

PAIN THREATENS TO GO TO WAR WITH GERMANY

Note Informs Kaiser That Spain Must Emphasize Her Right to Defend Her Own Life—Opening is Left to Avert Crisis Through Negotiations—End Spanish Patience.

AMSTERDAM, April 25.—The text of Spain's note to Germany, as given in a Berlin dispatch, while conveying a grave warning that the end of Spanish patience is in sight, also contains a suggestion that a crisis may be averted through negotiations, the note says in part:

"All the repeated attempts of the Spanish government, undertaken with the intention of safeguarding its sea traffic and the lives of its sailors, have failed in the face of the imperious resolution of the imperial government to employ unusual and violent war measures."

The note declares that the German submarine rules are making economic conditions almost impossible. The note continues:

Warning to Germany. All these prove that German intentions neither aim at protecting our rights, nor take into account, as they should, the requests of a country whose friendship until today was unqualified and whose neutrality was preserved without wavering.

"If the imperial government persists in declaring that it adheres to its determination in order to defend its life, it must not be astonished if Spain for the same reason must emphasize her right to defend her own life. Despite negative replies to its previous note, the Spanish government still trusts that the German government will be guided by regard for the lives of our seamen and the safety of our ships.

"The Spanish government also hopes that the imperial government, fully appreciating the difficult economic situation in Spain, will enter into a discussion regarding measures which may be taken for the mitigation of the difficulties which have arisen in Spain."

Why Premier Resigned

PARIS, April 25.—Count Romanones, in an interview with the Madrid correspondent of the Petit Parisien, declares unequivocally that his resignation as Spanish premier was due to his conviction that Spain should join the allies. The former premier is quoted as saying:

"I was convinced that the era of notes had passed. We are worse off than we are, than England. Ships stay in ports, business is paralyzed and exports impossible. It is ruin, and while they ruin us, the Germans are carrying on unbridled propaganda here. They are trying to frighten people by emphasizing the horrors of war in their newspapers. They pose as the champions of world peace. It is absurd but adroit.

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

The "Country Store" to be opened on Thursday at the Beebe & Kinney Rooms by the Civic Improvement club, will incorporate millinery, furniture, clothing, fancy work, notions, fish pond, hatch, flower and plant, cooked food, vegetable and fruit, and art

exhibit departments, all under control of experienced superintendents. The sale will continue the remainder of the week. The undertaking is an innovation characteristic of the enterprising ladies of the club, the one organization which has taken the initiative in every movement looking toward the installation of improvements throughout parks, streets and the premises of individual citizens. The "Country Store" will be a veritable closing out sale, and don't fail to trade early and secure bargains.

The Eastern Star Tumble club met Tuesday afternoon, with Mesdames S. E. Miller, Jessie Porter and Maybelle Jordan as hostesses. About 30 were present. Floral decorations were buds and blossoms imported from northern California.

A. Taussing, a Brownsville attorney, with relatives living here, is visiting the family of Wm. Roberts residing on Avery street.

About a score of Ashland business men representing the Commercial club, met with the Grants Pass chamber of commerce on Monday, at a noonday luncheon followed by talks upon practical development lines. Ben Sheldon is the guiding spirit in these matters. At future gatherings Gus Moser of Portland, Ore., President Campbell of the university of Oregon, and Gov. Withycombe will be the respective speakers. Local visitors report a most generous welcome and royal hospitality dispensed at Grants Pass, and they will return the compliment in due season.

At the Page theater in Medford on Wednesday of this week, all young folks under 15 were admitted to an ideal matinee performance upon the presentation at the box office by each one of an individual potato. This collection of spuds is to be auctioned off in the evening by Mayor Gates in behalf of Medford's Red Cross organization. It is now in order for the Vining of this city to follow suit, substituting an onion set as legal tender for admission.

Mrs. Etta Lamkin left for Portland on Tuesday morning to attend the sessions of the North Pacific Missionary board meeting.

The new Chautauqua building is rising in such colossal proportions that a comparison of it with the Coliseum at Rome and stadium at Tacoma is not odious. It is now in the concrete stages with Frank Jordan bossing the application of cement dope. Councilman C. W. Root is the general superintendent of construction and work on the job is kept humming. It will pay anyone visiting the parks to note the scope of the Chautauqua building as to dimensions. It is planned to finish construction by June in time for equipment preliminary to the assembly season. In addition to this requirement the building will provide an ideal retreat for all kinds of gatherings when unfavorable weather conditions prompt one to "come in out of the rain."

