



TERRORIST PLOT AT GARY NIPPED. Russians in Indiana Town Clash With Authorities.

Gary, Ind., May 5.—There was no red parade in Gary Sunday. Instead 16 men plucked from an unruly mob of 10,000 nursed sore heads and injured ribs last night in the Gary police station after three hours of intermittent rioting.

Allowance is Increased.

Washington, May 3.—Thousands of soldiers, sailors and marines discharged from service between November 11, 1918, and February 28, 1919, may file claims with the auditor of the war department for 1 1/2 cents per mile for travel expenses from the place of discharge to their homes.

Black Rock Gets Postoffice.

Monmouth, Or., May 5.—The post-office at Black Rock, discontinued for many years because of lack of business, is to be reopened as soon as officials can complete the necessary arrangements.

THE CITY COUNCIL. Regular Session Tuesday Night. Only Routine Business Transacted.

The city council met in regular session Tuesday night. The mayor, all of the councilmen, recorder, treasurer, street commissioner and marshal were present.

Jail Door Kicked Down.

Greeley, Col., May 5.—Two Denver girls, giving their names as Loretta Smith and Helen Starr, each 18 years old, who were arrested here in company with two strange men at a local rooming house, did not like confinement in the city jail, and kicked their way to liberty.

Sawmill to Increase Output.

Albany, Or., May 5.—The big sawmill of the Hammond Lumber company at Mill City, 30 miles northeast of Albany, will be operated at full capacity again after May 12.

PROFIT-SHARING PROPOSED. New Scheme for Regulating Public Utility Rates Presented.

Albany, N. Y., May 7.—An entirely new scheme for regulating the rates of public corporations has turned up. George A. Glynn, chairman of the republican state committee has submitted to Senator Thompson of Niagara, chairman of the senate public service committee, a bill which permits public service corporations to get a 6 per cent return on their investments.

Hawley Will Fight Admission of Asiatics.

Salem, Or., May 6.—Opposition to immigration of Asiatic races to the Pacific coast will be made by Congressman Hawley, he declared yesterday on the eve of his departure for Washington, D. C., to attend the special session of congress which he thinks will be called in a short time.

Ashland Debaters to Eugene.

Ashland, Or., May 5.—The Ashland high school will send a debating team to Eugene May 10 to enter the semi-finals against the other teams of Oregon.

OUR OWN STATE. Some Recent Happenings in Various Parts of Oregon.

Mild Form of Influenza Forces Closing of Meetings. Monmouth, Or., May 5.—The first number of cases of a gripe that suddenly appeared in Monmouth and vicinity last week resulted in the closing of all public meeting places, churches and schools, by an order issued by Mayor O. A. Wolverton.

Prospects for Oil Good.

Albany, Or., May 6.—An inspection of the country around Lacombe with a view of boring for oil is now being made by John B. Kerr, geologist and mineralogist of San Francisco, representing R. L. Macleay of Portland, who recently secured oil leases on considerable land in that section of Linn county.

Three Fatal Accidents.

Salem, Or., May 5.—Three fatal accidents were reported to the state industrial accident commission for the week ending May 1 out of a total of 510 industrial casualties for the week. The fatalities were Roy L. Maps, Tillamook, lumbering; Sam Rasmussen, Clatskanie, lumbering; Thornton Umphrey, Springfield, electrocuted while attempting to walk a girder on county bridge by coming in contact with high voltage wire.

Soldier Given 7 Medals.

Marshfield, Or., May 6.—Charlton Lee, a former Marshfield man, who fought with the sixth marine regiment in France, has seven medals for bravery, and is now recovering from wounds at the army hospital at Quantico, Virginia. He was made a first lieutenant before the war ended.

Highway Between Albany and Jefferson to be Paved.

Albany, Or., May 3.—Considerable grading work has already been done on the section of the Pacific highway between Albany and Jefferson, which will be paved this summer. From a point just north of Albany for a distance of about two miles northward the road is now torn up, and preliminary work is being done at other places.

Wind Breaks Plate Glass.

Marshfield, Or., May 5.—For several days an unusually powerful and chilly northwesterly wind has been blowing, with frosts, the past two nights. The wind this afternoon broke a quarter-inch plate glass window 14x8 feet at the Sarter, confectionary store. The loss is between \$300 and \$400.

Beaverton Yard is Sold.

Beaverton, Or., May 4.—The Jones Lumber company sales yard in Beaverton was sold yesterday to F. W. Hoyer and co, near the site of the new Beaverton. It has been known for some time that the yard was for sale.

BRITISH GIRLS "MAKE UP". No Place for Tired-Looking Women in Business World.

London, May 5.—The British "land girl" of the war, who is once more a town girl, has returned to the use of "make-up." Artful make-up, in the opinion of a London business woman who champions the practice, is essential. "There is no room," she told an interviewer, "for the washed out, tired-looking woman in the business world. Even if she is delicate she must not look delicate. A little rouge, very daintily applied, will give her an appearance of health and brightness which goes a long way with an employer."

Harvest Wage is Fixed.

