

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Tuesday, fair, except for rain in southwest portion; not so cold in east portion.

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POPE BENEDICT PASSES AFTER GALLANT FIGHT

Recuperative Powers Held
Remarkable; End Comes
Early on Sunday

ROME, Jan. 22.—(E. O. S.)—Pope Benedict's death occurred at 6 o'clock (Sunday) morning.

ROME, Jan. 23.—The Pope's body today lay in state in the basilica of St. Peter's while vast throngs passed recently before the catafalque. The body was taken early today to the Vatican chapel from a throne room, where it was placed after death Sunday morning. A meeting of the Sacred college to elect a successor to the late Pope Benedict will be held February 1 or February 2.

Saturday was a day of great uncertainty in Rome and deep anxiety among those who watched and prayed at the Vatican, for virtually all hope of the Pope's recovery was abandoned even early in the morning.

As the hours passed, the wonder grew at the recuperative powers of the Pope, which enabled him to pass from one sinking spell to another, to periods of comparative restfulness and strength.

Hope inspired
It was this changing condition that inspired hope at one moment and gave rise to rumors of death by another.

It was thought that if the Pope passed safely through the night he would have a chance of life after the dawn, and so it proved.

In the early part of the day sleep came, and seemed to add to his powers of resistance. Throughout the day great throngs gathered around the Vatican and a double row of Royal Guards took up positions in the outskirts of St. Peter's, forming a passage way for diplomatic representatives, prelates and other notables.

Telegrams From Notables
Cardinal Gaspari, papal secretary of state, received many telegrams from all parts of the world, including those from King George of England and the King of Belgium. The cardinal spent considerable time in the sickroom, but entered the ante chamber shortly after 5 o'clock. He said:

"I came out to announce that there is no existent hope. The Pope may be considered as having virtually ceased to exist." This caused consternation among those assembled and Gaspari was weeping as he came from the room in which the pontiff was dying.

Pope Benedict XV, the 259th successor of St. Peter as supreme head of the Roman Catholic church, began his pontificate on September 6, 1914, soon after Europe entered upon its four years of war. Upon many occasions during the war he endeavored to bring the belligerent nations to a peace agreement and thus to maintain the title which had been affectionately bestowed upon him by a high dignity of his communion, as "a messenger God sent to bring peace."

The successor of Pius X was said to have combined the states-

COLD BRINGS VIRTUE

Police Say People Have Been Good During Snappy Weather

The police department has arrived at the conclusion that when the extremely cold wave struck the city a week ago it brought with it a spasm of virtue.

Since January 15 until last night—an entire week—there had been, so far as the police knew, not a single infraction of the law. Not an arrest had been made in that time.

The record was broken last night, however, when two men were arrested for intoxication.

TWO RESTAURANTS MERGE

Two restaurants, the Mutt & Jeff, 532 Main, and the Tangle parlor, 340 Main, have merged, and hereafter will conduct the Savoy cafe, at 532 Main; it was announced today.

DOOR OF ARBUCKLE'S ROOM AT HOTEL IS INTRODUCED AT TRIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—E. O. Heinrich, a finger print expert, testifying that he had identified the finger prints of Arbuckle and Miss Rappe on the door of Arbuckle's room at the Hotel St. Francis. The door was introduced as evidence. Heinrich said Arbuckle's finger prints superimposed those made by Miss Rappe.

PERMIT TO ISSUE MILLION IN BONDS IS GRANTED COPCO

Will Finance Building of Transmission Line From Prospect to Eugene

Permit to issue \$1,000,000 worth of twenty year, six per cent bonds was granted the California Oregon Power company by the California State Railroad Commission at San Francisco Saturday.

The fund created by sale of the securities will defray the cost of constructing the 115 mile high tension line, which will be built this year to supply power from the Prospect plant to the Mountain States Power company at Eugene, and to customers in the Rogue and Umpqua valleys, and for other improvements contemplated by the company.

LEGION PLANS SHOW

Special Entertainment Committee Will Meet Tonight

A meeting of the special entertainment committee of the American Legion will be held in the Legion club rooms at 7:30 tonight when plans will be discussed for the entertainment to be given on February 21.

The committee asks that all Legion men who are interested in the forthcoming affair be present, as the support of all is wanted in order to make the entertainment a success. Plans at present provide for four acts, each with three or four scenes, and will include a patriotic production, a minstrel show, an army kitchen comedy and a base hospital scene. In addition, there will be acts during the intermissions, and the show will be followed by a dance.

