

TIRED OF SHOOTING ACROSS THE BORDER, U.S. SENDS ORDERS AND TROOPS TO GENERAL BLISS AT NAGO

AMERICAN GENERAL THINKS THE ONLY WAY TO STOP THE TROUBLE AT NAGO IS TO RETURN FIRE

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—The cabinet decided on definite plans and will take decisive steps today to stop the bullets of the fighting Mexicans from striking in Naco, Ariz.

Secretary of War Garrison this afternoon telegraphed orders to General Bliss, which orders will be published after received by the general.

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—Secretary of War Garrison this afternoon ordered three regiments of infantry and three batteries of artillery to Naco, Ariz., to reinforce General Bliss.

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—The report made by General Bliss to the war department today substantially claims that the only decisive measures that can be taken to end the wounding of American soldiers and citizens at Naco, Ariz., by the fighting Mexicans on the other side of the border, is to shell the Mexican positions. The state department, however, have not yet issued any orders to that effect.

CHILLY WAVE IS FELT ALL OVER

TWENTY BELOW IN NORTH DAKOTA, AND BELOW ZERO IN MANY OTHER STATES—WARMER BY THURSDAY

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—According to the weather bureau, the entire country is in the grip of a cold wave from Florida and the Gulf north, and from California to Maine. The forecast is for a continuation of the cold, with a gradual warming up by Thursday.

Reports of below-zero weather are in from West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and the Northwestern states. The lowest reported was 20 degrees below zero, at Devil's Lake, North Dakota.

Last night the thermometer dropped to 9 above zero, the same as the minimum Sunday night. Reports from Fort Klamath are that there is 12 below there last night. There is 18 inches of snow in the Wood River Valley.

On the Sick List. Mrs. A. Y. Tindall is confined to her bed by sickness. This postponed Mr. Tindall's departure this morning for San Francisco to attend to business matters.

To Complete Law Course. Claude Andrews has returned to Los Angeles, where he will finish his course in law at the University of Southern California. Mr. Andrews is a son of Mrs. J. H. Wise.

At Ashland the Home Steam Laundry has put in a new steam press.

Another attempt is to be made to enact the universal eight-hour law.

Linn county has no debt and a reduced tax rate.

Andrew Kennedy will build a coal briquetting plant at North Bend.

Domestic Science will be taught in the Astoria high school.

Austria, Russians Try for Exchange

United Press Service BERLIN, Dec. 15.—Swiss newspapers report that Austria has made a tentative proposal to Russia for the exchange of prisoners. They also state that the terms demanded by Russia caused the termination of the negotiations.

U. S. SHIPS MAY FORCE NEUTRAL ACTS AT CANAL

REPORT FROM GOETHALS STIRS CABINET

Alleging That U. S. Reservation May Be Used for Supply Base by Foreign Nation, Canal Zone Governor Reports to Washington—Also Complaints Regarding Misuse of Wireless—President Takes a Hand

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—President Wilson today gave assurance that there would be no break between Secretaries Bryan and Garrison because of the request made by Goethals. Personally, he said, he sees no cause for alarm.

The president stated that he has requested Colonel Goethals to make a complete report of the activities of the European battleships in the Isthmian district.

If this report shows that only by having a fleet of destroyers can he maintain the neutrality proclamation of the United States, the vessels will go forthwith to Goethals, according to Wilson.

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—Colonel George Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, has reported to Secretary Bryan and Secretary Garrison that European belligerent warships have been sending wireless messages otherwise than neutral while in Isthmian waters, and that it has been learned from apparently trustworthy sources that some of these vessels are preparing to misuse the American reservation as a base for coal and supplies.

The two conferred regarding the matter, but without reaching an agreement. They decided to leave the matter up to President Wilson.

Warships Waiting for the Dresden

United Press Service BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 15.—It is reported that there are two British warships in the Straits of Magellan, off Punta Arenas, waiting for the German cruiser Dresden. The Dresden, which was badly injured in last week's fighting off the Falkland Islands, is at Punta Arenas, undergoing repairs.

Teutons Making a Big Galician Gain

United Press Service VIENNA, Dec. 15.—The official statement says the pursuit of the Russian army in Eastern Galicia continues. The Austrians have reached the Plain of Allenthal. Fighting is almost continuous.

Some Parthans of India Ready to Fight Germans



This is one specimen of the kind of soldiers sent to the continent of Europe by Great Britain to fight the Germans. They are Parthans, and belong to an old frontier regiment which has a reputation in India. They are much stronger and larger than the average Hindoo. In fact, the Hindoos as a class are so weak that they would do little in the field. But those who have enlisted in the British army in India have been fed, and the effects of generations of famine have to some extent worn off.

