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Oregon: Tonight rain west portion, fair and warmer east portion. Sunday rain, moderate southeast wind. Local—Rainfall, trace; river four and two tenths feet, falling.

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NEWBERRY CONVICTED OF VOTE FRAUD SPARTACANS SET UP SOVIET AT ESSEN

Knox Proposal to Declare War With Germany Ended Before Senate on Monday

Washington, March 20.—The treaty of Versailles was returned to President Wilson today by the senate after it had failed of ratification last night for the fourth time.

There was no intimation as to what President Wilson would do with the treaty. White House officials said the usual procedure would be to send it to the state department for "burial" in the archives there.

Mr. Tumulty, who was given the treaty, said there would be no statement from the president.

The senate was not in session today but when the house met, Representative Tinkham, republican, Massachusetts, offered a joint resolution declaring a state of peace between the United States and Germany.

Washington, Mar. 20.—With the peace treaty on its way back to the White House today accompanied by notification to the president that the senate had finally "refused" to advise and consent to its ratification, Senator Knox's resolution to declare a state of peace of Germany will take its place on the senate floor. Consideration last night after the adverse vote on ratification, was blocked by adjournment until Monday.

Under the resolution Germany would recognize all rights which the United States might have had under the Versailles treaty. Should Germany fail to agree to this, the president would be authorized to prohibit resumption of trade relations or the extension of loans or credits.

Passage Expected.

Republican leaders expect some such measure to be passed. The treaty question was regarded as already injected into the presidential campaign as one of the main issues on which republicans and democrats will fight for national endorsement in the fall.

Action by the house of representatives would be necessary to consummate a declaration of peace by resolution as contemplated by Senator Knox. His resolution proposes the repeal of the joint resolution declaring war and provides that unless Germany notifies the United States of its acceptance of all undertakings contained in the treaty of Versailles, the president would have the power to prohibit by proclamation the commercial intercourse between the two nations or the giving of any assistance to Germany.

Washington, Mar. 20.—The treaty of Versailles failed of ratification for the fourth time Friday night and then the senate voted to send it back to President Wilson with a notification that it has finally "refused" to advise and consent to its ratification.

On the decisive roll call the vote was 49 for ratification to 35 against, the opposition numbering in its ranks twenty democrats who were unwilling to see the treaty go through with the republican reservations objected to by the president and three democrats and twelve republicans irrevocably. Twenty-one democrats quit the president's lead and voted for ratification but the defection failed by seven votes of providing the two thirds requisite to ratify.

The result was regarded everywhere in the capitol as having put over into the political campaign for decision the long and bitter fight between the chief executive and the senate majority. A move to reconsider the vote and try once more to ratify collapsed in its inception, leaders on both sides agreeing that further ratification efforts would be a waste of time as long as the senate membership remains as it is.

Lane Pleads For More Interest in National Issues

Washington, Mar. 20.—Development of a more thoughtful and interested citizenship and the translation of crystallized public sentiment into action, are the two needs of grave import confronting the nation at this time, Franklin K. Lane, former secretary of the interior, declared in a paper read today at the opening session here of the National Conference of Community Organization.

Mr. Lane said interest in community organization arose from his conviction that it would help to solve both of these problems. "This movement has many phases," he said. "It lies for instance, at the very root of a proper Americanization, for the essence of Americanization is not merely to teach English but to draw the newcomer into our common life and to make him an active partner in all of our undertakings. "But above all else, the community organization movement tends to break down group lines and to bring the people together as citizens and neighbors for consideration and action regarding their needs. A more interested citizenship and more intelligent decisions regarding public questions must reflect themselves in better government."

Boy Hit By Auto Is Better; Scalp Wound Sustained

Roy Halvorsen, 12, residing at 226 West Wilson street, who was struck by an auto driven by A. E. Hutchinson, local automobile dealer, at four o'clock Friday evening, and rendered unconscious, was resting easily and improving, according to an announcement from the Salem hospital this morning. Little Halvorsen was taken there when he was injured. He sustained a deep scalp wound and severe bruises.

According to witnesses who were interviewed by Traffic Officer Moffitt and Officer Lee Morelock, Halvorsen, who was going home from school, ran in front of Hutchinson's machine. They said that Hutchinson was not going faster than 20 miles an hour, and that he stopped immediately. The accident occurred on Commercial between Myers and Wilson.

