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## DEATH CLAIMS STATE PRINTER WILLIS DUNIWAY

ILLNESS OF TWO YEARS ENDS FATAL AT PORTLAND TODAY.

## A PROMINENT REPUBLICAN

Two Years Ago Advanced as Gubernatorial Timber But Health Prevented Active Campaign—Was Elected to State Printshop Last Fall—Was Son of Mother of Suffrage in Oregon.

Portland, Aug. 5.—Willis Scott Duniway, aged 50, and for several years state printer of the state of Oregon, died here today. He has been in ill health for two years, but death was unexpected even to close friends. He was a son of Abigail Scott Duniway, the famous Oregon suffragette who blazed the trail for equal suffrage in this state.

Last fall he was elected to the office of state printer by a handsome majority.

For many years Duniway was prominently connected with republican politics in Oregon.

Two years ago he was prominently mentioned for governor on the republican ticket but his health prevented his race. He was able, however, to muster votes enough to elect him to the office of state printer last fall.

## More Forests for Uncle Sam.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The first government forest to be acquired upon the watershed of the Ohio river has just been approved for purchase by the national forest reservation commission. This purchase is included in what is known as Monongahela area and the commission considers it an important one since the Ohio is one of the most used navigable streams of the country. Last year the Pittsburg flood commission made a special study of reforestation at its headwaters.

Four areas in all are approved, including the Monongahela, and making up the largest set of purchases passed upon at any one time by the commission. They aggregate 119,909 acres, and bring the total of all the national forests in the east up to 713,415 acres. Of this amount, about 300,000 acres were acquired during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, and 400,000 acres during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913.

## Catholic Abstainers in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Aug. 5.—Thousands of delegates representing every state in the Union, gathered here today to attend the national convention of the Catholic Total Abstainers union that will formally convene tomorrow morning. Thousands of visitors came with the delegates. Today was spent in sightseeing and completion of plans for the opening sessions of the convention. The first formal function will occur tonight when the local Abstinence union will tender a monster reception to the visiting thousands at the Hotel Walton. The Rev. P. J. O'Holahan, of Chicago, national president of the union, will preside at all sessions of the four days' convention.

## Grand Prix Decided.

Paris, Aug. 5.—Lemans Pablot, driving a Delege car, won the Grand Prix here today, covering the 337 miles in four hours and twenty one minutes, and fifty seconds. A Delege car was second and a Mercedes third.

## FORAKER REFUTES MULHALL

Former Ohio Senator Denies Mulhall Stories To Lobby

Washington, Aug. 5.—The insidious lobby committee is busy today sorting the additional letters submitted by Martin Mulhall.

Joseph B. Foraker, former senator from Ohio, whose term expired 1909, appeared today before the insidious lobby committee and related his acquaintance with Martin Mulhall the

self confessed lobbyist. He denied that he was ever connected with the manufacturers. He seemed amused and called Mulhall an exceedingly sociable chap, who wrote ardent letters and who really thought himself greater than anybody else did. When speaking he referred contemptuously to Mulhall.

## WHEATLAND QUIETED BY MILITIA

Wheatland, Cal., Aug. 5.—Adjutant General Forbes in command of the six companies of militia which were sent here as the result of a bloody clash between the hoppers and the officers, when the sheriff and his deputies undertook to arrest some of the members who were causing disturbances, stated today that there would be no further need of the troops. The town is quiet.

Wheatland has been both bloody

and excited for the past few days. The appeal for state militia resulted in prompt action by the state, and it is thought the state army force has cowed the elements prompting the hoppers to drastic action.

Forty Armed Industrial Workers of the World from Los Angeles, have passed through San Jose, bound for Wheatland. Another party of 40 is on its way through the San Joaquin valley for the same place.

divided as follows: (fractions omitted): beef, 80 pounds; veal, 7; pork, 67; mutton and lamb, 6; goat meat, 13.

## HOUSE TO HEAR MULHALL.

Correspondent Affirms His Paper Purchased Mulhall Story on June 6th.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The house committee with Garrett as chairman this afternoon began the investigation of the insidious senate lobby committee charges against Mulhall, who will probably take the stand tomorrow.

Louis Seibold, a correspondent, testified that his paper had bought Mulhall's letters and papers on June 6th. He declared that Mulhall's charges were subjected to a preliminary investigation before they were published.

