

Sunshine in Klamath; Storms Elsewhere

'PREPARE' IS CRY IN WILSON TALK

Germany is Told That Serious Consequences May Ensnare if Next Note Shows a Tendency to Delay Settlement of the Issues Between the Two Nations—President Makes a Plea for Preparedness.

United Press Service
PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 29.—Warning the people that "new circumstances have arisen for which the country must prepare itself," President Wilson today addressed 6,000 in Memorial hall.

"Tend to business and prepare—not for war; not for aggression, but for national defense. Thrust aside personal ambition, and act for the sake of the country," said he, in part. "All the time, things are getting more difficult. If you could see the dispatches I read every hour, you would know how difficult it has been to maintain peace.

"As your responsible servant, I must tell you that the danger is grave and constant. Where there is contact with others, there is likely to be friction."

These excerpts are typical of Wilson's whole speech. As a result thousands were stirred.

United Press Service
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 29.—Officials admit that the Lusitania controversy with Germany is assuming grave proportions. The administration has caused Germany to understand that prompt compliance in a disavowal is necessary to avoid a break of friendly relations.

Germany has been informed that if the next response shows a continued desire to delay a satisfactory settlement, grave consequences may ensue. Berlin has been told that the administration's patience has been exhausted by German dilly-dallying in negotiations.

All Churches Asked to Join Co-operative Move

All churches and all granges of the state are being notified of the coming convention of the laymen's missionary movement, to be held at the White Temple in Portland, February 15th to 17th, and the executive committee for the convention extends the invitation to attend to all male members of every church organization of Oregon and Southwest Washington. The convention will be addressed by twelve or fifteen of the most prominent men connected with the missionary movement of the world, both at home and abroad. No collection will be taken up, nor will money be raised in the convention by any means. The total cost to each delegate is a registration fee of \$1. In return for that sum of money

MARINES LANDED AT GREEK FORTS BY THE ALLIES

RUSSIAN WARSHIPS ARE IN GREEK WATER

Unusual Action Is Protested by Commandant of Greek Troops—Gulf of Salonika's Forts Are Held by Men of All the Allied Countries—Germans Start a Big Offensive Along the West Front.

United Press Service
ATHENS, Jan. 29.—Salonika wires that 2,000 marines from British, French, Russian and Italian warships landed at Karabar Friday, and occupied the forts there. This was done over the protests of the Greek commander, who withdrew after formal protest.

This is the first appearance of Italian and Russian forces on Greek soil. Great excitement prevails. The landing and occupation is the first movement wherein all of the allies have participated. The forts guard the east entrances to the Gulf of Salonika. The forces landed because it was believed that Austro-German submarines had their supply base there. The presence of Russian and Italian warships on Greek waters was a source of surprise.

United Press Service
BERLIN, Jan. 29.—In the greatest offensive by Germans along the western front in several months, Teutons yesterday captured a mile of French trenches, near Arras, captured the village of Frise, and took a thousand yards of French trenches south of the River Somme.

Twelve hundred French prisoners were captured in this action, which followed heavy cannonading.

Norway has reorganized its entire commercial system of representation in the United States as a part of a campaign to increase the trade between the two nations. F. H. Gade, Norwegian commissioner at the Panama-Pacific International exposition, announced at Chicago recently.

The United States navy has under construction or ordered in Massachusetts fifteen aeroplanes of advanced design.

Back After Adventures in the Philippine Islands



MRS. THOMAS B. McCLINTIC

Mrs. Thomas B. McClintic, widow of Dr. T. B. McClintic, the United States public health service official who lost his life during an epidemic of spotted fever in Montana a few years ago, where he went to combat the epidemic, and himself fell victim to it, has just arrived in San Francisco from the Philippines, where she went soon after her husband's death to visit her brother, who is president of a bank there.

The tragedy of her husband's death a few months after their marriage sent Mrs. McClintic to the Far East in endeavor to forget it. With her went their small daughter, Miss Thomasia,

who was born after her father's death. Mrs. McClintic in telling of her experiences upon her arrival in San Francisco said that she visited some of the wildest and most inaccessible places on the islands, and that many of her trips were made on mule back through some of the smaller islands, where there are no white settlements. She saw some of the most primitive natives at close range, and though she was repeatedly warned that she was going into danger, she was not molested, and never got into serious difficulties.

Before her marriage Mrs. McClintic was Theresa Drexel of Washington, and one of the best known young women in the capital.

MOSIER NAMED AS RESERVE OFFICER

FORMER LOCAL MAN IS ONE OF THE FIRST TO BE NAMED BY GOVERNMENT—HAS FIRST LIEUTENANT RANKING

The following from the Reno Evening Gazette will be of interest locally, as Mosier was a resident of Klamath Falls for several years, being hydrographer on the local reclamation project:

Leland M. Mosier of Reno has received one of the first appointments made under the law creating a reserve list of officers in the United States volunteers.

Mr. Mosier was appointed first lieutenant in the Coast Artillery corps, receiving his commission from the war department. The appointment was made under general order No. 42, and came from Secretary Garrison.

Mr. Mosier has been a resident of Reno for several months, and spent five years in the army and several years in the reclamation service.

HUGHES TRIES TO COMMIT SUICIDE

DESERTION OVER REPORTED DEBERTION BY HIS WIFE, PRISONER IN THE COUNTY JAIL SWALLOWS POISON

Fearing that his wife had deserted him, Joe Hughes, serving a short sentence in the county jail for assault and battery, late yesterday afternoon attempted suicide by swallowing a quantity of iodine. He is at the Blackburn hospital, and will recover.

