

BAKERS' SCHEME UNDER SCRUTINY

Alleged Trust Investigated by Attorney-General—Report to Come Soon.

M'VEAGH MAY THEN ACT

Inquiry into Corporation Formed by National City Bank, of New York, to Acquire Stocks Shows Parallels in Other Cities.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Attorney-General Wickersham has about completed his inquiry into the National City Company, the corporation recently formed by the directors of the National City Bank, of New York, to hold bank stocks. It is understood he will send a report to Secretary MacVeagh, saying whether any transgression of the National banking law is involved.

CHIEF'S NAME REVERED

DAVE CAMPBELL'S MEMORIAL TO BE FUND FOR FIREMEN. At Wish of Widow, Money Raised Will Go to Families of Men Killed or Hurt on Duty.

To perpetuate the name of David Campbell, late chief of the Portland fire department, who was killed at a fire, a fund for the relief of the families of firemen who may be killed or disabled while in the performance of duty in future will be established and every effort made to bring it to many thousands of dollars. At a meeting yesterday afternoon of a committee of Portland business men the "David Campbell memorial fund" was established, officers elected and arrangements made for filing articles of incorporation at once.

AGENTS MAKE REPORTS

Secretary MacVeagh's action upon the Attorney-General's report will hinge upon whether he believes the National City Company to be a bona fide corporation, dissociated from the National City Bank, or merely a device of that institution to hold stocks in other National banks.

MEN BALK AT OVERTIME

Woolen Mill Employees Disobey Orders of Superintendent.

THREE WIVES ARE MISSING

Police Are Asked to Help in Hunt for Disappeared Women.

Three wives were reported to the police as being missing Tuesday night, all having disappeared during the day. Mrs. John Jacobs, of 322 Russell street, said her daughter she was gone out for a short time. She did not soon return and was searched for, but had not been found late last night, when the police were asked to aid in the search.

DOUBLE FUNERAL HELD

Vancouver Victims of Drowning Are Borne to Graves.

SETTLERS SECURE RELIEF

Eastern Oregon Districts Added to Settlers' Drouth Aid Bill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The House public land committee has reported favorably the Warren bill granting leave of absence until April 15, 1912, to homesteaders in drought regions of the Coast.

EASTERN MILLS SHUT DOWN

Fall River Company Issues Notice, 5000 Affected.

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production, showing how Justice was served in the time before railroads and laws were in force in the West. It is an interesting picture.

"The Christian and Moor," the second feature, is also deserving of favorable mention, being a spectacular photoplay by Thomas A. Edison.

"The Indian Maid's Sacrifice," an interesting Indian picture, was featured in the first show.

"The Unfinished Letter" and "Money to Burn" are also shown there.

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DRIVEN FROM THE LAND

Scots Complain That Four Landlords Own Scotland.

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Alleviation of the famine conditions prevailing in Scotland again, engaging England's attention through the efforts of R. L. Outwater and a coterie of pro-Scottish writers, who have formed a league to attract a betterment of conditions in the Land of the Thistle.

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Strath Halliada, in Sutherlandshire, may be taken as typical of the island. The whole of the Strath was once teeming with Scotch life; now save for a narrow strip in the center, protected by the Crofters' act, the great area has been turned into a game preserve.

The narrow central strip of the Strath is still filled with reverent care by a small band of crofters who are allowed to remain. These evicted from either end of the valley were compelled to move their chattels to the sea coast.

These conditions are more or less prevalent in all Scotland, and unless they can be changed, says Mr. Outwater, it is only a question of time before the only Scotchmen in Scotland will be found in the great cities where trade and the professions make life bearable.

TOWNS ARE THREATENED

SUPPRESSION ANGRERS INDUSTRIAL WORKERS OF WORLD.

10,000 MEN MAY ATTACK NORTH YAKIMA, WALLA WALLA AND ODESSA.

Unless Demands Are Granted.

SPOKANE, Aug. 3.—North Yakima, Walla Walla and Odessa, Wash., are now threatened with attack by the Industrial Workers of the World in their Nation-wide campaign for free speech.

An army of upwards of 10,000 members of the Industrial Workers of the World will march on these three towns immediately after harvest unless the permission of the I. W. W. members is brought in a halt by their officials.

"Two of our members have recently been thrown into jail at Walla Walla on trumped-up charges for speaking in the street. One man is serving a 30-day sentence in the County Jail at Davenport, Wash., for scolding similar rights at Odessa, and we have been denied the right to speak in the North Yakima streets."

"Only a short time ago the Deputy Sheriff or night Marshal and the night operator in the railroad station at Connel, Wash., beat up J. D. Ellis, of local No. 42, of Seattle, simply because he wore the emblem of the Industrial Workers of the World, according to a signed statement made by Ellis, who is now somewhere about Enlati.

