

DISARMING GERMANY  
BRAND'S FIRST AIM

Programme of New Ministry  
Given Parliament.

REPARATIONS PUT NEXT

Support of United States in Obtaining  
Just Dues Is Declared  
to Be Assured.

PARIS, Jan. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Briand ministry presented to parliament today its programme, in which disarmament of Germany takes first place and the payment of reparations as provided for in the treaty of Versailles second place. The programme contained a significant reminder that France has the force to impose execution of the undertakings signed by Germany and would be able to use it if necessary, although, true to her republican traditions, she wishes to bring Germany to fulfill her obligations by pacific methods.

The declaration of the government was read by Premier Briand in the chamber and by Senator Marraud in the senate. It was heard with some interest and was interrupted frequently by general applause.

**Prompt Revival Foreseen.**  
Germany's prompt economic revival was foreseen and the declaration said any idea of depreciating or obstructing it was far from the thoughts of the government.

"But," it was added, "prosperity of the aggressor coming after her defeat in contrast with the ruin of the victorious people, would be, according to the most elementary morality, a challenge France cannot accept. We have the force and will to be able to use it if necessary to impose respect to all undertakings signed, but republican France is essentially pacific and it is in peace she desires to bring Germany to execute the obligations she has signed."

Referring to the relations of France and the United States, M. Briand declared that the imperishable bonds formed on the battlefields in the war will "guarantee our union in peace as in war."

He added:

**Support Held Assured.**  
"We are sure our American friends will give us for the reparation of the damages we sustained the same support that decided the victory in the great war in which we defended together the cause of civilization."

Referring to the attitude of the United States toward the league of nations, the declaration said:

"We respect the scruples which made them hesitate to endorse a given league of nations, of which, however, they have never doubted the generous and beneficent principles."

**English Aid Expected.**  
The declaration expressed confidence that England will aid all she can to reach an understanding between the allies, which it said is a prime necessity to the settlement of all questions concerning peace.

"France claims, in its due," the declaration said, "she does not demand the impossible but what now is most important is that all facilities of the debtor for payment in money and in any other form shall be applied to the profit of the creditor."

The urgency of an effective peace with Turkey was recognized and the declaration asserted that "taking into account the new circumstances the conversations going on with our allies will solve the Oriental question."

**Reds Are Not Recognized.**  
The declaration said France cannot resume relations with Russia as long as there is not at Moscow a regime that really represents the Russian people.

"Bolshevism is Russian," the declaration added, "and so long as it remains confined within the Russian frontiers we have no right to intervene in the affairs of Russia. It is impossible to admit that the soviet armies shall leave their territory to attack our allies."

The other principal points were reduction of the military service without weakening the military force of France so long as Europe still is unpeacified, reduction of expenditures, reorganization of the financial administration, intensification of reconstruction and indulgence toward the working classes.

**AMERICA TO HAVE VOICE**  
Austrian Case May Not Be Settled Without Consulting United States.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Disposition of the Austrian situation "dictated by the threatened collapse of the government may not be made by the allied powers without consultation with the United States," it was indicated today at the state department.

Withdrawal of the United States from the council of ambassadors and its refusal to send a representative to the meeting of plenipotentiaries at the Austrian quest has been discussed has given the impression that the American government will continue in an attitude of aloofness.

VIENNA, Jan. 20.—Henry Whitman, American member of the commission appointed to liquidate the Austro-Hungarian bank, has resigned and is going home. He was reported today as saying he was resigning because of the dilatory methods of the reparations commission in Paris.

**CALIFORNIA IS DELUGED**  
Rain Drenches Whole State in Severe Storm; Hail Gets Windows.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Sudden appearance of a low barometric area extending roughly from Cape Plattery to Cook bay brought a brief electrical and hail storm to the San Francisco region last night and piled up 15 inches of new snow at Summit, in the Sierras, and drenched the entire whole state, according to United States weather bureau reports today. The storm is expected to continue until tomorrow night.

