### MERGER OF SMALL **PARTIES IS NEARER**

Proposal Goes to Two Conventions Today.

#### JOINT TICKET IS ADVOCATED

Committee of 48 and Labor Party Favor Plan.

#### PLATFORM IS NEXT STEP

Both Democrats and Republicans Declared Controlled by Financial Pirates.

CHICAGO, July 11,-Amalgamation Ex-Kaiser's Brother Forced to Run of the committee of 48 and labor party of the United States with a commor

The conferees adopted three resolusion of a name for the new party. J. A. H. Hopkins, chairman of the of searching for hidden arms. of Connecticut, chairman of the labor leader said to the Prince; party conferees, issued the following

three resolutions.

#### Common Platform Sought.

The first was a recommendation for the amalgamation of the two groups; the second recommended that 700 RUSS FAIL TO ESCAPE the political procedure committee of tion committee of the labor party appoint sub-committees of five each to confer as to the machinery of the as to a common platform.

mittee to their respective conventions in one of the Antwerp forts. tomorrow for final action."

#### the third party. Labor Convention Held.

The labor party opened its second oners overpowered the sentries. national convention here today with the committee of 48 and the single- LUMBER CAMPS RESUME tax convention in recess over Sunday, attending in force.

John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor, and keynote speaker, brought the convention to its highest enthusiasm with The two sawmills and all logging a plea "that the day would come when the working people of the United company will resume operations to-

Delegates stamped and whistled and

international financial pirates." to unite on one ticket.

Throughout the discussion on combining the strength of the minority groups, there appeared a trend of optimism among the delegates.

#### Platform Held Incidental. C. J. France, Seattle, who present-

ed the forty-eighters' invitation to principles for which all of you and Willows, causing loss estimated at us can fight."

democratic parties.

lowed the old routine of appealing responding. existing political parties," Fitzpatrick said. "We have gone to them ference whether the democratic or British Shipowners Seek Sale of republican party was in power, and have come away with their promises, only to see those promises broken and shuttered.

woman who does useful work. . . . There isn't anything sufficient to sinkings.

prevent the hand and brain workers The Germans declined to accede to of the United States from taking the the British demand that the ships fly government out of the hands not Americans, but international financial pirates and do it now!"

#### Attacks Are Continued. Fitzpatrick halted for the tumult to French Consider Steps to Create

subside as he made the point, then continued with attacks upon the republican and democratic platforms, PARIS, July 11.-The state of Presi-

sentatives of men and women and meet the possibility of a prolonged Our duty is to proceed immed- office. intely unitedly to take over the reins | Talk of creating the office of vice-(Concluded on Page 3, Column 1:) president is being revived.

## COX PROMISES "REAL

ABINET PLAN TOLD NEIGH-

Democratic Standard-Bearer Visited by Delegation at His Trail's End Home.

DAYTON, O., July 11 .- A real dirt farmer will be the next secretary of on, according to a statement made s successful at the November electoday by Governor Cox, democratic presidential nomince. This was made o a delegation of the governor's ome at Trail's End.

from San Francisco, and gave the presidential nominee first hand dealls of the convention. He told the tory goes to E. H. Moore of Youngshis pre-convention manager Mr. Ansherry asserted to newspaper reporters that the contest at Sar Francisco was between McAdoo, Palmer and Cox, and not between the administration and Cox.

T. T. Ansberry, ex-representative of

Washington, arrived this morning

#### PRINCE HENRY IS HAZED

Gauntlet by Laborers.

BERLIN, July 11 .- A story of the ticket will be recommended to the two ill treatment of the former German killed while plunging over the Horse conventions tomorrow, it was decided emperor's brother. Prince Henry of shoe falls in a barrel. His body has tonight by their conference commit- Prussia, by field laborers is told by the Post Prussische Zeitung.

not been recovered. Pieces of the parrel were recovered three hours According to the informant, 60 men after the fatal ride over the 158-foot tions recommending combining of the led by a private in a Hussars uniform cataract. It had evidently been two groups, and then took up discus- invaded Prince Henry's Schleswig- dashed to pieces on the rocks. Holstein country seat on the pretext

"Come, Henry," whereupon Prince Henry was made to run the gauntlet, "The conference committees of the suffering innumerable kicks and committee of 48 and of the labor party blows. Afterwards he was locked of the United States, sitting in joint up in jail at Berckensferde where session tonight, unanimously adopted nightly he was awakened every ten minutes with "get up, Henry; turn on the light. Lie down, Henry," amid icers and insults from his captors.

