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# PETROGRAD IS IN HANDS OF REVOLUTIONISTS; BOLSHEVSKI ARE OVERPOWERED

## FOREIGN POLICY IS ADOPTED BY NEW PRESIDENT

Policy is Shaped to Avoid Misconstruction That it Favors Germany Against the Allies.

## FIRST PHASE OF NEW POLICY IS DEFINED

President Realizes That This Country Cannot Afford Sudden Break With the Allies.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(A. P.)—Bradford, U. P. Staff Correspondent.—Harding's foreign policy is being shaped to avoid any action that could be construed to be favorable to Germany against the allies. The president and Secretary Hughes are believed to have adopted this policy as the first phase of the new American policy to be defined because of the present international situation. They realize this country cannot afford a sudden break with the allies which would embarrass them in dealing with Germany, still a technical enemy of the United States.

The first step in line with the policy were instructions to Major General Henry Allen, commanding the American army of occupation, to abide by the decisions of the interallied Rhineland commission in the establishment of the customs line. Another evidence of the new administration's policy is the decision not to withdraw the American troops from Germany. The third evidence is the decision to try to pass immediately the Knox peace resolution.

## PASSION PLAY MAY BE REVIVED THIS YEAR

HOBOKEN, March 12.—(A. P.)—Residents of Oberammergau are considering a revival of the passion play next year. It was disclosed today in a cable to players in "Veronica's Veil," the American version of the play, thinking them for an offer of financial aid.

"Will advise American consul of decision. Funds may be needed. Costumes and scenery destroyed," said the message.

The message added that Anton Lang, who played the Christus, and reported killed in the war, had only been wounded.

## CANNERIES GO INTO HANDS OF RECEIVER

PORTLAND, March 12.—(A. P.)—A Rupert company, operating canneries in the Willamette valley and southern Oregon was placed in the hands of a receiver by the circuit court following the filing of a complaint by the Eugene Fruit Growers Association. The assets are estimated at \$1,050,000 and liabilities at \$1,240,000.

PORTLAND, March 12.—(A. P.)—A Rupert company, canneries, alleged insolvent in a petition filed in the circuit court, has been given until Tuesday at 3 o'clock to show why a receiver should not be appointed.

## THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer.  
Maximum, 44.  
Minimum, 24.  
Barometer, 29.50.

## TODAY'S FORECAST



## TONIGHT MAR 12 CLOSE OF MOST SUCCESSFUL ANNUAL AUTOMOTIVE EXHIBITION

Delegations From La Grande, Baker and Walla Walla are Expected to Attend Tonight.

Tonight at 12 o'clock the fourth annual automotive show will close its doors on the most successful show of its kind ever staged in Pendleton. Automobile dealers, not only from Pendleton, but from Portland, Walla Walla, Baker and other points, declare the show the most successful it has ever been their privilege to attend.

Delegations from La Grande, Baker, Walla Walla and other points are expected to be in attendance tonight. Word has gone out that the Pendleton Automobile show is well worth seeing and automobile enthusiasts of other cities will take advantage of it. Visitors from all over the county are here today for the event.

The crowd at the show last night even exceeded that of the opening night and until a late hour admirers of the cars crowded in and out. Demonstrations of the various cars were more than willing to point out the good points of their car and last night were kept busy by prospective purchasers.

A gratifying feature of this year's show, according to dealers, is that many in attendance the first night returned last night, bringing friends to see the exhibits. Others desiring to purchase cars have returned time and time again to see their choice in order to better make a decision.

Not only are the cars exhibited receiving attention but the accessories to the cars are being admired. Tire companies have excellent exhibits and magnets and battery firms are showing their wares. Not a single allied part of the automobile industry is being neglected. There is even an automobile insurance stand which is receiving a good share of attention.

Owing to the fact that the usual "High Jinks" will not be held this year the show will officially close tonight although a ball will be given at Happy Canyon Monday night.

