

DOROTHY RUSSELL  
FLEES SOUTHWARD  
AS MRS. DUNSMUIR  
REPROVES BY  
VOTERS OF STATE

With Her Flits Mr. Dunsmuir—  
Hot Times in Old Towns En  
Route—Real Mrs. D. Can Do  
as She Likes About It.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
San Francisco, Cal., May 28.—In the picturesque old cities of Mexico and Central America, Dorothy Russell, the beautiful daughter of Lillian Russell, is challenging the popularity of bullfights and flamenco with her dances and gay songs.

They are hoping, and while the merry voyage progresses Mrs. Robin Dunsmuir, daughter of Mrs. E. Shookert of Sausalito, is awaiting word from her husband, undecided as to whether she should bring her suit for divorce or continue to be separated from her pleasure-loving husband. He is indifferent as to which course his wife pursues.

And the clever Dorothy, whose histrionic star shows with intermittent brilliancy during a brief career in a local cafe, is entertaining the natives of the south and a few straggling army and navy officers with a few select dances, the steps of which she acquired when her much-praised mother consented to allow her to enter the realm of musical comedy.

Passengers arrived in this city from the south telling interesting stories of the escapades which make Dunsmuir and his pretty companion the talk of Mexico and Central America.

The pair began the evasive cutting process at San Jose de Guatemala, the first port on Dunsmuir's itinerary. They met at Mazatlan, Mexico, whence Miss Russell had hurriedly gone when a good friend told her that Mrs. Dunsmuir was in San Francisco on the trail of her husband.

"Tropical Dance in the Tropics."  
It was in San Jose de Guatemala that Miss Russell created the furore which made her a welcome guest in the circles which she visited later. She accomplished a graceful dance there which every eye witnessed was in harmony with the temperate and southern climate. Though the spectators were mostly Indians and the pavilion an open air affair, young Dunsmuir revelled in the plaudits that his fair companion won.

"It was a spectacular affair," said one of the eye-witnesses who arrived in San Francisco on the steamer San Juan, "and Miss Russell and young Dunsmuir drank and drank champagne."

Dunsmuir is going to Peru to look over some mining property and the fair Dorothy has promised to brave the ferocity of the Andes with him. Of course a few of their new acquaintances know that they are on a romantic escapade and that the real Mrs. Dunsmuir is anxiously awaiting word from her husband.

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Federation of Labor Files Petition Proposing Amendment to the Constitution of State of Oregon.

(Special Bureau of The Journal.)  
Salem, Or., May 28.—An amendment to the constitution of Oregon abolishing the poll tax and making it necessary that all tax laws shall be approved by the people and removing therefrom all constitutional restrictions has been initiated by the State Federation of Labor. A petition containing the text of the amendment was today presented to the secretary of state's office for filing, which proposes such an amendment to the constitution. The petition will be filed as soon as the names can be checked over and their validity ascertained.

The text of the proposed amendment follows: "Section 1. No poll or head tax shall be levied or collected in Oregon; no bill regulating taxation or exemption from taxation throughout the state shall become a law until approved by the people of the state at a regular election; none of the restrictions of the constitution shall apply to measures approved by people declaring what shall be subject to taxation or exemption therefrom. Others are proposed for the creation of the counties of Nesmith, Williams and Otis, the former two overlapping each other in an attempt to absorb portions of Lane and Douglas counties. Otis to be created from portions of Grant, Malheur and Harney counties; the proposition to change the boundary between Clackamas and Multnomah counties, the equal suffrage amendment giving the ballot to women who pay taxes, and a state normal school to be located at Monmouth.

Aside from abolishing poll tax, this amendment makes it necessary that all tax measures shall be submitted to the people for approval and when once approved, no further question on constitutional grounds.

