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AL WARREN IS BADLY INJURED

BELIEVED HE WILL
EVENTUALLY RECOVER.

While Driving a Horse Hitched to a Tram Car at the Palmer Mill Today Noon, A. J. Warren of This City Met With Frightful Accident—Was Rushed to Hospital, Where Hasty Examination Reveals Many Very Serious Injuries.

Al J. Warren of this city, socialist nominee to the office of county treasurer, lies in the Grande Ronde hospital this afternoon with his lower jawbone broken, five ribs fractured or broken, his ankle crushed, and his right ear torn off.

The frightful accident in which he was so badly mangled, occurred at the George Palmer Lumber company's yards shortly before the noon hour today. He was driving a horse which was pulling a heavily loaded lumber tram, when he stumbled and fell, falling under the wheels. Before the horse ceased its advance, Mr. Warren was mutilated. He was picked up by fellow workmen and rushed to the Grande Ronde hospital, where he lay for about an hour before he partially recovered from the first shocks of the accident.

By 1 o'clock his nerves had assumed a state where it was practical to dress the wounds. Drs. Richardson and Biggers spent three hours with the injured man this afternoon. Hasty examinations today noon revealed the fact that one ear had been torn off, five ribs broken, one ankle badly crushed and the lower jaw bone broken.

Mr. Warren was a candidate for city councilman at the recent city election on the socialist ticket. Later he was placed on the official county ticket for the June election by party nomination. He has been prominently identified with politics for some years. His family spent the afternoon at his bedside.

Late this afternoon the injured man was still under the influence of opiates but there is every reason to believe that his recovery is certain.

DUBOIS IS DEFEATED.

Almost Complete Returns From Idaho Indicate Dubois' Defeat.

Boise, May 19.—Yesterday's democratic primaries in Idaho indicate the defeat of the Dubois faction all over the state. In Ada county the anti-Dubois ticket won out in every precinct but one. The result in Idaho county is still in doubt. On the returns of this county the control of the convention depends.

NEW SENATOR IS HEARD.

Senator Taylor Ralls at President and His Republican Colleagues.

Washington, D. C., May 19.—Senator Taylor delivered his maiden speech in the senate today. The Tennessee senator made the basis of his argument an attack on President Roosevelt, which the republicans are inclined to consider unwarranted.

"In these imperial days," he began, "when concentrated wealth is entrenched under the dome of the capitol and centralized power enthroned in the White House, what can you expect but a gradual encroachment of the federal government upon the reserved rights of the states?"

Turning to the republicans he taunted them with their lack of unanimity in regard to the president's policies.

"The question is," he shouted, "are you going to put the president's reform policies in the platform? If you are, why don't you endorse Bryan and be done with it? If not, you will repudiate your own president."

Grand Army Veteran Ill.

Captain Prescott, veteran of the civil war and member of the G. A. R., is reported to be much better this afternoon. The captain has been suffering from a serious attack of heart trouble.

MAY POSTPONE RACE MEETING

CONTINUOUS RAINS HAVE
SPOILED RACE TRACK.

Unless There is an Immediate Let Up in the Rains, It Will Become Necessary to Postpone Race Meet Scheduled for Next Saturday—Track Very Wet and Needs Several Days in Which to Dry—Committee Will Know Tomorrow.

If there is no let up in the rains, it may become necessary to postpone the automobile races, and parade next Saturday morning and afternoon. It will require fully three days for the fair ground track to get in good shape after the present thorough soaking it has received. This has led the committee to doubt the feasibility of pulling off the races Saturday. By tomorrow, if the weather has not cleared and given signs of remaining so, it is probable that the committee will postpone the big event.

This postponement of the auto races will not affect the stock show and market day sales, however, as the only damper that can be put on these features of the big day, will be a downpour of rain on the eventful hour.