The electrical storm with accompanying thunderclaps was unusual in that it was the 48th storm of its kind in 20 years, according to the bureau. The hail was reported to have broken some windows.

**Siberian Veterans Reach Honolulu.**  
HONOLULU, T. H., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The 27th Infantry, United States army, accompanied by 14 Russian wives, arrived here on the transport Thomas after several years' service in the orient and Siberia. The regiment went 1700 miles into Siberia, from Vladivostok, at one time, and during its Siberian campaign lost 125 men in skirmishes with bolsheviks.

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Ocean 20 Miles From Land and  
Taxis Through Spume.

SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, Jan. 20.—Lieutenant H. V. Baugh, commander of the seaplane NC-5 which was wrecked and sunk when it ran into a hurricane last Saturday took 40 miles north of here during its attempted flight from San Diego, Cal., to Balboa, Panama canal zone, and it is believed that the seaplane was one of the 12 Pacific fleet machines which left San Diego December 30.

"When we ran into the hurricane our engine was giving trouble," he said. "The wind was blowing about 45 miles an hour and the seaplane was flung about like a boy's kite with an insufficient tail. Eventually it flattered to the sea about 20 miles from land. We taxied to the beach under tremendous difficulties in a seething another of spume and in the teeth of the gale, striking the coast 25 miles north of Gigante, where the NC-5 alay arrived eventually."

"The Kanawha arrived and took the NC-5 in tow, later handing it over to the destroyer Murgford, which took the crew aboard and continued towing the plane. The line parted owing to the heavy sea, however, the NC-5 eventually sinking."

The tug Annet is in port here, taking aboard material to repair the NC-5, which is lying on the beach at Gigante. If possible, repairs will be completed at Gigante, otherwise the plane will be brought here.

The crews of the NC-5 and NC-6 today appeared in perfect condition.

TEAL HAS NOT RESIGNED

Report Concerning Shipping Board  
Member Misconstrued.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 20.—Telegrams in considerable number came to Washington today from Seattle inquiring if Joseph N. Teal had resigned from the shipping board. The telegrams misquoted a Washington dispatch of Tuesday night to the Oregonian as authority for the report. Inquiry revealed that these telegrams were based entirely on the dispatch mentioned, which said that Commissioner Teal had advised friends that he must not be considered a candidate for the shipping board beyond the time he will hold under the unconfirmed nomination of President Wilson.

Some of the telegrams coming from Seattle chamber of commerce asserted that The Oregonian dispatch said Mr. Teal "had resigned." Commissioner Teal, it may be said, has not indicated an intention to resign, but has only said that he does not seek reappointment.

Failure of the senate to confirm the present nomination before March 4 makes reappointment necessary if he would continue to serve in the office.

**THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU,** Washington, Jan. 20.—The value of all crops for Washington in 1919 was \$227,212,008, the census bureau announced today. The value of wheat was \$91,206,642; of oats, \$8,973,481; of barley, \$3,274,732; of hay and forage, \$47,717,065; of potatoes, \$12,320,053; and of apples, \$38,825,641. As compared with 1918, the total value of crops shows an increase of 206.6 per cent; wheat, 159.8 per cent; oats, 37.8 per cent; and potatoes, 311.5 per cent.

The acreage of wheat in 1919 was 2,491,460, representing an increase of 17.8 per cent, as compared with 2,118,015 acres in 1918. The acreage of oats in 1919 was 191,673, as against 269,742 in 1918, a decrease of 28.8 per cent. The acreage of barley was \$1,568 in 1919 and 171,888 in 1918; of corn, 34,799 acres in 1919 and 26,323 in 1918; of dry peas, 36,832 acres in 1919 and 31,196 in 1918. The average yield of wheat to the acre in 1919 was 16.8 bushels, of oats 42.1 bushels, of barley 26.8 bushels and of corn 25.9 bushels. The corresponding figures for 1918 were 19.3 bushels of wheat to the acre, 49.6 bushels of oats, 33.8 bushels of barley and 21.6 bushels of corn.

