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## ARMY AND NAVY SATIRES ON ADMINISTRATION REPUDIATED

### Admiral Howard Blames Advance Stories of Press Agent As Being Mislading.

### CARABAQANS HASTEN TO ASSURE PRESIDENT

### Investigation Ordered by Nation's Chief Causes Commotion in Military Circles

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Officers of the Order of Carabao sent assurance to the administration officers today that they entertained no spirit or purpose of hostility to President Wilson's Philippine policy when they gave a dinner last week and gave travesties and satires on members of the Cabinet and other public officials.

## FEW INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

### Adjourned Today Until Next Spring—Jim Ross Given Four-Months' Sentence.

(Special to The Times.) COQUILLE, Or., Dec. 16.—The grand jury adjourned today for the term and will probably not be convened until next spring. The amount of grand jury business, or rather the number of indictments returned, was less than was expected.

## BANDON WOMAN SHOWN CHARITY

### Grand Jury, Prosecuting Attorney and Judge Morrow Unite in Clemency Today.

(Special to The Times.) COQUILLE, Or., Dec. 16.—Judge Morrow, District Attorney Liljeqvist and the Coos county grand jury today united in showing clemency to a woman of the underworld. May Clarke of Bandon had been indicted for conducting a resort there and immediately on hearing of the action disposed of all her property there, closed up the house and made arrangements to move away from Bandon and start life anew in a new community where the past could be forgotten.

### PROGRESSIVE MEETING

ME MOINES, Ia., Dec. 15.—The Progressive party in Iowa will hold a state-wide conference here January 2, according to an announcement of the leaders today.

## PLAN TO BUILD A FINE DEPOT

### Southern Pacific to Erect Passenger Station, Docks and Freight Depot Near Elrod

Plans for the depot facilities in Marshfield are now being perfected by the Southern Pacific and while they have not definitely been arranged, it is thought that the tentative plans now considered will be finally adopted.

The depot sites in North Bend were selected some time ago and work on the structures will probably be started next spring some time. Docks and steamship facilities will be built there the same as in Marshfield, but may not be erected until later as the box factory or condenser site will be used for them and neither of these sites will be available for a year or more yet.

### Bandon Line Later

Southern Pacific officials in San Francisco recently announced that no definite plans had been made yet concerning the extension to Bandon. Last spring, some of the officials were urging its immediate construction, but President Lovett and the Southern Pacific Board of Directors have taken the stand that absolutely nothing will be done on new projects until the financial situation comes up and until the political atmosphere so far as anti-railroad legislation is concerned, is clarified.

### Plans for Shops, etc., have not been decided upon.

When the Terminal Railway first started negotiating with the Southern Pacific, it was announced that they were going to insist on the following as conditions of the transfer:

### REPORTS ARE CONFIRMED

### Abuse of Spaniards Told by Refugees Arriving From Chihuahua.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) EL PASO, Dec. 16.—299 more foreigners, including sixty Americans, arrived on a special train from Chihuahua today. Among them were French, Germans, Italians and Spaniards who had been in business in Mexico. They reiterated the stories told by the earlier refugees that Villa's attitude toward them by his action in expelling the Spaniards had created a desire among the American foreigners to leave the country. The contents of the stores of Spaniards had been auctioned off by the rebels, they said.

## EVIDENCE IN LEATON CASE

### Jury Secured for Trial of Former Eastside Recorder—Witnesses for Prosecution

(Special to The Times.) COQUILLE, Dec. 16.—The securing of a jury to try W. J. Leaton, former recorder of the city of Eastside, on the indictment charging him with the theft of \$3080 of the city's street funds, was completed this morning and the balance of the forenoon was devoted to arguing the form of pleading on which the case was to be tried and especially as to the introduction of the records, books, etc.

## MURDERER IS HUNG BY MOB

### Cleve Culbertson, Who Killed Three of Dillon Family, Strung Up From Bridge.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WILLISTON, N. D., Dec. 16.—Cleve Culbertson, recently convicted of murdering three members of the Dillon family at Ray, N. D., was taken from the Williams county jail by a mob today and hanged from a bridge near here.

