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## CITY BUDGET TO BE CONSIDERED NEXT MEETING

### Council Selects Men to Assist in Outlining Expenditures for Year.

## WILL BUY FIRE HOSE

### Bids for Purchase of 1,000 Feet of Hose to Be Received Before Next Regular Session.

Meeting in regular session last night the city council appointed the members of the city budget commission for this year and set next Monday night, October 26, as the time for the meeting of the committee. The budget committee is made up of the members of the council together with eight freeholders of the city appointed by the council at a regular meeting. Those chosen to aid this year are Kenneth K. Quinn, Glenn Wimberly, M. F. Rice, John Hunter, Earl Dickens, R. W. Strong, A. C. Marsters and W. H. Hamilton. These men will meet and go over the proposed expenditures for the coming year and fix the amount of money to be raised by levy. This latter part will not be difficult as the city charter provides that the levy cannot exceed ten mills, while the state law prevents more than a 4 percent increase over the preceding year, which means that the commission will be able to add only \$1,900 this year.

Last night's meeting was short as only a few matters of importance were up for consideration. The fire and water commission reported a night fire truck driver will be hired to take his position the first of November at a salary of \$100 per month. The council also ordered the purchase of 1,000 feet of new fire hose. The samples are to be submitted to the fire and water committee within ten days, together with prices, and the committee will recommend the kind to be bought by the city.

Permission was granted to the firm of Bennight and Puckett to install a gasoline pump at 527 N. Jackson street.

The electric light committee reported that owing to the objections of property owners to having light wires strung across their land that nothing had been done regarding the petitions for lights in the alleyways between Jackson and Rose streets.

The recorder presented a list of property delinquent in assessment payments and the city attorney was ordered to start foreclosure proceedings.

John Hunter appeared before the council and asked that the city prohibit the spotting of cars on the private spur adjoining his building on Pine and Sheridan streets. He states that he is willing to construct a sidewalk as ordered, but that he does not like to make the improvements as long as the street adjoining is kept littered by trash from unloaded cars. The city attorney was instructed to take this matter up with the railroad company at once.

## ROB B. C. BANK, THEN FLEE ACROSS AMERICAN LINE

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 20.—Bandits who robbed the Imperial Bank at Creston, B. C., just across the international line on the Canadian Pacific railway, escaped with \$10,000 and are believed to be headed for Bonners Ferry, Idaho, said a report to railroad officials here today.

## WOLF HOPPER, FAMED COMEDIAN, WEDS WIFE NO. 6

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 20.—De Wolf Hopper, well known comedian of the American stage, came from Boston today and, after securing a license, married as his sixth wife, Lillian Glaser, singer, aged 29, who gave her home address as Oakland, Cal.

## \$64,000 ALLOTTED FOR JETTY EXTENSION AT UMPQUA RIVER MOUTH

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The engineering corps of the United States army has decided to extend the jetty at the mouth of the Umpqua river in Oregon so that the flow of water in that stream will scour away the sand bar impeding navigation at that point. An allotment of \$64,000 for this project was authorized today from existing river and harbor improvement funds.

## SENATOR HALL OF MARSHFIELD WILL RUN FOR GOVERNOR

### Only Pressure of Personal Business Could Change His Mind—Support Pledged Ample.

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 20.—Asserting that he is "now assured sufficient support to insure my nomination," State Senator Charles Hall, of Marshfield, writes to a friend in Salem that he will be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor in the primary election of next spring unless personal business matters make it impracticable for him to do so.

"During the months I have been considering the matter since it was first broached by my friends, I have become convinced that I would have sufficient support to insure nomination," writes Senator Hall. "The assurances I have, and the available and obvious support is sufficient, but the decision will rest upon the determination of personal business matters."

Senator Hall intimates that he will go before the voters as a business man and pledging a business administration in state affairs if he is nominated and elected.

## RADIO MONOPOLY CHARGE HITS GENERAL ELECTRIC

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—World wide ramifications of the General Electric company was described today at the initial session of the hearings into charges of the federal trade commission that the Radio Corporation of America and associated companies comprised a monopoly in violation of the anti-trust laws.

