

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight with heavy frost; Friday fair; Saturday fair; westerly winds.

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COAST TEMPERATURES

Table with 2 columns: Location (Seattle, Spokane, San Francisco, Portland, Astoria, Marshfield) and Temperature (5 A. M. Today).

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PORTLAND, OREGON, THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 21, 1912.—TWENTY-FOUR PAGES. PRICE TWO CENTS

OF TRAINS AND NEWS STANDS FIVE CENTS

LA FOLLETTE WILL URGE IMMEDIATE ALASKA OPENING

His Plan Is for Federal Operation of Northern Coal Mines and a Steamship Line by Way of Panama Canal.

"AGGRESSIVE ACTION" SLOGAN FOR COAST TRIP

Wisconsin Senator to Make Next Stand for Support on Pacific Slope.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 21.—Government ownership and operation of Alaskan coal mines and an Alaskan steamship line by way of the Pacific ports through the Panama canal to New York.

While La Follette's next personal appeal to the voters is to be made in Nebraska, his campaign in that state will be short, and then he is at once to move on the Pacific coast.

La Follette's plan, it is pointed out by his friends, is the most important proposition of the sort ever placed before the people.

La Follette will not only insist that it is feasible, but it is expected will declare that there should not be delay until the canal is completed, but that as soon as any apparatus can be spared from the isthmus it should be sent north for development work.

RUMORS OF WAR SEND GERMANS IN CANADA FLOCKING BACK HOME

Every Able-Bodied Subject of Kaiser Said to Be Preparing to Leave.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Montreal, March 21.—Following the announcement of strained relations between England and Germany every able-bodied subject of Kaiser Wilhelm living in Canada, who is still attached to the German army reserve, is said to be making preparations to return to the fatherland, acting under the firm belief that between England and Germany is inevitable and only a short war off.

LAKE STEAMER CAUGHT IN ICE FLOE NEAR SHORE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Milwaukee, Wis., March 21.—Stranded in a dangerous position in an ice floe one mile from shore, the steamer Conestoga was sighted in distress in Lake Michigan from here today.

Double Tragedy Ends Search for Gold Widow and Girl Killed in Mountains

Pictures Show Frank Eaurvaerts and the two Oregon Women He Is Accused of Murdering; Upper Picture Is of Eaurvaerts and Julia Francois, 19-Year-Old Girl of The Dalles, and Lower Is of Belgian and Mrs. Harriett Guyot of Portland. These Pictures Were Taken Near the Trio's Camp in the Southern California Hills.



BODIES OF SLAIN OREGON WOMEN DUG UP AT CAMP

Remains of Widow and Girl Found Buried in California Hills—Accused Slayer Accuses Man Who Informed.

(Special to The Journal.) Riverside, Cal., March 21.—The bodies of Mrs. Harriett Guyot of Portland, Or., and 19-year-old Julia Francois of The Dalles, Or., for whose murder Frank Eaurvaerts, their companion, is held in jail here, were found last night buried near the trio's camp.

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2 DEPUTIES WERE SLAIN BY TORNOW PROBABLY MAR. 9

Thirteen Men Proceed Today to Oxbow Camp to Bring Bodies; Then Will Come the Great Man Hunt for Slayer.

(Special to The Journal.) Aberdeen, Wash., March 21.—Thirteen men headed by Sheriff Ed Payette and including Deputy Coroner W. H. Whitelid and Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Dan Pearl left this morning for Oxbow camp to bring in the bodies of Deputy Sheriffs Colin McKenzie and A. V. Elmer, whose bodies were discovered in a shallow grave, not 30 feet from the camp of John Tornow, their slayer, shortly before noon yesterday morning.

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14 MINERS TAKEN ALIVE FROM FIERY GRAVE; 70 REMAIN

Men Are Rescued After All Hope Is Given Up and Relief Train Has Been Sent Away.

25 ESCAPE WITH LIFE; 20 BODIES RECOVERED

Shaft Is Burning Mass and the Rescue Work Is Extremely Hazardous.

(United Press Leased Wire.) McCurtain, Okla., March 21.—Fourteen miners were rescued alive this afternoon from the burning mine No. 2 of the San Bois Coal company, which was wrecked by a gas explosion. This brings the total of those removed alive up to 25, with 70 still entombed.

