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## PORTLAND IN GRIP OF COLD WAVE TODAY

Ice-Coated Walks and Roads Make Traffic Uncertain

## MANY CARS TIED UP IN WILLAMETTE

The Dalles Continues to Have Stormy Weather; Cars Damaged by Accidents.

(By Associated Press)  
PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—The city is again in winter's grip with snow on the ground, following an incipient silver thaw yesterday. A cold wave in the eastern part of the state is predicted for tonight.

## Autos Damaged.

(By Associated Press)  
PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—A miniature silver thaw—nothing like so stalwart as its recent predecessors, however—struck Portland early Monday. Damage was confined to automobiles.

The unusually low temperature froze surface moisture so hard that chains, ropes and other expedients were almost useless on automobiles. At the accident bureau of the police station emergency calls and accident reports began flooding in before the morning tide of traffic was fairly under way. Every street was a source of danger, but the hill streets on the east side were the worst.

## Heavy Boils.

Automobile drivers and streetcar motormen were moving their cars with care and this alone probably prevented more serious accidents.

The rain blew in upon the city from the southeast before the east wind had drawn away more than a few hours. At 5 o'clock the official thermometer at the weather bureau station recorded a temperature of 27 degrees.

Paved and unpaved roads on all sides of the city were covered with treacherous coatings of ice. Numerous automobiles were stalled at the foot of hills. Unskilled drivers found their cars down grades.

(By Associated Press)  
THE DALLES, Jan. 17.—With a minimum temperature of 29 above and a maximum of 31. The Dalles is still in the grip of the wintry blast that has held on for 10 days. River transportation is again completely blocked as a result of ice in the river. The east wind has been blowing for several days.

## Cars Stalled.

BEAVERTON, Ore., Jan. 17.—Both highways leading from Beaverton to Portland are reported to be blocked with machines, which during the day have been making ineffectual attempts to travel along the ice-glazed pavement. Chains are said to be of no avail when a hill is reached, and cars attempting to negotiate a climb have turned completely around.

According to reports reaching here, at least thirty-five cars are stalled on the Terwilliger boulevard between here and Portland.

## DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

NEWPORT, Ore., Jan. 17.—Nye beach natatorium, one of Newport's principal amusement resorts, was totally destroyed with its contents by fire early today.

## La Grande Made Syrup is to be Used at Dinner

La Grande-made mayonnaise will be served at the fashionable Made-in-Oregon dinners prepared in the Portland Chamber of Commerce next week. The observation of Oregon industries day, one suitable hour, also, the officials and attaches of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, the Oregon Exhibition association and the Oregon State Chamber will be entertained at a waffle party, whereat will be served a La Grande-made syrup. It is also possible that La Grande-made candies will be a part of the menus.

The mayonnaise which is to be served at the dinners proper, and at which will dine the wholesale and retail dealers of Portland up to a total of about 300 at the time of the dinner, will be the product of May 1st and is now on the market locally in eight-ounce containers.

The syrup to be used in the Portland Chamber of Commerce next week is made by S. N. Cahoon of this city. The waffle party in connection with the service was made necessary because no breakfasts are served during the pretentious program being outlined for Made-in-Oregon week, and through the efforts of the Ad Club, which is looking after the details of the La Grande displays, a special affair was arranged to give the local syrup its hour.

Both the syrup and the mayonnaise will be shipped down this week-end to be on tap when the night comes.

## CREW SHARES PROFITS OF COAL CARGO

Wooden Steamer Laden with Fuel for Cuba Leaves Newport News Today on New Basis.

(By Associated Press)  
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Jan. 17.—After signing officers and some of the crew on a profit-sharing basis, the wooden steamer Corvallis left today for Cuba with a coal cargo. The officers and men are to share the profits and receive a small flat wage and take chances with the operators in making a profit on the voyage.

## ANTI-MALE VAMP PLANK IN PLATFORM

(By Associated Press)  
MAGNETIC HOT SPRINGS, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Mary McFadden, aged 80, appointed acting mayor while Mayor Brown spends the winter in Florida, announced as her policy of including was on male vamps, enforcement of the curfew act, strict prohibition enforcement and harmony with the council.

## DOUBLE-HEADER FOR TOMORROW

A big basketball double-header is on the program for Wednesday evening at Y. M. C. A. Union and the Cougars will play the first game at 8:15 and the Stoddard Brothers and Clerks will mix immediately afterwards.

From past dope Union and the Cougars are about equally matched and this contest will boost one of the teams from the cellar, where they both are at present, the Cougars having lost two and Union one.

The second game, between the Stoddard Brothers and the Clerks, promises to be the stellar attraction of the evening as both teams are as yet undefeated and between them rests the championship of the league.

The league at present stands, Stoddard Brothers, 1000; Clerks, 1000; Cougars, Union and the Lingerling Five are striving for the cellar berth. If the Clerks are defeated and the team from Union wins, the Stoddard Brothers will have a clear field and the battle for second place will be between the Lingerling Five, Union and the Clerks, with the odds a little in favor of the latter quintet.

