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unden Shipping Firm Cables to Galveston: "Immediate Peace is in Sight."

for Expectancy of Sudden End of the War

## WERE CHARTERING BOATS

espected Phophesy of Termina-European Hostilities Comes as Surprise to United States-No Confirmation

[fir Associated Press to Cous Tray Times. , CALVESTON, Tex., Mar. 20,immediate peace is in sight," to morning from London by a Guard, Weston firm. The cablegram queiled arrangements which had ma reason the prospect of imme-

MISSIFIELD MAN RELEASED managing editor, The Morning Reg-WITHOUT SERVING EXTRA TIME ister.

M Wilson Will Have Opposition from Officers in Seeking Clemency Here

(Special to The Times.) Coquille, Ore., March 20 .- Joe the Coos Bay section. Buser of Marshfield, who has been string time for having liquor illegal-Smiff Johnson falling to get Atty. Commerce. General Brown's opinion confirming the legality of the exta sentence. In

Letters Queer Wilson

entence on him. An effort to secure smte a letter from San Francisco h which he scored the officers of the officers against him. Goes to Powers

District Attorney Lillieqvist, who mutual interest." of the county court will go to Powers are been mailed him from there. Works. the nature of the complaint is not Mayor W. A. Bell, of Eugene, sent

DEAL FOR COURTNEY MILL

Olid to Portland in Regard to Mat- Wire. ter-May Start Operations by April I Is Report

h several places it was claimed to- tation. he closed a deal for the taking to be supplied." ser of the Courtney Mill on Isthmus Abbigram in regard to the matter, it walls walls for the matter, it is walls today by friends. It is been that forms that forms that forms that forms the forms the forms that forms the forms that forms the forms that forms the fo sand also were in Portand for a

If the deal has gone through it is said that Mr. Melain and his partner. Pred McLean will conduct the bustbea, with the possibility of a third any also being interested,

The mill is practically ready for Seration and it is possible that it will be started about the first of April

on for the undertaking. bell providing arrangements could of the valley.

tade with the parties holding a eny, to have the time extended.

FORESTRY MEN HERE

County Pire Patrol Association, known. better with the patrol association miles south of here. the lire palieing of the O. & C.

MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916—EVENING EDITION

## EUGENE PEOPLE FELICITATE COOS BAY ON SERVICE.

Newspapers and Business Houses Send Messages to Marshfield People Saturday.

Many messages of felicitation from Eugene came to Marshfield late Satorday over the new wire which the Western Union has just completed, hanging the Coos Bay wire service rom via Roseburg to via Eugene.

Among them were: To B. R. Chandler, First National o Details Given as to Reason Bank, Marshfield-We wish to congratulate you and the people of Coos Bay on the establishment of direct telegraphic communication between Eugene and Marshfield, Will see you all in July, S. H. Friendly &

## Newspapers Wire.

Editor Coos Bay Times-Congratulation upon opening of direct wire service which unites more closely the interests of Coos Bay and Lane is county. May our interests ever ps restorce in a cablegram received grow nearer. The Eugene Daily

To the Editor Coos Bay Times. bes made for chartering a consid- Please accept the Register's concalle amount of tonnage and gave gratulations on this most pleasant occasion which bonds Eugene and Coos Bay together more closely than ever. We trust these new wires will carry many stories of the growth and prosperity that is certain to here. They will have charge of the

## Others Send Messages.

Messages of congratulations also came to the Chamber of Commerce immediately afterward, all of them expressing a warm feeling for

"May this be a forerunner of frequent and pleasant, of reciprocal ar by Sheriff Johnson. The fifteen relations between Coos Bay cities at North Bend. and Eugene," wired S. Dike Hooper, Bend. blue to pay costs were not served, manager of the Eugene Chamber of

"We compliment you and ourthe of this and the fact that Hauser selves that direct telegraphic com-M pleaded guilty and been a model munication has been established be- 5,000 and 20,000 acres besides what piscer, District Attorney Lilleqvist tween Coos Bay and Eugene, Buchner takes but C. S. Winsor, new the not opposed to elemency being flashed the First National Bank, of in charge of the Simpson properties, Eugene, in the first message over MWison, very penitent, is in the the wires. "It is great satisfaction still retain Old Town Mill in North westy is pending the passing of to our people to become more closely Bend, the city property in North large. General Bell said: "There is wants. meters for Wilson is being made identified with your section. We but was indicated here today that believe the new relationship will However, they will not be active for to meet any emergency that may the officers will oppose clamency be- have a far-reaching effect and prove the time being at least. against that Wilson of mutual satisfaction and benefit."