"These instances of abuse have greatly embittered members of the organization throughout the Northwest, and it is their intention to attack every city and town, no matter how large or how small, wherever members of our organization are persecuted in this manner."

"Members of the Industrial Workers expect to remain at work during the harvest season in the fields and with threshing crews, but we shall be ready to fight in dead earnest again as soon as this work is over."

COUNTY ASKED FOR MONEY

Government Forest Supervisor Says It Should Help Build Trail.

GRANT'S PASS, Or., Aug. 3.—(Special).—The Government Forest Service has a gang of men constructing a trail down Rogue River to connect with the West Fork-Gold Beach mail trail at Mile Creek. Several changes have been made in the route selected and the Forest Supervisor has applied to the County Court for financial aid. The amount asked for is \$500.

The forest supervisor maintains that the County Court can easily do this, as Josephine County has received 25 per cent of the National forest receipts here, amounting to \$150,000. The Government has expended \$13,500 in Josephine County. Much of this sum being spent for labor and supplies in building trails.

OWES HER HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Scottville, Mich.—"I want to tell you how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have done me."

I live on a farm and have worked very hard. I am forty-five years old, and am the mother of thirteen children. Many people think it strange that I am not broken down with hard work and the care of my family, but I tell them of my good friend, your Vegetable Compound, and that there will be no backache and bearing down pains for them if they will take it as I have. I am scarcely ever without it in the house.

"I will say also that I think there is no better medicine to be found for young girls to build them up and make them strong and well. My eldest daughter has taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for painful periods and irregularity, and it has always helped her."

"I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for the Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies. I tell every one I meet that I owe my health and happiness to these wonderful medicines."

—Mrs. J. G. JOHNSON, Scottville, Mich., R.F.D. 3.

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THIRD AND MORRISON

POLICEMAN CASE UP

H. A. Galbraith Is Accused of Drunkenness.

BOARD HOLDS HEARING

Sergeants Wantless and Kienlen Testify Against Officer Before Executive Body—Officer Admits Acting as Escort.

Policeman H. A. Galbraith was on trial before the police committee of the Executive Board last night, charged with having been drunk and off his beat on the morning of July 4, and with having been in the North Bank Bar for about 20 minutes on the night of July 7.

That Galbraith was so drunk early on the morning of July 4 that he did not know where the North Bank Depot was, but stopped a citizen to inquire the way, and that even after receiving directions he could not find it, was the testimony of Sergeant Wantless before the committee.

Sergeant Kienlen said he saw Galbraith in the North Bank Bar, at Eleventh and Hoyt streets, at 12:35 the morning of July 7.

Chief Slover testified that Galbraith was not drunk the morning he saw him, when he took away his star and suspended him. He told of the rules instructing officers not to hang out at saloons.

Galbraith denied the charge of drunkenness. He said he wanted to have Saloonkeeper Weils, Special Officer Franklin and a Mr. Adams called in. The case was continued until August 2.

Incidental to the hearing, testimony was brought out that officers were in the habit of escorting Max Weils, a saloonkeeper, to his home after closing hours, a violation of police rules. Galbraith admitted he had often escorted Weils to his home, and Special Officer Barrett testified that other patrolmen had also escorted Weils home, as a guard for the saloonkeeper, who frequently carried considerable money.

Albany Prepares for Apple Fair.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 3.—(Special).—Albany is already beginning preparations for its annual fair this Fall and plans will be made for a big event. The Albany Commercial Club has named a committee consisting of W. A. Eastburn, F. M. French, D. W. Rumbaugh, C. L. Shaw and C. H. Stewart to direct the fair and carry forward arrangements for it.

Ten-cent passenger trains are operated occasionally in the New York subway.

SOLDIERS ARE SOUGHT

WAR DEPARTMENT IS URGED TO SEND FIRE-FIGHTERS.

Troops in Force to Battle Flames So They Can Save Forest in San Bernardino Mountains.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Aug. 3.—"The fire has been devastating the San Bernardino mountains for nine days and is now beyond all control. Between 50 and 75 square miles of watershed are already burned over and the entire watershed threatened. Forest service utterly inadequate to cope with the present situation, and nothing but troops in force seems likely to save even remnant of mountain forests and cover. Will you urge War Department to act instantly?"

This message was sent to Senators Works and Perkins, Representative Stephens, and the Department of the Interior and Chief Forester Graves.

The signers were the executive committee of the San Bernardino Chamber of Commerce, the Tri-County Forestry Committee, the Merchants Association and many prominent men. Forest Supervisor Charlton was also in communication with Washington today, and is said to have advised the Interior Department that his small force of men was helpless.

DID YOU EVER TRY THE NEW WEINHARD "COLUMBIA" BEER



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