

# SENATE WILL BACK WILSON, IS BELIEF

## King George Says Allies Steeled to Fight to End

DECLARED NO BASIS FOR PEACE IN RECENT GERMAN PROFFER

Ally Unanimously Agreed to Secure Just Reparation, Restitution, and Guarantee for Future—Portadelaide Sunk Without Warning. Four Ships Reported Sunk—Two Killed on Saxon Briton

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The allies are steeled unanimously to secure just reparation, restitution, guarantee for the future and no threats of further outrages can change their determination, said King George of England, at the opening of Parliament today. He said there is no possible basis for peace contained in Germany's recent proffer of the olive branch.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The admiralty announces that the Portadelaide was sunk en route to London from Australia, and was attacked without warning. Also reports that the Peruvian windjammer Lorton was sunk in Spanish waters Sunday.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—British steamers Yonra, Crown Point, Saxon Briton, and Acul were sunk today. Two were killed on Saxon Briton.

## GRANTSPASSMAN TO RUN SAWMILL

ARRANGEMENTS MADE TO OPERATE THE NEW MARY MILL AT WORDEN DURING THE COMING SEASON

Arrangements have been practically completed for the starting and operation of the Newhart sawmill at Worden by I. E. Kesterson of Grants Pass. It has been announced here. Mr. Kesterson was in Klamath Falls the first of the week, leaving Tuesday. Mr. Kesterson's father is interested in several mills in the territory south of this city, including the Dorris mill. Mr. Kesterson is interested in a number of the mills with his father. The mill at Worden, said to be an up-to-date mill, has a capacity of approximately 30,000 feet.

## Start River Survey to Pacific Coast

Resident Engineer of Highway Commission Says Work to Be Done This Winter and Spring

ARLHARD, Feb. 7.—S. W. Lowden, resident engineer of the highway commission, is starting the final survey for the Klamath River to Happy Camp. Mr. Lowden expects to be at work on this project all winter and well into the spring. This will mean that more or less work will be done on this important piece of highway this year.

## War Bulletins

LONDON—The captain of the British steamer Portadelaide was imprisoned when his vessel sank. Ninety of the crew and passengers have been saved. The Russian steamer Cerera has been sunk.

LONDON—British seaplanes raided Bruges, dropping bombs on torpedo boats, buildings and docks, which were burned.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The iron gates about the White House were closed and locked yesterday for the first time in many years. Guards have been stationed at every entrance.

LONDON—The British steamer Wartenfels has been sunk.

## ELK PICTURES ADVERTISE FALLS

PHOTOS TAKEN OF EXPRESS CAR AND FIFTEEN HEAD OF ELK WILL BE SENT TO MAGAZINE WITH WIDE CIRCULATION

Arrangements have been made by J. J. Parker, local agent of Wells Fargo company, for the use of pictures of the express car and the fifteen elk which arrived here last Sunday night from Wallowa county.

Pictures were taken of the car while it was here, and arrangements were also made to take pictures of the elk after they were unloaded at Chiloquin, preparatory to placing them on the L. C. Sismore ranch in Wood River Valley for the winter.

These pictures, with a write-up of what Klamath county is doing through the Klamath Sportsmen's Association and the state fish and game commission with the elk, will be sent and published in the Wells Fargo Messenger, a monthly publication issued by the express company and sent to all agents in all parts of the United States and in foreign countries.

The magazine is a live publication dealing with many phases of the express business in all parts of the world. Klamath will secure an unlimited amount of advertising from the use of the pictures and the story, says Mr. Parker.

## NO GERMAN SHIPS HAVE BEEN SEIZED

BREACH OF REGULATIONS DOES NOT CHANGE STATUS

Precautionary Measures Have Been Taken to Prevent Destroying of Property—Evidence Found That German Crews Were Preparing to Sink Boats at Manila and Colon, Says Secretary Baker.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—Because of evidence discovered that the crews of German vessels at Manila and Colon have been planning to sink the vessels the government has taken precautionary measures to prevent the danger, Secretary Baker announced today.

No German vessels have been seized, however, and he stated that the breach of diplomatic relations has not changed the relationship of these ships to the American government. "Nor have they forfeited their rights to American hospitality," said Baker. Steps have been taken only to prevent injury of property or obstruction of harbor waters.

## "GREAT HAZAN" DUE THURSDAY

SPECIAL MUSIC WILL BE FURNISHED BY PEERLESS ORCHESTRA, AND BIG TIME ASSURED AT "RAILROAD" SHOW

Thursday of this week is to be a great day for Klamath Falls. The Great Hazan will be at the opera house. He will do some wonderful magic and will perform his great mind reading stunt. You must have your mind loaded with lovely thoughts or he might have to "slap" you. Just think, if he was to read your mind, and he was to say right out what is on it!

A goodly number of the village "end men" are to be on the stage for the hypnotic act—a scream from the start. You know that some folks, when they are under the influence, can do some funny things, so you must be sure and not miss this wonderful exhibition of one of the cleverest performers on the stage today. Be sure and have your mind pure or leave it at home. Hazan gives this show free to the workers of the Strahorn railroad. When you spend your money in this show you are promoting your own prosperity.

If we have a railroad start here this year and finish next, that's better than waiting till 1957 for present "twig" to do something for us.

Locust! Don't be a tight wad. Your life is fleeting each day. Hazan will do some marvelous things in finding lost articles, telling you of friends long lost, and, in fact, anything you want to know.

