

U. S. FEELS ALLEES SHOULD PAY BILL OF 'RHINE FORCES'

Washington, March 12.—The United States government declines to believe the allies will ignore the claim of \$241,000,000 for the expenses of the American army of occupation in Germany.

As to whether the allies will give America her share of the German reparations money at this time, or merely will recognize America's contribution to the payment of the reparations, the United States is not concerned.

Mr. Hughes holds the view that the separate treaty between Germany and the United States gives this government all the benefits which it would have derived out of the Versailles treaty.

Although officials discuss temporarily the reported unwillingness of the allies to recognize America's claim to reparation money for the army of occupation, they show an earnestness of viewpoint which indicated complete surprise at the European attitude.

Action was taken by the American government. It is pointed out officially, only when it appeared that the European governments were about to dispose of some German territory without consulting the United States.

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It was patent, then, the senator insisted, that the great saving in tax burdens, if it is to come, must come from a reduction in local expenditures, and not through reduction in the expenditures of the general state government.

The understanding at the department of state is that the agreement to divide German reparations money without taking Americans into consideration is only a tentative and informal understanding.

Belfast, March 11.—(L. N. S.)—A civilian was fatally wounded by a sentry early today while pedestrians were being dispersed by soldiers. He had refused to obey an order to halt. A loaded revolver was found upon the body.

GARDEN HOME WATER DISTRICT There will be a regular meeting of the commissioners of the Garden Home water district tomorrow night at the school house and urge all interested in the R. R. water to attend.

Blumauer & Hoch 428 Flavel's St. PORTLAND ORE. Announce. New shipments of the superior Mineral Water GINGER ALE

Grange Resolution Is Against Settling Troubles by Strikes

Oak Grove, Or., March 12.—Resolutions were passed by Oswego Grange, which met here Saturday night, protesting the "barbarous method of settling labor difficulties by strikes."

CARS JUMP SPAN, 7 DIE, 16 INURED

Atlanta, Ga., March 12.—Seven persons were killed and 16 seriously injured two miles from Ben Hur Sunday when the rear coach of a southbound Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic passenger train left the rails and plunged from a trestle 30 feet into Camp Creek.

The dead are: Mrs. Dr. L. H. Edridge and G. P. Elmore of Atlanta, W. E. McIntosh and R. C. Driver of Roanoke, Ala., R. W. Lancer, telegraph operator, Senoia, Ga.; W. E. Johnson, section foreman; W. M. Brooks, Western Union lineman; Mancheson, Ga. Elmore was a railroad freight cashier.

LOWER TAX UP TO LOCAL CUT, DAY SAYS

The commission wanted to know public thought in regard to the imposition of a gross earnings tax on corporations. The commission sought, too, to find what the people thought of the limitation of taxation and bond issues by constitutional amendment, and also of the taxation of public service corporations on the basis of a full valuation rather than an equalized valuation as at present.

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GREEK PREMIER ASKS PARLIAMENT TO BE PATIENT

Athens, March 12.—In a somewhat heavy atmosphere, after an absence of five months, Premier Gounaris came before the Greek parliament, which was demanding an accounting of his activity in Europe.

Public opinion in Greece does not want to hear of any territorial sacrifices. It insists that Greece must keep all the territories allotted to her by the treaty of Sevres, on the ground that the sacrifices made by Greece in 1921 are alone a sufficient justification for keeping Thrace and Smyrna which the allies now appear to be willing to return to Turkey.

The Greeks realize fully that to keep these provinces more heavily fighting will be necessary, but they appear to be willing to make further sacrifices to enable them to keep what they believe is due to their country.

The government intends to increase the taxes, but even if parliament passes a new financial bill it is doubtful if the finances will be sufficient to cover the heavy expenditures involved in carrying on a war against the Turkish Nationalists.

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'Fatty' Arbuckle's Third Trial Begins; Trying to Get Jury

San Francisco, March 12.—Early exhaustion of the panel of 85 jurors available when Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle went on trial a third time today for manslaughter was predicted as the task of selecting the jury was undertaken.

Reduced for various reasons from 149 to 66, the panel was not expected to last more than three days. Attorneys estimated at least a week would be required to secure the jury.

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'TAY PAY' PUTS BAN ON 67 KINDS OF BRITISH FILMS

London, March 12.—England's code of film censorship has been laid down with remarkable comprehensiveness by T. P. O'Connor, M. P.—the famous "Tay Pay"—who is president of the British board of film censors.

Making young girls drunk; brutality and torture to women; excessive drunkenness; nude figures; indecorous dancing; improper exhibition of feminine undecorating; women fighting with knives; the practice of the American "third degree"; disparagement of the institution of marriage; prolonged and harrowing death bed scenes; bedroom and bathroom scenes of an equivocal character.

Defending the censors' action in barring from the film many plays that have appeared on the speaking stage, O'Connor explains: "Even the most ardent passion on the stage can be conveyed by the simple words, 'I love you, but on the screen the same emotion must be expressed by some form of action. The standard of film censorship must be different from that of the stage."

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Hoff Enters Race For Reelection as State Treasurer

Salem, March 12.—State Treasurer O. P. Hoff this morning announced that he would be a candidate before the Republican primaries to succeed himself. Hoff's statement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination is unaccompanied by any platform or statement of policies which he explains will be issued later.

Hoff is a native of Norway, but came to the United States as a boy, living first in Wisconsin, then in California, and coming to Oregon as a young man, being employed on farms and in railroad service for many years.

He served for three terms as state labor commissioner and was elected state treasurer at the general election of 1918. Commenting on his administration this morning, Hoff said: "I have saved and made for the state \$88,000 a year more by my system and organization than has any previous administration."

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DONALD M'MASTER DIES IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Wash., March 12.—Donald McMaster, 315 East Twenty-sixth street, formerly Clarke county prosecuting attorney, later superior judge, and for 23 years a prominent attorney of Clarke county, died here Sunday at the age of 51 years.

McMaster was born in Glasgow, Scotland. He came to Canada, Wash., 18 years ago, and moved to this city in 1898. In 1909 he was named superior judge to fill the unexpired term of W. W. McCredie, who retired from the bench. In 1913 he returned to private practice as the head of the law firm of McMaster, Hall & Schaefer.

He is survived by his wife and five daughters: Mrs. Mildred Schaefer, Vancouver; Mrs. Dorothy McCredie, Olympia, Wash.; and Jennie, Frances and Margaret McMaster, Vancouver.

Funeral services for Judge McMaster will be held Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Presbyterian church, Rev. Charles Bakerville officiating and with Limber in charge.

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BUYS APPLE ORCHARD Milton, Or., March 12.—Stephen Thomas, rancher, this morning has just returned from Wenatchee, where he purchased a 15-acre apple orchard, for which he paid \$18,000. Thomas disposed of his ranch here more than two years ago.