## OWNERS WILL PLEDGE LAND

### Mill Slough Improvement With Drain and Fill Practically Settled Up Today.

Property owners of the marsh lands of the Mill Slough basin, east of Ninth street, north of the present Mill Slough dike, through a committee of three, presented a proposal to the Port Commission this morning for the payment of the fill and the construction of a box drain, which met with the approval of the members and was adopted.

### SEE OUR ROAD ASSIGNMENTS

SEE OUR ROAD ASSIGNMENTS. We have a large stock of road assignments for sale. Call on us for more information. 1234 Main Street, Coos Bay, Oregon.

## PORTLAND MAN NOT SELECTED

### Howard Elliott Denies Joseph Young is to Take Charge of Railroad Steamship Lines

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) BOSTON, Dec. 16.—"There is absolutely nothing to it," said Chairman Howard Elliott of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad today regarding the report that Joseph H. Young, of Portland, Ore., was to become a director of the New Haven's steamship lines. Young recently resigned the presidency of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle, and affiliated Hill railroads. It was said at Portland that he was preparing to take charge of the steamer lines controlled by the New Haven company.

### HUGE REALTY SALE

### Nine Acres in Center of London Sold for Many Millions.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) LONDON, Dec. 16.—The biggest private real estate deal on record was completed today with the sale of Duke of Bedford's freehold property, covering about nine acres in the center of London, to Harry Mallaby Dooly, Unionist member of the House of Commons. Many millions of pounds sterling changed hands in the transaction, but the figures were withheld.

### PRESIDENT STILL ILL

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—The President met the members of the cabinet today, although he still suffering slightly from the attack of a gripe.

## ARSON SQUAD BURNS CHURCH

### Suffragettes Climb Through Windows of St. Annes and Badly Damage Fine Organ

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) LIVERPOOL, Dec. 15.—The suffragette arson squad did extensive damage today at St. Anne's church here. The stalls on the south side of the church were destroyed and the splendid organ was badly damaged. Entrance was gained through a stained glass window which the incendiaries smashed.

## G. O. P. TO END DISCORD

### Republicans Have Two Proposals to Present on Which They Plan to Unite Party

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Two proposals for the reorganization of the Republican party and to find a basis upon which the discordant elements can unite, confronted the Republican National committee today. The first was a proposal for a special national convention to readjust the system of delegate representation.

### ASSEMBLY IN CHICAGO

### Illinois Progressives Meet to Outline 1914 State Campaign.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Representative members of nearly every county in Illinois gathered here today to confer on plans with reference to the election next year. Before the meeting adjourns it is planned to select a candidate for the United States Senate and to perfect plans for complete tickets in every county and every senatorial and congressional district.

### FOR SALE

Second-hand Buick automobile in first-class condition. A bargain if taken at once. Price \$200. The Gunners, Front street.

CAPT. HARRIS was down from his perch at Flagstaff today.

## THIRTY TWO MEN ENTOMBED BY VULCAN MINE EXPLOSION

## MOTOR CAR OFFICIAL TRIP

### Southern Pacific Passenger Vehicle Takes Guests to North Bend and Back

Under the direction of Superintendent W. F. Miller, with Engineer E. B. Bunnell and Conductor E. W. Kardell forming the crew, the Southern Pacific motor car made her official trip to North Bend from Marshfield this afternoon with the city officials of both towns, Chamber of Commerce heads, and the press, accompanied by their wives.

### MAKES TESTING TRIP

Carrying Superintendent Miller, of the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern Railway, Engineer Wheeler, of the Southern Pacific, most of the office force of the local railway and W. S. Chandler, the motor car made her first run to North Bend this morning for the purpose of testing the line for the official trip this afternoon.

### Terminal Company

Arno Meroen, W. S. Chandler and wife, Mrs. J. W. Bennett, J. H. Flanagan and wife.

### North Bend

L. J. Simpson and wife, L. F. Falkenstein and wife, J. G. Horn and wife, Henry Kern and wife, Fred Hollister and wife, Dr. I. R. Bartle and wife, G. D. Mandigo and wife, Peter Loggie and wife, W. H. Curtis and wife, A. H. Deryshire and wife, J. M. Grubbs and wife.

### Marshfield City Council

E. E. Straw, Mayor, F. E. Allen and wife, Carl Alvrecht and wife, Carl Eversten and wife, R. A. Copple and wife, D. Ferguson and wife, H. Winkler and wife, J. Wright Wilson and wife, J. D. Goss and wife, J. W. Butler and wife, Judge Hall and wife.

