OLD MOTHER EARTH SHUDDERS IN NIGHT

Seismographs All Over U. S. Record Severe Quake.

LOCATION STILL UNCERTAIN

Scientists Do Not Agree, but, With Exception of Lick Observatory, All Say South America.

early today was disturbed by the most severe rarthquake recorded in five or six years. The quake was centered about 5500 miles from Victoria, Super-intendent Denison said, probably in Chile, South America. Tremors commenced at 12:50 A. M. and continued four and one-half hours.

Men Armed With Clubs.

EUGENE, Or., April 30.—(Special.)—Hundreds of people today were attracted to an exhibition in a local hardware store window of the rattles of 53

sity seismological observatory.

ST. LOUIS, April 20.—Severe earth-quake shocks centered 5400 miles west by southwest were recorded early to-day by the seismograph at St. Louis university. Fifteen distinct shocks, starting at 2:30 A. M. and ending at 5:20 A. M., were registered.

SAN JOSE, Cal., April 30.—An earth-quake of severe intensity not more than 400 miles distant was recorded than 400 miles distant was recorded early today at Lick observatory, Mount Hamilton, near San Jose. Professor William Wallace Campbell said an exceptionally fine record indicating the distance was made on the selsmograph, the shock occurring at 12:51 ø'clock and continuing 45 minutes, extending in all directions, but the principal movement was north and south.

"I do not think it one that would have caused damage to much extent," he said. "The center of the disturbance appeared to have been no more than 400 miles from Lick observatory and not closer than 300 miles."

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LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 20.—Scientists here report no record of any local earthquake, and said if the seismograph at Lick observatory recorded a tremor it must have been in some other directions.

SEATTLE, April 20.—The University of Washington seismograph early today recorded a severe earthquake centered

British Delegation Issues Series of Commentaries on Proposed League of Nations.

PARIS, April 30 .- (By the Associated Press.)-The British delegation issued today a series of commentaries on the covenant of the league of nations, expressing their definite views and making some changes from the official analysis issued Sunday. Regarding the section dealing with the Monroe doc-

"Article 31 makes it clear that the covenant is not intended to abrogate or weaken any other agreements, so long as they are consistent with its own terms, in which members of the league may have entered or hereafter may enter for the assurance of peace.

"The Monroe doctrine and similar understandings are put in the same category. They have shown themselves category. They have shown themselves in history to be not instruments of national ambition but guarantees of peace. The origin of the Monroe doctrine is well known. At first a principle of American foreign policy it has become an international understanding and it is not illegitimate for the people of the United States to say that the covenant should recognize that that the covenant should recognize that

Big Victory Loan Meeting.

PUEBLO, Colo., April 30.—(Special.)

Mayor Hanson of Seattle opened Colorado Springs' victory liberty loan drive last evening before an audience of 2000 and was received with a high degree of enthusiasm and with frequent applause.

After the meeting many prominent citizens called on the mayor at his hotel, declaring it was the most impressive talk ever delivered in Colo-

noon-day banquet by the Elks of Colorado Springs. His party left on the night train for McPherson, Kan., where

Great Disparity in Ages Alleged

Cause of Unhappiness. Mrs. Martha L. Warner, aged 18, mother of a 2½-year-old baby, filed suit for divorce from W. S. Warner, aged 49, in the circuit court yesterday,

in ages has given her nothing in common with her husband and made him extremely jealous and suspicious of her. Alimony of \$15 a week is asked.

On April 11, 1919, her husband rose at 2 A. M. and threatened her with a suspicious of a 2 A. M. and threatened her with a suspicious at 2 A. M. and threatened her with a suspicious of the sus razor, asserts Filomena Marcaurello in a suit for divorce filed against Angelo Marcaurello yesterday. She says her husband also threw a jar of wine at her at one time and often kicked and beat her. Alimony of \$50 a month is asked.

other divorce suits filed yesterday were: Hazel Dean against Ross V. Loughlin, desertion; Edith G. against H. M. Beck, cruelty; Hazel A. against Jack R. Rainwater, cruelty, and Lorena against Cushing C. Kamrar, cruelty.

