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GERMANY MUST PAY INDEMNITY OF 226 BILLION MARKS IS DECREED BY COUNCIL

FIRST SOLDIERS OF GLOOM OFF TO REFORM N. Y.

Two Women Armed With Blue-Bound Law Literature Steal From Sleepy Zion to Preach Sunday Rest Gospel.

TEN HOURS IN CHURCH PRESCRIBED BY SECT

Head of Church and Owner of City Will Follow Missionaries, Asking Bastille for Nation's Wicked Offenders.

ZION CITY, Ill., Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—The first soldiers of the City of Zion left here today to attempt to force blue laws on the rest of the nation.

Blue-bound law literature is to be distributed from the offices by the militant two. They are under instructions to "sell gloom and to be convivial in the metropolis."

Voliva himself, who said he seldom leaves righteous Zion for the wicked outside world—"seething with sin"—plans a trip to New York after the two women put in a few good weeks for the cause.

DETROIT BANK LOOTED BY FOUR AUTO BANDITS

DETROIT, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—Four bandits robbed a branch of the American state bank here of \$14,000 and escaped in an automobile.

VERGIN ISLANDS NOT FIT FOR WHITE MAN, SAYS CHIEF JUSTICE

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—The Virgin Islands, purchased by the United States from Denmark for \$25,000,000 are "not fit for a white man to live in," according to Judge Lucius M. Malm.

Weather

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse official observer.

THE WEATHER FORECAST

CROWD WELCOMES HARDING



President-elect Harding is shown here being greeted by St. Augustine (Fla.) people as he leaves his private car, "Superba," accompanied by Senator J. S. Frelinghuysen of New Jersey.

DAUGHTER DIES WHILE FATHER IS JURYMAN

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—As Alderman Herbert, with eleven other men decided the life of Herbert Konkright, charged with murder, early today, the alderman's daughter died.

INVALID WIDOW DIES IN OAKLAND FLAMES

OAKLAND, Ore., Jan. 29.—(A. P.)—Mrs. Adeline D. Moot, invalid widow living alone in a small home, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her home here last night.

JOHN M'KEOWN IS DEAD AND FIVE OTHERS SUFFER WHEN CRASH HURLS 14 FROM TRUCK

The accident yesterday was caused by a defective worm gear, according to a statement made this afternoon by Oscar Cutler, resident engineer, who with J. T. Brown, corner T. S. Carroll, highway foreman, and C. L. Morgan, driver of the truck, conducted an investigation today.

John M'Keown, aged 47, is dead and five other men are seriously injured as a result of an accident which occurred late yesterday afternoon when a ton and a half State Highway truck skidded off the highway four miles east of Pendleton and crashed into a concrete culvert.

Not Badly Damaged

The truck itself was not badly damaged, in spite of the culvert. Morgan, the driver, was pinned under the steering wheel and if the car had turned over he would have been killed, it is believed by those who were in the car.

An investigation of the cause of the accident is being conducted today by Oscar Cutler, of Athena, resident engineer, as all men in the car are at a

U.S. THIEVES AND BOOZE PEDDLERS OWE 44 MILLION

Internal Revenue Bureau Makes Ready to Receive Taxes on Incomes "Earned" During '21 in Friendly Little Games.

BOOTLEGGERS' PROFIT IN YEAR 600 MILLION

Two Billions Change Hands Annually in Bets on Card Deals, Horse Races and in Other Operations of Chance.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—Burglars and bootleggers owe the government \$44,000,000 in taxes on incomes "earned" during 1920 it is estimated here as the internal revenue bureau makes ready to receive more than \$5,000,000 in returns for the calendar year just past.

Those who indulge in the "friendly little game" should pay Uncle Sam approximately \$30,000,000 on a national "kitty" of approximately \$2,000,000,000 if they wish to make correct returns on their incomes.

WOST HOLD HEARING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(A. P.)—The house agricultural committee voted to proceed with the preparation of a report on the senate meat industry regulation bill without hearings. A motion to hold hearings for five days was defeated.

UMATILLA POWER MEET TO BE ENTERTAINED AT THE LEGION SMOKER

Delegates to the Umatilla Rapids Power Site meeting in Pendleton next Saturday will be entertained at the American Legion smoker in the Oregon theater at night.

POST EXPECTS TO ELECTRIFY DELEGATES BY THE THREE SLASHING BOXING BOUTS SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY AT OREGON THEATRE.

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SEATTLE RAISES HALF EUROPEAN RELIEF FUND

SEATTLE, Jan. 29.—(A. P.)—Seattle today passed the half way mark in its campaign to raise \$100,000 as the city's share of the \$200,000 fund being sought for the starving children of Europe.

COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE APPOINTED

An executive committee of 20 Pendleton folk to direct the organization of Pendleton for Community Service, was appointed today by J. R. Kaley, president of the Pendleton Commercial Association.

SINN FEIN PLAN SABOTAGE AGAINST NORTH OF IRELAND GOVERNMENT; WONT PAY TAXES

HELFEST, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—The Sinn Fein is planning "governmental sabotage" in Ulster when north Ireland adopts home rule.

ISIDORE HAD TO HOCK HIS WEDDING RING TO PAY FOR \$2 LICENSE

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—Isidore Ozer left his pocketbook when he went to the marriage license bureau with his bride-to-be so had to go out and hock his wedding ring to pay a \$2 license fee.

\$2500 BLAZE IN THE OREGON BAKERY, CAUSE WAS DEFECTIVE WIRING

Defective wiring last night started a stubborn blaze in the basement of the building occupied by the William E. Chase Storage Factors Co. and the Oregon Bakery, which before being extinguished, caused damage estimated by the fire chief at \$2500.

ALARM SOUNDED AT 10 O'CLOCK AND WHEN DEPARTMENT REACHES SCENE DENSE SMOKE WAS ROLLING FROM LIGHT INFLAMMABLE MATERIALS.

An alarm at 10 o'clock from box 13 called the department to the scene. Dense smoke was rolling from the basement, owing to the presence there of large quantities of paper, boxes and excelsior.

TRIBUNE MODIFIES CIRCULATION CLAIM BEFORE CO. COURT

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JULY FIRST IS SET FOR CIVIL GUARD TO QUIT

Reparation Payments May be Made in Forty Two Annual Installments on a Rising Scale Basis is Plan.

MUST PAY TWELVE PER CENT TAX ON EXPORTS

Premier Briand Announces That Agreement Fixing Amount and Term of Indemnity Will be Signed Today.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—(A. P.)—The allied supreme council today approved the German reparation plan drafted by a special committee last night.

Sign This Evening

PARIS, Jan. 29.—(U. P.)—The allied agreement fixing the amount of German reparations will be signed this evening, Premier Briand announced, following a conference with other members of the supreme council.

ALLIES IN ACCORD

"The allies are fully in accord," Briand told the correspondent. "We are closer to an agreement than ever before. There was absolute cordiality through today's conference."

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