

RUSS PROVINCES PLAN REBELLION

BOLSHEVIKI LEADERS RESIGN IN FEAR.

Civil War or Counter Revolution From Opponents Expected—Siberia in Forms Independent Govern- ment—Displays New Flag.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
STOCKHOLM, Dec. 1.—Russian provinces are planning an anti-Bolshevik revolution. Fearing their own safety, many of the Bolshevik commission members are resigning, while Trotsky, Lenin and others of the radical leaders are wildly striving to conclude separate peace before their downfall, which is believed certain. If a separate peace is effected a great Russian civil war will result. This story was brought direct from Petrograd by a Minimalist courier, who declared that the Bolsheviks are relentlessly prosecuting opposing factions in desperate efforts to retain their powers. He said the Minimalists have received authoritative reports showing that Russia would never accept separate peace and that a counter revolution or civil war would surely result when the peasants learned that the Bolsheviks were playing the German game.

TWO ARMIES QUIT.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 1.—Siberia is preparing to declare her independence. It was learned today that ministers representing the independent government, held a meeting under a flag of a new design. Only two of Russia's 15 armies, however, have resigned.

TEST FOR SIREN TO BE LATE AT NIGHT

What is expected to be a final test of the electric fire siren brought to Bend by T. H. Foley, manager of the Bend Water, Light & Power Co., will be held at 11 o'clock tonight when the alarm will be sounded as if an actual fire were in progress. The announcement was made last night by Mr. Foley, in order that residents of the city need not feel in duty bound to answer the call.

The siren is being installed on top of the old water tower, and this site will be given rent free to the city if the members of the fire committee of the council recommend the purchase of the electric noise maker. Mr. Foley has also offered to furnish electrical current for the siren without charge.

GERMAN WAR AIMS CAN NOT BE LARGE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
BERLIN, Dec. 1.—War Minister Kuehlemann told the Reichstag it is absurd to imagine that Germany will enter a peace conference with large aims. He is of the opinion that the entente would accept only victory.

AUSTRIA IS READY FOR GENERAL PEACE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
LONDON, Dec. 1.—Austria is prepared to negotiate a general peace without territorial or economic violations, Premier Sandler told the Austrian parliament, according to a Central News Amsterdam dispatch.

Bisbee Deportation Is Branded Illegal by Labor Secretary

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—The report of the federal mediation committee, announced today, recommends that the Attorney General and the Interstate Commerce Commission investigate the Bisbee I. W. W. deportation, and that the President urge Congress to pass legislation making such deportations punishable under the federal law. The report, which declares that deportations of the kind are neither legal, nor justified, was signed by Secretary of Labor Wilson.

CARL CHARLETON IS NOT GUILTY

JURY RETURNS AFTER 45 MINUTES.

Evidence Introduced to Show That H. Haley, Complaining Witness, Got Liquor From Cache, Making No Purchase.

"Not guilty," was the verdict rendered at 9:45 last night in the justice court by the jury which tried Carl Charlton on the charge of bootlegging. The decision was the climax of a trial which began early yesterday afternoon and lasted the remainder of the day, attracting many people interested in the recent raids on persons alleged to have had intoxicating liquor in their possession. The jury was out less than an hour.

To Vernon A. Forbes, attorney for the defense, fell the task of convincing the jury that Charlton had not sold liquor in circulation at the Grange hall dance last Saturday night to H. Haley, the complaining witness, but that Haley had procured the whiskey, evidently by helping himself from a cache near the dance hall. The evidence, which had at first seemed so strong against the defendant, was used by the defense to cast reflection on the veracity of the state's witnesses.

In the story which Haley told the court, he claimed that Charlton was at the dance with the whiskey and had passed it around. When asked if he had any more he replied in the affirmative and took Haley out in the brush to get more. Later Haley said he would buy some and went down to the cache after it. He had barely returned with the bottle of rye, which was displayed to the jury, when he was placed under arrest.

Haley was fined \$100 early in the week, \$90 of which was suspended. At his trial he gave out information concerning Charlton, who was placed under arrest and hauled into court yesterday afternoon.