## SERVES AN APPEAL NOTICE

PORTLAND, March 12.—(U. P.)—After a trial lasting several weeks, Mrs. Helena A. Pittman, the wife of a wealthy retired business man, who was convicted of stealing \$5 cents worth of groceries from a suburban grocer, and fined \$25 has served notice of appeal.

Mrs. Rebecca Bolitho, mother of Mrs. Lulu Day and Mrs. Thomas C. Ohmart, died at 11:30 yesterday at the apartments of Mrs. Day at 201 Water street following an illness of several years which caused her to be bedfast for two months.

Mrs. Bolitho came to Pendleton eight years ago from Boone, Iowa. She was a native of Howe, Yorkshire, England, and was aged 66 years. Aside from Mrs. Day and Mrs. Ohmart, other immediate relatives are a son, Professor Thomas J. Bolitho of the University of Oregon who is now here, two brothers, W. E. Johnson of San Francisco, J. A. Johnson of Ames, Iowa and a sister, Mrs. Amelia Franche of Ames. There are six grand children, four of them living in Pendleton. Mrs. Bolitho was a member of the Baptist church of Boone, Iowa.

A funeral service is to be held at the Brown chapel at 2 p. m. Sunday with Rev. Alfred Lockwood, rector of the Church of the Redeemer officiating. Following the ceremony at the chapel the body will be shipped to Spokane for interment Monday in Fairview cemetery.

## FISHERMEN MAY EMIGRATE

BUNOIR AIRES, March 12.—(A. P.)—Japanese fishermen may emigrate to South America to settle here and engage in their industry. A representative of the Fisheries Department of Japan, named Yogi, is traveling through South America investigating the fishing industry of various countries with a view to the possibility of the establishment and settlement of Japanese fisher folk. He is now visiting Buenos Aires where he has been given full information on the Argentine fish industry by the ministry of agriculture. He intends next to visit Brazil.

## SON OF MAYOR ROSE ARRESTED IN CHINA

SHANGHAI, March 12.—(U. P.)—Earl Rose, son of the noted former mayor of Milwaukee, is charged with embezzlement of stock valued at \$85,000 in a warrant issued by the American federal court for China. Rose is a prominent and popular sportsman of Shanghai. His wife and five children sailed for the United States today.

## PRESIDENT APPEALS TO AMERICAN PEOPLE TO SEND RELIEF TO CHINA

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(A. P.)—The president has issued an appeal to the American people to "do everything in their power" towards the relief of famine conditions in China.

## SEATTLE ENTERTAINS DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

SEATTLE, March 12.—(U. P.)—Touring the United States on a "good will expedition" authorized by the Mexican government, a party of distinguished Mexican commercial leaders arrived from Tacoma and Portland. They were met by Mayor Caldwell and President Boynton of the chamber of commerce.

## FRENCH EX-PREMIER WILL VISIT U. S. WITH TWO OBJECTS IN VIEW

France Desires to Sound New Administration on Points of Interest to Her Government.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(A. P.)—Coming to America of Rene Viviani, ex-premier of France, has two main objects, it is stated in semi-official advice received today. France desires: 1.—To sound the Harding administration on a question of the French indebtedness to the United States and determine whether there is any possibility of cancellation.

2.—To draw the United States into European affairs, by a "modified" league of nations or any other government that is approved by this government. A considerable section of French opinion, indicated, believes the United States will eventually forgive the allied debt in part, at least.

## 2000 READ "LEMON PUNCH"

The "Lemon Punch," the humorous magazine published by the students of the University of Oregon, has now reached a circulation of 2000. Two more numbers, the April Golf Number and the Prep Number, will be published this year.

## WILL BE AMBASSADOR

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(U. P.)—George Harvey, a New York editor, is understood to have definitely been elected by the president as ambassador to London.