Dr. P. L. Campbell, president of or, ridiculed them and said they the University of Oregon, wired. wall never see him again. In addi- "The University hopes through the ing to the Pacific coast. He has a les to this, Wilson's past record in railroad and the telegraph to be large interest in the Eastern and Cos county and his offenses against Redfield family were cited by the able to increase its usefulness to the citizens of Coos Bay. May Eugene gon, mill until it burned eighteen and Coos Bay continue to grow in months ago. He is rated very weal-

A message also came from George biarestigate some complaints that Frazer, manager of the Eugene Iron

message to Mayor R. A. Copple. of Marshfield. He said: "Accept our greetings and congratulations upon the completion of the direct I trust this lines into your city. connection will be of mutual bene-CLAM HUGH MULAIN CLOSED the transaction of our business refit and thereby prove of service in time we can be of service, use the company Some of the mon working lations with each other. If at any

Mayor R. A. Copple immediately replied saying: 'Our community has long felt the need of better means the balance of the Simpson holdings of communication and of transpor-Due to the enterprise of by that Postmaster High McLain, the Western Union and of the Souththe west to Portland a few days ago, ern Pacific, these needs are about

ONE MAN DROWNED AND MANY RESCUED FROM HOMES

River at Highest Stage Ever Known -Milton, Oregon, Also Suffers

## From the High Water

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] WALLA WALLA, Wash., March information has been given out 20.—Torrential rains throughout the as to what company is supplying the valley late yesterday, and cloudbursts in the hills, caused the death Supt. W. F. Miller today that service Streng weeks ago Mr. McLain said of Thomas Shemwell and a heavy will in all probability be started very the he was willing to take over the property damage along all streams close to April 1. One of the trains

Many rivers and creeks are out Et. 100 mortgage against the prop- of their banks and the roads are washed out in many places,

Shemwell was drowned by rapid rise of the water on Blue to Powers. Chapman, of the Oregon Creek near here. Several families he Pairtol Association; E. O. Siecke were rescued by horsemen after the buty State Forester, and Norman water cut off their escape. A num-Attobach, of the U.S. Forestry ber of houses were carried away and W. J. Conset today conferring stock suffered heavily. Walla Walla J. Conrad. secretary of the River is at the highest stage ever The Forestry Service has arrange. the streets of Milton, Oregon, twelve turned from Nebraska and who

Columbia Flour \$1.50 at Haines.

They Will Take Charge of Simpson Property Then

Official Announcement Made Carranza Troops Gather Along Border Instead of Pursuing the Bandit Leader

That He Was Not Warring

Against Mexico

culiar Action Arouses Suspicion at El Paso That Co-operation

Is Not So Certain

CARRANZA TROOPS

EL PASO, Tex., March 20,

A clash between the Villa-

stas and Carranza forces is

imminent, according to ad-

vices received today through

Geneal Gavira, the Carranza

commander at Juarez. Villa,

apparently is trying to break

through the Mexican-Ameri-

can cordon in the LaGuna-

[By Associated Press to Coon Bay Times.]

EL PASO, Tex., Mar. 20 .- The

was authoritatively stated today.

sage from the bandit leader that he

But Passive

(By Anno-lated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Mach 20,

would occur tomorrow between Per-

Geneal Persiting reported that the

MUST BE CAREFUL

Officer Says Any Man Getting a

Beoop Is Arch-Criminal Und'r

COLUMBUS, N. M., March 20 .--

every correspondent accountable for .

"The man who gets a scoop is an .

arc-criminal," aid Major Sample,

the commanding officer at the Co-

lumbus camp today, "and I have evi-

dence enough to bring several under

Times Want Ads bring results.

the federal law."

Federal Law

expeditionary forces in Mexico.

42 hours marching.

the Guerrero district.

an aero squadron.

