

INFORMATION

(11TH DAY OF 1918)

COMING EVENTS
 Shrine annual ceremonial, Portland, January 21.
 Greeting of America, Portland, June.
 Convention of Grand encampment G. A. E., Portland, July.
 Pacific Coast Advertising Men's association convention, Portland, Oct. 7-9.

WEATHER CONDITIONS
 A storm of unusual intensity is central on the Gulf coast, and low pressure prevails over the states east of the Mississippi river and on the extreme north Pacific coast. Elsewhere the pressure is generally high. The highest readings being in Northern Montana. Precipitation has occurred in the northern Pacific and Rocky mountain states, and in the Mississippi valley, the Lake region and the Gulf and southern Plains states. Sleet is falling in Tennessee and Texas. The heaviest rainfall reported was 1.38 inches at Tatum, Idaho, Wash. The temperature has fallen rapidly in the Plains, southern Plains, Gulf states and the Mississippi valley, and zero weather extends southward to Texas. The temperature is below normal except on the north Pacific coast and in the extreme southwest.

TODAY'S FORECAST
 Portland and vicinity Tuesday and Saturday rain, gentle winds, mostly easterly.
 Oregon—Tonight and Saturday rain or snow; warmer east portion tonight; moderate easterly winds.
 Washington—Tonight and Saturday rain or snow; warmer east portion tonight; fresh easterly winds.

OBSERVATIONS

STATIONS	Highest	Lowest	Precipitation
Baker, Or.	30	26	.28
Boston, Mass.	30	20	0
Chicago, Ill.	22	12	.04
Duluth, Minn.	4	-16	.02
Eureka, Cal.	52	38	0
Galveston, Texas	52	38	0
Jacksonville, Fla.	58	44	0
Kearney, Neb.	14	4	0
Lawson, Idaho	24	24	.02
Marshall, Or.	64	42	.14
Minneapolis, Minn.	24	0	0
New Orleans, La.	52	52	.01
New York City	34	22	.86
North Bend, Wash.	48	42	.02
Portland	40	38	.08
Rapid City, S. D.	2	24	0
Roseburg, Or.	48	42	.02
Sacramento, Cal.	60	38	0
St. Louis, Mo.	30	18	0
Salt Lake, Utah	18	10	0
San Francisco, Cal.	48	38	.02
Seattle, Wash.	40	38	.02
Spokane, Wash.	20	20	.18
Tacoma, Wash.	40	38	.02
Tahoe Island, Wash.	42	40	1.38
Yacouba, B. C.	38	32	.14
Walla Walla, Wash.	42	38	.02
Washington, D. C.	32	22	0

TOWN TOPICS

Extension Lectures Tonight—Lectures in the University of Oregon extension courses at the Central library this evening will be on the following subjects: "The Foundations of Medievalism," Dr. Geo. Rebec; "Acquiring Skill," Dr. B. W. DeBusk; "The Zonal Distribution of Birds," Dr. John Howard; "Greek Sculpture," Roswell Dosh. In the vocational guidance course the lecture Saturday evening will be by Superintendent L. R. Alderman of the Portland public schools on the subject "Vocational Guidance at Present Offered in Portland."

Civic Luncheon Saturday—What does government control of the nation's railroads mean? The question will be answered in two ways by speakers before the Oregon Civic league at luncheon in the Multnomah hotel Saturday noon. James B. Kerr, counsel of the S. P. & N. railroad, will discuss the immediate effects of government control. Dr. C. H. Chapman will speak of what may be expected in the future.

The Better Kind of Furniture, including a number of over-stuffed pieces such as Davenport and easy arm-chairs, made in J. G. Mack & Co.'s workshops, splendid examples of hand workmanship, are being displayed by J. G. Mack & Co. in their new store at 148-150 Park st., between Alder and Morrison. Reductions prevail on a number of desirable pieces—opportunities for adding here and there to your furnishings. (Adv.)

Bird Lecture Saturday—Mrs. A. J. French of Carlton, Or., will give a talk on birds before the Audubon Bird club Saturday night at 8 o'clock in the story hour room at the Central library. The subject will be "The Birds of Maplewood Farm." The talk will be illustrated with numerous photos and colored pictures of the birds. The public is invited.

Steamer Jesse Harkins for Camas, Washougal and way landings daily, except Sunday; leaves Washington street dock at 2 p. m. (Adv.)

Foods Will Be Topped—Advice on the proper selection of foods will be given by Dr. H. Schwartz in a public address to be given at library hall, Central li-

brary, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Dr. Schwartz will point out what he believes to be the best foods and those which are least apt to cause ill effects on the human system.

