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Sheriff Word Attacked and Riot Follows.

CLUBS USED ON MOB AGAIN

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PLAZA SCENE OF TURMOIL

Soapbox Orator After Belm "Called" by Word Admits He Was Too Rash in Statements—Tichenor and Swennes Hold Mob.

YESTERDAY'S DEVELOPMENTS RELATING TO W. W. DISTURBANCES IN PORTLAND.

Attempt to rescue speaker, arrested by Sheriff Word for abusive language, precipitated disorder at Plaza block meeting. Five arrested.

Tom Burns agitator, sentenced by Judge Stevenson to 40 days on rockpile.

Dr. Marie D. Egol, arrested Thursday night on four charges, offered opportunity to leave state, accepts, then refuses. Charges will be pressed unless she is found insane.

No longer pretense of a strike at plant of Oregon Packing Company. Women charged with inciting Thursday night's riot are bound over to grand jury. Several men found guilty of disorderly conduct.

Federal immigration authorities consider possibility of deporting aliens connected with I. W. W.

Police arrest as vagrants I. W. W. members who come here from other cities.

Mayor and Sheriff again caution public to keep off streets where disturbances occur.

No disorder or disturbances of any kind on downtown streets.

Lynch-Garfield Post No. 3, G. A. R., adopts resolutions supporting authorities and condemning I. W. W. agitators.

A mob of excited men shouting "Take him away!" and "Turn him loose!" who made a rush on Sheriff Word in an attempt to rescue George Reese, a Socialist speaker, just arrested by the Sheriff for using abusive language at a street meeting on the Plaza blocks, across the street from the Courthouse, precipitated another riot at 9:30 o'clock last night.

In a running fight that followed, deputy sheriffs and plain clothes men twice were compelled to form a line across the sidewalk in Third street and in Salmon and hold the mob back with their clubs.

By the time the Sheriff and a handful of deputies had fought their way around to the Courthouse entrance in Fourth street they had arrested four more men. One of them, James Gregory, received a deep gash under his left eye in a mixup in which he endeavored to slug the Sheriff.

Attack Made From Behind.

This man ran up behind the Sheriff and grabbed him by the neck and collar. Word shouted at him to let go, but he seized the Sheriff's club and tried to jerk it from him.

Word wrenched himself partly loose and struck Gregory a crushing blow with his fist. He was obliged to strike him with his club before he would release his hold.

Earlier in the evening, the D. P. Thompson fountain had been used as a platform for the speakers, but not long before the arrest of Reese, the crowd moved down near Third street to get the benefit of an arc light and the speakers mounted a soap box.

Word and Men Move.

From this location it was necessary for Word and his men, in order to gain the Courthouse, to make their way down Third street to Salmon, thence up to Fourth and up to the entrance of the middle of the block.

At the time when the disturbance began there were no uniformed policemen near. The meeting up to then had been quiet and the speakers for the most part temperate in their remarks.

Reese, from his soapbox, began to use violent language, then to get abusive towards Sheriff and police.

"We'll get this thing organized and in a few days we'll be speaking on all the streets again," he shouted, "even if it comes to using gaspines."

"It was Tom Word who carried the gaspines last night—"

Word Steps Forward.

Word, who was standing close by with Chief Deputy Frank Curtis, stepped forward.

"I want you," he said crisply. "Step down from that box."

"All right, Sheriff, I'll step right down," said Reese. "I got a little over-heated," he remarked as he stood beside the Sheriff.

Then, as the Sheriff and Curtis started to lead Reese out of the crowd of 500 to 1000 persons jammed around them, someone shouted: "Get the skunk!"

"Get Word, the dirty skunk!" shouted another voice.

Turmoil Then Follows.

In an instant there was turmoil. "Turn him loose!" cried half a dozen at once. "Take him away!" And the whole crowd began to move along with the officers, men and boys crowding

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MERCURY AT 92 ON CITY'S HOTTEST DAY

PORTLAND FEELS EFFECT OF SUDDEN HEAT WAVE.

Thermometer Registers Increase of 16 Degrees Between 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.—No Change Forecast.

The "hottest day of the year" thus far was recorded at the Weather Bureau yesterday, with a maximum temperature of 92 degrees at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The forecast is continued warm and fair weather, with northeasterly winds.

In comparison with records of several previous years the temperature yesterday is far from being a record-breaker, considering the time of the year.

