

NO ORDER IS SENT TO U. S. RHINE ARMY

AMERICAN SOLDIERS YET IN GERMANY

PEOPLE ARE PASSIVE

No Resentment Shown Over Occupation—German Papers Give Much Space To Question of New Customs Line Parallel To Rhine.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—No orders of any kind have gone forward to the American army of occupation on the Rhine. Secretary of War Weeks said today.

GERMANS PASSIVE

MAYENCE, Germany, March 8.—Residents of occupied Germany saw without resentment today the establishment of another allied bridgehead on German soil. The new allied move evoked excited discussion and German papers gave much space to the contemplated customs line running parallel to the Rhine to a depth of 30 kilometers.

MUNITIONS MEN LOYAL

ESSEN, March 8.—Former munitions workers from the great plant here, with other factory employes, pledged today that they will remain faithful to the German government.

TAX COMMISSIONERS TO VISIT IN BEND

Investigation of Conditions in Deschutes County To Be Made By State Officials In June.

Frank K. Lovell and E. L. Fisher of the state tax commission will be in Bend in June, to conduct a survey in Deschutes county relative to valuations and general conditions of taxation, according to Assessor August Anderson, who returned this morning from a trip to Salem, where he conferred with members of the commission.

Mr. Anderson stated, in regard to the controversy over the assessing of autos and motorcycles, that all machines not carrying the 1921 license tag, or equipped with only a dealer's license, will be listed on the assessor's books.

HOOVER WOULD GIVE CHAMBERLAIN POST

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Senator McNary, in discussing the matter of shipping board appointments with Secretary of Commerce Hoover, found him very favorably impressed toward Senator Chamberlain being on the board.

NO CIGARETTES IN UTAH, IS NEW LAW

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SALT LAKE CITY, March 8.—Governor Mabey today signed the anti-cigarette bill. It prohibits the sale of cigarettes in Utah and smoking them in public places.

STREET CAR MEN TO TRY SIX DAY WEEK

BUTTE, Mont., March 8.—Street car employes in Butte are to be laid off one day in each six in the future as a result of a new policy inaugurated by the company. Necessity for financial retrenchment is said to have occasioned the order.

NORDEEN NAMED AS COUNCILMAN

ELECT NEW MEMBER AT EXTRA SESSION

Successor of H. E. Allen Already Heads School Board and Central Labor Council—Qualifies Promptly For Place In Administration

After a month's lapse the vacancy left in the Bend city council by the resignation of H. E. Allen was filled at a special council meeting yesterday afternoon, when H. E. Nordeen was elected to the position. Mr. Nordeen qualified for the office shortly afterward. His was the only name mentioned for the place in the course of yesterday's session.

Mr. Nordeen is already chairman of the board of school directors of district No. 1, heads the Central Labor council and is prominent in the Baptist church of this city. His actions as a councilman, he declared today would be prompted by a regard for the greatest good of the greatest number of the citizens of Bend.

Mr. Allen's resignation came a month ago and was followed a few days later by the election of George P. Gove, then a patient in a Portland hospital. Mr. Gove sent back, unsigned, the oath of office which had been mailed to him, accompanying the document with his written refusal of the position.

CROWN PRINCE TO AVOID U. S.

DECISION NOT TO VISIT AMERICA REGRETTED IN JAPANESE DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES IN WASHINGTON.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—There is a feeling of regret in Japanese diplomatic circles here that Crown Prince Hirohito of Japan has decided not to come to the United States in connection with his forthcoming visit to European countries.

A visit of the crown prince to the United States and an official exchange of courtesies with President Harding and other American government leaders would go far toward clearing up present difficulties between the two countries, it is believed. The young crown prince, who is only 20, has the fundamentals of a world statesman, his admirers declare.

Crown Prince Hirohito will leave Japan for Great Britain, the first European country to be visited, on March 13, it was announced by the Japanese embassy here. He and his party will sail for Europe on two Japanese cruisers, one of which was built in Great Britain, going west by way of the Indian ocean. The prince also is said to plan to visit France, Italy and Belgium. He will exchange courtesies with the rulers of these four countries and make a study of post-war conditions. The prince's visit is said, however, to have no political significance.

GERMAN MOVIE MEN PLAN U. S. INVASION

BERLIN, March 8.—Experiencing more or less of a "crisis" in disposing of its goods, the German film industry is looking to America, England, France and Italy for a market. The success of the first German films sent to the States since the war has encouraged film makers to believe that they can enter the American market.

WANT HOUSEMAIDS TO GO TO CANADA

BRANDON, Manitoba, March 8.—To encourage the immigration of household help, Manitoba, following Saskatchewan's lead, is sending a representative over to the British Isles, according to the statement by Hon. G. H. Malcolm before the United Farm Women's association.

PANAMA ARMY IN READINESS

RETAINED IN COTO BY PORRAS

Costa Ricans Taken Prisoner By Panama Troops Include Three Colonels—Further Correspondence From U. S. Is Expected.