#### the committee of 48 and the constitu- War Prisoners Overpower Sentries,

Flee; Caught, Interned Anew.

amalgamation and the third was a Russian prisoners of war, who had climb out again so they could get anrecommendation that the platform been interned near Turnhout, 25 miles other picture of him entering the committees of both groups appoint northeast of this city, escaped from barrel. sub-committees of five each to confer the Internment camp last night and marched upon Antwerp. A regiment "All of these recommendations will of cavalry sent in pursuit surrounded safety shortly." be submitted by the conference com- the Russians and interned them anew The prisoners were to be released

The conference committees of the on Saturday for return home. They plied Stephens, adjusting the mask committee of 48 and the labor party were informed, however, that owing of his oxygen aparatus to his head. adjourned late tonight without having to Great Britain and the soviet govto exchange of nationals they would was screwed down and the black and Asiatic immigration situation, will resolution and 283 against it. have to remain. Incensed, the pris- white striped craft was towed out open a hearing here tomorrow.

#### Booth-Kelly Mill and Wood Crews Go Back to Work.

EUGENE, Or., July 11 .- (Special.)-

States would get together and do a morrow after a shutdown since July job such as the workers of Russia 2, according to announcement at the office of the company in this city, The camps and mills were closed three cheers for soviet Russia were down to allow the employes to cele-Fitzpatrick declared there was pleased and in the meantime repairs nothing to prevent the "hand and have been made to the mills and to brain workers taking the government the machinery in the logging camps. out of the hands of, not Americans, While some of the loggers remained and advised all the minority groups of them came out and scattered to of them came out an all parts of the state.

#### WILLOWS IS FIRE SWEPT Three Blocks Burned With Re-

ported Loss of \$1,000,000. WILLOWS. Cal., July 11 .- Fire the labor group to join the new par- which originated from a gas plate ir movement, told the convention the left burning in the basement of Hochquestion of platform was "incidental" heimer's department store this afterand that beneath it are the "economic noon ravaged the business section of

\$1,000,000. The thunder of foot-stamping and Alded by the hot weather and a cheering punctuated the Fitzpatrick strong southwest wind, the fire spread address. His speech lost all repres- rapidly despite the efforts of the fire sion in its references to Russia and department to check its onward rush. Ireland and to the republican and Calls for help were sent out to several nearby cities, the departments "For years and years labor has fol- from Red Bluff, Gerber and Colusa |

### with our programmes, making no dif-

Tonnage Turn-Over.

BERLIN, July 11.-The Boersen Courier's Hamburg correspondent "So now we are through. We have claims to have authority to confirm gotten our own people together. We the report that British ship-owners have tried to say . . . that this have offered to sell to German shipprogramme of ours was big and owners or the German government a broad enough for every man and large part of the tonnage surrendered as compensation for the Scapa flow

of- the British flag.

#### DESCHANEL IN ILL HEALTH

Office of Vice-President.

which brought forth prolonged cheer- dent Deschanel's health has revived talk in the parliamentary lobbies of "What's our duty, as the repre- the necessity of taking measures to children, against the representatives inability of the president, through of the greed of gold?" he continued. illness, to discharge the duties of his

# IN CASK TO DEATH

Niagara Cataract Claims Its First Victim.

### 11 CHILDREN LEFT

neighbor farmers who called at his Barrel Smashed Like Shell When Dashed on Rocks.

#### governor that the credit for his vie- TWO OTHERS SUCCESSFUL

Woman Makes Plunge in 1901 and Man in 1911, Both of Whom Are Still Living.