The contrast with the cool weather of June and early July was sufficiently great, however, to set electric fans whirling madly, people to gasping and calling for cooling drinks and to bring about a 50 per cent increase in the amount of vacation talk and the number of "hot-enough-for-you" bromides.

The unusual heat did not begin to be appreciable until after 10 o'clock in the morning, when there was a jump from 76 to 80 degrees within an hour. From that time until 3 o'clock the thermometer went up at the rate of from 3 to 4 degrees an hour. After it reached the 92 mark the temperature fell off rapidly and at 7 o'clock was back down in the 80s.

The playgrounds and parks of the city were filled all day long with children, most of whom found it too warm for active play and who passed the greater part of the day in the shade parts of the playgrounds.

The maximum temperature on Thursday was 81 degrees, 11 degrees lower than yesterday.

WHEAT EXPORTS INCREASE

Portland Gains 20 Per Cent and Has Fourth Place for Country.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 18.—Portland's wheat exports for the fiscal year ended June 30 show an increase of more than 20 per cent over those of the preceding year, according to figures made public today by the Department of Commerce.

During the past 12 months Portland exported 3,147,123 bushels of wheat, valued at \$6,955,323, as against 2,629,943 bushels valued at \$5,895,993 for the preceding year. New York, New Orleans and Galveston show bigger wheat exports for the year just closed, though the previous year Portland led them all.

Pugot found, during the year just closed, exported 5,483,274 bushels of wheat, as against 3,191,983 bushels for the preceding year.

FAT GIRL RETURNS HOME

Marie Hart, 325 Pounds, Changes Mind About Traveling.

GALESBURG, Ill., July 18.—Marie Hart, Galesburg's largest schoolgirl, whose weight is 325 pounds, returned to her grandmother's home here today. She disappeared Wednesday night and fears were entertained that she had been kidnapped to leave her home or had been kidnapped as a sideshow attraction.

Marie said that she had been enticed away by a woman who said she would take her to Des Moines, Ia. Marie changed her mind, however, at Fort Madison, Ia., where she got off the train and refused to go further.

AUTOISTS AT SALT LAKE

Indiana-to-Pacific Tourists Two Days Behind Schedule.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 18.—The Indiana-to-Pacific automobile tourists arrived here this afternoon at 5 o'clock, practically two days behind their schedule. Heavy rains were encountered the entire distance from Grand Junction, Colo., making it impossible for the autoists to maintain any speed. The new road through Price River canyon, Utah, was traveled, but was slippery and dangerous.

The route of Midland trail was followed the entire distance from Grand Junction. The party will remain here until Sunday morning, when they will leave for San Francisco via Ely Nev.

CANAL WILL FLOOD TOWN

People of Gorgona, Panama, Get Notice to Move Away.

PANAMA, July 18.—The closing of the public offices at Gorgona, a town on the Panama Canal, which soon will be inundated by the rising waters of Gatun Lake, began today with the abandonment of the police station. The town will be vacated by all its inhabitants as quickly as possible after August 1. Gorgona is 20 miles northwest of the City of Panama, at the head of the Chagres River.

The water in Gatun Lake has risen three feet since the spillway gates of the canal were closed June 27.

POISONED MASH EFFECTIVE

More Than Half of Grasshoppers in Kansas County Killed.

DODGE CITY, Kan., July 18.—More than half of the grasshoppers in this country were killed by the poisoned mash the farmers recently scattered over their fields, according to a report by P. A. Classen, state entomologist, today.

Mr. Classen, after a 40-mile drive through the country, said from 50 to 60 per cent of the pests have been killed and that another spreading of the poisoned mash would exterminate them.

NAY MEN WRECK I. W. W. QUARTERS

Seattle Socialist Halls Sacked by Sailors.

CIVILIANS AID BLUEJACKETS

Literature and Furniture Are Burned on Streets.

POLICE MAKE NO ARRESTS

Uniformed Men From Pacific Reserve Fleet Denounce Mayor Cotterill as They Hang American Flag Over Houses Attacked.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 18.—Crowds of sailors from the Pacific Reserve fleet, at anchor in the bay, aided by hundreds of men and boys who came to join in the Potlatch celebration, attacked the Socialist and the Industrial Workers of the World headquarters tonight, sacking the buildings and dumping the furniture into the street and making a bonfire of it.

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Guards Round Up Sailors.

The police and the provost guard have taken hold of the situation and believe that no further damage will be done. The provost guard is rounding up all the sailors ashore and sending them back to their ships.

Most of the sailors in the first party wore the name-bands of the cruisers Colorado and California.

