

FORTIETH YEAR

BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1921

PRICE FIVE CENTS

BOND SALE IS ACUTE MATTER BEFORE STATE

Whether or Not Spitzer, Rorick Contract Shall Be Carried Out Causes Discuss

SOME WOULD BREAK IT

Hall Refuses to Sign Bonds on Grounds That They Are Illegally Sold

The question of the sale of bonds of the state before the new administration takes office has already become an acute question as an aftermath of the election.

The present Industrial Commission is proceeding with its efforts along this line and it is stated it is prepared to deliver more bonds to Spitzer, Rorick and Company if they are signed up.

Interpretation of Laws The Fargo Courier-News says: "The Bismarck Tribune in an editorial several columns long calls on the new industrial commission to end the industrial program at once and put the state back into the condition it was before the Nonpartisan league came into power."

ITALY PAYS ITS TRIBUTE

Unknown Soldier is Buried Under "Altar of Country"

Rome, Nov. 4.—Italy's unknown soldier this morning found final sepulchre in the Victor Emmanuel monument, the altar of the country, exactly under the allegorical figure representing Rome.

DUTCH LEADER REACHES U. S.

New York, Nov. 4.—H. A. Van Cankarnebe, minister of foreign affairs for Holland and permanent president of the League of Nations assembly, who will head the Dutch delegation to the Washington conference on limitation of armaments was a passenger on the steamship Rotterdam due here today.

RETAIL PRICES IN SLIGHT CHANGE

Washington, Nov. 4.—Retail prices decreased during the month ending October 15, according to department of labor statistics in seven cities out of twelve where investigations are maintained.

A silver plating process, requiring half the usual time, has been invented by an Englishman.

SOLEMN TRIBUTE WILL BE PAID HERE ARMISTICE DAY TO UNKNOWN SOLDIER; ALL BUSINESS TO HALT FOR TRIBUTE

American Legion Committee Outlines Plans For Observance of Day to Be Solemnly Observed in All Parts of the Country—Patriotic Exercises and Parade to Be Held

Solemn tribute will be paid by citizens of Bismarck to the unknown American soldier to be buried in Arlington Cemetery on Armistice Day, Friday, November 11, under plans announced today by the American Legion.

Just before 12 o'clock the buglers will sound assembly. At 12 o'clock the whistle of the Hughes Electric company will sound one long blast. At that moment all persons in the assemblage will bare their heads, face the west and pay the two-minute silent tribute.

Plan 4-Minute Talks Preparations are being made by the Legion committee to enlist support for the program. Letters are being sent to pastors in the city asking them to make announcement Sunday of the services.

France, Italy and England all have paid their tribute to the unknown soldier, symbol of the heroic dead of their nations. In London, the Legion committee announces, millions of people stood silent for two minutes and every bit of business life in the great city halted while the tribute was paid.

RECALLS T. R. DAYS IN WEST

John W. Goodhall, Roundup Captain, Stops in Bismarck

John W. Goodhall, one of the best known of the ranchers in western North Dakota in the days when all the country west of the Missouri river was a free range, was in Bismarck last night, on his way to his ranch home in McKenzie county near Sanish after a visit in Dickinson.

Mr. Goodhall was captain of a roundup in which Theodore Roosevelt took part. For four years he was foreman for Marquis de Mores whom he says is the only man he ever knew who had no trace of fear in his make up, even among all the men who rode the range when cattle stealing and holdups were punishable by summary death at the end of a rope.

WORLD WHEAT TOTAL LARGER

Washington, Nov. 4.—Total wheat production this year of the 29 leading wheat countries of the world excluding Russia reached 2,822,825,000 bushels, or approximately 120,000,000 more than in 1920 according to latest available estimates reported today by the department of agriculture.

A giant tree in the Yosemite National Park has been dedicated as a memorial to the unknown dead of the World War.

TWO PERMITS TO MAKE BEER GIVEN; ASK \$10,000,000 FOR ENFORCING LAW

Washington, Nov. 4.—Prohibition Commissioner Haynes approved today the first two applications from brewers for permits to manufacture and sell beer for medicinal purposes under the new treasury regulations.

ASK MORE MONEY Washington, Nov. 4.—Congress will be asked for ten million dol-

PREMIER HARA IS KILLED BY JAP ASSASSIN

Stabbed While at Railroad Station, Says Dispatch From Japan

HAD BEEN THREATENED

Assassination Comes at Critical Time in View of Washington Conferences

Tokio, Nov. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—Premier Hara was fatally stabbed in the breast today at the railroad station in Tokio.

Delegates Depressed, Washington, Nov. 4.—Official advices from Tokio announcing that Premier Hara of Japan has been stabbed fatally were received at the state department today soon as press dispatches brought news of the assassination to the United States.

The assassin of Premier Hara comes at a dramatic moment when the Japanese delegation is assembling for the Washington conference and when Japan is intensely interested in the international issue in which Premier Hara had taken an important part.

COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED TO PROBE CHARGE

Will Investigate What Senator Watson Has Said About Hanging U. S. Soldiers

Washington, Nov. 4.—A resolution ordering a special committee to investigate charges of Senator Watson, Democrat, Georgia, regarding treatment of privates in the American Expeditionary Forces was adopted today in the senate after a two-hour wrangle.

PERSHING ANGRY Nashville, Tenn.—General Pershing declared today that the charges brought in the senate by Senator Watson of Georgia, "the most outrageous and untrue accusations that could possibly be made and absolved without foundation."

DISMISSES CASE ON PRICE FIXING

Government Loses Suit For Dissolution of Association

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The government suit for dissolution of a trade association involving 13 manufacturers of linseed oil was dismissed in Judge George A. Carpenter's federal court yesterday for want of equity.

FUNERAL HELD AT BRADDOCK

Mrs. Mary Cole, Long Resident of Emmons County, Succumbs Here

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Cole, a pioneer of Emmons county, were to be held at Braddock today. Mrs. Cole died in Bismarck Wednesday night at the W. S. Casselman home.

HAIL WARRANTS ARE CALLED UP

Hail warrants for four counties have been called for payment by the state treasurer. They are: McLean, McKenzie, McIntosh and McHenry.

AGAIN DROP IN N. Y. New York, Nov. 4.—German marks which have been declining steadily here dropped to a new low record today, selling at 43 cents.

ASKS DAY OF PRAYER



MRS. LOUIS F. SLADE

New York, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Louis F. Slade is leading the League of Women Voters in the east in their effort to have chief executives of the states proclaim Armistice Day a day of prayer.

NONPARTISANS WOULD START COURT ACTION

Dunn County Leaguers Adopt Resolutions Declaring For Continuance of Fight

REORGANIZATION QUESTION

Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor John N. Hagan today telegraphed to Joseph A. Kitchin, of Sentinel Butte, his successful opponent, as follows: "From newspaper report you are evidently elected to office as commissioner of agriculture and labor. Please accept my congratulations. If either before or after you assume your official duties I can be of service to you or the state it will be a pleasure to render same."

The Nonpartisan league state committee is asked in resolutions adopted in Dunn county to resort to court action to prevent the new administration from taking office.

Resolutions adopted at a meeting held at the home of State's Attorney Thorsen in Dunn county, which was attended by A. H. Liederbach, state chairman, included the following: "You go back to Fargo and line up your forces for a finish fight with capital. Remember, no compromise, no surrender to the enemies of human progress. We will back you to the limit of our ability, financially as well as morally; capital, dodged every step of progress in the struggle of the masses for equal opportunity and a just share for the toilers and through court action, through falsehood and deceit have cheated us of the fruits of the victories we won at the polls. Now let us fight them with their own fire and in every way possible check the spoilers in their mad rush to destroy every advance made for humanity."

DISMISSES CASE ON PRICE FIXING

Government Loses Suit For Dissolution of Association

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The government suit for dissolution of a trade association involving 13 manufacturers of linseed oil was dismissed in Judge George A. Carpenter's federal court yesterday for want of equity.

FUNERAL HELD AT BRADDOCK

Mrs. Mary Cole, Long Resident of Emmons County, Succumbs Here

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Cole, a pioneer of Emmons county, were to be held at Braddock today. Mrs. Cole died in Bismarck Wednesday night at the W. S. Casselman home.

HAIL WARRANTS ARE CALLED UP

Hail warrants for four counties have been called for payment by the state treasurer. They are: McLean, McKenzie, McIntosh and McHenry.

AGAIN DROP IN N. Y. New York, Nov. 4.—German marks which have been declining steadily here dropped to a new low record today, selling at 43 cents.

STATE RAIL COMMISSION ASKED TO CUT RATES ON GRAIN SIMILAR TO RECENT I. C. C. RATE CUT

LLOYD GEORGE EXPECTS TO BE AT ARMS PARLEY

London, Nov. 4.—(By the Associated Press)—Minister Lloyd George still hopes it will be possible to carry out before long his intention of going to Washington and taking the leadership of the British delegation at the armistice conference, declared Austin Chamberlain, the government leader in the house of commons today.

HAPSBURGS ARE DENIED POWER BY HUNGARIANS

National Assembly Adopts Bill Dethroning Charles and Entire Dynasty

AUSTRIANS NOT SATISFIED

Budapest, Nov. 4.—Former Emperor Charles was dethroned and the Hapsburg dynasty was ousted from Hungary by a bill adopted by the Hungarian national assembly today. Count Stephen Bethlen, the premier, introduced the measure in the assembly yesterday and it was expected the debate would last for at least two days. Final action upon it was taken however, today.

HELLED INADEQUATE

Vienna, Nov. 4.—The Hapsburg dethronement act in Hungary is declared by the Austrian press to be inadequate from the viewpoint of Austria and the little entente nations as it failed expressly to exclude Ex-King Charles and other Hapsburgs from the elected kingship. Therefore it is declared neither Czechoslovakia nor Jugoslavia will demobilize.