The story told by Charlton differed from Haley's in that he said he had refused to sell the liquor because he wanted it himself. Among the witnesses called on the stand were J. F. Cassidy, special agent for the state, who made the arrest, M. J. Kelley, E. O. Logan and Charles Weaver. Weaver had been with Haley and claimed that the latter had invited him to take a drink and that he had found the cache and helped himself. District Attorney H. H. De Armond represented the state.

The jury which returned the verdict was composed of C. V. Silvis, M. A. Palmer, R. H. Deyarmond, Roy Fox and Jack Heyburn.

WAR TAX STAMP LAW IS EFFECTIVE TODAY

All Documents Must Bear Govern- ment Stickers Before Being Filed.

Beginning with today, every instrument filed in the county clerk's office had some portion of its pages ornamented with a war tax stamp. None was received without the little sticker, which the government has decreed must be placed there.

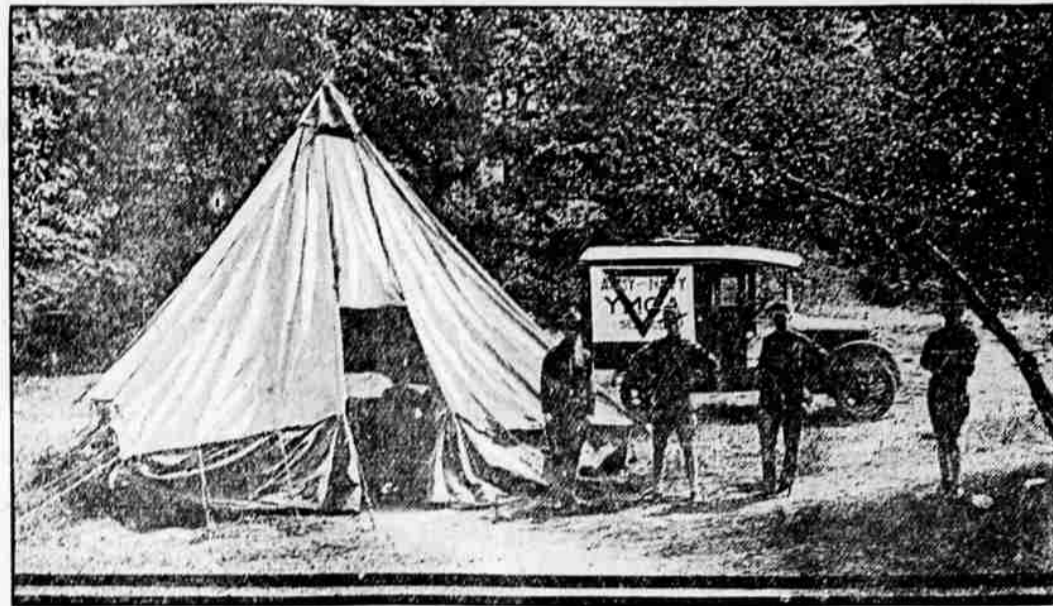
As stated under the new tax measures the law regarding conveyances reads: "On every deed, instrument in writing, granting, assigning, transferring or conveying realty, when the consideration or value of the property conveyed, exclusive of liens or encumbrances, exceeds \$100 and does not exceed \$500, 50 cents, and 50 cents additional for each additional part thereof."

The penalty for failure to heed the law subjects the offender to a fine not exceeding \$1000 or imprisonment of not more than six months, or both. The stamps in various denominations may be procured at the banks.

WESTERN UNION MOVES.

More room to take care of increased business, was secured today when the Western Union moved its telephone offices from the O'Kane building to the Deschutes Investment Co. building. The new offices will take care of a normal business growth for several years to come, it is estimated.

COMPLETE Y. M. C. A. UNIT ON WHEELS



The American soldier has come to expect his service from the Y. M. C. A. to be as regular as his meals, and the association is striving to make it so. Motortrucks like the illustrated are used to reach the men stationed far from base camps, and they contain books, magazines, writing paper, and a long list of other things that add to the comfort of the soldiers.

BEND MAN RETURNS FROM THE PRESIDIO

Lieutenant B. A. Stover to Go East Soon—Visit From Lieutenant Woelflen Is Expected.

