

ALASKA MENACED BY 4 VOLCANOES

AWAKENED ALEUTIAN PEAKS BELCH LAVA AND SMOKE ON LAND AND SEA

SUN OBSCURED BY VAPOR IN EAST

Men Aboard Steamship Dora Report That All Life On Island Has Been Extinguished—Ship Forced To Flee

SEWARD, Alaska, June 8.—Four volcanoes in the Aleutian Mountain range have burst into activity and are throwing out great quantities of smoke and hot ashes. The awakened peaks are Iliamna, St. Augustine, Redoubt in the Cook Inlet country and Katmai, which overlooks Shelikoff Strait. Numerous shocks were experienced here today and the sun was almost obscured by vapor coming from the west.

Land and sea for miles in every direction from the mountains in eruption are covered with ashes. Lava and rock are pouring forth and devastating all in their path.

That all life on Kadiak Island and the mainland has perished in the fiery rain belched forth is the belief of those aboard the mail steamship Dora plying to points along the Alaskan peninsula and Kadiak Island.

The Dora's master says that 1500 persons engaged in the salmon canning business may be dead, as it is the height of the canning season and large crews are employed. The Dora arrived at Seldovia yesterday.

Mount Katmai's outbreak was described by the crew of the Dora as terrible in its violence. Deafening subterranean explosions, they said, are occurring at short intervals and the hall of hot ashes and monster boulders has covered the earth four feet deep.

The sea in the neighborhood of Mount Katmai, they reported, was lashed into foam by the plunging of red-hot missiles hurled from Katmai's throat into the sea. The vessel was struck by a number of small boulders and its deck was blanketed a foot and a half in ashes.

Shelikoff Strait, from where the Dora fled, resembled a monster steaming cauldron. Smoke from the blazing mountain obscured the sky for hundreds of miles and the day was as night. So dense was the smoke the Dora's captain was obliged to steer a course 50 miles from her usual route in order to pass Kadiak Island.

The wave indications in Shelikoff Strait were such that the Dora's master did not attempt any landings, fearing that here had been a general shifting of the ocean bottom near shore.

T. R. TO MAKE OWN FIGHT IN CHICAGO

ANNOUNCEMENT THAT EXPRESIDENT WILL ATTEND BIG CONVENTION

FLINN WON'T START 'ROUGH HOUSE'

McKinley, Director Of Taft Bureau, Denounces Roosevelt For Comments On Alabama Contests

CHICAGO, June 8.—That Colonel Theodore Roosevelt in person is coming here to direct his fight for contesting delegations before the Republican national committee was the flat announcement here today of William Flinn, a state senator of Pittsburgh, leader of the progressive Republican element of western Pennsylvania. Flinn is hot over a report that he himself planned a "popular demonstration" to impress the National committee with the fairness of the Roosevelt claims.

"It's all a damn lie" was Flinn's answer to a request for verification of the report.

The Pennsylvanian asserted that Roosevelt was coming here but he could not say when, adding:

"The committee already is under suspicion. I feel certain that it is plotting to deprive the people of their rights. The colonel is coming to show the people that he is still their friend and representative."

"Roosevelt is going to be the nominee of the Republican party. Don't make any mistake about that. In order to evade the issue, some of Taft's machine leaders say I am here to impress mob rule over the committee. This is such a foolish statement that it would not merit an answer, only behind it rests the entire campaign of evasion and misrepresentation which the Taft people have put before the public since they started out to try to steal the national convention."

William B. McKinley, director of the national Taft bureau, this afternoon denounced Roosevelt for the colonel's comments at Oyster Bay this afternoon on the Alabama contests. He said he understood that Roosevelt had abandoned the idea of incorporating in his platform the recall of judicial decisions, adding:

"Roosevelt would like to make a dramatic entrance into Chicago, enter the convention hall amid the acclaim of his followers, which would be music in his egotistic ears. Like Ajax defying the lightning, he has defied the unanimous verdict of the Republican national committee, including his own friends."

Roosevelt needs the stimulus of thousands behind him to arouse his fighting blood, which is at the lowest ebb when he stands alone. He would invade the convention hall at the psychological moment, demand the floor and attempt to sweep the convention off its feet."



