

DOOR IS NOT CLOSED ON PEACE

People of England Would Talk Peace

GERMANY SAYS ALLIES ARE MAKING BIG BLUFF

Declare Entente Powers Cannot Do Otherwise Than Refuse German Proposals of Peace, Yet Really Want End of War—Germans Don't Consider Situation Possibilities—Secret Diplomacy in Hand Move.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The allies have not slammed the door on peace; they have simply said to Germany: "Here are our terms; take them or leave them: it is your move. But don't come again in the role of a victor."

Toutons Say It's Bluff
BERLIN, Dec. 20.—Germany regards the speeches by statesmen of England, France and Russia as a bluff to impress Germany with the determination of the entente powers.

Secret Diplomacy Hand
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20.

Ultra secret diplomacy will be employed in the next big move in the peace game, administration officials believe.

RABIES FOUND IN HEAD OF COYOTE

EXAMINATIONS SHOW NEGRI BODIES IN HEAD OF COYOTE KILLED IN SWAN LAKE VALLEY BY P. W. SNYDER

This subject was killed in several parts of Klamath county was examined by H. R. Glisner, county agricultural agent, this morning when he received from David N. Reberg, state health officer, a letter stating that negri bodies were found in the head of a coyote killed in Swan Lake valley a week ago.

What Germany Will Give Up to Make Peace



In the upper left hand corner of the map is a likeness of Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg. The black portions show the territory Germany and Austria have taken from their enemies and the diagonally shaded portions show what the allies have taken from them.

MEHAFFEY NAMED FOR HIGH OFFICE

IS ELECTED EXCELLENT HIGH PRIEST AT ELECTION LAST NIGHT BY ROYAL ARMY MASONRY—OTHER OFFICERS NAMED.

A. A. Mehafeff was elected excellent high priest of the Royal Army Masons last night at the annual election of officers.

What Does Christmas Mean to You?

By BEATRICE HENSLEY Klamath County High School
THE other day I met a friend and our conversation turned to Christmas. Abruptly she asked: "What does Christmas mean to you?" "Why, Christmas," Then I stopped.

WORK ON FOOTBRIDGE IS BEGUN BY THE CITY

Work on the footbridge across Lakeview was begun this morning. The contractor is to be here for some time.

LUTHER BURBANK WILL BE MARRIED TODAY

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 20.—Luther Burbank, famous plant wizard, will be married tomorrow in San Francisco to Miss Elizabeth Waters, for the last two years his private secretary.

Many Coyotes Caught By Klamath Trappers

Coyotes are bad on chickens and jack rabbits. There are lots of them in Klamath county. But the Klamath coyotes apparently are very foxey. They're only part fox. Lots of hunters are catching them this winter.

CHARGES STAFF WOULD BREAK UP MILITIA TROOPS

KANSAS CONGRESSMAN HINTS OF SERIOUS CHARGES

Leaves it to be inferred that Militiamen were kept on "discouraging Police Duty" with premeditated view of causing disintegration among the troops on the Mexican border.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20.

That the various state militia companies on the Mexican border have been kept on "discouraging police duty" with the premeditated view of causing disintegration in the militia is the thinly veiled charge of Representative Anthony of Kansas.

THOUSANDS MAIL BAGS ARE SEIZED

GERMANS CLAIM FRENCH AND BRITISH WARSHIPS HAVE RECEIVED OVER 50,000 MAIL BAGS SINCE LAST DECEMBER.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—From December, 1915, to September 30, 1916, British and French warships seized 54,000 mail bags addressed from Germany.

During the same period the allies' warships seized 23,000 mail bags bound to Germany, according to official figures issued by the department of foreign affairs.

Citizens Ask Council to Vote for Franchise

A large crowd of citizens of Klamath Falls, in mass meeting, last night voted to name a committee to see the city council at its next meeting and demand that Councilmen Doty, Matthews and Sheets "reconsider their action and pass the franchise ordinance, or resign."