

DEATH ROLL GROWS

One Hundred Dead and Missing at Brockton.

CHARRED FRAGMENTS FOUND

Only Fourteen of Fifty-Five Bodies Recovered Have Been Identified—Only Traces of Engineer Are Found.

BROCKTON, Mass., March 21.—Satisfied that there was no chance of recovering additional bodies from the ruins of the E. B. Grover Company's shoe factory, search was abandoned at 11 o'clock tonight by the small army of volunteers after 37 hours of constant toil.

At the ruins tonight hundreds of men drenched to the skin by the rain toiled unceasingly amid the half-burned timbers for fragments of flesh and bone which, when found, were hurried to the morgue to be scanned by those waiting there.

Medical Examiner Paine said tonight that he believed other bodies had been reduced to ashes and that the number of victims might never be positively known.

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remains of the unidentified dead will be interred in the Marine cemetery.

REMAINS OF ENGINEER FOUND

A careful search of the boiler pit in which the remains of David Rockwell, the engineer, were found resulted in the finding of a watch, the rubber heel of a shoe and a torn piece of clothing, all of which were shown to Mrs. Rockwell, the wife of the engineer, and were identified by her as belonging to her husband.

The police today, in explaining the failure of a number of employees to report their escape, cited an instance which indicated to them that many of the workmen were dazed after the explosion.

GIVE POLICY-HOLDERS CONTROL

Directors of Equitable Finally Adopt Mutual Plan of Management.

NEW YORK, March 21.—A plan for the gradual admission of the policy-holders of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States to share in the control of its affairs was adopted by the directors today.

Capmakers Win Strike

NEW YORK, March 21.—Several hundred capmakers who went on strike three months ago against the "open shop" in all the factories of the New York Cap Manufacturers' Association have returned to work, having settled with their employers and gained recognition of the union.

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ALL CLOSELY GUARDED

NO MAN MUST TALK TO BEEF TRUST WITNESSES.

Posses of Secret-Service Men Will Prevent Their Being Approached by Packers or Newspaper Men.

CHICAGO, March 21.—Fifteen secret service men have been brought to Chicago to guard the witnesses who will appear and testify before the special grand jury which tomorrow will begin the investigation of the transactions of the so-called beef trust.

Twenty men have qualified as grand jurors, and the federal officials hope to be able to complete the list of jurymen tomorrow.

Ohio Anti-Trust Law Upheld

COLUMBUS, O., March 21.—The Ohio Supreme Court today upheld the constitutionality of the criminal section of the Valentine anti-trust law.

Y. W. C. A. WILL ASSIST THEM

If Sufficient Number Apply It Will Aid Working Women.

How working women are to live with increasing rents and higher cost of necessities their meager incomes are swallowed up without provision being made for other expenses was the problem discussed before the business meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association yesterday.

As to the working women, it was decided that if a sufficient number registered at the association office, saying that they would soon have to face this dilemma, the directors would then take up the matter in all earnestness.

POLICE ROUND UP DESPERADOES

Chicago Sends Out Small Army to Capture Four Suspected Murderers.

CHICAGO, March 21.—In one of the most desperate encounters between police and alleged desperadoes since the capture of the notorious carmen bandits, four men, suspected of being implicated in the murder of Fritz Kreuzer, a saloonkeeper, early Sunday morning, were captured by the police today.

TALK ON GOOD ROADS

Two Days' Session of Southern Oregon District.

HELD IN CITY OF GRANT'S PASS

Interesting and Instructive Addresses Are Made by Prominent Men From Many Parts of the State.

GRANT'S PASS, Or., March 21.—(Special)—The Southern Oregon District convention of the Oregon Good Roads' Association closed a two days' session in this city this evening with a large and enthusiastic meeting.

The convention was called to order by Judge George H. Durbin, who briefly outlined the object of the convention. Addresses of welcome were made by Dennis H. Stovall on behalf of the citizens of Grant's Pass and Josephine, and by R. G. Smith, of Josephine, on behalf of the association under whose auspices this convention was held.

During the convention addresses were made by A. H. Carson, Commissioner of the State Board of Horticulture for the Third District, on "Bad Roads as an Incentive to Tax on the Agricultural and Horticultural Industries," and by Judge J. C. Trenchard on "Raising Road Taxes by Road District Levies."

The session of Tuesday evening, which closed the convention, was largely taken up by Professor John M. Hyde, of the University of Oregon on methods and

ARE SUSPECTED OF POLYGAMY

Mormons in Hawaii Under Investigation by Government.

