

CARTER ENDORSES A LEGION'S STAND ON JAP QUESTION

Mr. Frank P. Farrell, president of the American Legion, has received the following letter from E. V. Carter:

My dear Mr. Farrell: I am mighty glad of the action of the American Legion in Medford in taking up the question of what should be our attitude in relation to the Japanese. I am very emphatically in favor of drastic action on the part of our legislative body in this connection. In the earlier days of the anti-Japanese agitation in California, I was inclined to think that they were unduly alarmed as to the situation, but I have changed my views entirely as to that, and I think the earlier Oregon takes an emphatic stand in this matter and legislates to keep the Japanese from getting a foothold, the better. I assure you that your views and mine are identical in this matter.

Mr. Sheldon is going home tonight and will be in Medford all day tomorrow, and I am in hopes that you can talk with him personally regarding this matter as he and I are in perfect accord and he can verbally give you a review of the status of legislation along this line up to date.

Thanking you for your letter, I am
Yours very truly,
E. V. CARTER.

ASQUITH ASKS A RAISE IN SALARY FOR LYD. GEORGE

LONDON.—The premier of Great Britain has a hard time of it trying to pay his bills on a salary of 5000 pounds a year and his pay ought to be raised, says the former prime minister, Herbert H. Asquith, who ought to know for he occupied that position for 11 years.

As far as known, Mr. David Lloyd George has not asked for a raise in pay but his remuneration has been the subject of inquiry conducted by a committee of parliament which also is examining into the salaries of all the British cabinet ministers.

Mr. Asquith told the committee that the office of the premier of Great Britain is a very expensive one and his duties cannot be properly discharged by an expenditure limited to that amount. The former prime minister added, that he, himself, was a much poorer man when he left office than when he entered it.

Mr. Asquith explained that the premier had to do a great deal of entertaining and afford hospitality to all sorts of conditions of people both at home and abroad but, under the existing arrangement, he had to defray this expense entirely at his own cost.

Even if a government hospitality fund should be provided for entertaining distinguished foreigners, Mr. Asquith was of the opinion that the premier's salary ought to be advanced.

Mr. Asquith had few kind words to say about the privilege which the premier has of occupying the official residence at 10 Downing street.

"It is quite true," he said, "that you live in the house free from rent, rates and taxes, but it is a very expensive house to keep up. It is a very inconvenient house in many ways; it requires a large staff and I suspect myself that any prime minister who had experience of it as I had would, if he were offered the choice, rather not live in it at all."

The salary of the premier of Great Britain at present rate of exchange is equivalent to \$19,250. This compares with a salary of \$75,000 and \$25,000 expenses for the president of the United States; 600,000 francs salary and a similar amount for expenses for the president of France and of 100,000 marks salary and 600,000 marks expenses for the president of Germany. Members of the cabinet of the president of the United States receive \$12,000 a year.

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- 1—Imperial Orchestra.
- 2—Comedy Couple.
- 3—Vocal solo.
- "La Pardiña".....Alvarez
Miss Sadie Lacey.
- 4—Imperial Orchestra.
- 5—Group of four songs:
- "Robin Sing Me to Sleep".....Strauss
- "Love in My Heart".....Woodland
- "Wake Up!".....Phillips
- "Philosophy".....Emmell
Elsie Carlton Strang
- 6—Dancing by pupils of Dancing academy, under the direction of Miss Katherine Swann.
- 7—Group of three songs by Master George Edmund Andrews.
- 8—Playlet, entitled "Six Who Passed While the Lentils Boil," under the direction of Francis Montgomery.

GIRL SELLS HAIR TO HELP ENGLAND PAY WAR DEBTS

LONDON.—An English girl has just set an example of patriotism to her sisters of this or other countries by cutting off and selling her hair and giving the proceeds to the government to help relieve its financial situation. The girl's name has not been made public. Her letter announcing her sacrifice as received at the government office reads:

"To help, even tho in a very small way, the country in the present financial difficulties, I have had my hair cut off and have sold it. With the money thus obtained I have bought war savings certificates which I have destroyed. The money is thus a direct gift to the country. If this could be published, perhaps many other girls would do as I have done and thousands of people would be encouraged to give up something that would benefit the country financially."

