

BLAKESEY'S WHAT IS DE LARA R. R. THE CASES

STATE STILL IN DOUBT WERE REPORTED? AGAIN IN COURT

Socialist Authority Says 90 Following Indictment by Per Cent of Europeans Grand Jury Pendleton in the Same Boat. Men Are Arraigned.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, Oct. 22.—Morris Hillquit, the lawyer and author of "The History of Socialism in America," strongly defended De Lara, the Mexican Socialist held at the city jail in Los Angeles, charged with being an alien anarchist. In speaking of De Lara today Hillquit said:
"It is generally known that De Lara is a Socialist. That refutes the charges that he is an anarchist. In fact, he is just because De Lara is a Socialist and always has stood for an orderly, legal and constitutional government in Mexico that the Mexican government, which stands for lawlessness and oppression, is persecuting him."
"If De Lara is deported on account of his political views with respect to the country of his birth, then 90 per cent of the Russian immigrants and all others from Europe ought to be deported. And none but men without political ideas, or hopeless reactionaries, are permitted to land in this country."

Jury in the Famous St. Helens Case Unable to Arrive at Verdict After Deliberating 24 Hours—Powder Plot Exposed.

(By Journal Staff Correspondent.)
St. Helens, Or., Oct. 22.—No verdict has been brought in by the jury in the "Toots" Blakesley case for alleged blackmail against County Treasurer E. E. Quick of Columbia county. The jury has been out since 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon—24 hours.

Blakesley's Attitude Explains.

Though an exposé of the plot to blow up the Columbia county courthouse, if such a conspiracy existed, is promised by the county grand jury, in session next week, residents of St. Helens believe the investigation will disclose but little. The supposed plot was formulated about four years ago, it is said, and was to have been carried into effect then. But now, unless Blakesley, whose present stand is a puzzle to the authorities, and who is credited with knowing more than he will disclose, can be forced to give information as to which he has hinted, nothing of a sensational interest will develop.

Investigate Houston Letter.

Attorneys naturally believe Blakesley, or whoever may be the author of the Houston blackmail letter to Quick, must have had a hold on the county official. Many are inclined to believe the persistent rumors reciting the connection. Whether or not the grand jury is able to make anything out of the alleged powder plot, the Houston letter will be again investigated, this time to determine, if possible, something concerning the criminal operations spoken of in the missive.

"Throw Me," So Killed Him.

"I killed that man in San Francisco because he threw me at the last moment," continued the writer. "No one can throw me; remember this afternoon." That was the trial of Blakesley is closed interest in the many complications is still absorbing the public mind. The coroner and stores are the scenes of heated arguments. When the jury entered into deliberations a few minutes after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, popular opinion had it that a verdict would be reached within an hour. But instead of this, the arguments issued from out the jury room during the afternoon, evening and this morning. Two of the jurors have excellent singing voices. During the night they carried on a "diamond drill," explaining that the set purchased with the \$250 you gave me was broken. Then the writer goes on to say he has a big "haul" in prospect and "you will get half," he informs Quick. "In 10 days you will have \$2500." Is one of the concluding declarations.

His Chosen Task Is to Secure Federal Ship Line on Pacific Coast.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 22.—When Congressman James McLachlan returns to Washington for the coming session of congress he will renew his fight for a federal steamship line on the Pacific coast, according to his declaration at a dinner at the Annadale Country club given in his honor last evening.

Color Line Drawn by a Georgia Boy.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 22.—Rather than attend school with colored children Gaddy, Mumford, 12 years of age, ran away from home and the police are searching for him in behalf of his anxious parents.

Boston Entertains Japanese Tourists.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Boston, Oct. 22.—The Boston chamber of commerce will give a dinner this evening in honor of the special commercial commission from Japan, who will spend the next few days in this city. The Japanese are gathering information and data as to the industrial interests of Boston and New England.

Swiss Savant Says Cook Reached Pole.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Zurich, Oct. 22.—Querenlin, chief of the Swiss scientific expedition to Greenland and who was the first European to reach the North Pole, says he had no doubt of Cook's having reached the North Pole.

Schooner Lily May Be Operated Again.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Medford, Or., Oct. 22.—The schooner Lily, which was beached on the north spit of the Umpqua river, will probably be saved with but slight damage. The Lily is owned by Mrs. J. J. G. and was beached during a heavy rain. So far she has not sprung a leak and it is thought that after a few days the sea will carry her over the spit into the river where she can be towed to safety.

Chaplains Niles Made Admiral.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Oct. 22.—Captain Niles, who with Niles was promoted to the rank of rear admiral, succeeding Rear Admiral Blocker, Captain Niles was formerly assistant secretary to the light-house board. Captain William H. Capron was promoted to the rank of lieutenant rear admiral.

Desperate Lawyer and Girl He Cowed

WALSORTH, JR. FOUND GUILTY



Lamar A. Harris, Bank Robber. Nellie Fitzgerald, Bank Clerk.

WOMAN SECURES \$10,000 RANCH

Wife of Mayor A. C. Benbow Homesteads in Richland Country.

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Manuel Hallack Will Also Have Custody of Child.

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Mayor Simon has not ordered women of ill repute to evacuate Portland by November 1. The statement was made by a local paper that the mayor had made such an announcement. This morning the mayor issued a statement that he had done so. He stated that he had simply issued instructions to Chief of Police Cox to suppress the evil. He leaves the modus operandi to accomplish this to the chief.

