FIRE PREVENTION TOPIC FOR TODAY

Morning Will Be Devoted to Exercises at Schools and Presentation of Prizes.

LUNCHEON WILL BE HELD

Governor to Take Part in Review of Firemen and Apparatus-Parade Will Follow and Public Lecture at 8 P. M.

Special exercises in Portland today will place emphasis upon the work of fire and accident prevention. The local celebration of the day is a part of a celebration of the day is a part of a Nation-wide observance along safety-

first lines.

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There will be fire drills during the day, talks on fire prevention, drills in the schools, public meetings where safety will be counseled, and a parade will start at 3:30 through the downtown streets that will impress safety first upon all who see it.

A special committee of 100 was named recently by Mayor Albee to arrange today's celebration, and everything has been completed in the way of preliminaries. It is expected that people of the whole city will be interested and that all will become active workers for fewer accidents and fires.

This morning's activities will be confined to the city schools. A fireman has been assigned to each school, where they will talk to the students in special assemblies and urge more care in preventing fires.

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Awards to Be Presented. fire drill will be held at Ladd ool at 9 o'clock. Upon its comple-A fire drill will be held at Ladd School at 9 o'clock. Upon its completion the Jaeger cup will be presented to the school as being best drilled among the elementary schools. At 10 o'clock the cup donated by the Public Safety Commission will be awarded to the Jefferson High School, which won it for making the best showing among high schools of the city in fire drills. There will be a fireboat drill and exhibitions on the river near the Morrison bridge at 10:38 o'clock.

At noon a safety-first luncheon will be held at the Chamber of Commerce. Governor Withycombe, Mayor Albee, State Insurance Commissioner Wells and Fire Marshal Stevens will speak.

The fire bureau will give an exhibition at Sixth and Pine streets at 1:30 P. M. Governor Withycombe, Mayor Albee and other officials will review the firemen, and there will be an exhibit of the work of the fire-fighters. There will be contests by volunteer fire companies from nearby cities.

Parade to Be Feature.

The safety-first parade will start at 3:30, and this pageant promises to be a big feature of the day. Many business concerns, as well as the railways, will be represented with striking dispillation of the fillowing route: Start to Trenth, north to Alder, east to Broadway, north to Ankeny, east to Sixth, south to Taylor, east to Broadway, north to Taylor, east to Trenth, north to Salmon, west to Fourth, morth to Salmon, west to Fourth, north to Yamhill, west to Tenth, and disband.

There will be a public lecture at 8 o'ciock at night at the Chamber of Commerce on the subject of fire prevention. This will be held under the auspices of the extension bureau of the University of Oregon. Speakers will be Fire Marshal Stevens, of this city, and Ben Williams, of the State Industrial Accident Commission.

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SECOND WASHINGTON INFANTRY COMPANIES GO HOME.

Seattle Crowds Greet Guardsmen Back From Border Service-Centralia Welcomes Company In.

The regimental band and the six Seattle companies arrived home late to-

The companies from Eastern Washington will reach their home stations late tonight or early tomorrow.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—A crowd of several thousand persons this evening greeted Company M on its return from American Lake, after their muster-out from the Federal service. Two bands played, and there was honking of auto horns as the train pulled in. The company pa-raded the business section of the city before proceeding to the Armory, where supper had been prepared for the guardsmen and 150 guests. W. B. Keier acted as toastmaster at the sup-per and a committee of young women per, and a committee of young women

assisted in serving. ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 8 .- (Special.)-Five thousand citizens gathered at the Union Station here tonight to welcome home the soldier boys of Company G, of this city. A band played as the train pulled into the station and an address was delivered by City Attorney A. E. Cross. The demonstration fully equaled that given on the morning some four months ago when the boys left for American Lake, en route to the border.

