

CHEHALIS GIVES EDITORS WELCOME

Annual Meeting of Washington State Press Association Now in Progress.

ATTENDANCE IS LARGE

Advertisers, Bankers and Women in Various Walks of Life Present Papers Eulogizing Helpfulness of Newspapers.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the Washington State Press Association, which convened here today, promises to be well attended.

When President W. B. Jessup, of Bremerton, called the opening session to order he introduced Dan W. Bush, president of the Citizens Club, as the address of welcome.

On behalf of the association President Jessup responded, following which Frank P. Goss, of Seattle, was named chairman of the committee on resolutions.

Press and Schools Work Together. Mrs. R. A. Small, County Superintendent of Snohomish County, paid a high tribute to the press, showing how they work in hand with the schools.

Armenian Led Tells Atrocities. An Armenian lad, Mooshek Vorperian, held the audience spellbound with his tale of Turkish atrocities suffered by his people.

Officers of the association present include Wallace B. Jessup, of Bremerton, president; Edwin M. Connor, of South Bend, vice-president; and N. Russell, of Dayton, secretary.

Tonight in Workman Hall a reception was tendered the ladies visiting the city, while the men enjoyed a smoker in an adjoining clubroom.

The programme for Friday includes papers by Edgar B. Piper, of the Portland Oregonian; Major W. H. Patton, of the Hoquiam Washingtonian, and others.

A banquet in the evening, will be features.

HOQUIAM Wash., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—Loggers, millmen and manufacturers of the Grays Harbor district at a meeting this afternoon adopted a resolution declaring their intention hereafter of employing only American labor.

The operators in the resolution, declare their intention to sell logged-off lands suitable for agriculture at low prices and interest on long-time terms to any man desiring to start ranches for themselves.

All letters and literature of every kind sent out by the employers taking part in the meeting is to bear the slogan, "Grays Harbor County for Americans first."

The action was taken by the employers as a patriotic step and the resolution condemns aliens or alien powers attempting to interfere with production of the lumber needed by the war and in the conduct of the war, and the mill men and loggers pledge themselves to do everything in their power to supply the lumber needed for shipbuilding and the spruce for airplane construction.

YOUTH SAYS HE IS UNFIT Perfect Physical Specimen Seeks Way to Escape Service.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Aug. 17.—A young man appeared before Sheriff Mait Shaw and asked for a war exemption blank. He is single and looked like the picture of health. He told the Sheriff he was not physically able for military service.

"In that case, then," said Sheriff Shaw, "your physical examination will show it, and you do not need an exemption blank."

"But the doctors can't find out what's wrong with me," the young man declared. "There's something the matter with me that fools all of them, and that's the reason I want to fill out a blank."

Chaplain Made Major. TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—Rev. Spencer S. Sulliger, widely known among Methodists of the Northwest and chaplain of the Second Washington Infantry, has been made a Major in the regular Army, was the word received from San Francisco today.

Major Sulliger has been connected with the Washington National Guard for 16 years and went to the Mexican border with the unit.

MOVING PICTURE NEWS



Scene From 'God's Country and the Woman' At Sunset Theater

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES. Majestic—Valeska Suratt, "The Siren." Liberty—William Desmond, "Time Locks and Diamonds." Peoples—William Desmond, "The Shackles of Truth." Sunset—William Duncan, "God's Country and the Woman." Star—William Courtenay, "The Recoil." Columbia—Pauline Frederick, "Her Better Self." Circle—"Do Children Count?"

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Liberty. "Time Locks and Diamonds" is an interesting crook story of a pronounced type. It is not a story that one remembers long, but is enjoyable while it lasts.

Sunset. "God's Country and the Woman" is a drama of the Northwest. The scenes are wonderful and are laid in the timber lands of the North.

Majestic. "The Siren" is a typically Valeska Suratt play, bordering close up to the melodramatic.

Columbia. Pauline Frederick in "Her Better Self" presents a character sketch which is excellent. She does not play the intensely dramatic role she usually does, but appears as a young society butterfly who is made in love with a very serious young doctor.

Star. The character of Phillip Weyman was well played by William Duncan and the part of Josephine Adare by Neil Shipman.