No measure once approved by people after this amendment is adopted can be declared unconstitutional by the courts. It becomes a part of the constitution. This taxation amendment is the eighth measure already proposed to be passed on by the people at the next general election in November, including the referendum on the increase of salary for Circuit Judge William Smith of Baker county. Others are proposals for the creation of the counties of Nesmith, Williams and Otis, the former two overlapping each other in an attempt to absorb portions of Lane and Douglas counties. Otis to be created from portions of Grant, Malheur and Harney counties; the proposition to change the boundary between Clackamas and Multnomah counties, the equal suffrage amendment giving the ballot to women who pay taxes, and a state normal school to be located at Monmouth.

UNION TAKES FLING AT THE POLITICIANS

At the regular meeting of Local No. 87, International Union of Stationary Engineers, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "Whereas certain engineers of this city are trying to have an ordinance passed by the city council to license engineers; and

Whereas, articles appearing in the press make it appear that the friends of the Andes with him, a few of their new acquaintances know that they are on a romantic escapade and that the real Mrs. Dunsmuir is anxiously awaiting word from her husband.

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FROM COLLIERIES  
SHREDS OF SUSPICION

Gossip Said to Have Been Given Impetus by Interests That Are Hostile to Theatrical Magnate.

(By The International News Service.)  
New York, May 28.—Positive denial was made today by John Murray, representing A. L. Erlanger, of a rumor that Mr. Erlanger had resigned as the executive head of the theatrical syndicate. The rumor was sent along the Rio by interests hostile to the syndicate and was published in a weekly newspaper representing the independent. According to the report, Mr. Erlanger announced his resignation at a meeting of the syndicate Thursday night at the New Amsterdam theatre building. This action, so the rumor went, was the outcome of pressure brought to bear upon Mr. Erlanger by members of the syndicate who have not been in sympathy with his policy as the syndicate's head.

Charles Frohman and Al Hayman, are among those supposed to have been dissatisfied with Mr. Erlanger's way of running the organization. The syndicate sometime ago lost the booking of a large number of houses throughout the country and the independent have been saying that Mr. Erlanger was blamed for it. No member of the syndicate will admit that any friction exists.

4000 SHEEP TO GO  
TO LARGE SUMMER  
RANGE IN BASIN

Ten Cars Take Basins From Gilliam County to Wyoming; Band Is Valued at Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

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Condon, May 28.—Four thousand sheep belonging to Andrew Patterson, A. M. Smith and Mac Smith, were shipped to summer range in the Big Basin country of Wyoming yesterday. A train of 10 cars was necessary for the band and three men accompanied them.

This is one of the largest bands that has passed through Condon this year, although many of 2500 have gone through to summer range in the Blue mountains. At attempt was made to secure grazing in Oregon, but it was unsuccessful. It is owing to this lack of land that sheep raising on a large scale is gradually being given up in this section.

The sheep in this band are mixed yearlings and are valued at about \$15,000. They were wintered in the Mayville country just south of Condon.

"PORTLAND'S BEST" TO BE INSPECTED BY PUBLIC

The public is invited to the annual inspection of the police department next Thursday at the Armory. Captain John Moore has been drilling the men the past two months for the event. The men have undergone a thorough course in drill and in the use of their arms. Medals will be presented to Patrolmen Stahl and Crawford. Both men have been commended for killing two of the most dangerous holdup men in recent years. Both patrolmen took their own lives in their hands while the holdup men were in the acts of robbing saloons.

WOMAN DROPS DEAD AFTER EATING SUPPER

Mrs. Fannie Barry, 188 Caruthers street, dropped dead last evening while clearing away the dinner dishes. The woman was the widow of James Barry, a time city detective, who has been dead several years. She was 47 years old. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

Mrs. Barry and her daughter, Mrs. Katherine Fisher, were alone in the home. They had just finished dinner when Mrs. Barry arose from the table and walked across the room. She gave a sigh and sank into a chair. When Dr. E. H. Sheldon arrived the woman was dead.

Mrs. Barry was a daughter of P. G. Baker, an early settler and a capitalist in his day. She was also a sister of John Baker, sister-in-law of John Annetta and Abe Tichenor. She has been ill during the past few years. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

O. R. & N. MEETS RATE OF NORTH BANK ROAD

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