BALBOA, Panama, March 8.—Municipal councils throughout Panama were advised today that President Porras has not withdrawn his soldiers from the province of Coto nor accepted the Costa Rican boundary drawn by Chief Justice White of the United States.

PRISONERS INTERNED

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Panama legation today announced that the steamer David brought 162 Costa Rican prisoners into Panama bay this morning. Three colonels are among the prisoners. The prisoners were interned on the island of Taboga. Further correspondence between the Panama government and the United States government is expected immediately relative to the latest developments in fighting between Panama and Costa Rica.

SLOW TO RAISE HANDS, IS SHOT

RAILWAY BRAKEMAN DIES SHORT TIME AFTERWARD IN HOSPITAL—SOLDIERS HELD ON SUSPICION.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
TACOMA, March 8.—For supposed failure to elevate his hands promptly when ordered to by three highwaymen, C. W. Borden, railway brakeman, was shot three times by one of the robbers and died a short time afterward in the hospital. Three Camp Lewis soldiers, Edward B. Root, Charles M. Hamlin and Joe Luobbers, are under arrest on suspicion.

TOO BUSY MOTORING FOR OTHER SPORTS

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
FRESNO, Cal., March 8.—This city of 50,000 souls enjoys the reputation of having less sports and more automobiles than any other city of its size in the United States. It is probably the only city of this size in the country with no baseball team and no baseball park.

Fresno's sports consist of one bowling alley, two basketball teams and some playgrounds. The high school tries its hands at football in the fall.

MEMBERSHIP TO BE FARM BUREAU ISSUE

Members of the Deschutes County Farm bureau are planning a meeting to be held at Redmond tomorrow, at which the chief issue will be the question of eligibility to membership. Last year it was decided that only actual tillers of the soil could be members of the bureau, but it has been intimated recently that this action may be reconsidered.

NEW FIRE AREA TO NEED CLOSE WATCH

PORTLAND, March 8.—"The closest control over the storm-devastated timber area in the Olympia National forest must be exerted this summer," declares District Forester George Cecil, who is working upon definite plans for fire patrol after a personal visit to the area.

RED COMMISSARIES DEAD OR IN JAIL

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
LONDON, March 8.—All Bolshevik commissaries in Petrograd have either been killed or taken prisoner by revolutionaries, according to the foreign office.

Janitor Becomes Peer Over Night, Won't Take Rank

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 8.—From janitor to British peer over night is the experience of George Dowglass, janitor of the Holtville union high school. Dowglass' father passed away, leaving him a seat in the the house of lords, which he will not assume. "Lord Dowglass" will go to Ireland, settle his estate, return to Holtville and engage in the nursery business.

ELECTION FOES GUNMEN'S PREY

LEADERS IN RECENT WARD CAMPAIGNING IN CHICAGO SHOT WITHOUT WARNING—BODIES RIDDLED.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
CHICAGO, March 8.—Gunmen broke loose in Chicago again today, killing two men by shooting them in the back. Both were leaders in recent election campaigning for Alderman John Powers.

Harry Raymond, cigar store owner, was shot and instantly killed in his place of business by two men while he was obtaining change for the cash register. Paul Labriola, court bailiff, was shot and killed as he left his home. Both men's bodies were riddled with bullets.

BASIC 8 HOUR DAY ABOLISHED

PACKING COMPANIES' WAGE CUT OF 12 1/2 PER CENT AFFECTS 200,000—STRIKE MAY RESULT FROM REDUCTION.

(By J. L. O'Sullivan.)
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
CHICAGO, March 8.—Wages of 200,000 employes of the packing companies were cut approximately 12 1/2 per cent and the basic eight-hour day abolished today. The decision affects 30,000 in Chicago and 170,000 in 11 other principal market centers. Union leaders in the packing industry are now meeting in Omaha to decide on action. There is apprehension among employers that a strike may result.

GIFTS OF LUMBER WILL AID CHURCH

Work On Flooring To Be Started Soon at New Methodist Building—Basement Will Be Put Into Use.

Gifts of lumber, made by the Bend mills, will make possible the construction of the floor for the basement of the new Methodist church on Bond and Kansas. As a result, work is to be started shortly installing concrete piers as a preliminary to laying the flooring.

As soon as the basement is finished it will be used for church purposes. This, it is expected, will be in another two months.

BUCHOLTZ HEARING SET FOR WEDNESDAY

Preliminary hearing in justice court in the case of John Bucholtz, charged with assault and battery against his wife, will be held tomorrow. Bucholtz was arraigned yesterday before Judge E. D. Gilson and is now out on \$750 cash bail.

Mrs. Bucholtz, in swearing to the complaint, alleges that her husband hit her with a teacup, fracturing a rib.

WATER RUNNING INTO BED OF SILVER LAKE

Water is running into the bed of Silver lake from three places and it is conceded that the entire lake bed will be covered, states the Silver Lake Leader.

