



MEXICAN STRIKE IS ANTI-FOREIGN

Placards Warn Americans to Leave.

7500 ARE IDLE AT EL ORO

Dynamite Bombs Are Found Hidden in Mines.

TROOPS OVERAWA MINERS

Discovery That Rewards Have Been Offered for Murder of Superintendent and Assistants Results in Lockout.

EL ORO, Mexico, Aug. 1.—The strike and lockout here, involving 7500 workmen, has been discovered to conceal an important movement to drive all foreigners, particularly Americans, from this section.

Men Jeer at Soldiers.

The striking miners are congregated about the streets in sullen groups, but apparently are awed by the presence of the troops and are contenting themselves with haranguing and jeering the soldiers.

Wage Demand Is Incident.

The demand of the strikers for higher wages was an incident and that their real motive is antagonistic to foreigners, the movement being directed in particular against Americans.

Several dynamite bombs have been found in the mines.

The first group of miners to declare a strike were at Las Esperanzas mine and they were quickly followed by El Ori and Des Estrellas workmen.

OFFICEHOLDERS WAGING WAR

Mutinous employees at Juarez now control situation.

JUAREZ, Mex., Aug. 1.—The situation is quiet in this city tonight, but the rebellious element of insubordinate customs employes masters of the situation, so far as their position in the government service is concerned.

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PANAMA CHIEF THREATENS

Workmen Told to Support President or Lose Jobs.

IDAHO TO EXCHANGE LAND

Compact Forest Will Replace Scattered School Sections.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Idaho and the Department of Agriculture have reached a tentative agreement, by which the state will receive about 800,000 acres of land in a compact body in place of its scattered school sections now embraced within the bounds of National forests.

UPTON SINCLAIR IS WORKHOUSE INMATE

Author and Single Tax Colony Sentenced by Judge.

Refusing to Pay Fines for Violating Blue Law They Go to Jail and Get Baths, According to Rule.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Upton Sinclair and his 10 associates of the single tax colony, at Arden, will serve 15 hours each in the Newcastle County workhouse. The sentence began at 8 o'clock tonight.

SALMON ASCENDING RIVER

Astoria Fishermen Make Big Hauls in Lower Harbor.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Rivers and making their way up the river and good catches were made about Astoria and Brookfield as well as further down stream in the past 24 hours.

MOUNTAIN AUTOS CURBED

More Than Mile in 5 Minutes Barred on Mount Rainier Road.

TACOMA, Aug. 1.—Determined to stop speeding on the Mount Rainier road, Edward S. Hall, superintendent, today issued orders whereby a record of the movements of every automobile and motorcycle entering the National Park will be kept.

VETERAN HORSEMAN DIES

Sam Casto, well known Along Pacific Coast, Passes at Salem.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Sam Casto, veteran horse trainer and known to horsemen along the entire Pacific Coast, died today, aged 62.

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FERRY CAPSIZES, 7 DROWN

Seventy-Five Passengers Thrown Into Water on St. Lawrence.

MASSENA, Aug. 1.—Seven passengers were drowned today in the St. Lawrence River when the ferry steamer Syrus struck a shoal eight miles below this city, capsizing and hurrying its 75 passengers into the water.

SALES SHORTAGE CHARGED.

Elwood Wiles has filed suit in the Circuit Court against R. A. Hume and the Star Sand Company for an accounting with the firm named.

VANDUYN CHILD IS BURIED.

The funeral of Frank Merwin, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanduyne, who died July 25, was conducted at the family residence, 787 Lovejoy street, at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

FREE LIST BILL IS PASSED IN SENATE

Measure First Beaten, Then Amended.

PROVISION AIMED AT CANADA

Meats, Flour, Cereals Free Under Reciprocity.

COALITION STANDS FIRM

Democrats Will Open Entire Tariff Issue, if Tariff Signs Measure or Approves Wool Schedule Now Pending.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The Democratic tariff programme was moved up closer to President Taft today, when the Senate, by another remarkable coalition of Democrats and Republicans, passed a farmers' free list bill, after voting down the original House measure so closely that one more Democratic Senator would have changed the result and left the entire revision squarely before the President tonight.

SETTLERS WILL BE AIDED

Development Company to Make Deposits on Lands Sold.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Arrangements were made by the Desert Land Board so that the Central Oregon Development Company will place deposits for all the land sold against the land sold for which there is no water.

UNDERTAKERS IN SESSION

Funeral Directors Motor Through Fruit Belt Near Salem.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Many delegates attended the first day's session of the annual meeting of the Oregon State Funeral Directors' Association here today.

BAILEY OPPOSED TO LAST.

Had Senator Bailey, of Texas, voted with his Democratic associates, or had Governor Smith, of Georgia, Senator-elect from that state, been on hand and voted with his party, the free list bill would have passed the Senate unchanged and could have been in the hands of President Taft tonight.

ELLIS TO FIGHT BOURNE FOR TOGA

EX-REPRESENTATIVE TO BE APRIL CANDIDATE.

Judge Stephen A. Lowell Also to Run and Dan J. Malarky May Seek Place.

