

WILL FILE REPORT

German Consul Will Bring Insurance Companies to Time.

GERMAN COMPANIES MUST PAY

German Government Will Investigate Status of German Insurance Companies Relative to San Francisco Losses—Must Pay.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 22.—Franz Bopp, the German consul in this city is about to file an official report with his government upon the insurance situation here.

There is no doubt that the German government has the right to control the actions of all commercial companies incorporated under the laws of Germany; and where it can be demonstrated that any insurance company is not acting honestly by its patrons the government is empowered to bring it to reason.

"I am forwarding to the German government my official report upon conditions in San Francisco and upon the insurance situation. The government will undoubtedly give its attention to the situation and will not permit any insurance company that is able to meet its obligations to escape them."

The German insurance companies doing business in this state are Aachen and Munich, and Hamburg-Bremen, North German of Hamburg, Prussian National, Rhine and Moselle and Transatlantic.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Proceedings Had Yesterday Before, and With the Consent of Judge McBride.

There is no particular rush apparent in the circuit court of Clatsop nowadays, yet the docket is being steadily depleted, and the measure of justice is flowing smoothly and with certain effect.

A decree of divorce was granted in the case of Mina Hedrick vs. J. W. Hedrick, and will go to the record in due time.

In two cases wherein the Douglas Land & Trust Company are plaintiffs and Brune Settig, et al. and John C. Crimmins et al. are defendants, respectively, orders were made for the publication of summons.

In the case of J. P. Seothian vs. C. C. Clarke, defendant's demurrer was argued and submitted.

The case of Ruth M. Knopf vs. Emily M. Cashel et al. defendant's motion to strike out certain portions of plaintiff's complaint, was overruled, and the case proceeded to formal trial.

In the proceedings for divorce instituted by Maude Neally against Odin L. Neally, defendant's demurrer was overruled and a decree of divorce granted as prayed for.

The court then adjourned.

JACKET MAKERS STRIKE.

NEW YORK, June 22.—A general strike of the Unbasted Children's Jacket Makers' Union which is an independent organization, went into effect yesterday for a nine hour work day.

FRAUD IS ALLEGED.

CHICAGO, June 22.—Allegations of fraud are contained in a mysterious bill in the United States Circuit Court yesterday against the Flagler Iron & Steel Company of Chicago by Alfred S. Costello, H. H. Costello, Harvey Cheney and Robert Cheney, whose names do not appear in the city directory.

Efforts to locate the defendants in the case last night revealed the fact that Mr. Flagler is not a resident but was known in Boston five years ago as a promoter; that W. R. Dickinson severed his connection with the company more than a year ago and it is now the belief that Franklin H. Head is president of the company; Mr. Head is in New York on business, and that Mr. Helmer is a member of Chicago law firm.

According to the bill the Flagler Company was incorporated in 1904 with a capital stock of \$5,000,000. It was to buy, sell, bond, lease, and operate certain mining properties, and it is charged that the defendants by the use of this alleged company several years ago conspired to defraud the complainants and did defraud them of certain funds.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. Winton of Rainier spent the day in Astoria yesterday.

C. A. Reese of Cincinnati went to Portland last evening.

W. R. Mervin of Portland was a business visitor here yesterday.

W. J. Kyle of Florence, Oregon, is a business visitor in the city.

A. W. Wolfe of Portland came down on the 11:35 train yesterday.

S. S. Churchill of San Francisco is in the city on a business tour.

G. H. Perian of Portland arrived here on the noon express yesterday.

W. Housman of Portland arrived here on the 11:35 express yesterday.

B. A. Seaborg of Altoona was in the city yesterday on business bent.

O. Stenger of Portland arrived in the city yesterday on a business trip.

F. Hamilton Sawyer of Hong Kong is in the city a guest at the Occident.

R. B. Rankin of St. Louis came down from Portland on the noon train yesterday.

N. G. Crymble of Portland spent the day here yesterday on matters of business.

Captain Charles Bailey was a passenger for Portland on the Lurline last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Day, of New York, are in the city, and quartered at the Occident.

J. B. E. Bourne of Rainier came down on the noon train yesterday and is domiciled at the Irving Hotel.

W. L. Gray of South Bend, Wash., arrived in the city yesterday evening, and was registered at the Occident.

Miss Maud Benoit, who has been very ill at St. Mary's hospital for the past two weeks, has so far recovered as to permit her removal to her home on east Commercial street.

Mrs. Tallmage Delafield, of Tacoma, who has been in the city in attendance upon her husband who has been seriously ill, has returned to the Washington city, leaving Mr. Delafield safely convalescent.

T. H. Curtis has returned from a business trip abroad. He escaped the real unpleasant phases of the late attack on the office of his next-door neighbor, Judge Bowly, in the Odd Fellows' building.