Scouts to Have Wonderful Camp During Summer

Four weeks of unequalled happiness vitalizing every activity of a normal American boy, in one of the finest beauty spots in the Cascade range, under the direction of trained leadership of men who are specialists in the art of camping, and with the best equipment that can be obtained for outdoor living, is what the Salem council, boy scouts of America, will offer to Salem's boys during the coming summer months.

According to Scout Executive Harold Cook today, present indications are that at least 150 of Salem's boys will be enrolled in the camp, and with the growth of the movement ever increasing up to the time of the camping season, plans may have to be enlarged to accommodate even a larger number.

The camp will be located on the banks of Salt creek in southeastern Lane county, about 40 miles from Eugene, in one of the prettiest spots in the Cascade range. The camp will be one half mile from the McCreed Hot Springs, and affords the finest swimming facilities of any camping resort in the entire western mountains. In fact, very few western camps can compare in up to date equipment of this kind.

The activities of camp are innumerable, including hiking, fishing, mountain climbing, snow battles, camp games, eating and many others. One of the new features of the camp will be talks by experts about the forests, wild life, nature study and kindred subjects. These will be supplemented by moving pictures which are being arranged for and which will prove highly entertaining. Power wires for the camera man having been strung twelve miles in order to provide the camp with this feature.

In discussing the various phases of camp life, Scout Executive Cook said: "The summer camp for the boy scouts of America, under the leadership of trained men, and featured by a program of the like of which has never been, or will be except in the boy scout organization, is like a gigantic test tube wherein the boy is placed and all the undesirable things drawn off and only that which is good and proper and which make for strong vigorous, healthy boyhood put in. Every boy should have the advantage of the boy scout summer camp. That is why the big hearted, generous hearted men of this city are practically giving this camp each year to the boy scouts. The program of camping as carried on by the scout organization is indispensable to the growing boy, and provides the pleasure and rest of a vacation that could not otherwise be afforded."

The cost to the boy of the summer camp of the boy scouts of America is less than \$1.99 per week, possibly cheaper than living at home, being about 25 cents a day, and includes everything that can be provided for successful camp life. It is an opportunity that every parent should grasp—that of a wonderful outing for their boys. There will be a corps of paid leaders on the summer camp, including two professional cooks, besides an army of volunteer workers, and every boy will have ample supervision.

A report has been received from St. Jose, Cal., of the death of Thomas McSary, a former member of the Salem Police force. He was killed in an automobile accident.

PEOPLE WHO KNEW HOOVER Reminiscences Of Hoovers Early Enterprises Show That In Work Or Play He Was Willing To Do His Share.

By Will Carver
"C'mon, folks, let's go fishin'." It was a fine day in early summer, and Bert Hoover had taken a pleasure run out to the F. L. (Sam) Hammer place near Silverton to visit his cousins, Jess, Margaret, Agnes and Laura Hammer. When Bert arrived at the farm home he found that his invitation could not be acted upon at once for the three older children were busy at a task that had been left them by their parents, with the injunction to "be sure and fix up that fence before you play any."

And so, when the situation was explained, the fence repairers had a recruit on the construction gang. With the help of the future engineer the task was soon completed, although not before a "diplomatic" situation had arisen. Jess, the brother of the narrator of this incident, in a trouble hunting mood that day, from a spirit of mischief and a desire to tease his sisters he pestered them for quite a while, until finally the girls decided that the inquisitor was getting too rough and sent out a S O S call for assistance. And here is perhaps the first time that the future corporation manager showed his hand for he is said to have seized Master Jess, and the two boys were about the same age. Bert sat down on the mischief maker and had soon subdued him.

Then, battle having ended an armistice was declared and Agnes and Jess and Bert went fishing in Butte Creek. That was many years ago, and the participants in that summers day incident in the year 1890, have long since grown to manhood and womanhood, but the small world happenings of that day have not been forgotten. Another glimpse of Hoover at Stanford is brought to Journal readers by Jesse U. Huber, well known writer and fruit grower who entered Stanford the year following Hoover's graduation from that school.

Mr. Huber's first location at Stanford was at the famous Encina hall, where about 600 students are domiciled. This had been Hoover's last college abode. During his senior year, Hoover had continued the outside work necessary to supplement his slender resources by managing laundry distribution for this section of the school. During the year following his departure, the remark was often heard at the hall that "if that big fellow who herded by himself was here, we would be getting real service." For, as in his studies so also in other projects, Hoover had already received a reputation for efficiency in his every undertaking.

