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**WEATHER**  
 Hottest yesterday 88  
 Warmest last night 66  
 Coldest today 66  
 Windy tonight; Sunday fair.

**SPORTSMEN HAVE FINE BANQUET**  
 Favorable Conditions at Winchester Dam Discussed  
 Last Night

**ROSE ROD AND GUN CLUB**  
 Determines to Preserve the Old Game Life of Douglas County—Big Attendance

**ORGANIZED FIGHT WILL BE LAUNCHED**

(By United Press.)  
**CHICAGO, May 26.**—Organized groups through the nation will be merged to fight a high railroad valuation and subsequent rate increases, Representative Huddleston, of Alabama, chairman of the organization committee of the national valuation conference, announced today. These units include the labor unions, railroad brotherhoods, shippers, commercial clubs, state departments, women's, civic and farmer clubs and the cotton growers.  
 The railroads of America were warned to "remember their Creator" by William Jennings Bryan, who addressed the national conference on lower railroad valuation.

**ROSE SHOW ON THIS AFTERNOON**

**Wonderful Showing of Blooms Being Made by Woman's Club at Dodge Garage**

**EXPECT LARGE CROWD**

**All Residents Urged to Visit Show This Evening and See the Wonderful Flowers Grown in This City**

The Rose Show sponsored by the Woman's club of Roseburg, is one of the finest exhibitions ever held in this city. The show opened this afternoon and will be open this evening until a late hour.

Roseburg certainly proved its claim that this section produces the most perfect roses to be found anywhere. Over two hundred entries were made in the various classes, there being competition in every class and section, while great loads of flowers were carried in for exhibition purposes only and were not entered for the prizes.

An especially fine showing was made of the General McArthur rose which the club has adopted as the official flower of Roseburg. This rose is easily adaptable to all conditions and circumstances and is considered to be the best for decoration of parkings and yards. It is a rose of deep red color and is beautiful in form and perfume. It can be grown either in trees or bushes and is also quite sturdy and healthy and grows to a very good height. The club deems this rose to be the best for all general purposes and is urging the residents of the city to use the flower in the yards and parkings.

The plan was proposed today and will be considered at the next meeting of the club, to procure a great many cuttings of this rose and distribute them free of charge to all residents who will agree to plant and care for them. The great beauty of the flower is shown by the attention it is attracting at the show today.

The exhibition is being made at Newland's garage on the corner of Cass and Stephens streets. It is well that the committee chose larger quarters than the Chamber of Commerce office which was first suggested, as the great number of entries even makes the spacious salesrooms quite crowded.

A number of tourists passing the place today were attracted by the great beauty of the roses and stopped to visit the show. It is to be hoped that every citizen takes time this evening to inspect the wonderful flowers which have been entered together in this collection.

In addition to the many roses, there are also several entries in the heavy section and some beautiful exhibits are to be found there. A great many choice roses have been procured and placed on sale and these are moving very rapidly.

An admission fee of ten cents is being charged for the show and a similar charge is made for punch and wafers if refreshments are desired. All profits are to be donated to the library fund.

**WASHINGTON IS PREPARED TO FEED AND HOUSE HALF MILLION SHRINE VISITORS**

By GEORGE E. DURNO  
**WASHINGTON, May 26.**—Meet Mister Shriner! Mr. Shriner is preparing for a short sojourn in the city of Washington from May 29 to June 10, during which time he hopes to put on the greatest fraternal convention ever attempted.

Mr. Shriner stands a mere 1,000 feet in his stockings feet. He weighs the modest total of 75,000,000 pounds. As he walks down Pennsylvania avenue, half a block at a stride, his pedal extremities 150 feet long and encased in shoes with soles 15 feet thick, by careful managing he keeps from scraping off the sides of the buildings.

The Shrine Fez on his head would just nicely fit over the dome of the Capitol, while the shaft he is leaning his weight upon is the Washington Monument.

Based upon an average man, five feet eight inches in height and weighing 150 pounds, this enormous giant represents a composite picture of the 500,000 Shriners and their families and friends who will be present in Washington for the annual gathering of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

**An Avalanche of Food.**  
 Arrangements for feeding and housing this enormous delegation have been completed on an unprecedented scale. Figures announced by the committees in charge of the work are appalling in their magnitude. An idea of what Washington is up against may be obtained from the following:

The hens of six states must work night and day to lay eggs enough for the convention.  
 Bread will be consumed daily at the rate of 250,000 loaves, or 2,500,000 for the ten-day session.  
 A minimum of 50,000 quarts of milk will be needed daily for the visitors.  
 Two hundred and fifty thousand pounds of meat will go by the board each day.