They represent a total capital of nearly two billion dollars. The General Electric was shown to hold interests in hotels, amusement parks, chain groceries, fruit growing companies, ship lines and other enterprises of widely varied nature.

## PACT REGARDING AS PROMISE OF LASTING PEACE

### War Not Outlawed, but in Future Rows Reason Will Prevail.

## 7 COUNTRIES SIGN UP

### England and Italy Pledged to Force Any of Other Five to Observe Agreements.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—London awoke to find emblazoned on the front pages of the newspapers the text of the momentous declaration reached at Locarno, which virtually make further wars in Europe impossible.

The security pact guarantees inviolability of the French, Belgian, and German frontiers. There are also six treaties between Germany and France, Belgium, Poland and Czechoslovakia and between France and her eastern allies, Poland and Czechoslovakia.

Germany is to set up machinery for the arbitration of disputes which cannot be ironed out through ordinary diplomatic handling. The engagements between France and Poland and Czechoslovakia provide that if Germany shall have recourse to arms against any of the three countries, they shall immediately go to the aid of one another.

The treaty of mutual guarantees by Germany, France and Belgium stipulates that Germany must never invade the soil of France or Belgium or attempt to create war in the demilitarized Rhine zone, while on their parts, France and Belgium engage never to violate Germany's western frontier.

Confidence is expressed by the writers that the ratification of the various parliaments concerned, especially in view of the fact that they cannot be amended.

By some writers it is foreseen that the German nationalists possibly will be able to overthrow the ministry of Chancellor Luther.

President Coolidge's hint that the United States would be willing to do something more toward limitation of armaments is regarded in some quarters as among the most important results of the Locarno negotiations. The Westminster Gazette urges the European governments to give serious attention to the president's hint.

Great Britain will not withdraw from the Rhine, it is stated, but will continue to be represented with the French and Belgians as long as troops are kept on German soil. The British force of 9,000, however, probably will be reduced by half.

## Franco-German Smile of Mutual Trust New Promise For Europe, Borah Asserts

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Senator William E. Borah, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, today expressed the belief the Locarno treaty would relieve seething world affairs, but said he did not share the unwarranted enthusiasm of extremists.

He declared he was glad Locarno had struck a blow at the world court. Senator Borah came to address the Women's Roosevelt Republican club tonight, virtually to open a campaign opposing the world court.

"By creating a permanent conciliation council the Locarno diplomats showed, I believe, that their faith in the world court as

## PURSUIT OF FORMER WIFE AND CHILDREN ENDS IN COLORADO

BOULDER, Colo., Oct. 20.—E. B. Hodges' pursuit of his family from Oregon ended here last night, when he found his divorced wife, Alice Hodges, in possession of their four children whom a Portland court had awarded to the husband. Upon petition of Hodges, County Judge E. J. Ingram, of Boulder, issued an order placing two of the children into the custody of the sheriff until a hearing, October 26.

The four children, aged 2, 7, 9 and 13, were awarded to the husband in Portland when a final decree of divorce was entered in his favor. Mrs. Hodges is alleged to have escaped with them to Boulder. She placed two of the children in custody of John L. McMenamin, superintendent of the state home for dependent children in Denver. Hodges learned at Ontario, Oregon, that his divorced wife had transferred school credits of the children from that place to Denver and traced her to Colorado.

## BOY MUST SPEND LIFE IN PEN FOR SLAYING FATHER

ALLISON, Iowa, Oct. 20.—Warren Vandervoort, 17-year-old son of Rev. R. J. Vandervoort, Parkersburg, Iowa, must spend the rest of his life in state prison for the slaying of his father on August 6 last.

## SHIP TAKES FIRE THEN GOES DOWN

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—The steamer Stockwell of the Brockle Bank-Cumard line, reported on fire in dispatches from London today, has been sunk at Oran, a coaling station in Algeria. It was said in advices received here today from Lloyds, London. The Stockwell was bound from Calcutta and Colombo to Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

## 11 MODERATOR CANDIDATES AT CONGREGATIONAL MEET

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Eleven candidates for moderator, were in the field when the twenty-first biennial convention of the national council of Congregational churches of the United States was called here today.