About a dozen men, all youthful, were in the wrecking party at the start. They were aided by several members of the Washington Naval Militia and by hundreds of young civilians, who made most of the noise.

Waving United States flags, the storming party swooped down on the newspaperstand of Millard Price, a Socialist orator, at the intersection of Fourth avenue and Westlake boulevard, the busiest night corner of the city.

Socialist Literature Destroyed.

The cart was broken to splinters in a moment, the stock of Socialist papers and magazines torn and tossed into the street and trampled. The party then rushed to the Industrial Workers of the World at Fifth avenue near Stevedock, the wreckers found the place deserted, the tenants having moved.

The sailors and their associates then rushed to the Socialist headquarters on Fifth avenue, near Stewart, smashed in the big plate-glass front and nailed American flags upon the front of the building. Two policemen aimed complacently upon the wreckers. The sailors tore the signs from the front of the building and broke them to pieces, and then started to drag the furniture and books out into the street. Here the policemen interfered.

Civilian Youth Tried to Lead.

There were demands that the Industrial Workers be hunted down and a young civilian tried to induce the party to go to the headquarters of the moderate socialists in an old Church in Olive street near Seventh. Another self-appointed leader led the party toward the old Unitarian Church on Seaview avenue, near Union street, which had just been vacated by the moderates.

As the naval men were crossing Pike street at Sixth they were overhauled by an automobile full of policemen, headed by a captain, who told the sailors if they did not disperse he would arrest them. The policemen, by maneuvering, separated the men in uniform and scattered them. No handlings were necessary.

The men shouted to the police: "Your Mayor won't do anything to protect the flag, so we are saving your city." A young civilian who had been endeavoring to incite the sailors kept shouting to them to "Go and get Mayor Cotterill." No arrests were made.

Socialist Headquarters Sacked.

The wrecking party reformed in the north part of the city after it had dispersed and went back to the Socialist headquarters on Fifth avenue, near Virginia, and sacked the place, destroying the furniture and \$800 worth of Socialist literature.

A second party of men from the Pacific reserve fleet attacked the big Industrial Workers' headquarters in Washington street in the southern part of the city. The contents of the building were dragged into the street and a bonfire made of them.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels was dining on the cruiser West Virginia, the guest of Admiral Reynolds, when the trouble started.

After destroying the moderate Socialists' headquarters at Seventh and Olive, the sailors retired to the southern part of the city and demolished a meeting-room of the Salvation Army.

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TIGERS TACOMA MASCOTS

Ball Club Gets Two Half-Grown Cubs as Luck-Bringers.

TACOMA, July 18.—(Special.)—The strangest mascots ever carried by a baseball club will be presented to the Tacoma Tigers tomorrow afternoon when the local council of the United Commercial Travelers will present the Tacoma Tigers two half-grown tiger cubs. The felines are one year old and are about the size of a shepherd dog. They were used by the local traveling men as a Tacoma advertisement in Portland last year, when they were kittens, but since that time they have grown until they are a burden upon the local council.

"Sure I'll be glad to get them," President McGinnity said tonight. "What I will do with them is more than I can say, but I hope they will be omens of good luck. I shall take at least one of them on the road with me if I find that I can ship it with the club baggage."

DOCTOR REPAIRS TOY DOG

Youngster in Trouble Until Operation on Pet Is Performed.

Dr. R. S. Stearns, of Sellwood, performed a remarkable surgical operation at his office on Spokane avenue. The patient was a shaggy toy dog which was brought in by Richard, the 23-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brock, of Sellwood. In some way the tail became detached from the body, and the child heard that the doctor could repair the damage.

A little later Richard was missing from his home, and search was made for him. Later the search party entered the office of Dr. Stearns, where they found the physician engaged in performing the operation, while little Richard looked on with tearful interest. After the operation Richard emerged from the doctor's office with a satisfied smile on his face.

THREE TRAPPED IN FIRE

Girl and Two Young Men on Fire When Rescuers Reach Them.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Two young men and a girl, trapped on the sixth floor of a burning loft building in West Twenty-third street today, stood helplessly amid the flames until their clothing took fire. They were abaze when firemen took them down 80-foot extension ladders to the street. They were badly burned.

The building was occupied by skirt and button manufacturers. Most of the employees had not reported for work when the blaze broke out.

