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EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS WILL BE CALLED FOR MARCH

President Wilson Said to Have Reached Decision Unless Republican Filibuster is Stopped.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ARE UP

Instructions Will Be Given That These Measures Must Be Considered and at Same Time Effort Will Be Made to Put Through Shipping Bill—Filibuster Still On.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The filibuster in the senate continued this afternoon. During the filibuster Senator Myers of Montana, pleaded with the filibusterers to let the pending bill come to a vote, urging the necessity of passing the appropriation and other measures, including the water power leasing bill. Gallagher responded by moving that the leasing bill be taken up and demanded a roll call. Fletcher moved to table the motion, which carried 49 to 29.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—President Wilson will call an extra session of congress to convene March 5 if the republican filibuster against the ship purchase bill continues. This decision, it is understood, was reached by the president today.

The extra session will be instructed to consider the appropriation bills that have failed during the regular session. At the same time an effort will be made to put the ship measure through.

Wilson's decision to call an extra session was reached at a conference with Underwood and the democratic leaders in both houses of congress. The executive would not consent to drop the ship bill at this or an extra session.

At noon the senate had been in continuous session for 44 hours with no adjournment in sight.

The conference also considered the immediate discussion and the prospect by the house of the Gore substitute for the ship bill, which includes a change in the original administration measure which has been favored by the progressive republicans. No decision was reached in this matter. House democrats said there was at present in the house a majority of 25 to 30 in favor of the ship purchase measure.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—After insurgent democrats and republicans had made a vain effort to break the continuous session of the senate on the government ship purchase bill, tired legislators settled down for another all-night debate in the historic struggle.

When the end would come, no one would predict. Administration leaders declared the session might last for a week without interruption. Opposition spokesmen, however, predicted

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ANOTHER ADDITION TO CITY WILL BE THROWN OPEN SOON

Further proof that Pendleton is growing steadily is had in the announcement by Mr. and Mrs. Lot Livermore that they will open another addition to Pendleton on the north hill within the very near future. Taken in connection with the platting and improvement of Irvington Heights, the opening of R. T. Brown's River View addition, the purchase and improvement of lots by Cox & Loneragan and by D. D. Phelps and C. A. Cole as well as other notable improvements, the opening of a new addition by the Livermores is a significant indication of the expansion of the city and the spirit of faith which property owners have in the city.

The new addition will be known as Livermore's Second Addition to Pendleton and will be located just north of the first addition. It will comprise four blocks of twelve lots each, just north of Marion street and extending from Main to Logan. The east end of the addition will be only five blocks from the corner of Court and Main. Situated upon the hill, the new building sites command a splendid view of the city and surrounding country.

A plat of the new addition is being prepared now by Guy O'Melvin and will be presented to the county court and the city council within the next fifteen days.

Two Richest Men in the World on Stand



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.

NEW CREAMERY TO BE OPENED IN THE CITY ON MARCH 1

With entire new equipment under new ownership and management, Pendleton is soon to have a creamery once more. The plant will be owned and operated by R. C. Rasmussen who for the past three years has been in the creamery business in The Dalles. Mr. Rasmussen is here today and announces that he has made the purchase of the needed creamery machinery and equipment and expects to be ready for business by March 1.

The new concern will be known as the Pendleton creamery and it will be entirely under local control, Mr. Rasmussen being sole owner and manager. He is a practical creamery man who has made a success of the business elsewhere and believes he can do so here. He will make use of the old location in the plant of the ice and cold storage plant but will have the room remodeled and repainted. A skylight will be built to improve the lighting arrangement and other betterments made. The creamery will handle both butter and ice cream and to an extent milk and cream. The creamery will have a capacity of 1200 pounds of butter a day. Mr. Rasmussen is already acquainted to an extent with the local creamery field from having conducted a creamery at Lexington, Morrow county, some years ago. He wishes to get in touch with farmers who will have cream to sell and will pay the market price for butter fat.

The man who is unable to bear misfortune is truly unfortunate.

NEWS SUMMARY

General. Extra session of congress will be called by the president for March. Decisive battle developing on eastern battle front.