## Ho! Bachelors and Maids: Harken Ye to Words of Wisdom From Lips of One Who Knows All About Love

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—All rules of common sense are rejected in love, says Judge William N. Gemmill, noted member of Chicago's court of domestic relations. In a book he is writing for publication soon, "When to resist and when to pursue, that's the question, he declares. And he thinks that if one could be inoculated against puppy love, some of the divorce courts would go out of business.

## BROADWAY RAID CLOSES DOORS OF 30 RESORTS

### Officers Conduct Biggest Drive Yet Against Dry Law Violators.

## NOTED PLACES IN NET

### Bottles Crash to Destroy Evidence as Invasion Interrupts Revels of Night Life.

## FORMER NOTABLES MARRY IN SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Oct. 20.—Many former subjects of the Emperor of Russia came to Seattle today for the marriage here tonight of Princess Marina Golitsin to Boris Dukerhoff, University of Washington sophomore, former Imperial army officer and the princess' childhood playmate.

The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Father Nicholas Metropolsky with all the old ritual of the Russian Orthodox faith. Many coming for the wedding were men who, in Seattle and adjoining cities, are known to fellow workers as Nick or Pete, but who, in the day of the Czar were among the highest official, professional and military men of the old regime.

## CLERK ORDERED TO SHOW WHY EDITOR DENIED RECORDS

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 20.—Having accepted original jurisdiction, the state supreme court yesterday afternoon issued a writ of mandamus to compel J. H. Haner, county clerk of Deschutes county, to appear and show cause why he should not be compelled to open the records of his office to the inspection of the Bend Press, which brought the action through its attorney, Edward F. Bailey of Junction City. The action, according to Mr. Bailey, has narrowed itself down to the question of whether instruments filed in the circuit court become matters of record prior to their being taken up by the court and open to the inspection of newspapers and others. It is the contention of the county clerk in refusing access to such instruments on file in his office to the Bend Press, that they do not become a part of the public record until they have been acted upon by the court.

## PHILADELPHIA STILL WAT.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20.—Mayor Kendrick announced today that he would make a formal request of President Coolidge to extend General Smedley D. Butler's leave of absence from the marine corps so that he may continue as director of public safety here. The announcement followed the receipt of advices from Washington that the matter depended largely upon the wishes of the mayor.

General Butler, in an address last night, intimated that if "some to a showdown," he would consider giving up his connection with the marine corps in order to remain here.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS HOLD REGULAR MEETING THIS AFTERNOON

The board of directors of the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce met in regular session today. Dr. E. B. Stewart, state commander of the American Legion, made a report on the state advertising at the American Legion national convention, and told of what other states had done. He displayed a 16-page edition of the Omaha Herald put out by the state of Florida. He also had samples of the advertising of other states. Forest Supervisor Carl B. Neal made an interesting talk on the disposition of the O. and C. grant lands, discussing the bill in which the forest service is interested, that of transferring all of the O. and C. timber within the national forest boundaries to the forest service.

## COOLIDGE ORDERS COURT MARTIAL OF COLONEL MITCHELL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—A general court martial for trial of Colonel William Mitchell, on charges of violating the thirty-sixth article of war, was ordered today to convene in Washington, October 28.

The order for the court martial was issued at the war department by direction of President Coolidge and Major-General Charles P. Summerall, commanding the second corps area, Governors Island, N. Y., senior officer in the army. He was appointed president of the court.

Five other major generals, six brigadier generals and one colonel, were named as members of the court martial which will consider the charges against the former assistant chief of the army air service, growing out of his statements that the Shenandoah loss was a result of almost irresponsible and criminal conduct of the war and navy departments.

## CIVIL WAR ABOUT TO BREAK FORTH AGAIN IN CHINA

### Central Provinces Unite to Resist Authority of Manchu Group at Peking.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 20.—Renewal of civil war in China, hitherto localized to the district between Shanghai and Hankow, today a more serious aspect with the return to the political and military arena of Wu Pei-Fu, military dictator at Peking, from 1922 to 1924, and the mutiny of two Kiangsu divisions who hitherto have acknowledged the leadership of Chang Tso-Lin, the Manchurian militarist.

