

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Saturday, unsettled; probably rain in west portion of state, rain or snow in east portion.

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NATIONS ADOPT ROOT PROPOSAL FOR SUB-BOATS

Commanders Violating Law to Be Declared Guilty of Piracy

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.—Consideration of the submarine questions were concluded today by the five power naval committee with the adoption of the final Root resolution declaring submarine commanders who, with or without orders, violate the existing international law of submarine warfare be declared guilty of piracy.

The American delegation, through Root, thereupon brought forth a new proposal to prohibit use of poison gas in future wars. The proposal was received favorably, but the final decision went over until tomorrow.

The piracy resolution was widened to include commanders of all naval vessels violating the recognized rules.

BOND ELECTION 31ST

Voters Will Decide Upon Proposed \$500,000 Issue

Tuesday, January 31, is the date for the special election when voters will decide upon the proposed \$500,000 road bond issue. The early date was decided upon rather than the May primaries in the belief that the delay would hold up construction work until fall, and because by that time state funds might be exhausted.

CLEVELAND ADOPTS MANAGER FORM OF CITY GOVERNMENT

CLEVELAND, Jan. 6.—When Mayor-elect Fred Kohler, one-time "golden rule" chief of police, took office January 1, he commenced the last term of any mayor elected in this city under the Federal Plan government.

By a vote of approximately 7 to 5, the voters at the November 8 election approved amending the city charter to introduce the city manager form of government on January 1, 1924. The amendments also provide that the city council shall be elected by proportional representation from four aldermanic districts, from which five to seven councilmen will be returned.

Under the manager plan amendments, this council will appoint a manager for the city, who will have complete control of the executive branch of the government. A majority vote of the council can hire the manager, but in order to discharge him, charges must be preferred and the manager given a civil service commission trial if he requests it. The city council will be appointed and directed by the manager.

Cleveland is the largest city in the country to adopt the manager form of proportional representation.

MISS MADGE DIXON SOCIETY EDITOR FOR EVENING HERALD

Miss Madge Dixon, of the First State & Savings bank, has accepted the position of society editor of the Evening Herald, succeeding Miss Maybelle Leavitt, who left this week for Eugene where she will continue her studies at the University of Oregon. Miss Dixon will retain her position at the bank.

DIVORCE GRANTED

A decree of divorce was granted in the circuit court today on the application of Ben Mitchell against Anna R. Mitchell.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES

The Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy registered a steadily falling barometric pressure during yesterday afternoon and last night, but the tendency this morning slightly upward again. This, combined with northerly winds, is more favorable for clearing weather than it has been for over two weeks.

Forecast for next 24 hours: Generally fair. Cold with moderate winds. The Tyco recording thermometer registered the following maximum and minimum temperatures today: High 32, Low 27.

SPROUL WILL NOT TAKE SENATORSHIP HELD BY PENROSE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—Governor William C. Sproul announced tonight he would not resign to take the senatorship made vacant by the death of Senator Boise Penrose. "If I should ever go to the United States senate," he said, "I shall submit my candidacy to the people of the state in the regular way." "In due time I shall name a successor to Senator Penrose, who will, I hope, commend himself to the state and to the country," he said.

MOSCOW FACING LONG STRUGGLE AGAINST FAMINE

Family Ties Are Not Considered by Russians in the Fight for Existence

MOSCOW, Jan. 6.—Signs grow as the winter deepens that even Moscow faces a long period of misery, notwithstanding the conditions here are far better than anywhere else in Central Russia.

The struggle for food and clothing is all absorbing. They are the only things that count. Home, family ties and obligations, friendship, art, politics, public and private ambitions—all are subjugated to these two elemental needs.

Most Russians are convinced that the mere return to free trade and capitalism or the signing of new orders will not right the wrongs the country has suffered, bring back the old life of the peasant, the bourgeoisie and the noble, nor make Russians again a wealthy people.

The struggle for existence is so bitter that few have time to give much thought to the future. The needs of today are too pressing in such cases, for example, as the former wealthy noble, and his wife from Smolensk, who now live without fire or food in a Moscow garret which the husband cannot leave because he has no shoes. His wife speaks half a dozen languages yet she can find no employment.

In the same condition is a woman who once owned 200 miles of land fronting on the Caspian Sea. Arrested as a spy, separated from her husband and children and shipped North to die, she is eking out an existence by peddling eggs and vegetables in Moscow.

Speculation and robbery are the two favorite ways of obtaining the necessities of life.

