

CHIEF PICKET FACES CHIEF OF TRUSTS

Resignation of Superintendent Walsh Changes Line-up of O. R. & N. Officials

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Ore., Aug. 10.—It has been announced here that there is to be another shakeup among officials of the O. R. & N. company. A number of these changes are due to the resignation of Thomas Walsh as superintendent of the Washington division, which has just been announced. William Connelly, formerly assistant superintendent of the Oregon division, will succeed Walsh. The cause of the resignation of Walsh is not known, nor his plans for the future. The position of assistant superintendent of the Oregon division will be filled by J. D. Matheson, trainmaster at La Grande. A. Buckley, former chief dispatcher at La Grande, is promoted to the position of trainmaster. J. F. Corbett has been transferred from the position of chief dispatcher on the Washington division to the same place on the Oregon branch, with new headquarters at La Grande. Other changes have been rumored here among railroad men as a result of these resignations and promotions.

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and one of the things we want most is more of him.

The man on the farm is valuable to the nation, like any other citizen, just in proportion to his intelligence, character, ability and patriotism. They are other citizens, also in proportion to his attachment to the soil. That is the principal spring of his steadiness, his industry, his simplicity and his contentment. He is the first of home-makers.

Home Nation to Lead the World.

The nation that will lead the world will be a nation of farmers. The cause of the great conservation movement is just this, to make our country a permanent and prosperous home for ourselves and for our children, and it is a task that is worth the best thought and effort of any and all of us.

To achieve this or any other great result, straight thinking and strong action are necessary, and the straight thinking comes first. To think straight, we must have it. We must think clearly and directly about our problems, and above all we must understand what the real problems are. The great things are few and simple, but they are too often hidden by false issues, and conventional, unthinking, and unfeeling. We need to have the strength to stand for anything.

Save Washington's Power.

E. H. Libby of Clarkston, Wash., president of the Washington Conservation association, spoke on "Conservation of Natural Resources." He dwelt on the vital necessity of preserving water-power from monopoly. He cited the 3,000,000 water horsepower available in Washington and said:

"Conservation means the constant waste of all this energy and waste to the force harnessed to the use of the people, but we want to prevent the monopoly of a force that is more important than the forests."

"Conservation demands just enough and no more than the government can control to insure this to the people at living rates, and with all due profit to the developers and operators."

Conservation associated.

George S. Long, millionaire lumberman of Seattle, presented the attitude of lumbermen toward forestry. After crediting former President Roosevelt with starting the system of conservation, Long declared that Roosevelt had been a little too hasty in prosecuting the conservation movement.

"If conservation had been commenced 100 years ago," said Long, "that part of the United States west of the Mississippi would be still the haunt of the buffalo and the home of the bison."

What we have achieved is worth more for our successors than what it has cost. Reformation will continue to be unprofitable until forest products command higher prices, and some demand is developed for the lessening of the tax on forest lands. The public demand is for cheaper timber and less cutting, all in the same breath."

Reclamation Act for Hawaii.

Baldwin S. Hooper, chairman of the territorial conservation commission of Hawaii, urged the extension of the reclamation act to Hawaii in order to produce self-sufficient American citizenship and to secure the defense of the islands from foreign invasion, made a strong plea with prolonged applause. He declared Hawaii was entitled to federal aid.

"Not for the sake of Hawaii alone," he said, "but because it is essential to the welfare of the whole nation, from both the military and the commercial standpoint, that Hawaii should continue to develop as a strong and vigorous American colony. It is the only land base for effective offensive operations."

The strategic value of Hawaii to the nation is of such crucial importance that it cannot be overestimated. Hawaii safeguards the west coast from San Diego to Puget sound, besides giving us the advantage of dominating the Pacific ocean commercially."

Forestry and Water Power.

Forestry and water power had the floor of the congress following the adoption of Mr. Pinchot's report on the public and private life discussed forestry and forest preservation.

In the afternoon the value and uses of water were the topic.

E. T. Allen on Reclamation.

E. T. Allen, United States district forester in charge at Portland, spoke on "Reforestation." He urged the necessity of reforesting the denuded timber lands of the west in order to preserve the economic balance of the country. Explaining the principles of forestry he said:

"You are still in the first reader, spelling out the lesson about conserving standing timber. You employ veterinarians, ecologists, insurance commissioners, barbers, examiners, and what not. But the two things you must have—wood and water—you leave to take care of themselves, and they are not doing it and never will."