Dempsey Pleads Innocent When Arraigned Today

San Francisco, Mar. 20.—Jack Dempsey and his manager, Jack Kearns, pleaded not guilty today before Judge Robert S. Bean in the United States district court when arraigned on charges of conspiracy to evade the selective draft act. Their preliminary hearing was set for April Francis Krull, United States commissioner, and furnished bonds, Dempsey for \$2,000 and Kearns for \$1,000. They were indicted by the federal grand jury February 27. One indictment accused them of conspiracy in preparing a false claim of dependency for Dempsey, and a second charged Dempsey with evasion of the draft act.

Both declined to make any statements regarding the charges against them, referring questions to their counsel. Dempsey and Kearns were nattily dressed and chewed gum vigorously during the proceedings.

Jugo-Slavs and Albanians Agree Is Belief

Washington, Mar. 20.—Early agreement between Jugo-Slavia and Albania on settlement of the Adriatic problem was predicted here today in diplomatic circles. Foreign Minister Trumbitch of Jugo-Slavia, and M. Konitsa, of Albania, it was said, have been in conference in Paris for a week and a definite rapprochement between the two Balkan countries most vitally concerned in the Adriatic controversy was expected soon to mark the first step in a new settlement.

President Wilson's recent declaration on the subject of Albania in the correspondence with allied premiers as to the Adriatic, officials said, also helped expedite an amicable agreement between the two Balkan countries.

Klamath county sheep growers will meet at Merrill with the federal livestock inspector to consider methods for combating the spread of scabies.

Senator And 16 Others to Pay Penalty

Grand Rapids, Mich., Mar. 20.—Senator Truman H. Newberry and 16 of his 84 co-defendants were found guilty of criminal conspiracy in the 1918 senatorial election by a jury in the United States district court here today.

Besides the senator the men convicted were his brother, John S. Newberry; Paul King, his campaign manager; Frederick Cody, New York legislative agent; Charles Floyd, Grand Rapids; Allen A. Templeton, president of the Detroit board of commerce; Hannibal Hopkins, publicity director; B. Frank Emery, office manager; Henry O. Turner, Detroit; E. V. Chilson, of the national republican headquarters; Roger Andrews, Menominee publisher; Milton Oakman, Detroit, politician; William J. Mickel, Oshkosh, Wis.; Richard Fletcher, state labor commissioner; James P. McGregor, Detroit; Fred Henry, Flint and George S. Ladd, Strubridge, Mass.

All other defendants were acquitted.

Newberry's Seat Not Vacated by His Conviction

Washington, Mar. 20.—Conviction of Senator Newberry by the Grand Rapids jury does not invalidate his seat in the senate, republican leaders said today. He will be entitled to retain office, they declared, until the senate itself acts on the charges filed by his opponent, Henry Ford.

A sub-committee of the elections committee, headed by Senator Watson, republican, Indiana, now is awaiting a conference with counsel for Newberry and Ford regarding procedure in the senate investigation of the charges.

Whether Senator Newberry, in view of his conviction, will continue his duties in the senate pending a final decision by the courts is a matter for his own discretion, senators said. Senate leaders had been advised by Mr. Newberry that in event of conviction he would carry an appeal to the United States supreme court, if necessary.

Ebert Leaders Are Congratulated by Allied Diplomats

Berlin, Mar. 20.—Representatives of Great Britain, Italy and Belgium in this city visited Vice Chancellor Schiffer yesterday and congratulated the government on the speedy removal of the Kappist usurpers" according to a semi-official news agency announcement.

They assured Herr Schiffer, it is said, that entente representatives had not recognized the leaders of the revolt.

Lord Kilmarock, British charge d'affaires here, is quoted as saying the granting of supplies and raw materials to Germany would be possible only if constitutional conditions prevailed and there could be no such assistance if peace and order were disturbed.

Robbers of Six Oregon Banks are Held in Portland

Portland, Or., Mar. 20.—Two alleged members of a band of bank robbers said by federal officials to be responsible for the looting of safety deposit vaults at Scio, Dayton, Wilsonville, Cascade Locks, Harrisburg and Jefferson, Oregon, were in the custody of federal authorities here today pending the filing of charges against them. The men are Fred Peterson alias "Svede" Whitey, and Chester Lippold.

Arrest of the two men followed an investigation by post office inspectors, secret service agents and a private detective agency. Search is being made today, it was said, for three other men said to be implicated in the robberies.

According to the officers \$1075 in currency and \$900 in war savings stamps were found on the men when arrested. The war savings stamps, the officers said, were identified as some of those stolen from the Scio bank.

2000 Lives Lost During Revolution

(By the Associated Press)
Large portions of Germany are resounding to the rattle of machine guns and rifle fire in the civil warfare which so far since the beginning of the Berlin revolt last Saturday is estimated by some Berlin commentators to have cost 2000 lives.