Screen Gossip. Here's hoping that Frank T. Dasey, who is the son of Charles Turner Dasey, the scenarist, and also a member of the American's writing staff.

William Russell, the American film star, and Joe King, of his supporting cast, fight a smashing hand-to-hand combat on the 10-foot yardarm of a schooner for "The Sea Monster," a Fall release-to-be.

Tom Mix, who plays the Sheriff in William Fox's production, "Durand of the Bad Lands," owns all of the horses which were used in that photoplay.

Winifred Kingston, petite heroine of "Durand of the Bad Lands," and other William Fox dramas, wishes to be understood that her curls are natural.

STRIKE VOICE CALLED

Seattle Unions to Take Referendum on Shipyards.

12,000 MEN ARE AFFECTED

Action Said to Be Result of Apparent Failure of Prolonged Negotiations to Bring About Amicable Readjustment.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 23.—As a result of the apparent failure of prolonged negotiations to bring about an amicable readjustment of wages in Seattle shipyards, call for a referendum vote of the 12,000 union workmen on a strike to enforce demands for a general increase in pay was sent out by the Seattle Metal Trades Council today to its 15 affiliated unions.

Voting under the referendum will begin this week and returns will be canvassed by the board of metal trades business-agents at the labor trades Monday morning. The result of the vote will be reported to the conference committee of the Metal Trades Council not later than Tuesday morning.

The decision to bring the negotiations to a close and to appeal to the rank and file of the council's unions for their decision, Mr. Miller said, was announced today at noon by A. E. Miller, secretary of the Metal Trades Council. The call for the strike vote, Mr. Miller said, was in the hands of the business representatives of the 15 local unions affiliated with the council.

The question of calling a strike, Mr. Miller said, had been laid before the metal trades department of the American Federation of Labor by sending the following telegram to A. J. Berres, the department secretary, at Washington, D. C.

Shipping Board has not given shipbuilders anything definite on wage questions up to this time. Strike vote being taken on Monday, August 27, 1917. If not decided by Monday, a strike will undoubtedly be called, affecting 12,000 metal tradesmen. Organizational members to compel members quitting before this time.

SLAYER BRADLEY HELD CORONER'S JURY INVESTIGATES KILLING OF FRED MOORE. Inquiry Shows That Shotgun Shell Used Was Loaded by Victim When on Hunting Trip.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—A coroner's jury today found that Fred Moore came to his death from a gunshot wound in the back of the head, inflicted by a shotgun shell used at that time were loaded by Moore and according to testimony today the shell that was fired last Wednesday night when the Girls' Honor Guard gave assistance, and at that time 400 surgical sponges were made.

The members of the Mullino auxiliary have also become enthusiastic over the work. This organization is preparing box number eight, and consists of shoulder straps and bed socks.

James Morrison Visits. James T. Morrison, supervisor of traffic for Pullman Company in the Pacific Coast district, was in Portland yesterday to renew acquaintance with his friends. Mr. Morrison formerly was a general agent for Pullman Company in Portland. He reports that the Pullman people are preparing a lot of additional equipment to accommodate the movement of soldiers in the next few years.

MRS. MARY DANIELS DEAD Mullino Woman Is Victim of Stroke of Apoplexy.