Friendly but passive."

garrison

Babricora region.

inland to the border.

ment of the Carranz

VILLA MAY BOTTLE

## PAPERS SIGNED UP MISGIVINGS FELT

Expected That They Will Sell Villa Told Carranza Leader Coos River Holdings to Thomas Irving of St. Paul

WILL KEEP OLD EMPLOYES WAS ALLOWED TO ESCAPE

Simpson Company Retains Upward of Mexican Government's Treops Pe-10-000 Acres—What Will Be culiar Action Arouses Suspicion Transferred to Company

Official announcement was made this afternoon that the sale of the major portion of the Simpson Lumber | • Company's Coos county holdings to Philip Buehner had been closed and that the purchasers will take charge of the property April 10.

This was simply in confirmation of the report printed in The Times some | • time ago when the details were generally agreed upon subject to a completion of the cruise and the furnishing of an abstract of the property.

H. C. Buehner, a son of Philip . Buehner, and George Sailor, a sonin-law of Philip Buehner are now come to your city. Frank Jonkins, Coos Bay end of the business and a Portland lumberman will be placed in charge of the San Francisco sales

## What Deal Includes

The Simpson company has not given out in detail what property is being transferred to Mr. Buehner at a price of about \$950,000 but it is understood to include the following: 25,000 acres of timber in Coos

Porter Mill and most of waterfront Sash and door factory at North

Steamer A. M. Simpson.

Simpson Keeps Some The Simpson company still retains considerable acreage in the county. Some thought that there was between about 10,000 acres. However, they Bend, the controlling interests in the no reason on earth for anxiety in will be furnished. Steamer Hardy and other interests. El Paso.

Successful Firm Philip Buehner was one of the most successful lumbermen in Minnesota, operating at Stillwater, before com-Western Lumber company at Portland and operated at Carlton, Orethy. It is understood that he has a number of associated with him in

the deal here. Geo, Sailor and H. C. Buehner had charge of the Carleton mill for him. . .

May Still Some It is understood tat Mr. Buehner will dispose of the Coos River timber holdings of the Simpson Company to Thomas Irving of St. Paul who has bought extensive tracts there. This will consolidate the Simpson timber which Mr. Buehner is getting.

Keep Old Men Ilt is also stated that the Buhener Company will retain practically all at Porter were formerly in Buchner's employ.

C. S. Winsor will retain charge of but L. F. Falkenstein will remain with the Buchner company for the time being at least and from what has been given out, few or changes will be made in the workmen and minor officials in the mill.

ENGINEER HINDMARSH SAYS HELL

Second Train Equipment Being Sent Here for Strvice Between Here and Powers

Two trains will be brought across the Umpqua on barges this week for use on this side of the river. V. G. Hindmarsh, division engineer told consisting of two coaches, a baggage car and a locomotive for use between here and Reedsport; the other is a locomotive, four box cars and two his dispatches under the National destandard coaches for use on the line fense act.

## TO WELCOME FARISS

The North Bend K. of P. Ledge will hold a reception tonight to wel-Water is running through come C. T. Fariss, who has just reinitiated by the Bandon K. P. lodge A number of Marshfield coars ago. K. P. members will attend.

Mexican Government's Head Objects to U. S. Troops Occupying Casas Grandes

Were Instructed to Keep Away from Towns

## LOOK FOR AN ADJUSTMENT

No Reply Received From Carranza Yet to Pi quest for Permission for United States to Use Mexican Railroads

[By Ameriated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 20. President Carranza has formally protested against American troops oc cupying Casas Grandes in pursuit of Villa, and the American government has replied that the U.S. troops sunk, to occupy Casas Grandes or any other towns or cities in Mexico.

The protest and reply were cluded in the exchange of notes bethe Carranza ambassador. The note was forwarded to Mexico yesterday General Funston to keep the troops away from all towns. The State De-Carrenza troops stationed at Casas portment today had not received a Grandes and other points of that section at the time that General reply from the request sent to Car-Pershing began marching into Mex- ranza for the use of the Mexican raillco now are located at Juarez and reads in transporting supplies to the in the rear of Pershing's columns, expeditionary forces. In urging the No reason has been assigned for use of the Mexican railroad for that the transfer of the troops from the Carranza government that similar From reliable sources it is stated pe, mission was granted to Carranza also that in one instance a Carranza detachment allowed Villa to troops for use of the railroads in the

## pass southward on receipt of a mes- United States last fall, Wants More Details

was not warring against Mexico. withheld on the northward move-ment of the Carranza troops, alpunitive expedition with a reques though it was understood in army for more complete information circles that the movement was not exactly what the War Department The information he asked The military is prepared