The industrial district in the Rhineland appears to be the stronghold of the ultra-extremist forces, which are reported to have captured Essen, the home of the Krupp plant, the important industrial centers of Dueseldorf and Elberfeld and other towns in this region.

Advices from Cologne reflect worryment by the allies over the situation in the Rhine district, close to the occupied area. One report, which is unconfirmed, declares there are indications that they are preparing to advance further into Germany if the situation does not improve.

In Leipzig the Ebert forces appear to be regaining control after a bloody conflict.

Noske Not Out.
Paris, Mar. 20.—Gustav Noske, who tendered his resignation as minister of defense to President Ebert, of Germany, yesterday, has decided to remain in office, the social democratic and democratic members of the national assembly having given him a vote of confidence.

Stuttgart, Mar. 19.—Gustav Noske, minister of defense in the Ebert government was still in Stuttgart tonight but was prepared to leave for Berlin tomorrow to join Premier Bauer, foreign minister Mueller and Herr Glonberts, minister of posts and telegraphs, should they deem it advisable.

Reward Offered for Kapp.
London, Mar. 20.—It was announced in the Baden diet yesterday that the Ebert government had offered large rewards for the arrest of Dr. Kapp and General Luttwitz, the leaders of the recent revolt in Berlin, according to a dispatch from Cologne today transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Amsterdam.

Allies May Advance.
London, Mar. 20.—There are many indications, according to a dispatch from Cologne today that the allies are preparing to advance their concentrations of troops at Strassbourg and Metz further into Germany if the country does not quiet down soon, the Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Amsterdam reports.

Two Aspirants For Senate Seat File Petitions

Two new aspirants for seats in the state legislature officially entered the limelight today with a petition for a place on the republican primary ballot. They are Glen R. Metsker of St. Helens, Columbia county, and E. V. Carter, Ashland, Jackson county.

A. M. Wright of Moro, Sherman county, and William H. Gore of Medford, Jackson county, both members of the 1919 legislature filed again today as candidates for the republican nomination for another fling at the legislative job. Gore is representative from the eighth legislative district, including Jackson and Douglas counties.

Ben F. Jones of Newport filed today as a candidate for the republican nomination for secretary of state. Jones declares "for better roads, more irrigated lands, deeper rivers and harbors, greater Oregon."

Harriet C. Henslee of Portland, whose slogan is "republican" filed for a place on the republican ballot as a candidate for delegate to the republican national convention from the state at large.

Robert N. Strong of Portland, filed as a candidate for the democratic nomination for delegate to the national convention from the third congressional district.

Fair Weather for Week Is Predicted

Washington, Mar. 20.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are: Pacific states: Generally fair, except occasional rains during first half over northern portion; nearly normal temperatures.

GEDDES SAILS SOON
Washington, Mar. 20.—Sir Auckland Geddes, newly appointed British ambassador to the United States and Lady Geddes will sail from England aboard the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, 10 on the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, the British embassy was advised today.

The Oregon public service commission will hold a hearing at Bend March 23 on the application of the Central Oregon Irrigation company for an increase in rates.

NAVY PRISON GOES TO CELL

Portsmouth, N. H., Mar. 20.—Lieutenant Commander Thomas Mott Osborne, who has resigned as commandant of the naval prison here, will spend his last days at Portsmouth as a voluntary prisoner. He registers as "Tom Brown" and announced that he would remain in confinement until he relinquishes command next Tuesday, as a final test of his welfare system. Before he assumed command of the prison three years ago he served a voluntary sentence, cutting ice and coaling ships with prisoners. He also submitted to the prison hair cut.

Specials Train to Rescue American Folk at Leipsic

Coblenz, March 20.—A special train, made up of local German authorities at the direction of American army officers left this city at 2:15 o'clock this morning for Leipsic to bring out 200 American and allied business men who are stranded there and reported in danger.

The train will reach Leipsic this afternoon and is due to return here tomorrow night.

The train crew is in charge of Lieutenant Hans Frischmann, the adjutant of the German military mission with the allied army of occupation. By skipping way stations it would be possible to make the run to Leipsic and return in twelve hours.

Copenhagen, Mar. 20.—Leipsic is being successfully cleared by troops of the regular army, according to a Dresden dispatch quoting the Nachrichten of Hamburg.

The Leipsic Volkshaus is burning and the workmen's losses have been exceedingly heavy.

