

CHAOS IN EUROPE HELD TRADE BLOW

Stabilization Is Declared Needed for Prosperity.

U. S. SHIPPERS CARELESS

Details of Overseas Business Not Worked Out With Enough Care, Says Mr. Geary.

That the prosperity of the United States is dependent upon the stabilization of European affairs and the people of the northwest are directly affected by the unemployment conditions in Great Britain and by the financial chaos on the continent of Europe was the impression gained by Arthur M. Geary, Portland attorney, who has just returned from two months passed at the principal ports of Britain, France, Holland, Denmark and Germany.

Also Mr. Geary believes that many American shippers have been careless in working out the details of their foreign business, which must be remedied in the future. "The laborers of central Europe are the scabs of the labor world. Working now for what in gold marks and relative values of living necessities is about one-third of the wages received before the war, German and Austrian labor has been a strong factor in forcing down wages and standards of living not only in Europe but all over the civilized world. Realizing that in order to get back into the markets with their goods they must undersell her competitors, labor has consented to accept the wages as they are and has gone to work. Also the financial chaos has kept them fooled for a while with the rapid increase in number of paper marks paid for labor.

Prices Fluctuate in Pounds. The constant changing of exchange rates on the continent of Europe has resulted in the manufacturers and importers and exporters of goods in this country being priced and costs in dollars and English pounds. Steel mills were on the drop of closing at Dusseldorf when I was in Germany and then came a drop in the value of the mark and work went on. Just to what extent the dropping of the value of the mark has been methodical is a matter of conjecture.

An American is shocked at the attitude of the monarchies of the upper classes in Germany towards the murdering of the leaders of the republic. They predict that strong leaders who appear and then overthrow the republic a success and who conscientiously undertake to carry out the terms of the Versailles treaty will continue to be assassinated by men who consider themselves patriots.

The present government of Germany is in a difficult position also because of the increase in the influence of the communists that each new murder of public men causes and also by the fact that the Germans consider that there is no end to the reparations that are to be paid.

Britain Needs Markets. With 1,500,000 men still out of employment, Great Britain is in need of the German and Russian markets for the products of their factories. She appears willing to take any steps necessary to improve financial conditions in Europe and to permit these peoples to raise their standards of living so as not to wreck conditions here.

"Some people feel that as the unfortunate attitude of France is the obstacle in the way of progress along the road to prosperity. But the American people should realize that if Germany fulfilled her obligations month by month on the basis now arranged, there would be more money than enough money forthcoming to France for her to pay Great Britain and the United States interest money due and the portion of the principal that would fall due under a 25-year amortization plan. France would then still have to pay for rebuilding devastated France. If German reparations are to be reduced to a point that will enable her to be financed by loans from American and English bankers, there should be corresponding reductions in the debt of France to the United States and Great Britain.

We have some fine crops coming in in the northwest, such as apples and winter pears and grain are to be marketed in Great Britain. We are directly interested in having among our people there sufficient buying power. And the same is true of our other foreign markets."

