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SCORE VICTIMS OF BUILDING COLLAPSE IN CHICAGO TODAY

Three Killed Outright and Five Others Are Reported Missing.

FIFTEEN SERIOUSLY HURT IN DISASTER

Three Story Brick Structure Topples Over With Workmen.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—A three-story brick nearing completion at North Sawyer and Milwaukee avenues collapsed today. Three workmen were killed, five are reported missing and fifteen were injured.

APPLES SELL WELL.

Hood River and Mosier Valley Crop Bring \$200,000.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 17.—What is said to be the highest price ever paid for an apple crop anywhere has just been closed for the Hood River and Mosier Valley yields. J. A. Steinhardt of the fruit-buying firm of Steinhardt & Kelly, New York City, visited both districts and contracted for the entire yield of the Mosier and Hood River valleys at better than \$2.50 per box. As the total crop will run up to about 150 carloads, the contract just made will put more than \$200,000 into the pockets of apple growers in these two districts.

SISTER SHIP NEARLY DONE

The Oskosh Will Be Launched at North Bend Next Week.

The Oskosh, the sister ship of the Wilhelmina, which is being built at North Bend, will be launched next week, probably. Although she is the same style vessel as the Wilhelmina, she is considerably larger and will carry about twice as much freight.

She is being built for the Elmore Company for the Portland, Astoria, Tillamook run. She may also ply into small harbors on the northern Oregon coast. Chas. Dean, who has been supervising her construction, spent considerable time on the Wilhelmina to study the latter vessel and make such improvements as he might deem desirable.

WILSON AND ROWELL WIN.

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 17.—Doc Rowell, with Bobby Wilson on his back, captured the four and a half furlongs dash at the state fair Tuesday in the time of 0:54. Counselor, ridden by Heavenor, won the six and a half furlongs event in the time of 1:20 1/2. Both of these dashes carried purses of \$100.

Mack N, owned by Sam Marsden of Marshfield won the 2:12 pace in 2:09 1/2. F. P. Norton's Belle N finished outside the money in the 2:15 trot.

PEARY WON'T TALK.

(By Associated Press.) BATTLE HARBOR, via wireless to Cape Ray, September 17.—Peary today, talked of his observations before and after reaching the Pole. He declared he personally took several observations at the Pole and they all agreed "You have stated, Commander Peary, that the copy of your records and polar observations were wrapped in a piece of American silk flag and deposited in an ice cavity at the pole. Did any person witness this act?" To this question, Peary declined to make an answer at present.

AGED DIVINE PASSES AWAY

Right Reverend Father Wm. G. McCloskey of Louisville, Dies.

(By Associated Press.) LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 17.—Right Rev. William George McCloskey of Louisville, the oldest living prelate in the United States, died here today. He was eighty-five years of age. Death was due to ailments incidental to old age. He had been head of the Kentucky Diocese forty-one years and was honored and loved by Catholics and Protestants alike.

SLIDES ON CUSTARD PIE.

Seattle Visitor Declares That Eatable Is Poor Skate.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 17.—Mike Hart, a shingle weaver of Everett, after attending the Indian Canoe races at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, on Seattle Day, declares that custard pie is against public policy and that there ought to be a law passed against its manufacture and consumption.

Hart, together with some friends was enjoying a luncheon in the woods which border Lake Union on the Exposition grounds, when the Indian races attracted his attention. The canoes had just turned the flag and were on the home stretch and in the excitement of the moment he forgot that there were other picnic parties between himself and the lake. He was making a wild dash for the shore in order to see the finish, when his foot planted squarely in the middle of a custard pie which had been placed carefully in the grass by its owner.

Friends who saw the accident declare that Hart slid for fully twenty-five feet on his custard pie skate before he was finally brought to a stop against a tree. He sustained a sprained ankle from the experience and left the grounds with the use of a cane and the assistance of two friends.

The owner of the pie was extremely angry until he discovered that Hart had sprained his ankle, which he charitably extended his commiseration.

FEAR FOR DREDGE.