Prohibitionists Declare War On Hitchcock Today

Washington, Mar. 20.—The Anti-Saloon League today declared war on Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska.

Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the league, in a formal statement, said the senator's declaration in favor of an amendment to the prohibition code permitting light wines and beers "ought to defeat him not only as a candidate at the democratic convention but for the leadership in the senate."

"To champion a beer and wine amendment is nothing short of an attack on law enforcement," said Mr. Wheeler. "This beer and wine movement is the entering wedge to destroy prohibition."

Greatest Yankee Battle Craft Is Launched Today

Newport News, Va., Mar. 20.—The super-dreadnaught Maryland, designed as the most powerful battleship in the world, was launched here today with Mrs. E. Brooke Lee, wife of the comptroller of the state of Maryland as sponsor.

Secretary Daniels, Governor Ritchie of Maryland and a number of other naval officials and state officers attended the launching, which was the first public one held here since the United States entered the war.

Communist Revolt Danger In Brazil Passed Is Report

Buenos Aires, Mar. 19.—The police say all danger of a communist revolution is passed, as leaders in the movement and many adherents have been arrested, and most of the strikers have returned to work. It is estimated the strike of chauffeurs saved the public \$1,000,000 on taxi-cab fares.

The strike of seamen, which began a month ago, continues, and losses suffered by the Argentine coast-wise and river trade have amounted to millions.

City Taken By Radicals Late Friday

Brussels, Mar. 20.—The capture of Essen was effected Friday by a Spartacan army of about 100,000 men, with seventy guns and an equipment of armored automobiles, according to advices from Aix-Le-Chapelle today. The Spartacans proclaimed a soviet republic there.

During last night, the advices add, the manufacturing city of Dueseldorf on the Rhine, north of Cologne, was captured by Spartacan forces, the government troops evacuating it without a fight.

Amsterdam, Mar. 20.—The battle for the control of Essen, home of the immense Krupp arms and industrial works, lasted twenty-four hours before the communists finally won possession of the city, according to a dispatch from Muenster, to the Telegraph today. During the battle Essen was shelled by artillery in possession of the working men.

The government of the city is now in the hands of a "committee of action" the dispatch reports.

A Berlin dispatch last night estimated that 300 persons were killed in fighting for the possession of Essen.

London, March 20.—Communists who have occupied five stations in the eastern section of Berlin refuse to permit the resumption of railroad traffic until their demands have been met, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company filed at Berlin this morning.

Friends Seeking Debs' Release is Chicago Report

Chicago, Mar. 20.—A "spectacular but dignified" effort to secure the release of Eugene V. Debs from the Alcatraz, Cal., penitentiary will be made in Washington, D. C. April 13, the national socialist headquarters announced today.

The procession will go to the white house, where it is planned to have a pre-arranged conference with the president. General amnesty will be asked for "all socialists and radicals confined or under prison sentences under the espionage and conviction laws." At the same time resolutions declaring such amnesty will be introduced in the house and senate, according to the plan. Senator J. I. Francis of Maryland has promised to introduce it in the senate, party officials say, while several congressmen are willing to bring it before the house.

Murder of Mayor Of Cork Remains A Deep Mystery

Cork, Ireland, Mar. 20.—The sensational murder this morning of Lord Mayor MacGurkin has not yet been solved, but it has become known that two days ago he received a threatening letter which he regarded as a joke. The letter directed the lord mayor to prepare for death, as he had been doomed.

Two hours before the lord mayor was murdered Constable Murtagh of the Royal Irish Constabulary, was shot dead in the street. His body was riddled with bullets.

The lord mayor's body, draped in the Sinn Fein volunteer uniform, lies in his residence, which is guarded by volunteers. The body will lie in state in the city hall from tonight until Monday when a public funeral will be held.

Thus far the identity of the murderers has not been discovered, nor has any motive for the crime been assigned. It is held that the crime could have been committed by Sinn Feiners against one of their own number and many residents of Cork are expressing fear of reprisals which may affect all Ireland.

LATE BULLETINS

Berlin, Mar. 20.—The general strike has been ended, it was announced here today.

London, Mar. 20.—The general strike in Germany has been called off, according to Berlin advices received here this afternoon. The government, it is stated, has accepted the workers demands, including far-reaching concessions to the Independent Socialists, which will be made public shortly.

Vancouver, B. C., Mar. 20.—Reports reached here today that the Pacific Steamship Company's Alaska passenger steamer Admiral Evans grounded last night in the fog between Cape Mudge and Seymour narrows on the inside passage. The Evans was bound from Seattle to Alaska with passengers.