## SPOKANE FAMILY ARE HAPPILY RE-UNITED

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—(U. P.)—Happily reunited, Rollo Rambo, wife and two children are on their way back to Spokane, following the settlement of half a million dollar alienation affections suit, wherein Rambo accused Warren Peck of stealing the love of Mrs. Rambo.

## MILLER IS MADE ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(A. P.)—Thomas Miller, of Delaware has been named the alien property custodian, it was announced at the white house today.

## BILLS ARE KILLED

HONOLULU, T. H., March 12.—Four labor bills out of the budget of more than a dozen proposed measures, backed by the Honolulu labor council, and introduced when the territorial legislative session opened Feb. 26, were killed in the first ten days of the sitting. These bills included one to limit the meaning of the word "compulsory" and the use of restraining orders and instructions as applied to labor disputes another to prohibit employers coercion of or compelling employees not to join labor organizations; a third to prevent what was termed "unlawful" use of union cards and a fourth to regulate advertisements for help during strikes. All these bills died in the house without reaching the senate.

## MAN'S POLITICAL POWER REVEALED AT MURDER TRIAL

Just Before His Death Asked Pal to Go to Harding and Get Jobs for His Friends.

## PRISONER MAKES WILD FLIGHT INTO MEXICO

Defendant Tried to Get Air Plane to Go From Dallas Across the Mexican Border.

ARDMORE, March 12.—(U. P.)—Head Jake Hamon's political power was revealed in the trial of Clara Smith Hamon, secretary and protégé, who is charged with Hamon's murder.

Hamon's pal, W. D. Nichols, former chief of police of Ardmore, but now in the oil game, testifying for state, said: "I was with Jake just before he died. Hamon and I talked politics. I think he was a republican leader in the United States. He told me he would die and begged me to go straight to Warren Harding and get some of his friends taken care of with political jobs."

Nichols testimony was the result of the cross examination by "Wild Bill" McLean, of Fort Worth, who is counsel for the accused girl. Nichols said this was the story Hamon told him of the shooting: "I was lying across my bed. She came up to me, honest she did, Bill, and put the gun to my breast and shot. I picked up the gun as I was leaving and Clara said, 'say it was an accident.' I then walked to the hospital, Bill, to die."

McLean started to cross examine the witness. Stretched out on the floor he gave Nichols the gun that killed Hamon and asked him to reenact the tragedy as he said Hamon had told him.

E. W. Sallis, a chauffeur who drove Clara from Dallas on her wild flight to the Mexican border, was called to the stand after Nichols. He said he defendant tried to get an airplane at Dallas, but failed, so hired him for the trip and paid him \$150 and a \$100 tip. "She rode in the front seat with me," he said. "I noticed two pistols in her lap. She told me she had shot a man."

Sallis said he sold the statement of Clara Hamon's flight to the newspaper for \$50. The court adjourned until Monday.

## LITTLE ONES DELIGHT LARGE AUDIENCE WITH SURPRISING PROGRAM

Juvenile Revue of 1921 by Washington School Talent Proves Decided Success.

Displaying a talent far beyond their years, pupils of the Washington school were presented last night in a decidedly successful performance, the "Juvenile Revue of 1921," at the high school auditorium.

The Washington Boys' band, for whom the performance was a benefit, played several excellent numbers under the direction of A. A. Lundell. The boys showed good training and were well received.

"And a charming woodland setting of evergreens, made realistic by a few realistic wildcat and bear (both stuffed)," "Hawthorn" was presented. Master Willey was Nokoni's and Little Martin Mooshoose, in a resplendent Indian costume from Major Mooshoose's collection, was Hiawatha. A children's chorus was an interesting feature.

## CHORUS GIVEN

The Tinker's Chorus from Robin Hood, was given by the Boys' Band, while the "Thomas Orchestra" gave a most charming in which Mary Hampton played a "trambone" solo.

Little Theolina Morris was the little girl, Elizabeth, whose dreams are described in the play.

## RALPH WILLIAMS MAY GET HIGH POSITION

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(A. P.)—Republican National Committeeman Ralph Williams of Oregon, is being considered for one of the three assistant speaker positions to the senate.

