

VERDICT OF JURY IN COLLINS CASE IS "NOT GUILTY"

Thomas S. Collins, charged with obtaining money from the state industrial accident commission through false statements, was found not guilty by a jury in the circuit court yesterday afternoon following a short period of deliberation.

GRANT JUDGMENT AGAINST COSHOW

PORTLAND, Jan. 10 (AP)— Judgment of \$16,000 against Oliver P. Coshow, former supreme court justice, in favor of the Empire Holding corporation, was awarded by Circuit Judge Crawford here Tuesday.

GERMANY BEHEADS M. VAN DER LUBBE

By John A. Bouman LEIPZIG, Germany, Jan. 10 (AP)— Marinus Van Der Lubbe, 24-year-old Dutch stonemason, was beheaded today for firing the German reichstag building in Berlin last February.

Three La Grande Men Tell of Tragic Flood

Members of the jury were William Scriber, Floyd Walk, Roy Cope, Bessie Scriber, H. E. Bull, Ralph Chenaault, Roy Fisher, Antoine End, John Widell, M. E. Wallinger, Harold Craig and Earl Culver.

F. R. REQUESTS GUARANTEE ON FARM BONDS

do with treaties, members there—including the New Yorkers, Fish and Mead—argued against the St. Lawrence treaty on the grounds of unfairness to New York.

War Debts Debated

A debate on the war debts rang in the senate with Senator Clark (D., Mo.) offering an amendment to the liquor tax bill to place excise taxes over and above the tariffs on liquors from nations behind in their war debts to this country.

NON-FEDERAL PROJECTS ON DORMANT LIST

gon in the near future, which is understood to mean until additional funds are provided, if they are.

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SHOW PICTURES OF BIG FLOOD

First news pictures of the Southern California flood New Year's day, which was fatal to a large number and which caused damage estimated from \$5,000,000 to \$40,000,000, were shown at the Liberty theatre last night in the Observer-Liberty news reel.

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Physicians today said that Charles Schouler and Mrs. Louis Comstock, most seriously injured of nine survivors of an automobile accident near here Sunday which was fatal to Mr. Comstock and Mrs. Schouler, were definitely out of danger.

FIRST SNOW IN WEEKS FALLS HERE TODAY

An inch of snow fell in La Grande shortly before and during the noon hour today, the first snow here in several weeks.

FLUE FIRE; NO DAMAGE DONE

The fire department was called to 1515 Adams avenue at 9:10 o'clock last night, because of a flue fire. No damage was done.

WARREN LYLE HAS OPERATION

Warren Lyle underwent an emergency appendix operation last night at the Grande Ronde hospital.

Henry Ford Wins Another Victory

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)— The automobile interests of Henry Ford were in possession of a second victory today in an effort to gain government contracts despite the refusal of the Detroit manufacturer to join the NRA.

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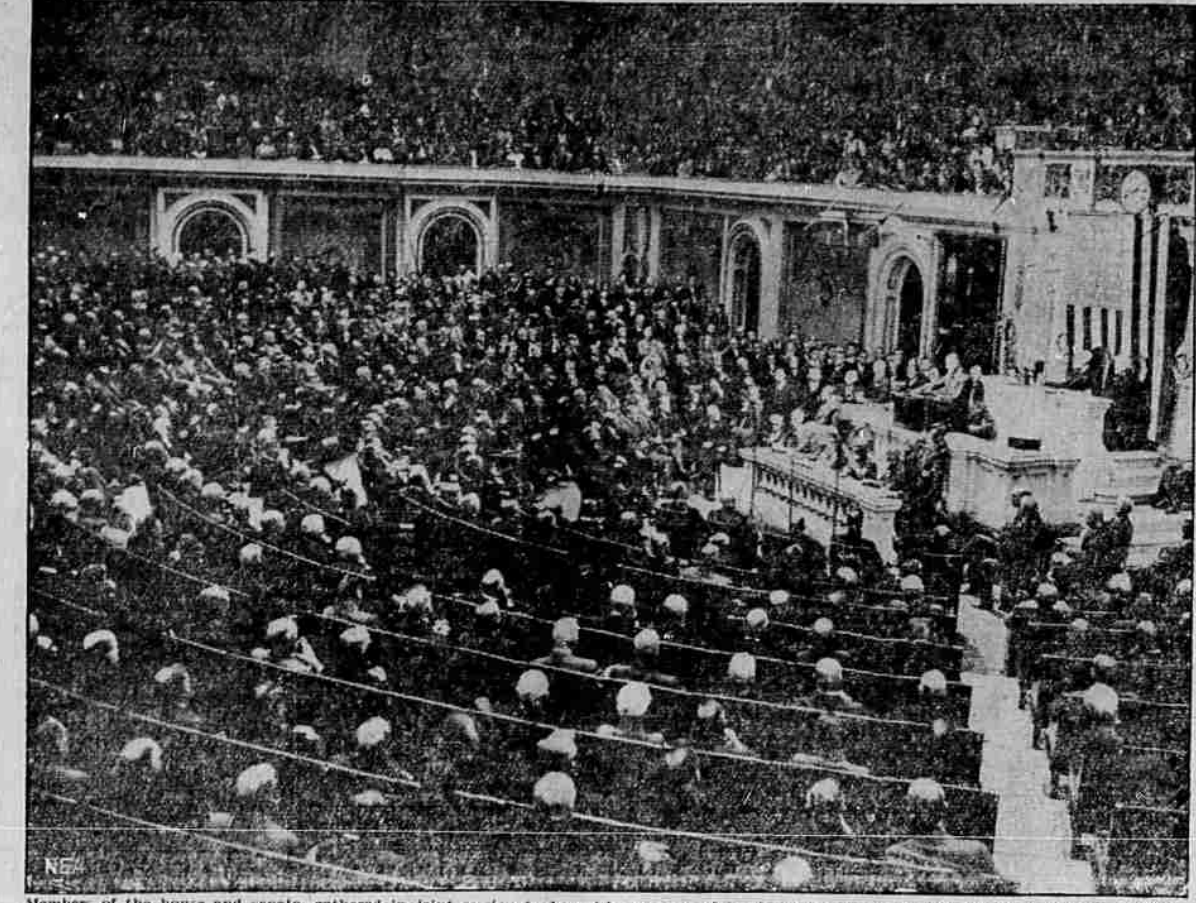
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HOUSE AND SENATE HEAR THE PRESIDENT