On a furlough after leaving the officers' training camp at the Presidio, Lieutenant B. A. Stover arrived in Bend last night and will remain here over tomorrow visiting old friends. Lieutenant Stover was formerly assistant cashier in the First National Bank of this city. On his departure from Bend he will go east under sealed orders.

Lieutenant Stover stated that Lieutenant Fred A. Woelflen, formerly of The Bulletin editorial staff, who has also just completed the training course at the Presidio, is due to arrive in Bend soon to spend a few days.

ALLIED WAR COUNCIL SESSION IS STARTED

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
VERSAILLES, Dec. 1.—The allied war council opened here this morning. Premier Clemenceau, of France, presiding. The council plans to attack problems before it immediately. Many important points, it is known, are already settled, but of these no announcement has been made.

FIRST NATIONAL OFFICE BIGGER

BACK ROOMS AND OREGON STREET ENTRANCE PROVIDED —SPACE NEEDED FOR RAPIDLY GROWING BUSINESS.

Through the completion of the Deschutes Investment Co. building, additional room has been made available for the First National Bank, and the bookkeeping department of the institution has now been moved to the new rear office, allowing a better arrangement in the front offices. The addition also provides an Oregon street entrance to the bank which formerly had only the one door on Bond street.

"The new room became available at just the right time," C. S. Hudson, president of the bank, stated this morning. "for the business was increasing so rapidly that we were badly cramped for space."

The back office will be used not only for bookkeeping, but will afford considerable filing space. A new adding machine has been installed at the bank, an inter-communication telephone system has been put in, and 11 people are now employed in handling the business.

CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN BEGUN IN SEATTLE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SEATTLE, Dec. 1.—Sheriff John Stringer has begun an independent vice crusade, aiming to secure the lifting of Major-General Greene's order against the soldiers at Camp Lewis visiting Seattle. He has asked Brigadier-General Irons to send 20 military police to Seattle to cooperate with the deputy sheriffs.

MUST WIPE OUT PIRATICAL FOE

BRITISH PARLIAMENTARY WAR SECRETARY DECLARES NEGOTIATIONS IMPOSSIBLE UNTIL SEAS ARE SWEEPED CLEAR.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
LONDON, Dec. 1.—J. I. McPherson parliamentary under-secretary for the war ministry, has answered the letter in which the Marquis of Lansdowne declared that the allies should re-state their war aims. The Marquis asserted that the allies do not desire to annihilate Germany as a great power, that there is no wish to impose on the German people any form of government which she does not desire, and that the allies are willing to make an international pact with Germany creating a method to settle disputes peacefully. McPherson declared that England could not negotiate with Germany until the seas are cleared of the piratical, treacherous foe.

DEFINITE WAR POLICY LIKELY

BIGGEST FIGHTS IN NEXT CON- GRESS WILL BE ON BOND QUES- TION, AND UNIVERSAL MILI- TARY TRAINING.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—A definite war and financial policy, and a permanent military policy for the United States will probably be adopted at the sixty-fifth Congress, which will convene Monday. President Wilson completed his message this afternoon, to be delivered Tuesday.

Congressmen gathering for the session predict that the biggest fights will be on the question of bonds vs. taxes, and universal military training.

HEAVY TONNAGE IS SENT TO SOLDIERS

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—American communications to expeditionary forces abroad would make up the cargoes of 582 ships, aggregating 3,721,000 tons, Chairman Hurley, of the shipping board, announced today. This tonnage would support 370,000 American troops in France, it is estimated.

SUPPORT IS ASSURED GERMAN CHANCELLOR

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
AMSTERDAM, Dec. 1.—Centerists and a majority of the Socialists and Progressives assured Chancellor von Hertling of their united support, following his maiden speech in the Reichstag.

FIRST SNOW IS 26 DAYS LATE

FLAKY PRECIPITATION FOLLOWS THREE DAY RAINFALL—THE MONTH JUST PAST WAS UNUSUALLY WET ONE.

Twenty-six days later than last year, Bend's first snow of the year fell early this morning after an almost steady rain lasting through three days. One and five-tenths inches of rain was recorded up to 9 o'clock this morning. The water equivalent was .02 of an inch.