TROOPS OF ALLIED NATIONS MOVE ACROSS THE RHINE IN MORNING; NO SHOTS FIRED

Many Branches of Service Used In Sudden Invasion

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PARIS, March 8.—The French war office announced officially today that the German city of Duesseldorf was occupied at 6 o'clock this morning. Occupation of Ruhrort was also accomplished without incident. An allied river fleet was anchored off the port. General Simon commanded the forces at Duesseldorf, and General Montbert the troops at Ruhrort. It was stated.

WOULD UNITE WITH GERMANY

AUSTRIA TO DEMAND RIGHT OF LEAGUE IF ALLIES DO NOT REMEMBER PROMISE TO FURNISH FINANCIAL AID.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
VIENNA, March 8.—Austria will demand the right to unite with Germany if the allies do not remember their promise to aid in her financial recovery. Chancellor Mayor declared today in addressing the national assembly. "As soon as the London conference is adjourned," he said, "we will again call the attention of the allies to the aid promised but not yet received. Then, if results are not obtained, we will demand that the League of Nations remove provisions barring our union with Germany."

PLAN AID FOR OWYHEE LANDS

RECLAMATION SERVICE TO SUBMIT CONTRACT AND SEND ENGINEER TO INVESTIGATE DISTRICT IN MALHEUR COUNTY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Senator McNary, after a conference with the secretary of the interior, was advised that the reclamation service would at once submit a contract and send an engineer to Oregon to investigate the Owyhee irrigation district in Malheur county. The Oregon legislature passed a law authorizing the expenditure of \$5000 in cooperation with the United States for the development of this project.

WILL VISIT IRELAND AFTER LONG ABSENCE

To revisit the land of his birth after an absence of 20 years, Sam Lowry, who is visiting in Bend from Fairbanks, Alaska, will leave next month for Belfast, Ireland, where his father resides. Mr. Lowry has just arrived in Bend to join his wife, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. C. Landingham.

PENDLETON STARTS \$100,000 ICE PLANT

PENDLETON, March 8.—Construction of a \$100,000 ice and cold storage plant was begun here this week on the site of the Smyth-Longergan plant, recently destroyed by fire. The new building will be completed in 60 days.

FULL PREPARATIONS MADE FOR WAR

3 CITIES OCCUPIED

River Boats And Artillery Supports Infantry, But Entrance Into Ruhr Valley Is Effected Without Any Opposition.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)

WITH THE ALLIED ARMIES, March 8.—Allied troops marched across the Rhine today. In the early morning, as the river mists were just beginning to thin out, long columns of French, British and Belgian soldiers, equipped and rationed for war, tramped over bridges and into the German cities of Duesseldorf, Duisberg and Ruhrort. Horse, foot and artillery, they advanced into the Ruhr valley, Germany's rich mineral basin.

As they swung into the narrow streets of the old cities, people peeped out timidly from doorways and windows.

Operations were directed by General Degoutte of the French army, from headquarters in Neuss, opposite Duesseldorf. French forces under the direct command of General Gaucher.

Prepare for Resistance.

During the night the French advanced to the center of the Duesseldorf bridge, where a barbed wire entanglement was placed. Pioneers went ahead, threw up earthworks and established a trench line beyond the bridge, just as if a lurking enemy were waiting to attack. Meanwhile more French troops and river boats were coming up the Rhine, past Coblenz, where the United States army of occupation is based.

Before today's forward movement started, artillery clattered over the Duesseldorf bridge and swung into position where it could cover the advance of an army at dawn. Then French, British and Belgians went forward with bayonets fixed, ready for action. But there was no sign of resistance, not even a stray shot from a house-top.

Commanding officers commanded houses for headquarters and their staffs were billeted nearby. In a remarkably short space of time the city was completely occupied.

ASSERTS LONG LIFE DUE TO HARD WORK

Woman Still Busily Knitting On Eve of 106th Birthday—Remembers Visit of Lafayette.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)

WEST CHESTER, Pa., March 8.—Attributing her long and active life to plenty of hard work and an appetite which has never failed, Mrs. Julia Ann Walter is busily engaged today in knitting washrags for her friends and relatives who will call tomorrow and spend a portion of the day in properly celebrating the 106th anniversary of her birth. Mrs. Walter is the oldest woman born in Chester county, Pennsylvania.

Except for her hearing Mr. Walter's faculties are unimpaired. She reads newspapers and letters every day without glasses and spends much of her time knitting and sewing. She remembers very distinctly the visit in 1824 of General Lafayette to the scene of the battle of the Brandywine, in which he was wounded.

CUPPER ATTENDING DISTRICT MEETINGS

On his way to attend meetings of settlers of the C. O. I. Irrigation district today, State Engineer Percy A. Cupper was in Bend this morning. The first gathering of settlers was at the Grange hall this morning, the second at Redmond this afternoon.