EX-SENATOR LEVI ANKENY IS AT HOT LAKE, VERY ILL

(Special to The Journal.) Baker, Or., March 21.—Ex-United States Senator Levi Ankeny, of Walla Walla, president of the First National bank of this city and of many other financial institutions in Oregon and Washington, is a patient at the Hot Lake sanitarium, suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

TAFT GETS VERY SMALL VOTE IN NORTH DAKOTA

(United Press Leased Wire.) Fargo, N. D., March 21.—That the vote for President Taft in the state presidential preference primary will not exceed 2500 is shown in additional returns received here today.

40-MILE GALE FLINGS BLINDING SLEET STORM AGAINST MIDDLE WEST

Transcontinental Trains Delayed and Suburban Traffic Paralyzed at Chicago.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, March 21.—A three-inch fall of snow last night was followed today by a blinding sleet storm, which is driven by a 40-mile gale, causing much suffering. All transcontinental trains are hours behind their schedules or have been cancelled.

RUNAWAY PRISONER COMES BACK ALONE

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, March 21.—John McMillan, the "honor prisoner" who broke faith with Governor West of Oregon when he fled from the tuberculosis hospital at the Salem penitentiary, where he was stationed to do light work without guard and who surrendered himself here several days ago because his conscience haunted him continually for breaking his word, will be sent back to the Salem penitentiary today on the steamer Bear.

BILL TO REDUCE DUTY ON WOOL INTRODUCED

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 21.—Congressman Underwood introduced in the house today a bill reducing the duty on wool, which is identical with the measure vetoed by President Taft.

TAFT NOT IN AGGRESSIVE MOOD

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 21.—Advisers of President Taft here today are advising him to reply scathingly to Colonel Roosevelt's attack upon him in his New York speech last night.

COAL STRIKE STOPS OPERATIONS ON BIG ENGLISH RAILROAD

Without Fuel for Engines, the Great Central Announces It Will Halt All Trains Until Mines Are Reopened.

BALFOUR SAYS NATION FACING GREATEST CRISIS

Conservative Leader Joins Labor Members in Fight on Minimum Wage Bill.

(United Press Leased Wire.) London, March 21.—Because it is impossible to get coal with which to run its engines, the Great Central railroad today posted notices that it will suspend operations on Sunday next until the strike of the coal miners is ended.

SOCIALIST IS JAILED

(United Press Leased Wire.) Salford, England, March 21.—Because he urged the British soldiers to refuse to shoot their "fathers and brothers" if called upon for duty in connection with the coal miners' strike, Tom Mann, a leader of the Socialist Labor party, was today remanded to jail without bail.

DAMROSE MURDER CONFIRMED

(United Press Leased Wire.) The tragedy which ended the life of John Damrose, near Yoncalla, as told by Charles Humphrey, has been established practically as explained by Humphrey.

WAS AGED MOTHER OF GEO. HUMPHREY POISONED BY HIM?

Three Weeks Ago She Rose From Supper and Fell Unconscious, Remaining So Until She Died.

DEMAND IS HEARD THAT HER BODY BE EXHUMED

Witnesses at Corvallis Go Before Grand Jury in the Griffith Case.

(Special to The Journal.) Corvallis, Or., March 21.—That the last victim of the bloodthirsty George Humphrey was his mother, is the opinion of men who have worked on the case and who are familiar with the sudden death of Mrs. King, aged 77, near Banks, three weeks ago.

IT IS BEING URGED THAT THE BODY OF MRS. KING BE EXHUMED AND A SEARCH FOR POISON INSTITUTED

(United Press Leased Wire.) The doctor came, prescribed and left. Day after day the aged woman lay unconscious, finally dying. The body was prepared for burial, and to attend the funeral George had his hair cut and shaved—a most unusual adventure for him.

INSURRECTOS KIDNAP TEN OF CITY'S MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMEN

(United Press Leased Wire.) Mexico City, March 21.—Ten of the most beautiful society girls of Mexico City have been kidnaped by rebel soldiers and carried into the mountains, according to dispatches received here today.

SOCIETY GIRLS ARE CARRIED INTO MOUNTAINS BY MEXICAN REBEL SOLDIERS

(United Press Leased Wire.) More than 200 rurales revolted here today and were only subdued after 51 of their number had escaped. The ringleaders in the mutiny probably will be shot.



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