Members of the house and senate, gathered in joint session to hear the message of President Roosevelt, are shown here in the house chamber, with a throng in the gallery, listening to the President declare that "We are winning; the depression is whipped."

DIVORCES IN GAIN IN UNION CO.

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LOCAL BRIEFS CUT IN SELLING PRICE OF EGGS

Portland, Jan. 10 (AP)— Effective at once local co-ops announced a cut of 1 to 2c dozen in the selling price on eggs here, a seasonal affair. The elimination of the large size from the market quotation was also seasonal and usually occurs at this time.

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MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

Table with market news for Chicago Wheat, Chicago Corn, and Portland Wheat, showing Open, High, Low, and Close prices for various months.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Jan. 10 (AP)— Cattle: 500, calves 25; steady. Steers, good, common and medium, \$3.00 @ \$6.00; heifers, common and medium, \$2.75 @ \$4.75; cows good, \$3.25 @ \$3.85; common and medium, \$2.25 @ \$3.25; low cutter and cutter, \$1.25 @ \$2.25; bulls, cutter, and medium, \$2.00 @ \$3.00; vealers, good and choice, \$3.00 @ \$6.00; cull, common and medium, \$2.50 @ \$5.00; calves, good and choice \$4.00 @ \$5.00; common and medium, \$2.00 @ \$4.00.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Jan. 10 (AP)— Butter— Prints, extra, 20c; standards 19 1/2c. Butterfat— Portland delivery: A grade 16@18 lb; farmer's door delivery, 13@14 lb; sweet cream 5c higher.

OMAHA SHEEP

OMAHA, Jan. 10 (AP)— (U. S. D. A.)—Sheep: 8,000; bids on lambs fully steady; asking stronger; sheep strong to 25c higher; sorted native lambs \$7.50 @ \$7.75; fed wooled lambs bid \$7.75 @ \$7.85; asking above \$6.00 for bulk; light ewes eligible up to \$3.75.

Odds and Ends Clearance

The exact amount of items that are to be sold are listed below and are far less than the actual VALUE — but you must hurry to get your share of these great BARGAINS.

- Top Coats: 3 only, men's grey tweed topcoats. Sizes 36 - 38 - 40. \$7.00. Overcoat: 1 only - Size 38. You will grab this one if it is your size. \$10.00. Suits: 3 only. Sizes 35 - 37, out they go at \$7.50. Suits: 4 only. Real quality suits. Sizes 37 - 38. \$11.89. Overcoat: 1 Only. Brown, size 46. \$7.50. Dress Shirts: 27 in nearly all sizes. 49c. Hats: 16 only, high grade dress hats. Values to \$4.95. \$1.98. Wool Shirts: 43 only. You will realize the value at a glance. \$1.98. Knit Dresses: 5 only in girls' sizes 8 - 10 - 12. \$1.49. Knit Dresses: 4 only. Ladies' sizes 14 - 16. A real value. \$2.49. Coats: 2 only. Children's extra fine quality. Sizes 10 - 12. A \$5.95 value. \$2.95. Girl's Coat: 1 only. Size 12. \$3.89. Ladies' Coats: 2 only. They are worth more than double this price. Sizes 14 - 18. \$10.00. Dresses: 14 only. Ladies' wool dresses, these are our best grades, former prices up to \$9.95. Sizes 14 to 20. \$3.95. Shoes: 59 pair only of ladies' shoes consisting of pump, straps and elderly ladies comforts. High, low and medium heel. \$1.79.

Aberdeen COAL 20 Years from the same bins in La Grande. Always Gives Satisfaction. Home Lumber & Coal Co. Phone Main 17 (Mickey) McCoy W. G. Sawyer.

LIBERTY Mercy's TONIGHT JEAN HARLOW LEE TRACY BOMBHELLA IN THE LAUGH-EXPLOSION THAT'LL ROCK THE NATION Coming Tomorrow! THE FIRST GREAT SPECTACLE OF MODERN TIMES! CECIL B. DE MILLE'S THIS DAY AND AGE Starring— CHARLES DICKFORD - JUDITH ALLEN - RICHARD CROMWELL - EDDIE NUGENT - HARRY GREEN - BEN ALEXANDER - FUZZY KNIGHT - WARNER RICHMOND - CHARLES MIDDLETON. COMING! MAE WEST in "I'M NO ANGEL"

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