

BUILDING ENTERED BEFORE FIRE BEGAN

Prineville School Door Slams After Alarm Is Sounded.

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Tragedy Is Averted. How a triple tragedy was narrowly averted when the fire had swept over more than half its course was related by firefighters who were compelled to use force in making B. F. Holloway and his two daughters leave their residence, adjoining building which was about to be dynamited. Holloway was called from the house in which his daughters were sleeping, and was told of the danger. He insisted on remaining, it was stated. One of the fire fighters, realizing the futility of argument, knocked Holloway unconscious with a blow on the jaw, and the daughters and their father were taken to safety. The house was included in the list of properties destroyed.

Second Fire Started. A second fire started this morning when the Mutual creamery building of frame construction was ablaze. The cause is not definitely known. A theory of a defective flue was advanced, but it is more generally regarded as one of the series of mystery fires which culminated in the destruction of more than half of Prineville's business section. The flames were checked before they had done damage had been done. Prospects for rebuilding seemed darker today. The small amount of insurance carried, coupled with inability of some owners and disinclination of others, makes the rehabilitation of the town a matter of conjecture.

LANDIS' AID IS SOUGHT

EX-JURIST ASKED TO ASSIST IN WAR FRAUD CASES.

Attorney-General Says Inquiries and Prosecutions Will Be Without Precedent.

CHICAGO, June 2.—K. M. Landis, ex-federal judge, and Frances E. McGovern, ex-governor of Wisconsin, will be asked to give their aid to the federal government in the prosecution of the war fraud cases now under preparation, it was announced by Harry W. Daugherty, attorney-general, here today. Mr. Daugherty came to Chicago to address the Illinois state bar association. The attorney-general said he had a conference with ex-Judge Landis in Washington recently. "While he gave me no direct answer, I am convinced he looks on my proposition favorably," said Mr. Daugherty.

The former federal judge retired from the bench several months ago to give his entire time to his position as commissioner of baseball. "The prosecuting of war frauds is to be one of the greatest, if not the greatest undertaking ever confronting the department of justice," the attorney-general said. "I have engaged 50 rooms in a building in Washington to house the investigators. There are more than 150,000 contracts entered into by the war department alone. Those transactions are being looked over and as fast as discrepancies are found the cases are being prepared. We have found material so far for 286 cases."

ROYAL WEDDING PLANNED

PRINCESS MARIE TO GO TO BELGRADE FOR CEREMONY.

Roumanian Bride-to-Be to Be Accompanied by Family on Trip to Meet Future Husband.

BUCHAREST, June 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—The entire Roumanian royal family will travel in state to Belgrade early next week for the wedding of Princess Marie of Roumania to King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia, accompanied by Premier Bradiano, Foreign Minister Ducea and Minister of Transport Moscu, the royal party will leave Bucharest Monday, traveling by train to Turkish Severin, near Grozova, on the lower side of the famous iron gates of the Danube. Thence they will proceed by the Danube on the royal yacht, escorted by British, Jugo-Slav and Roumanian destroyers. Arriving at Save quay in Belgrade the royal party will be received by King Alexander and the mayor of the city, who will present King Ferdinand of Roumania with a golden tray bearing bread and salt as a pledge of Slav amity and hospitality. The duke of York, who will represent the English royal family, is expected to arrive in Belgrade Tuesday morning. The wedding ceremony will take place in the cathedral at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. All the Serbian traditions and superstitions will be scrupulously observed. The bride will not cross the threshold of her future home until she is married. On entering her new abode she will carry a loaf of bread and jug of wine as symbols of the joy and plenty which she brings the king. Under the other arm she will bear articles of clothing for herself and husband. According to ancient Serbian custom, the bride must supply the husband with all his trappings. The new queen will then kiss a

DIPLOMAS GIVEN 49 BY Y. M. C. A. SCHOOL

Dr. Carl G. Doney Delivers Commencement Address.

CHARACTER IS HELD KEY

Students Finish Courses in Business, Engineering and Preparatory Schools.

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No Delays Expected.

As to the strike project, which has narrowed down to the Waterfront Employers' union and the Longshoremen's union, there were no surface indications yesterday of any change, non-union men being aboard all vessels in port that are under other than shipping board control. The report of the employers that more men were on hand than there were places was reiterated and it is insisted that even with the rush promised in loading wheat; ships this month, no delays will be met with on the score of labor.

Employers assert they are content in getting the shipping board taken care of promptly on arrival. But, as to other tonnage, they maintain their determination to continue the independent hall at Second and Oak streets, with the same opportunities for work accorded all men accepted as fitted.

School Director to Be Chosen.

BOARDMAN, Or., June 2.—(Special.)—The annual school meeting occurs this year on June 12. There will be one director to elect, as the retiring chairman, W. O. King, does not wish to serve longer. Lee Mead, station agent of the O. W. B. & N. at Messner, is the popular candidate. The election of a clerk also will involve the selection of a new candidate, as the present incumbent, Mrs. C. P. Harter, has stated that she is not a candidate for re-election.

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