

ARGENTINA FLOUTS DIPLOMACY OF U. S.

"Crude," Says Editor of Buenos Aires Publication.

RECENT NOTES DISCUSSED

Department of State Declared "Organ of Internal Politics Rather Than International."

BUENOS AIRES, April 4.—Joseph Shea, United States ambassador to Chile, has answered the recent note of Foreign Minister Huidobro of Chile...

Mr. Shea's communication explains that the policy of non-intervention was incorporated in the policy of the United States many years ago...

Recent American notes to Chile, Bolivia and Peru are described as the "fruit of diplomatic inexperience" by La Prensa, which declares they do not reveal any "political plan" that should alarm the South American continent...

In its first editorial on the subject, the newspaper asked whether the notes "which affect the sovereignty of those states respond to a resolve of policy according to which the United States constitutes itself inherent protector of new world republics..."

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CHICAGO FIREMEN RESIGN

1285 MEN GIVE NOTICE, EFFECTIVE APRIL 10.

Manager of Properties Informs Committee Acceptance Will Be Put Up to City Marshal.

CHICAGO, April 4.—The resignations of 1285 Chicago firemen, effective April 10, were announced today by J. Cullerton, manager of properties of the fire department, late last night by a committee headed by G. B. Hargen, president of the firemen's association...

Mr. Cullerton did not formally accept the resignations, saying that he was not employed to do so, but he told the committee he would turn them over to Fire Marshal O'Connor tomorrow.

WOMAN ARRESTED AGAIN

Mrs. Nettie Connert Charged With Second Breach of Law.

Mrs. Nettie Connert, first woman convicted under the new national prohibition act, was arrested Saturday at Greesham on a new charge of violating the prohibition law. Constable Squires, who made the arrest, reported that he found Mrs. Connert and Everett Lowther in an automobile with a quantity of liquor. He brought both prisoners to Portland and locked them in the county jail.

SEATTLE OFFICIALS NAMED

Building Superintendent and Port Warden Appointed by Mayor.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 4.—Mayor Caldwell Saturday named James E. Blackwell superintendent of the city building department and Fred M. Laube port warden.

ALUMNAE BACK TAX BILL

Measure Is Strongly Approved by Oregon Association.

Miss Elizabeth Bain of the Washington high school faculty presented the higher educational relief bill for enactment Saturday at the April luncheon of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae at the University club...

GIRL, 16, SHOT DEAD; MAN, 35, IS DYING

Former Washington Resident Involved in Mystery.

KILLING CHARGE DENIED

George Lewis, Said to Be Rejected Sutor, Says He Did Not Fire, but Jumped From Window.

PLANES PATROL FORESTS

MACHINES WILL ENTER UPON SERVICE MAY 1.

Obstacles Declared Now Overcome to Directing of Fire-Fighting by Wireless Telephone From Air.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—The 91st squadron of 18 airplanes, two of them to be scout ships equipped with wireless telephone sets, has been turned over by the army to the United States forest service...

A flying school for forest rangers is being conducted at Marsh field, Riverside, the principal studies being airplane scouting and wireless telegraphy.

Bluff, Mather field, Fresno and March field will each be a station for four airplanes. The two scout machines will have no designated bases. Landing places will be established at Rockwell field, San Diego; Montague, Siskiyou county; Lake county; Altura, Modoc county; Sonora, Tulumne county; Bakersfield, Santa Barbara.

The directing of fire fighting by wireless telephony from an airplane mode of procedure and does not possess a diplomatic quality.

ARBITERS MAY BE NAMED

CLAIM FOR EXCESS COSTS ON AUDITORIUM TAKEN UP.

Resolution Will Pass Next Wednesday Unless Members of Council Change Their Minds.

Developments at a meeting of the city commissioners on Friday afternoon are taken to indicate that the arbiters to determine just what is to be done with the auditorium claims of the bondsmen of Hans Pederson, contractor, may be selected Wednesday.

At the session the names of W. Y. Masters as a legal representative of the public, were suggested to serve with Richard Martin, previously agreed upon to represent the architect.

Objections of Commissioners Bigelow and Mann blocked the naming of the arbiters. The committee decision, as a four-fifths vote was necessary. Commissioner Pier then announced that he will prepare a resolution carrying the three suggested names, to go on the regular calendar and come before the council next Wednesday. It will be necessary for the resolution to receive but a three-fifths vote.

WAR TAX HITS AIR LINES

Collector Declares All Commercial Planes Will Be Assessed.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—Even the air isn't free any more, at least as far as war tax is concerned, according to Justice Wardell, collector of internal revenue, who announced Saturday the receipt of a ruling from Washington that airplanes engaged in commercial passenger, freight and express traffic over established routes in competition with other methods of transportation must pay taxes on their traffic.

COTTON PROBE ORDERED

Alleged Illegal Combination to Be Investigated.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Investigation of an alleged illegal combination to depress cotton prices was ordered Saturday by Attorney-General Palmer. United States Attorney Alexander at Atlanta was instructed to examine charges that cotton dealers had combined arbitrarily to reduce the price of cotton in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act through manipulation of differentials in the various grades. The government would take "appropriate action" when all facts were developed, Mr. Palmer said.

OFFICER IS FOUND DEAD

Corpses Had Wad of Chloroform Soaked Cotton in Hand.

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 4.—Captain John Thompson, U. S. medical corps, on leave of absence from the Big Bend military district, Marfa, Tex., was found dead Saturday afternoon in a room he occupied at a hotel here. One hand was a wad of cotton saturated with chloroform. The officer was an army order transferring him from Seattle to Marfa and a 30-day leave of absence, dated March 20.

300 GIRLS AT BANQUET

Auditorium Use Offered Community Service.

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EX-KAISER'S SAWING ENDS

Change in Living.

VAUDEVILLE RULING GIVEN

Bookings Are Held Not to Be Interstate Commerce.

CASTORA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years.

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OBREGON FOILS ENEMIES

Candidate for Mexican Presidency Tells of Conspiracy.

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Given by Newly-Formed Club.

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Mr. Palmer said he understood operators had estimated the demand for federal coal would be 100,000,000 tons but that port facilities are only adequate for the export of 30,000,000 tons per annum. This, he said, should not be made an excuse for raising the price.

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But two things have prevented Oregon from becoming the Nation's playground: lack of publicity, and poor roads. The Pacific Northwest Tourist Association is fast remedying the former condition, and the State has embarked on a \$20,000,000 road-making program.

Three marvelous scenic roads are proposed: The Mount Hood Loop, by way of the incomparable Columbia River Highway, and the orchards of Hood River, to the very base of Mount Hood.

The "Skyline" Road, from Portland through the Cascades, past mountain lakes, to the wondrous blue gem, Crater Lake, 7000 feet above sea level.

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with Mrs. Josephine Corlies Preston, state superintendent of schools of Washington, who is president of the association. Among those at the conference were Dr. E. H. Lindley, president of the University of Idaho, and Dr. E. O. Bisson, president of the University of Montana.

UNION MASS MEETING OFF

Attempt Abandoned to Call Strike Against Steel Corporations.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—A mass meeting of all metal trades union interests in San Francisco for the announced purpose of "promoting a national strike against the steel corporations," which had been set for tomorrow, has been called off, the Bay Cities Metal Trades council announced here Saturday. No explanation was given other than that the meeting might interfere with plans to end the strike of 30,000 shipyard workers here.

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"I have derived such wonderful benefit from the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy that I cheerfully recommend it to anyone in need of such a medicine," writes Mrs. P. E. Matteson, Roseville, Ohio.

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