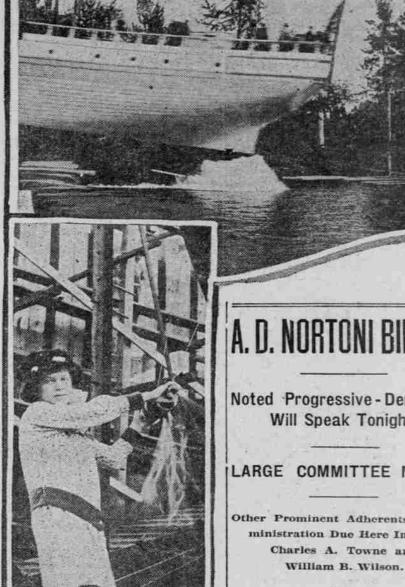
1 OF 274 ACCIDENTS FATAL

More Than 208 Subject to Workmen's Compensation Act.

the week ending October 5 a total of 274 accidents were reported to the State Industrial Accident Insurance Commission, of which one was fatal. Of the total number of workmen in jured 208 were subject to the workmen's compensation act, 25 were from public utility corporations, 40 were from firms and corporations which have rejected the act and one was from a firm not employing labor in hazard-gus occupation.

The Nez Perce Indians have all the rights of the white people in the matter of filling upon public land and are subject to all of the rules and regulations mining 7. light and power 8. cannery 3. relative to bona fide residence and important mill 2. cooperage 2. passenger 2. cooled mill 2. cooperage 2. passenger 2. covered a new and cheap disinfectant. It is revealed on highway 2. garage 2. are passenger 3.

PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN AS THIRD MOTORSHIP BUILT BY ST HELENS



In other yards.
The first ship built by the McEach-

ern-Standifer-Clarkson yard in Astoria No. present plans work out.

and for the following one each: Cleaning parlor, printing, house-moving, stevedoring, ransfer company, department store, tank and pipe, window cleaning, creamery, team-ng, furniture manufacturing, rock crusher.

FRUIT SPRAYS EFFECTIVE

Practical Demonstrations Made by State College at Sutherlin.

Armory, where they were released from duty.

In the most marked beneat the most marked beneat the beneat the most marked beneat the per cent of the fruit was affected by codling moth, and 100 per cent by scab. The sprayed trees showed 2 per cent

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 8 .- (Spe cial.)—Charles C. Crego, of Cosmopolis, was granted a divorce in the Superior Court last week upon a peculiar story of how his wife came to leave him. Crego said he had been married only about a month, and that everything seemed to be running pleasantly until his wife telephoned him one day tell-

have rejected the act and one was from a firm not employing labor in hazardous occupation.

Following is shown the number of accidents by industry:

Sawmill 58, logging 44, construction 31, railroad operation 20, iron and steel works

woolen mill 2, cooperage 2, pussenger 2, covered a new and cheap disinfectant. It is traveler on highway 2, garage 2, traspassor obtained from pine oil.

A. D. NORTONI BILLED

Noted Progressive - Democrat Will Speak Tonight.

ARGE COMMITTEE NAMED

Other Prominent Adherents of Administration Due Here Include Charles A. Towne and

Judge Albert D. Nortoni, of St. Louis, Progressive candidate in 1912 for Gov ernor of Missouri but now a supporter of Woodrow Wilson, will deliver a Wilson campaign address at the Eleventhstreet Theater, Eleventh and Morrison street, at 8 o'clock tonight. His address will be made under the

auspices of the Democratic State Central Committee. Judge Samuel White, Democratic state chairman, will pre-Captain William Wrightson, Taking the Water. Lower—Miss Ruby Wrightson, the Ship's Sponsor.

Definition State Charman, will introduce Emmett Callal who will introduce Judge Nortoni.

