

SENATORS SEE PRESIDENT IN REGARD TO NEW MEXICAN POLICY

Fall Promises Disclosures Involving Mexican Consuls in the U. S.; Senate Waits on Wilson.

STORE IS RAIDED

Mexicans Invade U. S. 11 Miles Last Night, Helping Selves to Stock of Ranch Store.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—By A. P.—Pres. Wilson will see Senators Fall and Hitchcock this afternoon to discuss the Mexican situation. Sen. Fall announced that immediately after the conference he would make public evidence on which he bases his charges that the Mexican ambassador and consuls in the United States are aiding "red" propaganda. Fall and Hitchcock were named yesterday as a committee to call on the president and discuss Fall's resolution relative to severance of diplomatic relations with Mexico.

Greens Raid U. S.

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 5.—Gen. J. F. Walters, commanding the Texas cavalry, today received advices of a raid by Mexicans on a store near the border, 11 miles south of Zapata. Information is that the owner was bound, after which the place was looted, the bandits fleeing across the border.

ZAPATA, Dec. 5.—Mexican bandits last night raided Chreno Ranch on the American side of the Rio Grande, 11 miles southeast, escaping with all the provisions in the ranch store. The storekeeper was bound and gagged.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Pres. Wilson late this afternoon reserved judgment on the Mexican situation until he can examine evidence submitted on Sen. Fall, on which Fall bases his charges that the Mexican ambassador and consuls in the United States have distributed red propaganda. Fall and Hitchcock were with the president nearly an hour. Sen. Fall said, replying to questions, that he was entirely satisfied with the president's condition and with his ability to handle the Mexican situation.

Treaty to Stay
Pres. Wilson has no intention of withdrawing the peace treaty from the senate for the present. Sen. Hitchcock announced following his visit with the president. He discussed the treaty status briefly after the

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NEW CLASSIFIED

Baptist Church Bazaar
The ladies of the Baptist church will hold a bazaar and cooked food sale at the Baptist church Friday, Dec. 5. From 5 to 7 p. m. the ladies will serve a chicken pie dinner, cafeteria style. Articles for Christmas and cooked food will be sold at the bazaar.

WANTED—Two boys with bicycles to deliver Albany Democrat in the city. BRING YOUR FEET and hear Dr. Harting at the Library this evening. Dr. Harting will lecture on Better Feet. Remember, lecture at 8:00 o'clock this evening.

AGENTS WANTED—In Albany to sell Electric blankets, good commission. Inquire at Democrat office.

FOR SALE—Plastered 8-room dwelling at No. 728 E. 3rd Street. House is newly shingled and newly painted, electric lights, hot and cold water, porcelain bath, lot is 66x110, 7 full bearing fruit trees and grapes. Price \$2000, pay \$400 down, \$20 per month. Beam Land Co., 133 Lyon St.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—What have you to trade for 160 acres of fine timber near Toledo, Ore. Owner P. W. Holte, St. Charles Hotel, Albany, Ore.

Bryant Park is Advocated For Linn County Fair

The Bryant Park is being advocated by some of the leading business men of the city the last few days, as the proper place for the Linn County Fair next year instead of the place suggested by the Fair Committee.

It is the opinion of those advocating the plan of holding the fair at the park grounds that it would eliminate the necessity of raising the money to buy land and that the money subscribed in the present campaign for funds could be used for promoting a larger fair. It is also, advocated that the fine shade trees, places to camp, water supply, electric lights, the Chautau Auditorium, and the close proximity to the city would all contribute to the success of the fair and be no detriment to the park. In the matter of a race track it is believed that a track could be prepared at some place near the city to accommodate the racing part of the fair. However, it is thought that this is a matter that can be settled after the campaign for funds is closed and should have no part in the effort to raise the amount of funds approximately necessary for a successful fair. If you are a booster for a greater Linn county you are invited to get into the band wagon.

FORCE ONLY WAY TO WIN

Germans Must Not be Allowed to Dally, Council Decides

PARIS, Dec. 5.—A. P.—Coercion is the only argument likely to make an impression on Germany and induce her to sign the peace treaty protocol, according to today's newspapers. It is said this conclusion was reached yesterday in a secret session of the council of five, Marshal Foch presiding. Germany's reply to the allied note protesting against increase of German armaments reached here today, according to The Temps. It has not yet been submitted to the peace conference, the paper says.

Allies May Invade Germany

LONDON, Dec. 5.—There is a persistent rumor on the stock exchange today that the peace conference supreme council has threatened Germany that unless final peace terms are agreed to, allied troops will occupy Essen and Frankfurt. Up to this time the market has held up, despite the report.

Czechs Attach Hungary

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 5.—The Czechoslovakian government has ordered mobilization of classes totalling 3,000,000 soldiers, says a Vienna dispatch to the National Tidende here today. A Prague dispatch says 21 divisions of Czechs are advancing towards the Hungarian frontier.

