

AMERICANS BEING CLOSELY GUARDED

MINISTERS TELEGRAPH THAT THE SITUATION IS ALARMING

SENATOR SANFORD WANTS THEM INFORMED THAT CALIFORNIA CAN ATTEND TO ITS OWN AFFAIRS, WITHOUT HELP

Secretary Bryan is in close touch with both Japan and California. President Wilson will confer with Congressman Baker tomorrow regarding the text of the bills pending in California legislature.

United Press Service

TOKIO, April 19.—The anti-American sentiment is growing at an alarming rate throughout the empire. This follows the announcement that the California legislature is sure to pass the anti-alien land law.

Count Okuma is greatly alarmed at the situation. He announced that it may be impossible to prevent war, should the measure pass in California.

Members of the lower classes are holding mass meetings on the streets, and with fiery speeches are becoming frenzied.

War songs are being sung, and the coolie class is crying for the emperor to attack the United States.

The American interests are being closely watched by government authorities.

Troops are held in readiness to protect American people and property, should the war-mad mob attempt to do any damage.

Sanford Gets Warm

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—The Methodist missionaries urge the defeat of the anti-Japanese legislation. The situation here is serious.

This cablegram was received this

morning by the president of the senate from Bishop Harris at Tokio.

The reading of the message created an uproar in the senate.

"I move that an answer be sent to the bishop, telling him that California can attend to its own business," thundered Senator Sanford, who is one of the promoters of the land legislation.

When the uproar finally subsided it was decided that the message be entered in the senate record, and other business was taken up.

Bryan Investigating

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—Secretary of State Bryan is in constant touch with conditions in both Tokio and Sacramento. He has made no announcement, but it is expected that the administration will not take any action until the measure is passed.

Wilson Is Quiet

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—If avoidable, President Wilson will not permit anti-Jap agitation on the Pacific coast to endanger America's friendly relations with Japan. He intimated that the less said the better matters would shape themselves.

Tomorrow Wilson and Baker will confer as to the condition on the coast. The California lawmaker will submit the text of the bills pending in the legislature.

PONTIFF SLEEPS, AND IS CHEERED

ROME, April 19.—Pope Pius X slept well last night, except for an occasional fit of coughing.

At noon he chatted with his brothers and sisters for some time, and took nourishment. He is feeling cheerful, and asked permission to arise, which, of course, was denied.

The doctors say it will be a week before the danger is passed, but they are much discouraged.

DYNAMITE LOST IN SAN QUENTIN

RIGID SEARCH IS BEING MADE IN PENAL INSTITUTION FOR OVER A HUNDRED STICKS OF THE EXPLOSIVE

SAN QUENTIN, April 19.—Warden Hoyle is leading a rigid search of San Quentin prison for 100 sticks of dynamite that have been stolen from the powder magazine. No trace has been found.

Hoyle says he does not believe anyone in the prison stole the powder, but he is making the search as a precaution to avoid an explosion.

MEXICAN AND JAPANESE AMBASSADORS RESIGN

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—American difficulties with Japan and Mexico have become even more complicated, because only temporary officials are in charge of the embassies. Lars Anderson, who has been the ambassador to Japan, has returned from that empire, and he is in Washington today.

Ambassador Wilson of Mexico has tendered his resignation to President Wilson. No successor has been named in either case.

The anti-American agitation in Japan is causing some concern in the capital, but President Wilson insists that California is privileged to enact whatever legislation the state desires.

WILSON WANTS A NEW AMBASSADOR IN JAPAN

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—On account of the present situation arising in the relations of this country and Japan, President Wilson is anxious to send to Tokio an American ambassador who can be depended upon to carry out the wishes of the democratic administration.

The president expects the California legislature to pass the anti-alien land bill. As this is sure to make Americans most unpopular throughout the Nipponese empire, Wilson wants a man there who is thoroughly capable of handling a most delicate situation.

Franklyn K. Lane, secretary of the interior, who is a native of California, told Baron Yasuya Uchida, the Japanese ambassador extraordinary today that he is confident that the measure obnoxious to Japanese will be adopted in California.

He also stated that he expects Oregon and Washington to copy the legislation.

Ex-Mayor Guthrie of Pittsburg has been suggested to Wilson as the man to handle the Japanese situation. No action has yet been taken toward an appointment by the president.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ELECT OFFICERS

OAKLAND, April 19.—The following state officers were elected today by the Knights Templar:

Grand commander, W. Hamel of Los Angeles; deputy grand commander, James Patscott of Yreka; generalissimo, Perry Widner of Los Angeles; captain general, Elmer Stone; senior and junior wardens, Samuel Clark and Jonathan Beel; treasurer, Charles Field, all of San Francisco; record keeper, William Davis of Alameda. The session closes with a banquet this evening.

CEMENT PLANT FOR GOLD HILL

GOLD HILL, Ore., April 19.—Preliminary work upon the construction of a \$50,000 cement plant on the cement beds near Gold Hill have begun by the Beaver Portland Cement company, an organization composed of Portland and Medford men.

