's
Roman Catholic Church; W. R.
Hoyes and J. K. Weatherford. The
Honor Quartet sang "The Flag, the
Emblem of Liberty."

WOULD-BE SUICIDE FINED

Man Who Failed in Death Pact
With Woman Is Jailed.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 4.—The fall-
ing of Anatole Vasiloff, a young Rus-
sian writer, to take his life at the time
his sweetheart, Catherine Veronina,
committed suicide in a rooming house
last night, resulted in the imposition of a
fine of \$250 with imprisonment in the
county jail until the fine was paid, when
Vasiloff pleaded guilty to a charge of
attempted suicide. Vasiloff shot him-
self in the head when his wife Veronina
killed herself, but the wound was not
fatal.
At the coroner's inquest over Miss
Veronina, Vasiloff testified that he
would carry out his part of the suicide
agreement whenever opportunity pre-
sented.

CARRIERS HOLDING 'BOOZE'

Shipments Delayed Must Be Re-
turned. Says Attorney-General.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—
Liquor shipments which were de-

Don't Worry About Pimples



Cuticura Soap And Ointment

Will quickly remove them.

Sample Each Free by Mail
With 25¢ in Cash on request.
Box 210, Boston. Sold throughout the world.

laced in their arrival at their destina-
tion until after the prohibition law
went into effect, must be shipped out
of the state at once, and may not be
delivered to the consignees, Attorney-
General Brown has decided.

BUSINESS OPPOSES WAR

COMMERCIAL BODIES VOTE FOR
WORLD AGREEMENTS.

Economic, but Not Military Pressure on
Hostile Nation Gets Necessary
Backing for Approval.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Commercial
organizations throughout the country
composing the Chamber of Commerce
of the United States have voted over-
whelmingly at a referendum, just com-
pleted, in favor of international agree-
ments designed to prevent war. The
vote, which was on six recommenda-
tions of a special committee of the
chamber, was announced tonight. The
vote follows:

Favoring conferences among neutrals
to formulate rules guaranteeing safety
of life and property at sea, 742; op-
posed, 23.

Favoring an international court to
interpret international law, 732; op-
posed, 21.

Favoring a council of conciliation to
determine disputes not covered by es-
tablished rules, 744; opposed, 28.

Favoring an agreement to bring con-
certed military pressure to bear to pre-
vent war, 452; opposed, 249. This is
14 votes short of the two-thirds neces-
sary for approval.

Favoring frequent international con-
ferences for amendment of interna-
tional law, 745; opposed, 13.

SETTLER WINS IN COURT

INTERIOR HEAD MANDAMUS
FIRST TIME IN HISTORY.

Issuance of Patent to Homestead Entry
in Klamath Forest Reserve Ordered.
Appeal to Be Taken.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-
ington, Jan. 4.—For the first time in
history, the Secretary of the Interior
today was mandated to issue a
patent to a homestead entryman whose
entry previously had been canceled by
the department. The issuance of the
mandamus was by unanimous decision
of the court of appeals of the District
of Columbia, and directs Secretary
Lane to patent to Sven Hoglund a quar-
ter section of land in the Klamath forest
reserve in Northern California. The
Interior Department will appeal to the
Supreme Court.

If the decision is sustained on appeal,
the court having held the statute of
limitations does not apply, many home-
steaders whose entries have been can-
celed by the department will have re-
dress in court, although up to this time
it had been assumed the Secretary of
the Interior could not be mandated.

In his decision today the court holds
that under section seven, act of March
3, 1891, after the expiration of two
years from the issuance of the re-
ceiver's receipt on final entry in the
homestead case, the Secretary of the
Interior is without jurisdiction to in-
quire further as to the entryman's
compliance with law or otherwise ques-
tion his right to a title, unless prior
to that time he had required something
to be done by the entryman, or had
directed a hearing on a specific charge.
Hoglund made his final proof, and
three years later, no patent having
issued, his land was included in a forest
reserve and the forest service
sought to have his entry canceled and
succeeded. By the court's action today
his entry is reinstated and he will re-
ceive patent, as no adverse proceed-
ing was instituted within two years
after issuance of the final certificate.

ALBANY COUNCIL FORMS

New Members Take Office and Or-
ganization Is Effected.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—
Albany's new City Council met and
organized last night. The old council
held its last session and Councilmen
P. H. Pfeiffer, of the First Ward, and
Charles Carter, of the Second, then
vacated their chairs. They were suc-
ceeded by Dr. J. H. Robinson and E. P.
Wilson, as Councilmen from the First
and Second Wards, respectively. Henry
W. McIlmurray, retiring Councilman
from the Third Ward, had been re-
elected and began a new term last
night.

