

HUNS ASK ALLIES TO MAINTAIN ORDER

ARMISTICE IS TO BE EXTENDED

PREMIER WELCOMES RETURNING PRUSSIAN GUARDS AND TAKES STIFFER ATTITUDE AGAINST EXTREMISTS

GERMAN CABINET FEARS THAT ALLIES WILL REFUSE TO NEGOTIATE WITH PRESENT GOVERNMENT—SOLF RESIGNS

(By Associated Press).

PARIS, Dec. 12.—Negotiations for a prolongation of the German armistice have been begun at Reves.

The German delegates requested the Allies to reinforce their troops and aid German authorities in maintaining quiet.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Copenhagen correspondents learn that as a result of the support he is receiving from the Prussian Guards, Premier Ebert is taking a stiffer attitude toward the Spartacus group, and a number of arrests are expected.

Berlin's welcome to the returning Prussian Guards was solemn, rather than triumphant. Troops marched under the national colors, bands played "Deutschland Uber Alles," and not the revolutionary air.

Ebert welcomed them, saying that a new government had been established, and that the army would be its strongest support. He said:

"Your deeds, and sacrifices are unexampled. No enemy overcame you except only when a preponderance of our opponents in men and material grew heavier, and then only did we abandon the struggle."

Soldiers' representatives said that they did not want to be led away from the path of quiet by Dr. Leibknecht and other dreamers.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The German cabinet is anticipating a refusal by the Allies to deal with the present government, and the soldiers' and workmen's council is considering convoking the reichstag, to give the government a parliamentary basis, according to the Berlin Tageblatt.

The reichstag session is expected to begin next week.

Foreign Minister Dr. Solf has handed in his resignation, which has been accepted by the reichstag.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12.—There were extensive riots yesterday in Aussig, Bohemia, according to Prague dispatches. Machine guns and rifles were used against the mobs. Three were killed, five seriously wounded and many slightly hurt.

MAN WANTED IN DOUGLAS TAKEN HERE

The arrest of Charles Perason wanted in Douglas County on a charge of larceny, was effected yesterday by Sheriff George Humphrey, who found his man on Sprague River where he was preparing to spend the winter hunting and trapping. Authorities in Douglas County have been notified and it is expected that officers will arrive and take him back at an early date.

REICHTAG NOT TO BE CONVOKED

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—It is officially denied that the government is considering convening the Reichstag.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT FOR POWER COMPANY

James H. Moore is the new man selected to fill the place as Superintendent and Assistant manager of the California Oregon Power Company in this city vacated by Oscar H. Brown. Mr. Moore comes from Glendale where he has held the position of District agent. He has arrived to assume his new duties and will be followed at an early date by his family.

CANVASS FOR ROLL CALL TO START MONDAY

ARRANGEMENTS FOR DRIVE IN COUNTY ABOUT COMPLETED. MEETING OF TEAM CAPTAINS FOR SATURDAY.

The arrangements for the local drive on the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call are fast nearing completion. A meeting of the team captains and their assistants is called for 3:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon December the 14th at the Executive Office of the local Red Cross Chapter at 11th and Main streets, for the purpose of discussing the plans and methods of procedure.

It is the intention to call upon the business houses on Monday and enroll the business men and their employees as well as their families. Mrs. T. E. McDonald is in charge of the team covering the business district. The following are the team captains who will have charge of the resident districts:

- No. 1—Mrs. E. J. Mayer. No. 2—Mrs. E. J. Murray. No. 3—Mrs. Carey Hamber. No. 4—Mrs. Paul Johnson. No. 5—Mrs. Mayzel Richards. No. 6 & 7—Mrs. Rose Torrey. No. 8—Mrs. C. D. Garcelon. No. 9—Mrs. R. H. Yancy.

Thru the courtesy of Mr. C. F. Loomis the headquarters during the drive will be in the Loomis Bldg. in the room used by the 3rd Liberty Loan Committee. Team captains and their workers will report there to Mr. J. D. Keck, Roll Call Cashier.

The residence canvass will begin on Tuesday morning and will continue until every house has been visited. The publicity is in charge of Rev. E. P. Lawrence who is also acting as assistant to the manager.