GREAT NEST FOUND IN HILLS NEAR COBURG.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 20.—F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the Gon-rales observatory, said the selsmograph early today was disturbed by the most Men Armed With Clubs.

chile, South America. Tremors commenced at 12:50 A. M. and continued four and one-half hours.

SPOKANE, April 30.—A series of earthquake shocks, beginning at 11:29 P. M. and continuing to 2:45 A. M. were recorded by the seismograph at Gonzaga university last night. The heaviest shocks were recorded from 11:53 to 12:24 A. M. Indications were the disturbance was about 5300 miles from here, in a southwesterly direction, WASHINGTON, April 30.—A severe and prolonged earthquake, estimated in have centered between 4000 and 4100 miles from Washington, was recorded early today at the Georgetown university seismological observatory.

EUGENE, Or, April 30.—(Special.)—Hundreds of people today were attacted to an exhibition in a local hardware today were attacted to an exhibition in a local hardware in a local hardware store window of the rattles of 53 rattlesnakes killed in one day by Archie Washom and Elmer Brown, who live Mashom and Elmer Brown, who live on Amos Wilkins' stock ranch, north of Coburg, Sunday, encountered a nest of the reptiles. Armed with nothing but stout clubs the men attacked. When they had cleared the rocks of the rattlers they counted the carcasses of the rattlers they counted the carcasses of the strife among the inhabitants. The strife among the inhabitants. The strife among the inhabitants is largely incited strife. It has long been part of the snakes having as high as 15 each, indicating that they were 15 years old. They youngest killed had three rattles. More than one of the noisy "patriots" is now discovered to have been a mere hireling of one of the great powers.

Mr. Washom said he has killed quite a number of the snakes on the flats below the hills this spring since the warm weather began. He was surprised by the large number found. The snakes had been attracted from their holes by the warm sunshine and when Mr. Washom and Mr. Brown appeared the reptiles were all stretched out on the rocks sunning themselves. The men wore heavy boots to protect their legs and feet from the poisonous stings, but and feet from the poisonous stings, but they say no spake came —ithin strik-ing distance. It is seldom that so many rattlesnakes

are seen at one time in the Willamette valley, but they have always been numerous in the hills back of Coburg and Harrisburg. Mr. Washom and Mr. Brown intend to take another snake hunt at the same place this week.

SIX ENGINEERS ARRESTED FOR ASKING DISCHARGE.

Men Send Telegram to Adjutant-General Without Consulting Commanding Officers.

recorded a severe earthquake centered about 2200 miles from here.

Vibrations were so heavy that the north and south needle of the seismograph swung five inches and dropped off the recording drum. First vibrations were recorded at 12:35 A. M. The needle left the drum at 1:03 A. M. The needl

"EMERGENCY MEN, 8TH ENGI-NEERS. District officers said the only breach of military law the men had commit-ted was in taking their applications for discharge over the heads of their MONROE DOCTRINE HELD GUARANTEE OF PEACE,

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HANSON GOES TO KANSAS

Mayor Received With Enthusiasm at the San Diego-Panama leg of the "victory long from San Francisco to tory journey." From San Francisco to

tory journey" from San Francisco to New York, has been running slowly down the Pacific coast. Rear-Admiral Cowie, navy loan officer, today directed the victory ship to speed her engines, however.

"The country is beginning to 'match

"The country is beginning to 'match the navy," said a radio message from the admiral to the Crane, and although you are not yet called upon to make full speed ahead, I expect that this or-

Royalty Attends Asquith Wedding. LONDON, April 39.-Dowager Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria were GIRL WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

GIRL WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

Merchant and Princess vite of the many distinguished guests who attended the wedding at St. Margaret's church, Westminster, today, of Miss Elizabeth Asquith, daughter of Herbert H. Asquith, the former premier, to Prince Antoine Bibesco, councilor of the Roumanian legation. the Roumanian legation.

