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## NEWS FROM OUR NATIONAL CAPITAL

### Desire to Talk Will Prolong the Passage of Currency Bill at Special Session.

Washington.—There is no reason to doubt that congress will pass a currency bill, in a form acceptable to President Wilson, but there will be a great deal of surprise if the currency bill passes as soon as the president wishes; that is, at the present special session. The president unquestionably has the democratic majority in both senate and house working in complete harmony with his legislative plans, and from that majority he can get exactly what he wants in the way of legislation. The majority, however, cannot fix the time for voting in the senate, and for that reason the president is likely to be disappointed over the delay in completing the Glass-Owen bill.

Under the rules of the senate, debate in that body cannot be limited, even by the party in power, and a vote cannot be forced except by unanimous consent.

From present indications a great many democrats, as well as most republicans in the senate, will desire to speak on the currency bill. With the general desire to talk it will be difficult to get a vote on the currency bill within two months, and there will not be two months remaining after the currency bill is reported to the senate.

### Tariff Bill May Bring Trade War.

Apprehension lest the Democratic tariff bill lead foreign nations to impose tariff penalties against the United States as soon as the new law goes into effect caused administration and senate leaders to plan the introduction of a joint resolution in congress making specific provision for the continuation of existing relations with all countries until President Wilson has time to negotiate new trade agreements.

The seriousness of the situation was impressed on Chairman Simmons, of the senate finance committee, by state department officials. It was pointed out that the trade relations established by President Taft's proclamations under the Payne-Aldrich law of 1909 would terminate as soon as the new law becomes effective, and that the United States then would face the possibility of having higher tariff rates applied against its exports by many countries.

### Alcohol Duty Favored.

The tariff conferees have agreed to Senator Lane's proposal to make more liberal the regulations concerning the manufacture of denatured alcohol, with a view to facilitate its manufacture by farmers from their waste products.

It is also possible that a small duty, for which Senator Lane has contended, may also be assessed. If this is done, Senator Lane believes importations will provide a material amount of revenue and considerably aid farmers and other domestic manufacturers of the product.

### Slavery Common in Philippines.

Secretary Garrison had before him a Philippine slavery report by W. H. Phipps, auditor for the islands, backing up the startling charges of Dean Worcester. It cites details of many cases of boys and girls sold into slavery at prices ranging from \$60 to \$100 and says that heads of savage families sell their daughters and regard the practice as right.

"I have no hesitancy in saying that I think the charges of Secretary Worcester that slavery exists in the Philippines are sustained," says Mr. Phipps.

### National Capital Brevities.

Navies of the world will be invited to join in a great demonstration at Hampton Roads to celebrate the opening of the Panama canal.

Coinage changes in the new nickel have led many people to believe that the coins are counterfeit. The United States treasury department gives assurance that the new nickel is genuine.

The currency bill has passed the house by a vote of 286 to 84. The measure goes to the senate with President Wilson's endorsement. All amendments offered by the minority are rejected.

A campaign to raise the Progressive party strength in the house has been started. Nineteen progressives of the house and Senator Miles Ponder were named on the committee, with Representative Rinebaugh as chairman.

Exhibits intended for the Panama-Pacific exposition of 1915 may now enter the United States duty free. President Wilson signed the bill enacting into law this exception to the existing tariff law.

## GOVERNOR SULZER MUST STAND TRIAL

### Motion of Counsel to Dismiss Proceedings Overruled by a Vote of 51 to 1.

Albany, N. Y.—Governor William Sulzer must go to trial. This was decided by the high court of impeachment when, by a vote of 51 to 1, its members overruled the motion of the governor's counsel to dismiss the proceedings on the ground that he was unconstitutionally impeached by the assembly because that body was in extra session when the impeachment was brought.

The governor's defeat was the second that has marked the battle waged by his attorneys to annihilate, as far as possible, the impeachment proceedings. Last week the court thwarted their attempt to prevent four senators from sitting as members. Their remaining ammunition consists of arguments to prove that certain of the offenses charged against the governor are not impeachable.

The opinion in substance was that the provision of the constitution which limited the acts of the legislature in extra session to such subjects as were recommended to it by the governor should be given a reasonable construction.

### MRS. WILSON CONTESTANT

Error in Publication of Entry is Discovered.

Los Angeles.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the president of the United States, was a desert entryman for a part of the date lands in the Salton Sea basin of the Imperial valley, until she was notified by the local land office that the entry had been cancelled.

An error in publication of first entry was discovered, and a correction was ordered by the land office, but again instructions were not followed, and, in the course of time, Mrs. Wilson was notified that the homestead had been cancelled.

Her petition filed here the first lady of the land seeks to gain possession of her date acreage through proper publication.