STATE HEADS CHOSEN

Governor Olcott Names Officers for New Term

SALEM, Jan. 6.—Charles Hall of Marshfield, state land settlement commissioner for the four-year term, has been reappointed by Governor Olcott, according to announcement made here. Other members of the commission are G. H. Baker of Bend, Emery Olmstead of Portland, Robert N. Stanfield of Portland, and Whitney L. Boise of Portland.

Eunice Smith of Portland has been reappointed a member of the state industrial welfare commission. He represents the employees. Other members of the commission are W. L. Brewster of Portland, representing the state at large, and Aramdee M. Smith of Portland, representing the employers.

Otto R. Hartwig of Portland has been reappointed a member of the state board for vocational education. Other members are Mrs. Geo. McMath of Portland, F. B. Ingalls of Dufur, David M. Dunne of Portland, Governor Olcott and Sam A. Koser, secretary of state.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES AT AT I. O. O. F. TEMPLE SUNDAY

The Psychology of Power and Psychotherapy or Mental Healing, will be the subject of a sermon by The Reverend Dr. Van Waters, of the Episcopal church, at the Sunday services at the Odd Fellows temple.

FURNISH COTTON PAYING 80 PER CENT OF CLAIMS

Workmen's claims to the amount of 80 per cent are being paid by the Peppers-Cotton Lumber company, of Dorris, it was learned here today. The claims are being paid through J. P. McNamara, Yreka attorney.

CIVIL STRIFE IN IRELAND IS HELD LIKELY

De Valera and Cabinet Out, Country Split Over Treaty Terms

DUBLIN, Jan. 6.—Official announcement was made this afternoon that Eamon N. De Valera had resigned the presidency of the Irish republic.

De Valera opened the afternoon session of the Dail Eireann by saying the split over the treaty was fundamental and irrevocable. De Valera, in announcing his own resignation to the Dail Eireann said the cabinet also had resigned.

Before the afternoon session opened Liam Roiside, of Cork, said the situation was extremely critical, and that he feared civil strife might ensue from a division of the country on the treaty.

The committee which sought to bring about an agreement failed.

DUBLIN, Jan. 6.—De Valera today said he would offer himself for re-election, standing on the principles of 1916. He said he must have the cabinet support him, and would demand all resources be given to him to defend the republic. Later he said he was sick at heart, and intended to retire to private life. He spoke with tears in his eyes.

U. CLUB BEATS AGENCY

Large Number Attend Games Despite Inclement Weather

The University Club basketball team defeated the Klamath Agency players at the Klamath Amateur Athletic hall last night by a score of 27 to 15. The preliminary game between the high school and the Knights of Columbus was won by the former.

Despite inclement weather, a good attendance was had and the players gave good exhibitions of basketball. The line-up follows:

University club—Houston, Perry, Dunn, Bressler, Bradbury and Smith; Klamath Agency—Baird, H. Dillstrom, B. Dillstrom, E. Dillstrom and F. Hood. Goals: Bradbury, 6; Perry, 2; Houston, 2; Smith, 1; H. Dillstrom, 2; B. Dillstrom, 1; R. Baird, 1. Goal from foul: Perry, 2; Smith, 1; R. Baird, 6; E. Dillstrom, 1.

Receipts were \$10.75 which gave the athletic association a profit over all expenses.

MARKET REPORT

PORTLAND, Jan. 6.—Livestock, steady; eggs, weak; butter, steady.

S. P. ANNOUNCES 10 PER CENT CUT IN FREIGHT RATES

Reduction Affects Grain Products on All Local Points of Southern Pacific

A 10 per cent reduction in freight rates on flour, grain, grain products, hay and straw, from Klamath Falls and points on the Wood branch to all points in Oregon and California, will go into effect tomorrow on Southern Pacific lines, it was announced today by J. J. Miller, local agent.

With the recent removal of the three per cent war tax, the total freight rate reduction since January 1 is 13 per cent.

146 KILLED IN MINES

Month of November Shows Decrease of 25 Per Cent Over 1920

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.—In the month of November, 146 men were killed in and about the coal mines of the United States, according to reports received by the Federal Bureau of Mines from the various state mine inspectors. The figures represent a decrease of 51 fatalities or about 26 per cent, as compared with November, 1920, in which month 197 men were killed at coal mines. Based upon an estimated output of 42,514,000 short tons in November, 1921, the fatality rate is 3.41 per million tons produced. The corresponding rate for November, 1920, was 3.34, and the production of coal was 58,898,000 tons. The production of coal during November, 1921, represents a decrease of 27 per cent.