Recruiting Officer Blackburn was here on Monday on the lookout for enlistments in the navy. Allen B. Carvin died in this city on Sunday, aged 53 years. He was a mining operator prominently connected with the Bullion Mountain and other properties in Siskiyou county. He leaves a wife. Funeral services were held on Wednesday at the Christian church, interment being in Mountain View cemetery. His home had been in this city for a number of years.

A. E. Kinney of the firm of Beebe & Kinney, is dismantling his residence property at the corner of Granite and Baum streets, preparatory to rebuilding the house on a model scale, the improvements being notable ones in a fine location. Mr. Kinney is personally superintending operations.

At last accounts John Mashburn, who left here lately on a prospecting tour in Washington had reached Port Angeles, where he was almost persuaded to locate permanently owing

to the amount of work available and prosperous conditions generally prevailing there.

Neil Shinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Shinn, who is connected with the California-Oregon development plant at Copco, made a brief visit at the family home recently. While here he patriotically enlisted in the ranks of the First company of the Artillery corps.

Of 11 water permits recently awarded in Jackson county, J. B. Hunter, a recent resident of this vicinity, is entitled to store 41 acre feet on his holdings along Ashland creek, irrigating 30 acres. The Bowers Investment company of Ashland is also authorized to irrigate 10 acres from the waters of Butler creek.

Constable Hammond, a Medford sleuth, passed through here Tuesday morning from Sisson, having in charge Lloyd Parker, arrested in that town, who is wanted for larceny from a dwelling in Ashland last January, and who has been apprehended for committing other offenses.

The Southern Pacific's 33d annual report is a financial corker, showing gross income of \$163,427,423; operating expenses, \$103,088,736; net income, \$60,338,686, almost enough to build Ashland a new depot. In other channels increased efficiency marks every department in the big system, one of the largest and best managed in the nation.

W. E. Price, of San Francisco, representing the Pacific Implement Co. of that city, visited his sister, Mrs. Leah Caldwell, last week, leaving for the south on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newman, of Mira Vista orchards, near Medford, also came from down the valley to visit their uncle here at the family home on Laurel street.

Everett May, advance agent of the O. A. C. food preparedness campaign, has been in the valley of late arranging for this special feature, which is made a part of the college extension work, and which ear exhibit it appeared here Wednesday.

Clarence Adams, well known roundup manager, and who was in Ashland in an official capacity last season, is one of the "board of regents" which is staging a spectacular roundup attraction to be given at Chehalis, Wash., July 19-21.

In an award of prizes made recently in Portland, connected with an essay contest with good roads as a topic and the \$6,000,000 bond issue the particular incentive, the state was classified by counties. Mrs. John H. Dill of Ashland, wife of the president of the Fruit and Produce association, was awarded the first prize for Jackson county, \$5. This was in Class A. In Lake county, Miss Nadine Porter, formerly of Ashland, also won the Class A prize of \$5. She is now a resident of Silver Lake.

Jackson county is entitled to over \$250,000 in the way of delinquent taxes and interest thereon, incident to a recent supreme court ruling over Southern Pacific land grant matters.

The Men's Social Service League met on Tuesday evening at the Christian church for brief talks on the query, "What's the Matter With the Churches?" One reply would be that there's too many of them, and a further suggestion is a recommendation to merge a majority of the denominational services into a series of union meetings at the big new Chautauqua auditorium.

Hank Marshall, who is a mechanical engineer in the government Indian service and well known throughout southern Oregon, is securing in Klamath and Lake counties recruits for the Roosevelt Roughrider Legion which may eventually participate in active service "somewhere in France."

The Mount Tabor Presbyterian church of Portland, of which Rev. Ward MacHenry, formerly of Ashland, is pastor, held a notable flag raising service last Sunday, at which numerous state and federal officials as well as citizens prominent in business and professional circles were present.

but the road dries rapidly between rains.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton and daughter, Juanita, went to Medford last week, and brought home a wagon load of supplies.

Gus Ditsworth is still hauling spuds to the valley. It's hard work hauling now, but the high price of potatoes is sweet compensation for the trip.

Mrs. Dawson and daughter spent Sunday at Mr. Peyton's and attended Sunday school and volley ball.

