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WILL WELCOME BRYAN WHEN HE ARRIVES

Points Out That Japs Have Enacted More Stringent Laws Than These.

Gov. Johnson Says California Has Right to Enact Alien Law
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SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 24.—Governor Johnson today issued a statement of his views concerning the controversy caused by the anti-alien land bill now under consideration by the legislature. The statement does not discuss the measures before the legislature and the governor says: "I am not predicting that the California legislature will take any action on this subject, nor, if it does, forecasting the terms of any law that may be enacted." Continuing, he says, "I merely am defending the right of California to consider and if its legislators deem it advisable to enact a law which is within both its legal power and moral right. We have been said of the dignity of Japan. We will not willingly affront the dignity of Japan, nor offend its pride. But what shall be said of the proposition that the great state, itself an empire, shall be halted from more consideration of a legislative act, admittedly within its jurisdiction, by the protest of a foreign power, which has enacted even more stringent regulations on the same subject. What of the dignity of California?" He says he will welcome Secretary Bryan on his arrival and "I am sure there is no disposition to encroach on international functions of the federal government or unjustly wound the sensibilities of any nation."

VIEW OF JAP PREMIER.

Peace Must Be Maintained Between Japan and United States.
TOPIO, April 24.—The relations between Japan and the United States were discussed by Premier Count Inabe Yamamoto today. He said they must remain peaceful despite local disturbances and he expressed absolute confidence that American citizens, official and unofficial, would demand no discrimination be made and that matters be arranged in a spirit of fair play.

BRYAN IS READY.

Will Leave Today for California Conferences.
WASHINGTON, April 24.—With Secretary Bryan ready to leave today for California to represent President Wilson at a conference with Governor Johnson and members of the state legislature, the situation over the anti-alien land legislation insofar as it relates to the relations of the United States and Japan, was in a state of suspense this morning.

BUSINESS URGES ACTION.

Chamber of Commerce Petitions President for Alien Land Law.
OAKLAND, April 24.—President E. Gibson, of the Pacific Coast Chamber of Commerce, today addressed a cablegram from the Chamber of Commerce in urging that his organization urge every possible argument to defeat the alien land law in the California Legislature.

OPPOSED TO THE PROPOSED ALIEN LAND BILL.

San Francisco, April 24.—Resolutions committing the directors of the Panama-Pacific International exposition to an attitude toward the anti-alien land legislation flatly opposed that of the Governor and the majority of the Legislature, was adopted today. The intent of the resolutions in Legislature, declare the anti-alien law to be a challenge to the good faith of California.

PLANT PROPOSITION.

The committee of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce will meet tomorrow morning at 10:30 to consider the proposition of J. E. Walling to start a brick yard here. Mr. Walling has returned to the Bay and wants the people here to subscribe about \$25,000 of the \$25,000 that is to put in the plant. He says that tests of the clay show this is a good locality for the undertaking. The committee will also consider some new booster literature to be printed.

LOVE TRAGEDY IN SEATTLE

Mysterious Suicide and Attempted Murder in Lodging House.

SEATTLE, April 24.—Nellie Hart, a young woman, well known to the police, was shot but not fatally wounded today in a lodging house by a young man whom she knew only as "Will," who shot and instantly killed himself after wounding the woman, who said she knew of no cause for the shooting and declared they met in the lodging house by chance.

FEAR 75 DEAD IN COAL MINE

Twenty-two Known to be Lost and Many Are Missing in Shaft near Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 24.—With a large corps of rescuers working in the Cincinnati mine, the known dead in the explosion of gas yesterday had reached twenty-two this afternoon, with strong probabilities that the death list will be about 75. Little hope is held out that any of the miners escaped.

BREAKWATER IN EARLY TODAY

Steamer Arrives from Portland With Big Passenger List and Freight Cargo.

BREAKWATER Sea of GGO II The Breakwater arrived in today from Portland with a capacity passenger list and a big cargo of freight. In the latter cargo were eight autos, four for the Coquille valley and four for George Goodrum—one Cadillac and three Fords.

LINE TO DRAIN LATEST RUMOR

L. W. Traver Says Report is Revived That S. P. Will Build Over That Route.

That the Southern Pacific after all, will build the Drain line to Cooos Bay and will not connect up the Siuslaw line with Cooos Bay is the latest railroad news. It was brought in today by L. W. Traver, who arrived here via Drain and Gardiner from Portland. He said that he was informed that this was the latest development in the situation.

TO CLOSE MILL SLOUGH.

Secretary Motley of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce has received a copy of a bill which Congressman Hawley has introduced in the House of Representatives to declare Mill Slough not to be a navigable waterway and empowering the city of Marshfield to close and fill it. It was referred to the Interstate and foreign transportation committee. It is thought to be identical with one that Chamberlain introduced in the Senate. Letters and petitions urging the delegates in Congress to hasten the enactment of the bill are being sent by those interested.