These figures are all under-estimates, and do not, of course, include an equal amount of food required for the regular population of the city. As to housing:  
 Thirteen hundred pullmans will be parked in the terminal yards during the stay of the convention.  
 One hundred and forty hotels already have received reservations for capacity.

Every rooming house and private residence in the city with a vacant room has been registered, together with the rental, and these rooms are being allotted as fast as they are registered.

**Brings Money to Washington.**  
 As to the financial end, Washington stands to profit by the Shrine invasion to the extent of between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000. The bank clearings in the city of San Francisco following the meeting of the Shrine last year exceeded by \$22,700,000 any corresponding period in the history of the city. As but 380,000 attended the coast convention, in comparison with the 500,000 that will be in Washington, the forty-to-fifty million dollar estimate is considered conservative.

Washingtonians have been urged to get in a supply of staples for a two-week period before May 30 by the Shrine committees. In order to accommodate the 1,300 pullmans to be used, on May 30 every freight car will be moved out of the yards and none will move in for two weeks. Perishable goods consigned to Washington, together with absolute necessities, will be dumped at Baltimore and Laurel, Md., during the convention and transported to Washington in trucks.

Despite the magnitude of the proposition, however, everything has been carefully and efficiently handled and absolute assurances have been given that there will be no shortage of food, and that none of the visitors will be unable to find accommodations at a reasonable price.

**HENRY FORD GIVES OUT GOOD INTERVIEW**

**DETROIT, May 26.**—(Copy-right by United Press.)—Henry Ford today declared that "The United States must strengthen its navy. American air powers must be increased."  
 The courts must be made subordinate to the people.  
 The railroads must be reorganized and centralized and possibly placed under some form of control.  
 He also said that he was not interested in the presidency and asserted that the financial center of America is passing Wall street to the middle west.

For the first time in an interview, Henry Ford, whose fame as a hater of militarism is world-wide acknowledged, voiced the belief that conditions now are such as to make an increase in American naval and air forces more vital than participation by the United States in any form of international court. He frankly expressed distrust for both the world court and the league of nations as these plans are now promulgated.

**STREET CAR CREW ROBBED BY ONE MAN**

(By United Press.)  
**PORTLAND, May 26.**—A holdup man today backed up Conductor J. H. Henry and Motorman G. H. White of a local street car crew against a tombstone in a suburban cemetery and robbed them of \$35. Following the crime, the thief seized the car's controller and made his escape.

**INTOXICATED MAN ACCUSED OF MURDER**

(By United Press.)  
**BAKERSFIELD, Calif., May 26.**—A charge of murder was preferred against W. E. Raymond, Los Angeles mining engineer, following the death of McGrunder Beal, wealthy Seattle citizen, following a desert shooting. Raymond was with Beal at the time of the shooting, later admitting that he was intoxicated, the officers state.

**M'FARLAND GETS CUSTOM'S OFFICE**

(By Associated Press.)  
**WASHINGTON, May 26.**—Earl M'Farland was appointed collector of customs by the president today.

**BREAK WITH RUSSIA HAS BEEN AVOIDED**

(By Associated Press.)  
**LONDON, May 26.**—Great Britain has decided there shall be no diplomatic break with Russia. Diplomatic circles hold that while the last note from Moscow is in some respects not wholly satisfactory, the points in dispute are susceptible of solution by negotiation.

**TO GIVE GUARANTEES FOR OUTSIDE LOANS**

(By Associated Press.)  
**LONDON, May 26.**—It is stated that the federation of German industrialists has informed the German government that the federation members are prepared to give the requisite guarantees for international loans for reparations purposes, says a Reuters dispatch from Berlin today.

Necessity of these drinks point out that they are not injurious or over intoxicating," he said. "Why, Alexander the Great died from drink, and he had nothing but light wine and beer, for strong drink never had been heard of then. All the drunkenness of the Bible times was from light wines and beer."  
 "Pussyfoot" has but one eye left, having lost the other in London during a demonstration not in sympathy with his propositions for abolition of the liquor traffic.

**PARK TO PARK LEVIATHAN TO DIRECTORS TO MAKE MAIDEN MEET IN JUNE VOYAGE IN JULY**

**Portland, Oregon, Is Selected Convention City for the Highway Chiefs**

**America's Queen Ship Ready to Carry More Than 3,400 Passengers Overseas**

**TO NAME NEW OFFICERS**

**FURNISHINGS AMAZING**

**Program of Work Is Outlined—Wants Roads to Connect and Popularize Nation's Forest Playgrounds**

**There Are Fifteen Miles of Plumbing and Five Hundred Miles of Electric Wiring Aboard Monster Vessel**

(By MICHAEL F. DACEY, International News Service Staff Correspondent.)

