

WOULD DEFEAT GERMAN REGIME

HARDEN CRITICIZES PRESENT RULE.

Editor of Zukunft Says People Are Crazy and That Wilhelm Could Regain Throne—Retains Faith in Wilson.

By Frank J. Taylor (United Press Staff Correspondent.) BERLIN, March 18.—Maximilian Harden, editor of the Zukunft, and Germany's most outspoken citizen, told the United Press that the present government, should and would be overthrown.

"The German people," he said, "are crazy, and the kaiser, if he were not a coward, would return to Germany and regain the throne."

The success of the league of nations depends upon close relations between Germany, Great Britain and America, he declared.

He discussed conditions in Germany freely and frankly. He is in bad repute with all classes in Germany—with the old regime because he continually fought the government during the war and with the revolutionists because Germany has not benefited so far by following Wilson, as he advised.

"I am flooded with letters from people asking me why I advised them to follow Wilson," he said, "and inquiring why Germany is still starved by the blockade. I, myself, do not understand this latter, but my faith in the American president is still undiminished. I realize the tremendous difficulties and opposition which he has to surmount but am confident that he will prevail."

He said that the present German government must be overthrown and replaced by one which is honest, above board and trustworthy.

ODD-FELLOWS WILL KEEP ANNIVERSARY

Eight Lodges Will Gather Here, in April, Marking Hundredth Birthday of Great Order.

The 100th anniversary of Odd-fellowship will be celebrated in Bend Saturday, April 26, by eight lodges participating—Redmond, Terrebonne, Madras, Culver, Maupin, Tumalo and Prineville. In the forenoon the visiting delegations, including the Rebekah lodges, will be given an auto ride seeing Bend. In the afternoon public ritualistic ceremonies will be conducted by Grand Secretary E. E. Sharon of Portland. A banquet and elaborate program begins at 6 o'clock, followed by degree work on a class of candidates. A number of the grand officers will be present, besides other distinguished guests.

TWO CASES LISTED IN JUSTICE COURT

Dan Heising Hearing Set for Tomorrow, While John Erasmy Will Be Tried on Following Day.

Hearing in the justice court will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the case of Dan Heising of Metolius, charged with having venison killed out of season, in his possession. It is expected that the defense will be that the meat found at the Heising home by District Game Warden John Tonkin, was not venison, but pork.

Another justice court case set for this week will be that brought against John Erasmy, charged with shooting robins, to be tried at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The case was tried last week and resulted in a hung jury.

METHODISTS' PERCECT A NEW PARSONAGE

Workmen began clearing the ground today preparatory to erecting a new \$2500 parsonage for the First Methodist church at the corner of Hunter Place and Sisemore street. The lot, 50 by 147 feet, is valued at \$750, has a street frontage on three sides and was generously donated by W. K. Staats.

The building will be modern, and the location is within a half block of the church.

MILLIONS STILL UNDER ARMS, SAYS WAR DEPARTMENT

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.) WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18.—On March 11 there were still 1,598,113 officers and men in Europe, the war department announced today. In addition to these there were still 8,979 in Siberia, 47,218 in American insular possessions, 64,203 at sea and 649,913 in the United States.

SAYS LEAGUE IS OLIGARCHY

HAS MORE ARBITRARY POWERS THAN ANY DESPOT IN HISTORY, SENATOR REED TELLS MISSOURI ASSEMBLY.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.) JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 18.—"An oligarchy clothed with more arbitrary powers than were ever wielded by any despot on earth" is created by the league of nations covenant, Senator Reed charged today in addressing a joint session of the Missouri state assembly. "If this isn't a creation of the very command of the world, then the language of agreements cannot create such powers," he said. His address here was the beginning of a series of attacks on President Wilson's league of nations plan.

FOSTER SHORTHORNS' PEDIGREES TRACED

Cattle Recently Purchased by Tumalo Farmers Descended from Famous British Herds.