Mulkey for Untaxed Forests.

Declaring that the present system of taxation puts a premium on the slaughter of timber, and urging reform in the tax laws, former United States Senator F. W. Mulkey of Portland addressed the delegates. Among other things he urged the exemption of forest lands from taxation, in the interest of conservation.

Mulkey said in part:

"Under such a system, can it be wondered that the timberman cuts down timber at the earliest possible moment, to avoid a drain upon his outside income? Does not such a system put a premium on economic waste? As a practical solution, we should urge that taxation be limited to cutover lands. It should be urged that the state commission be empowered to survey cutover lands and adjudicate the question of whether they are best fitted for agriculture or reforestation."

IRRIGATION COMMITTEE
ON TOUR TOMORROW

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Aug. 10.—United States Senator Thomas Carter of Montana, Senator Warren of Wyoming, George E. Chamberlain of Oregon, Francis Flint of California, Thomas Payator of Kentucky and William H. Borah of Idaho, who compose the irrigation committee on irrigation, will leave tomorrow.

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GIRL MISSING; MURDER FEARED

Brutal Murder of Annie Schumacher Causes Fear for Miss Kennedy.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 10.—Following the discovery of the body of Annie Schumacher, who was murdered at her father's grave, the police were notified today that Katherine Kennedy, 17 years old, the same age as Miss Schumacher, has been missing from home since Saturday. The brutal murder of Miss Schumacher, who was beaten to death with a rock, coupled with the disappearance of Miss Kennedy, has aroused the community and there is intense interest in the search being conducted by the police and volunteer detectives.

row for an inspection tour of arid lands in the northwest for which irrigation projects are under consideration. The itinerary of the committee follows: August 12, Glendive project, Montana; August 13, Yellowstone project, Montana; August 14, Billings project, Montana; August 15, Huntley project, Montana; August 16, Bonanza project, Montana; August 17 and 18, Shoshone project, August 19 and 20, Great Falls and Sun river projects; August 21, Lewis and Clark project, Idaho; August 22 and 23, St. Mary lake diversion canal; August 24, Kallispell and Flathead projects; August 25 and 26, Yakima valley project; August 27, arrive at Seattle, Wash.

WOMAN COMES TO RESCUE OF MAN ON SEA OF LIFE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Omaha, Aug. 10.—When off the Oregon coast, en route from San Francisco to Portland, J. W. Elwood of this city wrote on a card, "I want to get married."

Before placing the bit of pasteboard in a bottle and tossing it into the sea he showed the note to his wife.

"I'll prove whether shipwrecked sailors got rescued in this way," said he jokingly.

This was three weeks ago, after the Elks' celebration in Los Angeles, which he had attended.

Today Elwood received a reply to his message, from a woman who signed her name Lucile.

Middleton of Santa Ana, Cal. She said she had picked the bottle up on Newport Beach, California, and closed her letter as follows:

"Strange that I should find the bottle, as I really enjoy a joke. I'm not young, nor so very old. As to looks, less said the better on that point. This will do for a beginning."

Elwood said today that he would give the letter to a friend and he hoped the substitute would be better than the original.

FUEL FOR 1000-MILE
AEROPLANE FLIGHT

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Aug. 10.—Before sailing for Europe today, Orville Wright, the aviator, announced that he had perfected a device for carrying fuel which would make it possible to drive his aeroplane 1000 miles without stopping.

He said that he was confident that the aeroplane would be used very soon for carrying mails, and that it would be able to exceed in swiftness and directness of route the fastest trains that could possibly be operated on railroads.

He said the aeroplane was carrying freight was still in the distant future.

With the new fuel carrying device he expects to be able to keep the aeroplane in the air 25 hours without landing.

Wright was accompanied by his sister, Catherine. He said he would not try for any more records soon, but would devote his time to perfecting the machine.

SCHWARTZ LETTERS
NOT VERY HELPFUL

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Annapolis, Aug. 10.—The general impression here today is that the introduction of the Schwartz letters into the investigation of Lieutenant James N. Sutton's death will not prove so helpful to the defense as expected.

Although Mrs. Sutton's charges are more sensational than she has ever made in calmer moments, much sympathy is being expressed for her.

Her belief in the occult continues to be the striking feature of the case.

Attorney Birtney said she "Have you ever consulted a medium?"

"I did not need a vision," she replied, "my son came himself and told me he'd been killed. I felt the blows that killed him."

