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# United States Sends Strong Protest to Old Mexico Today BY BOMBARDMENT OF DARDANELLE

# Southern Pacific Closes Deal for Tracks Through Johnston-Anderson Quarry

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### PAY \$12,500 AND **GRANT CONCESSIONS**

## Will Enable Them to Start Construction of Siuslaw Bridge Soon

That work on the Siuslaw bridge m the .Coos Bay-Eugene line of started is the expectancy now as gene. the clash over right of way through the Johnston-Anderson quarry above been settled out of court.

Gravel for the concrete work on the bridge at Acme is to be brought retain all the rock. They also rein from near Eugene and until the road was completed to Acme ing the approaches, etc., and everythe Point Terrace Mill property is being rapidly put in condition.

W. U. Douglas, who arrived home Saturday from Portland, says that the railroad will be completed into Coos Bay before the people here are aware of it. He expects to see the line in operation in consider- within two weeks, according to the ably less than a year,

A Eugene paper says: that Johnston-Anderson was obtained by the railroad. The fallure to obtain the right-of-way Umpqua bridges and has been the one point upon which get the ralls raid. the completion of the railroad to

tually confiscate the quarry, which has been used to furnish rock for the Siuslaw harbor improvements. "The matter was settled out of court yesterday in a conference at which the railroad company was represented by Ralph Moody, Southern Pacific attorney, at Portland;

right-of-way of the railroad will vir-

W. R. Fontaine, assistant engineer located at Eugene, and James L. Buell, right-of-way agent, located at Eugene. The Johnston-Anderson company was represented by Richard Shore Smith, of the firm of southern Pacific will soon be Woodcock, Smith & Bryson, of Eu-

### To Pay \$12,500.

"The railroad has agreed to pay Acme, which has delayed the com- the quarry owners \$12,500 for a nistion of that end of the road, has deed to the property through the quarry, but this deed will contain the provision that the quarry owners

tain the right to maintain derrick booms over the railroad, in order the bridge work could not be start- to swing their rock from the quard However, they have been rush- ry to the barges on the river below. and the railroad agrees that it will thing will soon be in readiness. not interfere with the work in the The stretch of right-of-way through quarry, with the mutual provision that the quarry owners will have regard for the movement of the

> trains. "The railroad also agrees to build two spurs, to handle the muck and rock from the quarry.

> "The grading will be commenced announcement of the railroad com-

"The last piece of right-of-way, Company has a force of men at work dropped bombs on Ostend; fighting necessary to complete the Willam- on the Point Terrace grade, and may in Champagne was continued last through the do the work from the same camp. engineers state, to do the necessary surveying and make other prelimhas blocked the progress of the rails inary preparations to begin work. repulsed attacks in Le Petre forest. been Mapleton , It has delayed the From one to two months will be In the Vosges, the fighting is still

The bridge work which can be the Willamette Pacific engineering the driving of piling. This work successful assaults upon our lines. gon at Mexico City. office in Eugene that construction has not been started up to this The Germans repulsed two night will be resumed immediately. Grade time, it is said, in that the railroad attacks at Rawa. Russian advances



LISBON, March 8. - The political situation in Portugal, which last

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ment is taking measure to preserve

# PRESS GERMANS UN BUTH FRONTS NOV

Berlin Announcement Tells of Repulsing Enemies on Both Sides—Some Victories (By Associated Press to Cons Bay Times.)

BERLIN, MARCH 8 .- The offipany today. The McArthur-Perks cla! report today says: "Aviators Vera Cruz. counter attack was successful. We cided to remain in Mexico City.

been resumed in the vicinity of

In No Uncertain Terms COMPLETE CHANGE IN ATTITUDE OF COUNTRY President Wilson and Secretary Bryan Put it up to Car-

## ranza-Desert Capital [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8 .-week entered upon a serious epoch New and urgent representations, with the inauguration of the "Re- amounting practically to a warning, public of Northern Portugal," has have been sent by the United States derts express a bellef that the presin no sense been improved by the to Carranza, demanding improveresignation of Minister of Finance ment of conditions in Mexico City, stantine and many of his advisers Galhards, which became known yes. Diplomats familiar with the con- regarding the country's intervention terday. A further cabinet crisis tents of the note, which Consul Sil- in the war which is a result of the now would force developments, the liman has been instructed to preoutcome of which would be fraught sent to Carranza, interpret it as tween the ruler and the Venizelos with much danger. Meanwhile the being an entire change of the policy fears of rioting grow and the govern- on the part of the Washington gov- urday after its declaration in favor ernment toward the Mexican situ- of joining the Allies was frowned ation.

