

WORLD HAPPENINGS OF CURRENT WEEK

Brief Resume Most Important Daily News Items

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Events of Noted People, Governments and Nations Northwest, and Other Things Worth Knowing.

Consultations are to be resumed in a few days on three treaties which are pending between Mexico and the United States.

American parents were called upon by President Coolidge Saturday to take a firmer hand in controlling from the home the youth of the nation.

The British Rhine army has been ordered to move to Wiesbaden as soon as possible. Wiesbaden is on the right bank of the Rhine, 89 miles south-east of Cologne.

Two devastating wind storms struck the Atlantic coast states Sunday and Sunday night, resulting in at least 21 deaths and heavy damage to homes and shipping.

A vigorous fight for and against the regulation of motor-bus operation in Chicago is set for this week in both the circuit court and before the Illinois commerce commission.

A southwest gale blowing at 52 miles an hour traveled in from the sea at Victoria, B. C., Saturday night, drove all small ships into shelter and then passed on as rapidly as it had come.

Charles Morris of Seattle was found guilty of murder by a jury in assize court in Victoria, B. C., late Saturday and was sentenced to hang January 14, 1926. The jury recommended mercy.

The supreme council of the Scottish Rite Masons, southern jurisdiction, unanimously went on record Friday in support of the bill to create a federal department of education, which will be introduced in the next congress.

Appointment of Owen D. Young of New York as chairman of the American committee of the International Chamber of Commerce was announced Sunday by the American section of the chamber. He succeeds the late A. C. Bedford.

General Emiliano Chamorro, ex-president of Nicaragua, at 4 o'clock Sunday morning entered and took charge of the fortress La Loma, commanding the city. He met with no opposition.

Privately-owned American vessels in overseas trade increased from 117 to 134 from July 1 to October 1, the shipping board's bureau of research announced Sunday night, while the number in coastwise traffic advanced from 671 to 682.

The day for plebiscites on the liquor question in Ontario has passed. Premier Ferguson has so informed the hotel keepers' association. He said his administration would enforce the temperance policy of the province and take full responsibility and the consequences.

Seventeen of the 23 United States navy seaplanes at Baltimore, Md., for a navy pageant broke from their mooring near Soliers' point in a 75-mile gale Sunday and were strewn along a five-mile stretch of beach. Another plane moored off Bay Shore park tore free and disappeared.

The Tokio newspapers report that the Chinese war minister had an interview with Baron Shidehara, the foreign minister, during which he asked for Japanese assistance for China. The foreign minister regretted Japan's inability to grant the request, due to the Washington agreement.

Science now has perfected a device that can weigh the pull of the moon on minute objects on the earth. An instrument made by Ralph C. Hartson of Columbus university detects how much lighter an object weighing 1.29,000 of an ounce on the ground becomes when it is lifted a foot.

One thousand of Harvard's present alumni after six generations will lack descendants enough for a good gene club, while the same number of unskilled laborers will have 100,000 descendants. This is Albert Edward Wigam's example of the failure of men of learning to reproduce themselves.

The publicity department of the Presbyterian church gave out a detailed criticism by Dr. Charles Scanton, secretary of moral welfare for the Presbyterian board of Christian education, of the recent report of the Federal Council of Churches on prohibition, in which he asserts that the report gave "aid and comfort to the enemies of the home, the church and the nation," and that the report did not fairly represent the Protestant churches in the United States.

Be Prepared to Act. Do the right thing at the right time. In a half hour you may lose that which cost a life time to obtain. History tells that an officer's neglect to send off a rocket on schedule time delayed the freedom of Holland 20 years.—Grit.

ORDERS WARFARE STOPPED

League of Nations Gives Greeks and Bulgars Ultimatum.

Paris. — In the same room where Woodrow Wilson, in the closing days of the peace conference, proudly read out the articles of the league of nations covenant and M. Clemenceau, as president, in staccato tones declared them adopted, the council of the league of nations Monday night delivered what is virtually an ultimatum to Greece and Bulgaria that they must unconditionally and within 24 hours order all their troops to retire behind their respective frontiers.