HUSBAND AND WIFE
FIGHT FATAL DUEL

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Mrs. Phillip Spitzner was killed by her husband, who is fatally wounded, as the result of a pistol duel in which the couple engaged in their room. The police say the man and his wife engaged in a trivial quarrel. They locked the door and then fought it out with revolvers.

The largest order for radium on record recently was placed in England. It called for about one-quarter of an avoirdupois ounce for the Radium Institute, at a cost of about \$150,000.

The new "wireless" electric fan, which is driven by a battery or accumulator base, making it independent of the usual sources of current, was invented by a Philadelphia physician.

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COURT ZEPPELIN IS MUCH ALIVE

In Hospital, but Will Be Out for More Records at Early Date.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Stuttgart, Aug. 10.—Messner received today from Constance sanitarium, where Count Zeppelin was taken for an operation for an abscess on his neck, ridicule the published reports that the aeronaut had died in the hospital. Zeppelin is recovering rapidly from the operation which was of a simple character. The message ends with the statement: "Zeppelin is so much alive he will probably make a new airship record within a fortnight."

CORAL FISHING FLEET WRECKED

Japanese Fishers to the Number of 457 Lose Their Lives.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Tokio, Aug. 10.—A dispatch from Kobe today stated that the coral fishing fleet on the eastern coast was wrecked and 457 men manning the vessels drowned, during a heavy squall which swept over the coast yesterday.

The tiny boats were hurled against the reefs by the wind and ground to bits by the sharp coral.

Death Roll of the Northwest

Whitman Pioneer Dead.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Colfax, Wash., Aug. 10.—L. Darnelle, a widely known pioneer of Whitman county, aged 83 years, died at St. Ignace hospital of paralysis after an illness of several months, and the body was sent today to Rosalia for burial.

Mr. Darnelle lived for years on a farm near Oakesdale and Rosalia, and was at one time well to do, but during the later years of his life he suffered severe financial reverses by reason of bad investments and through the treachery of alleged friends and for the last 18 months he had been a county charge, having been an inmate of the poor farm at Elberton until he followed the homestead law.

ago and it was only through the generosity of former friends and acquaintances that he was able to defray shipping and burial expenses, that he was not compelled to find a last resting place in the potter's field.

Family troubles entered to a great extent into Mr. Darnelle's misfortunes and he and his wife separated a number of years ago, her present whereabouts, if she is still living, being unknown.

Judge Holgate.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Corvallis, Or., Aug. 10.—The funeral of the late Judge Holgate, who died at Corvallis yesterday morning, occurred this morning at 10 o'clock. The deceased was one of the pioneer residents of Corvallis, having been engaged in the mercantile business in the '50s. He served eight years as county judge of Benton county, and leaves as a monument to his administration the courthouse of which the approximate cost was \$100,000. He also served a term as mayor of Corvallis. He was a lawyer. He was 74 years of age. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, under whose auspices the funeral will be conducted. The surviving members of the family are: H. L. and Don Holgate of Klamath Falls, Arthur Holgate of Sprague, Wash., and William and Miss Helen Holgate of Corvallis.

Banff Hot Springs.

The most attractive mountain resort on the American continent is Banff Hot Springs, situated in the Canadian national park in the very heart of the Rocky mountains. Round trip season rate \$35.

FREIGHT MEN OF C. P. STRIKE

Thousand in Sheds at Fort William Walk Out—Want More Pay.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Fort William, Ont., Aug. 10.—Freight shipment is at a standstill here today as the result of a strike of the freight handlers in the Canadian Pacific sheds. A thousand men walked out yesterday. The strike came as a surprise to the railroad officials as the men made no formal demands of any sort before the strike was ordered.

Higher wages are demanded. Talk of a strike has been heard for some time from the dissatisfied freighters but no action was expected.

SPAN HAS LOST 12,000 SUBJECTS

Lisbon Paper Makes Estimate of Dead in Morocco and Barcelona.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Lisbon, August 10.—Twelve thousand Spaniards lost their lives in the recent fighting in Morocco and the uprising at home, according to today's issue of Duero de Noticias, which has made reliable estimates, including the persons executed at Barcelona and elsewhere by the government. The paper says there is still grave danger of the revolutionary movement sweeping the entire kingdom.

MILLIONS OF ACRES FOR DRY HOMESTEADS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Aug. 10.—Acting Secretary of the Interior Wilson today designated 1,658,640 acres of land in Montana as coming within the enlarged homestead act, making a total in that state of 25,465,200 acres.

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