The committee believes this will be the most successful affair of its kind ever staged in this city.

DIRECTORS CHOSEN

Main State Bank Names Board; Officers Not Selected

At a meeting of stockholders of the Main State Bank Saturday evening the following directors were elected: A. Kallina, L. Boldischar, Ned O'Connor, Gene Hammond and A. J. Myers.

Officers were not elected, the directors having five days under the law in which to meet and choose the bank management.

G. B. Atkinson, recently from Kansas City, it is considered certain, will be cashier.

QUESTION RAISED AS TO DESIGN FOR FLAG OF IRELAND

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The question has been raised whether the designs of the Union Jack and Royal Coat of Arms of Great Britain will have to be altered if Ireland becomes a free state within the empire.

The Union Jack has the cross of St. Patrick superimposed upon the crosses of St. George and St. Andrew. The Royal Coat of Arms has the Irish harp in one of its corners.

At the College of Arms in London it was stated that certain modifications were under consideration, and that if any action were taken it would be done by the king in council. No parliamentary action will be necessary.

Heraldry experts say that alterations in arms are very expensive. Some years ago there was a demand from Irish quarters that the blue ground of the golden harp on the royal standard should be changed to green. It was then estimated that the alteration would cost at least \$2,000,000. To remove all reference to Ireland from the present Union Jack and Royal Arms would be vastly more expensive.

One authority said that it would not be correct for England, the predominant partner, to leave Ireland out of account in the national flag and the royal arms, unless and until Ireland herself demanded it.

CHIEF WILSON TO CLAMP LID ON POOL ROOMS

May Ask That Protection
Charges Be Proven
Before Council

Chief Wilson will appear before the council tonight and make a report on the pool rooms in the course of which he will in all likelihood demand that the pool room keepers who are alleged to have accused the police of accepting "protection" money be brought on the carpet and compelled to submit their proof. He declares the imputation to be an infamous lie that has been given currency by the jealousy existing among the keepers of the pool rooms.

Wilson, in speaking of the matter this morning, said that it was his purpose to clamp the lid on so tight that there would be no squinting out from under it.

On Saturday night, accompanied by Officer McLaughlin, he made the rounds of the pool rooms and personally notified every proprietor that the very first time it was discovered that gambling of any kind was permitted on the premises the privilege of playing cards would be revoked altogether. He will ask the council tonight to back him up on this ruling.

INDIAN KILLING FIRST BEFORE GRAND JURY

The grand jury convened this morning, and District Attorney Brower said that the jail cases would be given first consideration. Among those will be the case of the Indian boy, Davis, for the killing of another Indian, Jefferson, with a billiard cue. The case of Dean T. Upton, accused of inducing his wife to lead an immoral life, will also be up for consideration. Sheriff Low and his deputies have been busy today summoning witnesses for appearance before the grand jury.

BLOWN OUT TO SEA

Fisherman Saved, Wife Frozen in Lake Superior Gale

PORT WING, Wis., Jan. 23.—Carried out into Lake Superior by a gale Saturday, Alfred Peterson, a fisherman of Knife River, Minn., reached here after his wife had perished in the open rowboat. His legs and arms were frozen. Peterson, leaving his wife's body in the ice-locked boat, crawled from one ice cake to another until he reached shore.

40 BELOW COLDEST DAY IN NORTHERN PART OF COUNTY

Drop Comes on Thursday; Next Day Residents Have Warm Day, Only 30 Below

While residents of this city cursed the weather man and howled for the plumber during the recent cold snap, residents of the northern part of the county were also experiencing chilly weather.

C. E. Brown, writing from Kirkford, says the temperature at Martin at 7:45 a. m. Thursday, January 19, was 40 degrees below zero. At the same hour the following day, January 20, a warm wave swept over the land, and residents sweltered in a temperature of 30 degrees below zero.

The coldest day here was January 11, with 9 below, and the next coldest, January 19, with 8 below, according to reclamation office records. Saturday this cold snap appeared to be broken when the cold registered at the U. S. reclamation office was 1 below. Sunday the thermometer registered 1 degree above the zero mark.

MANY BID FOR LEASES

110 Applications Received at U. S. Reclamation Office

A total of 110 bids for leases on Tule Lake lands today were received at the U. S. Reclamation office. The bids will be opened and abstracted and the awards made public within the next two days, officials said.