Of the 146 fatalities, 195 were at bituminous mines throughout the country and 41 at the anthracite mines in Pennsylvania. Fatal accidents at Pennsylvania bituminous mines number 23, a decrease of 6 as compared with November a year ago. There were 20 fatalities in West Virginia, a decrease of 6; 16 in Illinois, a reduction of 2; 10 in Ohio, a reduction of 1; 6 in Alabama, a decrease of 13; and 5 in Kentucky, a decrease of 13.

During the first 11 months of 1921 1,794 men were killed by accidents at coal mines, against 2,077 killed during the corresponding month of 1920, a decrease of 283 fatalities, or 14 per cent. The output of coal for the same months was 457,259,000 short tons in 1921 and 584,641,000 tons in 1920, a decrease during the present year of 127,382,000 tons, or 22 per cent. These figures represent a fatality rate of 3.92 per million tons in 1921 and 3.55 per million tons mined in 1920.

A banquet was enjoyed at the Bluebird after which the members adjourned to the Chamber of Commerce. Present were: Dr. G. A. Massey, Dr. T. C. Campbell, Dr. L. D. Gass, Dr. J. D. Patterson, Dr. Warren Hunt, Dr. G. L. Wright, Dr. L. L. Truax, Dr. C. V. Fisher, Dr. Kresse, Dr. A. A. Soule and Dr. G. H. Morryman.

ATTACHMENT SERVED AGAINST LANGELL MILL

Deputy Sheriff Marion Barnes yesterday placed an attachment on the O. J. Wilkinson sawmill in Langell Valley, which has been closed for some time. He placed a deputy in charge of the property. The attachment is on a note for \$2000, which S. C. Hamaker is suing to recover.

STATE BANKS TO HOLD STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

A meeting of stockholders of all state banks has been called for January 12, when officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

AIR SYSTEM OF SCHOOL TO BE INVESTIGATED

Doctors May Recommend That Central Building Be Condemned

For the purpose of investigating the ventilating system of the Central school, with view to either recommending proper equipment or condemnation of the building, a committee composed of Dr. H. D. L. Stewart, city health officer, Dr. G. H. Merryman, county health officer, and Dr. George I. Wright was appointed last night at a meeting of the Klamath-Lake counties Medical society held at the Chamber of Commerce.

This action was decided upon when it was brought out that children attending the Central school have for years been addicted to colds and throat trouble which, the society holds, is caused by the dry air heating system coupled with inadequate ventilation. It was the opinion of those present that unless this condition can be remedied condemnation proceedings should be instituted without delay.

Dr. A. A. Soule, retiring president of the association, gave a short talk on the "Business Side of Medicine." Dr. G. A. Massey, who was elected president at the December meeting of the society, took the chair with appropriate remarks. Dr. Warren Hunt read a paper on Treatment of Syphilis and Dr. C. V. Fisher led a general discussion of the subject.

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1925 EXPOSITION TO BE PROMOTED ON NEW PLAN, IS DECISION

PORTLAND, Jan. 6.—The statewide 1925 exposition executive committee adopted resolutions yesterday, declaring for the exposition, but decided to wipe out past legislative action and start a new plan, which will be formulated. The governor yesterday vetoed the election bill.

COURT HEARS SUIT FOR RECOVERY OF EXCAVATION COSTS

J. W. Nicholson Plaintiff in Case Against Harry Poole and D. O. Williams

In the circuit court today the suit brought by J. W. Nicholson against Harry Poole and D. O. Williams for the recovery of \$1,500 alleged due for work of excavation on the property at the corner of Eighth and Klamath avenue, was begun before Judge Kupkendall.

R. C. Greenbeck appeared for the plaintiff, W. A. West for Poole and Fred Fletcher for Williams. Poole was on the stand most of the afternoon. It is three-cornered affair in which Poole claims that his interests in the work of excavation, which was for a new theatre building, were taken over by D. O. Williams and that he was not responsible for any indebtedness contracted thereafter.

NEW DOLLAR ISSUED

First Coin Sent by Special Messenger to President Harding

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 6.—The new silver dollar—the peace dollar—is now in circulation, several hundred thousand having been shipped to the federal reserve banks by the Philadelphia mint.

The new coin was made in commemoration of the arms conference. There will be 180,000,000 of the new coins issued, one-half of which will be dated 1921. The first dollar was sent by special messenger to President Harding.