There is considerable interest manifested around town today as to the progress the tug Richard Holyoke and the dredge Oregon. No word from it has been obtainable since it crossed out over the bar other than that brought by men on the Breakwater who said the tug was making three or four miles an hour when they passed it. With the strong northwest wind that is prevailing today, the progress will be much less and the seaworthiness of the Oregon is likely to be tested to the limit.

Insects Bother. — Druggists and physicians are having numerous calls for remedies for insect stings. Several in Marshfield have badly swollen necks or faces and the only reason they know of is mosquito bites. In North Bend, "Yellow Jackets" are causing the residents considerable trouble. Where all of the hornets come from, no one knows.

PIANO STUDIO of Louis H. Boll in First Trust and Savings Bank Building. Pupils desiring appointments should apply immediately.

Open FIRE PLACE Heating Stove at MILNER'S.

FREE RULER with each purchase of school supplies. — COOS BAY CASH STORE.

RUBBER Roofing \$1.95 at MILNER'S.

MANY ARRIVE ON BREAKWATER

Steamship Brings In Over 100 Passengers From North Today.

The Breakwater arrived in early this morning from Portland with over 100 passengers after a fairly good trip down the coast. She had a cargo of general merchandise.

Last evening, Capt. Macgeen sighted the tug Richard Holyoke with the dredge Oregon in tow. They were proceeding slowly up the coast but were too far away for Capt. Macgeen to make any inquiries as to how the dredge was standing the trip.

The Breakwater will sail at 12:30 Saturday for Portland.

Among the arrivals on the Breakwater were the following:

E. Harrington, F. Lehner, Geo. M. Harrell, Mrs. Harrell, Mrs. Tate, D. Norton, Mrs. Wood, Miss Hunt, C. Barklow, Mrs. A. Doll, Mrs. G. Doll, A. Doll, Geo. Doll, B. A. Thompson, Geo. Thompson, H. W. Hewell, Mrs. Kinney, J. A. Kinney, Mrs. Saunders, C. R. Thompson, Mrs. Ferry, W. Dodge, W. H. Kennedy, A. Phillips, E. McGuire, Mrs. Imhoff, Miss Imhoff, E. Huller, Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. Winsor, Mrs. Davison, R. Wagner, Miss A. Nelson, R. Gray, N. Johnson, O. Wallmark, L. Chevally, A. Demangen, Chas. Kapp, L. E. England, L. Paul, G. Landis, Chas. Hewey, Miss Franz, L. Gerry, Jas. Buttz, M. Gerry, Mrs. Gerry, Mrs. Ashton, C. W. Ashton, H. C. Marvin, H. Carl, Mrs. Carl, Mrs. Ginnett, Miss Abbott, F. Finley, Mrs. Dexter, A. J. Mendel, Herbert Hume, H. Smith, E. Ashkog, L. E. Smith, Mrs. R. Harrington, G. W. Carty, J. E. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Jane, Rodgers, Jno Rodgers, Jno Adams, Miss Mullen, G. Bremander, Miss Doyle, F. Hauss, F. E. Duhart, E. A. White, Mrs. Edman, L. Edman, C. R. Callenway, M. E. McGuire, Mrs. McGuire, Jno Landon, B. Landon, K. Gardner, R. Corson, Geo. Bowman, Mrs. Street, W. E. Feuchee, Mrs. Feuchee and nineteen steerage.

INSTALL LARGE WATER TANK

Coos Bay Water Company Arranges to Improve North Bend Service.

The Coos Bay Water Company has completed arrangements for the erection of a 50,000 gallon water tank on the highest point in North Bend to furnish water service to all parts of that city. The big tank has just been completed by the North Bend Sash and Door Factory and will be erected within a few days.

Manager J. H. Flanagan of the company stated this morning that the big tank would be kept filled by an electric pump working on the main from the company's reservoir on Pony Inlet. Besides enabling the company to furnish water to many points in North Bend that are now difficult to supply, it is figured that that new tank will greatly increase the water power in that city.

It will probably take the greater part of the month to install the new tank and additional mains required before it can be of service.

HITCHCOCK IS COMING.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 17.—Postmaster-General Hitchcock will be in Portland September 22 and 23, these dates having been selected for the annual meeting of the Presidential Postmasters' Association in this state. Mr. Hitchcock will attend the sessions and while here will be entertained at luncheon by the Portland Commercial Club.