## Tacoma Workmen Escape.

Tacoma, Aug. 5.—Many workmen narrowly escaped death today as the result of a cave in in the new tunnel on the Northern Pacific tracks near here. Many tons of earth crashed in. The preliminary roar enabled the workmen to escape. A mass of earth and cement eighty feet long collapsed.

## Richie-Welsh Fight Closed

San Francisco, Aug. 5.—Ritchie today accepted the offer for a fight with Freddie Welsh at Vancouver.

## JOHN LIND MAY END CHAOS

Washington, Aug. 5.—Following the selection of J. Lind to be president's personal representative in Mexico City the administration is confident that peace will soon come with Mexico.

Lind will endeavor to get the influential Mexicans to force Huerta to re-

store order also to investigate the question and arrange for the embargo importation of American arms and ammunition to help the situation.

John Lind was formerly governor of Minnesota and is well known to democratic circles of the nation.

## SUMMER HOTEL GUESTS LOSE CLOTHES AND JEWELS IN FIRE

Baltimore, Aug. 5.—More than 200 guests lost their clothing and jewelry to the excess of \$70,000 when the Blue Mountain house, a summer hotel at Penmar, burned early this morning. The hotel loss will reach \$200,000.

Two people were injured and many

had narrow escapes from the fire. For a time it was feared that some of the guests had been penned in and frantic efforts to research the burning structure was made by other patrons but a careful canvass later developed the fact that all had been saved.

## DIGGS' TRIAL OPENED; CHANGE OF VENUE ASKED

GIRL VICTIMS NOT IN COURT ROOM WHEN CASE IS OPENED AT 10:10.

## PLATOON REPRESENT DIGGS

Half Dozen Attorneys Will Fight the Case for Accused—Caminetti Case to Follow That of Diggs—Involves Transportation of Girls and Is Climax to Sensational McNabb Charges.

San Francisco, Aug. 5.—Judge Van Fleet, late today, denied the motion for a change of venue in the case of Diggs and Caminetti.

San Francisco, Aug. 5.—Climaxing the escapade which stirred the nation involved the administration and caused bitter disputes in congress and cost Federal District attorney McNabb his job, when he handed in his resignation because Attorney General McReynolds postponed the hearing of the case, Diggs, one of the principals in the Diggs-Caminetti case, wherein the two men involved transported two Los Angeles society girls to Salt Lake for immoral purposes, was placed on trial today on a charge of violating the Mann white slave act.

Judge Van Fleet took the bench at 10:10 this morning. Diggs and Caminetti were in court but Marsha Harrington and Lola Norris had not appeared at that hour.

Diggs was represented by former Federal Attorney Marshall Woolworth, Robert I. Delvin, Nathan J. Cogan and Stuke Howe.

The examination of veniremen began after the judge took under advisement the change of venue to Sacramento, asked for by counsel for Diggs.

The trial of Maury I. Diggs will be followed by that of Drew Caminetti son of Anthony Caminetti, commissioner general of immigration and former state senator. It has been decided to try the young men separately. Both are charged with inducing Martha Warrington and Lola Norris of Sacramento, to accompany them from Sacramento to Reno for immoral purposes. The penalty is 10 years in the penitentiary. At the conclusion of Caminetti trial, Diggs and Charles B. Harris, a Sacramento attorney, will be placed on trial on an indictment charging conspiracy to suborn perjury. Judge Van Fleet will be on the bench for the three trials.

## Watson Gives Permits.

Corporation Commissioner Watson at Salem, has issued permits to the following corporations to do business:

Provident Trust company, Portland; Sand Gulch Mining company, Antone; Co-operative Drainage association, Nyssa; Great Southern Railroad company, The Dalles; Andrew Kan Asiatic Importing company, Portland; Molalla Irrigation company, Molalla; Hibernian Building association, Portland; Farmers' Union Grain agency; Pendleton; Firwood Dover Telephone company, Sandy; Boone-Skinner & Co., Inc., Portland; Newberg Manufacturing & Construction company, Newberg; Talent Coal company, Talent; Green Mountain Copper company, of Glendale.

## Highballs in Bath Spigots

OREGON TOWN HAS NOVEL WATER SUPPLY.