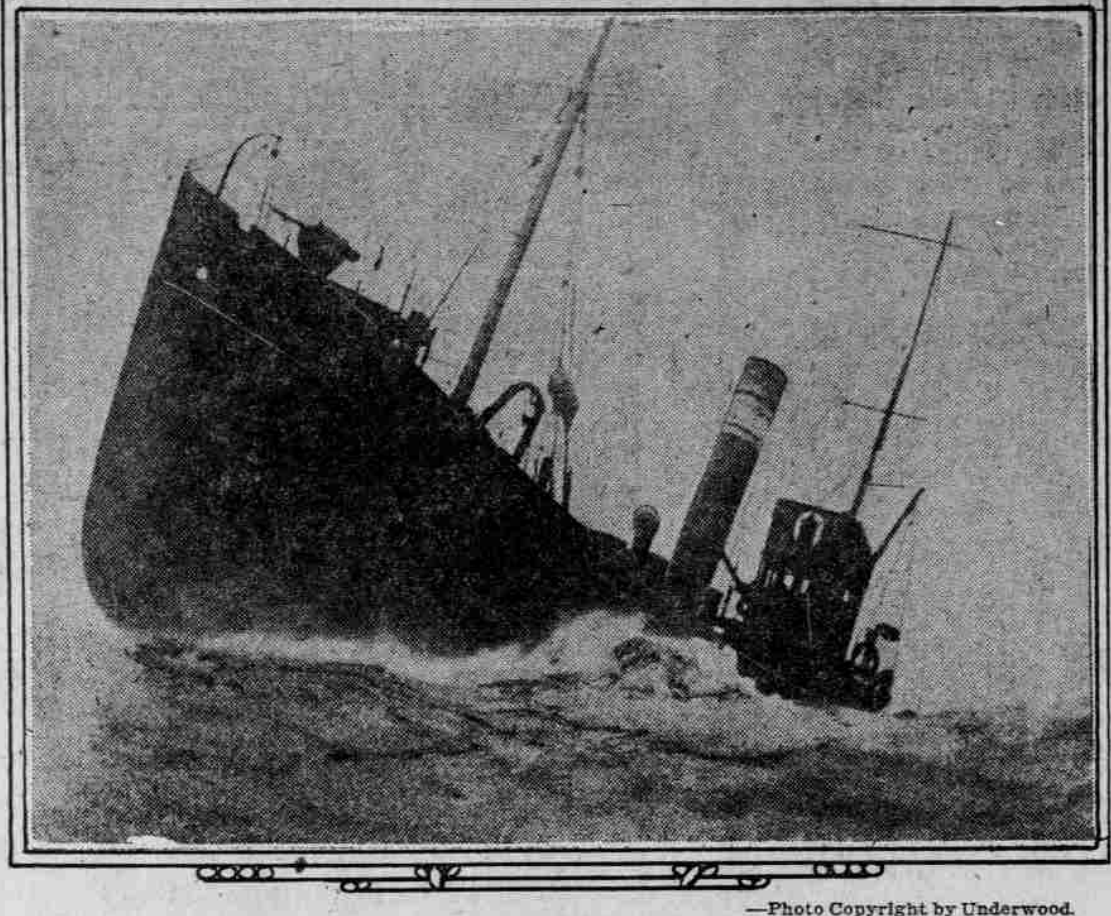
SCHOOL HEADS ORGANIZE

Superintendents in Larger Cities of State Form Association. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, July 29.—E. P. Chilton, of Eugene is president and R. R. Turner, of Dallas secretary of an organization of superintendents of schools of the larger cities of the state, formed at the close of the university summer session. Ten of the 20 superintendents in districts of the first class in Oregon were present at the meeting.

NEW RECORD IS SOUGHT

Fire Fighters of Santiam Reserve Busy Building Trails. ALBANY, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Fire fighters of the Santiam national forest reserve are out to establish an even better record this year than they set during the 1921 fire season, according to C. C. Hall, district forest supervisor, who was in town today from Fish Lake, the central fire patrol station. A crew of 68 men is employed in the reserve.

BRITISH VESSEL LOST WITH ALL HANDS.



STEAMER BLUE SKY SHOWN GOING DOWN IN NORTH SEA.

PASTOR TO LEAVE CITY

REV. MR. BROUGHER ENDS WHITE TEMPLE WORK. Minister to Fill in at Tacoma Before Going to Salt Lake City for Period.

Rev. Russell M. Brougher, pastor who has been filling the pulpit at the White Temple while Dr. Villiers has been on a two weeks' vacation, will leave this city tomorrow night to supply at the First Baptist church of Tacoma during the month of August before going to Salt Lake City in answer to a call which he received from the Emanuel Baptist church there last May.

GIRL ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

IRMA AUSTIN, 13, SLASHES WRIST WITH RAZOR. Quarrel With Mother Is Blamed for Running Away From Home and Seeking Death.

SALEM, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Irma Austin, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lucas, who disappeared from her home Wednesday night, but was later apprehended in the vicinity of Silverton, attempted to take her life here today by slashing her left wrist with a razor and swallowing a small quantity of poison. Physicians said she would recover.

CORVALLIS MAN CHOSEN

CHAIRMAN OF GREATER NORMAL COMMITTEE NAMED. Purpose Is to Bring Need of Better School Facilities to Attention All Over State.

SPIRITS ADVISE SUICIDE

Unhappy Young Woman Tries to Leap From Bridge. Warnings from the spirits was the reason which Elizabeth Wolke, 31 years old, a housemaid employed for the last three years by Norman Rupp, 414 Montgomery drive, gave for trying to commit suicide yesterday morning by first slaying her wrists with a piece of glass and then attempting to hurl herself from the Ford street bridge.

ARCHITECTS ARE CHOSEN

Salem Men to Plan Gymnasium for Gresham School. Architects for the new \$20,000 gymnasium to be built for the Gresham school were selected at a recent meeting of the board of directors at a recent meeting of the board of directors of the district, and it is expected that the plans will be completed in about two weeks.

POULTRY SESSION ENDED

CONFERENCE OF AMERICAN ASSOCIATION SUCCESSFUL. Organization Elects Penn State College Expert President for Ensuing Year.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, July 29.—(Special.)—The American poultrymen's association closed its annual session at the college last night with a dinner, the chief item on the bill of fare being broiled cockerels of the famous Oregon breed, hatched and fattened especially for the occasion.

STRIKERS INJURE 2 MEN

15 Rail Shopmen Attack and Beat Worker. A group of about 15 striking railroad shopmen attacked and beat two strikers late yesterday afternoon at the Brooklyn yards so badly that the two men had to be treated at the emergency hospital.