HARDING URGED TO REMAIN DIRECTOR

VETERAN SCHOOL MAN YIELDS TO DEMAND THAT HE BE CANDIDATE

MEN OF ALL PARTIES GIVE SUPPORT

President Of Board Had Hoped To Retire At End Of Term—Chances Are He Will Not Be Opposed

George A. Harding, the eldest member in point of service of the Board of Directors of the Oregon City Schools, has decided to become a candidate for another five-year term. Mr. Harding had hoped that he might be relieved of the duties, inasmuch as he had served so long as a director, but when scores of friends urged him to again offer, he felt that it was his duty to the city to do so. Members of all political parties have signed the petition asking him to make the race, and there is little probability that he will have opposition. Mr. Harding is the present chairman of the board, and no man in Oregon City is as familiar with school affairs as he. Since his first election the schools have been so improved that no city in the state offers better opportunities in educational lines than Oregon City. The petition and Mr. Harding's letter of acceptance follow:

To Geo. A. Harding:

We, your neighbors, townspeople and fellow partisans for good school government, believing in your fitness and qualification, earnestly desire that you become a candidate for Director for the five-year term, of School District No. 62, Clackamas County, Oregon, at the annual election to be held June 17, 1912.

Jas. Roake, W. H. Howell, Jos. E. Hedges, I. Tolpolar, C. A. Elliott, John F. Albright, T. A. Pope, Wm. J. Wilson, Wm. Krueger, F. J. Myer, M. D. Latourette, C. Schuebel, John Shannon, John Younger, O. D. Eby, F. J. Tooze, John R. Humphreys, E. G. Caldwell, F. C. Burk, E. M. Waldron, W. S. U'Ren, Duane C. Ely, Chaas Babcock, E. Richards, J. B. Fairclough, J. E. Weismandel, W. J. Wilson, Harry Boyles, Frank Busch, A. L. Beattie, P. N. Hart, F. M. Darling, H. E. Straight, H. J. Bigger, R. F. Caulfield, J. E. Jack, Geo. F. Johnson, F. A. Miles, H. L. Patterson, W. L. Mulvey, F. W. Greenwood, G. L. Hedges, A. E. Frost, M. J. Brown, Frank Hopp, W. W. H. Samson, W. W. Myers, L. A. Nobel, Roswell L. Holman, C. H. Dye, W. A. Huntley, D. W. James, T. P. Randall, E. L. Shaw, R. Petzold, W. A. Dimick, H. B. Cardigan, G. J. Howell, Levi Steinhilber, Charles H. Caulfield, D. F. Whitman, Linn E. Jones, Geo. M. Hankins, Wm. Anderson, J. Levitt, F. C. Gadge, Ralph D. Miller, J. W. Norris, E. H. Cooper.

June 7, 1912.

To James Roake, W. H. Howell, Jos. E. Hedges, I. Tolpolar, C. A. Elliott, John F. Albright, T. A. Pope, William J. Wilson, William Krueger, F. J. Meyer, M. D. Latourette, C. Schuebel, John Shannon, John Younger, O. D. Eby, and others:

Your kindly expression that I become a candidate to succeed myself as Director of School District No. 62 has been presented to me and it gives me a great deal of pleasure and satisfaction to know that my years of service in behalf of the taxpayers of the Oregon City school district are appreciated to such an extent as is shown by this petition signed by so many citizens of Oregon City.

I had contemplated declining another term as School Director, but it is apparent that when so many of the people of the District desire my reelection it would seem unappreciative of their recognition to refuse to serve.

I have been a member of the Oregon City school board longer than any other man now a member of the

THOUSANDS PAY HOMAGE TO ROSE

CHILDREN'S PARADE IS MOST ATTRACTIVE FEATURE OF CELEBRATION

BABY SHOW DRAWS LARGE CROWD

B. T. McBain Winner Of First Prize For Best Decorated Car In Auto Parade—W. T. Sullivan Is Second

One of the most successful rose shows ever given in Oregon City was held Saturday. It was on a much larger scale than the shows in former years, and the president, Mrs. A. C. Warner, and her able assistants, are deserving of much praise for the success of the exhibition. Mrs. S. S. Walker was chairman of the children's parade, which took place at 11 o'clock, forming at Twelfth and Main streets and proceeding to the Hawley Pulp & Paper Company's plant and back to the Suspension bridge.

The morning program opened with an open-air concert given by the Oregon City Concert Band at the Suspension bridge at 10:11 o'clock. The concert attracted large crowds. Many of the latest selections were played.

The children's parade was participated in by children of Oregon City, Willamette, Maple Lane, Mount Pleasant and other sections of the county. Many of the little girls were attired in white wearing wreaths of roses and carrying bouquets, and many had prettily decorated doll carriages and wagons. The parade was headed by a prettily decorated buggy belonging to B. F. Mitchell, and driven by Mrs. Carl Joehnk. In the carriage were the little Misses Velma Randall and Geraldine Schuebel, who were attired in white, Velma Randall representing a bride. She wore a veil and carried the Girl's Oak Grove band, the members being dressed in white. The divisions, Oregon City, Mount Pleasant, Maple Lane, Willamette followed. Eastman Park (Oregon City) was a large representation, the children being dressed as Indians, negroes, Chinese, etc. "Tom Thumb" and "Bride" attracted much attention as they passed along Main street. Willamette had a large representation, many of the children being dressed to represent Puritans, and several were dressed in white wearing wreaths of roses, while many of the boys carried large American flags. Maple Lane was represented by Margaret and Mildred Reynolds and Dorothy Swallow. Dorothy Swallow and Mildred Reynolds drew a little carriage in which was Margaret Reynolds prettily attired in white and pink and white. The carriage was decorated in white and pink and roses. Other attractive vehicles were in line.