It is the first time since the birth of the league that the council has gone so far. Its action constitutes the supreme test of the league's power to break up war. It was carried out in a tense atmosphere in the crowded Clock hall of the foreign office and was accompanied by an admonition from Austen Chamberlain, British foreign secretary, that it would be an intolerable thing—"indeed, an affront to civilization"—if, with all the machinery of the league at their disposal and the council ever ready with its good offices, frontier incidents like those between Greece and Bulgaria should lead to warlike operations instead of being submitted to peaceful adjustment by the council, which would always safeguard the honor and interests of the nations involved.

The resolution subsequently adopted unanimously was really a reproof to both Greece and Bulgaria for their failure to obey President Briand's injunction to cease all hostilities and withdraw behind their frontiers. It was framed by Mr. Chamberlain after the Greek representatives, M. Carapanos, had told the council that the Greek troops would evacuate Bulgarian soil as soon as all the Bulgarians got out of Greece, and after Bulgarian insistence that Bulgarians were not on Greek soil at all.

It declared that the council was not satisfied that military operations had ceased and that the troops had been withdrawn and, after setting a 24-hour limit for the issuance of instructions for such withdrawal, the council fixed 60 hours for assurance of the fulfillment of the orders. All the troops must be warned that resumption of firing will be visited with severe punishment, and both governments, Athens and Sofia, must give all facilities to the military officers of Great Britain, France and Italy, who will immediately repair to the war zone and report to the council whether the council's edict has been carried out.

"And let it be carefully understood," said M. Briand, "that this time limit runs from now. It will not suffice to retire to the special frontiers; there must be no shooting from the frontiers."

Secretary Mellon, however, gave no place for these reductions in his program submitted earlier in the week. He has suggested that the levies on admissions and passenger automobiles be retained. He did propose, though, that the tax on automobile trucks, tires and accessories be repealed.

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40 Ships Sink in Storm. Karachi, India.—Forty vessels have been sunk in the Persian gulf in the worst cyclonic storm in the memory of the present generation. Body Found in Sack. Shanghai, China.—Police Saturday were endeavoring to identify the body of a foreigner which was found in a sack in the hangpoo river. The hands and feet were bound.

ESTATE TAX FOES SCORE IN HEARING

Chairman Green Backs Repeal After Six Years.

OTHER CUTS FAVORED

Cheaper Automobiles Promised If U. S. Tariff Can Be Deducted From Costs.

Washington, D. C.—Promise of automobile manufacturers to pass on to buyers, through lower priced cars, full benefits of the removal of the \$10,000,000 annual federal tax levied against this industry was pledged Saturday to the house ways and means committee.

Urging repeal of the levies against passenger automobiles as well as those on trucks, tires and accessories, the National Automobile chamber of commerce reported it had the signed pledge of every manufacturer that if the tax was repealed it would be deducted entirely from the buyers' purchase bill.

Lower priced cigars and theater tickets also were promised by representatives of these industries if the federal tax on cigars and admissions were reduced.

The committee, which will start work next Monday on the drafting of a tax reduction bill, heard appeals for relief from these taxes from more than 20 representatives of national organizations.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Klamath Falls.—E. A. Savage, employed by the Forest Lumber company at Pine Ridge, broke both arms above the wrist in a 35-foot fall from a building Saturday as he tumbled from the roof.

Salem.—Four persons were killed and 324 others injured, many seriously, in traffic accidents in Oregon during the month of September, according to a report by T. A. Raffety, chief inspector for the state motor vehicle department.

Baker.—The valuation of all taxable property in Baker county, exclusive of public utilities which are assessed by the state, is \$20,093,295 as it appears on the 1926 assessment rolls just prepared by W. A. Baird, county assessor.

