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BIRD REFUGE AIDED BY AGREEMENT WITH IRRIGATION PEOPLE

SALEM, Or., June 12.—Through an agreement that has been reached between the proponents of the Roosevelt bird refuge in Malheur lake and the irrigation interests, passage of the initiative measure to make Malheur lake a bird refuge is believed to be assured.

The amended petition was filed with the secretary of state yesterday by W. S. Baker, of Portland, vice president of the association, and today will be sent to Attorney General Brown for ballot time.

Before the agreement was reached by the contending interests the first petition had been filed with the secretary of state. Recently at a conference in Portland it was found that a slight change in the wording would protect the irrigationists as well as give the bird refuge proponents what they desire.

An amended petition was then prepared and the original withdrawn.

THOUSANDS INJURED DURING PAST YEAR; OVER HUNDRED KILLED

SALEM, June 12.—A total of 21,958 accidents were reported to the state industrial accident commission here, for the year ending June 10, according to a summary just completed.

Of this number, 20,514 accidents were subject to the workmen's compensation law, \$65, or 4 per cent, were from firms which had rejected the provisions of the law, and the remainder were accidents occurring on railroads and other public utilities not subject to the act. The reports include 156 fatalities, or one industrial fatality for every other workday during the entire year.

Four men and one woman lost their lives in accidents in Oregon industries during the week ending June 10, according to reports reaching the state industrial accident commission here. These were: Martin Kroger, Portland, blacksmith; Lulu Ingle, Hoskins, cook; Floyd Mitchell, Prescott, edgerman; Roy Ruderback, Kerry, logger; W. H. Woodworth, Salem, riggerman.

INDICTMENTS AGAINST WOOLEN MILLS ARE ORDERED QUASHED

NEW YORK, June 11.—Indictments against the American Woolen Mills company, and William J. Wood, president, charged with violation of the Lever act by alleged profiteering in sale of woolen cloth, were quashed today by Federal Judge Julian Mack.

Judge Mack sustained the demurrer brought against the indictments. He held there was a substantial difference between wearing apparel as mentioned in the Lever act and pieces of cloth. The Lever act prohibits charging excessive prices for wearing apparel.

JERSEY BREEDERS OF CLACKAMAS PICNIC AT OSWEGO SATURDAY

The Clackamas County Jersey Breeders' Association held a meeting and picnic at the Ladd Iron Mine Farm at Oswego Saturday, and was attended by about 50 Jersey breeders.

Each brought a basket lunch, and the dairy farm, to the surprise of the picnicers, served ten gallons of ice cream.

Among those to attend were the Boys' Judging Club, who were in charge of Miss Snedeker. The boys were from Happy Valley and Twilight, and judged some of the Jerseys.

Among those addressing the assembly were County Agent R. G. Scott, of this city.

The next meeting will be at the home of E. D. Hart, of Sandy, and will be held July 31st.

Inquest Is Held For B. L. Jewell

An inquest was conducted Monday over the remains of the late B. L. Jewell, who lost his life in the Clackamas river last week, at which the verdict was accidental drowning.

The coroner's jury was W. W. Myers, W. F. Schooley, D. E. Frost, L. Ruonich, C. E. Cross and W. S. Eddy.

LONGSHOREMAN KILLED

NEW YORK, June 12.—Ombreia Cacciatore, a barber, armed with a revolver, and Louis Viscopio, a longshoreman, with a knife, fought an uneven duel in a lonely spot in East Fifteenth street here last night until Viscopio had been killed.

JEWELL'S BODY IS LOCATED IN LOONEY'S EDDY

The body of B. L. Jewell, who was drowned in the Clackamas river last Wednesday morning about 1:00 by Charles Straight, George Brown and H. C. Rakel, who with others have been searching for the body since the accident.

The body was about 300 yards below the scene of the accident in what is known as Looney's Eddy in about ten feet of water. It was on the bottom and lying behind a large soapstone rock.