LEADERS MEET IN CHICAGO TO CHOOSE CHAIRMAN

NO LIKELIHOOD OF EARLY EN-Williams, of Oregon, Favors Hughes COUNTER WITH E. S. FORCE for President and Borah For Chairman-Others Talked of Gen. Pershing Reports to Gen. Fun-[Hy Associated Frent to Coos Bay Times.] ston-Carranza Troops Friendly

CHICAGO, March 20 .- The selection of a temporary chairman for the Republican National convention, meets here next June, was Little reason for belief that a clash before the National committee's subcommittee on convention arrange shing's cavalry and the Villa forces ments here today. was offered today in Funston's reof Oregon, said that Oregon Repubports from the commander of the licans regarded Hughes as the best compromise candidate.

The reports told of the manner in "I do not think" said Williams which the American forces are one that the leaders regard Roosevelt rating south of Casas Grandes, where serious as a candidate." that he favored Borah as temporary they arrived yesterday, a distance of 110 miles from the border after chairman,

Many Talked Of Most of the information reaching Chairman Charles D. Hilles, pre-Gen. Pershing indicated that Villa sided. The Western members were was heading for the mountains in regarded as favoring the immediate selection of a temporary chairman. The force actually being used in the chase was strengthened today discussed for temporary chairman of the Albanians and Italians. by the arrival at Casas Grandes of were Senator Lodge, former Goverfantry and fourth field artillery and McCall of Massachusetts and P. C. detachments of the Thirteenth in-

Knox. Root for President Franklin Murphy, of New Jer-sey, brought word of the elimination at Casas Grandes was of Root from the temporary chairman contest and began a boom for him for President.

The wiesest leaders of the party' sald Murphy, "seem to think Roosevelt could not be elected if nom-NEWSPAPER MEN AT COLUMBUS

## ............. THOMAS TAGGART IS NOW U. S. SENATOR.

[By Associated Press to coor flay Times.] INDIANAPOLIS, Mar. 20. Taggart, Democratic National committee-Orders were issued here holding . man, today was appointed United States senator to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Shively. . Taggart has long been noted figure in Indiana polities, having been the Democratic boss for years. A . few years ago he was involved in the noted French Lick Springs gambling scan-Dr. Leslie, Osteopath, Marshfield + dsl.

Columbia Plour, \$1.50, Haines,

Berlin Gives Out Report of Heavy Damages — Two More Ships Sunk Today

IBr Associated Press to Cook Bay Times 1 AMSTERDAM, March 20. - Bettween March 1 and March 18, hostile ships of the Entente Allies, aggregating 40,000 tons, have been sunk according to a well informed sources in Berlin.

TWO MORE SUNK

United States Replies Troops Norwegian and English Crafts Are Sent to Bottom

> IBy Associated Press to toos flay Times, LONDON, March 20 .- The Norwegian steamer Langelie, 940 tons Sixteen survivors were rescueu. The British steamer Port Dalhous

and five men landed. The remainder of the crew are missing. DANISH VESSEL LOST

ie was sunk. Her mate and pilot

Steamer Skodsborg Sunk and Three

Are Drowned [By Associated Press to Coos Hay Times.] LONDON, March 20 .- The Danish Seventeen members of have been specifically ordered not crew were saved and three were of 65 allied aeroplanes and sea-

saying instructions had been sent to OVER NINE HUNDRED WASHED UP ON DUTCH COAST.

> Effort to Locate Origin of One Which Destroyed Turbantia Is Being Made.

purpose, it was pointed out to the Dutch report that the steamer Tur- occupied villages near the Greek the war, 918 mines have been wash- loniki. ed up on the Dutch coast. Of these Carranza today replied to the 484 are of British origin, 58 of

## SUBMARINE WAR.

BERLIN, March 20 .- The National liberal group of the reichstag has decided to introduce at this session, its measure calling for the carrying out of the submarine

war.

BUT ONE PORT IN ALBANIA Avlona, 58 Miles South of Durrazzo, Today

IBy Associated Press to Cook Bay Times.] LONDON, March 20 .- Austrians pany. have been steadily continuing the march in Albania and have now ar- pany today said that no charter has rived before the advancer Italian positions at Aviona, says an Athens dispatch. They have not, however, be gun an attack on Aviona which is 5x for such a lease on the Coaster. There miles South of Durazzo which is the is still a probability that a second Besides Borah the other candidates last Albanian scaport in the hands vessel will also be secured.

