

GERMAN PACT WITH RUSSIA MADE KNOWN

Comes As Bombshell At Genoa Conference

CANCEL WAR CLAIMS

Russia Must Agree To Refuse To Compensate Other Nations, Condition—French Are Bitter Over Treaty.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
GENOA, April 17.—Germany and Russia have signed a treaty here re-establishing diplomatic and commercial relations. Georgan Tchitcherlin, head of the Russian delegation, signed for the bolshevik, and Walter Rathenau, for Germany. The "most favored nation" clause stamps the treaty as a basis for a possible German-Russian alliance. It abrogates the treaty of Brest-Litovsk.

Respective war claims of the two countries are cancelled. Germany cancelling her claims for losses through bolshevik property seizures on condition that Russia refuses to compensate other countries.

Allies Deadlocked

The allies are still deadlocked with Russia over general reconstruction terms. The conference is marking time awaiting Russia's reply to allied suggestions. This is expected Thursday.

BOOZE CAUSE OF SHOOTING

Four Burned By Stove, Two May Die of Gunshot Wounds After Melee.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SEATTLE, April 17.—Three adults were wounded and a 15 months old baby badly burned by falling against a kitchen stove in a melee brought on, police believe, by a bootleggers' quarrel.

LET CONTRACT FOR SISTERS GRADING

A contract for the grading of approximately one mile of highway through the town of Sisters was let today by the county court to Edgington & Harrington, for \$914. The next, lowest bid was \$24 higher.

MAJOR LEAGUE SCORES

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
At Boston	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	4	2
New York	0	4	2
(Called end of third; rain.)			
At Washington			
Washington	11	14	3
Philadelphia	9	14	0
At Cleveland			
Cleveland	1	0	0
St. Louis	0	0	0
(Third inning.)			
Chicago-Detroit; rain.			
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
At Cincinnati	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	4	2
Pittsburgh	0	7	0
At St. Louis			
St. Louis	5	8	0
Chicago	7	0	0
(Seventh inning.)			

STORMS, FLOODS SWEEPING WIDE PATH OF RUIN

Villages And Farms Devastated; Eleven Killed

FARMS UNDER WATER

Two Hundred Thousand Acres of Fertile Land Inundated—Cyclones Add To Suffering In Central States.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
CHICAGO, April 17.—Storms and flood, unequalled in the last half century, swept Illinois and Indiana today, causing huge property damage and devastating villages and farms.

CYCLONE KILLS SEVEN

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 17.—Seven were killed, four are missing, and eighteen were injured in a cyclone which struck Irvington, Ill., today.

CONTRACT LET ON ROAD WORK

Marsh & Bowers To Surface The Cline Falls-Sisters Highway Section.

A contract was awarded Saturday by the state highway commission to Marsh & Bowers to surface with rock 10.8 miles of the Cline Falls-Sisters section, and 15 miles of the Tumalo-Sisters section of the McKenzie highway, completing the improvement of this highway in Deschutes county. The award was based on a bid of \$57,750.

YEGGS RIFLE THEATER SAFE

\$3500 Taken From Pantages Strongbox—Police Unable To Find Clue.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PORTLAND, April 17.—Yeggs opened the Pantages theater safe here last night with nitroglycerine, escaped with \$3500 in cash, the total of the Easter day receipts, Manager J. J. Johnson discovered early today when he opened his office.

WAR CLOUDS HANG OVER THE ORIENT

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
TOKYO, April 17.—War clouds hung heavy over the far east again today. The Dairen negotiations between Chita and Japan have been broken off. The Japanese troops are returning to Siberia.

POSTPONE TRIAL OF ILLINOIS GOVERNOR

WAUKEGAN, Ill., April 17.—Governor Small's trial was postponed today until April 24. He is charged with juggling state funds.

No Women Likely On Weston Jury; All In Two Venires Refuse

Only men will sit on the Weston jury unless it is necessary to draw another venire in which women may be named who are willing to serve. All eleven women drawn on the two venires which the attorneys for state and defense now have at their disposal in making their selections, have declined to serve.