Cessation of the rain and the coming of colder weather brought to an end the trouble on the Deschutes railroads from landslides, but the morning train was made late by the snow, and because progress was delayed by a lookout kept for rocks or other obstacles which might have fallen on the track.

A summary of weather conditions in Bend and the vicinity during the past month shows a total of 1.62 of an inch of rain, with 11 days partly cloudy and 10 clear. The maximum rainfall was on Nov. 30 when .47 of an inch was recorded. Seventy-four degrees, coming on November 1 and 21, and 22 degrees was the minimum, and was recorded on both November 2 and 19. The greatest daily range of temperature was 48 degrees, on November 2, and the least daily range was three degrees, on November 30.

SCANDINAVIANS WILL OBSERVE NEUTRALITY

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
CHRISTIANA, Dec. 1.—Norway, Sweden and Denmark have signed a new agreement pledging observance of the utmost neutrality, says an official statement, following the conference of the three kings. The nations agreed on Scandinavian harmony, mutual confidence and mutual aid.

FAVORS NEW MOVE AGAINST DISLOYAL

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—Vice-President Marshall announced today that he would favor the annulling of the naturalization of disloyal citizens, and the confiscation of their property.

COMPANY SENDS OUT NEW PHONE BOOKS

Approximately 850 new telephone books are ready for distribution or have already been sent out by the telephone company. The books represent an increase of at least 150 new subscribers. Many changes will be found in the numbers on accounts of the new cuts, which were made at the office during the past week. The books have been ready for distribution for some time, but owing to the absence of a lineman on account of the telephone strike, the cuts could not be made and the books were delayed.

GERMANS AIM DOUBLE BLOW

BRITISH RETREAT OF TWO MILES FORCED.

Huns Finally Thrown Back Along Nine Mile Front, However—Streets Paved With German Dead, Following Attack.

By William Phillip Simms,
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS, Dec. 1.—A double German attack aimed at new British positions, failed to make any material gain. The battle is still continuing.

Terrific fighting marked the British resistance to a strong enemy attack over a nine mile front near Cambrai. The Germans forced the British back for two miles at one time, but the Teuton advance now does not exceed 2500 yards.

The British drove the enemy from Gouzelet Court, after 50,000 Huns had made the attack. German dead now pave the streets.

The most important points captured by the Germans this morning were regained by the British this afternoon. Tanks were used to repulse the Germans.

HAIG GIVES REPORT.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—General Haig reported no new attacks last night. This indicates that the enemy has abandoned hope of regaining ground lost around Cambrai.

The British commander cited a number of localized attacks. To the southwest such attacks were repulsed.

BRITISH CAPTURED.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—Powerful German attacks today recaptured Gonnelleu and Villers. Four thousand British were taken prisoners. An enemy counter attack failed. Several British batteries were captured.

ENCOURAGEMENT OF ROUMANIA SOUGHT

President Wilson Sends Message to King Promising Support—Note Also Goes to Japan.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—To encourage Roumania, now in a difficult position because of Russia's defection, President Wilson today sent a message to the Roumanian King promising American support now and after the war. Simultaneously the President sent Japan a message declaring that the result of the Ishii visit to this country will be a happy and enduring friendship between the American and Japanese peoples.

Bend Drafted Men Discharged; More Must Take Places

Two more Deschutes county boys, enlisted in the draft army at Camp Lewis, have been rejected as physically disqualified for active service, according to word received here last night by Sheriff S. E. Roberts, chairman of the local draft board. The two are John R. McKenzie and Harry Thomas, and their rejection brings the total of men from this county to be turned down at American Lake, up to four.

In compliance with draft regulations, two more men from the certified list should be sent today from Bend to Camp Lewis to take the places of Thomas and McKenzie, but this is impossible, for it was found today that County Clerk J. H. Haner has the records under lock and key. As he is now out of the city, the certified list is not available, and the men cannot be sent until his return to Bend, probably next Tuesday.

Ashley Forrest today took over the work as draft clerk, and will be able to commence reclassification of drafted men as soon as he has access to the draft board's papers. His offices have not as yet been designated.