

If you have lost or found, if you want to buy or sell, if you want work or workers, use The News Classified Ads.

Generally Fair Tonight and Thursday. Highest temp. yesterday 68. Lowest temp. last night 51.

LANSING ACTS STATE SEC'Y

Bryan Says Farewell, Gives Reason for Going

NO COALITION CABINET IS WANTED

Administration Will Not Call On Republican Party for Help—Other Resignations Are Denied.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Bryan said an official farewell to the White House at 12:30 this afternoon. There was no reason, he said, why he might not call later in a personal capacity. The premier walked from the state department to the White House where the president and Secretary Tumulty were waiting. It was understood that he would not return to the state department in an official capacity. Before going to the White House, Bryan said goodbye to the officials and employees of the state department. He then received the reporters for the last time as secretary of state, declaring that his plans for the future were not formed. In turning over the reins of office to Counsellor Lansing, Bryan said the desk was clear of all official business.

No Coalition Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The White House emphatically denied the reports of the formation of a coalition cabinet is contemplated. It is declared that any consideration of a coalition ministry is not necessary as there are plenty of democrats capable of filling any important post. Daniels Still on Job.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Secretary Tumulty denied most positively that Secretary of the Navy Daniels had resigned.

Lansing is Temporary Secretary.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Counsellor Lansing, who succeeded Bryan temporarily as secretary of state, announced that Chandler Anderson, assistant solicitor of the state department, would act as temporary counsellor, the position Lansing must lay aside. Lansing did not seem to think that a permanent secretary would be named immediately. After a brief conference between the president and Lansing, it was announced that the new note to Germany will be dispatched before night. It was stated that it will be made public Friday.

Bryan Explains.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—"My reason for resigning is clearly stated in my letter of resignation, namely, that I may employ as a private citizen means which the president does not feel at liberty to employ," the formal statement issued by Bryan said. "I honor him for doing what he believes to be right. I am sure that he desires, as I do, to find a peaceful solution of the submarine problem. The two points on which we differ, each conscientious in his conviction, are: first, investigation by international commission; second, warning against Americans traveling upon belligerent vessels or those carrying munitions. I believe this nation should frankly state to Germany that we are willing to apply the principle whereto we are bound by treaties with 36 countries, providing for an investigation of all disputes."

GERMANS LOSE 9 SUBMARINES

LONDON, June 9.—The announcement of the sinking of a German submarine by the British was made in the house of commons by First Lord of the Admiralty Balfour this morning. Six officers and the crew of 21 were rescued and made prisoners. It is officially announced that nine German submarines have been sunk since the beginning of the war.

GERMANS RETAKE CITY AND FORTS

BERLIN, June 9.—The Austro-German forces have re-captured Stanislaw is officially announced. Kubyli, on the Windau river near the Baltic, has been occupied by the German forces. The Germans have captured the fortifications facing the city of Kovno.

NOTE ON WAY LANSING SIGNS

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The transmission of the president's latest note to Berlin began just before two o'clock. It was previously signed by acting Secretary of State Lansing.

ENGLISH SHIP IS TORPEDOED

LONDON, June 9.—The British steamer, Lady Salisbury, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine last night, the vessel sank within five minutes. The chief officer was drowned and two of the crew are missing. Eight survivors have landed at Marwich and it is reported that eight others were picked up by fishing vessels.

LOSE MANY AT LEMBURG

PETROGRAD, June 9.—Annihilation of several Austro-German regiments and the capture of a great number of Germans is reported. The Germans suffered extremely heavy losses in the advance on Lemburg, is officially announced.

FIRE IN PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, June 9.—A fire on the east side waterfront did a damage of \$221,000 nearly today. Loss to the Standard Box and Lumber Co. is \$200,000; Acme Planing Mill Co., \$19,000, and miscellaneous \$2,000.

Train No. 15, due in Roseburg at 9:45 a. m., was held at the scene of the fire for about two hours on account of a number of lines of hose being laid across the track and did not arrive in this city until 11:50. The heat from the burning building at the time the train was allowed to pass was so intense that the paint on several of the coaches was badly scorched.