Saturday was the first clear day since Mr. Jewell was drowned, which aided the men in the search. Straight was rowing the boat and Brown and Rakel were looking over the sides with their faces close to the water. In this manner they were able to see the bottom where the water was quiet and soon located the body.

Mr. Jewell was seen when the boat in which he and Straight and Charles Straight were became swamped in the swift water. Light, realizing the boat would sink, immediately left the three, immediately after the shore, while his companions, with the boat. Soon the craft, swifter water and both men held. They were carried under the water for considerable distance and a story first came up he was ahead of the boat. This soon caught up with him and after he secured hold of it Jewell came by and was caught by Story. Shortly after the boat became caught on a rock and Jewell attempted to swim ashore.

He had secured an oar and kicked off his boots before leaving the boat. The last Story noticed of him he was about 20 feet from the boat but he did not see him go down.

Story clung to the boat for nearly an hour and was rescued by Straight, who made haste to the scene of the accident. He secured a long pole and waded out as far as possible and Story was pulled ashore by the pole.

Mullinix Is Given 7 Year Sentence

SALEM, Or., June 12.—Jesse Mullinix, who attempted to kill T. W. Steiger, prominent farmer, whom he shot four times at Steiger's farm last March was today sentenced to not to exceed seven years in the state penitentiary. He was immediately taken to the prison.

The charge against Mullinix was assault with intent to kill. Mullinix, in a confession, made to officers, declared that Mrs. Steiger, a woman of about 60 years, was implicated with him and that they had conspired to kill Steiger.

The woman will be tried in September. Mullinix pleaded guilty last Monday.

Strikes In France Reduce Revenues

PARIS, June 12.—The ministry of finance has reported that the revenue for May amounted to 857,000,000 francs, exceeding the estimates by 225,000,000 francs. This was a smaller increase than in previous months because of strikes and reduced customs through the prohibition of certain imports.

Hoeye Reappointed On State Board

Dr. George Hoeye, a local chiropractor, has been re-appointed by Governor Olcott as a member of the state board of examiners. The appointment was made June 3 and this makes the third term for the local man.

Dr. Hoeye was appointed for the three-year term, there being appointments for a one-year and a two-year term.

C. A. Worthington To Face Grand Jury

Charles A. Worthington, of Hog Hollow, Clackamas county, waived a hearing before Commissioner Drake in Portland Wednesday morning and was bound over to the federal grand jury under \$500 bond. Worthington is charged with violation of the prohibition law. He is said to have set up a still and manufactured liquor in order to pay off some bills. In an information filed Wednesday Bob Lowe is charged with removing 2 gallons of liquor from Worthington's place.

Two Men Wounded In Revolver Duel

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 8.—A feud, which had its inception in Oklahoma several years ago, culminated here today in a revolver fight between Robert Chenoweth and Jack Woods, a stock buyer, which resulted in wounds that will probably prove fatal to both men. Chenoweth, according to the police, had traced Woods from Oklahoma to this city with the avowed intention of killing him because of his alleged improper relations with Mrs. Chenoweth.

COTTAGE GROVE MAN IS SUICIDE ON RETURN FROM STATE HOSPITAL

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., June 12.—Richard White, who had returned a few days ago from the state hospital at Salem, committed suicide by strangling himself with the hay rope in the barn on the farm of his sister, Mrs. Ella Thompson, where he was making his home. His aged parents and a brother had recently arrived from California to assist in his care.

By making his father believe that he was going to live down in the hay mow, he was left to himself for a half hour or more. Evidently he immediately busied himself in carrying out a prearranged plan and his body was lifeless when found by his father and brother, dangling from the rope which had been brought down through the floor of the loft.

Mr. White had been a resident here for many years, following the mining business until two years ago.