SALUTE TO FLEET KILLS AND MAIMS

FERNDALE, CAL., SCENE OF
A DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

While Saluting the Atlantic Fleet, Which Was Passing, an Old Civil War Cannon Explodes, Killing One Man Instantly—Seven Indians Injured But May Live—Three Women of the Crowd Fatally Hurt—Cannon Was an Old One.

Ferndale, Cal., May 19.—While saluting the slowly passing Atlantic fleet today, an old cannon exploded, killing Isaac Davis (white), and injuring seven Indians and many others. A great crowd had gathered at Ferndale to observe the big fighting machines sail past.

The old cannon, a relic of the civil war, if not older, which had done duty on every national holiday for many years in the past, was dragged out of its shed and hauled to the beach where it was loaded and fired several times in honor of the fleet.

A crowd of Indians incautiously gathered close about the old gun to observe the manner in which it was exploded. The last charge was an unusually large one. The fuse was touched and a second later a tremendous explosion occurred.

Screams of agony issued from out the cloud of smoke that surrounded the gun carriage, and when the breeze blew the smoke away seven Indians and one white man were huddled about the dismantled gun carriage.

Isaac Davis is the only man dead as the result of the explosion, at 2 o'clock. Three women who were injured, may die, but it is expected that the Indians, thought to have been killed by the explosion, will pull through with their lives. The cannon was an old one and had been used for 30 years.

PITTSBURG IN MONEY TANGLE

PETULATIONS OF THE
CASHIER THE CAUSE.

City of Pittsburg is Heavy Loser in the Failure of the Big Banking Institution Yesterday Afternoon—Some of the Funds Secured by Bonding Companies—Pittsburg Forced to Issue New Bonds to Carry Current Expenses.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 19.—Following the closing of the Allegheny National bank by the comptroller of the currency, announcement has been made that the city of Pittsburg is in danger of being compelled to issue bonds to the extent of at least \$1,500,000, as that amount of the city's funds are tied up in the defunct institution.

The city is without available funds to meet the current expenses, and officials must take action at once to relieve the situation. State funds to the amount of \$5,000,000 are also tied up in the same bank, but this money is secured by bonding companies.

The petulations of Cashier Montgomery are officially placed at \$594,000 although the bank's total shortage is said to be \$2,000,000. Montgomery has been held to the grand jury.

Killed by a Work Train.

Mr. Winters, the bridge watchman, who was injured at Weatherby and brought to the city Saturday and placed in the hospital, died last evening from the injuries he received, says the Baker City Herald. From reports his own foolishness caused his death, for he attempted to run in front of the work train from Weatherby to Huntington, and as the train was rounding a curve the engine struck him and he was fatally injured. The body will be held at Weatherby until the coroner's jury is returned, and the coroner's order from the O. R. & N. company, under whom he was employed.

BELLE GUNNESS A NORWEGIAN

ONLY SISTER DIED
IN NORWAY FRIDAY.

Another Identification Has Been Made From Among Victims of the Gunness Crime Garden—Trial of Ray Lamphere to Begin Monday—Positive Proof That Mrs. Gunness Is Dead, Is Found—Notorious Woman Born in Norway in 1853.

Trondhjem, Norway, May 19.—Bryndhild Pulsdatter was the maiden name of Mrs. Belle Gunness, whose murder farm at La Porte, in America, is now exciting so much attention. She was born in Norway in 1853 and she left her home 30 years ago for America.

Her only surviving relative, a sister, Selbe, died last Friday. It is said that the sister had not heard from Mrs. Gunness for many years.

La Porte, Ind., May 19.—One of the alleged victims of Mrs. Gunness was identified today so positively, that the coroner has issued a death certificate. The corpse was that of Jennie Olson. The body was one of the first found on the farm. Mrs. Gunness told her neighbors that the Olson girl had come to Los Angeles.

All doubt as to the fact that Mrs. Gunness died in the flames which destroyed her home, was removed today when her dentist, Innerton, positively identified a gold crown in the ruins as one he had placed in her mouth some time ago.

It is hoped to begin the trial of Ray Lamphere, charged with burning the Gunness home, next Monday.