(International News Service.)

**DENVER, May 26.**—The 1923 annual meeting of the board of directors of the National Park to Park Highway Association will be held in Portland, Ore., on June 15 and 16, according to an announcement today by Gus Holms, secretary of the association, whose general offices are maintained in this city.

**WASHINGTON, May 26.**—First class passage on the Leviathan, America's queen ship of the sea, to sail on her maiden voyage July 4, will range from an "inside single room" at \$275 to the premier suites of two bed rooms, parlor, dining room, three baths and trunk room for seven persons at \$475.

The meeting will be presided over by Congressman Scott Leavitt, of Great Falls, Mont., president of the association, and will be addressed by Mayor Baker, of Portland; Stephen T. Mayer, Director of National Parks, and other speakers of national prominence.

Summer rates average 10 per cent higher than winter rates, the seasons being divided November 1 to June 30 and July 1 to October 31.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected, and it is expected scores of representatives will be present from cities and towns along the "Master Scenic Highway of America" to exchange views and advance thoughts that will assist the general purposes of the organization, which are briefly set forth as follows:

Infants under one year of age must pay fares of \$16.50, while children under ten years are rated at half fare when occupying rooms with two adults.

To encourage the construction of at least one good road connecting each of the 12 national parks in the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific Coast regions through its influence with Federal and State Highway departments.

The first-class accommodations are varied. Aside from the premier suites, which in the old Vaterland were arranged for the former Kaiser of Germany and his attendants, single and double rooms, rooms for three and suites for three persons, with bedrooms, baths and verandas, are provided.

To assist the Forest Service in all of its undertakings in making the forests accessible to the motorist.

Second and third-class rates are much lower, although United States Shipping Board officials say the accommodations offered are highly satisfactory. The Leviathan will accommodate 976 first class, 647 second class and 1,878 third class passengers—a total of 3,402. It is expected a capacity crowd, including many notable figures from two continents, will sail on the first voyage. The income from passenger fares for the first one-way voyage is variously estimated from \$500,000 to \$800,000.

To assist the Indian Service in their many problems in constructing roads on the reserves crossed by roads to national parks and monuments.

The Leviathan will soon be removed from Newport News, Virginia, to Boston for the finishing touches, provisions and equipment.

And to be of general service to the West in developing its resources and scenic attractions.

For the kitchen and dining room service 48,000 pieces of glassware, 120,000 pieces of chinaware and 72,000 articles of silverware will be required.

The National Park to Park Highway Association is strictly a public spirited one and has for its slogan: "You Sing 'America,' Why Not See It?"

Six round-trip voyages between New York, Southampton and Cherbourg have been arranged between July 4 and November 2.

**NATIONS OBJECTING TO LIQUOR RULING**

**WORKERS' STRIKE SPREADS RAPIDLY**

(By Associated Press.)  
**WASHINGTON, May 26.**—Great Britain, France, Italy, Spain and Holland have called the attention of the United States government to the inconve-nience resulting from the presence of liquor on foreign ships inside of the three mile limit and pointed out that the freedom of international intercourse is threatened if the heretofore recognized practices of comity between nations in this regard are abandoned.

(By Associated Press.)  
**ESSEN, May 26.**—The workers and Communists strike in the Ruhr continued spreading today. The German officials estimated that 200,000 were out.

**SCHOONER SENDS A CALL FOR HELP**

(By United Press.)  
**PORTLAND, May 26.**—The tug Tamorra was dispatched from Astoria to aid the schooner Olanet, wireless for help off Willapa Harbor, after springing a leak crossing Grays Harbor.

(By Associated Press.)  
**LOS ANGELES PAYS U. S. ENORMOUS INCOME TAX**

(International News Service.)  
**LOS ANGELES, May 26.**—Rex Goodcell, collector of internal revenue, has just sent a report to Washington showing that in the last four years 225,000 citizens of Los Angeles have paid \$174,711,290.98 into the national coffers as their income tax. According to the report the new revenue act this year reduced taxes \$7,000,000.

**RAILROAD WILL SPEND LARGE SUMS**

(By United Press.)  
**PORTLAND, May 26.**—The Oregon and Washington railroad will spend more than \$6,800,000 in improvements and betterments during the year, in connection with the \$37,500,000 budget, according to an announcement today, J. P. O'Brien, general manager.

