

## JUAREZ MAY SURRENDER TO INSURGENTS WITHOUT BATTLE

Expected Attack on Town Across Border From El Paso Not Yet.

### WHITE FLAG PARTY GOES TO MEET REBELS

Mayor Martinez Prepares For Caring for Wounded In Case of Struggle.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 4.—At two o'clock, Mayor Martinez of Juarez ordered the streets cleared. A temporary hospital with cots and volunteer nurses and physicians has been opened on the main street of Juarez. The rebels are not in sight. The Junta in El Paso says the battle may not occur till Sunday. At 2:15 this afternoon a party of Juarez officials left for the direction of the rebel camp carrying a white flag and two Mexican standards. Juarez officials decline to discuss it but it looks like an attempt to surrender.

### GORILLA WINS IN ODD FIGHT

English Bull Dog no Match for Simian In Louisiana Battle.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
NEW IBERIA, La., Feb. 4.—In a battle to death between a gorilla and an English bull dog in which the gorilla was victorious, was fought early today, much money was wagered on it. A pen twelve feet square and eight feet high, with seats on all sides was arranged for the combat. The fight lasted less than three minutes. The dog leaped at the gorilla who caught him as one does a baseball bit into the dogs skull and brain, broke the dog's back and tore him to pieces.

### POLITICS IN NEW DISTRICT

C. F. McKnight Maybe District Attorney For Coos and Curry Counties.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 4.—The revolutionists in Hayti, according to rumor that reached Port au Prince, the capital of this country, have captured Fort Liberty, Oanaminta and the troops.

## WEALTHY MAN IS NEAR DEATH

R. L. McCormick, Millionaire Lumberman of Washington, Dying.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 4.—R. L. McCormick, the millionaire lumberman of Puget Sound, is so ill here in a hotel that physicians say he cannot recover. On account of ill-health he was being taken from Seattle to Southern California and arrived in Sacramento so enfeebled that the journey was discontinued.

For prize articles, see Walker Studio. Framed pictures, cut glass, hand-painted China, or a piece of ROYAL DOULTON is always good.

## MILLIS CALLED TO SAN FRANCISCO

Local Representative of Southern Pacific to Confer With Officials—Causes Railroad Rumors.

C. J. Millis, general manager of the Southern Pacific's interests on Coos Bay left today for San Francisco via Portland in response to a request for him to come there immediately to confer with Vice-president Calvin and other officials of the road. Of course, in view of the Southern Pacific directors in New York deciding to expend \$75,000,000 in double tracking its lines and building extensions in the Pacific northwest, many

here are inclined to believe that Mr. Millis' summons to San Francisco may indicate that the Coos Bay line is one of the extensions ordered built. However, this is but a surmise and there is nothing to confirm it beyond the hope held by many that the Coos Bay line is one of the extensions or new projects which President Lovett stated in an interview had been authorized. Mr. Millis has recently been advanced by the Southern Pacific and it maybe that his being called to San Francisco at this time is only on other important matters besides the possible extension to Coos Bay which the officials have under consideration for this section.

## PERSIANS ARE THE VICTIMS

Armenians Assassinate Minister of Finance and Kill Two Policemen.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
TEHERAN, Persia, Feb. 4.—San Ed Dowlen, the Persian minister of finance, was assassinated today on the street. The assassins, two Armenians, escaped. The murderers also killed two policemen.

## GARDINER TO INCORPORATE

Voters There to Decide Matter at Special Election February 23.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 4.—Concluding the work of a special one-day session, the county court granted the petition for the incorporation of the town of Gardiner, down near the mouth of the Umpqua river. This act is not final, however, in the creation of the municipality. The voters of the town must ratify the court's order at an election which the court has called for the 23rd of February. The ballots will read "For Incorporation" or "Against Incorporation." There is not the least probability, however, that the majority of the Gardiner voters will reject the opportunity for self-government. The election will also enable the citizens of Gardiner to choose their first set of municipal officers, consisting of a mayor, six councilmen, a recorder, treasurer and marshal. If the county court's order is ratified, it will make Gardiner the ninth incorporated city in Douglas county. The other eight are Roseburg, Oakland, Riddle, Myrtle Creek, Glendale, Yoncalla, Drain and Canyonville. The petition for the incorporation of Gardiner sets forth that the town has 400 inhabitants, though only 150 are necessary to incorporate. The larger number was specified, however, because that is the minimum population to give a municipality the privilege of regulating its own liquor traffic. Gardiner may not realize this purpose if a bill now pending before the legislature is enacted into a law. The bill amends the Home Rule law with the provision that no incorporated town can issue a liquor license if it has less than 500 inhabitants.

## MANILA GIVEN MANY SHAKES

Up to Noon Today, 913 Quakes Recorded There Following Mount Taal Eruptions.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
MANILA, P. I., Feb. 4.—The earthquake which continued several days coincident with the eruption of Mount Taal, is decreasing in intensity and frequency. At noon a total of 913 quakes had been recorded at the observatory.