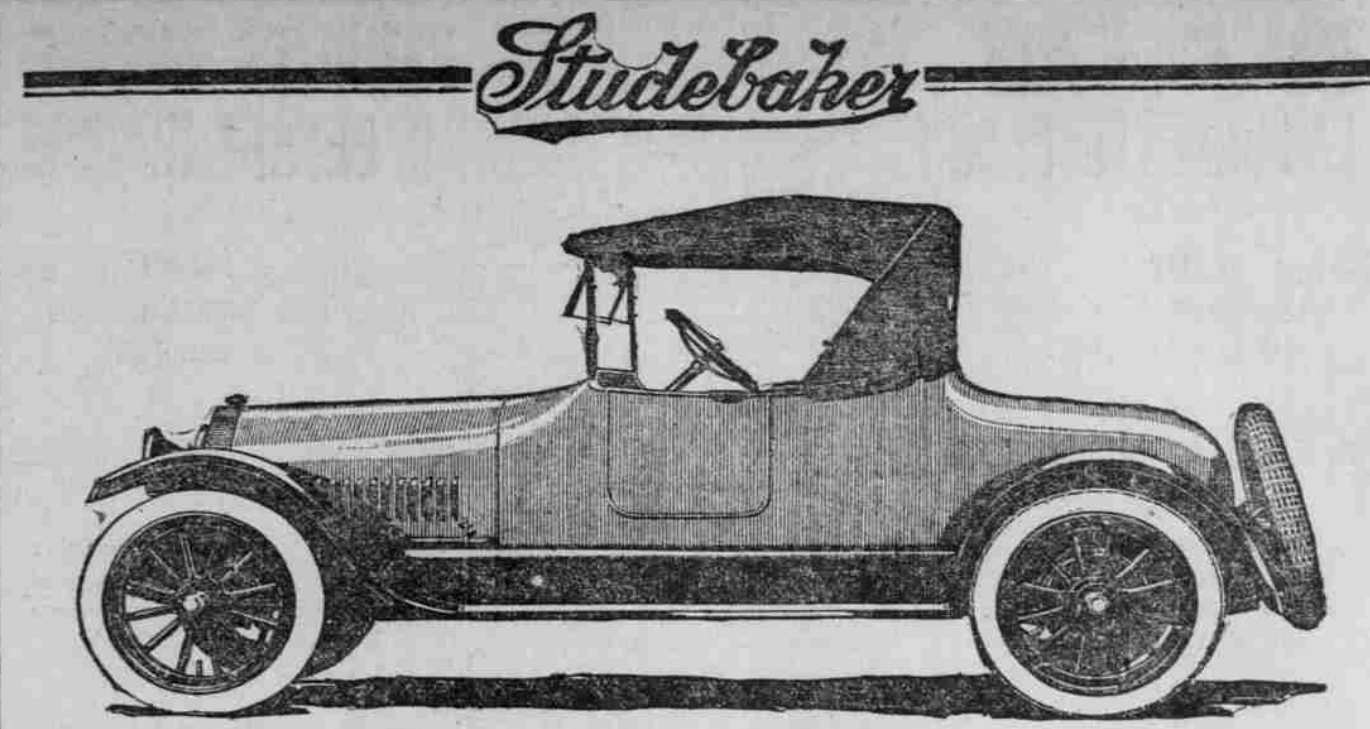
OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary J. Daniels died today at the home of her son at Mullino, from a stroke of apoplexy. She was a native of Ohio and had resided in Clatsop County since 1883, coming from Utah. Her age was 71 years.

Star TODAY AND TOMORROW The Recoil FEATURING William Courtenay THE MAN WHO INVENTED PUNCH REMEMBER: NEXT SUNDAY—IT'S "The Barrier" BY REX BEACH

AUTOISTS PLUNGE 60 FEET Seattle Party Goes Over Embankment Near Delmar, Or.

NORTH BEND, Or., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Whitman and Mrs. Charles Combs and son, of Seattle, en route to this city to visit Mrs. E. M. Schriver, went over an embankment on the highway near Delmar last night and landed 60 feet below. Mr. Whitman sustained injuries to his back and his nose was broken. The women sustained many bruises.

Ambulance Driver Decorated. PARIS, Aug. 23.—The French war crosses has been awarded to R. A. Drake, Franklin, N. H., of the American Ambulance Field Service, for driving through a barrage of gas shells,



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OREGON CITY WOMEN AID CHEST OF 8000 ARTICLES BEING FINISHED FOR RED CROSS. Knitting for Soldiers Also Occupies Part of Time of Various Patriotic Organizations.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 23.—(Special.)—The members of the local auxiliary of the Red Cross Society are busily engaged this week completing the large chest containing articles that will be forwarded to France in September for the Army base hospital.

There are 8000 articles necessary for this chest, and each must be wrapped carefully and ready for sterilization. Wednesday is the day set aside for those who are knitting for the soldiers. A meeting was held in the Masonic Hall Wednesday night when the Girls' Honor Guard gave assistance, and at that time 400 surgical sponges were made.

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TEMPERATURES RISES TO 92. For the third time this summer, at widely-scattered intervals, the temperature yesterday rose to the high point for the season of 92 degrees.

COMING TO THE THEATRE TODAY AND TOMORROW THE BIG FEATURE Time Locks and Diamonds

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