Spartans Not All Dead

LEIPSIK, Thursday.—Delayed.—The congress of independent socialists today unanimously adopted a program declaring for a soviet system in Germany.

Meeting is Public

The box social which is to be given Saturday evening at 8:30 p. m. by the Knights and Ladies of Security is open to the public.

SHOP EARLY
and shop early in the day

ONLY
20
More days until
Christmas



OREGON HOTEL ASSOCIATION IS HOLDING ANNUAL MEETING AS GUESTS OF ALBANY HOTEL MEN

INTERESTING DISCUSSIONS ON HOTEL PROBLEMS ARE HEARD IN CONVENTION; VISITORS TO BE GUESTS OF LOCAL MEMBERS AT BANQUET AND BALL TONIGHT.

A special car attached to the 11:10 Oregon Electric train brought to town this morning one of the liveliest parties of visitors that it has been Albany's pleasure to entertain for many moons, the Oregon State Hotel Association.

The party from Portland arrived with a whoop and proceeded to form into line and march down Lyon St., to the Albany Hotel, where the convention is being held. Some lusty voices sang the association songs and awoke the street along the way.

The visitors were guests at lunch at noon at the Albany. Messrs Westbrook and Pirtle doing the honors. Tonight at 7 o'clock the banquet will take place in the dining room of the Albany, at which time Mayor Curl, President Price, Phil Metschan, Jr., J. A. Westerlund and R. W. Childs will be the speakers. Dancing will follow in the ball room of the Albany.

Registration began at 2 o'clock, followed by the opening of the business session and, called to order by President, R. W. Price, of the Mallory Hotel, Portland. Secretary F. W. Beach, editor of the N. W. Hotel News, gave

Portland, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Childs, Portland; Frank S. Grant, Portland; R. M. Standish, Oregon Voter; Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Phillips, Portland; A. H. Myers, Portland; A. C. Campbell, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Madison, Portland; Mrs. R. W. Price, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Beller, Benson hotel; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Foley, The Dalles; J. C. McLean, Eugene; Jack Strobel, The Calhoun, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Price, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Keeler, Portland; A. E. Myers, Portland; F. T. Mittouer, Portland; Phil Metschan, Jr., Portland; Al J. Martineau, Grants Pass; J. A. Westerlund, Medford; A. N. Pierce, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pirtle, and Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Westbrook, Albany.

The Catholic Ladies Will hold their bazaar Saturday, December 13 in the Pfeiffer building, next door to Walter Parker. They will have fancy work, quilts, aprons, a rummage booth, home made candy, domestic science food with cake, pies, etc., also salads, and chickens and many other good things to eat. 506

The convention began with the assembling of the members of the association from the north at the Hotel Seward in Portland at 8:15 this morning and boarding their special car on the Oregon Electric. Upon the arrival here the delegates spent an hour in renewing acquaintances before luncheon at the Albany Hotel at noon.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 5.—A. P.—Federal Judge Faris here today granted a temporary injunction restraining the district attorney from enforcing wartime prohibition as to whiskey and wine.

To Bond or Not to Bond; Big Question

With Pomona grange opposing the issue of county boards for roads, and the calling of the committee appointed by E. J. Adams to meet at the court house next Tuesday and Wednesday, the fight is now on between those who favor a county bond issue for roads, and those who are inclined to go slow. When the county budget committee met last Friday with the county court the feeling for a bond issue to build roads next year was so strong that E. J. Adams was appointed as chairman of a committee he was empowered to select, to take up the question of a bond issue, the amount needed and just about where the roads to be built would be located.—Eugene Guard.

Youth Giving Gland Too Violent For Age

San Quentin, Cal.—The aged prisoner, J—who several weeks ago was given the interstition glands of Tom Bellon after Bellon had been executed, today appealed to the prison surgeons for relief.

J—complained that while his physical health had improved greatly, he was inconvenienced by other symptoms. Dr. G. David Kelker, who performed the gland implantation operation, prescribed for J—.

Dr. Kelker said J—'s case was the most remarkable of the ten on record at the prison. J—was the first to re-J—'s vitality has increased to such an extent that it has become necessary to "ply the brakes." He is a dynamo of energy, according to Kelker. It is feared confinement within the prison walls may work a hardship on the rejuvenated man.

WILD REDS SENT FROM AMERICA

Leave Mainland for Ellis Island Never to Return, is Hope

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—A. P.—Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman, world-infamous anarchists, were sent from the mainland of the United States today never to return. They were taken to Ellis Island immigration station where they will be held until a ship is available to carry them to Russia, dumping ground for their like.

Warden Ed Hawker Makes Two Arrests Near Cascadia

Deputy state game warden Ed Hawker telephoned officials here early this morning that he had arrested two men near Cascadia who had in their possession four deer; they had killed in violation of the law. No details of the circumstance was given except that the parties and the game would probably arrive in Albany late this evening and the trial be conducted in the justice court tomorrow.