Paul Peyton came home Saturday from Weed. He said the snow was too deep and the weather too cold for him. That's in California and letters from Ray Vaughn and Hobart Ditsworth report that they are 40 miles from Edmonton, Canada, and that grass is fine, cattle fat and weather warm.

Mr. Kelley moved his family back to Medford last week. Mr. Vogt hauled one load for them. Mr. Kelley expects to depart very soon for Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley have been working at their new home for a few days. As they have no household goods here yet they stayed at Mr. Carlton's and went to their ranch during the day. They expect to move up pretty soon.

James Schaffer visited at Mr. Nye's a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nye went to McLeod Saturday and from there to Mr. Manning's, where they spent the night, returning home Sunday.

Mrs. Stearns and children visited at Mr. Dawson's this week. Volley ball rages with renewed interest as there's a new ball to play with now. The old one wore out.

Mr. Mansfield is having some clearing done along a creek bottom, and he expects to put a fish pond there. Elmer Dawson is doing the work and Paul Peyton will help him from now on.

PHOENIX PARAGRAPHS

John Cape and family have moved in at the back of the Cape store.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dolde have taken one of the Fred Parry cottages. The funeral of Mrs. Peck who passed away last Wednesday was held Thursday afternoon.

Dr. Baillie spent the past week in Portland attending a ministerial conference.

"Green Stockings" has come, has been seen, and captivated. It was played to one of the largest audiences of the year and all were unanimous in voting it the best thing ever produced locally. The play is one of the most elaborate of modern comedies and every effort was made by the Phoenix players to do the clever comedy justice. The result was two charming stage interiors—charming from the fireplace's rosy glow to the wealth of paintings and flowers upon the wall, and for a mere village a creditable display of evening gowns and men, young and old.

Of the performers, Mrs. Dolde as "Celia" and Mrs. Malmgren as "Aunt Ida" deserve first mention. Their work was worthy of professionals. "Lady Frenchard," "Faraday," Mrs. Rockingham, "Phyllis" and "Tarver" all quite made good. Nor must the "gallant soldier lover," "Colonel Smith," be forgotten.

The cast were as follows: Lady Frenchard, Mrs. Hearn; Mrs. Rockingham, Miss DeLano; Phyllis, Mrs. Carless; Aunt Ida, Mrs. Malmgren; Tarver, Mr. Matthews; Martin, Mr. Hearn; Faraday, Andrew Johnson; Raleigh, Robert Parry; Admiral Grice, Wendell Gamble; Steele, Fred Fry; Celia, Mrs. Dolde (This part was to be taken by Miss Marian Towne, who was called to the colors last Sunday. Colonel Smith, Mr. Dolde.

The cast wish to express appreciation for those who loaned evening clothes, furniture, pictures, silver, china, rugs and "props."

ANTIOCH ITEMS

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Mrs. Jesse Glass, Theo. Glass, Clarence Wilhite, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chapman, Mrs. Elbert Glass and Jasper Rodgers.

Mrs. Frederick returned home this week from Medford where she has been at the bedside of her father, Mr. Akeley, who has been very sick.

Mrs. Rodgers and son of Beagle were trading in Central Point Saturday.

Several of the farmers were looking after their cattle on upper Table Rock Sunday.

Miss Lillian Chapman is visiting with home folks at Antioch this week.

Sybel Rodgers who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Koscoe Doty at the Medoc Orchard returned to her home at Beagle Saturday.

The funeral services of Mrs. Bent Vincent who died in the Table Rock district were held at Antioch last week.

COURT HOUSE REPORT

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Circuit. Belle Nickell vs. R.H. Bradshaw, et al, notice of appeal.

Probate. S. G. Van Dyke estate, petition for appointment of guardian; petition to sell real property.

W. E. Phipps vs. A. T. Lathrop et al, petition.

John S. Herrin estate, stipulation. Emma O. Pellett estate, petition and order.

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WANTED—By experienced dressmaker, sewing by the day. Phone 288-J. 32

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WANTED—To rent 10 acres, irrigated, free soil. Box 50, Mail Tribune. 29

WANTED—To buy or rent for season, 3 or 3 1/2 h. p. engine. Fred Daugherty, Medford R. R. 4. 32

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FOR SALE—POULTRY

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FOR SALE—Or trade for cow, A-1 back. Phone 17-F13. 33

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FOR SALE—Maxwell, Ford and Overland cars; bargains. C. M. Jennings, Nash Hotel. 30

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