Quoting from Mr. H. P. Davison, Chairman of the National Red Cross War Council "The whole American people will be invited in the week preceding Christmas to enroll as members of the Red Cross. It is confidently believed that there need be no further campaigns for Red Cross funds, but instead, the Annual Roll Call will constitute the foundation for the Red Cross. The people should therefore know as definitely as possible the plans of this, their National Humanitarian Society."

GEO. J. WALTON, County Manager.

LEAVE FOR RAY CITY

Miss Joie Low left this morning for a two weeks vacation visit with friends in San Francisco. She was accompanied by Miss Dorothy Shive, who expects to remain in the city.

BOAT BREAKS ICE ON LONG LAKE TRIP

A trip to the Willamette River and back breaking the ice on the big Upper Lake the entire distance both ways was the experience of the steamer Madge on Tuesday, and unless weather conditions moderate considerably, this will probably be the last trip up the lake of the season. It is declared that the steamer was worked to her utmost capacity in plowing thru the ice which has now reached a substantial thickness. The steamer Elmore is now on the ways at Shipbuilding for the winter.

NEW WORK ON S. P. ROAD IS BEING PUSHED

FIFTY MEN WITH FAMILIES NOW HERE—BIG ROUNDHOUSE, CAR SHOP AND OTHER CONSTRUCTION EXPECTED SOON

Altho definite plans of the company are not known at this time, it is believed that the erection of car shops, roundhouse and other railroad division construction of an extensive nature will be launched at Klamath Falls as soon as weather conditions will permit in the spring.

Agent S. E. Berry declared today that while the car shop survey had already been completed, the operations for the coming year were still a matter of conjecture. That there are to be of a very substantial nature, however, is indicated by the fact that more than 500 cars of railroad ties for the improvement of the line between Klamath Falls and Chiloquin have already been received, and that more than 500 men, with their families, who are employed by the company for this work, are now in the county. The monthly pay roll is now more than \$5,000.

Should the Southern Pacific company now decide to go ahead with construction of divisional facilities in keeping and on a scale with the splendid \$45,000 depot built in 1909, a big addition to the city is assured.

CANADIANS TO JOIN AGAINST BURLESON NOW

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—The seizure of the Western Union and Commercial cables by Postmaster-General Burleson of the United States, is being considered by the Canadian government because the lines passing between Canada and Ireland are considered part of the British system and authority to operate them was obtained from their Canadian and Newfoundland government. It was announced today, Mr. Burleson, "it was learned here, did not consult the Canadian government before taking over the cables and the government has heard of this action only thru press reports. Though no decision has been reached as to the Government's attitude, inquiries as to the effect the action will have are being made, as Canada has a large financial interest in the Commercial Cable Company. The Government's attitude, it was said, will be deferred until Mr. Burleson's plans are further disclosed. Government officials pointed out that Mr. Burleson's action apparently introduces an official supervision of British, Canadian and Australian cable traffic which in no way touches the United States. It was said officials hesitated to accept the seizure as a war measure because it was made after war had been terminated by the signing of the armistice and because the seizure extends to Pacific and South American cable lines which are beyond the war zone.

LEAVE FOR EXTENDED TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brockton-brough expect to leave Sunday for Chicago, where they will spend a vacation of two months. Mr. Brockton-brough is head of the bookkeeping department of the Pelican Bay Lumber Company.

MAN MURDERED IN QUARREL IN EAST OREGON

MINE OWNER INTERVENES IN DISPUTE BETWEEN MAN AND DIVORCED WIFE. TRAGEDY OCCURS AT BAKER

BAKER, Dec. 12.—George Holbrook, a miner was shot and killed yesterday near here by Thomas Adams, owner of the Lumaha mine. According to information received by the authorities, Adams intervened in a dispute between Holbrook and his divorced wife.

When Holbrook threatened her, Adams shot him. Adams and the woman are held.

ADJUSTMENT OF SOUTH AMERICAN SCRAP EXPECTED

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 12.—The reply of Chile to the offer of President Wilson to mediate in the controversy between Chile and Peru is looked upon by Chilean newspapers as a refusal to accept American mediation. The American note said that President Wilson "was ready to attend any suggestion made by Chile."

