

State Grange May Have Candidate For Governor

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ZIMMERMAN EXPECTED TO ENTER RACE

Yamhill State Senator Is "Felt Out" At Roseburg Meet.

NEW CANDIDATE IN RECEPIVE MOOD

Already Informed on Requirements For Filing And Little Doubt Now Held He Will Run.

ROSEBURG, June 14 (AP)—Reversing the order of a potential candidate feeling out the sentiments of the public, the Oregon state grange in convention here today was feeling out Peter Zimmerman of Yamhill county, as to his reported candidacy as independent for governor. And they found out.

Zimmerman is in a receptive mood and said he would run if the regular progressives continue to press him. The state senator from Yamhill county informed himself today upon the requirements for filing, and conversation with him leaves little doubt but that he was ready to make the plunge when the filing time after July 30 arrives.

A lot of support will be given Peter Zimmerman by the grangers should he run independent. Leaders of the state organization declared, but Zimmerman, in an interview last night, declared he did not know what support he would receive, and added that should he run he would campaign on the progressive program, the chief points of which are "taxes paid by those best able to pay, state-owned transmission lines to Bonneville, and the state bank."

Zimmerman yesterday was elected a member of the state grange executive committee and was in attendance at the convention as a voting delegate. He was perhaps one of the busiest men at the convention, inside and outside the session halls.

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 14 (AP)—The Roseburg public was given an opportunity to join this afternoon in the Oregon state grange convention, as the farmers rested from the business of their order to pay tribute to their honored dead, confer awards upon particular granges and individuals, and cheer their respective drill teams in a competitive exhibition. The annual memorial service, the conferring of awards and drill team contest constituted the afternoon program.

COMMISSION HOLDS WEEKLY MEETING

The La Grande city commission met last night in the city building. All members of the commission were present.

City Manager Angus McAllister made a financial report for the week ending June 13. Total receipts were \$13,109.87; total disbursements were \$13,062.01. August warrants to the sum of \$16,109.67 were called.

Hugh Brady was allowed to withdraw a bond issued by the Maryland Casualty company covering a soft drink establishment operated by N. E. Matthews at 1116 1/2 Jefferson, which has discontinued business.

Bills for May to the extent of \$2,136.43 were presented and allowed for payment by warrant.

NEGRO HELD FOR PORTLAND KNIFING

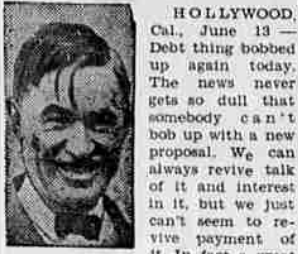
PORTLAND, June 14 (AP)—Roy Tindall, 41, negro bootblack, was arrested here today and held for questioning in connection with the fatal stabbing of Charles Patton, a negro, who died in a hospital this morning from knife wounds.

PRIMO HAS 53-LB. EDGE OVER MAXIE

NEW YORK, June 14 (AP)—The rapid and somewhat baffling sequence of events leading up to the 15-round heavyweight championship match between the giant Primo Carnera and Max Baer was marked late today by fresh betting support for the challenger, threatening financial difficulties for both and a highly confusing attitude toward the possibility of low blows in tonight's battle.

No sooner had the turmoil of the official weighing-in subsided, with Carnera balancing the scales at 263 1/2 pounds and Baer at 210, than Broad-

Debts Bob Up For Campaign Thunder



HOLLYWOOD, Cal., June 13—Debt thing bobbed up again today. The news never gets so dull that somebody can't bob up with a new proposal. We can always revive talk of it and interest in it, but we just can't seem to revive payment of it. In fact a great many of the ideas we have loaned 'em they haven't even paid back.

Well it's good to get it all stirred up before the new congressional elections. The following sounds awful good on the platform: "Did the man you last sent to Washington make Europe pay? No, no. Well elect me and I will make them pay." So it will always be a good argument. Yours,

Miss Rogers.
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THOMAS T. COCK, UNION RECORDER, DIES WEDNESDAY

Thomas Tilden Cock, city recorder and prominent business man of Union and among the best known residents of Union county, passed away at his home last evening at 5:30 o'clock after a month's serious illness. Prior to that time, Mr. Cock had not been well but every day had been at his place of business and his recent rapid decline has been a sad shock to his relatives and friends. Two weeks ago he was taken to Portland for further medical examination which revealed a very serious cancerous condition. On his request, he was brought back last Saturday to his home at Union where his passing occurred.

Mr. Cock was a native of Missouri, born near Clinton Sept. 25, 1876. He was married in 1904 to Miss Lena Maupin at Kiowa, Okla., and two years later they came to this county and to Union where they have since resided.

