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ADMIRAL VOICES PROTEST AT THE MANY HANGINGS

FEDERALS AND REBELS MAKE TOWN SHAMBLES

All Americans Have Been Ordered From Tampico, and the Situation Is Becoming Worse Every Hour.—The American Battleships Are Picking Up Thousands of Refugees.—Federal Recapture Town in Torreon

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—In full view of the American fleet and thousands of the inhabitants of Tampico, the federal and constitutionalists alike hanged great numbers of men as prisoners of war.

This is in direct violation of international precedent.

Admiral Fletcher sent an officer ashore and protested against such a wholesale atrocity in the name of humanity.

The situation at Tampico is becoming worse every hour.

Admiral Fletcher has ordered all Americans from the city. The navy has chartered the steamer Morro Castle, which will reach Tampico tomorrow to take the Americans wishing to leave.

Fletcher's messages say the foreigners are safe, but he is unable to answer personal messages as to individuals.

Five hundred refugees are aboard the Wheeling and Topeka.

Fighting continues around the harbor, with the gunboat Bravo shelling the rebel position.

EAGLE PASS, Texas, Dec. 13.—General Teller, federal commander, wires that the federalists have re-taken Laredo, Torreon, after eight desperate attacks.

The rebel loss is placed at 400.

SEEKING PICTURE OF THE OLD FORT

OREGON HISTORICAL SOCIETY DESIRES ONE OF THE BUILDINGS YEARS AGO AND ONE OF A LATER DAY

Is there a picture of old Fort Klamath to be secured here?

If there is, the Oregon Historical Society would like it for its archives, and O. A. Stearns will be glad to forward it, and any available picture of the later Fort Klamath.

Mr. Stearns is in receipt of the following from Curator Himes of the Oregon Historical Society:

BRIDGE ACROSS 'FRISCO HARBOR

BILL INTRODUCED IN CONGRESS BY WORKS, GRANTING TO AL- LAN RUSH THE PRIVILEGE OF BUILDING SUCH A STRUCTURE

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—Senator Works today introduced a bill granting Allan C. Rush the right to build a suspension bridge over San Francisco Bay from San Francisco to the other side of the Berkeley or Oakland channel.

This carries the proviso that Rush sells a one-third interest to San Francisco and one-third to the other bay cities, the government lands will be given in the bill.

TICKET EXCHANGE TO START MONDAY

"BIG NOISE" TICKETS CAN BE EX- CHANGED FOR SEATS AT THE BOUNDBLINDERS AFTER FIRST OF NEXT WEEK

Reservation and sale of tickets for the "Big Noise," to be given by the Elks at Houston's opera house on Thursday and Friday evenings of next week, will begin at 10 o'clock Monday morning at The Bonbonniers, next to the postoffice.

Reserved seats will be \$1, general admission and balcony, 50 cents, and children 25 cents. The children can have the choice of two rows in front or the balcony.

Tickets can be secured from any member of the Elks Lodge or at the Bonbonniers when reservations are made after 10 o'clock Monday morning. Already several hundred tickets have been sold, and all patrons are advised to make their reservations early Monday if they desire a choice of seats.

Leave Tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Keller, son Paul and dog "Teddy" leave tomorrow afternoon for Fremont, Ohio, their former home, where they will spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Keller conducted the Keller cafe until recently, when they disposed of it to A. J. Wiegman.

Following from Curator Himes of the Oregon Historical Society:

"Is it possible to secure a picture of any kind of Old Fort Klamath? Also the later fort?"

"I have your sketch of both forts, sent me by the Oregon Journal at the request of Mr. Hilleary. This is a valuable paper, and I am pleased to get it."

State Gets Hatchery

Famous Site on Spring Creek Is at Last Secured

The state's central trout hatchery is to be located in Klamath county.

Late Friday afternoon the bids for the tract were opened at the Klamath Agency, and the bid submitted for the state of Oregon by former Game Warden William L. Finley was accepted. The bid set a price of \$3,740 for the piece of land.

The tract embraced consists of a little over 24 acres on the Klamath Indian reservation. It includes the stretch along Spring Creek from its union with Williamson River, 2,000 feet upstream.

Included in this is the stretch of rapids, which state and federal game officials agree makes this an ideal site for a big trout hatchery. It will be used jointly by the state fish and game commission and the United States bureau of fisheries, and from

this hatchery trout fry will be sent to all parts of the West.

The movement to secure the rapids as a site for a hatchery dates back to the days when Captain O. C. Applegate was Indian agent. The captain realized the advantage of such a location, and has persistently plugged away to bring this about.

When the state fish and game commission was organized in 1911, the members made a trip to Klamath county expressly to see the site, under the guidance of Commissioner Stone, Captain Applegate and other people, and they have since been at work. On account of the site being on Indian land, the matter was well wound in red tape, and the work has been slow. With Captain Applegate and Indian Agent Watson assisting, the commission finally successfully closed the deal.

