

ALLIED BLOCKADE AGAINST RUSSIA WILL BE LIFTED BY SUPREME COUNCIL

CHANGE IN POLICY DOES NOT MEAN RECOGNITION OF SOVIET GOVERNMENT

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The allies have apparently adopted a completely new attitude toward Russia. The supreme council announced the blockade against Russia will be lifted immediately.

THESE THINGS HAPPENED THIS VERY DAY

JUDGE WAS CAUTIOUS. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Jurors while deliberating asked permission to again examine the evidence.

THE MEAN HOOF. PONCA CITY, Okla., Jan. 17.—An ad in a local paper says: "Dancing partner wanted—Must be good looking and be able to shake a mean hoof."

TRAIN SERVICE STILL HAMPERED BY FLOODS

Work trains last night succeeded in opening the main line of the G. W. R. & N. between Pendleton and La Grande but are still at work on repairs to the washout three-fourths of a mile west of Stanfield.

CENTER PARKING PLAN WILL BE UP AT NEXT MEETING OF COUNCIL

Demonstration of New Plan Made Yesterday on Main Street Leads to Sentiment for Trial of New Method.

The city council will be offered an ordinance changing the system of vehicle parking on Main street as a result of a trial of the center parking system yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

County Debate Teams Default to Pendleton. Weston and Pilot Rock, the two towns which Pendleton high school debate team were to meet next Friday, have both dropped out of the league.

WILL ALTER SALMON TREATY WITH BRITAIN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—At the request of President Wilson the senate returned to his the salmon treaty concluded late last year with Great Britain for the protection of salmon fisheries along the Canadian border.

COUNTY DEBATE TEAMS DEFAULT TO PENDLETON

Weston and Pilot Rock, the two towns which Pendleton high school debate team were to meet next Friday, have both dropped out of the league, leaving Pendleton high school champion by default in this section.

WINE MEN WILL TEST LEGALITY OF MEASURE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—California wine men will submit to prosecution to test the validity of the constitutional law and wartime prohibition act, Theodore Bell, counsel for them announced.

FEDERAL MEN WILL ENFORCE NEW DRY LAW

1000 Detectives Will Help Suppress Bootleggers All Over Nation is Announcement by Commissioner.

NUMEROUS ARRESTS TO BE MADE SOON IS SAID

Government Plans Quick Measures to Make New Law Effective; Army of Special Agents, Lawyers and Commissioners.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Federal Prohibition Commissioner Kramer predicts wholesale arrests of bootleggers may be expected soon in all parts of the country, under constitutional prohibition, which became effective at midnight.

Explicit regulations covering the manufacture and sale of alcohol in a score of commodities like hair tonic in which alcohol is present, are in effect, and will be rigidly enforced.

YOUNG MAN ARRESTED WHEN HE UNDERTAKES SAME SWINDLE TWICE

H. B. Lindley Uses Seth Schaeffer's Draft Card for \$200; Caught Asking for \$350 More.

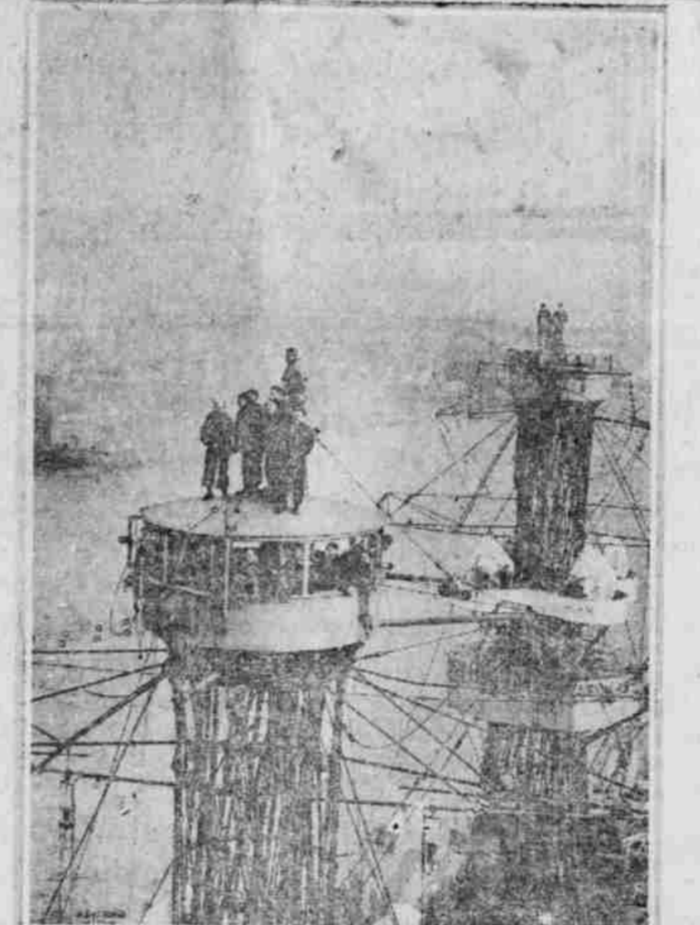
H. B. Lindley, arrested in Portland by Sheriff Taylor on a charge of obtaining money by false pretenses, is in jail here, having been brought back from Portland yesterday by the sheriff.