CHURCHES ALL FILLED SUNDAY

Easter Services Draw 2,700 Bend Attendants—Capacities Are Taxed.

Attendance at the Easter services of the Bend churches Sunday totaled close to 2,700 people, according to estimates compiled by the pastors and Sunday school superintendents. The capacity of every church in the city was taxed at the morning services, and some people failed to attend because of the lack of seats.

COLLINS' LIFE IS ATTEMPTED

DUBLIN, April 17.—Republican radicals attempted to assassinate Michael Collins yesterday, and sharp fighting shortly after midnight, ushered in "black Monday" in Ireland.

PLAN SMOKER AT HIPPODROME SOON

Taylor-DePinto Go Slated For Headliner—Knorr And Stice May Be Matched.

Plans for staging a smoker at the Hippodrome, probably on the night of April 28, in which Allie Taylor of Bend and Mike De Pinto will appear as headliners, were announced today by E. M. Murphy and A. P. Tauscher.

GARAGE OPENING ENJOYED BY MANY

Over 400 persons attended the joyous opening of the Deschutes garage in Redmond Saturday, the greatest number being present for the free dancing in the garage in the evening. Many of those attending were from Bend. During the afternoon, four used cars and three new ones were sold.

DANGER IS ENDED FOR FAMOUS TENOR

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
NEW YORK, April 17.—John McCormack, noted tenor, today was pronounced "out of danger" by his physicians.

COXEY WANTS ACTION OR ANOTHER ARMY



Jacob S. Coxe, who years ago led an army of unemployed into Washington demanding jobs, is active again. This time he has an idea of how Uncle Sam should operate the merchant marine. Through Congressmen of his own State, Ohio, Gen. Coxe has four bills before congress. If they are not acted upon he says he will lead another army on the capital.

DENIES SALE OF MOONSHINE

Jack Milliron, Arrested Saturday Night, To Have Trial Wednesday.

Hidden behind trees bordering Drake Road, waiting to intercept a consignment of liquor which he had been informed would pass shortly, Police Chief Willard Houston was thrown off the scent by a booze sale which took place within a few feet of where he was standing, he reported yesterday after his arrest Saturday night of Jack Milliron on a charge of selling, and of C. A. Mansfield for possessing a quart of moonshine whiskey. Milliron pleaded not guilty in police court today. His trial was set for Wednesday.

TAKE JAPANESE BOOZE RUNNERS

Two Smugglers Wounded In Battle With Officers At St. Helens.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
ST. HELENS, Ore., April 17.—Three Japanese attempting to smuggle liquor ashore here from the Japanese steamer, Kalau Maru, engaged in a pitched battle with officers this morning.

GOVERNMENT WINS ANTI-TRUST FIGHT

Supreme Court Holds United Shoe Machinery Company Is Violator.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, April 17.—The United Shoe Machinery Company is restraining competition in the shoe machinery industry in violation of the Clayton anti-trust act, the supreme court held today.

PURSE SEIN LAW UPHELD BY COURT

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PORTLAND, April 17.—The Oregon purse sein fishing law, prohibiting the sale and possession within the state of fish caught with a purse sein, was held constitutional this morning in an opinion rendered by Federal Judge Bean.

Radio To Broadcast From Capital Over The Entire Nation

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, April 17.—A powerful radio broadcasting station, estimated as strong enough to broadcast a president's message to the entire country, is being installed at the Arlington naval wireless station here.

B. H. S. SWAMPS CROOK COUNTY

Local Sluggers Cross Home Plate 21 Times—Play Heady Ball.

Hitting Smith of Prineville with ease and playing heady baseball every minute both on the field and on the bases, the Bend high school baseball team ran up a score of 21 to 4 in Saturday's game on the O'Donnell field. Roberts pitched the final inning for Prineville, and that was the only inning in which the local boys did not score, failing to solve the big man's speed in time.