Mrs. William Randall suffered a critical operation at the Grande Ronde hospital this morning. She is resting quietly this afternoon. Dr. N. Molitor performed the operation.

RIOTING MARKS OHIO STRIKE

NEITHER SIDE SEEMS
WILLING TO GIVE IN.

Police Promptness Saves Much Disturbance in Cleveland, O., Today Where Rioting Runs Rampant—End of Strike in Sight, It Is Believed—No Serious Accidents Have Been Reported, Due to Activity of the Police Department.

Cleveland, O., May 19.—Rioting marked the progress of the street car strike today, but the police were on hand in such short order in every case, that no serious disturbances resulted. In one place a car collided with an explosive, but no one was hurt.

It is thought that the end of the strike is in sight. Hope is expressed that an agreement will be reached through the efforts of the state board of arbitration.

Neither side seems disposed to yield a point.

PROBE TOBACCO TRUST.

Attempting to Dissolve Five Hundred Million Dollar Combine.

New York, May 19.—Proceedings which may result in the entire dissolution of the \$500,000,000 combine which practically controls the tobacco business of the country were commenced today in the United States circuit court. The case of the government against the American Tobacco company is set for hearing today, and while the brilliant legal talent employed by the "trust" may be able to ward off the blow for a time, it is alleged that sufficient evidence has been procured to bring about the forcible dissolution of the combine by the federal government, acting under the Sherman anti-trust law.

FRUITS OF LIQUOR.

San Francisco Plumber Kills Wife and Slashes Children With Razor.

San Francisco, May 19.—Crazed by drinking, William J. Hanna, a plumber, attempted to murder his wife and two babies this morning, because his wife remonstrated with him for staying out all night and spending his money. Attracted by the women's screams the police rushed in in time to see the frenzied husband slash at the throats of his children with an open razor. The officers struck the man down with their night sticks and handcuffed him, then impressed a passing auto to take the two children, both of whom were badly wounded, to a hospital. It is believed they will both recover, although badly slashed.

Church Delegates to Portland.

Portland, May 19.—Delegates from all over the west are arriving today to attend the primary missionary council of the Eighth district of the Episcopal church, tomorrow. The district includes Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada and California.

Make Returns to Clerk.

Sheriff Childers today made returns to County Clerk Gilham certifying that the notices of liquor election have been properly posted.

TRIP NORTHWARD IS QUITE SLOW

WIRELESS FROM ON
BOARD SHIP RECEIVED.

Bonfires Mark the Shore Line as the Atlantic Fleet Speeds Toward Seattle—Wireless to Mare Island Says Trip Is Slow by Reason of Heavy Seas—Those Sailors Left Behind at 'Frisco Will Join Fleet at Seattle This Week.

On Board the U. S. S. Georgia, at Sea, May 19.—(Wireless to Mare Island.)—Long rolling seas and heavy fog made the morning run of the fleet northward a disagreeable one. In the afternoon the fog lifted a bit but the seas continued heavy and the ships steamed at about eight knots per hour. At night the weather cleared and the vessels speeded up to 12 knots. There are but few absentees reported and the majority of those left behind will report at Seattle and rejoin their ships.

The fleet steamed in toward shore as near as safety permitted, to allow the sightseers to view the big boats. All night bonfires along the coast lighted the skies.

Cupid Very Inactive.

Cupid apparently is resting for a big crusade in June, according to statistics of the county clerk's office. During the month of May only four marriage licenses have been granted. Fifty represents the sum for the year of 1908.

IT IS THOUGHT TO BE THE HAPPINESS AND GLORY of every citizen to so live and act that his fellow citizens will esteem him for his goodness, his kindness, and his usefulness. The principles of good citizenship should constitute the code of rules for every kind of business whether public or private. This applies particularly to the drug business, because, owing to the limited knowledge of the qualities of drugs by the general public, it follows that the reliability of the druggist is the chief guarantee of good service.

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La Grande

Oregon

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