P. R. L. & P. ORDERED TO STOP SALE OF TICKETS

SALEM, Or., June 11.—The Oregon public service commission tonight ordered that the Portland Railway, Light & Power company should desist after this date from selling street-car tickets, either in strips or books, at the rates now effective. This action was taken on advice from Portland that thousands of patrons were purchasing tickets in strips and fares because of the advance in fares from 6 to 8 cents going into effect next Tuesday.

"Under date of June 10 this commission made and entered an order for transportation on the street railroads establishing certain rates and fares way lines of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company within the city of Portland, the said order to become effective June 15," said today's ruling of the commission.

"It further appears that laboring several days intervening between the issuance and effective date of said order, many persons are purchasing large supplies of ticket books and strip tickets with the intent of obtaining thereby preferential fares.

"It further appears that laboring people, suburban residents and others will be discriminated against in the event the sale of such books and tickets is continued; also, it is probable that certain persons are buying these books and tickets with the intent of reselling them and thus deriving personal profit therefrom at the expense of others less fortunate.

MILITARY TRAINING IS CONDEMNED BY LABOR FEDERATION

MONTREAL, June 10.—The American Federation of Labor, in annual convention here today, rejected a proposal to create a permanent educational department to distribute propaganda-urging support of the Federation's policy of non-partisanship in politics.

The organization committee refused to concur on a resolution, presented by the Chicago Federation of Labor, which urged the executive committee to appoint a special committee to investigate the feasibility of combining all workers in the food and catering industry of America into a food producing and distributing department.

The convention authorized the executive council of the federation to charter an international policemen's union as soon as the member ship of local policemen's unions totals 6000.

Government ownership of railroads is urged in a joint resolution presented by seven international unions.

Military training in the schools and the establishment of compulsory military service or training are condemned in a resolution proposed by the American Federation of Teachers.

Seven international unions demand repeal of the espionage act.

NINE AMERICANS MAY HAVE BEEN KILLED BY RUSSIAN REDS

LONDON, June 10.—It is feared that nine Americans, including the wives of three American engineers, and two children, may have been massacred by Russian Bolsheviks at Niualievik, Siberia, the Evening Star reports.

The town was recently recaptured by the Japanese after the Bolsheviks had held it for several months.

Five British subjects also may have been killed the Star reports. The names of the Americans are given as George Dyer and Mrs. Dyer; G. Lee and Mrs. Lee; J. Freeman, and J. Heinle, Mrs. Heinle and the two Heinle children.

All the missing men were employees of the Orsk Gold Fields company, a mining concern, and had brought out their families.

AUTO DRIVERS NEED GAS AND TURN BANDITS

G. W. Pfouts, driver for the Union Oil Company's wagon, had some experience in Clackamas county Friday that he will not soon forget. It was while making his delivery and passing over a lonely road, he was held up by over their faces as masks. They were over the road, owing to lack of gasoline and oil. As he appeared on the scene, the two men advanced toward the lonely driver and ordered him to alight from the oil wagon. They ordered five gallons of gasoline, and after he found they had meant business, the driver exclaimed, "Well, if you are to have gasoline I will fill your tank," but at this one of them exclaimed, "It is but five gallons we need, and that's our share." Pfouts complied with the orders of the masked men, and gave them five gallons. They then ordered a gallon of oil. This also was given the men. They ordered the driver to "right about face," and one placed a cigar in his mouth, and the other a five dollar greenback in his hand, saying that the gasoline price was \$1 per gallon for them. The driver was then ordered to "beat it" and drive on, not daring to look back, which he gladly did, and this was the last seen of the masked gasoline highwaymen.

Cowboy Preacher Is On Way East

BAKER, Or., June 10.—Baker was treated to a relic of the old-time West when a quaint and ramshackle outfit belonging to one Bettes, self-styled "Cowboy Preacher," passed through the city yesterday.

Bettes has traveled from King's ranch, Texas, and had covered 3286 miles when he reached here. He is on his way to New York and expects to cover the Southern states and come back to Oregon to live.