The automobile parade was the attraction at 1:30 o'clock and many prettily decorated automobiles were in line. Among those having decorated floats were B. T. McBain, W. T. Sullivan, Joseph Sheahan, C. Schuebel, H. J. Bigger, E. J. Daulton and C. G. Miller. The McBain automobile was prettily decorated with red and white ramblers, the canopy being formed of roses and evergreens, and contained Jeanette McBain and several of her little friends. Charles G. Miller's automobile driven by Miller and with him were Mrs. Miller and son. The machine was artistically decorated with ivy and Caroline Testout roses; C. Schuebel's car was prettily decorated with rhododendrons; E. J. Daulton's car was in pink rhododendrons and pink chiffon; H. J. Bigger's car was in cedar and red roses, while the car of Joseph Sheahan was handsomely decorated with evergreens and large American flag, and T. W. Sullivan's in wild roses and American flag. It was driven by George Sullivan. There were many other cars in the parade, which was headed by the Oregon City

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BIG TACOMA LUMBER PLANT IS BURNED

TACOMA, Wash., June 8.—Mill "A" of the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber company on the tide flats, built in 1888, and four lumber sheds containing several million feet of lumber, was destroyed by flames this morning at 4:45 with an estimated loss of \$500,000.

The fire was caused by a blaze which started yesterday afternoon 150 feet away from one of the sheds. Workmen thought they had put the fire out. This morning the flames broke out anew, and before the entire fighting force of the city could come to the scene the covering for about 20 acres was enveloped in flames.

The St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber company was started in 1888 by Everett Griggs, who died a year or so ago in Tacoma, and Henry Hewitt and associates ever since that time it has been one of the industrial bulwarks of the city. At the present time it employs about 1200 men. In boom times it runs up many more.

The officers at present are: E. G. Griggs, president; A. G. Foster, Harrison G. Foster, vice-presidents; Charles A. Foster, secretary-treasurer; William Shank, assistant secretary-treasurer; Herber S. Griggs, Henry Hewitt and others are largely interested in the plant.

The president of the company, Everett G. Griggs, is president of the National Lumber Manufacturers' association.

YOUNGER SET GUESTS OF ERNA PETZOLD

The Younger Set met at the home of Miss Erna Petzold Sixth and Center streets Friday evening, and a most enjoyable time was spent in playing cards, the prizes being won by Miss Florence Grace. The decorations were artistic being of wild roses. Refreshments were served.

Present were Miss Anne Tolpolar, Miss Marion Money, Miss Sade Michaels, of Chehalis, Wash.; Miss Florence Grace, Miss Louise Walker, Miss Marie Sheahan, Miss Alice Moore, Miss Irene Hanny, Miss Zina Moore, Miss Stella Cross, Miss Margaret Brown, Miss Madge Brightbill.

If you saw it in the Enterprise it's so.

TEMPLETON GETS FINE POSITION

H. M. Templeton, of this city, for ten years connected with the Oregon City Manufacturing Company, has been made Superintendent of the Finishing Department of the Portland Woolen Mills, at St. Johns. Mr. Templeton occupied the same position with the local mill. He went East about seven years ago where he worked in woolen mills, returning to Oregon City recently. Mr. Templeton will make Oregon City his home. He is building several houses here. He expects to come home twice a week. Mr. Templeton is regarded as one of the best men in his line in the United States.

ELKS PLAN FLAG DAY CELEBRATION

The Oregon City Lodge of Elks will observe Flag Day, which is next Friday, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening on the front veranda of the new home, Sixth and Water streets. Henry O'Malley, Exalted Ruler, will be in charge and addresses will be made by several prominent speakers, the principal one to be by Gilbert L. Hedges. Immediately after the speaking a flag will be unfurled above the new building. The ceremony is in commemoration of the official adoption of the Stars and Stripes by Congress. The public is invited to attend. Mr. O'Malley announced Saturday night that the program would be ready for publication early this week.