Pedigrees of Shorthorn cattle purchased recently by the farmers of the Tumalo section from the Foster herd at Powell Butte trace back to four famous English and Scotch strains, declares R. A. Ward. On the request of E. P. Mahaffey and the new owners of the stock, Mr. Ward and Fred N. Wallace of Tumalo have branded and numbered the cattle. Mr. Ward also tracing the pedigrees back through 10 generations.

He found that the Foster Shorthorns are descended from the Amos Crookshanks herd, the first and greatest strain of Scotch Shorthorns, and from the English herds of the Earl of Duthie, Robert Collings and Renick & Bell, pioneer breeders.

The blood of these famous herds is somewhat attenuated in the Foster cattle, Mr. Ward admits, but he declares that under proper handling and careful mating many of the characteristics can be developed for which the ancestors of the newly purchased Shorthorns were famous.

MONTENEGRINS AND SERBS IN BATTLE

Alleged Attack on Serbian Convoy Is Cause of Strife—Many Killed in Conflict.

ROME, March 18.—Serbian and Montenegrin troops battled near Danilgrad. It was reported in dispatches received here today. The Serbians had been sent to punish Montenegrins who are alleged to have attacked a Serbian convoy. Many on both sides, including the Serbian general, were killed.

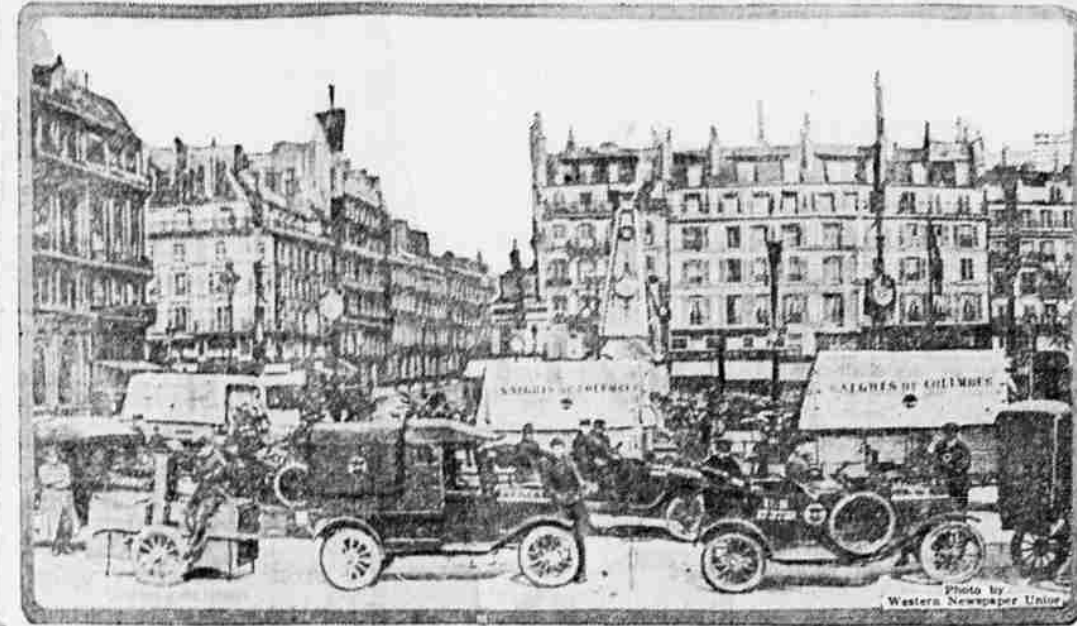
THREE ARRESTED ON STATUTORY CHARGES

Harry Riley Bound Over to Grand Jury—Fred Lucas and Jack Hayes Named in Other Complaints.

Charged with the commission of a statutory offense, Harry R. Riley of this city was placed under arrest today, waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the grand jury by Justice of the Peace J. A. Eastes. His bond was set at \$3000. The complaint prompting the arrest was signed by Mrs. Etta J. Hlatt and mentions a 16-year-old girl in connection with the charge.

As a development of the case, Fred Lucas and Jack Hayes of Bend were arrested on complaints signed by Riley, in which he alleges improper relations with his wife.

