

LEAGUE AGREEMENT IS PUT IN PLATFORM

Party Split Is Avoided by Late Compromise.

HOT FIGHT LASTS HOURS

Platform Is Adopted by Convention and Way Cleared for Nominations Today.

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Treaty plank was cast by E. J. Gross, member from Wisconsin.

The treaty discussion in the committee took only a half hour.

No record was taken on the prohibition resolution, although six or eight members supported it.

The industrial plank of the sub-committee was adopted with its endorsement of the Enoch-Cummings railroad anti-strike law.

William Allen White of Kansas offered a prohibition plank providing for the enforcement of a resolution advocating enforcement of the 18th amendment.

There was some delay in starting for the Coliseum, the committee being held back until the typewriter draft had been checked.

OGLE'S REASON DISCOVERED

CONVICT CONFESSED TO FREELIMBING, IS VIEW.

Trio Who Murdered Two at Claremont Tavern to Get No License From Governor.

SALEM, Or., June 10.—(Special.)—Practically all Salem officials with the exception of Ogle, believe that the confession made here yesterday by James Ogle, in which he assumed the entire blame for the actual shooting of J. N. Burgess and George Ferringer in the Claremont tavern near Portland, last November, was inspired by the intent to gain executive clemency for David Smith.

Dr. R. Lee Steiner, at the time the three men first arrived at the prison, carefully questioned them regarding the crime and made an exhaustive observation of their mentality.

Other information received here which tends to brand Ogle's confession as false, consists of the evidence of the many witnesses who testified at the coroner's inquest, together with the findings of the police officers who were called to investigate the murders.

The police are a unit in their belief that Ogle fired the fatal shots, and their theory is corroborated by persons who were in the tavern at the time of the shooting.

Added interest in connection with the confession developed here today when it was learned that Smith recently sent for Father Buck, a local priest.

In the conversation that followed it is said that the convict stoutly denied any connection with the actual shooting of Mr. Ferringer and Mr. Burgess and said he was in another part of the building at the time the fatal shots were fired.

All of the officials agree that Smith, Ogle and Bannaster are desperate criminals, regardless of reports that have gone out that they are employed regularly and are model prisoners.

The reported confession of James Ogle, one of the three Claremont Tavern robbers now at the state penitentiary, that he was the man who fired the shots which killed J. N. Burgess and G. E. Ferringer, is branded as false by Captain of Inspectors Circle, who was in charge of the investigation here at the time the three men were sent to the penitentiary.

It was reported yesterday that he was confident that Smith was the man who fired the shots which did the killing. He expressed the belief that some sort of a movement was on foot to get Smith out of the penitentiary.

BRITAIN'S QUERY IGNORED

U. S. Consulted as to Russian Conference; No Response.

LONDON, June 10.—The United States was consulted as to whether it desired to be represented in the negotiations in London between allied representatives and Gregory Krassin, the bolshevik minister of commerce, but made no reply.

Premier Lloyd George made this announcement today in the house of commons.

BIG TIMBER DEAL CLOSED

Cutting of Millions of Feet in Clatsop County Forecast.

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YOUTH ATTACKS WOMAN

FIREWOOD USED ON ASTORIA LODGING HOUSE OPERATOR.

Boy, 17, in Confession to Sheriff Declares He Does Not Know Motive for Action.

ASTORIA, Or., June 10.—(Special.)—Three hours after Mrs. J. Colwell, 23, had been found unconscious in the hall of her lodging house in the central part of the business district, Clarence Massey, aged 17, surrendered himself to the sheriff and admitted he had attacked the woman this morning and struck her a blow on the head with a stick of stove wood.

"I don't know why I did it," the young man stated to Sheriff Nelson. "Something seemed to tell me to hit her and I did." He was lodged in the county jail pending a preliminary hearing.

Mrs. Colwell's condition was not considered dangerous.

Lynn regarding consciousness Mrs. Colwell stated to her husband, who was at the port docks at the time of the assault, she had answered the call of the bell in the hall and Massey asked for the key to his room.

She took her pass-key and was in the act of stepping to unlock the door when she was struck down.

HOLSTEIN CATTLE JUDGED

Breeders Hold Contests on Washington County Farm.

HILLSBORO, Or., June 10.—(Special.)—Washington county Holstein breeders held a field meeting today on the farm of H. Martin near Eddy.

Mr. Martin has a herd of thoroughbred cattle. A cattle judging contest for both adults and boys was staged.

Professor E. B. Fitts of Oregon Agricultural college made the final meat and animal and explained the various points in judging. Tables were spread in the barn and lunch served at noon.