## BERLIN BLAMES BRITON

marines Near Turbantia Disaster (ity Associated Press to Coos lisy Times.)

BERLIN, March 20 .- (Wireless via Sayville), — The Cologne Voks Zeitung reports that several creditable witnesses stated that shortly before and after the sinking of the Dutch steamer Turbantia, a British submarine was observed near Noordhinder lightship.

## WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY GETS NEW PRESIDENT

Two Days Oremonies Marking Inauguration of Dr. Suzzalio Begin in Scattle

[By Associated Press to Coon Say Times.] SEATTLE, Wash, March 20.—The and brutsed when some coal fell on two days ceremonies attending the him today. Ne bones were broken. formal inauguration of Dr. Henry Suzzallo as president of University of Washington began today with extended exercises of greeting. of the United States were present.

## IS IN HOSPITAL

is at treatment.

Allies Send 65 Air Craft Against Zeebrugge Zeppelin Headquarters

## MUCH DAMAGE DONE

ite in Notable Aerial At-

## was sunk and the engineer killed. STILL QUIET AT VERDUN

Paris Reports Single German Infan try Attack Repulsed at Pepper Hill-French Active North

IBy Associated Press to Cook Bay Times. 1

LONDON, March 20 .- A notable aerial raid was carried out early today on the German scaplane hangsteamer Skodsborg, 1697 tons, was are at Zeebrugge, Belgium, and the the aerodrome near there, a squadron planes making the attack.

The British announcement declared that considerable damage appeared to have been done by the bombs dropped,

Quiet at Verdun.

Fighting about Verdun has again slackened, Paris stated today, the only infantry attack reported being on unsuccessful one by the Germans on the French positions on Pepper

BERLIN, March 20 .- (Wireless north of Saloniki, is reported, a to Sayville,)-Commenting on the French column having advanced and bantia was sunk by a mine, German border which the Teutonic and Buinewspapers are discussing the origin garian forces had entered, according of the mine. Since the beginning of to news agency salvices from So-

Claim Allies Repulsed Berlin reported today that At Fort Bliss today comment was agreement's request for French, 201 unknown and only 175 village of Vaux was repulsed with heavy losses. In the Eastern theater, violent attacks of the Russian in the Lake region on the northern • part of the front continued. Russians charged repeatedly with strong forces, but were beaten back.

**+ LUMBER SCHOONER MAY TAKE** 

for One Trip, With Charter Possibility-May Get Second Boat

The steam schooner Coaster, of San Francisco, has been chartered for one trip by the C. A. Smith com-CLAIMS SHE HAS OCCUPIED ALL pany and there is a possibility that this vessel will be secured to aid in the lumber shipping to Oak-Athens Il ports Rapid Advance on land during the absence of the Nanu Smith, that on April 5 leaves for three months in the Orient, being

> Arno Mercen, of the Smith Combeen closed for a three months perind, but the chances are favorable

The Coaster is owned by Higgins and Company, of San Francisco, It is of 579 gross tons ,has a length of Reports that Many Saw British Sub- 175 feet and was built in 1905 in Aberneed, Washington.

> WORKMAN IS BADLY INJURED TODAY

L. E. Renchausen, of the Oregon Power Company's gas plant at Porter, slipped and fell off one of the machines today, breaking two ribs and inflicting other injuries. He struck on a steam pipe, which was badly bent

HURT AT BEAVER HILL

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Claude E. Shea, a miner at Beaver Hill, was quite badly scratched

## TO SAVE CALVES

Complaint has been made to Disprominent educators from all parts trict Attorney Liljeqvist that some Coos Bay meat markets are buying calves only a few days old and killing them for yeal. The law prohibits the killing of a calf under Mrs. B. B. Weldy, of North Bend four weeks old for yeal, and Mr. Mercy Hospital, receiving Lilieqvist will prosecute the offenders if the evidence warrants.

# GERMANS CLAIM ALLIES LOST 40,000 TONNAGE LATELY

British and French Flyers Untack This Morning

of Saloniki.

Active In Balkans, Renewed activities in the Balkans

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under charter to McNeal and Com-