Mayor Carl read his message and
appointed committees for the year. The
board-over members of the Council are
T. D. Leigh, of the First Ward; W. C.
Tweeddale, of the Second, and Henry
Lynn, of the Third.

To Prevent the Grip.
Coughs, colds, grippe—Largely because of
the fact that there is only one "Grippe"
cure in the world—E. W. Grove's Grippe
Cure.

A Mammoth January Clearance

New Winter Suits and Overcoats for Men and Young
Men Are Offered to You at Sacrifice Prices.

AT THIS store an advertised reduction is a genuine
reduction. You can buy any Suit or Overcoat in
my stock at a generous concession from the regular
price. My label is your guaranty of entire satisfaction.



Men's Suits and Overcoats

Men's \$40.00 Suits and Overcoats now only \$32.50
Men's \$35.00 Suits and Overcoats now only \$28.50
Men's \$30.00 Suits and Overcoats now only \$24.85
Men's \$25.00 Suits and Overcoats now only \$19.85
Men's \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats now only \$16.85
All Blues and Blacks Included.

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats

Young Men's \$30.00 Suits and Overcoats \$24.85
Young Men's \$25.00 Suits and Overcoats \$19.85
Young Men's \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats \$16.85
Young Men's \$15.00 Suits and Overcoats \$11.85
Young Men's \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats \$ 7.85
All Blues and Blacks Included.

A Remarkable Disposal Women's Suits, Coats

Every garment in my stock of fine man-tailored
apparel for women and misses is offered at a deep
reduction from the normal price. Each garment is
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WOMEN'S SUITS HALF PRICE

Women's \$62.50 Fancy Suits, half price, \$31.25
Women's \$48.50 Fancy Suits, half price, \$24.25
Women's \$37.50 Fancy Suits, half price, \$18.75
Women's \$29.50 Fancy Suits, half price, \$14.75
Women's \$24.50 Fancy Suits, half price, \$12.25
Women's \$19.50 Fancy Suits, half price, \$ 9.75

FURTRIMMED PLUSH COATS

Women's \$55.00 Plush Coats now only \$25.00
Women's \$30.00 Plush Coats now only \$22.50
Women's \$25.00 Plush Coats now only \$16.50
Women's \$30.00 Plush Coats now only \$15.00

RAGLAN COATS

\$30 Raglan Coats...\$22.50
\$25 Raglan Coats...\$15.00
\$20 Raglan Coats...\$13.00
\$18 Raglan Coats...\$11.00

FANCY COATS

\$45 Fancy Coats...\$22.50
\$40 Fancy Coats...\$20.00
\$30 Fancy Coats...\$15.00
\$20 Fancy Coats...\$10.00

All Women's Skirts Greatly Reduced

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Morrison Street at Fourth



LANE HAS PEACE PLAN

OREGON SENATOR WOULD APPRO-
PRIATE \$25,000,000.

Commission Unhindered by Diplomatic
Forms, to Go to Europe at Once.

Provided For in Bill.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-
ington, Jan. 4.—Senator Lane, of Ore-
gon, has prepared and tomorrow will
introduce a bill creating the United
States commission for enduring peace,
and appropriating \$25,000,000 out of the
Treasury to defray the commission's
expenses.

The bill names as members of the
commission William H. Taft, William
L. Bryan, Justice Hughes, Senator
Stone, of Missouri, and Representative
Pined, of Virginia, and stipulates that
they shall serve without compensation.
How they shall spend the \$25,000,000 is
not stipulated. It is to be the duty of
this commission to start for Europe
within 15 days and do what seems best
to aid in bringing about "enduring
peace."

The bill adds that as far as possible
the commission "shall be untrammelled
by the usual methods, precedents and
forms incidental to international diplo-
macy."

ARIZONA WANTS PORT

ANNEXATION OF MEXICAN STRIP
BY PURCHASE PROPOSED.

Plan Is to Obtain Opening to Gulf of
California and Control of Mouth
of Colorado River.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 4.—A move-
ment launched by various commercial
organizations of the state to secure
the annexation, virtually by purchase,
of sufficient land from Mexico to ex-
tend the boundary of Arizona and Cal-
ifornia to the Gulf of California, has
been furthered by Governor Hunt, who
announced today that he had written

to Governor Johnson of California ask-
ing co-operation from the state in the
movement.

An offer on the part of the United
States to cancel all indemnity claims
for loss of life and damage to prop-
erty during the Mexican revolution in
return for this land, which would
straighten the southern boundary line
of Arizona and give California a strip
of Lower California, is the plan of the
movement.