Marshall Wu, who since he was thrust from power a year ago by the combination of Chang Tso-Lin and Feng Yu-Shiang, the Christian general, has been in semi-retirement in Central China, has definitely announced his opposition to Peking and to Chang Tso-Lin at Mukden.

Advices to Reuter's agency here say that he is expected to arrive today in Hankow and there announce his assumption of the title of commander-in-chief of the central provinces. The alliance to include Kiangsu, in which Shanghai is located; Chekiang, Anhui, Kiangsi, Hupel and Fukien.

Manchu Favors Peace. PEKING, Oct. 20.—The continued withdrawal of Marshal Chang Tso-Lin's troops before the advancing Chekiang forces gives point to Chang's report not to be drawn into conflict, except as a last resort.

The Manchurian war lord has telegraphed the cabinet ministers stating that he is in complete agreement with the Peking government's desire to preserve the peace and inclined to disregard the provocative actions of the Chekiang governor. His attitude is favorably commented upon in the Chinese press.

## THY AGAIN BEATS WOODS.

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Oct. 20.—Ted Thy of Portland, claimant of the world light heavyweight wrestling championship, last night defeated Sallor Jack Wood of Dallas, Texas, here in two out of three falls.

## ESCAPE STORY TOLD AGAIN AT CONVICT TRIAL

### Kelley and Willos Charged With Being Accomplices in Murder Plot.

## WARDEN IS WITNESS

### Testifies Murray Informed on Fellow Prisoners of Break Planned Months Ago.

## SALEM, Ore., Oct. 20.—With the corpus delicti established and the scene of the crime viewed by the jury prior to adjournment of court yesterday, the state this morning was prepared to plunge into the evidence by which it hopes to convict James Milton Holman and John Sweeney, guards.

Murray has already been convicted of firing the shot that brought death to Sweeney, and sentenced to hang, and the state is asking the death penalty for Willos and Kelley as partners to that conspiracy.

Much of yesterday's examination of the seven witnesses called by the state was devoted to inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of Holman, who was found just outside the prison walls where the convicts escaped with a shotgun charge of buckshot through his head. In its preliminary statement the state charged that Holman was shot in cold blood, and not wounded against the wall, by Kelley whom, it is alleged, carried the shotgun away with him and later hid it beneath a log in the Woods east of Salem.

Crimes Laid to Oregon Jones. The defense in reply alleges that Kelley never was armed, did not shoot a single shot during the break, and that Holman was killed either accidentally or by design by Bert "Oregon" Jones, convict killed in the break, as he jumped from the wall to a point on the ground near where Holman sat.

The seven witnesses examined before adjournment last night were Mrs. Lucille Sweeney, widow of the dead guard; George Weigle, photographer who took the pictures of the prison premises offered by the state as exhibits in its case; Floyd T. Rippon, county coroner; Earl A. Paulson, embalmer; Dr. W. Carlton Smith and Dr. G. E. Prime, who examined and removed bullets from the bodies of the dead guards, and J. S. Murray, chief clerk at the prison, who identified the defendants as convicts at the penitentiary.

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 20.—Tom Murray, convict, sentenced to hang for the murder of Prison Guard James Sweeney, was just such an informer or "ool" as by his testimony in his own trial he feared might "frame" on him and cause him to be confined in the bullpen. Warden A. M. Dalrymple told the jury trying James Willos and Ellsworth Kelley, indicted jointly with Murray for the murder of Sweeney, "Under direct examination of District Attorney John Carson, the warden testified that two or three months prior to the break of August 12 Murray informed Deputy Warden Lillie that a group of seven or eight convicts were planning a break, and named C. R. Moore."

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## Mutt and Jeff Cartoons Lead Bud Fisher into Heart of a Countess With Millions and Beauty Prize

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Mutt and Jeff now appear in the role of matchmakers. Their creator, "Bud" Fisher, going to get married next week, and he says Mutt and Jeff are partly responsible.

The future Mrs. Harry C. Fisher is not only wealthy, the winner of a Paris beauty prize in 1922, but a countess. Fellow passengers on the Leviathan, which arrived yesterday, who saw the cartoonist talking with the Countess Aedita de Beaumont, did not suspect that they were discussing matrimony and a honeymoon.