NIAGARA FALLS, July 11 .- (Speial.)-Charles George Stephens, 58 of Bristol, England, gambled with death here today and lost. He was Fearing he would be stopped by the authorities, Stephens preserved the mittee of 48, and Toscan Bennett invaders found no arms. Then the greatest secrecy about his plans. He went from Toronto, Ont., to Hamilton last night, registered at a hotel there under the name of W. J. Landon and

> Ont., by automobile this morning. Mayor Bids Good Luck. Despite his precautions, the author ties learned of his plans, and Mayor Stephens was on hand at Snyders point, three miles above the falls on the Canadian side, to bid him good

continued the trip to Niagara Falls,

Stephens put on a padded suit, made especially for the trip, and climbed into his barrel shortly before S o'clock this morning. Motion-picture men were not quite satisfied with the pic-ANTWERP, July 11 .- A force of 700 tures they made and asked him to

"Good-bye and good luck!" said the mayor, grasping Stephens' handhope to see you below the falls i

"I'll Be There," Last Words "I'll be there with a smile," reinto the Niagara river.

The barrel was towed more than is trip at 8:10.

FOR ALSEA PROPERTY.

Who Head Big Combine, Said to Be Purchasers.

NEWPORT, Or., July 11 .- (Special.)

corporation headed by James and all of the stations had a small amount William S. Kuhn of Burlingame, Cal., of fuel on hand. ormer Pittsburg, Pa., bankers.

Inited States Spruce corporation has last approximately six days, accorever been willing to consider. The inst approximately six days, account of the spruce corporation to the spruce corporatio purchased the property from the United States government at 10 cents limited and many stations were limited and many stations were Whether the road and mill will be

put into operation is unknown. It is to supply lubricating oil, air and generally believed that the jurchasers water to their patrons. will issue stock in San Francisco and form a large company.

#### JAPANESE GAIN ENTRY Border at San Diega Held Inade-

quately Guarded.

wide open border of 180 miles or more from San Diego to eastern Arizona, permitting a steady stream of Japanese to make their way into this country in violation not only of the he subject of emphatic representafornia to investigate the immigration question. Among the facts to be presented to the committee are:

unlawful entry of Japanese and of the line could be expected. Many adquate guarding force.

deaf ear to all these appeals and lief in sight. the border is today, more than it ever was, an open invitation to Japanes and all sorts of smuggling.

#### HEARING TO OPEN TODAY Congressional Immigration Com-

mittee Is in California. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 11 .-The congressional committee on im-

(Concluded on Page 3. Column 2.) more acute than we expected."

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, FOR CANDIDATES FOR THE NEW THIRD PARTY WE

NOMINATE-

#### SPRUCE CORPORATION SIX-DAY GASOLINE SELLS ROAD, REPORT SUPPLY ARRIVES HERE

\$2,000,000 BELIEVED PAID MOTORISTS BUY UP ALLOT-MENT FOR SUNDAY BY NOON

Former Pittsburg, Pa., Bankers, Oil Company Managers Declare Situation Is More Serious Now Than Ever Before.

The arrival of the tanker Col. E. L. -The United States Spruce corpora- Drake from San Francisco early yesion has sold the Alsea Southern Log- terday morning with 1,250,000 gallons ging railroad terminating in the Biodgett tract, the tract itself con-taining about 750,000 feet of timber, nostly spruce, and the government in the day the big tank trucks of the sawmill at Toledo, it was reported Standard Oil company distributed an allotment to their service depots in The purchasers are believed to be the city and by 11 o'clock practically

The amount of gasoline used in The price paid is not known here. Oregon monthly supplied by the out is believed to be \$2,000,000 as Standard is 4,000,000 gailons. The At most of the stations yesterday

> At 90 per cent of the stations the supply was so limited that no more than two gallons would be sold, regardless of the capacity of the tank. Some of the stations would only let

motorists have one gallon. In every instance a rigid inspection of the tanks was made and mo-SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 11.—The were refused an additional supply, and Harry M. Daugherty of Colum-

said. Those in close touch with the situation said that the coming week would Hays later left for New York.

