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OREGON WEATHER

Tonight and Wednesday part-ly cloudy; westerly winds.

VOTING THE IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Saturday the property owners on the south side of the river will state their position upon the question of the formation of an irrigation district.

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message will prove a violent shock to the horrible theory of pan-Germanism.

Senator Beranger, in the Paris Midi, declared: "A peace which has for its beginning the greatest crime in history will not be a just nor a solid peace.

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Frau Kupfer came to Leipzig at the start of the war and borrowed 400 marks (\$92) with which she opened a small office.

Her fascinating manners gained her hundreds of thousands of marks from investors and she finally organized a 10,000,000 mark (\$2,300,000) concern.

This, the rich people of Berlin bought willingly at extortionate prices. Hotels bid for a chance to purchase her products.

Careful search was made today for a man co-worker of the fascinating frau. The Berlin Vossische Zeitung declared today:

"Berlin's first citizens have been swindled out of millions of marks. The number of her victims grows hourly."

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WILSON WANTS TO HEAR FROM EUROPE

Washington, Jan. 23.—Upon liberals of the world—"the friends of humanity," not individuals who hold temporal power—depends whether peace in Europe is to be based upon "equality" and rendered safe from future aggression.

This was regarded today as the conviction which prompted President Wilson to deliver his epoch-making address before the senate yesterday.

The president is now waiting to hear how his pronouncement is received by the belligerent nations. He anticipates objections. But he feels, as was the case with his first note to the warring nations, that after the message has had time to seep into the minds of the governments and of the peoples concerned, it will appeal more and more strongly.

His frank admission that he speaks for the "silent mass of mankind everywhere," which have as yet been unable to "speak their real hearts," shows, it is believed today, where the president expects to get the needed support for his program.

The president did not prepare his address suddenly. On portions of it he had worked "for many days."

Many of the ideas he has voiced before. Such phrases as "government derived all their just powers from the consent of the governed," echo from previous utterances in which he said "lasting peace was only possible when powers of making war rested with the people and not alone in select groups of men."

But it was not until he received replies from the central and entente powers that the president apparently became convinced if the war is to end equitably, without the sting of resentment and "fires of hate" remaining, the liberals of the world must bring it to pass; the liberals of the world and not "divine right" monarchs must bring it about.

His declaration that there could not be a victorious peace, was drawn from the declaration of all belligerents that they do not wish to crush their enemies. They resulted in his appeal to "friends of every program of liberty for "concession and sacrifice," and the appeal carried such "liberal" phrases as "mankind is looking for freedom of life, not for equipoises of power," and "there can be no stability where the will is in rebellion."

The address itself was received with wide difference of opinion in both official and diplomatic circles here.

Teuton diplomats plainly voiced belief that Germany would immediately approve it.

In entente circles the speech was described as "slightly pro-German." Belief in these quarters were expressed that the American people will never sanction a league to enforce peace.

Congress is today greatly disturbed over what part it is expected to play in the proceedings. As a matter of fact the president does not expect anything from congress. He used the senate as counsel with whom and through whom to discuss with the American people what he has in mind as the basis for a peace which this country will back up.

Today hundreds of telegrams and letters reached the White House in response to his address. It was stated a vast majority endorsed the president's words.

No one believes the president has

concluded his efforts. There is reason to believe that when the time is at hand to actually enter into a concert of nations for the preservation of peace, he will carry his case to the country, if necessary, in a series of addresses on the subject.

He does not believe that time has come, however. He believes merely that slowly, but surely, the world is being brought closer and closer to actual peace; and a peace consummated by liberals and along liberal lines; a peace not like those which have followed secret counsels of diplomats and plenipotentiaries.

When the times comes, the president believes the liberals of this country will join with those of European nations in forming an international force to prevent future wars.

The president was elated over the reception accorded his address by the British press. The fact that English editors showed more caution in interpreting the message of yesterday than they did in editorializing on the note to belligerents, tended to bear out the president's belief and hope as expressed yesterday to Senator Stone, when he said:

"I hope the people of the United States and in Europe will understand it in the spirit in which it is given."

He believes when the address has been completely digested and the full meaning wholly appreciated, the first small hint of suspicion with which any peace move is regarded in entente allied circles will have been dispelled.

Guarding the Bank of England.

The Bank of England is quite the best guarded institution in the world. No burglar or bank thief has ever succeeded in making it part with a penny. The great outer doors are so finely balanced that a clerk can, by pressing a knob under his desk, instantly shut them in the face of any one making a dash for the street.

In recesses near the doors are hidden four guardians, who, without being seen themselves, watch all visitors through mirrors. Special and costly precautions are taken to guard the bullion department, where the gold is stored. It has been stated that the whole department is submerged every night in several feet of water by machinery. The same machinery would be also set in action automatically if at any time during the day the globe were tampered with.—London Globe.

Took His Advice.

"He told his wife she ought to take cooking lessons." "Did she?" "Well, yes. She sent for her mother to come and give her a three months' course."

PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, Jan. 23.—Today's market quotations were: Wheat—Club, 160; bluestem, 165. Oats—No. 1 white feed, 36.50. Barley—Feed, 39.50. Hogs—Best live, 10.85. Prime steers, 8.50; fancy cows, 7.50 @ 7.60; best calves, 7.00 @ 8.00. Butter—City creamery, 39; country, 29. Eggs—Selected local extras, 33 @ 34. Hens, 17 @ 17 1/2; broilers, 20; geese, 12 @ 13. Copper, 30.

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