He and his brother, Walter Cock, formed the partnership of Cock Bros., purchasing the furniture and undertaking business which they still own.

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Past Commanders Of Legion Honored At Post Meeting

The past commanders of American Legion post No. 43 of La Grande were honored last night at the regular meeting of the post. Ota Palmer, who was commander in 1925, was in charge of the observance, and called on the past commanders present for short talks. An interesting fact was brought out during the meeting—of the 15 past commanders who have served the organization since its beginning in 1919, one is living in Portland and one was taken by death in the last year.

Commanders and the year in which they served are as follows: J. L. Ingle, 1919; Fred E. Kiddle, 1920; Roy B. Currey, 1921; Ray Murphy, 1922; Ralph R. Huron, 1923; Ray Williams, 1924; Ota Palmer, 1925; Harley H. Richardson, 1926; Hugh E. Brady, Portland, 1927; Ralph Winters, now of Portland, 1928; Norman Deslett, 1931; Frank Flanery, 1932; John Garity, 1933.

The chair of Ralph Huron was left vacant during the evening and taps were sounded in his honor by Andrew Loney during the roll call, during which time the members stood at attention.

During the business meeting which preceded the special observance, Fred Read, commander, presided, and several items of business were transacted. It was voted that \$10.00 be donated to the Salvation Army relief fund. Announcement was made that the junior baseball team which is sponsored by the legion will play a junior team from Walla Walla next Sunday. Discussion of the new meeting place which has been offered, was quite lengthy and a committee was appointed to go into the details.

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In Mass Deaths



Two principals in the wholesale murder of a Susanville, Calif., family of five are shown above. Pete Alois, upper, held as the mad wielder of a huge knife which hacked to death five persons in a jealous rage over the love of Sadie Fazio, 22, below.

FOUR MORE NATIONS IN PAY REFUSAL

WASHINGTON, June 14 (AP)—Eight European nations with war debt installments totalling \$475,000,000 due tomorrow have notified the state department they will be unable to make any payment. Italy, Poland, Rumania and Hungary lined up with the defaulters today when their envoys left notes with the state department explaining they could not make the semi-annual principal and interest payments.

Only Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Yugoslavia—owing a total of approximately \$2,000,000—are still to be heard from.

Of the thirteen debtor nations owing \$477,843,644 tomorrow, only Finland has announced it will pay its installment of \$186,538. Great Britain, France, Belgium and Czechoslovakia previously had announced their intention to default.

REMORSEFUL, ENDS LIFE AFTER WIFE

Harry Youngblood Takes Poison as Did His Wife Earlier This Week.

Believed remorseful over the conditions that led to the suicide of his wife Monday night, and for which he is thought to have held himself responsible, Harry Youngblood killed himself this afternoon by taking strychnine. He died shortly after he was taken to the hospital, at about 2 o'clock.

"Well, I did it," he said, just after he was found in convulsion at the home at 1309 F street.

The suicide ended a tragic episode that began Monday evening. Youngblood and Mrs. Youngblood are said to have quarreled and he left the home. Mrs. Youngblood threatened to commit suicide when he left the home. She drank a poisonous disinfectant and died in the hospital that evening. Youngblood, declared intoxicated when he found after his wife had been taken to the hospital, had to be incarcerated in jail overnight. It is said, he has evidenced despondency ever since that time, said those who knew him.

Coroner George Walker and police are investigating the case. Two young daughters of Mrs. Youngblood by a former marriage survive.

Band Concert To Feature Flag Day Program Tonight

An especially fine concert has been planned by Andrew Loney Jr., director of the La Grande municipal band for the Flag Day exercises this evening at Triangle park. Intensive practice has been held during the last several weeks by the band and those who attend the exercises are promised a musical treat in this evening's program, according to the committee in charge.

The Elks lodge, following their annual custom, is sponsoring this observance and the program will begin promptly at 7:30. A number of patriotic organizations will take part during the evening, including the Boy Scouts, drum corps, a group of Elks who will contribute their regular ritualistic work. Rev. R. C. Lee, of Union, will be the speaker of the evening. Paul Knautz is soloist and the prayer will be offered by the Rev. J. George Walk.

An invitation has been extended to the public to attend this program and a large crowd is anticipated.

Rotary Will Support Miss Vesta Mitchell For Festival Queen

The Rotary club today announced its candidate for Queen of the Semi-Centennial Celebration here July 19-20-21.

The organization will be represented by Miss Vesta Mitchell in the race for queen.

Study Relief for Drouth Area



With millions of dollars' toll taken by the extended drouth in the midwest, the federal government is rushing relief plans and two leaders of the campaign are shown here as they arrived in Chicago for a plane tour of the stricken region. At left is Dr. O. E. Reed, of the dairy industry bureau, and at right is Dr. E. W. Sheets, national drouth relief director.