C. Weaver and wife, of Myrtle Creek, are spending the day in this city.

OREGON WINS FIRST PLACE

State Exhibit Gets Gold Medal in Horticultural Display

CALIFORNIA IS BEATEN FOR FIRST TIME

Eminent Judges From All Over The World Make The Award—Great Triumph For State.

EXPOSITION GROUNDS, San Francisco, June 9.—Oregon has scored a tremendous triumph at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition by being awarded the gold medal for her horticultural exhibit. The jury on awards was made up of eminent horticulturists from The Netherlands, the east, Japan and California. The competition was extremely keen, and Oregon won over magnificent exhibits from all over the world, many of the states and all the Pacific coast states. Oregon's exhibit cost the state \$2500. Washington \$7,000 and California a much larger sum.

C. N. Ravlin, of Hood River, chief of horticulture for Oregon, lays his success to the fact that he prepared an all Oregon exhibit, even the framework of the Oregon section was of Oregon logs, the floors of Oregon timbers, the hedges of Oregon shrubs and plants, while the fruit and flower exhibit was varied, fully representing the state. This is the first time that California has been beaten horticulturally. It is a magnificent thing for the state and will boost it horticulturally, to thousands of people now thronging the buildings.

FRANK MUST HANG APPEAL IS DENIED

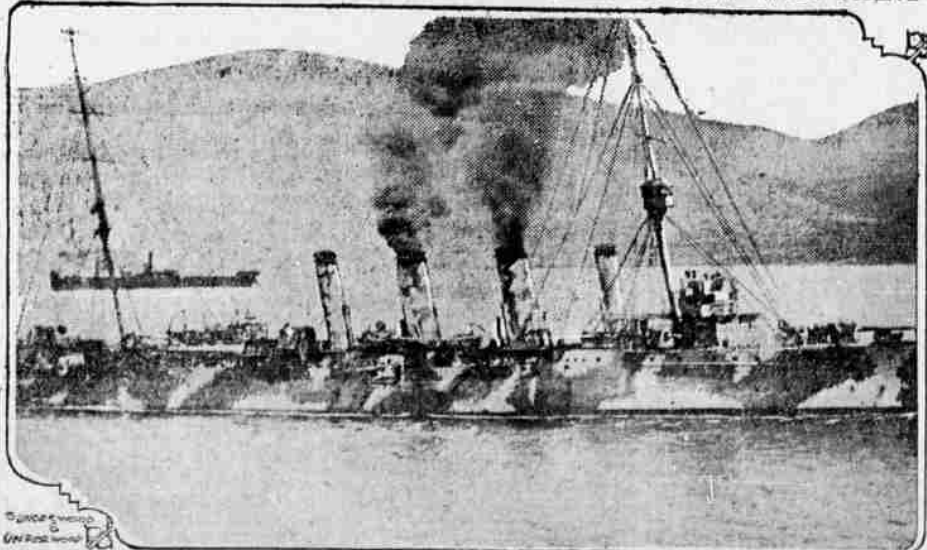
ATLANTA, June 9.—The state prison board has ruled that Leo Frank must hang for the murder of Mary Phagan. The appeal for a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment was denied.

RUSSIANS SINK GERMAN BOAT

PETROGRAD, June 9.—Russian submarines sank the German steamer Hindenburg and attacked a fleet of ten German ships in the Baltic, semi-official advices here report. In the second clash a German cruiser struck a mine in the gulf of Riga, and was badly damaged. Other German vessels towed the cruiser away.

Talking about June brides, what is the matter with the one shown by the Young Jewellery store in their windows? She is certainly dainty enough to please the most fastidious groom.

BATTLESHIPS IN DARDANELLES DECKED IN NEW WAR PAINT



British battleship covered with the new war paint in the Dardanelles.

CITY NEWS.

Mrs. J. E. Harper is quite ill at her home in North Roseburg.

Ernest Laurance, of Dillard is a visitor in this city today.