The "cowboy preacher" is 74 years old and has been a Baptist preacher for fifty-four years. Last Sunday he preached at North Powder. He is a type of the old-time circuit rider who is almost a person of history now.

ELEVEN ARE KILLED WHEN PASSENGER AND EXPRESS TRAINS HIT

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., June 9.—Eleven persons were killed and twenty-one injured today when a train of express cars crashed into the rear end of a passenger train which had stopped about two miles from Schenectady because of engine trouble.

All but one of those killed were asleep in two Pullmans at the rear of the passenger train. The body of Martin Doyle of Albany, engineer of the express, was found in the wreckage with one hand fast to the throttle.

SUNDAY TO ADDRESS CHAUTAUQUA MEET ON CLOSING DAY

Billy Sunday is to speak at the Gladstone Chautauqua this year, according to announcement by Arthur G. Beattie, secretary of the association. His appearance has been scheduled for Sunday afternoon, July 25, the closing day of the session. Sunday spoke at the Gladstone park two years ago to a record-breaking crowd. Plans for the 1920 session are well matured and practically a complete program has been outlined for the 13-day session.

MEXICAN POLICY OF EXECUTIVE IS CRITICIZED

CHICAGO, June 10.—When the resolutions submitted went into session again this morning, a tentative foreign relations plank was under consideration, declaring opposition to the treaty without reservations, but favoring ratification with American rights safeguarded.

The tentative draft condemned President Wilson's Mexican policy, declared no Mexican regime should be recognized until willing and able to give adequate guarantees for protection of American rights and pledged the Republican party to "a consistent, firm and effective policy toward Mexico that shall enforce respect for the American flag," and protect American citizens and property.

There was no direct reference to intervention in Mexico, but it was declared that the party should stand for "insistence upon the maintenance of order" in Mexico. The proposal for a mandate over Armenia was condemned and the action of congress in passing a peace resolution approved.

THEROUX BROTHERS INDICTED BY JURY ON ARSON CHARGES

Ferdinand and George Theroux, brothers, who were arrested last week and charged with starting the disastrous fire that destroyed several business blocks, were indicted Friday by the grand jury. Their attorneys, William M. Stone and Grant B. Dimick, asked for more time to enter a plea and were given until Monday morning.

After the brothers were arrested they were given an examination and confessed to the crime, admitting the fire was started in order for them to collect the insurance on their stock.

Frederick Theroux has been in business in Oregon City for a number of years and the confession came as a shock to the community, as he had many friends here. George has been employed by his brother for some time and the confession brought out that he did the work in starting the fire, while Frederick planned it.

MERCHANTS ACCUSED OF RAISING FUNDS TO AID OPEN SHOP

MONTREAL, June 11.—Declaring that the Merchants' association and other business interests in New York City were raising a fund of \$250,000 to carry on an "open shop" war, James F. Costello of the Brooklyn Central Labor council, asked the convention of the American Federation of Labor to support striking transportation workers. He received unanimous consent to introduce such a resolution.

The Colorado State Association of Journeymen Barbers notified the convention by telegram that it endorsed the federation's non-partisan political policy and was opposed to any third party proposals.

The labor plank adopted by the Republican national convention was condemned by Samuel Gompers. He referred especially to the section of the plank providing for the settlement of public utilities strikes by tribunals similar to the Esch-Cummings transportation act of 1920.

CIVIL WAR VETERANS ELECT J. T. BUTLER DEPARTMENT HEAD

ASTORIA, Or., June 10.—Election of officers of the G. A. R. now in convention here, resulted in the selection of J. T. Butler of Oregon City as department commander for the ensuing year. Other officers elected are: R. A. Abbott of Astoria, senior vice commander; Donald Clark, Portland, junior vice commander; Joseph E. Hall, Portland, re-elected medical director; T. Brouillette, Portland, re-elected chaplain. Six delegates and six alternates were elected to represent the department of Oregon at the national encampment at Atlantic City. The delegates elected are B. F. Allen of Astoria, C. E. Covey of Portland, C. A. Cagney of Hood River, L. N. Guy of Portland, J. W. Oglesbee of Portland and J. M. Shelley of Eugene.