RUSSIA WON'T BE BOUND BY DISARM PARLEY

Moscow, Nov. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—Foreign Minister Chicherin sent a note to the entente and the United States today saying that Russia will not feel herself bound by the decisions of the Washington conference and holds herself free to take any steps necessary to prevent their enforcement.

TELLS GROWTH OF ADVENTISTS

Rev. C. C. Jensen of Bismarck Returns From Conference

Rev. C. C. Jensen, of Bismarck, who is in charge of the Seventh Day Adventist church work in Bismarck and from here to the Montana line, has returned from a conference in Minneapolis. He told of the growth of the church, as reported at the conference, as follows: "The general conference of Seventh Day Adventists with headquarters at Washington, D. C., held their autumn council lately in Minneapolis, Minn. Such councils are held twice a year in various places, while their general conference is held every four years. Next spring, in May, it will be held in San Francisco, Cal.

SALES TAX IS VOTED DOWN

Senator McCumber Says it May Be Necessary Later for Bonus

Washington, Nov. 4.—The senate having voted down last night, 43 to 25, the Smoot manufacturers sales tax of one per cent, was expected by leaders on both sides to reflect today by an even more decisive majority the alternate Smoot proposal of a business sales tax of one-half of one per cent on gross sales in excess of \$1,000 a year.

FIRE CAUSES A HEAVY LOSS

Destroys Erie Railroad Piers and Water Front Yards

Weehawken, N. D., Nov. 4.—The Erie railroads Weehawken piers and water front yards were laid waste early today by one of the most spectacular fires the metropolitan area has witnessed in years.

WALLACE GETS RAIL SUIT COSTS

Tax Commissioner George E. Wallace is sending to county auditors the amount due them from a payment of \$2,000 made by railroads for costs incurred in the railroad tax case involving the assessment.

Estimated That Saving in Decreased Freight Rates Would Be \$200,000 a Year

FOLLOWS A RECENT ORDER

State Commission Had Requested Authority to Make Cut of 20 Per Cent

Washington, Nov. 4.—North Dakota in company with the other western states today was asked by the Interstate Commerce Commission to follow up its recent order reducing interstate freight rates on grain, grain products and hay approximately 15 per cent by making similar reductions within their state borders as well as upon interstate movement and that the interstate reduction now made should hereafter apply to local hauls. The three other states are Kansas, Nevada and Arizona.

SEES SAVING TO N. D. OF \$200,000 ANNUALLY

Saving of \$200,000 annually probably would be effected by reduction in intrastate grain and grain products rates as asked by Interstate Commerce Commission in North Dakota, V. Smart, rate officer of the state railroad commission, estimated today.

Mr. Smart said that after the United States district court had issued an injunction against making changes in existing schedules John Beckman, general solicitor for the National Association of Utility Commissioners, was asked to ascertain from the Interstate Commerce Commission how far power of state commissions was extended, and he presumed the order of the commission resulted from this inquiry. He said, however, that reduction on interstate shipments which had been made was 10 per cent on wheat and a little more on other products instead of 15 per cent. The state commission had asked a 20 per cent cut.

FINANCE LOAN RATE REDUCED; BANKERS MEET

Government Money to be Available to Banks at 5 1/2 Per Cent

Fargo, Nov. 4.—Rate of interest on war finance loans has been cut from 6 to 5 1/2 per cent, according to an announcement made by E. J. Weiser, director of the war finance corporation for North Dakota. This is the rate of interest that will be charged the banker and it makes the loan available to the borrower at 7 1/2 per cent.

Mr. Weiser also announced that a meeting of all bankers of the state who desire information on the war finance corporation will be held in Fargo next Thursday. Group meetings also will be held at Bismarck, and Minot both before and after the Thursday meeting, he said.

SALES TAX IS VOTED DOWN

Senator McCumber Says it May Be Necessary Later for Bonus

Washington, Nov. 4.—The senate having voted down last night, 43 to 25, the Smoot manufacturers sales tax of one per cent, was expected by leaders on both sides to reflect today by an even more decisive majority the alternate Smoot proposal of a business sales tax of one-half of one per cent on gross sales in excess of \$1,000 a year.

The second sales tax vote today was expected to end the present drive for this form of taxation but in the debate last night some speakers on the Republican side particularly Senator McCumber of North Dakota and McCormick of Illinois predicted such a tax might be necessary in connection with soldiers bonus bills. Senator Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, predicted the bonus bill would be put through before July 1.

FIRE CAUSES A HEAVY LOSS

Destroys Erie Railroad Piers and Water Front Yards

Weehawken, N. D., Nov. 4.—The Erie railroads Weehawken piers and water front yards were laid waste early today by one of the most spectacular fires the metropolitan area has witnessed in years.

WALLACE GETS RAIL SUIT COSTS

Tax Commissioner George E. Wallace is sending to county auditors the amount due them from a payment of \$2,000 made by railroads for costs incurred in the railroad tax case involving the assessment.