The letter was published, but emulators of the writer's example have not been heard. A reason may be found in a recent decree of hatters that "bobbed" locks are no longer fashionable.

BIG MUSICAL EVENT ASHLAND WEDNESDAY

The public needs no detailed introduction to the unique and admirable group of solo artists which comprises the personnel of the New York Chamber Music Society, for they have been applauded as soloists of distinction and singled out as ensemble players of rare merit in their associations with the most noted orchestras of Europe and America.

Now that the organization has been put upon a permanent basis, that is, each of its members is affiliated with this society exclusively, an extended tour is scheduled for this season. New York city will hear them in a series of three recitals, and Brooklyn also demands a similar number each season. They will play at Ashland armory on February 8.

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ATLANTIC-PACIFIC FLEETS TO MEET IN BIG SHAM BATTLE

ON BOARD THE U. S. S. PENNSYLVANIA, Feb. 7.—(By wireless to the Associated Press)—War-time routine was being observed today on board the battleships and destroyers of the United States Atlantic fleet. The warships which left Callao late Saturday were steaming southward along the Peruvian coast to meet the United States Pacific fleet, which left Valparaiso, Chile, Saturday, headed north. The two squadrons were expected to meet at any time in a sham battle which would closely approximate conditions encountered in war time.

President Augusto B. Leguia, president of Peru, has sent to Admiral Henry B. Wilson, commander of the Atlantic fleet, a message expressing his gratification at the visit of the fleet to Peruvian waters, felicitating the admiral upon the good impression made by officers and men and the beneficial effect the visit will have upon relations between Peru and the United States.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Feb. 7.—Admiral Hugh Rodman, commander in chief of the United States Pacific fleet which left Valparaiso Saturday, had his vessels in battle formation today in preparation for its sham engagement with the United States Atlantic squadron. The fleets were expected to meet some where off the northern coast of Chile.

In a wireless dispatch to President Alessandri, Admiral Rodman has expressed his thanks for the reception given the ships and their personnel. "We leave your coast," read the message, "with renewed admiration for the high qualities of your people and a conviction of the strong sentiments of friendship which they hold toward the people of the United States."



Young Lochivar rode out of the west, but that doesn't prove that there are no more young Lochivars in the west. In fact, "West Is West," which is shown at the Rialto theatre yesterday proves, conversely, that just as gallant knights now wield picks as once jousting with lances, and they risk just as much for their "lady fayre" when she is a banker's daughter as when she was a princess.

Harry Carey in the modern knight of "West Is West," a knight who can shoot from his hip but manages to get what he wants done without resorting to actual shooting. He is roped in as a strikebreaker in an Arizona mine and when he learns that the strike is a frame-up on workers and mine owners by two superintendents, he devotes his energy to straighten things out. Incidentally he meets a lovely and wealthy young woman and refuses to have anything to do with her when she offers him a tip. Later she apologizes and—well, you know how those things come out.

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4 DEFENDANTS IN J'VILLE BANK CASE PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Plea of "not guilty" were filed in the circuit Saturday by Ben M. Collins, S. T. Johnstone, F. D. Hines and J. E. Bartlett, indicted by the grand jury in the Bank of Jacksonville cases, and February 17th was set by the court as the day for pleas by Mrs. Myrtle Blakely, former county treasurer, Elmer E. Quigley, a northern California cattleman, and Chester Kuhl, an Applegate stockman. A plea of not guilty was entered by W. H. Johnson last fall.

Argument on the motion of attorneys for F. D. Hines for a change of venue on the grounds of prejudice existing in this county has been delayed on account of delay in the filing of motion. District Attorney Rawles Moore will contest the motion on the grounds, that it will set a precedent for all the defendants asking for a change of venue. The cost of trying the cases by transfer to other counties would be doubled, it is said.

The petit jury will convene February 28, and the first cases on the docket will probably be those not connected with the bank failure. The bank cases promise to be tedious proceedings, with much expert testimony, and a huge mass of figures from the tangled books of the bank.

BLUE SUNDAY IN HOLLAND KILLED

THE HAGUE.—An indictment of "blue Sunday" advocates was returned in the report of a committee of the second chamber of the Dutch parliament on a bill proposing to forbid amusements, curtail train service, etc., on Sundays.

