

D'ANNUNZIO'S GUNS SPIT FIRE AGAINST THOSE OF ITALY

By Camillo Cianfrani

Rome, Dec. 22.—(U. P.)—Rifle fire spat from the crags and promontories guarding the eastern shore of the Adriatic today. Civil strife between the legionnaires of Fiume and the regular Italian army had begun. Where government troops quietly yielded to d'Annunzio's troops previously, they braced today, employing machine guns and rifles to show that they will not give further ground.

General Caviglia, commanding the regular forces surrounding the port of Fiume, has put a blockade order into effect and announced that no breaks in the line will be permitted.

Commandant d'Annunzio met the blockade order with another declaration of war and a proclamation forbidding citizens to leave the city.

There were indications that the government finally intended requesting the post-commander from his occupation of the port. His troops, which had occupied Zara without opposition yesterday, were driven out with no casualties and regulars began constricting the Fiume territory.

An encounter at Gellence, 10 miles from Fiume, was said to have resulted in two deaths and minor casualties. Italian destroyers patrolling the rocky coast shelled d'Annunzio's garrisons on Veglia and smaller islands.

PLOT TO OVERTHROW BY D'ANNUNZIO IS REPORTED

London, Dec. 22.—(U. P.)—A d'Annunzio plot to wreck the Jugo-Slav government and thereby the Adriatic treaty has been uncovered, according to Milan dispatches.

The plot was said to have schemed to desert Fiume with his force of 6000 men, land them in Dalmatia simultaneously with a Croatian rebellion and thereby overthrow the government.

The plot's forces were said to number 6000 legionnaires, five destroyers, two torpedo boats, eight tugs, five steamships and several field guns and machine guns.

Water for Power For Lake County Towns Is Sought

Salem, Dec. 22.—The development of power for towns in Goose Lake valley, Lake county, is contemplated in an application filed with State Engineer Cupper by S. A. Mushen and C. D. Cronmiller of Lakeview, who seek permission to appropriate water from Camas and Deep creeks, tributaries of Warner lake, for power development.

Other applications covering water rights have been filed with the state engineer's office here as follows:

By Ransom Carter of Rogue River, water from Evans creek for irrigation and domestic supply in Jackson county.

By Alfred C. Norris of Lakeview, water from Dry creek for the irrigation of 160 acres in Lake county.

By Leo N. Childs of Salem, water from an unnamed spring and stream for the irrigation of a small tract of land in Polk county.

A petition covering the construction of eight crossings at grade over the tracks of the Oregon-Washington Railway & Navigation company in Union county was filed with the public service commission Wednesday by the state highway commission.

George F. West to Be Tried During Jan. Court Term

Dallas, Dec. 22.—George F. West, held responsible by the coroner's jury for the death of his wife, whom he shot Monday, will be tried on a first degree murder charge during the January term of court. He will be arraigned as soon as he can be moved from the hospital, where he is recovering from poison he took to the county jail. He is under guard at the hospital. West's home is in Fellows, Cal.

Sheriff John W. Orr received a telegram from the commanding officer of the military post at Fort Worden, Wash., requesting the arrest of Archie Wilterson, wanted there for desertion. Wilterson was serving a four day sentence on a drunk and disorderly charge. He had been here for several weeks, visiting his father and brothers, asserting he was on furlough.

Forest Grove's Fire Department Elects Its Set of Officers

Forest Grove, Dec. 22.—The Forest Grove fire department has elected officers as follows: Chief, Joseph Denneville; assistant chief, D. R. Cheney; captains, L. B. McKeever and Walter Lennette; lieutenants, G. J. Velie and H. H. Williams; president, Omar Findale; vice president, C. L. Walker; secretary-treasurer, D. B. Cheney.

The Woman's Relief corps elected officers as follows: President, Mrs. Sophie Smith; senior vice president, Mrs. Elberta Lyone; junior vice president, Mrs. Nora McNamer; chairman, Mrs. Anna Crabtree Sr.; treasurer, Mrs. Nettie Austin; conductor, Mrs. Anna Crabtree; guard, Mrs. John Stribich; musician, Mrs. Campbell.

Thirsty Passengers Mean Large Loss, Assert Ship Owners

Washington, Dec. 22.—(I. N. S.)—American ship owners will suffer a loss of many millions of dollars, if Attorney General Palmer's ruling that the Volstead law extends to all American ships is literally followed by dry law enforcement agents, ship owners have protested to the internal revenue bureau.

Revenue officials were asked to withhold the promulgation of further prohibition rules until the ship owners can submit further arguments. Ship owners here today said the loss in passenger revenue will be tremendous.

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