Mr. Penland, who in an interview yesterday expressed some doubt about the feasibility of the system proposed, said that it will probably work out if trucks which must unload on Main street will drive alongside the curb and unload or load from the side.

The demonstration was held under the joint auspices of the Pendleton Commercial Association and the city council. A temporary parking zone was chalked off and both passenger and commercial autos parked in the strip.

Providing the ordinance presented next Wednesday night is adopted, strips will be painted on Main street from Railroad to Water and on Court from Main to Thompson as soon as practicable. No time will be lost in switching to the new system, Mr. Penland said today.

SAILORS SEEING NEW YORK FROM TOWERING FIGHTING TOPS OF BATTLESHIP PENNSYLVANIA



This unusual photograph shows sailors of the battleship Pennsylvania, flagship of the Atlantic fleet, viewing New York from the lofty fighting tops of the fire control masts, Brooklyn Bridge is in the background.

SPICE AND TEA DUST EXPLODE BURYING 3 CINCINNATI FIREMEN

CINCINNATI, Jan. 17.—Three firemen were killed and 14 injured in a fire sweeping the five story building of the Newton Tea and Spice company.

SIMS WAS TOLD NOT TO LET BRITISH PULL ANY WOOL OVER HIS EYES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—A complete investigation of the management of the navy during the war will be asked as a result of disclosures by Admiral Sims, testifying before the senate sub-committee regarding awards and decorations, members of the committee declared today.

JOHN BARLEYCORN WORE RUBBERSOLES LAST EVE

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Broadway is mourning over the wet hair of John Barleycorn. The lid was drawn over all that was mortal of that once popular favorite at 12-91. The great white way was lined with Bacchanalian revelers who henceforth must tread the straight and narrow path of virtue.

LOCAL Y. M. C. A. TO HAVE THREE LEAGUES WITH DEFINITE SCHEDULE OF CONTESTS

The formation of three athletic leagues is included in the recent plans for a local Y. M. C. A., for which the county Y. M. C. A. will act as parent organization.

SENATE PASSES 10 MILLION ROAD BILL

WHEATMEN WILL MEET TO PLAN NON PROFIT MARKETING METHODS

President of Washington Farmers Union Calls Meeting for This City January 24; Local Men are Included.

Oregon wheat growers have been called to a meeting at the Hotel Pendleton next Saturday, January 24, at 10 a. m., to organize the Oregon unit of the Northwest Wheat Growers association recently formed at Spokane.

The proposed organization, as explained by Mr. Elmore, is for the purpose of forming a marketing association. This would be on the non-profit cooperative basis, which he says, has been successful in California.

Local wheat growers know nothing of the meeting, other than that one is to be held. They do not know what organization stands sponsor for the proposed marketing association, although it is known that Mr. Elmore is president of the Washington and Northern Idaho Farmers Union.

Those expected to attend are: H. B. Duffur, Duffur, Duffur, of Midvale, Idaho, W. C. Parks of Elgin, W. W. Harnah of Pendleton and H. B. Davidhizer of Joseph, members of the executive council of the Farmers Union of Oregon and Southern Idaho.

MRS. CHARLES LANE DIED LAST NIGHT

Mrs. Charles Lane, aged 73, died last night at 11 o'clock as the result of a paralytic stroke. Mrs. Lane had been in poor health for some time, but her death last night was a shock to her friends and relatives.

50 LOCAL PEOPLE TO TAKE PART IN KERMS

Fifty Pendleton people will be performers in the benefit Kermis to be given January 25 in the Oregon Theatre, under the auspices of the Church of the Redeemer.

Following is the program, which will consist of eight vaudeville numbers: Overture, Sawyers' Orchestra.

Portugal's Cabine Quits LISBON, Jan. 17.—The cabinet of Premier Costa, which was formed Wednesday, has resigned.

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SALEM, Ore., Jan. 17.—The official legislative clock stopped at 12 minutes to 12. Indications are that the "noon adjournment" will occur some time tonight.

Pierce Bill Passed. The senate passed Pierce's bill for an income tax by a vote of 16 to 12.

For Two Thirds Vote. The house passed a joint resolution providing that constitutional amendments may be adopted only by a two thirds vote. Only four negative votes were cast against the resolution.

Some Measures Wait. Three of the subjects of the special session have been disposed of, suffrage, the amendment to the workmen's compensation law and the fish and game bill. Three other subjects, capital punishment, the soldiers' educational bill and irrigation legislation remain unsettled.

No Salary Bills. The senate refused to consider any of the many salary bills.

Governor Signed Traffic License Bill. The bill defining the succession to the governorship in the event of a vacancy was hastily recalled from the house by Senator Moser, for the purpose of amending the measure eliminating the secretary of state from the succession. In amended form it will provide that the president of the senate assume the duties of the office in the event of a vacancy in the governor's office. It would not affect the status of the present administration.

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