POLICE GRAFT IN SAN FRANCISCO

Eight Members of Police Charged With Sharing in Profits of Organized Gang of Bunco Men.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—Eight members of the local police department, four detectives and four policemen, who have been accused by members of an organized gang of bunco men as having shared in the profits of their illegal operations, were suspended today by Chief of Police White, pending an investigation. The men will be given a hearing before the police commission.

TO FREE ORTIE M'ANIGAL SOON

Confessed Dynamiter and Chief Witness Against McNamara Brothers and the Structural Ironworkers to be Released.

LOS ANGELES, April 24.—Ortie E. McManigal, confessed dynamiter and chief witness against the McNamara brothers, who has been a prisoner here since April, 1911, will be released in thirty days, according to attaches of the district attorney's office. It is understood that he will be given his liberty without restrictions and will promptly make his way to some place where he will be unknown and start life all over again.

VOTE TO END GREAT STRIKE

Belgian Socialists Decide Today to Resume Work After Political Walkout.

BRUSSELS, April 24.—The delegates to the National Socialist Congress voted yesterday by a three-fourths majority to terminate the strike and resume work immediately.

PITY THE POOR MILLIONAIRE

Los Angeles Attorney Says He is a Victim of "Conscienceless Girls."

LOS ANGELES, April 24.—E. J. Fleming, a former city prosecutor, was summoned as a grand jury witness in the white slavery case, which already has resulted in the issuance of a bench warrant for George H. Bixby, the missing Long Beach millionaire, said today that he was in a position to prove the existence of an organized blackmailing gang. Instead of a ring of millionaires preying on girls he declared there was a gang of "conscienceless girls and women who were preying upon helpless men of wealth," who paid to avoid the possibility of broken homes.

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KINNEY DEAL PROGRESSING.

Mr. Traver said that the Kinney deal was progressing and no unsurmountable obstacles had been encountered. He expects the matter will be concluded shortly. He did not learn just when they were coming to Cooos Bay, but expects it will be soon. It was reported today that W. J. Rust had important advices from Portland about the deal, but Mr. Rust denied it, saying that nothing of importance had developed. There continues to be rumors about the possibility of a receivership before the deal is closed, but there is nothing to substantiate the reports.

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LANE TO BOLT PARTY GAUCUS

Oregon Senator Will Not be Bound by Democratic Action on Nominations.

SAYS TARIFF IS IMPERFECT

Progressive Leader Charges Democrats With Being Careless in Legislation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—A tariff commission with power to elicit information and urge reasonable reduction of any duty obviously excessive was advocated and if radical reductions were not founded on adequate information was opposed in a minority report presented today to the House by Representative Murdock of Kansas, the Progressive member of the Ways and Means Committee. Representative Murdock in his report asserted that if there had been wanting proof of the necessity of a tariff commission, the pending democratic tariff bill alone would supply it. He charged that as a reason the methods used in its preparation and in the few men who drafted it "are not warranted in feeling a certainty as to its effects and most of those who have endorsed it in caucus as a party measure cannot have other than a superficial knowledge of its provisions." He declared the Democratic party has proposed a tariff which will be injurious to many industries and may be destructive to some.

BAND CONCERT HERE SUNDAY

Director Fenton Announces Program for Entertainment at the Opera House.

Director R. N. Fenton of the Cooos Bay Concert Band today announced that the following program would be given at the Masonic Opera House next Sunday afternoon at 2:30: Overture, "Crowned Diamonds"; Auberle, "Celestial Choir"; Kin Selection, "The Sunny South"; Lamp Moreau, "Forest Whispers"; Loss Selection from "Lucia di Lammermoor"; Donetti March, "Boston Commandery"; Carte

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PEACE PLANS MADE PUBLIC

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WASHINGTON, April 24.—Secretary Bryan laid today before the diplomatic corps his plans for an international agreement for peace. Almost every Ambassador and Minister in Washington met in the Secretary's office in response to his invitation and heard his explanation of a plan which soon will be the basis of treaty negotiations.

ITALY FEARS EUROPEAN WAR

Endeavors to Have Montenegro Evacuate Scutari—Promises Concessions.

ROME, April 24.—There is a very active exchange of communications between Rome and Vienna over Scutari, Italy and Austria-Hungary being directly interested in the question of the future of Albania. Austria-Hungary is determined to act alone, if she is not backed up by the other governments in obtaining the evacuation of Scutari by the Montenegrins and European conflagration is almost a certainty to be the result of such an action, according to well-informed opinion. The efforts of Italy therefore are directed toward preventing the isolation of Austria-Hungary and in convincing Montenegro of the necessity of complying with the decision of the conference of European Ambassadors in London. If this cannot be accomplished, the opinion prevails here that collective armed European intervention is inevitable. It is pointed out that instead of retaining Scutari Montenegro might be given besides financial compensation and territorial extension including not only the district of Novipazar, but Pek and perhaps Jakova to the east of Scutari and the Vityay of Kosovo.