Bess Clow, who has been visiting in this city, left today for her home at Canyonville.

Daisy Owens left this morning for Keefer, Okla., where she will make her future home.

Mrs. M. F. Rice left this morning for Myrtle Creek where she will visit for a short time with friends and relatives.

A. Langenberg, who has been in this city attending the Farnum trial, left today for his home at Glendale.

J. S. Morgan left today for his home at Glendale after a few days spent in this city attending to business matters.

A. M. Brown left this morning for his home at Hillsboro after a few days spent in this city attending to business matters.

J. A. Booth, of Glendale, who has been spending the past few days in this city, left this morning for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McDaris and two children, of New Mexico, arrived in this city last evening where they will locate if a suitable location can be found. Mrs. McDaris is a sister of Mrs. M. E. Nelson, of this city.

Mrs. Mattie Parson left this morning for Myrtle Creek where she will spend a week or ten days visiting with friends and relatives.

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE TO BE MARRIED TONIGHT

Tonight at 8:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hughes, on Spruce street will occur the marriage of their daughter, Fay, to Mr. Roy Durbin. The ceremony will be performed in the presence of the bride's parents and relatives and a few of her most intimate friends. The young couple will leave on the late train for Portland where they will spend a few days viewing the sights offered by the rose carnival and afterwards spend a short time at the former home of the bridegroom in Washington. Miss Hughes is one of Roseburg's most charming daughters and has a host of friends in this city. Mr. Durbin has for a number of years been connected with the "Duds for Men" shop and is considered one of the rising young business men of the city.

About 50 local Elks went to Myrtle Creek today to attend the funeral of the late John Weaver. Binger Hermann delivered the eulogy. Miss Lucy Bridges sang several fitting solos, Mrs. Nadine Shepherd accompanying her on the piano. The party returned shortly after noon.

Mrs. J. A. Buchanan returned from Portland last night.

CARDWELL ASKS JURY TO ACQUIT

Declares Farnum Railroaded in Former Trial

HAS FAITH IN THE PRESENT JURY

Judge Rice Makes Splendid Talk in Opening Argument to Jury District Attorney Closes For The State.

The following is the testimony offered by the witnesses for the defense before the court last evening. Farnum concluded his testimony shortly before five o'clock after having been on the stand more than two and a half hours.

Shirley Gilliam, a young man of about 25, was given a photo and asked to show the jury where the bridge across the road was located. He was unable to tell to what depth the gravel was spread. Gilliam is a cousin to young Brown, who gave such damaging testimony to the defense. It was Brown who testified to having heard a horse pass the Gilliam home on the morning of the 9th, while he was sleeping there. He stated that his brother slept with Brown that night.

Champ Johns stated that he saw the corpse in the ruins of the Beemer barn. The ashes of the bones of the arms were easily noticeable, but the leg bones below the knees were missing. This witness was asked if he had not made the statement to Mr. McGee that it was his opinion that Roy had taken Edna to the old barn to perform an abortion upon her. Cardwell objected to this question and the court sustained the objection.

Harry Stumbo, husband of the school teacher of Edna Morgan, testified that he was one of a party who examined some horse tracks. Mr. Cardwell stated that they had the little black mare at the court house door and wanted the jury to go down and examine it. To this Mr. Rice objected and was sustained.

At 2:25 Roy Farnum was called to the stand by his attorney. His face became flushed as he was sworn by the clerk, but he answered all questions in a firm voice. Farnum stated that he had known Edna ever since he moved into the Cow creek canyon. The first time he ever was with Edna was one year ago last Xmas, when he took her home from a party. Late in the spring he went with her again when he took her home from the literary meetings. As time wore on they became better acquainted and he stated that he grew quite fond of her and intended to marry the girl. Farnum admitted that he had gotten the "Marriage Guide" from Mr. Jeffries and had it around the house for a long time. He also admitted getting some logwood chips from Jeffries. He denied ever having administered it to anyone, and later on gave it to a young man at Canyonville by the name of Will Snyder. In regard to having consulted Dr. Forbes he stated that he had talked to him about the use of logwood chips. Farnum denied ever having asked Dr. Forbes to take charge of a case, and that the doctor said he would take charge of the case when the full term was up. He said the doctor was mistaken about this statement. Farnum said he did not remember how many times he had purchased oil of tansy, but it was a great many.