Albany.—After 33 years of wedded life, a complaint asking for a divorce has been filed here by James M. Gourley. A large family was raised by the couple but all have grown and left the parental roof. Desertion is charged.

Lebanon.—Linn county farmers are anxious for rain to help start the grain that has been sown this fall. Farmers are well along with their fall work, but the grain growth has been slow. The streams of the county are lower than for many years.

Medford.—An experiment in reforestation under auspices of the Crater national forest was completed Saturday. Approximately 80,000 4-year-old 12-inch yellow pine trees have been planted in that forest within the past three weeks on burned over areas.

Vale.—Every local sportsman has tried his luck many times since the opening of Chinese pheasant season, October 15. Thousands of the game birds can be found in the fields near here, and it is with little difficulty that the nimrods obtain limit bags.

Salem.—All prisoners in the Oregon state penitentiary, with the exception of 20, are now engaged in some constructive employment, according to a report prepared here Saturday by A. M. Dalrymple, warden of the institution, for consideration of the governor.

Westport.—About 200 persons gathered Sunday on Puget island in the Columbia river to celebrate the opening of a highway across the island, connecting the Westport ferry landing on the Oregon side with Cathlamet ferry landing on the Washington side.

Lebanon.—The prune processing plant of the Lebanon cannery is now running 24 hours a day. The prunes when processed are packed in 20-pound boxes and are being shipped out at the rate of two cars a day. There are enough prunes in sight to keep the plant running most of the winter.

Eugene.—The cornerstone of the new \$100,000 Masonic temple here was laid with impressive ceremonies Sunday afternoon. Several hundred people, many from a distance, gathered in front of the new structure, at the corner of Tenth avenue West and Olive street, while the stone was laid in place.

Salem.—The cost of conducting the public schools of Oregon during the past year aggregated \$29,444,165.96, according to a report issued Saturday by J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction. The report shows that the total attendance was 173,342, of which number 90,738 were boys and 82,553 girls.

Gold Beach.—There is relief at last in sight in the warrant situation in Curry county and, unless some proceeding is instituted to prevent it, Harry Backensto, county treasurer, November 5 will make a call to pay all warrants up to within a month of that time, thus placing Curry county practically on a cash basis again.

Ashland.—One-third of the members of the local city council are farmers, a condition which city officials declare exists in almost no other city in the country. The rural councilmen are real, working farmers who devote their entire time to farming their properties, which, due to Ashland's peculiarly laid-out city, are within the city limits.

Rainier.—The city budget for next year will be \$23,095.24, compared with \$15,411.66 for last year. A part of the \$7,679.58 increase is to make up deficits in last year's budget, which, in addition to falling short of the necessary amount, contained an error of \$1000. An election will be called in November to vote on special tax to provide funds for the budget.

Salem.—There were four fatalities in Oregon due to industrial accidents during the week ending October 23, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were A. H. Krebs, Linton, steam crane operator; George Broeffie, Klamath Falls, lumber worker; G. H. Dengler, Clatskanie, logger, and Ewald A. Lesisman, Willamette, foreman.

Salem.—The clover seed crop in the immediate vicinity of Salem this year will aggregate between 250,000 and 300,000 pounds, or approximately twice the amount produced last year, according to estimates made by Charles Archerd, who handles much of the seed market here. The price will average about the same as in 1924. The top price paid for this year's seed was 23 cents.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

KNOCK AT THE DOOR

YOU cannot hope to gain entrance to friendship except by knocking at her door with the courage and courtesy which invariably insure admittance.

And this is equally true of everything of worth in life, quite regardless of the opinions of those who are prone to think otherwise.

If you would be on intimate terms with Wisdom, you must knock at her golden door every day.

You may rail at the idea, but if you miss a day or two a week you will find when you go to call again that some one more persistent has been ahead of you, and picked the choicest flowers in the front garden.

In all that concerns life, especially the vital things, if you would sit with those who occupy the front pews, wear the best clothes, lock arms with high society, know how to entertain, a prince or a pauper without lofty affectation or mongrel condescension, you must first knock at the door and gain proficiency by frequent knockings and regular visits.