Following is the mayor's statement to the public:

"I was visited by seven members of the Municipal league yesterday afternoon and was informed by them that vice is rampant and that women of loose morals have congregated in certain portions of the city to the detriment of public morality. As I have said before on a number of occasions, I am not in favor of a restricted district.

"I am an advocate of a clean, moral town, and if conditions are as they have been stated they must be changed. The chief of police has been ordered to eradicate the evil and it is up to him to bring about the ends sought by the Municipal league. I give him carte blanche to do this. However, there will be no sweeping 'Tom' practices like that operated by the past administration.

"But, while the administration is disposed to do all in its power to maintain a proper degree of decency in the morality of the public, I am still of the opinion that the evil is a basic one and can never be wholly eradicated. We may be able to keep the cancer covered, but unless some new remedy is found I doubt if it ever can be cured. Nevertheless, it must not flaunt and it shall not. I was ordered to learn that things were as bad as they apparently are.

"Neither was I aware that gambling had been allowed. I am unalterably opposed to this form of vice and have ordered it to be stamped out. I had no idea that the Municipal league had told that such was the case yesterday.

"As to boxing bouts, they will be allowed under the supervision of a referee to be selected by the Municipal league. I am not in favor of professional boxing matches, but I think amateur contests, such as are given by the Multnomah club, are all right. Or boxing exhibitions where there is no betting on the result, I think, would not be harmful.

"President D. A. Pattullo, J. M. Bain, Sam Connelley, W. F. Edwards, M. E. Thompson and Dr. Osmon Royal of the Municipal league, and H. W. Stone of the Y. M. C. A. were the members of the delegation which visited the mayor yesterday and secured from him assurances that he would do his best to have the matter remedied.

Official notice was given all rooming houses and places known to harbor immoral women last evening by the police, and after November 1, such women will not be allowed to lodge. Sergeant Riley, Smith and Goltz made the rounds notifying the proprietors of such places that everything must be adjusted by the first of the month. The houses in question will be under police surveillance hereafter.

RAILROAD MAN ON HIS WEDDING TOUR

L. W. Landman of Chicago, general western passenger agent for the New York Central lines, arrived in Portland over the O. R. & N. at noon today and was met at the depot by the usual delegation of Portland railroad men. Mr. Landman is the most popular of the eastern railroad men who come to Portland and has never failed to be met by a reception committee from Railroad Row. He was met today by the same old committee, but all that its members could do was to extend the glad hand of congratulation and silently lead him to a waiting taxicab, whose chauffeur had been instructed to take the New York Central man to the Portland. At that hotel a bridal suite was awaiting him.

For the first time in all his trips to the coast, Mr. Landman is not coming alone, he having been married in Chicago a week or so ago, and this being his honeymoon trip. Mr. and Mrs. Landman will reach Portland until Monday for the same period one year ago. The bridegroom was formerly secretary of the Association of Traveling Passenger Agents.

FIGURES WILL LIKELY BREAK ALL RECORDS

During the first 22 days of October, ending at noon today, building permits to the value of \$1,542,886 were issued from the building inspector's office. This is more than double the value of new construction authorized for the same period one year ago, and nearly \$200,000 in excess of the permits issued during the month of September.

The indications are that the value of the permits issued this month will reach \$2,000,000, and establish a new high record for new buildings authorized by the Portland building inspector in any one month.

5000 VISITORS AT TOUCHET VALLEY FAIR

Dayton, Wash., Oct. 22.—Five thousand attended the second day of the Touchet valley fair yesterday. An excursion train from Walla Walla brought 600 visitors. Race results: 2:37 1/2—Bonnie McK. won; Senator H. second; Onsey, third. Time, 2:31. Free for all trot—Mayo won; Lida Carter, second; Packline, third. Time, 2:21.

One fourth mile dash—Sadie H. won; Polo, second; Brushup, third. Time, 2:46.

Mile dash—Redmont won; Dave Weber second; Lander, third. Time, 1:47.

Five eighths dash—Estella won; David Boland, second; Scooter, third. Time, 1:08 1/2.

Relay race, one mile—Bartlett, 7:02; Markham, 7:55; Jenson, 8:24.

W. C. T. U. CONSIDERS CHARTER CHANGES

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 22.—The report of the executive committee on the consideration of the amendments to the constitution were features of today's session of the W. C. T. U. in national convention here. Miss Louise Hollister of Oregon was one of the principal speakers at this morning's session. Mrs. Dorcas J. Spenser will address the convention this afternoon.

J. W. PERKINS LANDS ON SERIOUS CHARGE

J. W. Perkins, a traveling salesman staying at the Bellevue, was arrested at noon today on complaint of Miss Lena Blegenstaff, chambermaid at that place. She alleges that while the evening roomer was seated at a table and upon her refusal to strike her several times in the face.

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Special Dispatch to The Journal.
Marshfield, Or., Oct. 22.—The new gasoline schooner Oskosh, built at North Bend, has left on her maiden trip for Astoria. She is owned by the Oskosh & South Coast Transportation company and will run between North Bend, Astoria, Tillamook and other points in that section. On her first trip on the bay she developed a speed of 10 1/2 knots.