McCLURE HEARING PUT OFF A WEEK

COMPLAINING WITNESS WAS NOT IN ATTENDANCE, AND IT IS HINTED THAT HE HAS FLED THE COUNTRY

At the request of the state and the defense, the preliminary hearing for William McClure, arrested on charge of adultery by his partner in business, Harry B. Stowman, was postponed until next Tuesday morning by Justice of the Peace E. W. Gowen. The presence of Prosecuting Attorney Irwin in the circuit court is mainly responsible.

Mrs. Stowman and McClure were present this morning, but Stowman was not there. It is rumored that he has departed for the Middle West, after learning that instead of having illicit relations with Mrs. Stowman, McClure, together with Mrs. Stowman's son, were administering to her medicine prescribed by her physician.

HUGHES RENAMED ON GAME BOARD

COMMISSIONER'S PERSONNEL IS NOW AS IT WAS FOLLOWING THE ORGANIZATION OF THE DEPARTMENT

SALEM, Dec. 15.—J. Frank Hughes of Salem has been appointed a member of the state game and fish commission to succeed Floyd Bilyou, resigned.

Hughes was a member of the board and resigned about a year ago, with two other members, following difficulties of long duration with Commissioner Kinney.

Reappointment of Hughes makes the board's membership the same as before the trouble with Kinney, which culminated in the resignations.

White pine and yellow pine are the woods used for boxes, and each contributes more than a billion feet to the box industry annually.

British Troopers Take a Position

United Press Service PARIS, Dec. 15.—Today's communique says the French and British attacked the Germans between Hellebeke and Wytchaete, the British driving the Germans from the woods and taking the position at the latter place.

The French also gained ground, which they held, despite determined opposition from the enemy.

Turkish Cruiser Shells Sebastopol

United Press Service BERLIN, Dec. 15.—The bombardment of Sebastopol by the Turkish cruiser Sultan Jawus Selim is announced in a statement from Constantinople. No details are given.

A DUTY TO YOUR NEWSPAPER

Every reader of The Herald owes it to himself to give his newspaper a fair and careful reading. That is to say, he should be sure not to neglect the advertisements—all of which are planned for his special information and benefit. If any part of the newspaper is to be slighted, skip over something other than the advertising. Every reader also has a duty to the newspaper itself. He should support and patronize those merchants who tell their helpful store news through the advertisements. The advertiser, while, of course, advertising for a business reason, none the less does a distinct service to the reader, and deserves the reader's attention and patronage. And by giving this support the reader not only discharges a duty to himself and to the advertiser, but also to The Herald. Better buy some space in The Herald. It pays to shop in The Herald before you shop in the stores; 91 per cent of the circulation of this paper goes direct into the homes.

BOWLERS MAKE HIGH SCORES

SEVERAL ROLLING ABOVE 230. WOMEN ARE TAKING MUCH INTEREST IN THE TEN PIN GAME THIS WINTER

From present indications records are liable to be broken this winter by the ladies, who are taking a great interest in bowling at the Palm alleys. Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 till 6 is reserved each week for the exclusive use of the ladies, and the attendance is increasing constantly. Some exceptionally high scores are being made.

One of the best games on the local alleys occurred a few nights ago when two exceptionally high scores were made in one game. Mr. Taylor, who is connected with the J. F. Maguire Co., carried off the honors with a score of 236 and Claude Maxwell with a close second with 232. Klieh Ambrose was also playing in the series and ran up 203.

BASKETBALL HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

The basketball season will be ushered in here Thursday night, when two games will be played at the Pavilion rink. The Klamath County High School boys and girls will participate in both contests. The principal game will be played between the high school and an all-alumni team, and it promises to be fast and furious. McClure, Boller, Hurn, Measner, Motschenbacher, Van Ripper and Ysden are among the fast grads, while the high school team will start with Noel and Steiger as forwards, Everett or Graves as center, and Page and Beals as guards. During the game other high school candidates will be given a chance to play and show their mettle. The preliminary game will be between the Blacks and Blues, two girls' teams from the high school. The high school girls have taken up basketball this year in real earnest, and there is much good material there for teams. The game will start at 7:30.

WITNESSES FOR DEFENSE MAKE STATEMENTS INDICATING THERE IS A CONSPIRACY AGAINST SIMS

North Poland Free From the Invaders

United Press Service PETROGRAD, Dec. 15.—It is stated today that the rout of the Germans in Northern Poland is now complete. The Germans are cleared from the Russian territory in that vicinity, and the plan for attacking Warsaw from the north is apparently abandoned.