POWER OVER SEA DISPUTED

Steamship Company to Resist Ruling of Railroad Commission.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—The ruling of the State Railroad Commission that it has jurisdiction over vessels that traverse the high seas between California ports is to be attacked by the Wilmington Transportation Company, which operates between San Pedro and Catalina Island, both in Los Angeles County. The company asked today for a rehearing of the case in which the ruling was made, with the purpose of having the ruling vacated.

ATTEMPT TO BRIBE GOMPERS CHARGED

Mulhall Says Plan Was Fully Outlined.

TRAP FEARED BY VON CLEAVE

Witness Declares He Warned Plotters of Failure.

DOUBLE DEALING SHOWN

Letters Disclose Lobbyist's Effort to Work in Maryland With Republican and Democratic Leaders at Once.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Martin M. Mulhall gave the Senate lobby investigating committee today his story of the alleged effort in 1907 or 1908 to bribe Samuel Gompers to desert the cause of labor and support the policies advocated by the National Association of Manufacturers.

He admitted that he had no positive information that an attempt to bribe Gompers actually had been made, but he said Atherton Brownell, of New York had outlined the plan to him, and had told him what was to be done. Mulhall was examined last night at noon until Monday on the ground that he was tired after a week of continuous testimony.

The committee held a session tonight to hear the testimony of S. V. McCleave, of Paterson, N. J., now a candidate for Congress and with whom Mulhall said he worked throughout the campaign of 1910, when McCleave was running against William Hughes.

Gompers Incident Opened.

The committee opened the Gompers incident today when newspaper clippings appeared showing that Gompers had made the bribery charges before a court in 1908, and that President Van Cleave, of the Manufacturers' Association, had denied all connection with them. Mulhall said he had been referred by Van Cleave and Schwedman to Mr. Brownell in New York, who had said they were conducting a publicity bureau for the association. Brownell told him, he said, that a man named Brandenburg was following Gompers; that they had a plan fixed up by which they expected to "get" the labor leader, and that they were positive they could not fail.

Mulhall said he warned them they would not succeed and later advised Van Cleave to the same effect.

Van Cleave Seeks "Trap."

Van Cleave left New York suddenly the witness said, after telling him that he had nearly "fallen into a trap."

"He said they wanted him to go down to meet those people, but he got a tip not to go," added Mulhall. "He told me he thought Brownell had more sense than to go into a trap of that kind."

This was the extent of Mulhall's knowledge of the matter, but he insisted that from the previous information he had he knew the plan that had been on foot to force Gompers into signing a document that would insure his future action.

The Gompers story and an unexpected outburst from Mulhall, who complained that officers of the National Association of Manufacturers were "trying to stare him out of countenance" on foot, almost irresistible. After striking the water, Chapman's body lodged against two projections of rock. When the cry went up that a man was in the water, four men formed a chain from the iron fence and reached Chapman. Twice the man at the end of the chain was swept from his feet, but he clung to his burden. Chapman's united efforts of the men nearest, who had better footing, finally swung the two of them out of the grasp of the current.

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It is said that this list will be the first demonstration of the purpose of President Wilson to continue the application of civil service principles in the consular service, as many of the offices named for promotion are either Republicans or of unknown political affiliations.

CHICAGO DEEPLY IN DEBT

County, if Private Corporation, Would Be in Receiver's Hands.

CHICAGO, July 18.—"Cook County (Chicago) is bankrupt. If it were a private corporation it would be in a receiver's hands."

In making this statement today, President McCormick, of the County Board, explained that the county is \$2,317,000 in debt, with no assets in sight to cover the deficit. This condition is due to making appropriations based on estimates of what the tax levy will be, and for several years these estimates have been greater than the money actually collected.

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WOMEN ADVISORS OF MAYOR RESIGN

CALIFORNIA TOWN STIRRED BY LIQUOR QUESTION.

Fair Board Members Refuse to Serve When Saloons Are Granted Liberties.

SANTA MONICA, Cal., July 18.—(Special.)—Five of the seven women of Mayor Dow's Advisory Board resigned today as a sequel to the resignation of E. E. Randall as chief of police, due to friction with the Police Commission.

Those who have resigned are Mrs. Carlo Benson, Mrs. H. J. Slater, Mrs. R. H. Tanner, Mrs. G. G. Taylor and Mrs. D. G. Stephens. The women say they are opposed to the action of the Police Commission in permitting cafes to sell liquor after midnight in violation of the city ordinance.

In addition to this, the women say the committee has become nearly a paper one, and that except for two meetings more than a year ago, they have not been called into consultation with the Mayor and that the Advisory Board has degenerated into an absurdity.