K. of C. Drive Next Week—The Knights of Columbus have arranged to start their drive for their war camps Friday January 11. J. D. Farrell is in charge of the advisory board. The board includes Governor Withycombe, Mayor Baker, Archbishop Christie, Ben Sellinger, Rabbi Joseph B. Wise, H. W. Stone, W. M. Ladd and Dr. A. C. Smith. Mrs. J. P. O'Brien will have charge of booths at banks, department stores, hotels, depots and other public centers. The war camp work of the Knights of Columbus is endorsed by President Wilson and leading United States army officers and is along practical, non-sectarian and patriotic lines.

School Janitor Stands Dismissed—At the committee meeting of the board of education Thursday night, W. A. Gregor, former janitor of the Kanton public school, protested against the action of the school board in discharging him. He made a statement denying the charges that had been preferred, among which were that "he had gone out to the house of a pupil and that he had a bad temper." Miss Grace De Graff, school principal, was present at the meeting prepared to give her side of the story, but the director did not ask her to speak in her own behalf. The action of dismissal stands.

Canadian Pastor Called—The First Congregational Church of Portland has invited Rev. Hugh Pedley of Montreal, Canada, to supply as pastor of the church for a period of three months. Beginning March 1 he will occupy the pulpit left vacant by the death of Dr. Luther H. Dyot. Dr. Pedley was chosen as supply pastor at the special annual meeting of the church and was notified immediately. Until his arrival members of the congregation and other local men will fill the pulpit.

Red Cross Society Meets—The weekly meeting of the British Red Cross society will be held in the Knights of Pythias hall, Eleventh and Alder, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The speaker this week will be Judge Henry McGinnis. A musical program will be given by Henry Sewall, Miss Beth Ludian and Miss May Smith. All Britishers and others interested in Red Cross work are urged to attend.

Redmen May Assist—Mrs. Percy W. Lewis, who is promoting the presentation of the Indian legends for February 22, appeared before the joint session of three tribes of Redmen Thursday night and invited the tribes to participate in the proposed presentation is endorsed by the council of defense the Redmen probably will take hold.

Psychoanalysis Arrested—Record Clerk Thompson, at the police station, asked for an "A. C." book this morning before he entered the name of a Russian charged with vagrancy on the police records. He is waiting to see what Municipal Judge Roseman will call Joseph Psychoanalysis when he comes up for trial.

Choice of Women Protested—The Central Labor Council Thursday night protested in resolutions against the appointment by Governor Withycombe of two women to represent the working women of Oregon on the industrial welfare commission, neither of whom is a member of organized labor.

Revival Services Attract—For several evenings past services of unusual interest have been held at the Liberty Free Methodist church. Rev. E. I. Harrington, pastor, is conducting these meetings and is assisted by other able speakers. Everybody welcome to attend.

W. L. Finley to Lecture—W. L. Finley will show his motion pictures, "Oregon Wild Life," in the auditorium of the Llewellyn school at 8 o'clock tonight. Admission will be charged and the public is invited. The pictures are descriptive of the animal and bird life in the state.

Reelection Is Forecasted—Nominations for office by the Central Labor Council for an election which will be held next month indicate that C. P. Howard, president; E. J. Stack, secretary, and other leading officers, will be reelected without opposition.

Concert at Men's Resort—Mrs. Jane Burns Albert, soprano, will give a concert at the Men's Resort Saturday night. Mrs. Albert has prepared a fine program. All the men are looking forward to this musical event.

Jewish Services Tonight—Services will be held at the Congregation Ahavai Shalom, corner Park and Clay streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Tomorrow morning services at 9:30 o'clock. Rabbi R. Abrahamson will officiate.

Steamer Iralda for St. Helens and Rainier, daily at 2:30 p. m. foot of Alder street; Sunday, St. Helens only, 1:30 p. m. (Adv.)

Mineral Output Increases—Members of the Oregon bureau of mines are preparing a statement of the mineral out-

put for Oregon for the year 1917. It is said that the yield of metals totals about \$400,000, which amounts to a gain of \$400,000 over the year 1916. The statement is actuated because of a report which had gone out to the effect that the Oregon mineral yield for the year just past showed a decrease over the previous year.

British Red Cross Society—Meeting, Saturday evening, E. F. hall, Eleventh and Alder. Address by Judge Henry McGinnis. Musical items by Henry Sewall, Miss Beth Ludian and Miss May Smith. Britishers interested in Red Cross work urged to attend.