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DECK AND DOCK NEWS.

The British ship Carnedd Llewellyn, 16 days out from Port Los Angeles, arrived in yesterday afternoon, after a pleasant trip all the way up the coast.

Captain Thomas Evans, her master, reports that the only untoward event of a swift and easy passage, was the accidental falling into the hold of one of his able seamen, a man by the name of Colly, and who was practically insensible from Monday last until the hour of his removal from the ship to St. Mary's hospital here, yesterday.

The injured man is in good hands and will join his ship as soon as he gets well. The ship will load breadstuffs out of Portland for Chilean ports. She will leave up for the metropolis today, on the Queen.

The steamship Roanoke arrived down from Portland at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, with over 100 passengers on board and as hold full of freight, for Eureka, San Francisco, and Los Angeles.

She took on the following people at this port and sailed at 9 o'clock: F. L. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson and child; F. Beach and George Allen.

The four-masted schooner Alvena arrived in from Redondo yesterday, and will load out lumber for San Pedro.

The schooner Sailor Boy cleared yesterday from the Clatsop mill for San Francisco, with 375,000 feet of lumber.

FIND VALUABLE RING.

Men Search With Lanterns Through the Grass and See the Glitter.

HEMPSTEAD, L. I., June 22.—Because they found a diamond ring by systematic search through the grass with lanterns, four men here will receive a reward of \$1000. The ring belongs to Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney and was given her on the occasion of her marriage by the late William C. Whitney.

She lost it on Saturday. When it did not appear from any quarter and after the lawn had been gone over many times by daylight, the four men hit upon the lantern idea. They procured a diamond ring and experimented with it in the grass and found that with a bright lantern it would cast rays that could be easily seen when the light was ten feet away.

The lawn was laid out into squares. The light was worked from each corner of each square last night, and the ring, valued at \$20,000 was soon recovered.

NO BOND ISSUE.

NEW YORK, June 22.—An emphatic statement was obtained last night from E. H. Gary, chairman of the board of the United States Steel Corporation, that no bond issue is pending in connection with the big new plant that is being erected in Indiana.

Not only is no issue now under consideration, but Judge Gary declared without qualification that there is no prospect of any issue being considered during the current year at least.

The report that a \$50,000,000 issue would be brought out very soon was freely circulated in Wall street and in Europe yesterday.

IN THE CITY CHURCHES.

Presbyterian Church. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; "A dream and its interpretation"; Sunday school, 12:15; Y. P. S. C. E., 7 p. m.; evening worship, 8. "Radicalism and Liberalism." Miss Reba Hobson will sing a solo at both services.

Baptist Church. All the usual services will be observed at the Baptist Church tomorrow. The themes of sermons will be as follows: "The Men That Fail," "The Men That Succeed." Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Grace Episcopal. Divine service at Grace church on Sunday at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m., it being the festival of the nativity of St. John the Baptist, the Masonic Lodge will attend in a body and the rector will deliver a sermon appropriate to the occasion.

Sunday school at 12:30 m. and evening prayer as usual at 7:30.

MAHARAJAH BEHIND TIME. COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., June 22.—The Maharajah of Baroda, India, and his royal suite left last night over the Santa Fe for the Grand Canon, California, and Yellowstone Park.

The party is 48 hours behind scheduled time, having changed their original plan of leaving yesterday evening.

LOS ANGELES, June 22.—Robert Bruce Burns, a well known Western railroad constructor and who has for the past nine years held the position of chief engineer of the coast lines of the Santa Fe Company, died here last night. He was a native of Maine aged 54 years.

TWO OFFERINGS FOR JULY WEARING DAYS

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BY WAY OF ADJUSTMENT.

"Portland, June 21, 1906.

"Morning Astorian, Astoria.

"To the Editor: By some error in transmission, a press dispatch from Vienna, printed in your paper June 12, stated that "three thousand Christian Scientists" following a meeting in that city "made a demonstration against the Hungarian ministry," breaking windows, etc., and while the well-known peaceful mission of Christian Science makes a denial of this inadvertent mis-statement seem almost unnecessary, I feel you will nevertheless be glad to publish a word in correction.

"Christian Scientists appreciate the excellent account of the recent dedicatory services of the new two million dollar extension of the Mother Church in Boston, which appeared in the Astorian of June 10th, and it was no doubt due to this general interest of the press in the fact that some 30,000 Christian Scientists were assembled in Boston at that time, and to the further fact that Christian Science is truly a religion which demonstrates its faith by good works, that this reported "demonstration" at Vienna was thus miscredited.

"Very truly yours, "DAVID B. OGDEN."

CRIMMINS RECOVERING.

NORWOTON, Conn., June 22.—John D. Crimmins of New York is recovering.

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