SEATTLE CITY WAGE CUT, DESPITE VETO

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 6.—Pay of all salaried employees of the city of Seattle is reduced \$10 a month and the wage of day workers is cut 25 cents a day in the annual salary ordinance passed by the city council over the veto of Mayor Hugh M. Caldwell.

JERRY BENNETT RECOVERING AFTER SERIOUS OPERATION

Jerry Bennett, well-known veteran of the Civil and Modoc wars, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Warren Hunt hospital, is on the road to recovery. It was reported today.

SALEM WOMAN DROWNS HERSELF IN CREEK

SALEM, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Martha Williams, 58, despondent because of ill health, drowned herself in a creek near her home this morning. She was dressed only in night clothes.

BRITTON WILL DEFEND TITLE AGAINST SHADE

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Welterweight champion, Jack Britton, will defend his title against Dave Shade at Madison Square Garden, January 31. A contract for a 15-round decision bout was signed today.

"THE STEEL KING" AT STRAND TONIGHT

Most men make sure their wives love them before they marry. John Black in the new World Picture "The Steel King," at the Strand tonight, knows that Eleanor Fairchild despises him before they are married. So confident of his ability to make her care for him is he that he marries her.

An unusual situation. It's just like the picture—unusual! That's the foundation for a remarkable picture. Blake does win his wife's love. How he does it is a wonderful story! There are also two comedies on tonight that will make you laugh until your sides ache.

CRATER FOREST DRAWS 42,000 DURING SEASON

Gratifying Increase Shows in Park Attendance During 1921

PORTLAND, Jan. 6.—A tremendous increase in numbers of tourists, campers, fishermen, hunters and out-of-door people of all types visiting the national forests of Oregon was experienced in the past summer, according to figures just issued by forest service headquarters here.

One factor contributing to the increase was the adequate supply of gasoline available this year, the forest service believes. The year before the tourist trade received an immense set-back due to shortage of fuel gas. Oregon's national forests this year were visited by 423,637 persons, under the heading of "recreational visitors," according to the figures.

Autos In Majority

This number includes summer residence permittees, campers, hunters and fishermen, automobilists, pedestrians and other travelers. The largest figure was set by automobilists—323,878 of them visiting the fourteen national forests of the state.

The most popular of the national forests of the state last year was the Oregon, according to the figures. It was visited by more than 250,000 persons, 200,000 of whom were automobile passengers.

Campers on this forest numbered 13,000, while last year only 5000 of this class of nature lovers visited the reserve.

Crater Is Popular

Crater forest came second in popularity, being visited by 42,000 recreation seekers.

That summer houses on the national forests are increasing in popularity is shown by figures of the Oregon reserve for the summer of 1921 and the season of the year previous. In 1920 but sixty-six people applied for summer home sites on this area, while last summer leases were granted 555 persons.

STARVING CHILD TAKES FOOD HOME TO HER PARENTS

LUBIMOKKA, Tartar Republic, Jan. 6.—(The Associated Press)—American workers who are administering relief to children in Russian famine areas find it extremely trying to live up to selective plan of feeding in villages where practically all the inhabitants are in dire need of food.

By requiring the children to eat their meals in relief kitchens, the workers insure against the delivery of food to persons who have not been passed upon by examining physicians. But the children make many pathetic attempts to dodge the regulations.

One little girl in the kitchen here ate only part of her bowl of rice, milk and sugar, and asked permission to take the remainder, of her rice and her white roll home to her father, who was ill with typhus. "It is really more than I care for. I am not used to having so much at once," the child pleaded.

The case was investigated and the workers arranged an allowance of food for the sick man, as the relief work may also be extended to invalids.

In families where one child is recommended for feeding by the doctors, while brothers and sisters are not given food cards, it is not unusual for the fortunate one to take the others along to the kitchen and carry out to them a portion of the ration. The self-sacrificing spirit of the little boys and girls makes it doubly hard for relief workers.

WARNS POWERS NOT TO RELY UPON OTHER NATIONS

CANNES, France, Jan. 6.—Lloyd George, in addressing the opening session of the allied supreme council today, warned the allied powers that they could not look to any other agency but themselves to work out the rehabilitation of Europe. He appealed to the allies to set aside prejudices and work together. The council approved the calling of an international economic conference, Germany and Russia to participate.

TOO MANY DELILAH SPOIL SAMPSON'S HAIRCUT

