

# WEIMAR REFUSES TO OUST CHURCH POWER

### Plan for Complete Freedom of State Fails.

## FIUME SITUATION SERIOUS

### German Assembly Passes Bill Placing Maternity Under Direct Care of the State.

WEIMAR, July 18.—(Havas.)—The German national assembly at a closed meeting today rejected a socialist party motion demanding the complete separation of church and state.

VIENNA, July 18.—(By the Associated Press.)—Reports from Fiume show that the situation there has been tense for months.

The recent outbreak at Fiume, according to advices reaching Vienna, began a week ago, when it is alleged two French soldiers took advantage of Italian residents of Fiume.

A month ago a French officer saw a pro-Italian civilian striking up a portrait of President Wilson with a German helmet. The Frenchman struck the civilian across the face, and the matter went before the Italian provost marshal, but was hushed up.

LONDON, July 17.—A wireless dispatch says the Weimar assembly has adopted a bill placing maternity under the care of the state. A proposal by the independentists for forcing the illegitimate child should officially be designated as "found" was carried by a vote of 125 to 122.

It was also decided by the assembly that the same educational and social opportunities should be provided by legislation for illegitimate children and children. Likewise it was decided that large families were entitled to state assistance.

ROME, July 18.—(Havas.)—Pope Benedict has addressed to the bishops of Germany a letter expressing joy over the removal of the blockade. The letter recommends that an attitude of Christian charity be taken toward the question of reparation for war damages.

COPENHAGEN, July 17.—The strike of agricultural laborers in the Franzburg district is declining, as the troops which occupy the estates are forcing the laborers to return to work, according to advices received here from Greifswald, province of Pomerania, Prussia.

BERLIN, July 18.—It is officially announced at Hamburg that 200 vessels having that city as their home port and having a total displacement of 1,162,000 cubic meters have been delivered to the entente powers. Of these 21 ships were owned by the Hamburg-American line.

BERLIN, July 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Count Michael Karolyi, former president of the Hungarian republic, has arrived in Italy after several attempts to leave Hungary and will go to America, according to a Vienna dispatch to the Kreuz Zeitung.

When the armistice with Austria-Hungary was signed last November Count Michael Karolyi, who had been the leader of the Hungarian independence party, proclaimed a Hungarian republic. He remained in office until late in March, when he resigned and turned over the authority to the communists headed by Bela Kun. He gave as a reason for his action the plea that he could not recognize the boundaries of Hungary as outlined by the peace conference.

Advices received in peace circles in Paris Thursday said that Bela Kun had been driven from office and that disorders had occurred in Budapest.

## U. S. OFFICER IS TARGET

### GERMANS ESCAPE AFTER RUNNING ATTACK ON MAJOR.

Provost Marshal is on Secret List for Assassination, Receiving Five Threats in Week.

COBLENZ, July 18.—(By the Associated Press.)—Two Germans attempted last night to assassinate Major George Cockerel, provost marshal of the American forces in Germany. The major was not injured. The Germans escaped after firing several shots. Major Cockerel's home is in St. Paul, Minn. The shots were fired at the provost marshal from behind.

The attempt to assassinate Major Cockerel was deliberate and premeditated. Cockerel is on the German secret list of "marked Americans" and during the past week has received five threatening letters, one of which gave him only 24 hours to live.

Major Cockerel, accompanied by a military police officer, was walking along a dark street of Coblenz at 10 o'clock last night when he met two Germans, who began firing as soon as they had passed the Americans, blazing away over their shoulders as they ran. This probably accounts for their poor marksmanship, as neither of the Americans was hurt, although several shots were fired. The Germans escaped despite a hot chase.

## ROSEBURG TO HAVE LEGION

### Organization of Local Post Already Well Under Way.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 18.—(Special.)—Temporary organization of a local post of the American Legion was effected here last night when Captain Edward Elvers, state chairman of the legion, met with Roseburg men who served in the army and navy during the war.

An executive committee of three—F. T. Haynes, Bert Bates and Leo Deveney, was chosen to get in touch with all ex-soldiers and sailors in the county who are eligible to membership and the charter will be held open for a short time.

Permanent officers will not be elected until the legion is fully organized but it is expected that the local post will be represented at the convention to be held in Portland in September.

50 Hoquiam Elks to Attend.

## ALLEGED MURDERER WHO SAYS HE IS UNITED STATES SENATOR'S SON, AND GIRL HE IS ALLEGED TO HAVE KILLED.



Harry S. New Jr., who, after alleged confession, pleads not guilty to murder of Freda Lesser (insert), his sweetheart, and who claims to be son of United States Senator H. S. New of Indiana.