## CITY WATER PHIZZY

Enough Water of the Carbonated Sort to Keep Entire Town.

Phoenix, Ore., Aug. 5. — Highballs made of plain water are today a thing of the past in Phoenix. Even the home made variety can be made just as "phizzy" and sparkling as the regular highball by turning on the kitchen spigot, for today the city water department turned on the water supply drawn from a new well which contains highly carbonated mineral water. Experts who superintended the drilling for the new well say the supply will last the city for years.

## SEVERE BOLT JARS CAMPERS

## PERRY FAMILY ESCAPE LIGHTNING STROKE.

Hurrying to Safety, Family Is Severely Shocked by Lightning.

Perry, Ore., Aug. 5.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Axel Johnson and Miss Alma Nelson luckily escaped being struck by lightning Sunday. They were up in the hills huckleberrying, when a terrific storm arose. Not desiring to be in the timber during the storm they immediately hitched up their horse and the two ladies got in the buggy, with Mr. Johnson walking, they began to leave the timber. The storm overtook them and a flash of lightning struck but a few yards from the rig, and Mrs. Johnson was on the side near the lightning she was stunned by the stroke and she felt the effects of the shock for several hours. No serious result was the consequence, but it was merely a matter of good luck that the three and the horse were not hit by the lightning.

## Bull Moose Birthday Remembered.

New York, Aug. 5.—National headquarters of the Progressive party today was swamped with messages from all over the country which predicted "long life and prosperity" for the baby party which was born just one year ago today in Chicago when the organizers met in their first convention at Chicago which resulted in the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt and Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, for president and vice president.

## Play for Maine Tennis Title Begins.

Bar Harbor, Me., Aug. 5.—With scores of members of the society colony in attendance, play for the Maine state tennis championships began today on the courts of the Bar Harbor Swimming club.

## ELEVEN WOMEN SEEK PENSIONS

Eleven applications for widows' pensions lie before Juvenile Judge J. C. Henry today to be passed upon before county court convenes tomorrow. Five had previously been granted and some refused, due to the misunderstanding of the law. Acting on advice from the attorney general, the county juvenile judges of the state are not permitting women whose husbands have left them to profit by the pension law. The law is applicable only to such women whose husbands either totally incapacitated or who

## WOMAN GUIDES GANGSTERS IN MURDER PLOTS

REPLICA OF THE ROSENTHAL SHOOTING OCCUR IN NEW YORK TODAY.

## WHITMAN ATTACHE SHOT AT

Three Bullets Strike Wm. Lustig But It Is Believed Victim Will Live—The Murderous Assault Made From Automobile in Front of "Humpty" Jackson's Restaurant Early in the Morning.

New York, Aug. 5.—Suspected of giving the New York authorities information against the gangsters, William Lustig, who is employed in the offices of District Attorney Whitman, was shot down in much the same manner as Rosenthal was, when he entered "Humpty" Jackson's restaurant with a woman here early today.

Shortly afterwards the woman left the restaurant from the back in an automobile and stopped at the curb where four men emerged, all firing at Lustig, who sat on the steps of the restaurant. Three of the bullets took effect. The four men then dropped their revolvers and entered the automobile which hurriedly disappeared.

Lustig, it is reported, will recover.

## Open Discussion at Camden Camp.

Camden, N. J., Aug. 5.—"The Return of Jesus," and "What the Apostles Taught About It," were the subjects of the principal addresses and open discussions at Camden Camp today. The Rev. C. W. Moore was the chief speaker. Delegates and visitors from a score of eastern states participated in the discussion. "The Work of the Holy Spirit," by the Rev. J. R. Mason, "The Holy Spirit and Power," by the Rev. T. J. J. Wright, were addresses and the speakers on this afternoon's program.

## Dead Body in Manhole.

Reeves, Mass., Aug. 5.—The bruised and battered body of an unidentified woman about 60 years old, was found in an unfinished manhole here today. The police believe that the woman was murdered. She apparently had been beaten unconscious and thrown into the manhole to drown.

## Garrison on Sound Today.

Seattle, Aug. 5.—Secretary of War Garrison and Major General Wood are inspecting Forts Worden, Flagler and Casey on Puget Sound today. The inspection is being made in motor boat. This afternoon they will visit the government canal at Lake Washington which is near completion.