K. OF C. WAGON TRAIN FOR AMERICAN SOLDIERS



Knights of Columbus wagons in the Place de la Concorde, Paris, loaded with candies, cigarettes and periodicals for distribution among the men of the American army of occupation in Germany.

ITALY TO DEMAND THREE BILLIONS FROM HER ENEMY

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.) ROME, March 18.—Italy will demand an indemnity of \$3,000,000,000 from Austria-Hungary, it is semi-officially reported. One billion of this will be asked in cash and the remainder must be paid in five years with shipments of iron.

SEEK TO CUT PORK PRICES

GOVERNMENT MAY TRY TO PREVENT FURTHER ADVANCE BY USING FOOD LICENSE SYSTEM, STILL IN FORCE.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.) WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18.—With the price of hogs climbing fast food administration officials indicated today that some government action may be taken to limit the profits on pork and pork products. They pointed out that the administration still has the authority to limit profits under the food license system in use during the war and that all packers are still licensed.

SUB-COMMITTEE OF LEAGUE CONVENES

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.) PARIS, March 18.—The sub-committee of the league of nations met today two days ahead of schedule. All neutral countries with the exception of Spain were represented.

STRICT ORDERS GUARDING HEALTH OF AMERICAN ARMY

By Webb Miller (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

WITH THE AMERICANS ON THE RHINE, March 18.—While American troops are on the Rhine, the inhabitants of the occupied region must stay healthy, or at least observe unusual sanitary and health precautions. This solicitude does not arise from any undue regard for the health of the Germans, but is an added protection to the American troops.

For that reason a special department of the civil affairs department is keeping an eye on the German sanitary arrangement and health supervision. This department is in charge of Lieutenant-Colonel Bensch, an experienced health department official.

By orders of the American authorities, the local public physicians in each district of the occupied area report immediately every case of sickness to the health department. The American commander in each town also sends in a report of each case of illness among the civilian population. In case of a contagious disease, Colonel Bensch at once investigates in order to halt any spread of the disease, which might affect troops quartered in the town.

WILL SUBMIT LEAGUE PACT

TO BE READY FOR INCLUSION IN TREATY SATURDAY—ALLEGES OF HUNS WILL BE TAKEN CARE OF LATER.

By Fred S. Ferguson. (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

PARIS, March 18.—The league of nations covenant is to be submitted for inclusion in the preliminary peace treaty with Germany to be ready by Saturday, it was indicated in certain official circles today. It was stated that the entire treaty including the league pact, will be ready by a week from Saturday.

Some discussion has arisen favoring making the preliminary pact cover Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey and making Germany responsible for her allies. That this will be accomplished, however, is regarded as unlikely, as it would take a month to change the treaty in this respect, whereas the demand everywhere is for making peace with Germany as soon as possible, with the idea of taking up other treaties later.

BUSINESS MEN WIN EASY INDOOR GAME

By a lop sided score of 54 to four the Bend business men won easily last night from the Brooks-Scanlon team in the athletic club indoor baseball series. The members of the teams were as follows: Brooks-Scanlon: Parkins, Simpson, Ward, Rogers, Lyon, Smith, Allen, Wagner and Birrell. Business men: Miller, Slate, Rheingold, Douthit, Metz, Symons, Hudson, Martin, McConnell.

COUNCIL FACES BUSY EVENING

CONSIDERATION OF SPECIAL TAX ELECTION AND CITY BUDGET SCHEDULED FOR REGULAR SESSION TONIGHT.

One of the most important sessions of the Bend city council during the present year will be held tonight at the regular mid-monthly meeting, when questions of municipal financing are expected to be definitely decided. The matter of a special election to vote taxes sufficient to clean up the city's debt for running expenses will be taken up, and a budget of \$30,050 to take care of current expenses during the year will be considered.

In addition, the matter of street improvements during the coming season and the construction of the new fire house will be brought up, it is expected.

LAWRENCE SCENE OF SERIOUS RIOT

Striking Textile Workers Throw Bottles and Bricks When Police Charge Big Parade.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.) LAWRENCE, Mass., March 18.—Serious rioting took place here today when more than 1000 textile workers and sympathizers attempted to parade the streets. Strikers fired shots and hurled bottles and bricks when the city's entire police force charged the crowd.

