



SIX WORDS OF SPEECH SEIZED BY OPPONENTS

"At Whatever Cost of Independent Action" World Demands New Order.

ANTI-LEAGUERS HOLD PHRASE AS EVIDENCE

Borah Charges Statement Proves Belief in Obligation to Accept Advice.

BY J. W. T. MARTIN (United Press Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, July 11.—Senators opposing the league of nations seized six words from President Wilson's speech as proof of their contention that ratification of the league would rob the United States of its independence of action. The six words are "at whatever cost of independent action."

The president used them in declaring the world demanded a new order of international politics, founded on freedom and justice.

He added it was in the league of nations that mankind found the only hope of this new order. Thus the president, anti-leaguers argued today, demands that the United States commit itself to giving up its independence to whatever extent the league may deem necessary.

"This statement taken with the president's assertion that the United States is legally bound to accept the league council's advice proves absolutely what the proponents of the league have denied," said Senator Borah. "They have insisted we would be under no legal obligation to act on the league's advice unless we feel that honor compels us to. But the president clearly views the situation differently."

Wilson's expression of willingness to appear before the senate foreign relations committee at any time to be questioned regarding the treaty and league is pointed out by those favoring ratification as evidence of his confidence that the documents cannot be successfully attacked.

Campaigns Blocked Out. Administration senators said today they are sure that after much verbal battling on the floor the treaty and league will win when it comes to a vote. They consider that the president, in his speech yesterday, withheld most of his strong arguments for use later in the campaign after the opposition reveals its own line of assault.

AMBASSADOR ISHII RETIRES FROM POST

TOKIO, July 11.—The resignation of Viscount Ishii as Japanese ambassador to the United States and his retirement from public life were officially announced today upon his arrival from the United States. "Ill health" is the sole reason ascribed. His successor has not been selected.

MRS. MOONEY SEEKS WHITE HOUSE AUDIENCE

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Thomas Mooney, failed to gain an audience with the president when she called at the White House today. Secretary Tammuly informed her the president would be glad to read any petition she might have, but feels that he has done all possible in Mooney's behalf, and that any further intervention must come from the governor of California. Mooney is sentenced to life imprisonment in connection with the bomb outrage during the preparedness day parade in San Francisco. Mrs. Mooney expects to confer with secretary of Labor Wilson and other officials.

DRAFT DODGER FROM COUNTY DISMISSED FROM POSITION

That there is hard sledding ahead for men who forfeited naturalization privileges in order to escape the draft during the war, is shown by a letter received by County Clerk R. T. Brown from J. C. Argill, commissioner of finance, in Spokane. Mr. Argill had made inquiries of Mr. Brown concerning the record of Adolph G. S. Trouw, who was employed in a local mill during the war and escaped the draft by suspending his application for first citizenship papers and by renouncing forever all rights of citizenship in America. The facts as shown by the county records were forwarded to Spokane. Mr. Argill reports that Trouw

BRITISH DIRIGIBLE HALF WAY ACROSS ATLANTIC, MAY FINISH IN 60 HOURS

NEW YORK, July 11.—Flying at 60 knots an hour the British dirigible is believed to be more than half way across the Atlantic on its return trip to Scotland. Just before leaving Mincola, L. I., at midnight Wednesday Commander Scott expressed confidence that the R-34 would make 3200 miles in 70 hours. If present speed is maintained she will accomplish the trip in nearer 60. She is taking a southern route with prevailing winds directly at her back. If she maintains her present rate of speed, she will reach London Saturday.

As the R-34 crossed the Harlem river over New York at the start, the dirigible climbed to an altitude of 1000 feet to make certain that she could clear the downtown skyscrapers. A few minutes afterwards she was swallowed up in the darkness. The radio operator at Roosevelt field received this message: "To the American officers, Roosevelt field: "Goodbye, America; We thank you for your hospitality and we hope the good relations of the two countries will continue."