HONOLULU, March 21.—R. W. Breckon, United States Attorney, is reported to be investigating the Mormon settlement at Laie for evidence of polygamy, on instructions from Washington.

A. T. Atkinson, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and father of Territorial Secretary Atkinson, has resigned at the request of Governor Carter, who considers his administration unsatisfactory.

Freight Embargo is Lifted

RENO, Nev., March 21.—The embargo placed upon all freight, except the necessities of life, by the Southern Pacific sometime ago, will be raised tomorrow morning by order of General Manager Calvin. He returned to Reno today with the above announcement.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease, therefore, when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, fatal results are sure to follow.



To Prove What Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney Remedy, will do for YOU, Every Reader of The Oregonian May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys most, because they do most and need attention first.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because as soon as your kidneys begin to get better they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

The mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Dear Sir: I was in the Army, Jan. 1894, 1895, and I was very sick with kidney trouble, and within the year I became so severe and complicated that I suffered excruciating pain, and was much alarmed. My strength and power was fast leaving me.

EDITORIAL NOTE.—In order to prove the wonderful merits of Swamp-Root you may have a sample bottle and a book of valuable information, both sent absolutely free by mail.

machinery used in road-building, and which were illustrated by stereopticon views. The closing session of the convention was attended largely by residents of Grant's Pass and the Good Roads Association, representing the thousands of assistance of the ladies in creating good roads sentiment, elected a member of the Grant's Pass Woman's Club, Mrs. I. A. Wishart, as secretary pro tem for the evening.

The musical features of the programme were supplied by the Grant's Pass men's quartet and by the Grant's Pass Woman's Club, the latter having charge of the dramatics of the Opera-House, which were in the National colors, and the stage in

streamers of white and green, the club colors, and the Oregon grape and plum blossoms.

Nebraska Society Entertainment

John Manning presided at the meeting of the Nebraska Society in Alinsky Hall last night, and Mrs. Ida Hoyer took charge of the programme. Miss Frances K. Houser gave two piano solos. Addresses were delivered by Clyde B. Aitchison, Rev. C. Duercher, George R. Wilber, Miss Gertrude Morgardner, Miss Woodcock and B. F. Morden. Miss F. B. Morden gave two solos. Theodore Olsen, Danish Vice-Consul at Omaha, expressed himself so pleased with Oregon that he intended, if his wife would consent, to make his home here. Luncheon and cards followed the addresses and songs.

BUSINESS ITEMS

If Baby is "Wailing Teeth," Be sure and use this old and well-tried remedy, Dr. Walker's Baby's Own Syrup, for teething. It soothes the child, soothes the gums, alleviates pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea.

"The Best Pill I ever used," is the frequent remark of purchasers of Carter's Little Liver Pills. When you try them you will say the same.

Baby Mine

Every mother feels a great dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of misery. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use.

Mother's Friend

Twenty Years of Success In the treatment of chronic diseases, such as liver, kidney and stomach disorders, constipation, diarrhoea, dropsical swellings, Bright's disease, etc.

Kidney and Urinary

Complaints, painful, difficult to frequent, smoky or bloody urine, unnatural discharges speedily cured.

Diseases of the Rectum

Such as piles, fistula, fissure, ulceration, mucous and bloody discharges, cured without the knife, pain or confinement.

Diseases of Men

Blood poison, gleet, stricture, unnatural losses, impotency thoroughly cured. "Cure guaranteed."

DR. WALKER, 181 First Street, Corner Yamhill, Portland, Or

A Day With Those Who Want to Vote and Those Who Register Them



ALL KINDS AND CONDITIONS OF MEN

All kinds and conditions of men are finding rendezvous at the office of the Clerk in that unpretentious old ruin known courtously as the Multnomah County Courthouse. These are the days when the parties are busy recruiting their strength in making ready for the fray which is to come.

to vote. They are clerks and proud and a bit haughty, if to be at once clerks and haughty is possible.

One of them asked me if I were Republican or Democratic and when I didn't know he was patronizing, even pitying, I put a hypothetical question and asked what Socialists and Prohibitionists did, and he told me they didn't register.

stances and dictate to blonde stenographers hobbled with the fellows who work on the docks. Genteel family men of substance and men whose idea of finance is an elastic currency of beer-checks. One by one they gave their names and callings, and for the most part their confession of political faith was the same.

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