The resignation of the chief and the action of the women are the main topics of conversation in business and social circles.

GENERAL SALOMON DEAD

Ex-Territorial Governor of Washington Has Brilliant Record.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Ex-Territorial Governor Salomon, of Washington, who fought Mrs. Abigail Scott Duniway bitterly in her efforts to introduce woman suffrage in Washington Territory in 1870 and who had a law passed declaring that no women could vote in the territory of Washington, died here tonight.

General Edward S. Salomon was ex-County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois; Governor of the Territory of Washington, and a prominent figure in fraternal and Grand Army circles and an attorney of San Francisco for many years. He was 77 years old. At the age of 18 he emigrated to America from Germany and settled in Chicago. He became a power in political circles in Chicago and at the outbreak of the Civil War joined the Union Army. For gallantry he was promoted successively until in 1862 he was made Major of his regiment. At the close of the war, he then having become a Brigadier-General, he returned to Chicago and re-entered politics. In 1869 he was appointed by President Grant Governor of Washington Territory, serving until 1872. Upon his retirement he came to this city in 1875.

YOUTH TORN FROM NIAGARA

Four Men Form Human Chain and Make Rescue at Brink of Falls.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., July 18.—Truman Chapman, 22 years old, of Chapman, Ont., was rescued from the brink of the American falls tonight by four men, one of whom took a desperate chance to rescue him. Chapman, who was sitting on the iron rail just above Prospect Point and was seen to topple backward suddenly into the stream.

At this point the current is swift and the pull toward the brink of the fall 15 feet away, almost irresistible. After striking the water, Chapman's body lodged against two projections of rock. When the cry went up that a man was in the water, four men formed a chain from the iron fence and reached Chapman. Twice the man at the end of the chain was swept from his feet, but he clung to his burden. Chapman's united efforts of the men nearest, who had better footing, finally swung the two of them out of the grasp of the current.

Town Left in Darkness.

Tonight Sheridan is in darkness. The electric wiring system is so entangled and torn up that hope of getting even a fairly satisfactory service in shape for tomorrow night is faint.

Sheridan was named for General Philip Sheridan, who made this his headquarters prior to the Civil War. It will feel the loss heavily at this time, as it has just entered into contracts for extensive paving.

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SHERIDAN ALMOST WIPED OUT BY FIRE

Business Section of Oregon Town in Ashes.

LOSS MAY REACH \$400,000

Dynamite and Ammunition Explode as Flames Rage.

NEARBY TOWNS SEND AID

McMinnville, Carlton and Willamina Rush Apparatus to Historic Place. Postoffice and Banks Among 30 Buildings Lost in Blaze.

SHERIDAN, OR., FIRE TOLD IN BRIEF.

Entire business section wiped out. More than 50 buildings destroyed, many of which were two and three stories, some brick.

Loss will reach \$400,000, probably, with about \$100,000 insurance.

Town is left in darkness.

McMinnville, Carlton and Willamina send hose and men.

Fire starts in small restaurant from gasoline stove.

Dynamite and ammunition cause explosions, menacing fire fighters.

Sheridan is historic town, having been General Sheridan's headquarters for time prior to opening of Civil War.

SHERIDAN, Or., July 18.—(Special.)

The business section of Sheridan has been wiped out, and several residences destroyed as a result of a fire which started tonight at 5:30 o'clock and swept an area covering three blocks on the south side of the Yamhill River. The loss will reach between \$250,000 and \$400,000, with \$100,000 insurance.

The fire started from a gasoline stove explosion in a small restaurant. Of the entire business section there is one blacksmith shop and one garage standing. One bakery and one butcher shop remain to supply the town. About 30 buildings on the south side of the river were destroyed.

Nearby Towns Give Aid.

The fire raged a little more than three hours, but was not out at midnight. A rising wind was feared hourly.

McMinnville, Carlton and Willamina, Or., sent fire hose and crews to fight the flames. McMinnville is about 14 miles away and Carlton about 22 miles. The crew and hose arrived at 7:30 o'clock, and the men swam the river with the hose to attach it to the hydrants there, so fierce was the heat on the south side of the river.

Exploding cartridges, ammunition and dynamite in the various well-stocked hardware stores were a constant menace to the firemen and residents of the city who joined in fighting the flames. Six of the workers were prostrated by heat and smoke, and fell dizzy on the flames, but they were picked up and borne to safety before seriously injured.

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