"CREW OF THE R-34." Kaiserin Implores Holland Queen's Aid To Protect Wilhelm

AMSTERDAM, July 11.—The former kaiserin has telegraphed the queen of Holland, it is reported here today, imploring her to prevent the extradition of Wilhelm.

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WASHINGTON, July 11.—Trade relations with Germany will be resumed immediately the state department announced. Formal announcement to the world will be made within 48 hours. Full resumption of German trade cannot be realized before mid-winter, it was announced at a shipping board.

15000 HISS ALL BUT IRELAND REPUBLIC

NEW YORK, July 11.—Fifteen thousand Irish men and women in Madison square garden last night cheered President Wilson, England, Sir Douglas Haig and others, and hissed the Irish republic and "President" DeValera.

The demonstration was echoed by an overflow crowd of 10,000. Resolutions were passed demanding that the United States recognize the Irish republic. The meeting was a greeting to DeValera, who sat on the platform.

GRAIN FIELD FIRE WORKS HEAVY LOSS

A grain fire destroyed between 25 and 30 acres of wheat belonging to Frank Kiser, on the Whiskey Creek road about five miles east of Wabburg, Wednesday afternoon. It was one of the fiercest blazes reported from that section in recent years, and had it not been for the prompt efforts of a large number of fire fighters from Wabburg, the fire would likely have spread over two or three adjoining farms. The fire was probably started from a match or cigarette thrown by someone passing in the road. It was first discovered at about 2:30 in the afternoon. The alarm was immediately sent to Wabburg, where the ringing of the fire bells brought a quick response from a large crowd of people who rushed in automobiles to the scene of the fire. A wide swath was cut around the scene of the fire with a mowing machine while a large number of people fought with sacks. The heat was so intense that one man was overcome and taken unconscious from the field. The fire was under control in an hour after the alarm was given. The burned field before the fire gave promise of a splendid yield, estimated at about 35 bushels an acre. No insurance was carried.

TWO HELD FOR THEFT OF SWIMMER'S CASH

Jim Martin, who carries an I. W. W. card, and James A. Gray were arrested today by Chief Al Roberts, charged with the theft of between \$25 and \$30 from Ben Freeman. The sum of \$25 with the tell tale card, was found on Jim Martin, while Gray was found to possess a similar amount of money. Freeman, it is alleged, was swimming, minus a bathing suit, in the Umatilla yesterday when Martin and Gray warned him of the approach of spectators. Freeman sought shelter and lost sight of his suit of clothes, which he left on the bank. When he returned, the men and the money had disappeared. The city will file charges against the men.

SEE DANGER OF MEAT PACKERS' FOOD MONOPOLY

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PENDLETON TO HOUSE U. S. GAME WARDEN

Pendleton will be headquarters this fall for a United States game warden, according to word received today by E. F. Averill, of the U. S. Biological Survey. The federal game warden will have Eastern Oregon as his territory and one of his duties will be the enforcement of the migratory bird law. It is probable that the appointment of the warden will be made soon. The new official will have his office in the rooms in the federal building, a part of the biological survey office.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF INLAND EMPIRE BANK



Reading from left to right: top row, Douglas Belts, Fred Schneider, A. W. Hugg; middle row, J. W. Maloney, William Blakeley, H. J. Taylor; bottom row, Manuel Pedro, Frank Gritman, C. E. Wailes.

INLAND EMPIRE BANK WILL BE OPEN TOMORROW

New Financial Institution Ready for Business in Building Just Remodeled.

\$250,000 CAPITAL AT START OF WORK

Formal Reception Will be Held on Evening of July 19; Invitations Out.