Reclamation office officials and Secretary Stevenson of the Chamber of Commerce said no instruction had been received from Secretary Fall in answer to the telegram sent jointly by the Chamber of Commerce and the American Legion asking that the lands be opened to soldier homestead entry and not leased for the crop season. The awards will be made as previously announced unless instructions are received to the contrary, it was said.

TWO MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY COUNTY CLERK

Marriage licenses were issued today to Chas. Lee Hawkins and Lucille May Havencroft; and to Godfrey Rambo and Grace Jensen. Both couples are residents of Klamath Falls.

FORMER FARGO BANKER HELD FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

SEATTLE, Jan. 23.—J. J. Hastings, former vice president of the Scandinavian American Bank of Fargo, N. D., today was arrested here charged with embezzling \$2000.

STORK CALLS AT HOME

OF MR. AND MRS. E. M. HUBB
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hubb are being congratulated on the arrival of an 8 1/2 pound baby girl born at their home, 715 Jefferson street, at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

NO DESIGNS ON SIBERIA, CLAIM MADE BY JAPAN

Will Withdraw Troops if
Stable Government Is
Established

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23.—A statement declaring that Japan has no territorial designs in Siberia, and giving assurance that Japanese troops would be withdrawn soon as a stable government is established, was made today to the Far Eastern committee by Ambassador Shidehara. The disclaimer included Saghalien as well as other portions of Siberia.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Secretary Hughes is understood to have informed the Far Eastern committee today that the question of the Japanese, 21 demands, abrogation of which has been asked by China, will be taken up as soon as a settlement is reached on the Shantung controversy.

ATHLETIC MEN MEET

Committees Appointed to Handle
Activities of Association

Plans for the athletic smoker, the forum entertainment to be given Wednesday, a membership campaign and other matters of importance were discussed at a meeting of the Klamath Amateur Athletic association at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday night.

Committees to have charge of the various activities of the association were appointed as follows: Membership—J. H. Houston, Burge W. Mason, Harold Christy, H. R. Hill, W. W. Southwell and Frank Howard; Forum—Christy, J. H. Houston and Dr. W. A. Leonard; By-laws—Frank Howard, E. M. Hubb, H. R. Hill and W. W. Southwell.

The By-laws committee will meet at the office of W. H. Van Emon, secretary of the association, at 7:30 this evening.

Harold Christy, who has been arranging for the smoker, reported that the affair could be held within two weeks. January 27 previously had been tentatively set for the smoker, but it was found the time

GENERAL PERSHING DECLINES TO ACCEPT MEDAL AWARDED HIM

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23.—General Pershing today declined to accept the distinguished service cross voted by the army board of awards, which Secretary Weeks planned to bestow at a "Surprise Party" in Weeks' office. The citation was for heroism in action against the Moros in the Philippines in 1913.

VISCOUNT BRYCE, FORMER BRITISH AMBASSADOR, DEAD

Known as "English Yankee"; Said to Have Known This Country Better Than Most Americans

LONDON, Jan. 23.—All England today mourned over Viscount Bryce of Dechmont, former Ambassador to the United States from Great Britain, who died yesterday.

As a man of letters and a public figure, Viscount Bryce was a world figure. Outside of his own country he was best known in the United States, where since the early eighties his interests had so largely centered that he was sometimes styled an "English Yankee." One remarkable thing repeatedly said of him was that he knew America better than most Americans. His "History of the American Commonwealth," has been a standard text book in the schools of the United States for the past generation—providing the spectacle of a foreigner instructing Americans in the workings and structure of their own life and laws, as de Tocqueville had done to some extent years previously in his "Democracy in America."

Through his book, through innumerable addresses in this country, and through five years service as the British Ambassador in Washington, Viscount Bryce became one of the most notable human links in the chain of friendly relations between the United States and Great Britain. The extent to which he made his personality felt is explained in part by the fact that while he was a scholar and statesman of the highest rank he always could be found willing to meet people and to discuss publicly and in a friendly way topics of national and international interest.

WHO'S HONORED MAN?

Sketch of One Klamath Resident Is Contained in "Who's Who"

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 23. (Special).—Who's Who in America for 1920-1921 contains the names and brief sketches of 133 Oregon citizens as being "living Americans whose positions or achievements make their personalities of general interest." The books gives a total for the whole country of 23,443 names.