A member of the St. Louis Court Appeals at the time of th side and introduce Emmett Callahan A member of the St. Louis Court of Appeals at the time of the St. Louis

Among those who have been invited by Judge White to act on the general committee in hor Nortoni and sit on the stage at Eleventh-street Theater tonight are: Eleventh-street Theater tonight are:
Dr. C. J. Smith, Joseph N. Teal, H. M.
Esterly, B. F. Irvine, Dr. Esther PohiLovejoy, George A. Lovejoy, Colonel C.
E. S. Wood, Miss Leona Larrabee, Mrs.
John A. Keating, Dr. J. W. Morrow,
George H. Thomas, Judge W. N. Gatens,
Senator Milton A. Miller, Alex Sweek,
George F. Alexander, E. J. Stack, Colonel Robert A. Miller, John Montag, C.
S. Jackson, Frederick V. Holman, Richard W. Montague, Judge Thomas C.
Burke, John H. Stevenson, John Twohy,
Bert E. Haney, ex-Governor Oswald
West, John Van Zante, F. C. Whitten,
Frank Stott Myers, Captain James P. SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 8.—The Second Infantry. Washington National Guard, which was called into the United States service last June for duty on the Mexican border, was mustered out of Federal service at the American Lake Camp, south of Tacoma, today, and the various units returned to their home stations.

The regimental band and the six Seattle companies arrived home late to-Seattle companies arrived home late today. The guardsmen were greeted by
huge crowdes at the railway station
and along the streets through which
the returning soldiers marched to the
Armory, where they were released from
duty.

Sprayed trees was blemished by disease and unsalable.

The sprayings were made in the W.
E. St. John orchard, under the personal
supervision of Professor Brown. The
most marked benefit came in the control of the apple scab and codling moth.

Chapman, C. M. Rynerson and A. F.
Tomlinson. Tomlinson.

per cent of the fruit was affected by codling moth, and 100 per cent by scab.

The sprayed trees showed 2 per cent codling moth and less than 1 per cent scabby fruit.

DIVORCE STORY PECULIAR

Man Called Home for Surprise Finds

Wife's Farewell Note.

Other Speakers Expected.

Judge Nortoni is the first of several speakers of National reputation who will campaign in Oregon for Wilson. Charles A. Towne, ex-United States Senator from Minnesota and ex-Representative in Congress Other Speakers Expected.

NEW BANK BOARD NAMED

President Caufield to Resign and Will T. Wright to Succeed.

A Nation-Wide Poll Showing

How Union Labor Will Vote

To sense the trend of union labor sentiment in the coming Presidential election, the editor of THE LITERARY DIGEST addressed a letter to the presidents, vice-presidents and secretaries of labor organizations, representing practically all branches of industry, in every state of the Union. The letter asked for an expression of opinion as to the sentiment of their unions toward the different Presidential candidates. About five hundred replies, from thirty-two states, have been received.

In this week's number of "The Digest," dated October 7th, the result of this poll is given. Many interesting statements from labor leaders are quoted, and this feature of the "Digest" will be read carefully by workers in every branch of industry.

The article, in the opinion of many people, quite definitely answers the question "Will Organized Labor Vote Solidly?" It is handsomely illustrated with reproductions of original

Among some of the other striking features in "The Digest" for October 7th are:

"American Business Bursts Its Jacket"

The President and Leaders of His Party Assert That the Highest Peak in American Business Has Been Reached Under Democratic Administration, and This Without Counting War Importations or Exportations

The Zeppelin Raids on London New York's Traction Strike India's Six Invasions Our Future Hybrid Race A Government Show on Wheels The Medical Fee System of the Future The Birth of Our Popular Songs Opposite German Views of Atrocities

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solutely sure that nothing is colored or distorted in the least. Each fact is recorded for you without fear or favor just as it occurred. This constantly changing film represents all shades of opinion, all diversities of thought. It is uniform in one respect only, its impartiality. It holds the mirror up to life and leaves you to judge for yourself.

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Top of Larch Mountain Visited by Portlanders.

CLIMBING TRIP IS ENJOYED

Party of 135 Reaches Lofty Goal, Where Hot Coffee Is Served. Young Woman Overtaxes Strength, but Recovers.

was an ideal one, well managed in every particular. Saturday the advance guard, consisting of Osman Royal and Todd Haten, carried coffee, with coffee-making utensils, to the top of the mountain, to be ready for eventualities. Late that night the members of the party

seemed to be running pleasantly until his wife telephoned him one day telling him that she had a surprise for him when he came home.