On the other hand, President Irgoyen of Argentina sent a note to Chile in which he said he offered mediation "in order to arrange definitely the Tacna-Arica problem." Dispatches from Chile indicate that there is a tendency in that country to accept the Argentina offer and refuse the American.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Information reaching the state department indicates that the situation with respect to Chile and Peru growing out of the disputed provinces of Tacna and Arica, is more hopeful. The United States has urged upon both countries that every step be taken to preserve amicable relations and it was said that the offer of the American government to adjust the dispute with a view to preserving peaceful relations thruout the American continent.

Peru has accepted the offer of the United States but no official word has come from Chile. Officials accordingly showed great interest in press dispatches today from Buenos Aires saying there is a tendency in Chile to accept the Argentine offer and refuse the tender of good offices by the United States.

It was learned that President Wilson has gone abroad prepared to meet any query regarding the relations between Chile and Peru. For months the bureau, which was devoted to gathering data regarding the various nations of the world and the troublesome questions upon the troublesome questions involved, is known to have been working upon the trouble that has existed in South America since Chile's victory over Peru in 1879.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12.—The State Department has published a recent note from the United States to the Presidents of Chile and Peru, declaring that they owe it to the rest of the world to temper their differences. The note said that the severance of these relations is viewed with the gravest apprehension, particularly on the eve of the Paris peace conference.

MANY SHOOTING DUCKS WITHIN CITY LIMITS

SEVERAL MEN ARRESTED AND FINED FOR SHOOTING—DEPUTY GAME WARDEN UNITS PRELIMINARY APPOINTMENT

A number of arrests for shooting ducks along the canal within the city limits have been made by Game Warden Henry Stout, who declares that a large number of local hunters have been guilty of breaking this ordinance, and issues a citation against a repetition of this offense.

E. V. Ritchie and J. B. Hudson were apprehended Sunday, and Ambrose Tschler later. C. C. Randolph was taken into custody this morning for this offense.

Ritchie and Hudson were fined \$25 and costs each before Justice of the Peace N. J. Chapman. Tschler was fined \$25.00 in the same court.

Mr. Stout has just received his appointment as United States Deputy Game Warden for this district, and will hold this office in addition to his work as game warden. He will from now on enforce the federal law regarding shooting of ducks before sunrise and after sunset, and that which regulates the game limit of geese to eight birds.

HURRIES TO SICK WIFE AT MEDFORD

Just after reading a letter from his wife in Medford this morning saying that she had the influenza but that she was getting along nicely, C. Andres, who is employed at a wood finisher at the County Court House received a wire to the effect that she was very low. He had just eight minutes on getting the word to make the train, but reached the depot in time.

MORE BOYS ARE NOW ON WAY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12.—The sailing of four army transports bringing additional units from France is announced today by the war department.

The transport Rappahannock sailed on December 6th, the Mallory, Leviathan and Celtic on the 8th bringing about 9,000 men.

KRUPP MUNITION WORKS TO MAKE MAKING WAR GOOD

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12.—The directors of the Krupp Munition works have announced their intention to transform the plant into a factory devoted to the arts of peace, according to the Cologne Gazette.

CITY MAN LISTED SEVERELY WOUNDED

The name of Lars J. Medford is given today by the county Nat. from Klamath Falls. The extent of nature of his wounds is not known.

Medford is a Swedish lumberer who lived in Klamath County some time previous to his removal to the opposite coast. He is a naturalized citizen. He is single and has an immediate family in the United States. At the time of his capture, he was employed by the old Manufacturing Company.

DEMOCRATS WOULD GIVE ROADS OVER FIVE YEARS

PROPOSAL OF ROAD TO BEYOND HALLMARK OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY FOR FIVE YEARS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12.—The National Administration has an intention of reducing the term of the railroad under control of the government for five years and with instant criticism on the Republican side of the Senate today.

Senator Kellogg of Minnesota declared that a plan to transfer moment ownership to the hands of this new party and that Kellogg's letter is a most remarkable document coming just after the President's address in which he declared that he had no recommendation to make in the matter and that this was a problem which would have to be worked out.

WELL KNOWN CALIFORNIAN VISITS CITY

To visit for the first time the large stock ranch in Ryan Lake Valley about fourteen miles from this city, which he purchased from the late Mr. A. C. Reed, who has been the public eye in connection with the annual August 1st parade.

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