### Willamette-Pacific R. R. Co.

Bradford Wheeler and wife, H. V. Hindmarsh and wife, C. H. Marsh and wife, C. F. McKnight and wife, North Bend Chamber of Commerce, M. E. Everett and wife, Mr. McCloud and wife.

### Horses along the street which had not looked up from the ground in several decades, stared at the new vehicle in amazement, snorted and pretended they were frightened, some of them even made a bluff at running away, but remained to see the first Marshfield-North Bend railway car pass on its history-making trip over the inter-city line.

### On reaching the tracks clear of cement, over the heavy trestle work on the mud flats, the car speeded up and ran quite smoothly, for this section of the line is remarkably well built. On nearing North Bend the "chauffeur" put on slow speed where some leveling of the tracks is still necessary.

### North Bend turned out in a body when the engine bell on the car was heard. There was a rush to get the first view of the first car on the first railroad line between the two cities, so that those witnessing the event could tell their grandchildren—when a metropolis lines the west shore of Coos Bay—that they had seen the first Southern Pacific car make its historic trip.

### THE MOTOR CAR

The motor car, having a reversible gasoline engine, was able to run back without turning as easily as it went the other way. Conductor Kardell directing matters by the use of the bell cord.

### MID-WINTER CASHY SALES

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## Cause of Disastrous Explosion in Fuel Company's Property is Unknown.

## MINE FOREMAN AND FIRE BOSS MISSING

### Only Eight Are Foreigners and Victims Believed to Number Close to Forty.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., Dec. 16.—An explosion at the Vulcan mine at Newcastle, east of here, is reported to have entombed between forty and fifty miners. The mine is owned by the Rocky Mountain Fuel company. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

### THIRTY-TWO MISSING

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) The explosion occurred at 10:20 P. M. It entombed Mine Foreman L. L. Crawford, Fire Boss L. Walters and at least thirty miners. This estimate was based on a hurried check of the company's records. Some of the officials expressed the belief that the number might be increased to forty. Only eight in the mine are foreigners. It is believed that the explosion originated in the west workings at a point 1500 feet from the portal of the main tunnel, but whether it was caused by dust or gas has not been determined.

According to the mine officials, six men are known to have been working in the west entry and are believed to have been killed. An examination led to the belief that the east entry was comparatively free from the force of the explosion and this led to the hope that the men there would be found alive. At one time it was reported that a number of bodies had been located by two helmeted rescuers, but that no fire inside had been found. The Vulcan mine has been running at full capacity several weeks notwithstanding the strike in the Colorado coal fields. The strike affected the Vulcan mine, with other properties of the company, but many strikers went back to work and the places of those still striking had been filled.

## DELEGATES OF UNIONS MEET

### Sympathetic Strike for Miners Considered—Will Ask Recall of Governor.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) DENVER, Dec. 16.—Between 400 and 500 delegates from approximately 250 unions throughout Colorado met here today to consider the coming statewide strike in sympathy with the United Mine Workers of America now on strike in the Colorado coal fields.

It was planned to devote the first day of the meeting to the presentation of resolutions, two of which were a resolution for the recall of Governor Ammons and another for the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for the state operation of coal mines.

## FATALITY IS INVESTIGATED

### Coroner's Jury Hears Evidence on Death of Martilla, Who Was Killed Sunday.

Coroner Wilson called a jury together this morning to hold an investigation into the death of Victor Martilla, the Finlander who met his death in the soda room of the Coos Bay Pulp & Paper company on Sunday, when he was subjected to 220 volts of electricity while handling an in-candescent light at the time he was standing on the wet iron floor.

After hearing the evidence in the case, the jury adjourned until tomorrow morning while Doctors Mungus and Lams performed an autopsy on the body with the assistance of Coroner Wilson, to discover whether Martilla died from any other cause in connection with the shock he was subjected to. The severe bruises on the dead man's forehead, supposed to have been sustained when he fell to the floor, was also examined and the physicians will place the results of their investigations before the jury tomorrow morning.

It is understood that the dead man, who left a wife and five children in Finland, had sent for his eldest son to come to Coos Bay shortly before his death.

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