Crego, expecting something pleasant, went home early, and found a note which told him that Mrs. Crego had left him. Crego said that shortly prior to the telephone call his wife had called at the grocery store in which he is employed and secured some grocery supplies and a new dress.

INDIAN GETS HOMESTEAD Nez Perce Makes Final Proof and Drives Touring Car.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Sam Morris, a Nez Perce Indian, who recently purchased a seven-passenger touring car, last week made final proof on a tract of 30 acres located on the

SEATTLE TAXES REDUCED Higher Rate in Some Sections Is

Offset by Lower Valuation.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. & .- (Special.) Seattle taxpayers will be required to pay \$173,768,47 less in city taxes in 1917 pay \$1/3,168.47 less in city taxes in 1211, than was assessed against them for 1216, or about three-fourths of a mill less, and in the principal taxpaying subdivision the 1917 levy will be 20.72 mills, as compared with 21 mills for 1916. In the other subdivisions of the city the levy will be slightly higher city the levy will be slightly higher than for the present year, but a reduction in the assessed valuation will more than make up the difference.

Seattle's tax levy for 1917 for all purposes, including state, county, schools and port, will be 45.791 mills, as against 44.560 mills for 1916, an increase of 1.231 mills.

GRESHAM MEETING BILLED

A. E. Clark, J. W. Beveridge and Frank S. Grant to Speak.

GRESHAM, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)— A. E. Clark, J. W. Beveridge and Frank S. Grant will be speakers at a big Republican rally in Metzger's Hall here Monday evenin. Some of the important National issues before the people will be discussed by Mr. Clark and Mr. Beveridge and Mr. Grant will talk on the important local issues. There will

Internal Bathing's Rapid Growth

directors, elected since a controlling inderest of the bank's stock changed in the director of the bank's stock changed in the director of the bank's stock changed in the director of the bank's took changed in the superintendent of banks; C. D. Brunn, manger of the Blake-McFall Company, Portland; George H. Tracy, Jr., assistant state superintendent of banks, and here strength, and had to call a fact that superintendent of banks, and the strength, and had to call a fall. She was promptly cared for, and a guard was left with her, while the main party proceeded with the journey. The first climbers to reach the of the bank, but will resign on the first of the year, and Mr. Wright will take his place.

COUNCIL JOB GOES BEGGING

Vancouver Third Ward Is Not Represented Among Candidates.

**VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 8.—(Spensal of the washing the washing of the year, and the serving time to washing the washing to the statement of users that they feel as if 'made over new' morning after an internal bath. The position is unsalaried.

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be special music by a male quartet and managers whose vision will be great the Pleasant Home band has been en-enough to look beyond the petty re-gaged to play.

NEW MARRIAGE LAW URGED

Wisconsin Prosecutor Would Protect

killed her illegitimate child here and and the use of the fireworks may prove thrown the baby's body into the park lagoon, District Attorney Henry Sauthoff has announced that he is going.

A pair of crutches is beat at the state of the city have proven unsuccessful and the use of the fireworks may prove more effective. hoff has announced that he is going to ask the coming Legislature for a new law to correct such situations.

"Every girl who becomes a mother is entitled to a husband," said Mr. Sauthoff today. "I think a law should be passed which will consider the mother and father of a child married from the instant the child was born, whether there be any church ceremony or not."

A pair of crutches is kept at the office of the Weilington (Mo.) News for the free use of the unfortunate. The crutches are use of the passons who, when through with them, return them for the next borrower.

CASTORIA

Por Infants and Children.

Engineering Magazine. Efficient industrial managers we must have; but if the Republic is to

This is the first of a series of three nical school, for the man who, while rallies to be held before the election in November.

I have a series of three nical school, for the man who, while useful to his industry, can also do something to make industry more useful to all men.

Here's a Blackbird Yarn.

SPRINGFIELD, III., Oct. 2 .- Giant Children Born Fatherless.

Children Born Fatherless.

MADISON, Wis. Oct. S.—Following the plea of guilty in court of Helen

Control of the city. Efforts to force the birds to roost in the woods outside the birds to root the birds to root the bird Griep, of Watertown, that she had of the city have proven unsuccessful

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