(By Associated Press.)  
**CANTON, May 26.**—The streets of Shihing, 50 miles west of Canton, are blocked by soldiers' bodies following the capture of the town by the Canton constitutionalists after two of the city gates had been mined. The retreating army stripped the place.

of the most successful banquets ever was sponsored last night at the Palace of Sweets by the Rose Rod and Gun club, who were taken to the Garden Valley farmers where interested in the preservation of the game life of Douglas County.

George Neuner Jr., district attorney for Douglas county, was the principal speaker of the evening. His address was very interesting to the sportsmen and his plea for closer cooperation with the law enforcing officers was enthusiastically heeded.

The influence of the Roseburg Rod and Gun Club in the matter of law enforcement and the securing of laws, closer cooperation between the public and law enforcement agencies and the preservation of the game and fish is very noticeable," Mr. Neuner stated. "We are beginning to see the natural game resources of Douglas County. We should rejoice that we have this wild life and we should see that it is properly protected. No one can be a law enforcing officer of Douglas County until he has a buck to hunt and a family of a dozen kids with him. True we don't encourage that kind of thing but we do want to see game life protected. I might also say that we have had wardens just as good as the worst violators but at the same time the wardens are very good, real men and officers who have the interests of the true sportsmen at heart.

The organization should preach the value of game protection. The Rod and Gun club should acquire a larger membership. With a bigger organization it will be feared by the violator and outlaw.  
 There is no use for the man who has foul tactics in the apprehension of any kind. In this kind of case it isn't necessary to use foul means. There is no reason why you to cooperate and see that the violator is brought to justice. For present game warden, Ed Neuner, has never brought a case before but what was justified. He is absolutely fair and violators of the laws who are ignorant of the receive lenient treatment where if this rod and gun club will get the officers and assist them, their aid and support, we'll have a better time in enforcing the provisions of the game code.  
 The present game code needs re-visions. It is not adequate to meet the conditions the officers go up against. Personally I think that as far as they allow a man to catch a wild animal and sell it. That, however, is only my personal viewpoint. The conditions at the Winchester are deplorable. You can get better officers and clean that mess out of the way with a factory that will put out the state penitentiary.

President Lloyd Crocker of the Winchester made a short statement at the suggestion of Mr. Neuner's address, regarding the Winchester situation, and has caused the officers much trouble and which threaten to destroy the legitimate fishing industry of the county.  
 We have decided to clean up that mess. We are not only trying to do that, but we are determined to succeed. I can say truly that we are pledged to help up that mess. The state game law has allowed their support to constructive program authorized the job. Many good men are being a legitimate living at Winchester and we are not going to make a mistake by closing the river but we are determined to clean it up."

**WAR PREPARATIONS ARE BEING RUSHED**

(By United Press.)  
**ATHENS, May 26.**—War preparations are being rushed by Greece with only a few hours remaining until the ultimatum handed to the Turks at Lausanne expires. Officers and troops have been hurriedly recalled from their leave. The feverish atmosphere is stimulated by the constant reports of counter preparations on the Turkish front. Turkish women and children are fleeing from Adrianople, fearing the contemplated Greek outbreak.

War clouds hung over Europe today as the Greeks and Turks began martial preparation. The Communists went through the Ruhr Valley looting and pillaging and the allied representatives undertook to settle the reparations dispute between Turkey and Greece.

**BERT S. HANEY TO GET CHAMBERLAIN'S JOB**

(By Associated Press.)  
**WASHINGTON, May 26.**—Bert S. Haney, of Portland, Oregon, was appointed by the president today as a member of the U. S. Shipping Board, succeeding former senator, George Chamberlain, who resigned, effective June 30th.

Bert Haney, appointed to the board, is a Portland attorney and former United States district attorney. He was born at Lafayette in Yamhill county Oregon in 1879.

**COMMUNISTS LOOT IN RUHR VALLEY**

(By United Press.)  
**BERLIN, May 26.**—Looting bands of Communists marched through the industrial strongholds of the Ruhr valley, opposed only by diminutive forces of the German police. The French are keeping their hands off. Five were wounded in early clashes near Dortmund. The looters fought with the Bochum firemen, with five wounded there also. Two newspaper plants were stormed and the presses damaged. The stores were plundered.

**ARKS AND GREEKS REACH AGREEMENT**

(Associated Press.)  
**SAUSANNE, May 26.**—Turkey and Greece have reached an agreement on the question of reparations which threatened a week and possible hostilities, it was announced this afternoon.