French reported to have hurled back general assault of the Germans. Another British liner flies American flag to escape from German submarines.

Local. New school will soon be necessary in Pendleton. New addition to Pendleton platted by Livermores. Dr. Temple gains renown through paper on tick paralysis. Late Jesse falling left estate to widow. Mrs. Nesbitt, former local resident dead in Portland.

GROWERS TOLD TO HOLD WOOL AS BIG PRICES ARE NEAR

Predicting higher prices for wool and advising growers to hold their wool until shearing the National Wool Warehouse Company of Chicago has sent out a circular letter to stockholders. Among other things the letter states that buyers with German orders are now en route west in hopes of contracting wool. The Chicago letter is dated February 8 and in full is as follows:

The developments of the week have been startling in their possibilities of affecting wool values. Yesterday England restored the embargo. Germany has declared a blockade of the British Isles—says her submarines will destroy all British merchant ships and warns all neutrals to keep away.

Prior to these announcements U. S. buyers had been operating freely in Australia and London. Prices, due to their activity, advanced 15 per cent and the great slump which took place in December has been entirely recovered. The U. S. has been paying 30 cents the grease pound in London for 47 per cent shrinkage Merinos. This means no cheap wool from abroad when war-time freight and insurance are added even if the wool could be shipped.

It appears clear that England has been playing a shrewd game with the on and off embargo policy. When the embargo was first placed it permitted her own manufacturers to obtain stocks at low prices. Then by releasing large amounts in both Australia and London have relieved financial strain on her producers. Only one small sailing vessel and one steamer loaded with wool bought by American mills had left Australia before the lid was clamped on again. With the embargo now on again England has both the U. S. money and the U. S. wool.

And now that Germany has declared

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A SECOND BRITISH LINER USES U. S. FLAG FOR SAFETY

Cunard Liner Orduna Arrives in New York After Flying Stars and Stripes Nearly 24 Hours.

HAD BEEN WARNED OF DANGER

Admiralty or Officials of Liner Informed Captain of Steamer That German Submarines Were Hovering About in Irish Sea—American Flag Immediately Hoisted.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Passengers arriving on the Cunard liner Orduna from Liverpool declared the vessel flew the American flag for nearly 24 hours on January 31st while in the Irish sea. The flag was hoisted by orders of Captain Taylor. Passengers said the change in flags followed the receipt of a wireless either from the British admiralty or the Cunard officials. It was on January 31st that a German submarine sank three steamers off Fleetwood.

Henry Winters, assistant manager of the Cunard line, denied the report, saying the flags were flown as usual. A number of passengers declared the American colors were placed where the British should have been.

Winters said: "As usual the Orduna was flying the American flag from the foremast and the Union Jack from the mainmast when she left Liverpool. She was flying the same flags when she entered New York harbor. The colors forward indicate her destination and those aft the nationality of the vessel."

Officials of the Cunard line insisted the passengers "must have been mistaken" or had "started the story for a joke."

The American flag remained at the Orduna's mast until the vessel was off Queenstown where the British flag was substituted. When the pilot was dropped the American flag again was raised and remained aloft until the vessel was well off the Irish coast. Members of the crew told several of the Orduna's passengers that the captain had been warned by the British admiralty that a number of German submarines were off the Irish coast and to use every precaution to protect the Orduna passengers and the mails.

Faultless people never go around pointing out the faults of others.

GENERAL ASSAULT BY GERMANS ENDS IN HEAVY LOSSES

French Reported to Have Hurlled Teutons Back in Attempt to Take Gallic Positions.

ARTILLERY DUELS PROGRESS

Weather is Growing Better in France and Active Operations are Believed Ready to be Reopened Against the Germans—50,000 Germans Killed on Eastern Front.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—An attempt by the Germans to carry by a general assault of infantry divisions the French positions northeast of Maronville and Lorraine, have been repulsed with heavy losses according to an announcement by the war office. This announcement of a victory is believed to mark the resumption of active operations in this province. The weather is moderating. From the Aisne to the Champagne district, artillery duels have been progressing with considerable fury.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Germans have sustained enormous losses in the fighting along the Borzhymow line in Poland during the last week according to the Star's Petrograd correspondent. He estimates that not less than 50,000 Germans have been killed and four times that number wounded as a result of the fighting.