## TRAINMEN ARE GASSED BY SMOKE WHILE GOING THROUGH LONG TUNNEL

Train Runs Several Miles With Three Unconscious Men in the Cab of the Locomotive.

CHEYENNE, March 12.—(U. P.)—How three trainmen were "gassed" by smoke in a tunnel was told here by a Union Pacific freight crew whose train ran several miles with three unconscious men in the cab of the locomotive. The engineer, fireman and head brakeman were overcome by smoke while passing through the Hornova tunnel, forty miles east of here. The fireman, Howard Grunden, recovered sufficiently to stop the train, then fell unconscious. The conductor, J. H. Seutter, ran to the engine and found the three senseless men. With the assistance of the brakeman, he took the train to the nearest station where the three were revived.

## CITY OF SPRINGFIELD IS ONCE MORE QUIET AFTER NIGHT BATTLE

Clashes Between Police and Negroes Grew Out of Assault on Small Girl Last Monday.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, March 12.—(A. P.)—Springfield is quiet following clashes last night between the police and negroes growing out of an assault on a small girl last Monday. Thirty arrests were made. Three companies of the national guardsmen are on duty.

## State Troops Are on Guard

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, March 12.—(U. P.)—With state troops and the city special police, with deputy sheriffs in command of the situation, Springfield is quiet, following a night of disorder as the result of race feeling. Patrolman Ryan and Shirley Shaffer are in hospitals. Ryan was shot through the neck and right hand, by a negro whom he attempted to disarm. His assailant escaped. Shaffer was shot through the thigh by a policeman who exchanged shots with a crowd of negroes on Yellow Springs street.

## POLICE MAKE SEARCH FOR BOLD ASSASSIN

TACOMA, March 12.—(U. P.)—The police are searching the city and suburbs for the assassin who last night shot and killed Harry Hallen, assistant superintendent of the Griffin Wheel company and wounded Mrs. Hallen.

## INELIGIBLE PLAYER USED BY BAKER TEAM

SALEM, March 12.—(A. P.)—Instead of the final championship game in the state interscholastic basketball tournament being played tonight between Baker and Salem high schools scheduled as the result of the elimination of other teams, semi-finals will have to be replayed because of the admission by Coach Dewey of the Baker team that Roy Stoddard, Baker center, whose playing was the sensation of the tournament, is not Stoddard, but Blakeley, a player who had been declared ineligible by the Baker high principal because his study grades were not up to the standard required.

## WALKER IS APPOINTED

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(U. P.)—William Walker, of husband, Vermont, has been named commissioner-general of immigration from a list of nominations sent to the senate.

SEATTLE, March 12.—(U. P.)—The Rotary Clubs of the Pacific Northwest will gather Monday in their annual conference. The golf tournament post-conference is a feature.

## ANTI-BOLSHEVİK FORCES FIGHT THEIR WAY INTO MINSK AND HOLD THE CITY FOR OVER FIVE HOURS

While Revolutionists Occupied City They Killed Many Local Communists; When Reds Re-entered City They Executed Poles Who Were Accused of Sympathizing With Insurgents.

WARSAW, March 12.—(A. P.)—Petrograd is in the revolutionists' hands and the Bolsheviks are completely overpowered, says a wireless. The Vilna dispatch says the anti-bolshevik forces fought their way into Minsk and held the city five hours but were driven out by the bolsheviks. While occupying the city the revolutionists killed many of the local communists, and when the bolsheviks reentered they executed over 200 persons, including many Poles who are accused of sympathizing with the insurgents.