Both contests will be refereed by Charina Reynolds, official referee of the city basketball league.

At 7:30 the representatives of the teams will meet in the Y. M. C. A. to decide on the ground rules.

## Time Limit on Filing of Grazing Permits

Notice has been received that all permits for the grazing of livestock in Wenaha or Umatilla National Forests for 1922 must be filed in the forest supervisor's office at Pendleton on or before February 10, 1922. Applications not in by this time will not be considered unless there is a surplus of range suitable for grazing. Blanks and further information can be obtained either at the supervisor's office in Pendleton or from Forest Ranger Kendall of this city.

## AMERICAN IS RELEASED BY BANDIT GANG

Engineer Captured Near Chihuahua on January Eleventh

## ONE ABDUCTOR SHOT BY CONSTABULARY

Ten Thousand Ramson Asked by Lawless Band, Governor Organized Band to Pursue Captors.

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—News of the capture and later release of A. C. Stiles, American mining engineer in Mexico, reached the state department today.

Stiles was captured near Chihuahua, January 11, by a band of robbers and held for \$10,000 ransom. The governor of Chihuahua immediately organized the constabulary and the band pursued the abductors.

The bandits were overtaken January 13, near Santa Eualla and Stiles was rescued after a fight in which one bandit was shot.

## Forest Fire Loss Statistics Received

Floyd Kendall, forest ranger for this district recently received some statistics on forest fire of Class C, that is, fire embracing more than ten acres of territory, for the past year. The percentage of these fires decreased from 12 per cent for 1920, to eight per cent for last summer, and that the loss dropped from \$170,495 for the summer of 1920, to \$63,774 for last summer.

The local ranger wishes to express his appreciation of the co-operation he has received from the people of La Grande and other sections of Union county in regards to taking pains to see that their campfires were properly extinguished and in complying with the other rules for prevention of forest fires and he hopes that the local campers will use the same care in the coming season.

## All Officers are Reappointed by Kratz

Oscar A. Kratz, the newly-appointed city manager, has announced that all officers and employees of the city serving under the former city manager, George Garrett, will immediately be reappointed.

## APPEAL TO BE TAKEN IN TIL TAYLOR AWARDS

Union County Men awarded Portions of Reward Money Not Satisfied.

The following awards were made to the capturers of the slayers of Th Taylor recently: Vernon Stelmmer, \$125; B. F. Courtney, \$100; Alfred Smith, \$75; Claude Miles, \$75; each of the Pendleton posse, that was headed by James Estes, \$218.05, each of the La Grande posse, that was headed by J. H. McLachlin, \$205.55 and Umatilla county was awarded the cost of the proceedings, each of the defendants to pay such portion of the cost of proceedings to Umatilla county as his portion of award has to the entire award.

An appeal from the decree is received the Union county posse intends to appeal the case.

## HOP SING MAN HELD GUILTY OF ASSAULT

(By Associated Press)  
PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Dan June, a Hop Sing tong member, was found guilty of assault with intent to kill by a jury in circuit court early today. June was accused of complicity in an attack on Lee Wong, aged Sney Sing tong man, into whom four six bullets were fired August 1st. Wong recovered. The police are seeking Albert Wong, alleged accomplice of June, who fled.

## BUREAUCRATS BAR INFANT

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A ruling by immigration officials at Ellis Island admitting Mrs. Dionisia Zalawaska, a resident of Chicago for 11 years, and three of her children, but excluding her 3-month-old infant, born in Poland, because the immigration quota for Poland has been exceeded, has roused several welfare organizations to her aid.

Her appeals for the baby having failed, the distracted mother had to go to Ellis Island with the four children from the steamship Neagantic, which brought them Saturday. Persons interested in the case expected to obtain her release Monday.

## Ohio Paying Bonus to Veterans



War veterans waiting at Bentley Post headquarters, Cincinnati, for their bonus application blanks.

## IMMIGRATION PROBE TO BE BY BEAUTY

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Lillian Russell, American beauty, sailed today for Europe with her husband, Alexander P. Morse, editor of the Pittsburgh Leader, as a special agent for the government to investigate the intended immigrants to America and report to Secretary of Labor Davis, an investigation. They will seek to learn why passports of delinquents are void.

## Man With Stolen Bonds Held by Boston Cops

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—The police Monday detained as a suspicious person a man giving the name of Benjamin Greenberg, who was alleged to have offered a local brokerage house two bonds that have been advertised as part of the loot obtained in a \$250,000 robbery at Los Angeles last March. The bonds were for \$1000 each.

Greenberg's arrest disclosed the fact, according to the Boston police officials, that more than \$100,000 worth of bonds taken in the Los Angeles robbery had been disposed of in New England. Greenberg, they said, admitted having disposed of \$5000 worth at the Boston National bank. Ten thousand dollars worth additional were located at various local banking institutions.