LAUNDRY FOR FARMERS LATEST

Co-operative Plant Making Big Profit Enterprise Is Run in Connection With a Creamery

(Herald Special Service)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—The wash tub must go? That instrument of torture which has filled the days of the farmer's wife with despair and her nights with troubled dreams is doomed.

The "back to the land" movement gets much of its impetus from the fact that better things now obtain in the farm home than ever before, but no message more potent for joy and comfort has ever been borne to the rural regions.

Long ago the sythe, the cradle and the flail were relegated to the junk heap. Today the farmer with gasoline or electric power to drive his machinery and perform the heavier tasks, with patent milkers, riding plows, etc., has eliminated much of the back-breaking work on the farm.

For the farmer's wife invention has done but little. Her chief abomination is wash day, and the task of keeping the family clothes clean undoubtedly has been the rock upon which more than one household has split.

The co-operative laundry will go a long way toward solving the problem

by relieving the farm home of its heaviest burden. The practicality of the idea has been demonstrated beyond doubt in the little town of Chatfield, in Minnesota, where the plan originated.

The co-operative creamery on much the same lines as the creameries on a number of the government irrigation projects throughout the West was in successful operation, and the superintendent divined the idea of utilizing the same power to run a washing machine. An old churn, operated by a belt from the shaft which runs the creamery machinery, did the trick.

The more progressive men in the company quickly seized upon the idea of extending the work to include the laundry for the patrons of the plant, and up-to-date machinery was installed at a cost of about \$4,500.

The gross receipts for the first ten months were \$4,500.

The farmers bring their laundry when they come with the cream, and on their next trip to the creamery they carry home, ready for use, the week's wash.

The laundry bill is charged to the cream check at the end of the month.

Five cents per pound is charged for the washing.

All flat work is ironed in the mangle, and no extra charge is made. The rough dry is ironed by hand, and is charged according to the time it takes a girl to iron it, at 15 cents per hour.

While this laundry does not add to the farmers' income as the creamery does, it is indirectly a productive enterprise, lifting the heavy burden from the farmers' wives, saving their strength for other duties, and increasing the efficiency and comfort of the farm home many times more than enough to recompense for the outlay of \$4.61 for eight days of back breaking work.

Co-operative creameries have already been established on several of the government irrigation projects, and it is hoped that the time is not far distant when laundries will be run in connection with each of these plants.

The same power which actuates the machinery for the creamery can be utilized for the laundry work, and there is always an abundance of hot water and steam.

GERMANY NOT TO HAVE AN EXHIBIT

BILL PROVIDING FOR GOVERNMENT PARTICIPATION AT THE SAN FRANCISCO EXPOSITION IS WITHDRAWN

United Press Service

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—The bill appropriating \$500,000 for a German exhibit at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition was withdrawn from the Reichstag today without a vote being taken.

This followed an address by Ministerial Director Lewald. In this he voiced the government's unqualified opposition to official participation.

DOCTOR DENIES NEGLECT STORIES

COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER RE- PLIES FOR CITY OFFICIAL WHO IS CALLED TO DAYTON OHIO

According to Dr. Merryman, county health officer, there is no truth in the report which has been given publicly, that either the county or city health officer has ever refused to give proper attention to any case of contagious disease.

In the absence of City Health Officer Truax, who has been called to Dayton, Ohio, by the death of his brother, Dr. Merryman stated today that in the case of the little Wehard girl, a quarantine had been established by Dr. Truax Friday morning, immediately on the case being reported to him. This was also true in the Parker case at Shippington.

"Every physician in the state," said Dr. Merryman, "is a deputy health officer, and it is his duty when a contagious case is discovered to either immediately quarantine same or report the case to the local health officer. While it is the duty of the city or county health officer to see that all cases of contagious diseases are properly quarantined, the patient or family has the right to call in any doctor they may see fit to attend the case. It is only in cases of the poor and needy that the city or county is supposed to furnish medical attendance free. Very few of the cases of scarlet fever this year have been those of paupers or persons who expect or would ask aid from the county, and outside of seeing that the cases are kept quarantined, the health officer has no authority to attempt to take the case out of the hands of any other doctor that might have been called in."

"In the case of Mr. Potter at Altamont, Dr. Hamilton was called in the afternoon, and gave the necessary medicine and attention. I was notified of the case that night by the sheriff's office, and went out the following morning and established quarantine, and have been visiting the patient as often as necessary since."

Cinder Road

Under direction of the county court E. W. Richardson is making an experiment with cinders taken from a pit on the southwest side of Pilot Butte, to determine their value as a road-making material. Work was started last week, a stretch of about half a mile having been decided on to be improved. This is part of the Bend-Burns road, just east of the city dumping ground.—Herald Bulletin.

Corkery Given a Dollar

Sealed Verdict Returned Last Night in Damage Suit

A verdict awarding J. V. Corkery one dollar was returned by the jury empaneled in the action brought by Corkery against Sheriff Low and J. J. Forber for damages, resulting from arrest and imprisonment under a mistaken identity.

The jury, after receiving instructions from Circuit Judge Benson last evening, retired shortly before 8 o'clock. At 11 o'clock they returned a sealed verdict, which was opened in court this morning.