> The communication to Carranza, which was drafted after a conference between President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and Counsellor Lansing, was between President Wilson, Secretary kept secret, pending word from Carranza as to his attitude. Those who know the contents of the communication said it did not threaten force. but pointed out in explicit language the serious consequences that might follow if the welfare of the foreigners continued to be disregarded. It was learned that the cruiser Tacoma had been ordered from Hayti to

Secretary Bryan stated late today he had received notice from Catnight. At Souain, the enemy was ranza confirming the report that quarry, It will take all of two weeks, the repulsed. East of Le Mesail, the Mexico City would be evacuated and

the note contained the strongest necessary to complete this grade and going on. South of Augustowo, a representations ever made to Carcan government is rapidly losing



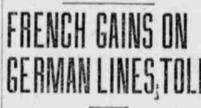
Washington Government Said to Haxe Expressed Itself in GREEK KING AND CABINET IN BAD CLASH

Times

#### [By Associated Press to Com Bay Times.] ROME, March 8 .- A special dis-

patch to an Italian newspaper from Athens describes the situation in Greece as grave, Some corresponent deadlock between King antagonism which had arisen be premier cabinet, which resigned Sat

upon by the King.



Faris Announces Many Victories at Different Portions of Battle Fields Today

Ruroede, one of the six persons in-PARIS, March 8 .- The official statement today says: "Late yester- fraud the United States in obtaining Champagne and Lorraine. day we captured the trenches to the false American passports for Ger- asserts that the French attacks northwest of Souain. The captured man reservists, pleaded guilty today Champagne were trenches between Perthes and to one of the three indictments Russians apparently are maintaining Beausejor represent about 450 me- against him and to the second count the offensive in Northern Poland enemy's attack was repulsed. Our that the diplomatic corps had de- tres. In the region of the Heights of another. He was sentenced to Berlin tells of Russian attacks of Meuse, our artillery, according to three years.

It was said by some officials that captured prisoners, damaged a 42-Sent to Jail. centimeter gun. In Lorraine progressed northwest of Badonviller, and four German reservists, charg-Russian attack failed. Fighting has ranza and indicates that the Ameri- In the Vosges, at Reich Ackerkohf, ed with conspiracy against the Unit- 🕈 the Germans made a violent counter ed States by obtaining false Ameri-Marshfield during 1915 has hung, started will include the erection of Tomza. West of Przanysz and east its patience with the indifference attack. They gained a footing on can passports, unexpectedly with-"Announcement was made from camps, the building of cribs and of Plock, the Russians made un- to the objectionable acts of Obre- the ridge, but after a furious hand- drew their pleas of not guilty and • to-hand encounter our rifle men pleaded guilty. Rurocde, who was I and Progessive politicians of drove them back. In Upper Alsace, accused of operating a bureau for . Terre Haute were placed on

south of Burnhaupt, the Germans' the issuing of passports, was sen- \* trial in the United States enced to three years. The others, attack was dispersed.

# A Southwest Oregon Paper

That's what the Coos Bay Times is, A Southwest Oregon paper for Southwest Oregon people and devoted to the best interests of this great section , The Times always boosts and never knocks,

Greece, Bulgaria and Ital SAYS TURKEY KIND Aroused Over Trend War Has Recently Taken TO ALL RELIGIONS

Count Von Bernstorff Issues

Statement Relative to Jew-

ish Trouble in Palestine

[By Associated Press to Coos Day Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8 .-

erman Ambassador Bernstorff Is-

sued a statement today declaring

tolerance toward all religious beliefs.

has been shown by the Turkish gov-

ernment, and the disturbances to

the Jews in Palestine were caused by

over-zealousness of local Turkish

MAN IS SENTENCED

**Charles Rutoede Pleads Guilty** 

to Conspiracy to Defraud

United States Today

PASSPORT FBAUD

authorities,

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SOUTHERN EUROPE IS AROUSED

GREECE AND BULGARIA MAY INTERVENE SHORTL

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Italy Expected to Maintai Armed Neutrality-Progress of Fighting Lately

(By Associated Frees to Coos Day Times,

LONDON, March 8 .- Bombar ment of the Dardanelles, which, cording to British reports is sponsible for the political deadle Greece over the question whether that country shall inter vene on the side of the Allies, had its effect also on other 1 tions, London dispatches say t Bulgarian premier has promised statement concerning the govern Public opinio ment's positions. in Italy is also aroused, althous there are no indications that thi nation will change her policy armed neutrality.

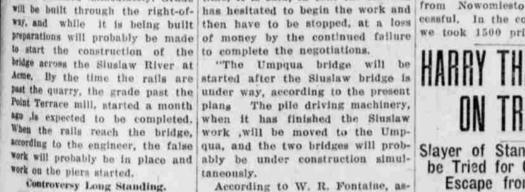
Progress of fighting.

Fighting in the Carpathians which for prolonged and desperate counters, rivals any phase of th war, continues without a decisiv victory for either side. The Au trian forces are still on the offen sive, Petrograd reports, NEW YORK, Mar. 8 .--- Charles statements indicate that no fighth of importance in the west yesterda dicted for alleged conspiracy to de- The French claim slight gains Berl several points, but assorts all we

#### repulsed Carl Rurcede, a German American POLITICAL SCANDAL

District Court here

AT TERRE HAUTE lated Press to Coos Bay Times. INDIANAPOLIS, Mrch 4 -Twenty-eight Democratic



According to W. R. Fontaine, as-The right-of-way controversy in- sistant engineer, rapid progress is tolved in the rock quarry has cov- being made on the bridge across and a period of several years. It Coos Bay, Twelve or thirteen plers has gote along on a deadlock until are completed or under way and this spring, when an injunction suit a force of 200 men with a mass Was filed by the railroad. The of equipment is rushing constructock quarry owners claim that the tion.