MUSSOLINI AND HITLER MEET TO "SETTLE" EUROPEAN PEACE PACT

VENICE, June 14 (AP)—A former house painter and the son of a blacksmith met today to discuss the fate of Europe. One was Adolf Hitler, chancellor of Germany and leader of the Nazi party; the other was Benito Mussolini, premier of Italy and leader of the Fascists.

Hitler flew here in a tri-motored airplane, accompanied by Konstantin von Neurath, his foreign minister, and a staff of diplomats.

STEEL MEN DEMAND U. S. INTERVENTION

PITTSBURGH, July 14 (AP)—A convention dominated by union leaders beligerently demanding "recognition" or a nationwide steel strike met for an hour and ten minutes today and then recessed while the credentials of its delegates were examined.

The delegates, off the convention floor, voiced belief that only governmental intervention could forestall a strike.

As they were filling out of their meeting place, Hugh S. Johnson, NRA administrator, was saying in Washington: "I don't see anything more I can do."

"If there were anything more I could do, I would try it, but you can't trade with a man who won't trade. I made a suggestion but they would make no concessions."

Hotel Clerks Get New Worry From Racket

PORTLAND, June 14 (AP)—Hotel keepers here were on their guard against the newest of rackets, worked early today on one of their number.

Walton D. McNair, only clerk on duty at the hotel at 5 a. m., went to an upstairs room to quiet a drunken guest who was raising a terrific uproar. When McNair returned to his desk he discovered \$45 had been stolen from the cash register.

He had noticed that two men, seated in an automobile across the street, had left the car while he was on his way upstairs. In a few minutes the unruly guest, who had sobered with remarkable rapidity, ran to the parked car and drove away.

Wheat Today

CHICAGO, June 14 (AP)—Downturns of grain prices formed the rule early today. Inadequate buying support in wheat was a feature, together with some renewal of stop loss selling. Opening at 1 1/2 @ 1/2 decline, July 95 1/2 @ 1/2. Wheat afterward dropped further. Corn started 1/4 @ 1/2 decline, and subsequently rallied.

CHICAGO, June 14 (AP)—Wheat plunged downward late today. To bottommost points touched since May 28, off about 7 1/2 cents from yesterday's top.

Movement of newly harvested wheat was reported as rapidly increasing southwest, Okla. sent word of arrivals of 248 carloads today. Winnipeg advices of improved crop conditions for wheat in the Canadian prairie provinces had an additional bearish influence.

Rallying at the last, wheat closed nervous, 1 1/2 @ 1/2 under yesterday's finish, September 94 1/2 @ 1/2; corn 1/2 off to 1/2 up, oats 1/2 @ 1/2 down, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 12c.

JUST BEFORE PRESSTIME

LOUGHRAN AT FIGHT
DECLARE MORATORIUM
NEW KIWANIS HEAD
SELL UMATILLA LAMBS

NEW YORK, June 14 (AP)—Tommy Loughran, who lost to Primo Carnera the last time the heavyweight title holder defended his crown, in Miami March 1, arrived from Europe today just in time to view Carnera's bout with Max Baer tonight. Tommy predicted it would either be a "knock-out for Baer or a decision for Carnera."

NEW YORK, June 14 (AP)—The Reichbank's declaration of a six-month moratorium on all foreign obligations, including the Young and Dawes loans, was regarded in international banking quarters here as likely to lead to a sharp international controversy unless the order is modified. The French government intends to meet the German moratorium shortly by measures to enforce a respect for French interests, according to financial authorities.

TORONTO, June 14 (AP)—Dr. William J. Carrington, Atlantic City, N. J., today was elected president of Kiwanis International for 1934-35 at the close of the 18th annual convention here. He is a prominent physician in the eastern United States, and for years has been actively engaged in many kinds of community and philanthropic work.

PENDLETON, June 14 (AP)—About 25,000 lambs in Umatilla county have been contracted for delivery in July and August, at prices ranging from 6 to 6 1/2 cents a pound, local sheepmen reported today. About 75,000 lambs remain unsold in the county.

PORTLAND, June 14 (AP)—The Standard Oil company of California, with a float consisting of 75,000 blossoms, won the sweepstakes award in the floral parade here today.

HENRY FORD MAY FLY CODE EAGLE

WASHINGTON, June 14 (AP)—Companies which are conforming with NRA regulations, but which have not signed an NRA code, now may fly the Blue Eagle.

Thus code authorities may not withhold the Blue Eagle emblem from those companies which, although in "bad standing" with the NRA, have not been proved violators of the code.