PRESIDENT MEETS ALLIED PREMIERS

Dismantling of Fortifications and Disposition of Former German Property Considered.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)

PARIS, March 18.—President Wilson met allied premiers today to continue the discussion of such outstanding questions as the dismantling of the Heligoland and the Kiel canal fortifications and the disposition of German warships, cables and other property. The next meeting of the supreme war council will be held tomorrow afternoon.

TO MAKE DISPLAY OF WOOL GRADING WORK

A series of specimens of wool, showing the results of grading, is being prepared by R. A. Ward and will soon be placed on display at the First National bank. Mr. Ward offers to grade samples of wool for any sheepman interested.

BOWLERS TO MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

Continuing the athletic club bowling schedule, the United Warehouse team will meet the Brooks-Scanlon pin men on the club alleys tomorrow night.

BEND MAN IS GIVEN HONOR

GEORGE JONES HEADS WOOL GROWERS.

R. A. Ward Chosen as Secretary—Resolutions Seeking Upbuilding of the Industry Are Passed at Banquet.

Reporting on the election of officers for the Central Oregon Wool Growers' association, directors elected yesterday afternoon announced the selection of George Jones of Bend as president, and R. A. Ward, also of this city, as secretary, at the banquet given for the visiting sheepmen by the Commercial club at the Pilot Butte Inn last night. Forty-five were in attendance at the banquet. In addition to the officers selected, the board of directors includes Tom Cronin and Dennis O'Callahan of Bend, C. F. Hoskins of Lower Bridge, George Blakely of Condon and J. W. Williamson of Prineville.

Crystallizing the policies of the association for the coming year, resolutions introduced by a committee headed by Mr. Jones were adopted, aiming at the introduction of better blood in Central Oregon flocks, seeking the literal enforcement of the estray law, deploring government interference hampering the growth of the industry and seeking more thorough co-operation with the forest service we adopted. The association went on record as endorsing the Pacific International Livestock exposition in Portland, and urged that everything possible be done to aid in its development, commended the work of the National Woolgrowers' association and of the president and secretary of that organization, H. J. Hagenbarth and S. W. McClure, and advised the attendance of all sheepmen at the annual Salt Lake ram sale as a means of securing sires to improve the quality of stock in this district.

Brand Book Wanted.

The forest service was asked to compile a brand book, containing wool marks of all members of the Central Oregon association, a copy to be placed in the hands of each member. The association also passed a resolution requesting that the service protect the wool growing interests by keeping cattle and horses off the sheep range. A matter which the forest officials have been agitating for some time—absolute enforcement of the estray laws to prevent loss to sheepmen—was taken up and endorsed. Hereafter, anyone retaining estrays and not following the letter of the law in endeavoring to restore them to the owner will be prosecuted vigorously by the association.

To protect not only wool growers but every individual purchasing textiles, a resolution was passed urging the federal government, by act of congress, to require the stamping of all cloth with the percentage of wool and shoddy contained.

Commercial Club Thanked.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Bend Commercial club for the entertainment extended the members of the association.

Speakers during the evening were F. A. Clark of Portland, Roscoe Howard of Deschutes, J. N. Burgess of Pendleton, E. P. Mahaffey of the Central Oregon bank, C. S. Hudson of the First National bank of Bend and J. H. Zimmerman of Portland.

In the latter part of the afternoon yesterday, C. S. Hudson spoke on the subject of "Financing the Sheepman," declaring that there is no longer any shortage of money for financing the wool growers, and enumerating the different elements to be taken into consideration by a banker in making a loan of this kind. He also appealed to the sheepmen to seek a return of the old wool sale plan, maintaining that even if their wool is not disposed of in this way they still have the opportunity of taking advantage of warehouse facilities in Portland.

May Invite State Association.

J. N. Burgess of Pendleton advised an amalgamation with the Oregon Wool Growers' association, and suggested that the members of that organization be invited to Bend for their annual meeting next fall. He