"It is not that we don't want to ions by Governor Stephens to the sell it," one service manager stated of acceptance. congressional committee now in Cali-

Some of the stations of the Shell, Associated and Union companies, The men on the border immigration which had closed Saturday afternoon service are only a handful in number or night, were open yesterday mornand have repeatedly made reports to ing with a small supply. Their man-Washington of the intolerable condi- agers refused information or denied tions of their inability to check the a knowledge as to when more gasourgent need for provision for an ade- mitted that the situation was more serious now than ever before and The federal government has turned there seemed to be no immediate re-

#### TOKIO CABINET GETS VOTE

Resolution of Want of Confidence Loses in House, 145 to 283.

TOKIO, July 10. - (By the Asso-

More than 100 requests for repre- speech and action along liberal fines he opened the Bible. sentations at the hearing have been continued to manifest themselves to mile down stream by a motorboat, received, Chairman Johnson stated, day. Three big meetings promoting another boat with a camera man run"We expect to spend some time in universal suffrage were held. Speeches not offended if I tell you the truth,"
ning alongside to film the beginning California visiting various parts of of a violent character were made and the same used by T. H. McAfee this of the trip. The barrel started on the state." Chairman Johnson said, paraders carrying banners subse- morning," said Senator Harding. and before we are through may con- quently clashed with the police, a The towline was cut opposite the tinue the investigation in Oregon and number of arrests being made. Five the support of the large negro popumouth of the Chippewa river and the Washington. The situation is much | thousand police reserves were called lation in Illinois were today received out as a special guard for the diet. 

# DISCUSS CAMPAIGN

Attendance at Church Opens Busy Day.

#### HARRY M. DAUGHERTY MET

Portions of Speech of Acceptance Discussed.

that was the only sum which the tanker brought a sufficient supply to OWN SERMON RECALLED

Used in Same Church.

MARION, O., July 11. Senator Hardspent a busy day today, attending church in the morning with Mrs. Harding and later discussing campaign torists found having a supply of fuel plans with National Chairman Hays These orders were issued by company bus, a member of the executive comofficials, service station managers mittee of the republican national committee in charge of the campaign. Mr.

It was understood the senator dis-Mr. Daugherty portions of his speech

breakfast was being prepared. Mr. Stripes," official organ of the A. E. F. Hays visited the administration building next door, until called by the Church Services Attended.

Mrs. Harding attended services at the Trinity Baptist church. With the close of the service, a reception for the candidate's party able to spend Sunday with the sen-

Joined by Mr. Hays, Senator and

and more I congratulate the party made public here today. and the country on Senator Harding's nomination." he said.

selved a vote of confidence by a large preached a sermon at the Trinity proximately 75 per cent. majority in the house of representa- Baptist church. According to the tives today. The house defeated a senator a series of services conduct journed late tonight without having to Great Britain and the soviet govtached an agreement for a name for ernment failing to agree with regard moment later the top of the barrel
California to make a study of the the ministry by 145 votes for the finally came his turn to preside. He resolution and 283 against it. decided to take as his text the first New York to European Schedule lows, chairman; William B. Wood of Indiana, Louis C. Cramton of Mich-

Texts Same, Says Senator. "Strangely enough, it was 'Be ye

Assurances that he would receive by Senator Harding in a letter from recently were advanced \$15. High ber of the ways and means committee; Colonel R. S. Abbott of Chicago, publisher of a newspaper for negroes. A imilar letter was received from John W. Thompson, chairman of the execu tive committee of the New York State 200 RUSSIAN BRIDES LAND director of reclamation service; Republican council, a negro voters

organization. The proposed "front porch" campaign policy was understood to have been discussed at the conference. Mr. Hays was understood to have told the senator that many persons all over soldiers arrived here today from afternoon, and Stephen T. Mather, the country are urging a modifica- Vladivostok with their husbands, on director of national park service, tion of the plan and that approximately five hundred requests for the senator to speak have been received. children. One had a family of eight. The nominee tonight said he has no present intentions of changing the

#### George W. Tavis of Merlin Ground Beneath Wheels of Freight.

clal.) - George W. Tavis of Merlin was instantly killed here early this Germany presents reparation plan. Page 2 Alfred A Aye. morning when he was run over by a

brakeman saw him fly in the air to Cox promises "real dirt farmer" job on Short stops were made at the Vista be later ground beneath the wheals cabinet if elected. Page 1. be later ground beneath the wheels.