As an example, the Ford Motor company claims to be adhering to all NRA provisions, although it has not signed a code. NRA officials pointed out, however, that the ruling would not make it possible for Ford to obtain government contracts, inasmuch as a clear-cut assent and pledge of continuous compliance with the code still is required of all bidders for government business.

SEVERE QUAKE FELT IN INDIA

CALCUTTA, India, June 14 (AP)—An earthquake, apparently worse than the Bihar province disaster which killed thousands last January, shook Afghanistan and Baluchistan early today.

The affected area was reported to stretch along the whole Northwest Himalaya range.

Indications agree that Mach near Quetta, which was completely wiped out by an earthquake in 1931, has again been badly stricken.

Reports suggested that the epicenter of the quake was in Afghanistan. Seismographs here, however, recorded the most severe shock at 3 a. m. G. M. T. (1 p. m. Wednesday E. S. T.) indicated that the center of the greatest earth activity was in Baluchistan.

TERRORISTS FLOOD MAILS WITH BOMBS

By John Evans
Associated Press Foreign Staff

PARIS, June 14 (AP)—At least four bombs, two of which failed to explode, have been dispatched through the mails by fantastic terrorists who call themselves "The Three Judges of Hell," police revealed today.

The possibility that more bombs were sent, and that the "three judges" may try to carry out their threats against the lives of the president, premier and other high officials caused concern in governmental circles and business offices.

The latest bomb was received today at the government broadcasting station today. It was a glass cylinder containing a quarter of a pound of powder arranged to explode on removal of a rubber band. Its nature was detected before it was opened. One bomb exploded yesterday in a post office, injuring three clerks.

Another infernal machine was delivered to "Tokalon," a large American beauty product firm controlled by E. Virgil Neal.

A girl mail clerk's life was probably saved by her quick realization that a faint metallic sound as she started to open the package was caused by a spring intended to explode the bomb.

She kept the package closed until police arrived, when it was opened by experts. They found the same powder and loaded mechanism as was in yesterday's machine.

A letter sent three weeks ago to the Tokalon offices led to precautions and secret police have been closely watching all mail.

CONFERENCES MAIN STRIKE MOVES TODAY

San Francisco Employers Reject Proposals But Other Points Hopeful.

SECRETARY PERKINS SEES SETTLEMENT

Agreement Imminent In Northern Ports, is Word From United States Labor Chief.

WASHINGTON, June 14 (AP)—Secretary Perkins said today she expected an almost immediate settlement of the longshoremen's strike at Seattle, Tacoma and Portland, Ore. She told reporters the latest information reaching her was that an agreement was imminent for the three northern ports but that at San Francisco and other Pacific coast cities a settlement seemed more distant. The secretary declined to disclose the details of settlement.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 14 (AP)—Determined, they said, to move definitely toward an immediate end of the longshoremen's strike in Portland, a group of leaders in the waterfront controversy met here this afternoon. Those attending the conference expressed weariness over the prolonged negotiations, numerous proposals, counter proposals and refusals that have characterized negotiations to date.

SEATTLE, June 14 (AP)—Striking longshoremen met in the union hall this afternoon to consider a new strike settlement proposal advanced by operators at a conference with Mayor Charles L. Smith today. Although the strike had not been settled at the 1 p. m. deadline set by the mayor, he withheld action until after the strikers' rank and file action on the employers' proposal. The mayor said he would take action to open the port if a settlement was not reached today.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14 (AP)—The waterfront employers here today rejected a proposal offered by the International Longshoremen's association to end the strike of Pacific coast longshoremen. The rejection, Mayor Angelo Rossi was notified by Thomas G. Plant, representing the employers, was based on their refusal to accept the "closed shop."

Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE	
(Ten Innings)	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	3 13 1
Pittsburgh	2 5 3
Mungo and Lopez; French, Birkhofer, and Padden, Grace.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
(Ten Innings)	R. H. E.
New York	3 9 0
Cincinnati	0 4 1
Schumacher and Mancuso; Pref, Brennan and O'Farrell.	
Philadelphia	4 11 1
Chicago	6 10 0
Hansen, Johnson and Wilson; Malone, Lee and Hartnett.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
(Ten Innings)	R. H. E.
St. Louis	0 1 1
New York	7 9 2
Andrews, Wells, McAfee and Hemsley; Bronca and Dickey.	
Cleveland	11 13 0
Philadelphia	7 10 2
Harder and Pytkal; Casarella, Dietrich, Kline and Berry.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
(Ten Innings)	R. H. E.
Chicago	1 4 1
Washington	5 9 4
Earnshaw and Madjeski; Weaver and Phillips.	