SETTLEMENT OF WARRANT SUITS NOW UNDER WAY

WORDEN'S ELIMINATION MAKES IT EASIER. General Opinion Is That the Greater Portion of the Warrants Will Be Paid in Full, a Certain Percentage of Them Being Retired Each Year Until All of Them Are Paid—Conference on in Portland.

New development in the Klamath county warrant cases is expected in the near future. D. V. Kuykendall of Kuykendall & Ferguson, attorneys for R. N. Day, is now in Portland, where a meeting is being held with Judge Webster, the county court's representative, and attorneys for the Weyerhaeusers and other interested parties.

Now that Judge Worden has been eliminated as county judge and Marlon Hanks will occupy this position after January 1, it is believed that an amicable settlement of the warrant trouble will be possible.

Much speculation on the outcome is heard, and the general opinion is that the greater portion of the warrants will be paid in full. It is probable that arrangements will be made to care for a certain percentage of these old warrants each year until Klamath county is finally out of debt.

It is almost certain that certain of the warrants which have been attacked will be permanently enjoined.

Paris Gets a Bad Zeppelin Fright

United Press Service PARIS, Dec. 15.—After midnight last night the lights of the city were suddenly extinguished, only small gas lights marking street corners and a single lamp at the approaches of the Seine bridge being left illuminated. The rumor circulated is that military men heard a Zeppelin raid was threatened.

Johnny Bull Sends Congratulations

United Press Service LONDON, Dec. 15.—England today sent congratulations to Serbia. The report that Austria asked Russia for terms is believed to indicate that Austria feels that the time is approaching when some settlement will be imperative.

To Entertain Lawyers. Members of the Klamath County Bar have been invited to the home of Judge and Mrs. George Noland in Hot Springs addition Saturday night, where an informal smoker will be given for the attorneys.

ONE WITNESS STATES THAT "OLD IKE" JOHNSON SAID HE WISHED THE WHOLE CASE WAS IN THE LAKE

Following the examination of the three defendants, Ernst, Sims and Chandler, in the Merrill cow rustling case, Attorneys Drake and Noland are this afternoon introducing testimony tending to show that the prosecution of the three young men is the result of a plot to get them out of the country. The motive they are establishing for this is the fencing of Indian springs on Bryant Mountain by Sims.

The trend of the questioning indicates that they are working to prove that R. M. Osborn is the instigator of the alleged plot, and that he has made a number of threats and has worked to raise money to prosecute Sims especially.

Sims was examined this morning regarding the cattle he butchered in December. He stated that on December 21 and 22, 1913, he and Chandler killed three head, and that they killed none the following day, as the indictment alleges.

He also told of taking up the homestead on Bryant Mountain, of fencing it in, and later relinquishing it to Chandler. Sims also testified that Osborn has proposed to be and Chandler that they butcher seventeen head of cattle belonging to Manual Sylvia, and divide the money. Later, he said, Osborn proposed that they kill a disputed cow, and still later made the proposition that he and Sims go in on the deal if Chandler did not have the nerve to.

The testimony of Ivan Ernst, also a defendant, offered last night, was that he was trapping on Bryant Mountain at the time of the alleged theft and butchery, and that he knew nothing at all about it.

This afternoon Mrs. Virginia Wood testified that while she was at the home of J. N. Johnson, the latter made the remark that he believed the indictment would keep the defendants out of the country, and that he would keep them out if it cost a thousand dollars.

Fred Reed, who helped Johnson drive the missing cow out of the Hartley pasture about a month before the day it is alleged to have been killed, said that the cow was in very poor condition, as if it had nursed two calves all summer. This was to prove the cow's unfitness for beef.

C. Crosby Garrison told the jury that R. M. Osborn stopped him and told him that the fencing of Indian Springs by Sims was a heavy blow to all the cattlemen, and that Sims could be sent to the penitentiary. The witness said Osborn told him a fund was to be raised to prosecute Sims and force him to leave the country, and that J. N. Johnson would put in a considerable sum, and that he asked the witness to contribute.

In cross examination Attorney Oneill essayed to have Garrison say that the money was being raised to prosecute Sims because he was killing and butchering other people's cattle. The witness held to the statement that it was because of the water hole.

Edgar A. Johnson, whose homestead near Malin adjoins the Osborn place, testified that when he asked Osborn regarding his proposal to Sims and Chandler to butcher the disputed beef animal, Osborn told him that the cow belonged to him, and that he made the proposal to draw the defendants out.

Johnson also stated that on the way home from Merrill last December from attendance at the preliminary hearing, J. N. Johnson, the complaining witness, stated that if it hadn't been for Osborn he wouldn't have gone into the case; that there was too much of Osborn's testimony; that this didn't prove anything at all; that it had cost him \$250, and the case only just started, and that he wished the whole case was dumped into the lake.