## MEXICANS SLAY AMERICAN MURDER NEAR TOWN OF VALES

### JULY 7 REPORTED.

President Asks State Department to Act in Connection With Killing at Tampico.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The murder by Mexican bandits of Peter Catron, an American citizen, July 7, near the town of Vales in the Mexican state of San Luis Potosi, was reported today to the state department.

President Wilson late today notified Governor Robertson of Oklahoma that he had requested the state department to do everything possible in connection with the killing of John W. Correll, an American citizen, and the attack on his wife and son by Mexicans in the Tampico oil district.

American troops have crossed the Mexican border 12 times within the last six months to repulse Mexican raids and on various occasions have found the bodies of Mexicans, some in uniform of Carranza troops, the senate was informed today by Senator Fall, republican, of New Mexico.

## STILL NEAR SALEM RAIDED

### Man in Charge of Plant, However, Not Yet Located.

SALEM, Or., July 18.—(Special.)—Sheriff Needham and his deputies last night raided a cabin in South Bottoms, about ten miles north of Salem, and discovered a small still, 38 quarts of raisin whiskey and a keg of mash.

John Vassiloff, who, the officers say, was in charge of the illicit plant, disappeared prior to the raid and has not been located. Vassiloff formerly lived in Salem.

## STRIKERS BALK AT ORDERS

### (Continued From First Page.)

hear me on full points. Changes in adjustment board plan which I believe necessary to protect organization, one year agreement between men and girls, three-year wage schedule, return of all strikers, maintaining full seniority rights all agreed to. All other points to dispute I believe may be settled through conferences between committee and company."

That message, coupled with telegrams that were sent Thursday to officials of the telephone directorate in San Francisco by Governor Hart of Washington, Mayor Baker and the Oregon strike conciliation board, and the action taken by the central labor council Thursday night in recommending removal of telephones from homes of union men and women, all were taken as indications that things were about to develop in favor of the "hello" girls.

Tonight's mass meeting promises to be one of the biggest demonstrations of its kind ever witnessed in Portland. Arrangements are being made for an overflow meeting, at which well-known labor speakers are scheduled to appear, among them being Otto Hartzel, D. C. In any event, I believe there will be no return to work until we have received word from our delegates in San Francisco and in Washington, D. C. In any event, I believe that any plan of settlement except complete acceptance of our demands would have to be referred to a referendum vote.

## PASCO SITUATION UNCHANGED

### Telephone Company Unable to Operate Local Exchange.

PASCO, Wash., July 18.—(Special.)—No change is yet apparent in the telephone strike situation, and Pasco is still isolated from the rest of the world as far as telephone communication is concerned, and without local service also. The striking operators seem to be masters of the situation, as the company is unable to operate the local exchange and the office is closed.

Several compromise propositions have been suggested to the striking operators, but they refuse to compromise, declaring that only a settlement of the general strike will settle the matter in Pasco. The sympathy of the community is largely with the striking girls.

TACOMA STRIKERS STAY OUT Complete Reinstatement to Be Demanded by Employees.

# BONAR LAW ACCUSED OF HELPING REBELS

### Commons Leader Declared Friend of Carson.

## NO PROSECUTION EXPECTED

### Speech Threatening Uprising in Ulster Removes All Doubt as to Attitude of Irish People.

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LONDON, July 18.—(Special Cable.)—Sir Edward Carson's speech, threatening rebellion in Ulster on the event of home rule for Ireland, has removed all doubt as to the attitude of the Irish people toward the peace celebrations. Three hundred officials of the Dublin corporation have petitioned the lord mayor to permit the council to meet and the ordinary business of the city to proceed on Saturday. It is certain that, for the greater part of Dublin, "business as usual" will be the order of the day.

Commenting on the Carson debate in the commons, the Daily News asserts that Andrew Bonar Law, government leader in the house of commons, has been hand in glove with the licensed rebels of Ulster. The Daily News says Law supported the rebel movement in 1914 and is only less responsible than Carson himself for the effect of that movement in giving sanction and warrant for rebellion.

"Nor is Law alone," the Daily News adds, "for the 'loyal' members of parliament, with admirable audacity, reproved Carson for his rebel speech, was none other than Sir Edward Carson's 'galloper' in the previous session. How can he be expected to advise action or to consent to action that would incriminate himself and make his own name a byword of the highest legal position in the state not only the insult it has always been, but also a flagrant impossibility? Of course, there will be no prosecution of the privileged rebel."

## HOOD LOOP BIDS CALLED

### GOVERNMENT TO OPEN ESTIMATES LATE THIS MONTH.

### Contracts for 37 Miles of Highway Will Demand Work Finished in 360 Days.

HOOD RIVER, Or., July 18.—(Special.)—The most agreeable surprise ever sprung on local good-road enthusiasts came today when County Clerk Shook received notice from C. H. Percell, acting district engineer of the bureau of public roads, department of agriculture, that bids for the construction of the loop highway, around the east base of Mount Hood and connecting upper valley highways with the Barlow road, would be opened July 23.