PORTLAND STREET CAR FARES ARE ADVANCED

PORTLAND, June 10.—Street car fares in Portland are to be advanced from 6 to 8 cents, effective on Tuesday, June 15, according to an order issued by the public service commission of Oregon this afternoon. In the findings of the commission the new rate was held to be necessary to increase the revenue of the company to meet its expenses, the voters of the city at the recent election having failed to pass any of the so-called relief measures for the line.

Tickets in books of 50 coupons will be, under the new rate, \$3.65 per book, an increase of 80 cents over the old rate of \$2.75. Tickets in strips of six coupons may sell for 45 cents, according to the findings. Increases in the fares are granted to the electric railway system in all except one instance, which is that of school children. Under the new provision limited school children's tickets will be 4 cents each, which is the same as they have been under the booklet rate of a book of 25 tickets for \$1.

VESSELS COLLIDE IN FOG

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—The steam lumber schooner Yosemite and Ernest H. Meyer, which collided in a heavy fog off Point Reyes late yesterday, reached port early today. Neither steamer was damaged greatly and no one was injured. The Yosemite was on her way from Puget Sound to this port while the Meyer cleared from here this morning for Portland.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE



SEN. WARREN G. HARDING

MRS. A. BUTLER IS HONORED AT W.R.C. ELECTION

ASTORIA, Or., June 11.—Despite showers today 600 G. A. R. veterans and delegates of their allied organizations are at Seaside to spend the day at the beach, having been given an excursion to that city by the business men of Astoria. A special train carried the party to Seaside that morning, where a clam chowder luncheon was served at noon.

The business of the four conventions was closed with the afternoon sessions yesterday when officers of the organizations were installed. Last night the annual campfire was held at the First Methodist church, and it was one of the big features of the encampment. Judge C. C. Burton, past commander in chief of the G. A. R., was the principal speaker at the campfire.

Officers installed by the Women's Relief corps for the ensuing year are: Mrs. Cora McBride, of Portland, president; Mrs. Agnes Johnston, Astoria, senior vice president; Mrs. Anna Butler, Oregon City, junior vice president; Mrs. Sarah Hinkle, Portland, treasurer; Mrs. Sheard, McMinnville, chaplain; Mrs. Jessie P. Nelson, La Grande, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Anna Clodius, Portland, press correspondent; Mrs. Clara School, Hubbard, instructor and installing officer; Mrs. Anna Hoehnselt, Portland, senior aide. Mrs. Bertie M. Smith, of Portland, was installing officer.

ENGINEER IS KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK IN EASTERN OREGON

HUNTINGTON, Or., June 10.—Engineer Robb, of La Grande, was killed and his fireman, Leon Connor was injured when an O.W. R. & N. engine running light left the rails forty miles west of here last night. Robb perished almost instantly, being fearfully scalded by escaping steam. Fireman Connor jumped from the cab and escaped with a dislocated elbow.

Shortly before the accident the light engine had passed a freight train on a siding at Lima, which followed the light engine a short time later. Robb's engine is supposed to have jumped the track on account of high speed at a curve. Several rails were torn from the roadbed where the engine left the right of way.

ORDERS GIVEN FOR ALL DRAFT EVADERS TO BE ROUNDED UP

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The attorney general has issued instructions to United States district attorneys to take court action against all remaining draft delinquents, it was announced today.

The immediate purpose, according to R. P. Stewart, assistant attorney-general, is to prevent the three-year statute of limitations operating so as to permit the escape of willful draft delinquents.

The department of justice has charge of all delinquent cases, or those of draft evaders, who did not come under military control.

The draft delinquents are classed as distinct from draft deserters who failed to appear after actually being ordered to report for military duty or deserted after reporting.