Don't miss tomorrow night at the opera house. Under the auspices of the Women's 1,000 Strahorn Club. The Peerless orchestra of this city is to furnish special music for the entertainment, and a number of choice numbers have been selected for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary V. Loosely of Wood River Valley arrived in the city Tuesday night from Portland, where they have been spending the winter, and are on their way home.

## American Consul Leaves Capitol of Germany



AMBASSADOR AND MRS. GERARD

American representative in Germany, but it is known that he has made all preparations to leave that country quickly in case of hostilities with the United States.

## State Rests Case; Mrs. Hobbs Takes the Stand Late Today

Expected that Hobbs Murder Trial Will Take Until End of Week Mrs. Hobbs Goes on Stand for Defense

The state rested its case in the Hobbs murder trial in the circuit court here at 1:40 this afternoon, and the court declared a recess until 2 o'clock.

This morning witnesses Messner and Magness were recalled to give evidence concerning logging contracts and the removal of a railroad track. Magness told of threats made by Hobbs over difficulties had in cutting timber.

Immediately after recess Mrs. Hobbs took the stand for the defense. It is expected that it will be Saturday before the case comes to a conclusion.

## THREE FIRES FOR JANUARY

MONTHLY REPORT OF CHIEF AMBROSE SHOWS FOUR CALLS, THREE FIRES—FIREMEN RECEIVE FIRST ATTENDANCE PAY

The monthly report made by Keith Ambrose, chief of the Klamath fire department, to the city council this week, shows that during January the department responded to four calls, one of which was a false alarm.

The fires occurred on January 13, 15, 18 and 24. A total time of two hours and forty minutes was spent at the fires. Causes were due to a defective fireplace, a defective flue and carelessness in thawing a pipe, according to the report. Damage was reported in but one case.

## Senator Works Rants on Unneutral America

### HOUSE PASSES BIG NAVAL BILL

STRESS OF EMERGENCY LEADS TO FAVORABLE ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT FOR \$350,000,000 FOR DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—Under stress of the emergency facing this country, the house yesterday afternoon almost unanimously adopted Chairman Padgett's naval committee report appropriating additional millions of dollars for naval preparedness. The house acted as a committee of the whole, assuring the passage of the bill.

The appropriations provide for \$1,250,000 for machine guns, \$1,000,000 for anti-aircraft guns, \$5,000,000 for batteries for merchant auxiliaries and \$7,000,000 for ammunition. These appropriations, besides the regular naval bill amount to \$350,000,000.

## FIREMEN WILL HAVE CLUB ROOM

COUNCILS PROVISION WILL PROVIDE MEN WITH READING AND LOUNGING ROOM, AND KEEP THEM HOME, SAYS CHIEF

The action of the city council Monday night in allowing the sum of \$125 for the firemen's rooms at the city hall will give the fire boys a club and lounging room and an additional sleeping room in the future.

The rooms on the first floor of the building heretofore designated as the city engineer's, but which has not been in use, will be utilized as a lounging, reading and club room for the men.

Chief Keith Ambrose believes the providing of such a room will tend to keep the firemen at the hall much of the time, to be on hand for emergencies.

The additional sleeping room will permit the chief, who has been forced to sleep down stairs, to sleep upstairs with the other fireboys, thus keeping the men together.

## Gov. Withycombe Wires Pres. Wilson

## Oregon Back of President—Asks Press to Avoid Hysteria and Jingoism in This Time of Stress

SALEM, Feb. 7.—Governor Withycombe has wired President Wilson, assuring him that Oregon will stand patriotically back of him in the present break between the United States and Germany. The message says: "You may depend upon it that Oregon will stand patriotically with you in any national crisis that may arise. Now is a time for the exercise of sane, sober judgment on the part of the American people. During a crisis like this, agitation and excitement should be deprecated and the people preserve as far as possible a cool, normal attitude. I am particularly hopeful that the American press avoid hysteria. It is no time for jingoism."

### FIRST OPPOSITION TO BREAK DEVELOPS

Senator Stone Recalls Resolution Passed by Senate in Support of Wilson's Action—Said He acted Solely Within Constitutional Rights—Senator Lodge Says Party Lines Are Wiped Out

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—Declaring that the United States has not been a neutral; that England has persistently violated America's rights; that the United States has borne those violations as though an ally of England, and that Germany has no reason to feel friendly toward America, Senator Works of California today voiced the first opposition in the senate to the severance of German relations by President Wilson.

Senator Works admitted that Germany has violated the rights of American citizens, but protested against any movement tending toward a war with Germany for such cause.

After Works had concluded, Senator Stone recalled the resolution endorsing the break with Germany passed by the senate. He declared that the President acted solely within his constitutional rights, and the resolution had been presented so that the world might know that the senate is supporting the president.

Senator Lodge, republican, who opposed the president's efforts to establish world peace tribunal, pledged his support to the president, and declared that all party lines have been removed.

Senator Smith, Michigan, declared that to repudiate the president's stand would be a national humiliation.

### Espionage Bill Agreed on

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—The house judiciary committee has agreed upon a general espionage bill, which enacts heavy penalties for spying on ships, forts, reservations, divulging defense secrets and general conspiracies. It is to be reported to the house tomorrow.

LONDON—The British steamers Warley, Pickering and Floridan have been submersed, it was announced today.