A crew of men are now at work securing samples of the rock, and installing a water works to be used in the conduct of the plant. It is expected that the plant will be completed and in operation by the 1st of September.

Articles of incorporation for the company have been filed at Salem, and the formation of the company has been under way since the first of the year.

The cement deposits, according to experts who have made tests of the rock, is among the best in the country, and are suitable for heavy development. When the factory is completed about 500 men will be employed.

ENDORSE SCHOOL FOR THE CHINESE

MEDFORD, April 19.—At the open meeting of the Presbytery of Southern Oregon yesterday it was voted to endorse the proposed school of Rev. J. K. Howard, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Glendale, devoted to the education of Chinese residents in this part of the state.

The work of the school was outlined, and received hearty commendation by all members.

MEDFORD ELKS TO HAVE HOME

BUILDING IN JACKSON COUNTY METROPOLIS IS PURCHASED FOR LODGE QUARTERS BY THE ANTLERED HERD

MEDFORD, April 19.—The Medford Lodge of Elks is planning to purchase the Medford Furniture and Hardware building at the corner of Sixth and Central, remodel the third and fourth floors and convert it into an Elk home. The building committee of the lodge has reported favorably on this plan.

For some time the local lodge has planned to erect a building, but now it is deemed more feasible to purchase this block. The third floor can be fitted up for club rooms, while a lodge room can be constructed on the fourth floor.

CAPITALISTS ARE VISITING YREKA

YREKA, April 19.—During the last ten days there have been several capitalists from Southern Oregon in Yreka. During their stay they visited various parts of the county that are famous for agricultural and mining. It is understood that these parties are looking for investments.

OFFICER BALKS AT LEGAL FEE

PORTLAND, April 19.—The unusual case of a federal officer protesting against an attorney charging an exorbitant fee was presented at the federal building when United States Marshal Leslie M. Scott told J. Charley Reed, who had just been sentenced to spend six months in the county jail, that he had been uncooled.

Reed, an ex-bartender of Merrill, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of sending obscene matter through the mails. Boone Casey, his attorney, didn't have a word to say during the whole proceeding, it is said.

When Reed was arrested in Montana three weeks ago he had \$1,120, and after sentence had been passed Scott asked him what he wanted done with the money. Reed said \$250 would have to come out for the attorney, and Scott told him that it was too much.

The marshal sent Reed with one of the deputies to a bank, where it was deposited.

LAKEVIEW MAN AN INVENTOR

LAKEVIEW, April 19.—J. B. Auten is the inventor of a shock absorber for use on automobiles that he thinks will revolutionize the industry and prove of untold worth in adding to the pleasures of the motor car in general. It is possible that there are similar affairs on the market, but the simplicity of Mr. Auten's patent is what he relies upon to bring him untold wealth.

He has been working on the model for some time past, and a few weeks since applied for a patent. This week he received word that the patent had been allowed, and now all that remains to be done is to get the different manufacturers to adopt it, or else erect a factory and market the output.

RECLAMATION SERVICE TO BE INVESTIGATED

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—If there is anything radically wrong with reclamation service and if there is foundation for innumerable complaints on file against the manner in which the national reclamation law is being enforced, Secretary Lane wants to know it, and know it immediately. To that end he will hold a series of conferences at his office, beginning May 1st, which will be attended by officials of the reclamation service and by representatives of the water users' association on each government project.

Invitations to attend this conference were sent out last week, and each water users' association is requested to send at least one representative to Washington by May 1st. At the conference Secretary Lane will go into the situation on every government project and where settlers have complaints to make through their delegate sent to Washington. The secretary will then and there confront

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reclamation officials with charges and determine whether or not complaints filed are justified.

Each delegate at the conference will have full opportunity to present his statement, and, if he has complaints to lodge, will be given time to present his case and have it answered by reclamation officials. After that, Secretary Lane will determine whether or not reclamation has been at fault, and if in the wrong, will direct the correction of acts complained of in this way. The secretary, by getting at the facts, hopes to put an end to widespread complaints which have become chronic on many projects by changing government methods where reclamation service is shown to be in error, or by exploding complaints where they can not be substantiated. It is Secretary Lane's purpose hereafter to deal direct with water users, thinking thereby to produce harmony between the government and settlers on its various projects. Western senators and representatives will be invited to these conferences, and will have full opportunity to present any facts they deem pertinent.

John Knott is here from Crater, he new township in the northern part of the country.

Summons

Dan Van Brimmer, Plaintiff,
vs.
Fred Erlenfeldt, Defendant.

To Fred Erlenfeldt, the Above-Named Defendant.

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint filed in the above entitled suit within six (6) weeks after the first publication of this summons in the Klamath Republican, a newspaper, to-wit: On or before the 22d day of May, 1913, which is the date of the last publication of this summons, and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer or plead within the said time, the plaintiff for want thereof, will apply to the above entitled court for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in said suit, to-wit: For a decree of the above entitled court foreclosing a certain lien given by a mortgage executed by you, the defendant, to the plaintiff therein on the 18th day of May, 1912, upon

the following described lands in Klamath county, state of Oregon, to-wit: The northeast one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter (NE 1/4 of NE 1/4) of section seven (7), and the north one-half of the northwest one-quarter (N 1/2 of NW 1/4) of section eight (8), township forty-one (41) south, range twelve (12) east of Willamette meridian, and for the sale of the said lands to satisfy said lien and be debt secured thereby, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable.

