

DAVID ECCLES IS HERE TO STAY

Indicted Official of Oregon Lumber Company Makes Voluntary Trip.

ARREST IS NOT YET MADE

Arriving From Salt Lake, Mr. Eccles Calls to See Attorney, Then Notifies United States Marshal That He Is in City.

David Eccles, the only official of the Oregon Lumber Company named in the indictment returned by the Federal grand jury on Thursday of last week, yesterday made good the promise of Grant Geddes, of Baker City, that he would voluntarily appear in Portland and give bond to answer the charges.

Mr. Eccles arrived about 3 o'clock on a late train over the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company lines. He was met at the Central Station by an automobile in charge of his brother, William H. Eccles, of Hood River, and Grant Geddes, and whirled away to the office of his attorney, Zera Snow, at the corner of Second and Stark streets. After a short conference with the lawyer, the Salt Lake millionaire, lumberman and sugar king called the office of United States Marshal Reed, over the telephone and advised that official of his presence. Mr. Eccles remained in the office of the attorney until about 8 o'clock, when he went to the Oregon Hotel, where he joined the family of his brother.

Eccles Delays Statement.

When importuned for a statement as to his position concerning the charge that he had become a member of a conspiracy to defraud the United States of an immense quantity of timber land in Baker County, through the use of entrapment, Mr. Eccles declined to sell the land and for whose claims the Oregon Lumber Company and the Sumpter Valley Railroad Company are alleged to have furnished the money, Mr. Eccles said:

"I will not be in a position to make any statement at this time. I have had time to go over the entire situation with Mr. Snow. He has not received a copy of the indictment as yet, and I am not in a position to say to the exact terms of the charges against me.

"It will appear tomorrow for the purpose of giving bond in whatever the court may deem fit to fix, but at this time no arrangements have been made among my friends who may wish to do me that.

Indicted Man Not Under Arrest.

"I shall stay here such time as may be necessary to get our side of the controversy straightened out. I do not say what Mr. Snow may deem advisable. I have a good many interests, and, of course, I trust them to a good many men. I don't know what some of them may have done. All of the men indicted have been or are employees of the Oregon Lumber Company. Some of them may own stock in the company. I am sure Mr. Geddes does."

At a later hour the Eccles family joined friends in the city at a dinner party.

F. H. Atkinson, F. M. Shurtieff and William Green, jointly indicted with Mr. Eccles, which appeared yesterday at Baker City.

David Eccles has never been placed under arrest, largely because of the assurance given by his Baker City manager, Grant Geddes. When the indictment was filed by the grand jury, Marshal Reed telephoned to Geddes at the Imperial Hotel. Geddes immediately called at the Federal Building and furnished bond.

While in the office of the United States Marshal the Baker City man was informed that David Eccles would be arrested at his Utah home, and Mr. Geddes at once entered a protest against bringing the distinguished citizen of Utah to Portland under arrest. He offered a bond for his appearance when wanted, which was refused. Then an arrangement was perfected whereby Mr. Eccles should be notified to come to the Coast.

Grand Jury Still in Session.

The United States grand jury was in session yesterday, but devoted most of the day to the consideration of relations of the postal laws. It is not probable that Mr. Eccles will appear as a witness.

Robert Service, the Baker City millman, who has been designated as the man who brought about the indictment, is still at the Hotel Seaside.

Service denies the acts attributed to him. He said:

"The credit, if any, for the inquiry into the operations of the timber and stone act in Eastern Oregon belongs to Inspector Good and his assistants. I have never harbored a grudge against any of the men indicted, never gathered evidence against them or devoted my finances to developing a case against the Oregon Lumber Company or the Sumpter Valley Railroad Company.

TODAY IS LAST FOR REBATE

Taxpayers Must Liquidate Before County Office Closes.

In order to get the advantage of the 2 per cent rebate, Multnomah County taxpayers must liquidate their 1910 taxes some time today before the tax collecting department at the Courthouse suspends business for the day. March 15 is the last day on which this rebate is allowed for prompt payment of taxes.

Over 2000 property owners paid taxes yesterday. The amount of the payments approximating \$200,000. This increases to about \$250,000 collections to date on the roll, which aggregates \$4,200,000. At three yesterday the lines of taxpayers awaiting their respective turns at a two

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LLOYD BORN IS MISSING

LEAVES HOME SUNDAY, HAS NOT BEEN SEEN SINCE.

Boy is 12 Years Old and Parents Fear Accident—Had Desire to Work After School Hours.

Lloyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Born, of 315 Twelfth street, will be 12 years old today, but his parents are sorrowful because he is not home to receive the little birthday remembrances which have been an unending incident of the 12 preceding anniversaries.

Kissing his mother goodbye shortly before noon Sunday, Lloyd left his Twelfth-street home to attend Sunday school. He did not return that day and a thorough search by his parents has failed to reward them with the slightest trace of their boy. Mrs. Born is not inclined to think that the lad deliberately ran away from home, but fear he has met with an accident.

