

NEUTRALITY ISSUE FORCED IN SENATE

Jones of Washington Precipitates Debate by Enjoining Caution on Wilson.

LODGE OPPOSES EMBARGO

Sale of Munitions and American Consul's Right to Travel on Belligerent Ship Are Discussed Without Restraint.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Holds of restraint against public discussion of international relations of the United States...

There was no division of the debaters along party lines. Senator Jones, of Washington, Republican, denounced an embargo...

Senator Lodge, ranking Republican member of the foreign relations committee, declared that to place an embargo...

Senator O'Gorman also informed the Senate that American Consul McNeely, who last his life on the British liner...

The discussion was precipitated when Senator Jones read a newspaper editorial urging American citizens to keep off belligerent ships...

Senator McNeely, Republican, announced that he would not be asked to support the bill...

Senator Lodge declared the United States was actually participating in the war by the sale of munitions...

Does the Senator not know that the first loan placed in this country after the war began was a loan of \$10,000,000...

Senator Jones replied, "but that does not alter the situation."

"If it be true," continued Senator Lodge, "that the markets of this country are free and open to Germany, as well as to all other countries, and that this Government has no distinction between an embargo on belligerent nations...

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"Our markets are open to all the world to buy," said Senator Lodge. "We have taken no action to prevent any belligerent or anyone else from buying in our markets and we are at peace with the world."

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RAIL LAYING PROGRESSING

Willamette-Pacific Work Between Coos Bay and Umpqua Goes On.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Rail laying on the Willamette-Pacific Railroad between Coos Bay and the Umpqua River, near Marshfield, January 12, but the connection between the Umpqua and Willamette rivers is not expected to be completed until about the latter part of January. The line between Coos Bay and the Umpqua River was extended northward the first...

BRITISH COLUMBIA SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICIAL TO PARTICIPATE IN CONFERENCE HERE

A conference of Sunday School leaders will be held on Saturday and Sunday in this city under the auspices of the Multnomah County Sunday School Association.

L. W. Williamson, of Vancouver, B. C., general secretary of British Columbia Sunday School Association, one of the distinguished visitors, will speak on Saturday at the opening session in the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Williamson will occupy the pulpit of the White Temple on Sunday morning.

Among the other secretaries of importance who will take part in the conference will be W. C. Moore, of Seattle; C. Knapp, of Spokane; General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., H. Dowling, of Los Angeles; and Mrs. L. M. Ormsby, of Boise, Idaho.

part of this week to within two or three miles of Smith River, making a continuous line from Coos Bay of 21 miles.

There is a short trestle to be driven at the Umpqua before the line can be finished, and above the Umpqua trestle work is holding back the laying of rails as well.

LOAN SHARK LAW TROUBLES

Difficulties in Enforcement of Statute Are Pointed Out.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Oregon's "loan shark law," passed by the 1913 Legislature and amended at the last session to include pawnbrokers, is declared by Superintendent of Banks Eugene H. Nichols to be not a good workable statute.

In his annual report to the State Banking Board the superintendent says that while the law has had a good moral effect and doubtless has improved greatly the condition of the small borrower, giving him some recourse for his many grievances, the department has experienced considerable trouble in enforcing its provisions.

Mayor of Dallas Appoints Committees for Year 1916.

DALLAS, Or., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—N. Selig, G. W. Brenner and George C. March, newly elected Councilmen in Falls City, were sworn in at the regular annual meeting held by the Council in that city Monday night.

MAPLEWOOD CLUB ELECTS

MAPLEWOOD, Or., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—A large membership of the Maplewood Commercial Club met last evening in the classrooms for their regular semi-annual election of officers.

1915 WAS DRY AT MEDFORD

Precipitation Only 13.75 Inches, While Normal Is 25.60.

DEMOCRATS PUT ON CHECK

EUGENE IS TO CELEBRATE

Completion of Railroad to Be Commemorated by Business Men.

PEACE PRESS AGENT IS MR. FORD'S ROLE

\$40,000,000 Is Withdrawn From Banks Subscribing to War Loan to Allies.

ENTERPRISE IS INDIVIDUAL

Jane Addams Praises Motive of Mission, Saying Woman's Party Not Responsible, but Aims to Act as Go-Between.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—"Henry Ford's peace ship was the idea of Miss Rosika Schwimmer."

"Mr. Ford knows the value of publicity. His European banking enterprise was a vast peace project in the interest of peace."

Words of Praise Added.

Military Men Are Obstacles.

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On the Way to Ben Selling's Clearance Sale!

HUNDREDS are taking advantage of the genuine reduction on my regular stock of fine tailored apparel for men and women. Every garment is new, and every one is offered now at a price far below normal. All garments bear my label, which is a guaranty that you are to be satisfied with every purchase, small or great. You are invited to make your selections now, and take advantage of the reduced prices.

- Men's Suits and Overcoats
Men's \$40 Suits and Overcoats \$32.50
Men's \$35 Suits and Overcoats \$28.50
Men's \$30 Suits and Overcoats \$24.85
Men's \$25 Suits and Overcoats \$19.85
Men's \$20 Suits and Overcoats \$16.85
All Blacks and Blues Included

- Today! Manhattan Shirt Sale!
No old stock here! These are the 1915 Fall patterns. The best—the newest!
Percale, Madras, Silk, Silk and Lisle, Wool, Silk and Wool
\$1.50 Manhattan Shirts at \$1.15
\$2.00 Manhattan Shirts at \$1.55
\$2.50 Manhattan Shirts at \$1.95
\$3.00 Manhattan Shirts at \$2.25
\$3.50 Manhattan Shirts at \$2.85
\$4.00 Manhattan Shirts at \$3.85
\$5.00 Manhattan Shirts at \$3.85

- Women's Suits Half Price
Newest Models, Man Tailored
Women's \$62.50 Fancy Suits \$31.25
Women's \$48.50 Fancy Suits \$24.25
Women's \$37.50 Fancy Suits \$18.75
Women's \$29.50 Fancy Suits \$14.75
Women's \$24.50 Fancy Suits \$12.25
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Ben Selling Leading Clothier Morrison Street at Fourth

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LOOKING FOR WORK

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LIQUOR WARD PROVIDED

TACOMA COUNTY HOSPITAL HAS INFLUX OF PATIENTS.

MEAT CAUSE OF LAIME BACK AND KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys if Your Back Is Aching.

NOTED AUTHORITY SAYS URIC ACID FROM MEAT IRRITATES THE BLADDER.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system.

YOU'LL ENJOY SOME REFRESHMENTS

..at..

The Hazelwood Any Evening After the Play

The Hazelwood Orchestra will play your Favorite Selection.

Oysters cooked the Hazelwood way are always delicious.

Also, our Hot Chicken Tamales and Clubhouse Sandwiches cannot be equaled in the city.

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OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief.

Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.—Adv.