1920 BUDGET IS ANNOUNCED

\$473,823 is Total Estimated Expenses; Receipts, \$24,900; Balance Tax

Linn county's 1920 budget will be discussed Dec. 30 before the county court. Estimated expenses for the coming year total \$473,823, of which \$448,823 must be raised by taxation. The sum to be raised by tax levy is apportioned as follows: General county expenses, \$66,890; state tax \$110,000; common schools, \$70,000; county high schools, \$22,000; roads, bridges and ferries, \$50,033; road districts, \$75,000; interest on bonds, \$5,000; sinking fund on \$100,000 bonds, \$20,000; market roads \$30,000.

For the sheriff's office, \$5600 is estimated as required; Clerk's office, \$5480; recorder's, \$2640; treasurer's \$1500; surveyor's, \$1200; assessor's, \$4800; courthouse, \$1840; county court, \$4800; circuit court, \$3000; justice court, \$400; coroner, \$200; insane, \$200; school supt's office, \$2450; health officer, \$300; indigent soldiers, \$1300; widows' pensions, \$6000; care of poor, \$10,000; jail, \$500; constables' and witnesses' fees, \$500; scalp bounty, \$100; scales, weights and measures, \$320; advertising, \$500; slaughtered cattle, \$300; state library tax, \$800; elections, \$10,000; fairs, \$1500; auditing, \$330; Canada thistles, \$250. These items compose general county expenses.

Court Petitioned For County Agent

The matter of a county agent for the ensuing year in the county is one of the live issues today. A petition was circulated among the business men here, and general signed asking the county court to include in their annual budget of the county \$2000.00 to pay the salary and expense of the agent. The county agent's salary today has been paid by subscription by the progressive citizens of the county and in as much as an agent is regarded as a mutual benefit to the citizens of the county it is contended that the taxable property of the county pay the bill.

Shipping Board Rely on Industrial Board

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—A. P.—The shipping board has announced that all questions of labor policy affecting its shipping will hereafter be handled through the division of industrial relations.

Newberry's Fences Apper for Trial

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 5.—A. P.—When the federal court opened today, 94 of the 135 men indicted on charges of conspiring illegally to elect U. S. Sen. Truman H. Newberry over Henry Ford, had appeared for arraignment.

THRONGS COME TODAY FOR BIG CONVENTION OF NORTHWEST BOYS

250 Visitors in City and Additional Delegates Arriving Hourly; Sessions Open For Three-day Program.

OLCOTT SENDS WORD

Evening Session Tonight to Hear Message From Governor; Local Homes Care for Visiting Youths.

With from 200 to 250 visiting youths already in the city, and every train bringing additional delegations, the sixth Oregon Idaho Older Boys' Conference opened here today. All scheduled speakers and leaders are in the city.

Program
Friday P. M.
Registration and Assignments.
Supper, cards for Hotel or restaurants.

7:30 Opening Session.
All Sing.
Invocation.
Address of Welcome by Representatives of Albany.
Responses by boys from out of town.
"Why are we here?" and "Whose Who?" Paul L. Newmyer, Conf. Director.
Music.
Message from Gov. Ben. W. Olcott.
Address, "The Four Square Fellow", W. H. Davis, Gen'l. Secretary, Eugene Y. M. C. A.
Appointment of Nominating Committee.
Announcements.

Saturday A. M.
9:15 Leaders' meeting.
9:30 General Assembly.
All Sing.
Bible Study, Ivan B. Rhodes, State Secy. Y. M. C. A. Leader.
10:10 Address, "Building Moral Manhood", Mrs. Jean Morris Ellis, of Portland.
11:00 recess.
11:10 Assembly and Singing.
Address "Getting and Keeping Fit", Prof. Norman F. Coleman of the Oregon Social Hygiene Society.
12:00 Conference Picture.
12:30 Lunch.

Saturday P. M.
1:30 Assembly and Sing.
Bible Study, Mr. Rhodes.
2:00 Discussion of Boys' Problems, Y. M. C. A.'s, High schools' and Boys' clubs. J. C. Meehan, Ben H. Schmidt and W. P. Walter, Leaders.
3:00 Recreation.
6:00 Banquet to all delegates and leaders.
School Yells, toasts and stunts.
Invitations for next year's Conference.
Address, "Square Pegs in Round Holes," Newton Van Dalsem of the State Board for Vocational Education.
Address, "The Training Table" Rev. Geo. L. Clark of Corvallis, Student Pastor, Presbyterian church.
College Group Meetings.
Announcements.

8:30 Reception at high school by Student Body for delegates.
The Conference Headquarters and the principal sessions will be at the United Presbyterian church.
The banquet will be at the First Presbyterian church.
Announcements of any changes from the program will be made by the director.
This conference is the closing one of a great series of Older Boys' gatherings in these two states. Do your part to make it the very best of all. "Let's Go."

Methodist Banquet Tonight

The Six O'clock Club of the Methodist church are to have a fine banquet tonight at six o'clock in the church dining room parlors. Mrs. Jean Morris Ellis of Portland is to give the address of the occasion.