Hutchinson, Kan., May 4.—Wheat growers from 35 western Kansas counties yesterday adopted a harvest wage schedule of 50 cents an hour for a 10-hour day with extra pay for overtime. This wage applies to shockers, bargemen, pitchers and helpers around stacks and drivers of headers and binders. Men with teams will receive 70 cents an hour and stackers 60 cents.

Meskill Rock Quarry is Closed.

Chehalis, Wash., May 6.—Meskill rock quarry, located 12 miles west of this city, on the Chehalis and South Bend line, has been permanently closed down by the Lewis county commissioners, it being found impossible to operate it owing to excessive freight rates charged on crushed rock since the government took over the railroad. A recent reduction of 10 cents per ton was in reality no relief, since on a short haul of nine miles from Meskill to Littell freight on a single car of crushed rock is \$40 and \$45 from Meskill to Chehalis.

Yankees in Siberia to be Relieved.

Washington, May 6.—Orders were issued today by the war department for the recruiting of 8000 men to serve as replacement troops for American soldiers now in Siberia. A replacement detachment will be organized at San Francisco and the troops will be sent forward in units of 500 each as they become available.

Bank Failures are Rare.

Washington, May 6.—Controller of the Currency Williams in a statement today called attention to the solidity of the national banking system as illustrated by the fact that in the last four months only one small national bank, with \$25,000 capital, failed. In the last 16 months only two national bank failures were recorded.

Man Struck by Train Dies.

Hood River, Or., May 4.—A man, apparently over 50 years old and identified by letters in his pocket as William H. Fisher, who had resided at Roseville, Ind., and later at Seattle, was fatally injured when struck today by O. W. R. & N. passenger train No. 18 in the local yards. The engine had slowed down for the stop when Fisher was seen to step on the track.

INDUSTRIAL REVIEW. Manufactures, Enterprises and Improvements, Providing Payrolls and Promoting Development of Oregon.

May 5.—Warren Construction Co. gets \$342,000 paving contract of 8 miles from Deer Island to Delmar. Hood River—Immediate work assured on Look highway. Salem—Dividend over \$10,000 declared on \$25,000 capital stock investment by Salem Fruit Union. Monmouth—Contract for paving from Rickreill to Manmoth and Independence let Warren Construction Co., 8.3 miles, \$204,122. 8.3 miles between Amity and Holmes let to Oregon Independent Paving Co. at \$244,170. Port Umpqua will have box factory. Salem—2 dormitories at feeble milled school to be built, cost \$50,783. Eugene—Contract for improving road over M-Kenzie pass, signed. Morsan ditch contract let at estimated cost of \$25,000 for west unit of 25,000 acres, and \$250,000 for east unit of 17,500. Sheridan—Yamhill Milling Co. awarded government order for 2551 bbl. of flour for April delivery. Scappoose—\$38,000 contract let for paving 11 miles between McTrilles and this place. Portland—Work being rushed on livestock pavilion. Myrtle Point—Marshfield to Coquille road contract let for \$318,731. Monroe—Benton county may get 9 miles extra paving this year. Pendleton—Standard Oil to start \$15,000 improvements here at once. Roseburg—Cannon Creek Canyon highway ready for travel June 25. New bridge at Walker may be constructed this summer. Reedsport Hotel being enlarged. Road work between Cottage Grove and Lorane to begin at once. Cottage Grove—Entire valley highway from Portland to Cottage Grove to be paved by end of 1920. Work on road between The Dalles and Dufur to begin at once. Stave-ton—Jordan Valley opens new cheese factory. Ashland—Road over Siskiyou range now open. Portland—Highway and paving contracts just made amount to \$9,500,000. Roseburg—School boys being organized to handle fruit crop on account of labor shortage. Prune prices breaking all records. Corvallis—Benton county may get 9 miles extra paving this year. Roseburg—Union price for shearing sheep is 23 cents. Minner activity being resumed at Canyon City. Umpqua Growers Assn. purchases Roseburg Canning Co's machinery. Polk county citizens unite for good roads; 100 miles of paving for county. Two miles Roseburg-Sutherlin road to be paved this year. Silverton—Silver Falls Timber Co. working night crew at big mill. Astoria, merchants start on big apartment house project. Bidding of Roosevelt highway will do much to help the labor situation. Parkdale—\$12,900 bond issue voted by school patrons for erection of grade school building. Salem—The state land commission will purchase 60 acres of land two miles from Independence for its first model farm unit. Brooks—Grading on Pacific Highway commenced preparatory to laying pavement. Prosperity in our great shipbuilding industry will depend largely on our national legislation and attitude toward the American ship owner. Davitt is a newly established post office in Benton county on C. & E. R. R. Cottage Grove—Fairview and Crystal mines to be operated in Bohemia district. Astoria—Improvement of Astor street assured at \$125,980. Pendleton—480 wheat ranch sells for \$59,500. Hard surfaced highway from The Dalles to Dufur assured. Roseburg—now has a real live cannery. Oregon City—More houses needed to house influx of industry employes.

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