Motions for a non-suit were made Friday by Herbert S. Gale, defending the officials, but they were overruled.

EXCLUDE ASIATICS BY NEW AMENDMENT TO FEDERAL BILL

JAPS ARE HIT AT IN BROAD GENERAL TERMS

Measure Is Championed by Baker and Other Members From the Pacific Coast.—Amendment Is Designed to Shut Out All Coolie Emigrants From India, Japan and China.—Big Excitement Brewing.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—A heap of fresh fuel was added to the Japanese immigration disputes today, when the immigration committee of the house adopted an amendment to the pending immigration restriction bill, which is designed to exclude Japanese, Hindu and Chinese laborers.

The amendment was championed by Congressman Baker and other members from the Pacific coast. No mention is made of the Japanese by name, but the amendment raises the immigration bars against them in broad general terms, under the name of "Asiatics."

BIG REWARD FOR TRAIN WRECKERS

POSSIBLE ARE IN SEARCH OF MEN WHO PERPETRATED FRIENDSHIP ACT, DERAILING MANY LAKE SHORE COACHES

(Herald Special Service)
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 13.—The Lake Shore Railroad company has offered \$1,000 for the capture of the men who wrecked the New England express at Wickliffe last night.

In this, the fireman was killed, the engineer hurt and the engine, four mail cars, a combination coach and three Pullmans were derailed. The fact that steel coaches were in use saved further fatalities.

Wrecking tools were found along the track. Seventeen spikes had been withdrawn and a rail displaced.

New Wire Chief.

I. R. Smith arrived from Portland to accept a position with the telephone company as wire chief, taking the place of N. A. Wetterborg, who has been transferred to Grants Pass.

WILSON NOT TO ATTEND BANQUET

PHYSICIAN SAYS THE PRESIDENT IS IN BETTER CONDITION, BUT HE SHOULD NOT EXPOSE HIM- SELF AT PRESENT

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—Dr. Drayson, attending President Wilson, made the following statement today:

"President Wilson's temperature is normal, but I have decided he had better remain in bed today and tomorrow. For that reason he cancelled his engagement at the Gridiron Club banquet tonight."

MT. LAKE LADIES ORGANIZE A CLUB

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD EVERY OTHER THURSDAY AT HOMES OF THE MEMBERS — SCHOOL KIDS FOR WINTER

(Herald Special Service)

MT. LAKE, Dec. 13.—The ladies of the Mt. Lake neighborhood met at the home of Mrs. E. S. Phillips Thursday, and organized a Country Needlework Club.

Mrs. E. S. Phillips was chosen president and Mrs. J. H. McComb secretary.

The meetings are to be held the second and fourth Thursdays of each month.

The Mt. Lake school closed Friday for the winter vacation.

Madeline West is recovering nicely from a severe attack of appendicitis.

Highest Shipments

The Rogue River Valley is the only fruit section in the Northwest to ship more than its last year's shipment. This fact has been determined by a comparison of the railroad shipments of the various centers.—Medford Sun.

The French parliament has passed a law which grants official assistance to large families in poor circumstances.

GRIDIRON CLUB BANQUET READY

MEAT, NEAR-GREAT, AND WERE- GREAT COME IN FOR GRILLING AT THE HANDS OF THE NEWS- PAPER MEN

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—American-Mexican relations will be discussed and quickly settled; the current problem will be disposed of; President Wilson and members of his cabinet are scheduled to be unmercifully panned, and loudly lauded, in turn, and in fact, all great questions of the day will be finally and definitely settled tonight at the Gridiron Club banquet.

As usual, an elaborate program of fun and burlesque on all prominent persons and things has been planned by the correspondents, newspaper publishers and editorial writers who make up the membership of the famous organization.

METHODIST FAIR DRAWS A CROWD

FANCY WORK, CANDIES, POTTED PLANTS, "GRAB" PACKAGES, AND A CAFETERIA LUNCHEON PLEASE PATRONS

The basement of the White building is a pretty busy place today, with the annual bazaar of the M. E. Ladies Aid Society in progress. A good sized crowd has been present since the sale opened, and the many articles are selling rapidly.

There are many prettily decorated booths, particularly the Japanese tea booth, and the candy booth. These two draw a large patronage, as they and their attendants are irresistible. The fancy work booth is swarmed with Christmas shoppers, seeking handmade presents. The only trouble is a rush that threatens to sell out every article. A grab package sale is also a big drawing card.

This evening a chicken supper, cafeteria style, will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock.

WOULDN'T DRINK; THROWN FROM 2nd

NINETEEN YEAR OLD YOUTH'S AVERSION TO LIQUOR RESULTS IN HIS DEATH—FIVE ARE AR- RESTED

United Press Service

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Because he refused to drink liquor with them, William Klein, aged 19, was thrown from the second story window of a Geary street lodging house this morning. Striking the pavement he received injuries resulting in his death shortly afterwards.

According to the boy's dying statement there were five men in the room, all of whom figured in the attack. They were placed under arrest.