Get MILNER'S prices on all shot Gun SHELLS.

GETTINS WINS ENTIRE CLAIM

Recovers Pay For Service In Knuppenberg Deal From P. Hennessey.

COQUILLE, Ore., Sept. 17.—The jury in the case of F. K. Gettins vs. Patrick Hennessey late yesterday afternoon brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for the full amount sued for, \$239.65, the defendant to pay the costs. The jury was out less than two hours. The case was hard fought, many witnesses being examined. The suit was the outgrowth of M. N. Knuppenberg's operations on Coos Bay. Mr. Gettins was employed by Knuppenberg to survey some tracts of land which he claimed had been purchased by a company that Knuppenberg had formed to buy the O. C. & N. Company's holding on the Bay.

Mr. Gettins did the work and Knuppenberg's company failed to materialize or at any rate the deal did. Mr. Gettins was not paid and he began suit against Mr. Hennessey, holding him responsible as a member of the company. Mr. Hennessey denied his connection with Knuppenberg company, claiming his name had been used without his consent. However, the jury found that Mr. Hennessey was responsible.

The Gettins case is understood to be but one of a number of similar actions and consequently the verdict yesterday sets a precedent which may result in an effort to hold Mr. Hennessey for all the claims here against Knuppenberg.

J. D. Goss, Mr. Hennessey's attorney, will probably appeal the case. Mr. Gettins' attorneys were Sheldred and Graves.

Court Nearly Over.

Nearly all of the cases ready for trial at this term of court have been disposed of and it is not unlikely that Judge Coke will adjourn the term tomorrow until November.

Among the cases called at this term of court and the disposition made of them were the following:

A. E. Seaman vs. Thos Butts, et al. Action at law—Continued.

Anna C. Lund vs. W. C. Lund, et al. Motion in re alimony—Continued.

A. E. Seaman vs. Thos Butts, et al. Action at law—Continued.

Annie M. Nelson vs. Neis Nelson. Motion for modification of decree—Continued.

Hubert Fetter vs. Jos Thomas. Action at law—Continued.

State of Oregon, upon the relation of T. R. Sheridan, et al. vs. C. J. Mills, et al. Action at law—Continued.

Central Trust Co. of California, a corporation, vs. Riverton Lumber Co. Action at law—Continued.

Central Trust Co. of California, a corporation, vs. Riverton Lumber Co. Suit in equity—Continued.

F. W. Vowinckel vs. Bertha E. Gordon. Action at law—Continued.

Jno. Shahan vs. L. D. Kinney, et al. Suit to foreclose mortgage—Referred to referee.

R. B. Fry vs. L. D. Kinney, et al. Suit to foreclose lien—Settled.

Dora O'Malley vs. Ed. O'Malley. Suit for divorce—Continued.

Jas. Baines vs. City of Marshfield, et al.—Referred to referee.

F. W. Vowinckel vs. E. S. Gordon. Action at law—Judgment for plaintiff for \$699.13 and sale of attached property.

Risdon Iron & Locomotive Works, a corporation, vs. C. B. R. & E. R. R. & N. Co., a corporation. Action at law—Continued.

R. A. Graham vs. J. D. Spreckels Bros Co., et al. Action at law—Continued.

E. E. Ellsworth vs. Simpson Lumber Co., et al. Action at law—Settled.

J. R. Benson vs. B. Folsom et al. Suit to foreclose mortgage—Settled.

J. M. Thomas vs. Cook et al. Suit to foreclose mortgage—Continued.

Peter Loggie vs. J. H. Keating. Action at law—Settled.

R. Walter vs. Laura E. Cook, et al. Suit in equity—Settled.

J. L. Ferrey Jr., vs. Viola L. Ferrey.

PRESIDENT TAFT WELCOMED BY THOUSANDS IN WISCONSIN

WIRES DOWN AGAIN TODAY

Western Union Service Breaks This Afternoon—Phone Wires Down.

And again Coos Bay is isolated from the outside world.

The Western Union wires went down about noon some place between here and Roseburg and at a late hour, Manager Schetter had been unable to locate the trouble. Just when service can be restored is not known.