F. W. Connell, president of the county Holstein association, was toastmaster, and a number of short talks were made.

H. W. Todd, president of the state Holstein association, was present, and there were visitors representing the Multnomah county association. About 100 were in attendance.

ESCAPED GIRL MARRIED

Authorities to Seek to Have Marriage Set Aside.

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Officials say the marriage was illegal, in that Miss Hansen gave her age as 18 years, while the papers committing her to the home show she is only 16.

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DEATH PENALTY OPPOSED

Lithuanian Assembly Also Wants Liberty to Strike.

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TRACTOR TIPS ON DRIVER

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Flag Day Programme Announced

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Vancouver Commencement June 11

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There will be 52 who will get diplomas. Miss Norma Campbell, junior, will have charge of decorating the hall and the Junior will furnish the ushers. There will be special music by the high school orchestra.

Chapel Car at Kelo.

KELOSO, Wash., June 9.—(Special.)—The Catholic chapel car St. Peter is here for a week and services are being conducted every day by Father Dorran, the missionary in charge of the car. Mass is held each morning, with lectures at night.

Motorcyclist Is Hurt.

Dominic A. Penzi, 428 Main street, sustained a severe scalp wound yesterday when his motorcycle collided with an automobile driven by Harry Olsen of Fifty-second and Curtis streets, at East Sixth and Madison streets. He was taken to the Multnomah hospital for treatment.

Absolutely EVERYTHING in Stock Is REDUCED!

HATS In Two Wonderful Groups. Every Band-ed Tailored Hat at \$5.00

Smart Trimmed Hats \$6.50

Yes, for this bargain price you can buy a high-class hat at the Emporium! Italian milan, hair hats, lisesers, leghorns, beautifully trimmed with flowers or feather ornaments—all go in this sweeping reduction sale at \$6.50!

Every Hat Is Reduced Suits All Reduced One Rack of Suits at 50% OFF

Handsome models in serge and tricot, selling regularly from \$75 to \$95. Not every style and size, but every one superb value. ALL OTHER SUITS (except jersey and tricolette) at 33-1/3% OFF Dresses All Reduced 25% to 33-1/3%

SCHOOL HEAD SWINDLED

J. W. TODD, SALEM, MULCTED BY CARLOS L. BYRON.

Investigators Reveal Fact That Educator Sought to Aid Unfortunate Clients.

SALEM, Or., June 10.—(Special.)—John W. Todd, superintendent of the Salem public schools, whose name has been mentioned on several occasions in connection with the local operations of Carlos L. Byron, now serving a long term in the federal penitentiary for land frauds, has been completely exonerated in a report prepared by an investigating committee headed by T. E. McCroskey.

The report was read at a meeting of the Salem Rotary club held here today.

The investigators found that Mr. Todd had included among those swindled by Byron and that he had used every effort to have the money returned, rather than to lose between \$40,000 and \$70,000 advanced by 138 Salem clients of Byron. It was shown that Mr. Todd had persuaded the operator of the swindle to deed to a committee mining property, which will partly remunerate for the losses.

Nothing was found by the committee, the report showed, which even indicated that Mr. Todd had any connection with Byron.

OLD POTATOES BOOSTED

Some Front Street Dealers Try to Take Advantage of Visitors.

The first attempt to take advantage of the crowds that are coming to Portland this month by raising food prices is being made by a few front-street commission dealers. They have advanced old potatoes to 12 cents a pound, wholesale, which would mean a retail price of at least 15 cents.

Others, however, are still selling at 9 and 9-1/2 cents and say they will ask no more.

Potatoes are scarce, but there is no famine. Regular shipments are coming in from various parts of the country and wholesalers are satisfied there will be enough to last until new potatoes become plentiful.

FINANCIER DROPS DEAD

Arthur E. Newbold Expires in Office in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—Arthur E. Newbold, a member of the firm of Drexel & Co. and of J. P. Morgan & Co., dropped dead today in his office.

He had just finished his luncheon. He was 61 years old.

AIR PATROL IS DELAYED

Government Reported Unable to Assemble Planes and Pilots.

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More Wonderful Values for Week-End Selling in This Final Reconstruction Sale

A busy place is the Emporium these days—crowds flocking to buy—and well they may, for every article in the store is a bargain! Stocks are melting away in this tremendous clearing, so we shall continue to cut our profits in order to sell everything. You save when you buy at this Reconstruction sale.