24 ARE VICTIMS OF SUBMARINE DISASTER

CHERBOURG, June 8.—The French submarine Vendemiaire, while participating in naval maneuvers here today, collided with the battleship Saint Louis and instantly sank in 180 feet of water. Twenty-four men were aboard the sub-marine, and it is believed impossible that they can escape. A rescue ship was at once rushed to the scene of the disaster. The minister of marine declared the entire crew of the vessel probably has perished.

The divers sent down to search for the Vendemiaire could not reach the bottom. Experts say that submarine currents are strong at the scene of the disaster and that they probably carried the vessel far from where she sank.

All hope of saving Lieutenant Priou, Ensign Audie and their crew of 22 men has been abandoned. The naval maneuvers have been called off.

Justice Marries 3 Couples
Justice of the Peace Samson officiated Saturday at the marriages of Ernest Whitten and Minnie Welker; James T. King and Maggie Watson and Herman Jarrett and Alta Walker.

LIGHT COMPANY OPENS OFFICE TOMORROW

The office of the Light and Power Department of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company will be moved tomorrow into the storeroom recently leased in the Beaver building. A division of departments will be made. Mr. Telford, who had been local agent for some time, will have charge of the collection and meter departments and complaints regarding lighting. Mr. Young, recently of the light and power department in Portland, will have charge of the contracting, lamp renewing and sales departments. The change was deemed necessary on account of the increasing business. It is the intention of the company to establish an electric store where all modern electrical appliances will be on sale.

WOODWARD HURT IN FALL FROM LADDER

Harry Woodward, was seriously injured Saturday morning while painting the residence of Mrs. Lena Charman, Ninth and Main streets. He fell from a high ladder his head striking on the floor of the porch rendering him unconscious. His right wrist and left knee were injured. The young man was taken to the office of Dr. Strickland, where his injuries were dressed. His condition is not serious.

ODD FELLOWS HONOR THEIR DEAD TODAY

Elaborate memorial services will be held this afternoon by Oregon City Lodge, I. O. O. F. The services will start at 3 o'clock in the lodge hall and will be concluded at the Odd Fellows Cemetery. The principal address will be delivered by the Rev. J. O. Staats. All members of the lodge and visiting Odd Fellows are urged to attend. Automobiles will be provided for those who go to the cemetery to decorate the graves of members of the lodge.

2 Couples Get Licenses
License to marry were issued Saturday to Maggie F. Watson and James T. King and Hilda Isaacson and Garfield Soliday.

W. O. W. ATTENTION
All members of Willamette Falls Camp No. 148, are earnestly requested to be at their hall at 7:15 P. M. Sunday evening, June 9th to attend their annual memorial services which will be held in the M. E. Church at 7:45 P. M. All members who have flowers are requested to bring them to the Woodman hall by 10 o'clock this morning to be used to decorate our deceased neighbors graves, by order of the camp.

E. H. COOPER, Clerk.

MISS MONELL WILL BE BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Monell, the high school girl who died Friday evening, will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Congregational church, Rev. G. N. Edwards officiating. The Middy Club of which Miss Monell was a member will sing, "Save by Grace" and Mrs. Leon DesLarzes will sing "Face to Face." The pall bearers will be Ray Morris, Joseph Hedges, Kent Moody, Everett Dye, Shelby Shaver, Leonard Williams, Marshall Vatcher and Orran Moore. Miss Monell died shortly after an operation for appendicitis. She attended a picnic Thursday and apparently was in good health Friday morning. Her father, Charles A. Monell is connected with the office of Justice of the Peace Bell in Portland. Miss Monell was born in Portland March 13, 1896, the family afterward moving to San Francisco. From there they went to Aberdeen, Wash., and about four years ago came to Oregon City. The young woman was a member of the sophomore class of the high school. Mrs. Monell, who was prostrated by her daughter's death, was somewhat improved Saturday night.

AUTO CLUB GOING TO MOUNT HOOD TODAY

Members of the Clackamas County Automobile Club will go to Mount Hood today. This will be the first social trip of the club, which was organized about two weeks ago, and it is expected that at least twenty-five members and their families will go. Announcement was made Saturday night that the party would start from the Commercial Club at 4:30 o'clock this morning. It is probable, however that several members, who have high power machines, will not start until an hour or two later, being confident that the can overhaul the others before noon. That depends upon the condition of the roads. The party expects to return before dark.

WOODMEN MEMORIAL TO BE HELD TODAY

Willamette Falls Camp, No. 148, Woodmen of the World will hold memorial services this evening at the Methodist church. The services will start at 7:45 o'clock and Dr. T. B. Ford, pastor of the church, will deliver the memorial address. The program will consist of the usual memorial exercises participated in by the members of the order, special music by the choir, under the direction of Professor Elner, and the symbolic grave decoration. All members of the lodge, visiting Woodmen, as well as the general public, are invited to attend.

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