## LEAVE TODAY ON BREAKWATER

Steamship Sails This Afternoon For Portland With Many Passengers.

The Breakwater sailed for Portland this afternoon with a good passenger list, the regular travel being augmented by a number of people going to Salem to appear before the Oregon supreme court and legislature. Among those sailing on her were the following: E. K. Smith, C. E. Nicholson, Frank G. Wood, C. H. Bundschaedler, Miss J. Watson, J. D. Goss, F. Barzec, Wm. Wilson, J. H. Hollister, Mrs. E. T. Wagner, C. R. Peck, W. J. Smith, T. Wilson, F. J. Chotburn, Wm. Isselstein, T. C. Swieney, Jno. F. Hall, C. H. Partlow, A. F. Derringer, W. F. Tocker, Wm. Wendt, E. Bowman, Elmer Douglas, Mrs. F. W. Douglas, Geo. Watkins, J. W. Bennett, C. C. Curran, F. T. Shirley, Mrs. Shirley, J. S. Hume, H. Atteson, Joe Ott, Paul Cayello, Bert Manassa, M. P. Cryst, F. H. Pounder, Mrs. Pounder, Henry Ploeger, Dr. J. D. Wetmore, Finley Hartley, R. E. Gilkey, Alex. Barklow C. D. Edwards, F. M. Warner, W. B. Bailey, Mrs. Bailey, Wm. Fabian, Burt Reed, Gust Ara, H. H. Meyer, Chas. Dulle, E. F. Measley, Tom Stinae, J. O'Shea, Pete Smith, J. S. Rogelz, F. M. Warner, L. A. Liljeqvist.

## BANDON EASY VICTOR AGAIN

Marshfield High School Basketball Team Drops Game Last Night.

By a score of 29 to 10, the Bandon high school basketball team defeated the Marshfield high school team at the Army last night. There was a fairly good attendance. The game was a good one from the onlookers' standpoint despite the fact that the score was one-sided. Some of the members of the Marshfield team have been sick and unable to practice which weakened the home aggregation. Strang, Gallier and Bowman were the stars of the Bandon team.

## TAX MUST BE PAID SHORTLY

Annual Contribution Towards Public Maintenance Is Now Due.

"The golden flood" is again pouring into the coffers of Coos county, the annual payment of taxes beginning this week. The tax rolls were turned over to the sheriff a couple of days ago and that office now has a number of extra employes taking care of the payment. Sheriff Gage is not sending out notices to tax payers this year, but each tax payer is required to list his own property whereupon the sheriff's office will fill in the amount of taxes due against each parcel of property. A separate entry is made for holdings in each quarter section and for each lot. If the taxes are paid before March 3, and no penalty will be imposed. If paid between March 15 and April 4, no rebate is allowed or one-half maybe paid before April 4, and the balance paid before October 3, and no penalty will be imposed. If at least half is not paid before April 4, the taxes are considered delinquent and a penalty of ten per cent is imposed and interest charged at the rate of one per cent a month. The taxes on Marshfield property will be slightly higher than a year ago, the assessment remaining about the same but the total levy for the different purposes being slightly greater. Why don't you SAVE MONEY by buying your FLOUR and FEED of HAINES?

## ATTACKS TWO; KILLS HIMSELF

Jealousy Leads Michigan Man to Triple Tragedy at Mount Clemens.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., Feb. 4.—August Wiers, a farmer 27 years old, committed suicide by the poison route after shooting Miss Hattie Uplinger and beating the girl's mother, Mrs. Augusta Uplinger with a hammer. Both are in a critical condition. Jealousy was the cause.

## ADVERTISING AS A PUBLIC POWER.

THIS use of publicity in advertising is one of the greatest ethical forces in business today, because dishonest methods cannot stand publicity. Therefore advertising is the honest man's greatest bulwark, while it is the dishonest man's greatest bugaboo. You can catch the people once, but you can't continue to do it. But advertising is getting out into the light. Publicity corrects the abuses in public life. We know men are decent for one or two causes, either from fear of punishment or hope of reward, and I am thankful to say that decency in business as well as in other things is becoming fashionable in this country.

## PACIFIC COAST LUMBERMEN ASK HEARING ABOUT RECIPROCITY

EIGHT HELD FOR OFFENSE

Charge of Manslaughter Made In Connection With New York Explosion.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
NEW YORK, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Seven officials and employes of the Central Railroad company of New Jersey and the Dupont Powder company and Captain James Healing of the Katherine W, the destroyed powder boat, arraigned on charges of manslaughter in connection with the dynamite explosion last Wednesday waved the examination today and were order held under bond to await the action of the Hudson County grand jury.

## REVOLUTION IN HAYTI.

Rumor That Insurgents Have Captured Forts There.

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## CHINESE NEAR JAMAICA IN REVOLT—CAPITAL LOOTED.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
BATAVIA, Jamaica, Feb. 4.—A serious outbreak occurred on the Chinese Island of Billoton. The capital Tanjung Pandan was looted and the chief administrator and others were murdered. Troops have been dispatched to the scene.

## OUTBREAK ON ISLAND.

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