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HAPPINESS AGAIN TO REIGN

Day of Opportunity Dawns as Sinister Shadows of Turkey, Austria and Germany Disappear.

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS. (Copyright by the New York Herald Com-pany, All rights reserved.) MACEDONIA -- Amid the Macedonian nixture and muddle one finds emerging the great and dramatic fact that this problem, which has vexed the world for half a century, is a man-

return.
Illiterate, hot tempered, brave, quick to strike, these Balkan people have easily been kept astir, and in mutual antagonisms, by appeals to their religion, race and traditions. They have been too limited in their horizons to perceive that master minds in four-capitals were setting them at one another's threats.

other's throats.

Balkans' Enemies Powerless.

Because the Balkans are, as they ever have been and ever will be, a bridge country over which the paths of world empire lie, they are essential to the plans of every power that seeks to expand in both Europe and Asia. Therefore, since it has not always been easy, owing to rivairies of the great powers, to subjugate them by armed Balkans' Enemies Powerless. easy, owing to rivairies of the great powers, to subjugate them by armed invasion, they have been subject to that form of intrigue and exploitation which recks nothing of the welfare of the human being most concerned. The little people have been made the tool of the great nations.

Now, behold the marvelous reversal.

these little peoples may go its own

Two other continental powers, our own allies, are now meddling in the Balkans in rivalry with each other, and each seeking its own advantage by the discredited methods of intrigue, intimidation and bribery. The league of nations will shortly call them off, and then there will be no troubler of

the Balkans. Left to themselves under the protectbe discharged from the service. This, the officer said, was interpreted to mean that all men who had employment could be discharged.

No further trouble is anticipated, the district officers said. lations with their neighbors, really similarly inclined. Now that the sinister shadows of Russia, Turkey, Austria and Germany have been dispelled from the Balkans, the sunshine of peace will cause the land to bloom (Another article by Dr. Ellis will be printed May 4.)

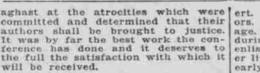
HUN LEADERS ARE BLAMED

Men Responsible for War to Receive Plain Justice.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The victory liberty loan campaign was one-half over tonight with only one-quarter of the total officially reported subscribed. Reports to the treasury up to tonight showed subscriptions of \$1,130,697,000. such abominations during the war is here dealt with in plain words and plain justice is promised. Under the few firm words one can read the resolution of a world of men







John Cassidy Dies Abroad.

BORDEAUX, France, April 30 .- (Special.)-Corporal John J. Cassidy, former resident of Grants Pass, Or., and a member of company B, 18th engineers (railway), died after a orief illness at the 18th engineers' camp at Beau Des



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He was buried with military hon-Corporal Cassidy was 28 years of He was a resident of Grants Pass during the four years previous to his enlistment at San Francisco. His mother lives at Syracuse, N. Y. During the early days of the Spiker, the 18th engineer magazine, Corporal Cassidy was

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Disbursements.

Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses \$1,010,615.50 Dividends paid on capital stock during the year 100,000.00 Commissions and salaries paid during the year 578,842.35 Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year 155,345.15 Amount of all other expeditures 231,420.37 Total expenditures\$2,074,221.37 \$ 178,307.88

Value of real estate owned (market value) ... \$
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value) ... 2
Cash in banks and on hand ... Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1918 3,131,718.00 779,886.03 485,447,67 1918
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Total assets admitted in Ore-gon\$4,596,114.63 gon Liabilities.

Net claims for losses unpaid...\$ 189,253.21 Amount of uncarned premiums on all outstanding risks... 2,141,262.30 Due for commission and broker-4,900.00 age All other liabilities, salaries, rents, etc. Estimated amount payable for 1,000.00 70,000.00

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