Bend High School	
Player	B R H O A E
McNeely, 1b	6 3 5 11 0 0
Blakley, cf	7 3 3 1 0 0
Cottingham, 3b	5 3 3 0 1 0
Norcott, p	6 3 3 0 11 2
Moody, ss	7 1 1 2 2 0
Orrell, 2b	6 1 3 5 4 1
Howell, c	4 3 2 8 1 1
Philbrook, lf	4 2 0 0 0 0
Kohfield, rf	6 2 3 0 0 0
Totals	51 21 23 27 19 4
Crook County High School	
Player	B R H O A E
Lewelling, lf	4 0 0 0 0 0
J. Coshow, c	4 0 1 4 1 1
McKenzie, ss	4 0 0 2 1 2
Roberts, rf, p	4 0 2 2 2 1
Smith, p, rf	3 1 0 0 5 0
Jacobs, cf	3 0 0 1 1 0
O'Kelley, 2b	3 1 1 5 2 4
O. Coshow, 1b	3 0 0 10 0 0
Dishman, 3b	3 2 1 0 1 0
Totals	31 4 5 24 13 8
Bend High	72112260*-21
C. C. High	011000020-4
Earned runs, Bend 12, Prineville 1; two-base hits, McNeely 2, Norcott, Cottingham; three-base hits, Cottingham; bases on balls, off Norcott 1, off Smith 2, off Roberts 1; struck out, by Norcott 6, by Smith 2, by Roberts 2; double plays, Orrell unassisted, Orrell to McNeely.	

A. J. WESTON FACES TRIAL SECOND TIME

Alleged Killer Confident In Court

NEW FEATURES SEEN

Testimony of Stillwell Relled On By State — Rigid Questioning of Jurors Points To Lengthy Case.

With the prospect of at least a week of legal battling, Deschutes county's first and only murder case went to trial today for the second time in 18 months. A. J. Weston, cool, iron nerved, smilingly confident, after a year in the penitentiary, looks forward to acquittal, while state's attorneys, their case reinforced by the testimony which George Stillwell, held until the last special session of the grand jury as an accessory, is expected to give, are just as confident of obtaining a conviction on the charge of second degree murder of Robert H. Krug, aged hermit rancher of Sisters on the night of March 24, 1919.

Weston is represented by John A. Collier of Portland and E. O. Stadter of Bend. Because of the fact that Mrs. A. J. Moore is a daughter of the accused man, her husband, district attorney, is merely a spectator—possibly a witness in the case—R. S. Hamilton, H. H. DeArmond, and W. P. Myers being the special prosecutors representing the state.

Conviction at the last trial was obtained when Weston was emmeshed in a net of circumstantial evidence together with testimony regarding his alleged admissions to the effect that he had tortured Krug in a vain endeavor to learn the hiding place of the old man's secret hoard of money, and had then killed him and set fire to the cabin, destroying the building and charring the body almost beyond recognition. In an attempt to meet this, the defense called witnesses to establish an alibi. The jury, once on the point of disagreement, finally turned in a verdict of guilty after being in session for 17 hours.

ROAD TO BURNS NOW PASSABLE

Regular Service Is Started By Stage Company; More Business Is Expected.

The first journey of the year for the Bend-Burns stage was started this morning, William Fraser driving. The stage will be operated on a three times a week schedule, leaving Bend Monday, Thursday and Saturday. Fraser made a test trip last week, finding the road in very poor shape but passable.

REINSTATEMENT OF PAULSON AT ISSUE

Under an order issued by Circuit Judge T. E. J. Duffy, the directors of the Bend school board are required to reinstate Mark A. Paulson, dismissed last fall as high school principal, or appear April 26 to show why reinstatement should not be made.

Query on Appeal Not Allowed

Raber, millworker, had his chief information concerning the case from the papers, he told Attorney Collier. He had heard the testimony of George Stillwell and Joe Wilson in the previous trial, he told Defense Attorney Collier. He said in reply to questions that he had formed no opinion of the case or its merits, but was willing to accept the court's in-