The Coos Bay Home Telephone Company is also having trouble with its long distance service between here and Roseburg. The wires have been out of commission several times the last few days and were down last night and this morning. It was hoped to restore service this afternoon.

On account of the wire trouble, The Times was able to secure only part of its regular Associated Press service.

BANKERS CLOSE TODAY.

Many Financiers at Chicago Meeting Today.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Bankers representing every state in the Union met today at the closing session of the American Bankers' Association's convention. An important feature of the program was an address by James Forgan, president of the First National Bank of Chicago on "The Efficiency and Limitations of Bank Supervision by Examination and the Responsible Source of Management."

WOODMEN ARE BROUGHT HERE

Score Arrive On Breakwater Today and More Coming Next Week.

Some relief for the local labor famine was afforded this morning when about a score of workmen were brought in on the Breakwater for the Smith-Powers Logging Company and the C. A. Smith Lumber and Manufacturing Company. They came from Portland and Puget Sound.

It is understood that a number of workmen will be brought on the Alliance Monday and they will find ready employment both here and in North Bend.

Owing to the recent strikes at the Puget Sound mills and to the fact that many of the mills in Washington are not running, there is a considerable number of idle laborers there. With the old Bay City mill about to start, ample work is in sight for almost any number that may be brought in here.

Res. Suit for divorce—Continued.

Chas. E. Baxter and G. E. Baxter, as partners as Baxter Bros. vs. Martha A. Tupper. Action to recover personal property—Settled.

Chas. B. Selby, trustee in bankruptcy, Estates of T. W. Panter et al., vs. Clara F. Panter. Suit in equity—Continued.

First Trust & Savings Bank of Coos Bay, a corporation, vs. Chas. A. Mettli, et al. Suit to foreclose mortgage—Continued.

Thos Anderson vs. J. B. Stewart, et al. Action at law—Continued.

Bennett Trust Co. vs. Herbert Geddes. Suit to foreclose mortgage—Settled.

Chief Executive Continues His Tour From Milwaukee Today.

WILL SPEAK AT WINONA TONIGHT

Will Make First Public Utterances On the Tariff Then.

(By Associated Press.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 17.—President Taft swung into the northwest today and after spending the entire forenoon here proceeded to LaCrosse where he will stop thirty minutes this afternoon. Thence he goes to Winona, Minn., the home of Representative Tanney, chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations. He will make his first utterance on the tariff at Winona tonight. The president is in the land of the congressional insurgents today and there is much interest in what he will have to say. His original itinerary provided for a stop at Madison, the home of Senator LaFollette, but the plans were changed and Milwaukee substituted. Immense crowds greeted the president, and at the Fair grounds where he delivered his address, great throngs of people had gathered to hear and see him.

LOST CHANCE AT EXPOSITION

Alva Doll Says Coos Bay Should Have Been Better Advertised.

"Coos Bay missed an elegant chance to do some of its most effective boosting by failing to have a representative at the Seattle Fair who could devote all his time placing the advantages of this section before the crowds at the Exposition," said Alva Doll who returned today from the Sound. "Mr. Ward has been doing some good work but his time has been taken up by his own business at the Exposition. Eugene and other Oregon localities have able representatives at the exposition and are deriving big benefits from their work. We simply missed a big opportunity."

"After a trip to Portland and the Sound cities, I am more convinced than ever that they can't get away from Coos Bay. If they were able to build cities there, we ought to be able to secure a metropolis here in no time. None of them have anything like the resources that Coos Bay has. The attention of the big men is being turned towards Coos Bay and we are going to feel benefits from it soon."

"The exposition is a good one. The grounds are the most beautiful of any fair I have ever attended. The forestry building is especially good."

"The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Portland told me he was having many inquiries about Coos Bay and urged that we send him more literature about this section. All he has is a small pamphlet issued some time ago."

Salmon Run Small.—The run of salmon into the Bay so far this fall has been very light and the Empire cannery is not doing near the business expected. Local salmon experts say that the reason of it is the lack of rain. They claim that unless the streams emptying into the Bay carrying sufficient water to force a current of fresh water out into the ocean, few salmon can find their way in, the fish relying on the fresh water to guide them.