U. S. ENGINEERS EXPECT BANDON AND SIUSLAW WORK TO GO AHEAD

#### (Special to The Times.)

PORTLAND, Or., March 8 .- When asked today as to whether the Coquille and Siuslaw jetty work would be carried on this summer unker the new rivers and harbors bill, passed by Congress fast week, Mr. Dillon, of the United States Engineers office of this district, made the following statement:

"It is probable that allotments for the Coquille and Siuslaw will be made from the hump sum appropriated by the river and harbor act, permitting work at both places this season."

The river and harbor bill, a few days before the close of Con-Ires, was reduced from about \$35,000,000 to \$25,000,000 and instead of apprapriations being made for each river and harbor project, the exbuditure of the \$25,000,000 was left in the hands of the United States engineers.

The committee's revised river and harbor bill was passed by the Senate without amendment.

The report that the Siuslaw and Coquille appropriations had been fut out must have emanated from some irresponsible source as the Con-Pressional appropriations cover all approved projects and the division or distribution of it between them has not yet been finally determined by the United States Board of Engineers.

A Washi gton dispatch says: "Senator Chamberlain expects to have a conference with the War Department engineers regarding the Oregon apportionment of funds under the river and harbor act. He expects to obtain for Oregon projects practically the same amounts as estimated before the blanket appropriation was substituted.

\*ar, and while it is being built then have to be stopped, at a loss cessful. In the consequent fighting + preparations will probably be made of money by the continued failure we took 1500 prisoners."

> HAKHY IHAW Slaver of Stanford White to . be Tried for Conspiracy to Escape from Hospital

[By Associated Press to Cons Bay Times.] NEW YORK, March 8 .- Harry

Kendall Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, smillingly came into the criminal branch of the Supreme Court today to stand trial for conspiracy to escape from the State Hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan. Five men are charged with assistingin the conspiracy and were placed on trial with him.

FIRED FROM JOB Gov. Withycombe Summarily Dismisses Warden of Oregon State Penitentiary (By Associated Press to Coos Day Times.]

WARDEN LAWSUN

SALEM, - Or., Mar. 8 .--- Warden Lawson, of the state penitentiary . was summarily dismissed today by the State Board of Control and Deputy Warden Bengen was instructed \* to perform dutles of warden until + Harry P. Minto, recently appointed, • can return from the East. The dis- • missal was due to Lawson's refusal to appoint Joe Keller parole offi- . cer at the Governor's request.

#### HORN ON TRIAL [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

MACHIAS, Maine, March 8 .---

tempted to blow up the international has been almost extinguished and Michie of Coos Bay which has just ation. bridge at Vanceboro was taken to the vessel is steaming to her des- been brought back here from Eure- This is all timber land and includ- to hold it as an investment. Bangor today for arraignment be- tination, the French port of Havre, ka. Her power will be increased es one of the finest bodies of timber fore the United States Commission- at 14 knots an hour. This informa- and other changes made to increase in the state. The consideration is The sale of the Linn and Lane trac es on a Federal indictment charg- This information was received in her efficiency. It is expected that given in the deed as \$1, but the in- is or of the first steps taken by C. A ing him with a violation of the Paris last night by wireless from the Michie will be in dry dock for strument bore \$147.50 worth of rev- Smith and the committee of creditor laws regulating the interstate trans- a cruiser which is escorting the La- about- six weeks and will resume enue stamps, which indicates a pur-assisting him in refinancing hi Touraine. portation of explosives.



LONDON, March 8 .- The fire on are to be opened today for overhaul- acres, to the Continental Timber tion as to whether the new company Werner Hern, the German who at- the French steamer La Touraine ing and improving the bar dredge Land-Company, a Delaware corpor- planned to establish sawmills and

work at Coos Bay May 1.

NOT MUCH INVOLVED

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A. H. Powers said that the report that forty tracts were involved must be an error, as it is his understanding that sixteen or less claims were contested. In all the contested land amounted to only about four sections, and the value of it was comparatively small.

Exclusive of the few contested claims in it, the Linn and Lane tract of the C. A. · · Smith Company, was valued at about \$2,500,000. ...........

The land is sold subject to a mor gage covering a bond issue of which bonds are outstanding in the sum of apolis, owned practically all . \$1.300,000. The Continental Timbe the stock. Fraudulent entry, . Land Company is a new corporation · organized only last December, This land has been transforred, hereto fore, among different companie which were holding companies for ALBANY, Ore. March 8 .- Through the Smith Interests, but the attora deed filed in the County Record- ney who filed the deed says that the er's office here late Saturday the Smith Company has no interests in C. A. Smith Timber Company, of in the new company and that it is i

PORTLAND, Or., Mar. 8 .- Bids in Linn County, embracing 45,405 He said he could give no informa utilize the timber or meant merch

chase p. ice of \$147.590.

properties.