It became known yesterday that W. R. Ellis, of Pendleton, ex-Representative from the Second Congressional District and for many years prominent in politics in Eastern Oregon, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator in the primaries next April to succeed Senator Bourne. After an extended service in Congress from this state, Mr. Ellis was defeated for re-election last year by A. W. Lafferty, of this city.

ENTOMBED MAN IS FED; NOT RESCUED

Feasting on Chicken, He Still Faces Death.

NEWS HE LIVES SAVES MOTHER

Rising Water in Mine May Yet Beat Would-Be Rescuers.

CAPTIVE IN EARTH 3 DAYS

Fourth Drill Hole Finally Penetrates Roof of Prison and Joseph Clary Jokes With Neighbors Above Him as They Lower Food.

JOPLIN, Mo., Aug. 1.—Entombed 78 feet below the surface of the earth, facing possible death from the rapidly rising water in the mine drift, Joseph Clary, the young miner caught by a cave-in at the White Oak mine here Sunday, tonight feasted on fried chicken and joked with friends who are waiting at the surface for his rescue.

The fourth drill hole put down in an attempt to reach his prison penetrated the roof of limestone late this afternoon.

"Hello," Maurice Grafton called down the hole when the drill bits had been removed.

"I'm Hungry," Says Captive.

"Hello, I'm hungry," came the clear but faint reply.

Then Thomas Clary, father of the entombed miner, hurried to his home, where the young man's mother was prostrated from grief, and told her that the young man was still alive.

From his home, the father, one of the oldest prospectors in this district, hurried back to the mine, carrying milk and stimulants, which were lowered by a piece of rope.

After drinking these, young Clary seemed much stronger and remained near the drill hole talking with those at the top.

"I haven't worried any, though it has been a long while," he said, "for I knew that you were after me. The water has risen fast and it is about waist deep in some places now. I don't believe it will get much higher, for this is dry ground."

Workers Are Encouraged.

The ground where the mine is situated is known as "dry ground," and it has never been necessary to use a pump to keep the water out of the drifts while work was going on.

It follows the reports of officers, Rev. E. N. Avison spoke on the "Relation of the Minister to the Undertaker," and Charles L. McNary on "The Undertaker as Seen by the Layman." In the afternoon the visitors were taken on an automobile ride through the fruit belt.

FAMILY IS SAVED BY BABE'S THIRST

LITTLE ONE CRIES FOR WATER AS HOUSE BURNS.

Mother Passes 4 Children to Father on Roof, Then Follows Them. Orchards Village Destroyed.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—The desire for a drink of water on the part of a little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mobley, at Orchards, early today, probably saved the parents and four children from being burned to death in a fire that destroyed virtually the entire village and caused damage of nearly \$25,000, only partly insured.

At 3 o'clock in the morning the little girl woke her mother by crying for a drink, and as Mrs. Mobley arose to get it she heard a roaring that she thought at first was that of the inter-urban car. Becoming alarmed, however, she called her husband, who jumped out of bed just as flames burst through the half opened door, cutting off escape from that direction.

Awakening the other three children, Mr. Mobley climbed out through a window to the top of a nearby shed. Mrs. Mobley remained behind and passed out the children, one at a time, to her husband on the roof. As Mrs. Mobley and the last little girl were leaving the bedroom a gust of flame engulfed their hair and faces.

The alarm was given by ringing the church bell and the entire population of the village was soon fighting the fire, which quickly burned to the ground Mr. Mobley's general merchandise store, inflicting a loss of \$15,000, with about \$7500 insurance. Flames then spread to the store of Mrs. E. Stankner, who saved hardly anything. Her loss was about \$3,000, with partial insurance.

The two-story Oddfellows' hall across the road was ignited when a spark fell on the roof and burned down. A barbershop owned by Rudolph Wechner also burned.

A bucket brigade was formed and every well in the place was pumped dry, but without avail.

COAST RATES TO ADVANCE

Railroads Will Abandon Effort to Meet Water Competition.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—(Special.)—As a result of the widespread cut in commodity rates to points in the Far West ordered recently by the Interstate Commerce Commission, railroads throughout the country are now planning to increase rates on freight to Pacific Coast cities.

Action on the plan, it is expected, will be taken at a meeting to be held in Chicago August 7 of the traffic and executive officers of all the transcontinental lines at headquarters of the Transcontinental Freight Bureau. This step will mean an abandonment, for the present, of the attempt to meet water competition on the Pacific slope, so far as class rate business is concerned, and, if carried out, will add in a substantial degree to revenues of the railroads.

Class rates were not involved in the inter-mountain cases.

OLCOTT FAVORS PUBLICITY

Tempest in Desert Land Board Caused by Open Discussion.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Secretary Olcott has stepped over the traces following the difficulties in the Desert Land Board meeting yesterday, and today declared himself openly for public board meetings in the future.

"What is the business of the state is the business of the public," he said, "Occasionally, of a necessity, there are times when it will be necessary for the benefit of the state to hold short executive sessions."

"But I firmly believe in abolishing the old idea of having 'star-chamber' board meetings, and Governor West is of the same mind, as I have conferred with him on the subject."