The length of the project, crossing national forests of Hood River and Clackamas counties, is approximately 37 miles. The principal items of work are as follows: One hundred and thirty-eight acres of clearing, 84,000 cubic yards of rock excavation, 37,000 cubic yards of common excavation and 3,000 feet of culverts.

The work of the contract, according to the notice received by Mr. Shook, shall be completed in 360 working days. Alternate bids will be received on a section 1.4 miles in length, beginning at the zig-zag end of the new road and ending about three miles above Government Camp, for completion of the road within 360 working days. The scenic mountain highway had not anticipated the contracts would be let this year.

## DEAD MAN IS IDENTIFIED

### A. Naslund of Redland Believed Murdered and Robbed.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 18.—C. Swanson, a prominent farmer of Redland, was in this city today on his way home from Portland, where he had gone to identify the body of A. Naslund, formerly of Redland, who mysteriously disappeared from his home about May 15. The young man, who was 31 years of age and was well and favorably known in Redland, where he had engaged in farming on a small scale for the past two years, had resided in Oak Grove for five years, where he owned five acres of land.

Mr. Naslund, who was single, had always been known to carry sums of money on his person, and his friends at Redland believe he was killed, robbed and the body thrown into the river. The only known relative Naslund has is a brother, in Montana, and word has been sent him.

## CLINIC STOPS AT DOTY

### Washington Tuberculosis Association Lecture Party Is Busy.

CHEHALIS, Wash., July 18.—(Special.)—At Doty, in western Lewis county, the first session of a traveling clinic sent out by the Washington Tuberculosis association was held today at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday and Sunday will be at Pe Ell and Sunday all day at the church. The clinic is in charge of Dr. Raymond J. Cary, a well-known diagnostician.

It will tour Pacific, Clarke and Cowitt counties while on this trip by automobile truck. A complete moving picture equipment is carried and public health talks are given in connection with the tour.

## LEWIS FARMERS TO HOLD PICNIC

### CHEHALIS, Wash., July 18.—(Special.)—Saturday will be a great day for Lewis county pure stock breeders, members of the Lewis Pacific Dairy-men's association and other farmers, when the annual picnic will be held.

Z. A. Scollard, president of the "Pure Breeders' club, has the arrangements in charge. President O. E. Holland of the state college, Pullman, will speak. A basket dinner will be served at Clatskanie grove.

The puddles in the holes in the pavement of the Southwest boulevard, Kansas City, got to be so large that some body put up signs, "No fishing allowed."

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- PLAY SUITS—Come in denim, galatea, cheviot and khaki. Slipovers and Play Suits, all colors, from 2 to 6 years, 69c.
- WASH SUITS—Little men's Wash Suits, all colors in palm beach, linen, and fancy materials, styles with belt and pockets. Saturday's price, 69c.
- Babies' Novelty Creepers in best Bates and Amoskeag gingham, poplins, piques and chambrays. An assortment of styles and prettily trimmed. Saturday's price 69c.
- DRESSES—Broken lines in Girls' Wash Dresses in fine gingham and chambrays. All colors and styles with large pockets and full skirt—high waistslines. Saturday, 69c.
- BLOOMERS—Come from 4 to 14 years and in all colors and are made of fine chambray and Hyde grade steen, 69c.

## Men! Don't Fail to Profit by This Special Sale of Work Shirts 85c

Regulation Style—Custom Made. All Sizes From 14 1/2 to 17.

Just think of it! At this low figure you can purchase at this special sale Men's Amoskeag Chambray Shirts in styles with flat collar, three-button front, pocket and faced sleeves. Also a fine selection of broken lines in dark stripes. Purchase as many as you wish as long as they last.

SATURDAY AT 85c EACH

## Women's White Canvas Shoes at \$3.35 Pair

Styles with 8 1/2-inch top and high heels; also Lace Oxfords—choice at \$3.35 pair.

### Barefoot Sandals

At \$1.50	At \$1.75	At \$2.00
Sizes 5 1/2 to 8	Sizes 8 1/2 to 11	Sizes 11 1/2 to 2

Regulation styles in both white and tan calf—they come with two buckles and double-stitched soles.

## Broken Lines in Fine Neckwear To Close at 35c Each or 3 for \$1.00

This season's styles in broken assortments. Collars and sets in lace, organdies, satins, Georgette crepes, etc. Come early for first and best choice.

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Crystal White Soap Flakes	.....10c
Jar Rubbers, dozen	.....5c
Mason Jar Caps, dozen	.....30c
Mason Jar Quarts, dozen	.....\$1.00
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