"There is only one circumstance which makes me think Lloyd may have run away from home," said Mrs. Born yesterday. "For some time he has been ambitious to find work after school hours. Last Friday he did not attend the public school but spent the day looking for a place to work. When he returned home I told him his teacher had notified me of his truancy that day. He asked me to intercede with the teacher that he might escape the punishment which awaited him. I told him I could not do so and at the same time sought to convince him that he should attend school regularly and after he got his education, he could then seek employment.

"It is barely possible that fear of punishment at the school may have



Lloyd, 12-Year-Old Son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Born, 315 Twelfth Street, Who Disappeared From Home Sunday.

caused him to leave home. There could not have been any other reason, for we did everything to make things pleasant for him at home."

Newport Church to Enlarge Edifice.

NEWPORT, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—At a special meeting of the trustees of the Presbyterian Church this week it will be decided definitely to enlarge the church to double its present size. The congregation is increasing so rapidly that it is necessary for the Bible class to meet in a tent, the Sunday school classes occupying all the space in the church.

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FUND GONE, LAND OFFICE DROPS 15

Salary Appropriation Used, Ballinger Cuts Down Local Field Service Staff.

MEN TO TAKE FURLOUGHS

Coin Not Available Until July 1. Men Let Out Obtain Other Employment, May Return. Business Retarded.

The appropriation of funds for salaries and other expenses of the local land office ending June 30, 1910, having been exhausted, the Secretary of the Interior has ordered that the services of 15 employees of the field service of the General Land Office for the Portland district be dispensed with under furloughs. The men on whom the Special Agents G. F. Mead, F. S. Reid, Robert McGuire, W. M. Allen, C. F. Foraker and J. P. Lavin.

Practical Miners Samuel Powell, Jr., W. R. Davey and G. A. Parks, Mr. Parks is from Seattle. Timber Cruisers H. P. Kennedy of Seattle, G. A. Lovgren and R. A. Hunt. Sienographers August Arndt and A. de B. Kops. Land Law Clerk T. E. J. Duffy.

It is not believed that the new appropriation for field work will be available before July 1. In the meantime there will be no way of retaining the men in reach of the Portland headquarters. Sam Powell, Jr., is a son of a well-known operator on the Chicago Board of Trade and has already made arrangements to pay a visit to his home city. Later he will engage in mining at some Western point.

W. R. Davey is from Colorado, to which place he will return at once. J. P. Lavin, special agent, has secured a transfer to Balfour, N. M., and will leave for that point as soon as his orders arrive. C. F. Foraker is a relative of ex-Senator Foraker, of Ohio, and expects to remain on the Coast and engage in other business. E. J. Duffy, special agent, has made arrangements to open a law office in Crook County and will be appointed a deputy prosecuting attorney for that district. Fred A. Reid has joined an opportunity to return to the service. The enforced furlough is not considered to be in any manner discreditable.

All of the special agents who were temporarily deprived of their positions have been admitted to practice law in some of the states of the Union and those who have not already secured berths in law offices will seek such employment. The clerks will probably await an opportunity to return to the service. The enforced furlough is not considered to be in any manner discreditable.

At the office of Chief of Field Service Christensen the action of the department is regarded as hampering the efficiency of the service. It is said that at no time in the history of the Oregon-Washington district have so many homestead entries, timber claims and other land filings awaited investigation. By the removal of so many special agents the

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PERSONAL MENTION.

R. H. Harris, a Medford business man, is at the Imperial. A. P. Bateham, apple-grower at Mosier, arrived at the Seward last night. W. M. Sneed, postmaster at Heppner, arrived at the Imperial yesterday. David Eccles, of Salt Lake, and W. H. Eccles and family of Hood River, are staying at the Oregon. J. F. Walker, ironwork manufacturer of Minneapolis, Minn., arrived at the Perkins yesterday. A. L. Little, one of the owners of the townsite of Raymond, Wash., is at the Seward. Alton Hampton, merchant at Eugene, is among the Portland visitors staying at the Cornwell. R. H. Dow, engineer for the Oregon Trunk Railroad at Shaniko, is among the Nortonia arrivals. A. Snyder and Mrs. Snyder, of Albany, are among the well-known Oregonians at the Cornwell. J. D. Kelly came in from McCoy yesterday with a shipment of cattle, and is registered at the Lenox. Thomas Carey Welch, connected with the government of the Philippine Islands, is staying at the Portland. J. R. Somerville, a lumber dealer and manufacturer at Napavine, Wash., reached the Lenox yesterday. John Leland Henderson, engaged in the realty business at Hood River, is among the arrivals at the Perkins. J. C. Lee, registering from the new Coos Bay town called Pacific City, reached the Oregon yesterday. F. Barker, owner of a number of Alaska salmon canneries, but residing at Astoria, is registered at the Cornwell. W. S. Norman, of Spokane, one of the members of the Portland Hotel Company, arrived yesterday in advance of the meeting to be held on March 15. D. E. McDonald, of the editorial staff of the Tribune, a daily publication at Medford, is expected to arrive at Medford to place the state of Siskiyou on the map, is at the Nortonia. Guy M. Standifer, a member of the West Side Lumber & Shingle Company, who has been paying a visit to his parents at Houston, Tex., returned yesterday to the Nortonia. C. K. Spalding, president of the Spald-

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