In 1919 1,064,130 acres were in hay and forage, including 145,252 acres in timothy and clover mixed, 228,787 acres in alfalfa, 477,081 acres in small grains cut for hay and 22,540 acres in silage crops. The total production of hay and forage was 2,913,913 tons, of which 154,832 tons were silage. In 1919 the total acreage of hay and forage, not including corn cut for forage, was 742,711 acres, and the total production 1,899,597 tons.

There were 55,132 acres in potatoes in 1919, as compared with 57,069 acres in 1918, representing a decrease of 4.8 per cent. The average yield in 1919 was 106.4 bushels to the acre, as against 133.4 bushels in 1918. The production of small fruits in 1919 was 16,884,745 quarts, including 6,277,268 quarts of strawberries and 4,869,658 quarts of raspberries. The production of apples in 1919 was 21,568,691 bushels, as compared with 2,672,109 bushels in 1918; of peaches 1,544,859 bushels in 1919, as against 84,494 bushels in 1918; of pears 1,728,759 bushels in 1919 and 310,804 bushels in 1918; and of plums and prunes, 785,920 bushels in 1919 and 1,032,077 bushels in 1918.

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**LAND FRAUD IS AFFIRMED**  
Potash Deposit Brings Judgment  
for Man Who Sold Tract.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 20.—The supreme court has affirmed the findings of the trial court in which a judgment for \$75,000 is awarded to Peter Long of Sheridan, Wyo., against John H. Krause as damages for alleged deception in the matter of the value of a tract of land supposed to be only fit for grazing but which was found to contain valuable potash deposits.

Long, original owner of the property, sold the land to Krause for \$17,000. He alleged Krause was aware of the land contained potash, but deceived him concerning its existence. Since that time, he alleged, Krause had taken from the lake potash worth many thousands of dollars. He sued for \$90,000.

**Buddhism Fostered in Hawaii.**  
HONOLULU, T. H., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Eighty per cent of the Japanese laborers living in sugar plantation camps never have been touched by Christian propaganda and plantation owners have helped support the buddhist creed, it is the accusation made here by Rev. Ulysses G. Murphy, representing the American Bible society, in an address in the Central Union church here.

**Hawaiian University Cost High.**  
HONOLULU, T. H., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The University of Hawaii holds the record for being the costliest per capita student institution under the American flag. The federal bureau of educational expert who made the survey reported that the per capita costs during 1918-19 was \$625.22.

**Honolulu Streetcar Traffic Heavy.**  
HONOLULU, T. H., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Growth in the street-car traffic of Honolulu is emphasized by the figures for the last year, issued by the Honolulu Rapid Transit company during 1920 the company carried 1,680,780 more passengers than in 1919. Passengers carried in 1920 numbered 17,064,000. The average number of passengers carried daily was about 39,900.

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Buckwheat, 2 for. . . . . 25c  
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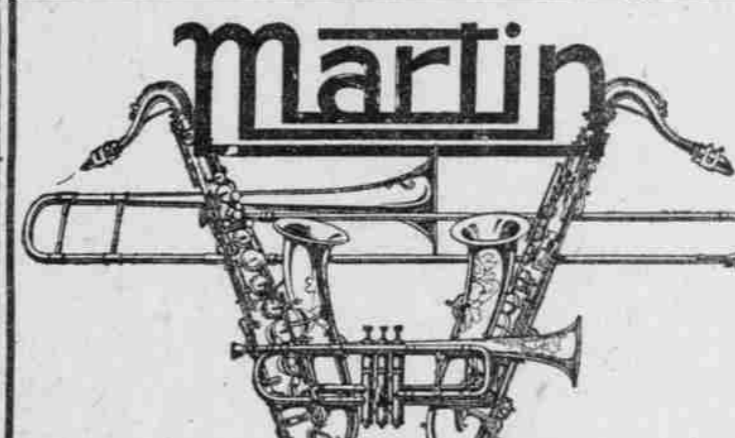
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