#### ALLIES FIRM WITH TURKS Objections to Treaty Rejected at

Turkish delegation at Versailles on July 17, and published simultaneously in Paris and London. The reply calls upon the Turks to sign the treaty as drafted, with only

### slight modifications.

Movement Reported Near Pekin: No Fighting Started at Noon. PEKIN, July 11 .- Various troop movements in the neighborhood of Pekin were reported this morning.

## ALLIES TO AID POLES IF POLES STAY HOME

RMISTICE PROPOSAL SENT TO

Defense Against Bolsheviki to Be

Assisted If Troops Are Kept In-

side Natural Boundaries. SPA, July 11 .- (By the Associated Press.)-If the Poles consent to retire within the natural frontiers o Poland the allies will give them all possible assistance in the event of

their being attacked by the bolshe-

viki. This announcement was made

here today The allies have sent a proposal to Business Men Meet Party at an armistice with Poland on condition that the Poles retire within their natural Polish frontiers and that it the bolsheviki attack the Polcs within these frontiers the allies will come o Poland's aid. A conference of YAKIMA opresentatives of all the countries

Charles J. Kraebel, 10 Years at Wind River, Gets New Position.

Charles J. Krachel, for 10 years onnected with the forest examiner at Wind River station, has left for ing, republican presidential nominee. Hawali, where he will accept the mation projects of central Oregon position as assistant superinten ent to Mt. Rainier National park, memof forestry for the entire territory, bers of the committee on appropria-C. S. Judd, former assistant district tions of the national neuse of repreforestry superintendent in Portland sentatives spent half a dozen hours is superintendent of the entire Ha- in Portland last evening. The repre wallan district.

ersity of Michigan, class of 1912, and a junketing trip throughout the Pamade a study of tree and landscape cific coast and kocky mountain gardening in the east until 1514, States, visiting the various reclama-'gentlemen's agreement" but also of See a greater gasoline scarcity in cussed with the national chairman and station he was assigned to the Blue with the view of obtaining first-hand Mountain region of eastern Oregon information relative to the needs of Kraebel served as a first neutenant

#### CANADA TO PAY ON WHEAT

by Board After July 15.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 11 .- The Canadian wheat board has decided to one project to another as fast has lasted nearly 30 minutes. Mr. Hays make an interim payment of 30 cents trains and automobiles make it posexpressed delight that he had been per bushel as soon as possible after sible July 15, against the wheat represented by its participation certificates, "I can only say that every day more according to an official announcement than a wait between trains, but was

determine the total value of the cer-During this conference with the tificates before the business is com- them the beauties of the highway and newspaper correspondents. Senator pleted, present indications, it says, the modern character of the harbor. clated Press.)-The government re- Harding recalled a time when he had are that this payment represents ap- to give them a dinner and to send

### STEERAGE RATES LIFTED

from \$7, to \$3,50 in steerage passage Eagan of New Jersey and James A rates on steamships from New York Gallivan of Massachusetts, effective tomorrow, it was announced here today by the North Atlantic were Representative N. J. Sinnott of passenger conference, composed of Oregon, chairman of the committee large steamship companies.

One Family of Eight Is Brought Home by American Soldier. board the army transport Madawaska. Several women had two or three

#### INDEX OF TODAY'S NEWS to meet Governor Olcott.

Domestic.

McCombs deciares he discovered Cox. The party was then taken for a brief Page 5.

Sports.

Associated Press.)—The final draft of Coast tennis stars invade Portland for back once more to a locality where was adopted by the allied delegates Sunday games make many changes in irrigation is not needed, the represent-today. It will be handed to the Portland and Vicinity.

Dry world near, declares "Pussyfoot" Johnson, Page 10. Second advertising campaign of state industries starts this week. Page 15.

Coes and Umpgua sections forging to front,
says Representative McArthur. Page 5. job under the circumstances, members

### HOUSE MEMBERS PORTLAND GUESTS

Arid Land Investigators Stop for Few Hours.