The war department selective service records list 206,520 draft delinquents since June, 1917.

DARKHORSE CANDIDATE CHOSEN TO LEAD G.O.P.

CHICAGO, June 12.—(Special)—Senator Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, the dark horse of the convention, led gracefully into the Republican nomination for president of the United States this afternoon on the tenth ballot, with 674 out of the 984 electoral votes of the convention.

The landslide for Harding started on the eighth ballot, when Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana and other states turned their votes to him after a four-hour recess this afternoon. On the ninth ballot Pennsylvania gave 60 votes to Harding, assuring the nomination, and the crowd went wild in spite of the fact that Wood and Lowden had been favored.

Governor Coolidge, of Massachusetts, was nominated for the vice-presidency by practically the same number of votes given Harding. Coolidge was nominated by an Oregon delegate.

Harding's nomination received real emphasis today when the first two ballots this afternoon resulted in a tie between Wood and Lowden, each having 311½ votes. Realizing the hopelessness of the situation the delegates adjourned until four o'clock.

The general feeling here is that the best man for all factions was nominated and the speech of Ex-Governor Willis Friday when he nominated Harding was considered a big factor in the nomination. It was the finest speech of the convention and one sentence alone made a decided hit with the delegates. This was "Say, boys and girls, let's nominate Harding." This caught the fancy of the delegates and they remembered it today when the deadlock occurred.

Harding had gained many votes on the first ballot this afternoon but not enough when the deadlock came. It was realized that Harding was the man to break the deadlock and the second ballot would have decided the nomination by a unanimous vote following the official checkup but for Wisconsin's 24 LaFollette delegates, who were nearly blazed out of the hall when they refused to change.

The final vote standing for presidential candidate was as follows:

Harding, 674½.
Wood, 167½.
Lowden, 12.
Johnson, 11.
Hoover, 9½.
LaFollette, 24.

Those seeking the nomination for the vice-presidency were Coolidge, Massachusetts; Lenroot, Wisconsin; Allen, Kansas; Anderson, Virginia.

NEW NOMINEE IS VERY HAPPY OVER OUTCOME

CHICAGO, June 12.—Caught at the hotel to which he rushed from the Coliseum after his nomination, Senator Harding made no formal statement, but declared he was "very happy" and "deeply grateful to his many friends."

The Republican nominee showed plainly his elation when he emerged from his room with Mrs. Harding to face a battery of camera men.

Senator and Mrs. Harding were busy with preparations to enable them to catch a train leaving for Washington within a few hours. Ten senator had been up nearly all night in the round of conferences with party chieftains which led to his nomination and today spent hours in the heat and strain at the Coliseum while the battle from which he emerged a victor by an overwhelming vote was being brought to its dramatic close.

The pleasure of the victory had relaxed the physical strain, however, and the Ohio senator showed little evidence of it after he had bathed and put on fresh clothing.

CRIMINOLOGIST SAYS UNITED STATES SLOW IN HANDLING CRIMES

DETROIT, Mich., June 9.—August Vollmer of the University of California in addressing the international convention of police chiefs at the hotel Stetler this afternoon predicted a long wave of crime and says the present system of handling criminals is 150 years behind the times.

Crime is due mostly to sex, paganism or the fever for acquisition, Chief Vollmer said. "Our present system is as silly and futile as a doctor who went to the home where there was a cold, another where there was a smallpox, another where there was a broken leg, and said: 'You will all go to the same hospital, and you all take a pink pill!'"

MOTORCYCLE RIDER KILLED

SALEM, June 14.—August Saucier, 22, was instantly killed Sunday night when the motorcycle on which he was riding skidded, throwing him against an automobile and breaking his neck. Saucier, whose parents live in Canada, was employed on the Russell Catlin Dairy ranch, east of Salem. Coming into town he started to pass a truck when his motorcycle skidded on the slippery pavement. No blame attaches to anyone for the accident.