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

Auto to Coquille.—Lynn Lambert and Fred Gercke have returned from Coquille, making the trip by auto. They report the road in fair shape as far as Coquille and from there on, where new work has been done, it is bad in spots. They got stuck once and had to hire a team to be pulled out.

Wireless Operator Out.—H. W. Archer, operator at the local wireless station, has joined in the strike of wireless operators along the Pacific coast for higher wages. In consequence, local shipping is no longer able to get word to and from vessels plying in and out of here. There is no indication of how long the strike may last.

Speeders Are Fined.—I. R. Tower appeared before City Recorder Butler and paid a fine of \$15 for violating the speed ordinance. Wesley Seaman also entered a plea of guilty to the charge of breaking the speed limit on his motorcycle on March 31, G. W. Tribbey and W. G. Lawhorne being the witnesses against him. He was fined \$15 and given until tomorrow to pay it.

PERSONAL OVERFLOW.

THOMAS BRADSHAW of the Bradshaw-Kimball company, will leave Saturday for Portland on business. VRS. F. M. FRIEDBERG has received word that Mr. Friedberg is now at Long Beach, Cal., and is feeling considerably improved. CARL BRIGGS and bride returned on the Breakwater today from trip to northern points. D. Y. STAFFORD AND C. K. PERRY left for Cooos River this afternoon to beat the 1913 fish record. FRANK PARSONS made a business trip to North Bend yesterday. P. BARTLETT, who has been laid up at Mercy Hospital by an injury to his foot is in Marshfield today. He has not fully recovered from the injury yet. T. B. HENRY, a well-known traveling man who formerly lived on the Bay, is here today on business.

MONTEGRO WILL NOT GIVE UP SCUTARI TO POWERS NOW

King Nicholas Says That Turkish Citadel Will be Forever Retained by Them

SAYS EUROPE WILL HAVE TO FIGHT FOR IT

Make Definite Reply to Request of Nations to Vacate City They Have Taken.

AUSTRIA'S ULTIMATUM. (By Associated Press) LONDON, April 24.—"Take immediate and combined action and turn the Montenegrins out of Scutari or we shall do it alone," declared a circular note sent by the Austria-Hungarian government to the powers today. The note was virtually an ultimatum.

CETTINJE, April 24.—"Scutari from today is Montenegro," was the definite reply today of King Nicholas to the European invitation to surrender the hard won Turkish citadel. The king made this statement in the course of a speech delivered from the balcony of the royal palace. Among the audience were the ministers of the Balkan states who came to congratulate him. He added, "Should Europe still think of snatching Scutari from Montenegro, which has given her life blood to take it, Europe will have to carry out the task by force of arms."

BERLIN, April 24.—There were many indications here today that the German government and public regard the European situation as critical. A high diplomatic official said today: "Europe has entered another crisis as grave as that which preceded the Austro-Russian demobilization." Another official believed it probable that force would have to be employed to expel the Montenegrins from Scutari. The official view here is that all the European powers will work together until the problem has been solved. The feeling of consternation and helplessness was displayed at yesterday's conference of the ambassadors in London. According to advices received here representatives of all nations, including Russia, are agreed that the decision of the powers concerning Scutari must be enforced, but they were nonplussed as to how Montenegro was to be coerced.

TO EVACUATE SCUTARI. (By Associated Press to Cooos Bay Times) BERLIN, April 24.—Austria-Hungary has telegraphed to all the other powers demanding that they send an ultimatum to Montenegro to evacuate Scutari within forty-eight hours according to a newspaper dispatch.

TWO FREED BY GRAND JURORS

(Special to The Times) COQUILLE, April 24.—The grand jury, this afternoon made a partial report, returning "not a true bill" in the case against Edna Hinch, charged with carving up Jimmy Burnapp of Empire, and Chas. Jarvanan, charged with stealing tools at the Smith mill. Both were in jail and will be freed at once.

No reports have been made on the case of Fred Reed, charged with involuntary manslaughter. The grand jury yesterday took up the case of Ed Leggett, who charged a woman named "Trixie" of Marshfield, of "rolling him" for \$30 but when Leggett told them he didn't want to loggett the charges, they dropped it.

The Greenleaf case is being thoroughly investigated and although it was started yesterday, it won't be completed before tomorrow. Some of the witnesses have been called back a second time. Dr. A. L. Houseworth, whose evidence as an expert, is expected to be very important in it, will testify tomorrow.

Along the Waterfront.

The Redondo crossed out this afternoon at 2:30 for San Francisco, after having been delayed here a day by the rough weather off the coast. The Adeline Smith arrived in at 10 o'clock last night from Oakland and will sail again tonight or early tomorrow, going down the bay this evening. The Alliance is due in this afternoon from Eureka. No boats have crossed out from Bandon the past two days owing to the rough bar, the Speedwell, which is due here to finish her cargo being one of those delayed.