"The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath," said the report, killing the bill. "The closing of the theatres and the prohibition of games would lead many to seek amusement in a less innocent way. The reduction of passenger traffic on Sundays would prevent people who were shut up in close homes and narrow streets all the week from enjoying fresh air and nature on the Sabbath."

Housekeeper Sufferer From Insomnia

Besides being unable to sleep, Mrs. L. C. Clay, of 45 South Maknolia avenue, Long Beach, California, assistant housekeeper in a large beach hotel, reports that she suffered from the loss of her appetite, was generally run down and nervous.

One day, according to Mrs. Clay, she saw Vinol, the great tonic for bringing back strength and ambition, advertised in the paper and decided to get a bottle and try it. Much to her surprise she was greatly benefited, after having taken the first bottle and since she says she has recommended Vinol to dozens, whom she knew to be similarly affected as herself.

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J. S. VILAS HOME IS BURNED DOWN, LOSS IS \$35,000

The orchard bungalow home of J. S. Vilas, located 6 miles northeast of the city, one of the finest and most modern farm homes in Jackson county, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is estimated at about \$35,000 on building and furniture, with insurance of \$5000 on building and \$2000 on the furniture. Defective wiring in the attic is thought to have been the cause of the fire which broke out between 6:30 and 7 a. m.

The first known of the fire was when flames burst through the roof. They spread so fast that soon the whole building was enveloped and only a few minor household articles could be saved. Hours before, and in fact all day Sunday there was an odor of something burning about the house but it could not be located.

The bungalow was a big one story and a half affair constructed about 12 years ago of concrete, stone and wood at a cost of \$16,000, and all its appointments were modern. The fireplace alone cost \$1600 to build. The house was finely furnished.

Mr. and Mrs. Vilas are making their home temporarily at the farm house on the property which is a considerable distance from the burned bungalow. Mrs. Vilas is almost prostrated by the shock. It is thought that Mr. Vilas will rebuild, but due to the excitement occasioned by the fire had not given this matter consideration today.

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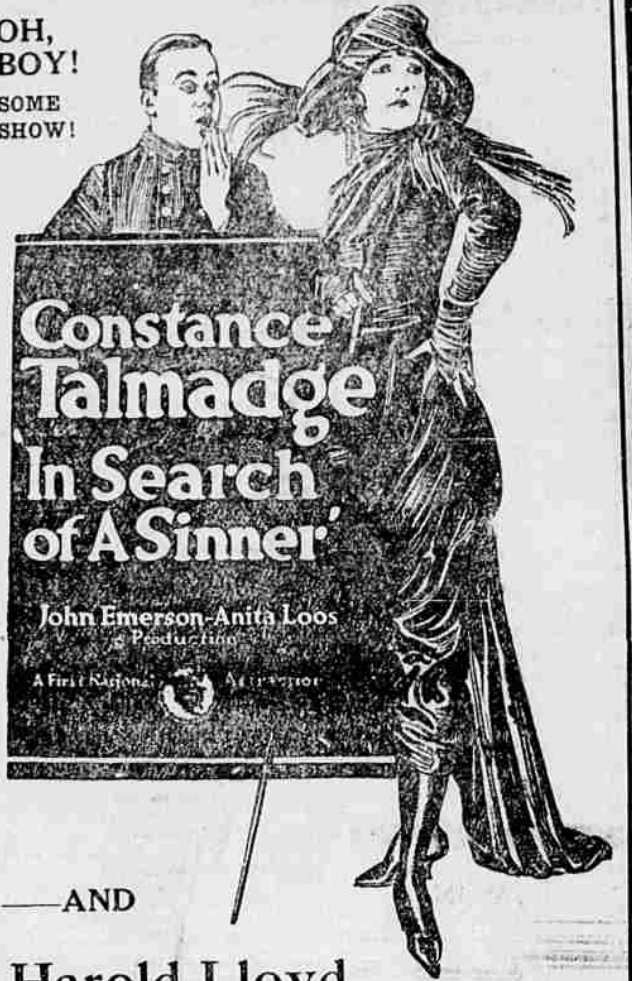
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