"I intend to cast my vote for open and above board meetings, where the public will have an opportunity to know what occurs."

SLEUTHS TRAP SPEEDERS

Medford's Mayor Engages Detectives to Time Autoists.

MEDFORD, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Detectives known only to the Mayor of Medford are after "joyriders" who persist in exceeding the speed limit here at night. Many arrests are made every morning. The speed detectives, dressed in civilian clothes, saunters along the street with a stop watch in his hand and takes the numbers of cars that violate the ordinance. In the morning the autoists are summoned before the Mayor but no detective is in sight. The men pay their fine and depart in ignorance of the means by which they were detected.

This system has been adopted as the only way in which results can be obtained.

PRINCESS WEDS ATHLETE

Beatrice Campbell, of Honolulu, Is Bride of ex-Stanford Player.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Miss Beatrice Campbell, sister of Princess Kawakawa and stepdaughter of Colonel Sam Parker, a minister during the Royal Hawaiian dynasty, was married in St. Francis Cathedral today to George Beckley, a young Hawaiian capitalist of Honolulu and a former gridiron star at Stanford University.

After a tour of Southern California, the couple will sail for their home in Honolulu.

BAR IS REMOVED FROM SPRINKLING

Use of Hose Evenings Again Permitted.

WATER BOARD REVOKES BAN

Supply Now 63,000,000 Gallons, Danger Thought Over.

WASTE WARNED AGAINST

Mount Tabor Contractors Scored for Denying Right to City to Use Reservoir — C. K. Henry Would Prohibit Pipe Delay.

RESIDENTS ARE APPEALED TO NOT TO WASTE CITY'S WATER.

"I ask the press to say to the people of Portland that, in removing the restrictions on evening sprinkling, the Water Board must look to good citizenship throughout the city and the members of this Board must and I think have a right to ask the hearty co-operation of everyone in using great care not to waste any of the supply," said Theodore B. Wilcox.

"It will be said by the most careful use of water that this arrangement can be continued, for should a pipe break the Water Board must again order the suspension of evening irrigation."

Sprinkling of lawns between 5 and 1 P. M., as well as between 5 and 8 A. M., will be permitted, at least temporarily, the Water Board yesterday having ordered the restriction removed in the evening.

How long this will continue depends on the care the people of the city use in irrigating, according to the declarations of Theodore B. Wilcox, speaking for the Mayor and members, after he had moved to this effect and the board had voted unanimously.

Superintendent Dodge, asked by Mr. Wilcox how the reservoir supply stood, said that, at 8 o'clock in the morning there were 63,000,000 gallons on hand, this being within 3,000,000 gallons of the normal storage capacity.

Danger Now Over.

"Then I move that the restrictions be removed from evening sprinkling," said Mr. Wilcox. "We shut off the privilege only when a grave danger threatened. I do not now believe we are facing any such danger, and I believe that we should let the people have the benefit of the service. No one need tell me what inconveniences are being suffered throughout the city. I have a lawn upon which I spend \$3000 a year. It is burning up because I have to pour water on it early in the morning, only to have it boiled by the sun. I have expensive greens there, cooked. I cite this merely to show that the members of this board have stood their share of this water shortage."

Mayor Ruslight said he believed it proper to remove the restriction on evening irrigation hours, as he felt perfectly safe with the reservoirs showing a total storage of 63,000,000 gallons. J. C. Almsworth, W. B. Mackay and F. W. Winn, the other members, declared likewise.

Order May Be Rescind.

"It will have to be understood," said Mr. Wilcox, "that this board may have to shut off the sprinkling privilege again in the evening. It certainly will if the people do not use great care in irrigating their lawns. Should the weather warm up and the supply run low, the privilege must, of course, be cut off again. It is the only means of protecting life and property."

"The order of the board was a wise one," commented Mayor Ruslight. "It was the only thing to do, and was done only for the protection of the best interests of all the citizens of this city. Now that the supply is nearly normal, I think it very proper to let the people use the water, but I certainly hope and I believe that they will use great care and not waste a bit of it. I want to thank the people for their general observation of the board's order."

Maguire Off in Huff.

Prior to Mr. Wilcox's motion and subsequent action by the board, Councilman Maguire, who was found using water out of hours Sunday morning by a policeman and defied the patrolman to arrest him, told the Mayor and members of the board that he proposed to use water whenever he could get it.

"I can't get water in the hours prescribed by the board, from 5 to 8 in the morning," said Councilman Maguire. "Therefore, I think I have a perfect right to use it when I can get it. I serve notice on you right now that I will do so."

"You don't have to serve notice on us," heatedly replied Mr. Wilcox, who evidently intended to explain his intention of moving to renew the evening sprinkling hours. Mr. Maguire, however, left the room in a huff and did not know of the ruling that was made later.

Henry Wants Inquiry.

E. L. Mills and C. K. Henry were others who virtually defied the board's ruling against evening sprinkling. Mr. Henry

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FOR IMMEDIATE CONSTRUCTION OF COOS BAY LINE. HARRIMAN SYSTEM. WILL HELP SOME!