A Timely Sale of Skirts Wool Plaid and Jersey \$13.95



YOU'LL WANT ONE! They Formerly Sold to \$21.50

50 Dozen Pure Thread Silk Hose (Sub-standards) \$1.45 A PAIR HOSE \$4.00 FOR

Holeproof Hosiery of this grade sells regularly for \$2.50 a pair, but owing to slight imperfections—scarcely noticeable at all—the price of this group is cut almost in two.

EMPORIUM 124 TO 128 SIXTH ST. JUST OFF WASHINGTON

\$25.00 Coats Now... \$12.50 \$39.50 Coats Now... \$19.75 \$47.50 Coats Now... \$23.75 \$59.50 Coats Now... \$29.75 \$69.50 Coats Now... \$34.75

NAVY TO SEE CONVENTION Battleships to Remain During Democratic Meeting.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—Announcement that the battleships New Mexico, Idaho, Mississippi, Arkansas, Wyoming and New York, of the Pacific fleet, will arrive in San Francisco from the base at San Pedro on June 24, to remain here during the democratic national convention, was made by the headquarters of the 12th naval district here today.

The flagship New Mexico will leave here on July 9 for Puget sound and on July 12 Admiral Hugh Rodman, commander of the fleet, will leave Puget sound in a destroyer for a tour of Alaskan waters.

Mrs. Daniels Urges Laws. GENEVA, June 10.—Laws granting a living wage for all toilers, equal pay for equal work, abolition of sweatshops and child labor legislation were outlined by Mrs. Josephus Daniels today to the International Woman Suffrage conference, as measures appealing to the women of the world.

Breckinridge Long Has Tonsillitis. ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 10.—Breckinridge Long, who yesterday resigned as third assistant secretary of state to make the race for democratic nomination for United States

senator, is confined to bed in his home here, suffering from tonsillitis.

Accounts \$109,000 Short. BOSTON, Mass., June 10.—The discovery of a shortage of \$109,000 in the accounts of John P. Sanborn of Newport, R. I., supreme treasurer of the New England Order of Protection, was announced by Judge H. William Scott, supreme warden of the order, today. Mr. Sanborn, in a state of collapse, according to Judge Scott, has resigned, and George E. Howe of Quincy, Mass., supreme vice-warden, has been appointed to succeed him.

A life-saving buoy invented in Europe is hammock-shaped and large enough for a man to lie in and propel himself through water with a paddle.

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Choose Well— Every Sale Is Final. None Held or Exchanged

A Sensational Special 12 Dozen Georgette Blouses at \$3.35

Regularly Selling at \$5.95

Wonderfully pretty waists of a splendid quality and attractive styling. Some are plainly tailored, others show variations of popular trimming effects. Choose from white, flesh and dainty colors. None exchanged. Every sale final.

High-Grade Georgette Blouses \$6.95

Formerly selling to \$12.50 Really wonderful blouses in this group of soft, close-woven georgettes. Unusual assortment in white, flesh and colors. Every Blouse is Reduced.

1/2 Price Coat Sale Extended Every Coat at 50% Off (Except Short Jersey Sport Coats.)

Because of the unfavorable weather many women were unable to take advantage of this remarkable coat offering early in the week. Extending the time the rest of the week also gives our out-of-town customers who look for special offerings at the Emporium an opportunity to share in this money-saving event.

\$79.50 Coats Now... \$39.75 \$89.50 Coats Now... \$44.75 \$100.00 Coats Now... \$50.00 \$150.00 Coats Now... \$75.00 \$165.00 Coats Now... \$82.50

Blouse Sale Friday and Saturday. 300 Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Satin and Net Blouses at \$3.95. 250 Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Satin and Net Blouses at \$5.45. Limited Quantity Tricolette Blouses 1/2 OFF. All-Silk Petticoats \$10 and over 1/4 OFF.

Educating Appetites

A great Chicago packer was informed by one of his division sales managers that their toilet soap was not moving off the dealers' shelves in Texas and the southwest. The market there was overstocked.

"That's easy—stop shipments for ninety days," was the snappy answer.

Here, if you please, we have one way of stimulating demand, i. e., curtail supply.

Another way is the method of the Raisin Growers' Association of California.

Three years ago the per capita consumption of raisins was one pound.

By advertising, the growers increased consumption (before prohibition) to three pounds per capita.

By advertising, our Chicago packer could have increased the consumption of his toilet soap or of his cheaper cuts of meat, if he so desired.

This method has been established beyond question in practice, not only by the Raisin Growers, but by many growers' associations and manufacturers.

However, an advertising campaign to influence a nation's habits must be continued steadily for years.

Butterick—Publisher The Delineator (\$2.50 a Year) The Designer (\$2.00 a Year)

Everybody's Magazine (\$2.75 a Year)