On the night of December 8th Roy said he was at home, as he had worked hard all the day in the timber. The evening was spent in reading "The Call of the Wild" and retired at 10:15. The next morning he arose at 5 a. m. and from the time he went to bed at 10:15 p. m. until he arose at 5 a. m. he had never left the room.

It was about 8 in the morning when he heard of Edna's disappearance and shortly afterwards got on his horse and rode down to the Morgan home where he had a conversation with Edna's father. After leaving the Morgan home he rode to the Wilson home and it was here that he heard of the Beemer barn having been burned.

He then rode up to the place where the barn had burned.

Farnum stated that the general impression at that time was that the body in the ruins of the barn were the remains of Edna Morgan. He did not remember of having told anyone that "he would be the first to be accused of the crime," as was testified to by witnesses for the state.

The letter which Farnum had written to Edna the day before was explained by him. He said he had told her that he would see that she got a way to come up to his mother's house the following day. This letter he said was unsealed and was mailed by his mother.

Again referring to the conversation with Dr. Forbes he said he consulted him for Will Snyder, of Canyonville. He denied ever having had improper relations with Edna Morgan and denied ever trying.

The testimony of young Barton and Wilson was branded as false by the witness and an explanation offered by him. He admitted having been down there on this particular evening, but said he went there for the purpose of turning Edna's horse into the pasture. He stated that he heard some one whistle as they stood there unsaddling the horse. The jurors asked a couple of questions and Cardwell finished his examination at three p. m.

Mr. Rice wanted to know who were present when young Farnum arrived at the scene of the fire, but the witness' memory was rather faulty and but few names could be recalled. He denied having expressed any opinion as to the identity of the remains while at the fire, although some of the spectators did make known their views. A number of people had mentioned the fact of Edna having received a letter from him the day before and in order to clear suspicion had asked Mrs. Wilson to go to the Morgan home and get the letter. He denied having made the remark that "marriage would have been better than this" as Mrs. E. E. Wilson testified on the stand.

This letter which Edna had received from Farnum was the mark for Attorney Rice's pointed shafts and he struck time and again at this particular point. The witness became confused a number of times as he sought to invent excuses to answer the attorney's quick questions. Mr. Rice wanted Farnum to give a description of young Snyder, who he said he consulted Dr. Forbes for. He had known Snyder about six months he said and he (Snyder) had told him that he was in trouble with a young woman in Canyonville.

Farnum said he did not remember of telling Snyder that he had consulted with Dr. Forbes. At the present time he does not have any idea of the whereabouts of young Snyder and has not seen him since last September. Mr. Rice laid particular stress upon the fact that all of this was done by Farnum for a man whom he had known but six or eight months and about whose family he knew nothing and whose present whereabouts he knows nothing.

Farnum stated that he took Edna to her father's house that night when he unsaddled her horse, but did not remember if he saw her father. The next day he was told that Edna wanted to see him and about three o'clock in the afternoon he rode down to the Morgan home, when Edna told him that some of the boys at school had tormented her that day. When he told her father about the boys' actions Mr. Morgan said that he did not allow any reports of this kind to worry him. When Mr. Rice referred to the transcripts of the former trials and asked the defendant questions his memory failed him badly and he was not as positive about his statements as he was in the former trials.

Farnum admitted his signature on the poison register of the Pharmacy and told of having used the oil purchased for the same cow. This first purchase he admitted followed his visit to Dr. Forbes at Canyonville.

John Rammeay, the first rebuttal witness, testified that he was acquainted with W. O. Snyder in 1913 and 1914 and that in 1914 he was married and afterwards lived with his wife's parents and moved to Grants Pass.

John Manson, the second witness in rebuttal, testified that he was a resident of Riddle where he had lived

(Continued on page 4.)