OFFICIAL TEXT OF GERMAN WAR ZONE NOTE RECEIVED

STATE DEPARTMENT WILL SOON BE READY TO TAKE MATTER UP.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The official text of the memorandum to the press recently issued by the German government explaining the recent order extending the war zone to British and French waters was submitted to the state department by the German embassy. It will be translated and compared with the text published in American newspapers. The state department then will be ready, it was stated, to take official action regarding the situation and also in the case of the Lusitania flying the American flag.

DECISIVE BATTLE DEVELOPING ALONG THE EASTERN LINE

Russians Hold Passes in Carpathians Which Austro-German Forces Are Trying to Capture.

DEAD COVER MOUNTAIN SIDES

Fight Will Be Waged to Definite End According to Statements from Petrograd—Hand-to-Hand Combats Mark Struggle for Possession of Advantage Points.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—Although reports from the eastern battle front are conflicting, it appears certain that the Austrians and Germans, heavily reinforced in the Carpathians and Bukovina were now on the offensive. Fighting is of a desperate character, but both the Evening Telegram and the Daily Mail correspondents indicated the Russians probably will be forced to again evacuate Bukovina. In that event the Slavs also will have to abandon the proposed invasion of Transylvania and Hungary. The Bucharest correspondent of the Evening Telegraph says advice indicated the Russians already are retreating from southern and eastern Bukovina.

BERLIN, Feb. 10.—The German war office admitted an extensive general battle is developing in Prussia but declared the fighting has not entered a decisive stage. Deep snow is proving a great hindrance to operations in the Carpathians and the Russians are resisting stubbornly in Dukla Pass, and continually bringing fresh troops into action, the statement added.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 10.—What promises to become one of the most sanguinary and decisive battles of the war is developing in the desperate fighting for the slopes and passes in the Carpathian mountains. The mountain sides are covered with dead.

The Russians and the combined Austro-German forces, the latter heavily reinforced, will carry the fight to a conclusion.

Severe losses are announced by the war office. In these encounters the Slavs are reported to have taken 69 officers and 5200 prisoners.

Since Saturday the Teutonic allies in the vicinity of Tulkolka Pass have been making furious assaults in an effort to storm the Russian positions. On Sunday this developed into a general battle which still is in progress.

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TEACHERS' SALARY BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE

WOMEN WILL RECEIVE SAME PAY AS MEN ACCORDING TO MEASURE.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 10.—The senate passed Muser's bill providing that women school teachers shall be paid equal wages with men for similar service.

Senator Laneguth introduced a resolution memorializing congress to place an embargo on food shipments to the countries at war.

The house passed the Lafferty bill making it legal to kill beaver and also the bill regulating the apportionment of county school funds.

BOER REBEL LEADER SAID TO HAVE BEEN EXECUTED

GERMANS SAID TO HAVE PASSED SENTENCE ON CHARGE OF TREACHERY.

PRETORIA, South Africa, Feb. 10.—It is reported the Germans in German southwest Africa have executed Colonel Maritz, former leader of the rebellious Boers in British South Africa on a charge of treachery. No official confirmation has been received. Maritz was one of the principal leaders of the revolt which was put down by Premier Botha.

MORE ARRESTS MADE IN INDIANA ELECTION CASES

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 10.—Charged with conspiring to buy up election boards, Warren Soules, William S. Fears, William Myers and Morton Holmes, candidates for county treasurer, auditor, assessor and county commissioner respectively were arrested. The accused men are republicans.

Death of Famous German Flier



Photograph showing the famous German aviator Falkenstein after he had been shot down when reconnoitering over the lines of the allies in France. When first reports of his death were published it was believed he was another son of Admiral Falkenstein who had perished. The photograph shows the birdman's Taube with the Maltese cross, which distinguishes German machines, painted on the wings.