## PRINCESS MARY TO MARRY IN SILVER GOWN

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, Jan. 17.—Princess Mary's wedding gown is to be one of cloth of silver, of magnificent design. The material was brought by the queen from India some years ago, and is described as a triumph of native manufacture.

The dress will have a train of ivory silk shot with silver, which is being woven by hand workers at Braintree, Essex, an old English silk manufacturing center, where the art of silk weaving has been passed down from generation to generation. At present the care taken in the manufacture of this material that only a few inches are finished each day. The train is expected to be ready soon and it then will be placed in the hands of the embroiderers.

Many plans for presenting wedding gifts to the king's daughter are afoot. The lord mayor of London is opening a popular fund for the purpose, with contributions limited to one pound sterling.

Rumor has it that Viscount Lascelles and his royal bride may spend part of their honeymoon at the beautiful Villa Medici at Fiesole, near Florence, Italy.

## BULLETINS

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Alanson B. Houghton, congressman from New York is to be nominated ambassador to Germany.

(By Associated Press)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Tabling evidence in the second trial of Boscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle for manslaughter will start this afternoon. No session of court was held this morning. The prosecution and defense desire to expedite the hearing.

(By Associated Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—The second trial of Arthur C. Borch was today set for March 27, following a jury disagreement yesterday on a charge of murdering J. Belton Kennedy.

(By Associated Press)  
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 17.—George Baldwin Seiden, inventor of the first gasoline propelled car and pioneer in the automobile industry, died today at his home, aged 77.

## Liquor Pirates Killed in Mississippi Valley

(By Associated Press)  
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 17.—Discovery of two bodies of men, apparently fishermen, on the beach here has led to 10 arrests by the local police, who assert the men were killed in a fight which followed an attempt last week to hold up and raid a liquor smuggling schooner at anchor near the coast.

The peoples' theory, if substantiated, will disclose what is said to be the first attempted piracy in connection with rum running on the Atlantic.

About the middle of the past week, according to the police, a Cuban fishing smack, rum-laden, dropped anchor in the vicinity of Dog Keys, and the captain made agreement for a party of Bloomington to come to the smack in gasoline launches to carry the liquor to the mainland.

On Friday night, the police assert, the party made the trip to the Cuban coast, but instead of paying for the liquor they overcame the crew of the fishing smack, and brought about 100 cases of liquor here.

Most of the liquor has been seized, police declare. The foreign boat disappeared after the fight. The police believe that the two bodies washed ashore were members of her crew.

## UNION COUNTY ROAD BONDS ARE BID IN

All Bids on Issue of \$400,000 Were at More Than Par Value

## ROAD BONDS HAVE BEEN STRENGTHENED

Syndicate of Oregon, Washington and New York Bond Houses Make Successful Offer to County

Bids for \$400,000 Union county road bonds were opened yesterday by the county court and the bid of the syndicate of bond houses of Portland, the National City Bank of New York, the Reich Schoolbank of Portland and the Security Bond and Trust company of Seattle was accepted by the court. Their bid was for a 4 1/2 per cent increase on a basis of 100.00.

Last summer the bond market was so low that the bid for a similar issue was only 94.00 on a 4 per cent interest and the increase in bond prices left all over the country due to the revival of business during the past few months was reflected in all bid bonds on the bond market.

The bonds are serial bonds of the average maturity of 2.25 years and the difference between that year and bid and the next best bid was \$1,250 in favor of the county.

The money derived from the bonds will be used for permanent road construction in the county. The bond issue of \$400,000 placed yesterday is the maximum amount of bonds available annually under the terms of the special bond election of 1920, the total issue being over one million dollars.

Other bids were as follows: E. H. Bolles & Co., 5 1/2 per cent on a basis of 100.87; F. L. Deveraux & Co. of Portland and Halfforsen, Wharton & Co. of Seattle, 5 1/2 per cent interest on a basis of 100.92; the Seattle National bank, Carstens & Earle, Inc., John E. Price & Co. of Seattle, the Vermont Loan & Trust company and Smith & Strout of Seattle, 5 1/2 per cent on a basis of 101.70; Ladd & Tilton bank of Portland, Fremont, Smith & Camp company of Portland and Rhyll, Witter & Co., 5 1/2 per cent, basis of 100.311.

## TO ROAD-SIGN NEW BOULEVARD

(By Associated Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—The new sixty-eight mile Mexican national boulevard from the California border-line through Lower California to Escondido will be road-signed by the Automobile Club of Southern California, marking its first step in placing signs on an international highway. The new road, completed after two years of constructing work, is said to be one of the most scenic on the continent and goes through mountainous country in which quail, duck and other abundant. The signs will conform to the foreign metric system of mileage, with characters, printed in Spanish and English.

## WHAT THIS GENTLEMAN NEEDS IS SOME GOOD WHOLESOME FOOD



## Weather

Tonight and Wednesday fair, expect probably rain or snow in the southwest portion of the state. Colder tonight with a moderate cold wave in the east portion of the state with zero temperature by morning.