This summons is published once a week for six (6) consecutive weeks in the Klamath Republican, a newspaper, published weekly within the city of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, pursuant to an order made and entered on the 10th day of April, 1913, by the Hon. Henry L. Benson, judge of the above entitled court, and the first publication thereof is made in said newspaper on the 10th day of April, 1913.

ALBERT E. ELDER,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
4-10-5-22 r

Notice of Final Settlement

In the Matter of the Estate of Nannie M. Pankey, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administrator of said estate of Nannie M. Pankey, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator with the clerk of the county court of the state of Oregon, for Klamath county, and the said court has fixed Saturday, April 26, 1913, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the time for hearing any and all objections to said account and for settlement thereof.
Dated this March 27, 1913.

WILLIAM H. PANKEY,
Administrator of the Estate of Nannie M. Pankey, Deceased.
KEESE & GROESBECK, Attorneys for Administrator.
3-27-4-24 r

Notice for Publication

(Not Coal Land)
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, at Lakeview, Oregon, April 12, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Emanuel Dunn of Klamath Falls, Oregon, who, on April 13, 1911, made homestead entry No. 04502, for SW 1/4, SW 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 4, Township 41 S., Range 7 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. R. De Lap, county clerk, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 24th day of May, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Fred Grant, Arthur Hawkins, Albert Roberts, Nurratto Roma, all of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
A. W. ORTON,
Register.
4-17-5-22 r

WAR SCARE NOT BOTHERING WILSON

PRESIDENT HOLDS THE STATE'S RIGHT SUPREME

No Action Will Be Taken in the Anti-Alien Legislation Matter Until the President Learns That the State is Exceeding Her Rights—Is Discussing the Matter With Californian Congress Members Today

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—The state's rights are supreme.

This is the position taken by President Wilson in regard to the anti-alien land legislation pending in California legislature, but he hopes to avoid an open break with Japan.

The president saw no visitors today. Even Bryan was excluded. He devoted the greater part of the day to the matter.

No fear of war is felt here, but Wilson is determined there will be no mistakes.

The anti-American agitation in Japan and the agitation here and abroad will not cause President Wilson to admit that there is any existing reason for a Japanese war scare.

This was emphasized by the executive today when he decided to meet a delegation of Californians, who are here to "explain" their reasons for wanting the land bill passed.

Wilson is also keeping in touch with developments in Tokio and Sacramento. The state department has been instructed to watch closely all meetings in Japan having any bearing on the matter.

Wilson has agreed to outline his position to Raker of the California congressional delegation. He deprecates the war scare attempts.

From the trend of Wilson's talk on the matter it is certain that he will not interfere with the legislation of the Sacramento lawmakers until he is thoroughly satisfied that the proposed laws are in violation of the federal constitution.

He firmly believes in the doctrine of state rights, and has asked the Californians to hurry through the pending legislation, so he can decide at once whether or not he should repudiate them.

TOKIO, April 9.—Despite the persistent clamor for war on the part of the frenzied people, the government has taken a conservative stand in the matter of the passage of the anti-alien land measure in California, supposed to aim particularly at Japanese.

The newspapers take the stand that war with the United States is impossible, and the clamor of the people is ignored. No mention is made in the local papers of the street demonstrations.

The official view of the matter is that if the measure does succeed in passing the California legislature, it will not be strictly enforced.

Street meetings continue throughout the capital. Police and soldiers are keeping a watch on these gatherings.

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—The protests against the anti-alien land laws will not have any weight with the lawmakers, according to every solon who will discuss the pending legislation.

Not one of these will admit that he will oppose the bill. They say that the people generally demand the measure, and that they will resort to the initiative in order to pass the law, should the legislature become supine.

According to Senator Sanford, the desks of all the members of the legislature are filled with demands for the passage of the exclusion bill.

"These demands come from every class in the state, and we are not going to act contrary to their wishes," said Sanford.

It is believed that action on the measure will be taken Monday.

BRYAN ASKS A SMALL CHANGE

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—Secretary of State Bryan telegraphed to Governor Hiram Johnson today, asking that the words "ineligible to citizenship" be not included in the land law. This, he says, is urged by President Wilson.

The telegram was read in the legislature, and ordered printed in the Journal. No comment was made.

Governor Johnson refused to make any statement regarding the telegram other than that he had not answered it as yet.

CHICAGO, April 19.—Otto Brodie, aged 55 years, was killed instantly today by falling fifty feet with his biplane. He fell fifty-five feet and was crushed under the machine.

The tragedy occurred at the Standard aviation field on the South Side.

Deputy County Clerk Charles De Lap and wife returned home Sunday evening from a visit in Portland, Seattle and Victoria B. C.

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