#### DINNER AND TRIPS GIVEN

Multnomah Station.

#### NEXT STOP

Umatilla and Columbia Basin Projects Also to Be Visited by House Committee

Kraebel is a graduate of the unithese projects and parks from an

> Portland, not needing reclamation at least not from the hands of the department of the interior, and not could be alloted but little time by the federal representatives, who are spending time enough at each project and park to give each one a thorough "once over," but are hurrying from

#### The stop here was scarcely more

taken advantage of by the Portland While the board will be unable to Chamber of Commerce to give the them on their way with a warm spoin their hearts for the Rose City. In the party were the following nembers of the house cor igan, Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee NEW YORK, July 11 .- Increases of John M. Evans of Montana, John J.

#### N. J. Sinnott With Party.

Additional members of the party

First and second class passage rates on public lands; Representative Char-Burton L. French, Idaho; Arthur tion service; J. B. Beadle, assistant Adolph K. Banta, clerk of the committee; James A. Gallivan, Jr., and E. D. Raldwin, secretary to Representative Sinnott. Representative SAN FRANCISCO, July 11 .- Two McArthur of this state joined the hundred Russian brides of American party at Multnomah Falls yesterday rejoined the party last night after having left it at Crater lake the middle of last week to confer with Vice-President E. O. McCormick of the Southern Pacific and to stop at Salem

A group of Portland men journeyed to the Klamath country too, and MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN

The Weather.

YESTERDAY'S-Maximum temperature, 67 traveled with the representatives through the central Oregon country. TODAY'S-Cloudy; southwesterly winds.

TODAY'S-Cloudy; southwesterly winds.

They were: P. Hetherton, assistant Ex-Empress Eugenie of France diex. Commerce; William McMurray and Commerce; William McMurray and GRANTS PASS, Or., July 11.—(Spe-dal.) — George W. Tavis of Merlin shevin; if Poles stay in own boundaries. Washington railroad company, and was instantly killed here early this Page 1.

freight train. Tayls had spent the hight in Grants Pass and was starting home. He was presumably trying to get on the freight when he slipped and fell underneath the wheels.

The train was stopped when train was stopped when train was st Business Men Meet Party. formerly been in business in Grants | Page 5. | Inspection of municipal terminal No. | Chicago to obtain \$1500 savings asks hanging be rushed. Page 3. | Inspection of municipal terminal No. | 4, following which the party was brought in automobiles to the Port-Man who attempts to shoot Horseshoe land hotel, where dinner was awalt-Falls at Niagara in barrel is killed ing them. All members of the dele-Sports.

Coast league results: Portland 4-3, Vernon 5-2; Los Angeles 3-3, Salt Lake
4-2; Seattle 7-3, Oakland 3-6; San
Francisco 3-2, Sacramento 1-6 Page 8.

SPA, Belgium, July 11.—(By the Fulton to meet Harry Wills Thursday night, Fage 8.

Sports.

gation except Representative Byrns took advantage of the automobile trip, the Tennessean hurrying on into the city by train to meet friends.

Enthusiastic over the good to be despected from their trip, but glad to be gation except Representative Byrns

junketing trip with their arrival in Portland. Leaving San Francisco the Presidential campaign unlikely to burt representatives spent Tuesday in the business, say bankers. Page 15. Waman and three men arrested on charge of the party declared. However, on of stealing automobile. Page 16.

Dr. Franklin Thomas resigns from child welfare board August 1, leaving fourth new member to be appointed. Page 4.

night had encountered snow at Crater The representatives spent Thursday

at the lake and began the trip to (Concluded on Page 4, Column 2.)

CHINESE MASS Junket party entertained in Portland lake, Wednesday morning was spent Page 1. Dr. Robert Murray Pratt urges Congrega-tionalists to banish fear by recognition of realities of life. Fage 16. Six day gasoline supply arrives in Port-No fighting had taken place up to Letter carriers' national president urges postal employes to organize. Page 9.

# CONGRATULATIONS OLD TOP! PRESIDENT ANDY GUMP HAINT NOBUDDY GOT MOTHIN'ON US BE THEY! VICE PRES. EPAWPERKINS,