Tomorrow morning will witness the opening of Pendleton's newest financial institution, the Inland Empire bank, situated at the corner of Main and Court streets. The new bank will start business with a capitalization of \$250,000 which is exceeded by only two banks in the state outside of Portland. J. W. Maloney, 36 years a resident of Umatilla county, is president of the city's newest bank. The Inland Empire Bank received its charter from the state on March 17, 1919 and has also been made a member of the federal reserve bank in the twelfth district. Its nine directors and officers include seven pioneer residents of Eastern Oregon, all men who became successful through their holdings of land, growing of wheat, raising of stock. Most of the stockholders have extensive land holdings in the county and in Pendleton and make their homes in the city. The establishment of a third financial institution in Pendleton was inspired by the prosperity of the city and surrounding country and the fact that but two banks exist here. C. E. Wailes, cashier, explained: "When the deposits in two banks here were taken into consideration we became thoughtful of the fact that there was a crying need and ample room for a third concern. The success of such a move is unquestioned for Pendleton is the center of the richest wheat and stock country in the northwest and its future is exceedingly bright." Four of the directors of the new bank are financial institutions of the northwest. The directors are J. W. Maloney, president, and the Spokane National and the Ladd & Tilton bank and its Spokane connections, the Exchange National and the Spokane & Eastern Trust Co., The National City Bank of New York and the First National of Chicago, are its eastern correspondents. While business will begin Saturday at 10 o'clock, the formal opening and reception to customers and the public will not be held until Saturday evening July 19, between 7 and 11 o'clock. Invitations on behalf of the directors and officers are now being mailed for the formal opening. The personnel of the officers and the directorate of the Inland Empire Bank contains the names of such pioneer residents as William Blakeley, Henry J. Taylor, Douglas Belts, A. W. Hugg, Manuel Pedro, Fred Schneider and J. W. Maloney, president. None of these men has lived in Umatilla county less than 15 years and all are widely known, respected citizens. Frank Gritman, of the board of directors, has been a resident of Pendleton for more than a decade, while C. E. Wailes, cashier, is the newest addition to Pendleton. Mr. Maloney, as president, has a long record as a banker, public official and successful farmer in Umatilla county. Coming to Centerville, Umatilla county, in 1883, he first taught school, later became postmaster and in 1898 was elected recorder of conveyances for the county. In 1901 he began his banking career as assistant cashier of the old Pendleton Savings Bank, remaining with it as cashier until after its absorption by the American National. Ill health forced him out of banking for two years, when he took up wheat farming and was in 1910 elected county judge. He has also stood high in fraternal orders in the state, having been for 14 years a grand master of exchequer for the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, of Oregon. He is a past grand chancellor also. The record of C. E. Wailes, first vice president and cashier, is very similar to that of Judge Maloney. Like the judge, a native of Missouri, Mr. Wailes early came west to make his fortune and his first success was as a sheep raiser in Montana. He retired from this pursuit to operate a newspaper in Shelby county, Missouri, where he had earlier taught school and served the county as recorder of deeds. On his second trip to the west Mr. Wailes became cashier of the Bonner County National Bank at Sand Point, Idaho, and served there for seven years. Mrs. Wailes will come here on August 1 to make her home. Mr. Wailes having purchased the E. S. Wailes residence on Lewis street some time ago. William Blakeley, director, is one of

Little Son Born. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Newquist are the parents of a little son born this morning.

WALTER LEHMAN BUYS RETAIL CIGAR STORE

Gillanders & Burroughs Dispose of Retail Business; Will Keep Wholesale. Gillanders & Burroughs have sold their retail cigar store business and fixtures to Walter Lehman who takes possession of the business tomorrow morning. At the same time it is announced by Gillanders & Burroughs that they will hereafter devote all their attention to the wholesale trade and will have a location in the Bowman building, using the Main street room adjoining the lobby, which was formerly used as a lobby by the hotel. Mr. Lehman has been with H. W. Collins in his grain business for many years and will continue in the grain office until after the wheat season is over, when he will devote his personal time to the cigar store. In the near time the cigar store will be managed by Charles Towne, who has been a salesman under Gillanders & Burroughs.

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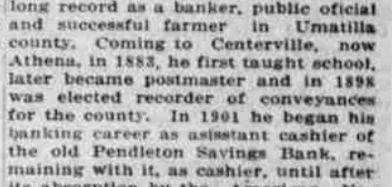
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