Twenty-five Oregon towns are represented in this big biographical book of prominent Americans. These towns and the number of their citizens included are: Albany, 4; Carlton, 1; Central Point, 1; Corvallis, 6; Dayton, 1; Deer Island, 1; Eugene, 10; Forest Grove, 2; Halfway, 1; Hillsdale, 1; Hood River, 2; Jacksonville, 1; Klamath Falls, 1; McMinnville, 1; Medford, 1; North Portland, 1; Oregon City, 1; Parkdale, 1; Pendleton, 1; Philomath, 2; Portland, 13; Rock Spur, 1; Roseburg, 2; Salem, 16; and The Dalles, 1.

FAMILY BROKEN FOR FIRST TIME; YOUNGEST IS 73

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 21.—A family of seven children, the oldest 94 and the youngest 73 years old, was broken by the first death of a member when "Aunt Jennie" Holbrook, the oldest one, died at her mountain home in Letcher county recently. She was a member of the Webb family, and was said to be a descendant of Daniel Boone, the Kentucky pioneer.

Her three brothers are 92, 90 and 85 years old. The sisters are younger.

MR. AND MRS. LA FRENIERE VISITING IN EAST

The Herald is in receipt of a note from Mr. and Mrs. T. C. La Freniere. They are now in New York City, on their return from a visit with friends, and relatives in Mr. La Freniere's old home, Syracuse, New York. They expect to be back early in February.

was too short to arrange the details. A number of matches already have been arranged, Christy said, and it is certain an excellent athletic tournament will be provided.

FARMERS MEET TO DEAL WITH BIG PROBLEMS

300 Delegates at Agricultural Conference; Farm Bureau Makes Plea

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Attended by approximately 300 delegates representing agriculture in all its phases, and industries related to farming, the National Agricultural conference was convened here today by Secretary Wallace.

The delegates immediately heard from President Harding a declaration of interest and sympathy by the administration in the present plight of the Nation's farmers, together with a series of suggestions for remedying existing conditions.

The president, who walked four blocks from the White House to the meeting at a hotel, received an ovation when he appeared. The delegates frequently applauded his statements, especially his declaration for more adequate credit facilities, and his assertion that agriculture, "is truly of national interest and is not entitled to be regarded as primarily a concern of either a class, or a section or of a bloc."

The Farm Bureau Federation, represented by James R. Howard, President of the American Farm Bureau Federation, O. E. Bradute, Vice President and the members of the executive committee urged the conference to endorse a recommendation that all appointments on federal boards and committees "be made so that the interests of agriculture shall be protected and conserved."

Relief to Be Urged

Relief of the farmers' financial situation will be urged through a plan by which it will be suggested that Congress enact for long-time credits commodity financially based on warehouse receipts, personal rural credits secured by proper insurance features and the creation of machinery that will allow co-operative systems to obtain money directly.

The transportation policy, to be presented will suggest immediate reductions in freight rates, all savings in operation costs to be further refunded in further reductions under the increase of August, 1919, is wiped out and repeal or amendment of the law "so as to nullify the national agreements."

The conference will also be worked to declare for the repeal or amendment of the Esch-Cummins law "so as to abrogate the guarantee clause, restore jurisdiction in intrastate rates to the states, vitalize the railroad labor board and co-ordinate wage-making powers with the rate-making power of the Interstate Commerce Commission."

FIRST FIRE OF YEAR

Over-Heated Stovepipe Causes Damage to Tent-House

The first fire of this year occurred late this forenoon when an over-heated stovepipe in a tent-house belonging to Harry Brenard, located at the rear of the Klamath Superior laundry, resulted in damages estimated by Fire Chief Ambrose at from \$10 to \$15. The blaze was confined to the rear end of the tent. It was extinguished with three gallons of chemical.

The last fire occurred on December 29, when a confectionery store located in the old bath house across from the laundry, and within a block of today's fire, was partially destroyed.

MARKET REPORT

PORTLAND, Jan. 23.—Cattle firm; Cows 25c higher; Hogs firm, 50c higher with prime light at \$9.25 to \$9.50; Sheep firm, 25c to 50c higher. East Mountain Lamb \$9.25 to \$10; Best Valley lamb, \$8.25 to \$9.25; Eggs and butter firm. Wheat \$1.06 to \$1.12.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES

The barometric pressure continues very high but the Cycle-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy shows that it has been falling slightly since noon today.

No storm may be looked for, at least for the next twelve hours, and a shifting of the wind to the north would bring another cold wave.

Forecast for the next 24 hours: Fair weather, and warmer. The Tycos recording thermometer registered Maximum and Minimum temperatures today, as follows: High.....88 Low.....38