You may daub a canvas with color, sail a boat on an unruled stream, sing a commonplace song which the boys of the street whistle without missing a note, play the piano, do exquisite embroidery work in imitation of the piece before you, but if you wish to excel beyond the mere copyist and become a master in every sense of the word, you must keep knocking.

In matters of art and intellect, there is no other way to improve or advance except by going often to the door of Wisdom and picking up knowledge first hand.

You may be tempted to blint that this requires too much work, too many long hours of studious application to things with which you feel you are already intimately acquainted, but if you will march out your productions on dress parade and line them up side by side with others, you will not be long in discovering defects which may sicken your heart.

But if you are made of the right material, and have within your breast an inflexible determination to go to the top, such comparisons will not be odious.

It is only by hearing superior music, or by seeing a masterpiece in painting or sculpture, that we learn to know the inferior and thus gain an eminence where we find an inexpressible pleasure in imparting our hard-earned knowledge to others.

Mother's Cook Book

Failure is often the turning point, the pivot of circumstance that swings us to a higher level. Life is not really what comes to us, but what we get out of it.—Jordan.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

WHEN you have exhausted all ways of cooking the delicious Hubbard squash try: Souffled Squash. Take a medium-sized squash, remove the seeds and stringy portion, then peel off the rind. Place in a steamer and cook over boiling water until tender, then mash and season to taste with salt, pepper and butter. To two cups of mashed squash add gradually one cupful of cream and when well mixed, the yolks of two well beaten eggs. Mix well, then fold in the whites of the eggs beaten stiff. Pour into a buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven until firm. Serve at once.

Bread Sponge Cake. Take one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, three-fourths of a cupful of lard and butter mixed, two well beaten eggs, one-fourth of a cupful of sweet milk, two cupfuls of bread sponge, three cupfuls of flour and one teaspoonful of soda. Add spices, raisins, and a few nuts, mix well and let rise then bake.

Stuffed Onions. Parboil large-sized onions, take out the centers, leaving a cavity to hold the filling. Chop the onion removed from the onion, mix with cold sausage meat or bacon and crumbs with seasoning. Fill the centers, pour around good beef broth or add butter and water. Bake until the onions are tender, basting occasionally. Cover each with a spoonful of buttered crumbs and brown before serving.

Hamburg Steak. Buy a piece of beef cut from the round with a little suet or pork. Put through the meat grinder, season with pepper and salt and a bit of clove and form into flat cakes. Broil or pan-broil until well cooked. Serve with buttered potatoes and creamed onions.

Golden Fleece. To one cupful of cream in a frying pan add one-half pound of cheese broken up into bits, adding a dash of cayenne. When smooth break over this mixture five or six eggs, cover two minutes; when the white is set, remove the cover, add salt and beat the mass briskly for a few minutes. Serve on buttered crackers.

Nellie Maxwell (© 1925, Western Newspaper Union.)

Starting Sheep Flock

In starting a flock which is to be retained, ewes from one to four years of age should be purchased. Where a farmer desires a flock for only one reason, to consume his roughages and utilize a temporary pasture, full-mouthed western ewes can often be purchased on the markets at very reasonable prices. These ewes will produce one or two crops of lambs and should be fattened and sold along with their lambs. Proper care will bring them to market at a profit.

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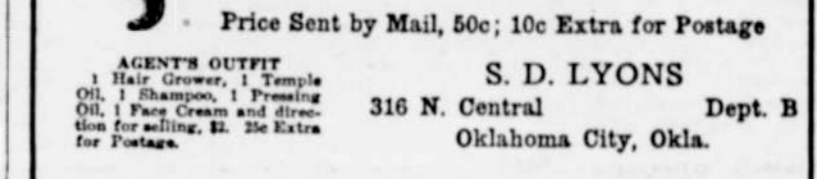
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