Yesterday Hughes went in the company of an officer to his home, to get some effects. His wife was not there at the time, and upon his return to the jail Hughes told the other prisoners that she had left him, and that he didn't care what happened to him.

Hughes threw himself on his bunk, and was still for some time. Later, he groaned, and the other prisoners found he had taken poison. They cried for help from the windows, and when Deputy Sheriff Lloyd Low re-

FIFTY DROWNED WHEN DAM BREAKING WASHES OUT ALL OTAY VALLEY

sponded, all joined in giving him emetics until Dr. Hunt arrived. The would-be suicide fought attempts to administer aid, and it was with difficulty that his stomach was pumped out.

REGISTRATION IS PICKING UP NOW

EFFORTS OF CANDIDATES RESULTS IN 140 BEING ADDED TO VOTING LIST DURING THE PRESENT WEEK.

With the date for closing registration before primaries approaching, and with the early candidates in the ring, getting their friends lined up, registration is picking up. In the present week more than 140 names were added to the list.

The total county registration so far is a little over 250. Considering the fact that there are at least 4,000 to be registered, and the books close April 18th until after the primaries, electors must be getting registered soon to avoid the big rush.

YOUTH SENTENCED FOR BOOTLEGGING

ARRESTED LAST NIGHT FOR SELLING LIQUOR, YOUNG MAN PLEADS GUILTY, AND IS GIVEN A JAIL TERM

Charlie Miller, aged 18, was arrested last night on a charge of selling liquor January 4th. An hour after the complaint was issued by Prosecuting Attorney Irwin, Miller had been arrested by Deputy Sheriff Lloyd Low, arraigned before Judge Gowen, plead guilty, and been sentenced to fifty days in the county jail.

Young Miller readily acknowledged his guilt. He stated that at the time he did not realize that the act was a crime, but that he was willing to take his medicine. In view of the young man's frankness, sincerity and youth he was given a jail sentence instead of being bound over to the grand jury, and thus made liable to a penitentiary term.

The latest census reports show that Berlin's male population has decreased 232,547 since July, 1914, due chiefly to the calling of the men to the army. The total population of Berlin today is 1,827,869, as against the high water mark of 2,095,030 in 1912, and 1,995,806 at the outbreak of the war.

The National Society for the Advancement of Patriotic Education was organized at New York January 9th, with Henry A. Wise Wood, formerly a member of the naval consulting board, as president.

COLORADO AND ARKANSAS ALSO ARE SUFFERING FROM FLOODS AND AVALANCHES

United Press Service
SAN DIEGO, Jan. 29.—(Wireless to Los Angeles)—United States cavalrymen are today searching Otay Valley for the bodies of fifty people believed to have been drowned when the breaking of a dam released the flood waters and swept the valley clean.

At noon today the troops returned. They reported finding no trace of either bodies or habitations in the valley. It is believed that all missing people perished.

A few survivors were found. Houses and bodies, it is feared, were carried out to sea by the flood. Flood conditions are grave in this section. Militia are patrolling some sections to prevent looting. San Diego River is now menacing Lakeside.

United Press Service
Colorado Still Higher
EL CENTRO, Jan. 29.—Yuma is again flooded. The waters of the Colorado River are seven feet higher than last week, and the population is fleeing to the high lands.

Eleven feet of water is pouring over the Roosevelt dam.

United Press Service
DENVER, Colo., Jan. 29.—Serious casualties are feared as the result of snowslides in Southwestern Colorado. Blizzards have cut off all communications.

Drifts thirty feet in depth are reported. These have stopped transcontinental traffic.

Silverton is again in dire danger of avalanches. One slide narrowly missed several hundred miners. Near Rockwood an avalanche struck the rear of a passenger train, and two cars were dashed over the cliff into the Las Animas River, 1,000 feet below. No passengers were in either car.

Arkansas in Peril
United Press Service
ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., Jan. 29. Seven are known dead and hundreds

are homeless as the result of the flooding of the Arkansas, White and St. Francis rivers. Conditions are alarming, and the highest stages recorded are promised.

Another Dam Breaks
United Press Service
SAN DIEGO, Jan. 29.—Switzer dam has broken, flooding four streets. To prevent damage by the torrent, debris in its path was dynamited.

With the rush of water two apartment houses were demolished, and several residences were undermined. The torrents threaten the Tia Juana race track.

Here for a Visit.
George R. Lindley, vice president of the Jackson County bank, is here from Medford, visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Ulrich. Mr. Lindley was connected with the ownership of local banks some years ago.

Subscriptions to the third Italian war loan, which opened January 10th, are proceeding satisfactorily, and it is expected \$200,000,000 will soon be subscribed.

Thirty-one Cars of Stock Are Sent Out of Klamath

Thirty-one carloads of stock comprised Klamath county's shipments to the outside world on the "stock special" this week. Thirty carloads is about the average weekly shipment from the county, and throughout the Coast Klamath county is attaining a great reputation as a stock country—which means a country without hard times.

Thirteen cars of the shipment this week were filled with yearling sheep. This herd comprised 1,500 head in all, and was bought from Ned O'Con-

nor and James Henley. The buyer was F. Tehesta & Co., and the sheep were sent to that concern at Marysville. Mr. Tehesta was here, and made the purchases.

Nine cars of cattle and one carload of hogs were sent to Sacramento. These were shipped to Swansen & Co. by Fred Stukel, who has been doing extensive buying for the Central California market.

Another shipment on the train was 125 head of artillery horses, purchased from J. Frank Adams by Hordain & Langmans. These left for Grand Island, Neb.