## TWO WELL KNOWN UMATILLA COUNTY WOMEN OPEN OFFICE

- New additions to the ranks of
- Pendleton business women are
- Miss Mary Johns and Miss Kate
- Stanfield, who are selling insur-
- ance for the Massachusetts Mut-
- ual Life Insurance Co.
- Miss Johns, who is the daugh-
- ter of Mr. and Mrs. James S.
- Johns, and Miss Stanfield, who
- is a member of a pioneer Uma-
- tila county family and the sister
- of U. S. Senator R. N. Stanfield,
- have Eastern Oregon as their
- territory. They arrived here on
- Tuesday from Portland where
- they spent the winter.

## ALL CLOCKS ARE FAST

SANBROOK, March 12.—(A. P.)—All the clocks at this country home of King George are fast a minute fast. The reason for this is unknown. It is surmised that it had something to do with daylight saving when King Edward was alive.

## MAY WHEAT IS WEAK AT CLOSE OF MARKET

Wheat declined in price today, May wheat losing at \$1.59 and July at \$1.50. Yesterday May closed at \$1.62 and the July at \$1.52.

Following are the quotations received by Overbeck & Cooke, local brokers:

	Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.62 1/2	1.63 1/2	1.59	1.59	
July	1.53 1/2	1.55 1/2	1.50 1/2	1.50 1/2	

Wheat displayed a rallying tendency on weak and short covering until just before the close when liquidation again came into the market and found buying power almost entirely lacking except at sharp concessions. A seaboard messenger reported one wheat being offered in Chicago at three to six under Argentine. This may be true, but even so the fact remains that the Southern Hemisphere has nearly 100 million bushels to market and they cannot consistently permit us to undersell them very long, especially as it is now quite definitely established that we can spare quite a little more wheat for export. It is now estimated that foreign buyers only have twenty to twenty five million bushels bought here for shipment. Country offerings are reported light and a smaller movement is expected in account of farmers getting busy with spring wheat. This however does not in our opinion outweigh the fact that supplies in the aggregate are more ample as it is the ultimate outcome which must inevitably predominate in the future market. Beneficial rains have been received where needed and crop uncertainties can be cast into the discard for the time being at least.

## ACT OF KINDNESS HAS RECEIVED ITS REWARD

TOKIO, March 12.—(A. P.)—The act of Captain Z. B. Murray of the American steamer Pawlett in rescuing last year thirteen Japanese fishermen, shipwrecked five hundred miles northeast of Yokohama, which was officially recognized by the Japanese government, has had a sequel, religious in nature.

Captain Murray carried the sailors to Portland, Oregon, and when they returned later to their home village near Sendai, they never tired of telling of the wonders of the big American city they had seen nor of the kindness of the commander and his crew who had saved their lives. During the trip they had learned something of the religion of the people of the United States and of Captain Murray's God. Services, it is reported, are being held regularly now in the little town by the Reverend Kobayashi, a Baptist minister of Sendai.

## SEVERAL LIVES ARE LOST IN HOTEL FIRE

CLIXTON, Okla., March 12.—(U. P.)—Several persons are reported to have been burned to death in the fire which destroyed the Grace hotel, a four story brick building. Hotelmen were unable to make an accurate check on the guests as the register was destroyed in the blaze. It is estimated there were sixty in the building last night. The loss is \$50,000.

## LIBRARY METHODS WILL BE GIVEN AT U. OF O.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, March 12.—Two courses in Library Methods for Schools will be given at the summer session of the University of Oregon. The courses will be conducted by Miss Mary Brown Humphrey, reference librarian of Washington State College. Miss Humphrey is a graduate of the Pratt Institute School of Library Science. Before coming west she was for several years in the reference department of the Louisville Kentucky public library and later for two years served as librarian of the girls' high school in Louisville.

## PREMIER DATO LEAVES FORTUNE TO FAMILY

MADRID, March 12.—(A. P.)—The funeral of Premier Eduardo Dato, held yesterday, was a simple one. The body was conveyed to the chamber of deputies and later taken to the San Isidro cemetery. The coffin was unpretentious.

Senator Dato left his fortune of two million pesetas to his wife and three daughters.

The provisional president of the ministerial council is being guarded by police on motorcycles.

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