ACCUSED RED ACQUITTED

Wardens Fail to Prove Illegal Possession of Hide. NEWPORT, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Henry Carl, an Indian resident on Salmon river in Lincoln county, was acquitted today by a jury in justice court on a charge of having a fawn hide in his possession.

CANDY STORE TO MOVE

Scoffins Chocolate Shop Rents New Quarters. C. L. Scoffins, proprietor of the Scoffins Chocolate shop for the last 18 years on Washington street, near Sixth street, took a lease yesterday for more than 400 square feet of store space at the southwest corner of Tenth and Morrison streets.

LANG SYNE TO FROLIC

Society to Go on Moonlight Excursion Night of August 7. A moonlight excursion will be held under the auspices of the Lang Syne society on the pleasure boat from town today from Fish Lake, the central fire patrol station. A crew of 68 men is employed in the reserve.

REALETY DEMAND KEEN

Frank L. McGuire Organization Sets New Record. The Frank L. McGuire organization has set a new record in real estate sales for July, the volume of business exceeding the total for July of last year by more than \$10,000.

COLLEGE REUNION HELD

EX-STUDENTS OF SODAVILLE INSTITUTION ASSEMBLE. Organization Effected to Keep Alive Memories of Little School, Now Defunct.

PORT CALENDAR

Table with columns: Vessel, From, Date. Lists arrivals and departures for various ports.

HYBRID CHERRY ON SHOW

Cross Between Lambert and Bing Declared Excellent. Samples of cherries picked from a hybrid tree, the result of crossing the Lambert and Bing cherries were exhibited in the city yesterday by Mrs. J. Kallich of 1466 Madrona street, in Woodlawn.

NOTICE, RETAIL STORE OWNERS!

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TRIAL ON RECOUNT OPENS TOMORROW

Hearing Lasting Seven or Eight Weeks Predicted.

PROCEDURE NOT SETTLED

Calling of 3000 Witnesses Is Predicted by Member of Governor's Counsel.

SALEM, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Trial of the election contest procedure filed recently on behalf of Charles Hall, defeated candidate for the republican nomination for governor at the primary contests last May will start in the Marion county circuit court, Monday morning. Judges G. G. Bingham and Percy Kelly will preside at the trial, which, according to attorneys, may last for eight weeks.

Although the procedure has not been determined definitely by the court, it was intimated today that the recounting of the ballots probably will get under way some time next week. What ballots will be recounted, it was said, will depend upon the testimony offered by the contestant to substantiate his allegations of fraud. Unless irregularities or fraud are proved by competent testimony, some of the attorneys interested in the case have expressed the opinion that the court is not compelled to order the recount.

3000 Witnesses Forecast. At the time of arguments here a few days ago with relation to a motion to amend the contestant's complaint, Jay Bowerman of counsel for Governor Olcott, contestant in the action, said that it was possible that 3000 witnesses would be called to testify. These witnesses, it was said, reside in various sections of the state and will be brought to Salem at large expense.

Prior to the opening of the trial, Judges Kelly and Bingham will pass on a motion submitted by the contestant's attorneys asking that they be allowed to amend their original complaint by adding approximately 300 precincts in which erroneous voting is charged.

Cost Held Not as Great. It was argued that the cost of sending the referees into the various precincts to amend their original complaint by adding approximately 300 precincts in which erroneous voting is charged, is not as great as it was said today, and in some of these counties irregularities have been charged in excess of 50 precincts.

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LEBANON, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—A reunion of ex-students of Mineral Springs college was held last Sunday at Sodaville, the site of the once prosperous little cottage of that town. The reunion was started by Mrs. Flora Pritts-Childs of Lebanon, one of the first graduates of the now defunct college.

W. W. Hawley Kills Big Bear. CORVALLIS, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—A. W. Hawley, uncle of Representative Hawley, brought a big black bear skin to the county seat this morning. He had killed it near Alpine. It weighed 400 pounds and had been tanning the ranks of the sheep in that district for several months.

Scouts to Go to Cascadia. SALEM, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—More than 100 Boy Scouts will leave Salem Tuesday for Cascadia, where they will establish camp and enjoy the outdoors for two weeks.

Elk Meat Brings Fine. ASTORIA, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—C. L. Wilson, formerly of Seaside, who was wanted by the state game department to answer a charge of having elk meat in his possession, was arrested a few days ago at Coos Bay. He pleaded guilty to the charge in the justice court there and was fined \$200, the fine being remitted to the justice court. Wilson was accused of having in his possession a portion of the meat from the elk killed by Bruce Bates March, and the collection of the fine makes a total of \$1400 which the county and state have derived in penalties from the killing of the one animal.

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