English Class to Meet—The teaching of English class, conducted by Professor Mable Holmes Parsons of the University of Oregon, will meet tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock in room 11 of Central library.

McCarger, Bates & Lively—Fire, casualty and automobile insurance, Yeon bldg. Telephone Main 168. (Adv.)

Columbia River Smelt shipped. Write Smelt Shipping Co., 102 1st. Main 4641. (Adv.)

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Dr. Banner R. Brooke—returned. Adv.

RUSS BALK AND PEACE PARLEY IS SUSPENDED

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for mercy," Trotsky declared, "if the imperialists refuse to listen to the voice of the people."

"If the central democrats do not speak, Russia will fight to the bitter end—not so much from the trenches as in an uprising of the people to interpose barricades at every step against their oppressors."

Trotsky insisted upon transfer of the peace negotiations to Stockholm. "If Germany will not accept our conditions, we shall declare a revolutionary war. We will not agree to a shameful peace."

Here in Petrograd today there was a sudden display of great energy at the ministry of war offices, where it was admitted the Bolsheviks were seeking to reorganize the transport of supplies, in view of the possibility of war continuing. The first step in demobilization of non-essential army units already undertaken in part, was expected to lessen the pressure perceptibly on the transport of army supplies.

Defense plans for Petrograd itself are being drawn. Guns are being shifted from the northern front. Ensign Krylenko, commander-in-chief of the army, ordered all of his officers to return to

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posts at the front which they held prior to the Bolshevik revolution.

ROW ENLIVENES SESSION OF PEACE MEET; HUNS ACCUSE THE RUSSIANS

Amsterdam, Jan. 11.—(U. P.)—The Russo-German peace conferences at Brest-Litovsk have been terminated. The sittings were suspended yesterday, according to dispatches received here today when the Germans flatly and finally refused to transfer negotiations to neutral soil. Bolshevik Foreign Minister Trotsky himself moved the conclusion of the meeting.

The German delegates formally announced that all plans for a general peace meeting were considered as definitely off by the central powers because of the failure of the German delegates to respond within 10 days to the invitation to participate. Count Cernin, Austrian foreign minister, formally announced that henceforth the central powers were willing to negotiate only a separate peace with Russia.

Germans Accuse Russians
 That the session was more or less bitter was evident from the German minister of foreign affairs, who accused the Russian government of having sworn to the German military command by urging the German troops to revolt.

Hoffman protested that such messages "transgressed the spirit of the armistice."

Other central powers' delegates joined in this protest.

It was immediately following this assault on the Russian plans to establish harmony of effort between the plain people of Germany and the Russian proletariat that Foreign Minister Trotsky moved suspension of the sittings.

Immediately before this, however, German Foreign Minister Kuehlmann asserted positively:

"I do not consider the difficulties now developed as great enough to make our

peace efforts fail, or to force resumption of fighting."

Count Cernin announced formally that henceforth only the question of a separate peace could be considered by the Brest-Litovsk conference, the 10 days limit within which the German delegates granted the entente allies time to join the general peace deliberations having expired. He insisted the Russian scheme for transfer of the negotiations to neutral soil would simply grant the allies a chance to interfere with the Russo-German separate peace negotiations, although he expressed willingness to conclude the last step for signing such a peace agreement on neutral soil.

Regarding the points in disagreement between the two sides, Count Cernin recalled that it had been decided at a previous session to place them in the hands of a committee. The central powers, he said, had now decided to conclude the negotiations on the basis which Foreign Secretary Kuehlmann and the Russian committee members already had considered binding.

Turkey Indorses Plan
 "If the Russian intentions are not altered," he added, "satisfactory results may be secured. If not, matters will take their regular course and responsibility for continuation of the war will fall exclusively on the Russians."

General Popoff of Bulgaria and Talaat Bey, for Turkey, both announced their indorsement of the position thus

outlined by Cernin and approved by Kuehlmann.

Russian Woman Peace Envoy
 Copenhagen, Jan. 11.—(U. P. S.)—For the first time in modern history a woman is taking part in a peace parley as one of the chief negotiators. She is Mme. Bithenko, a member of the Bolshevik delegation that is carrying on a conference with representatives of the central empires at Brest-Litovsk. Advice received here today said that the Germans at first protested against a woman at the parley, but Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, stated that Mme. Bithenko was an accredited delegate and that her views were supported by the balance of the Russian negotiators.

Dividend Payments Suspended
 Petrograd, Jan. 11.—(U. P.)—The Bolshevik government today suspended payments of dividends of all private companies and prohibited all stock transactions pending "nationalization" of business and exact determination of the amount of interest to be paid.

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