It has been pointed out by those in-
terested in the plan that such an an-
nexation of territory would give Ari-
zona a port on the Gulf of California
and also bring under American con-
trol the mouth of the Colorado River
and the entire Imperial Valley irriga-
tion system, with many thousands of
acres of agricultural land in the Mexi-
can territory of Lower California.

WOOD USE TO BE TAUGHT

LUMBERMEN ARE TO CO-OPERATE
IN CAMPAIGN.

Plans to Be Widened at Meeting of
Association Directors, One of
Whom Is Portland Man.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—E. A.
Stierling, manager of the trade exten-
sion department of the National Lum-
ber Manufacturers' Association, an or-
ganization composed of 12 affiliated as-
sociations, the members of which own
and operate sawmills in all the pro-
ducing sections of the country, has
completed plans for the co-operation of
the manufacturers with the retailers in
an extensive campaign to teach the
general public the best use of wood.

He announces that during January
and February this department will have
exhibits and speakers at the annual
convention of all the principal retail
lumber associations, as well as at two
important building shows.

Further plans for widening the scope
of the work of the trade extension de-
partment of the National Lumber Man-
ufacturers' Association are expected to
be completed at the semi-annual meet-
ing of the board of directors, to be held
January 12-14 at the Hotel LaSalle. R.
H. Downman, of New Orleans, presi-
dent of the association, is chairman of

the executive committee of the trade
extension department. The other mem-
bers of the committee are: Edward
Hines, C. H. Worcester and W. A. Gil-
christ, of Chicago, and William H. Sul-
livan, Banglows, La. E. B. Hazen, Port-
land, Or., and H. B. Goodman, of Good-
man, Wis.

In addition to outlining the activi-
ties of the trade extension work for
the year, the board of directors will de-

cide on a date and place for the an-
nual convention of the association.

Letter-Writing Committee Named.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 4.—(Spe-
cial.)—E. E. Brodie, E. R. Brown and
Thomas A. Burke today were appointed
to represent the Commercial Club at a
convention of clubs to be held Wednes-
day night at the Portland Chamber of

Commerce to complete plans for letter-
writing week. Mayor Hackett will be
asked to issue a proclamation to the
people of Oregon City to unite in push-
ing the idea.

Many of the principal cities of the Pro-
vince of Ontario have organized free night
schools for the benefit of the general public.
Half the cost for teachers and equipment is
paid by the province and half by the city.
Students are protected from hunters in
Maine.

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"The Pacemaker"

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A new button model. The new boot back-stay pattern.
Uppers of soft black and tan Russia calf. Velvety
Buckskin tops to match. Tastily perforated toe cap.
Snap and ginger in every line.

Shoes are the foundation of good dress. Avoid the loss and dis-
appointment that follow an ill-chosen style. Let us suggest Net-
tleton's "Pacemaker" for the man who wants "snap" and "go"
blended in the right proportions with good taste and comfort.

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that you are getting the greatest possible shoe value
for your money.

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On Fireplace Grates, Andirons and
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IT IS GOOD FOR FIVE CENTS
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HOLSUM BREAD

To get every housewife in Portland acquainted with HOLSUM
BREAD—especially the fine, big 10c loaf, we are making this special
offer:

Cut out the coupon. It is good for 5c. Take it to any grocer and
give it to him, properly signed, together with 5c in cash, and secure a
loaf of 10c HOLSUM BREAD.

You will find HOLSUM BREAD the ideal table bread. It is baked
in the great, sanitary Log Cabin Bakery, where only the latest and
most modern sanitary machinery is employed, and where the finest
materials are used.

Quality has made this bakery what it is—and quality is more than
ever evident in HOLSUM BREAD.

Remember that the 10c loaf of HOLSUM BREAD is as big as two
ordinary 5c loaves, and you get less crust and more real bread.

FREE PENNANTS WITH EVERY LOAF

To add to the desirability of
HOLSUM BREAD, we are now
packing with each 10c loaf a beau-
tiful Felt Pennant bearing the pic-
ture of a prominent motion-picture
player.

Fifty-two different movie stars
are portrayed, making a complete
collection. Everybody is getting
the craze. Start saving at once.
They make beautiful den or bou-
doir decorations.

A pennant with every loaf of
HOLSUM BREAD. (10c loaf).

GOOD FOR 5c AT ANY GROCER'S ON A
10c LOAF OF

HOLSUM BREAD

When Properly Signed by Person Presenting
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To the Dealer—We will redeem this coupon at 5 cents

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Be sure and use this coupon. This ad will appear
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"I have heard of Pebecco—
"My friends have praised it—
"I've said I would try it.
"Today I am going to get a
tube of

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