## COLUMBIA DEALS WITH GREAT BRITAIN

Washington.—The report that Pearson & Son, the great English firm of contractors and exploiters, with its significant relations to the British government itself, had obtained a gigantic concession for the exploitations of Colombia's natural resources, involving the right to construct docks, quays, railways and canals, arouses intense interest, not to say keen concern, here.

The matter involves the acquisition by English concessionaries of tracts of land and harbor works in the Gulf of Darien, a stone's throw from the Panama canal, and special interests along the Atrato river, a waterway which forms a part of the site of the Colombian route for an isthmian canal.

The question would not be so significant were it not for the fact that the concession also includes the construction of railways, docks, quays and "canals," the last named being of the greatest significance. That feature of the concession might be considered England's answer to the Panama canal tolls question, the American attitude concerning which has caused keen dissatisfaction in Great Britain.

### 15 INJURED IN TRAIN WRECK

Baggage Man Dies After Accident on Great Northern.

Everett, Wash.—Fifteen persons were injured, one fatally, when an axle of the locomotive tender of Great Northern eastbound overland train No. 4 broke while the train was near Mukilteo, a few miles south of Everett.

A. W. Smith, a baggageman and express messenger of the eastbound overland train, who was injured internally, died. His family lives in Whitefish, Mont.

The collapse of the axle was followed by the ditching of the locomotive, tender and baggage car. Before a flagman could be sent back to post a warning signal, westbound overland No. 3 came along at full speed on the other track. Some of the wreckage of the locomotive and baggage car lay on the other track and the Seattle-bound train crashed into it. Most of the damage was in the eastbound

## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

### Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

**Emergency Board Will Meet.**  
Salem.—Complying with the request of Governor West, a meeting of the emergency board has been called by Secretary of State Ben W. Olcott, secretary of the board. The meeting is called to act on a request of the governor for funds to continue his law enforcement activities. The \$1000 appropriated by the legislature has been exhausted, and the governor states his law enforcement work cannot continue unless his emergency board, which was created by the last legislature, authorizes his office to incur a deficiency.

**Coos Potato Crop a Bumper.**  
Marshfield.—Coos county ranchers say that they will have one of the largest crops of potatoes they have ever had. The potato harvest here is now at its height and the ranchers are having difficulty in getting enough men to gather the bumper crop of spuds. Not only is the crop large but the quality is much better than the average.

### WOMAN KILLS INTRUDER

Victim in Bend Home Found With Head Piled on Pan.

Bend.—Tomo Sealpara was shot and killed by Mrs. Peter Rizzi under circumstances which are somewhat puzzling to the authorities. Rizzi returned to dinner and found Sealpara dead on the floor, his breast torn by shot and his head pillowed on a tin pan.

Mrs. Rizzi said she had shot Sealpara for making improper remarks to her, after which, she said, she took her baby and fled. Rizzi says the tin pan was under the slain man's head when he entered the room. Mrs. Rizzi says she doesn't know how it got there.

### Two Meet Death on Snake Bridge.

Ontario.—On her way to Payette to pass the night with friends after attending the fair here, Mrs. John Erwin, living one and one-half miles from Brogan, Or., and her son met death when a westbound freight train, crossing the Snake river bridge, ran down the woman and her two children. The daughter, Daisy, aged 7, was seriously injured.

### North Bend Identifies Man.

North Bend.—Chief of Police Anderson has identified Charles H. Stone, who was arrested in San Francisco recently on a white slavery charge, as L. A. Frey, a former north end councilman and clothing dealer.

### SMOOTH BUNCO OPERATOR

Man Contracts to Buy Horses, Cashes Many Checks and Then Disappears.

The Dalles.—One of the smoothest bunco men who ever operated here left this city with \$60, which he is alleged to have fraudulently secured from prominent local business men by means of worthless checks. He also left 20 of the finest horses that could be found in this and Klickitat county, Washington, at a feed yard. He ordered the horses delivered to him at the feed yard, and some of the ranchers went to the trouble and expense of driving 16 miles, that they might deliver the animals and consummate the expected sales.

Officers say the stranger never had any intention of buying the horses, but negotiated for them in order to gain the confidence of local business men whom he induced to cash his worthless checks.

### Silver Tea Set is Trophy.

Salem.—Isaac E. Staples of Portland has offered a silver tea set to the exhibitor of the best equipped and best appearing herd of five Jersey cattle exhibited at the Oregon State fair September 29 to October 4. The set must include the herdsman, cow and general appearance, both the herd and in the show ring.

### Indians Put on Show.

Prine City.—John Williams and his band of Elletts Indians gave a real Indian show in Wagner hall to a large audience. The performance consisted of a number of characteristic Indian dances, songs, and other stunts in portrayal of the Indian in his native state.

### Bears Bother Bay City.

Bay City.—Five bears in eight days is the record capture made by Sal Shiffman on his place, less than one-quarter mile from the center of this town. Traps set in an orchard a short distance from the house were the cause for bruln's undoing.

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