

TENTATIVE DRAFT OF JINNEY ORDINANCE IS COMPLETED BY DALY

Provides 25-Year Agreement, Tax of \$6 Each Quarter, and Monthly Inspection.

SCHEDULE NECESSITATED

Cars Must Run Every 10 Minutes on Hawthorne Avenue Part of the Day, Five Minutes Remainder.

A tentative draft for the first of a series of 25 year franchises to be granted to jitney drivers has been prepared by Commissioner Daly and City Attorney La Roche. Mr. Daly will ask the city council to adopt this franchise, and make all other franchises conform with this one.

The new franchise is made out for the Union Motor Bus company, and will enable it to run a line of jitneys over Hawthorne avenue to East Fifth street.

According to the tentative draft, jitneys will be allowed to continue on the present limited routes and along the streets used by streetcars. The compensation to the city will be the same as under the license system. Six dollars will be paid to the city every three months for each car operated, except for the tipper cars put on during rush hours. No charge will be made for these cars.

A charge not to exceed 5 cents will be levied against passengers under the new system, and persons may not stand on the running boards.

The franchise provides that each machine must be inspected at least once every 30 days, and they must be given five minutes during the remainder of the day.

No person under 21 years may drive a jitney. One car may not pass another on the same route, and persons may not stand on the running boards.

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DENIES MAKING COMPLAINT

Mrs. Hubach Finds No Fault with the D. A. R.

Mrs. Fred Hubach, 1441 Cleveland avenue, whose husband is with the Oregon troops at the Mexican border, wishes to correct the impression that has gone forth that she made complaint of the treatment accorded her by the Daughters of the American Revolution, who have given her financial assistance.

"I do not seek charity," she said, "but I appreciate all that has been done to help me. What I want though, is help in getting my husband released so he can return home to the care of his family. We are in debt and the assistance that has been given me by the D. A. R. is not enough to enable us to get along, and I have done everything I can to get my husband released, but so far without success. If the D. A. R. can do that for me it will be the greatest possible help."

Hubach was a laborer employed by the city when the call to arms was issued. The city council has sent a request for his release and the D. A. R. has also asked for his release.

Hillside Boulevard Closed.

The Linton Hillside boulevard will be closed for repairs for an indefinite period. The road is considered unsafe, and the city commissioners decided to have it closed for repairs instead of having it definitely closed, as assessments against the property owners may not become invalidated a sign will be placed at each end of the thoroughfare and a few laborers will be put to work.

Weather Cuts Water Profit.

The cool weather during the past few months has cost the city some \$10,000 or \$12,000, according to a report by Water Superintendent Kalar. People have not sprinkled their lawns as much as last summer and have used less water for other purposes. Twelve hundred fewer applications have been made at the water bureau for permits from flat rate water users, which is a total loss of \$2000 loss to the city. And users of meters have not run up the large bills that were formerly turned in.

Auditorium Work Delayed.

Hans Peterson, the contractor in charge of the work on the public auditorium, was granted an extension of 28 days by the city council yesterday. The time was granted for the delay in the completion of the work. The work was delayed because of the difficulty in securing the steel to be used in the structure.

Jitney Franchise Drafted.

A tentative draft for jitney franchises has been prepared by Commissioner Daly and City Attorney La Roche and will be presented to the next meeting of the council for adoption.

Dust Cause of Complaint.

A petition was received by the city council yesterday from the residents on Killingsworth avenue asking that the street be watered at least twice a day. The petition states that the dust on the street is several inches in depth.

Lieutenant Guynes Gets 2 More Taubes

Paris, Aug. 18.—The title of champion serial duellist of the war belongs to Sub-Lieutenant Guynes of France, according to claims of a French official statement issued here today. Guynes has just brought down two more Taubes, bringing his total of victims up to 14.

Fuel Already Short

There are indications that a shortage of fuel this coming winter. Lay in a supply now from the oil fields and coal dealers whose advertisements are in today's Journal.

EMMA GOLDMAN

THE NOTED ANARCHIST

LAST TWO LECTURES

AT TUESDAY, 4th and Yamhill streets, tonight, 8 o'clock.

Mexico Bars Alien Ownership of Land

Americans and Others Must Renounce Citizenship in Native Country and Also Agree to Complain to U. S.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 18.—(U. P.)—American citizens and others acquiring property in Mexico must not only renounce citizenship and nationality rights in their native country, but must also renounce their right to complain or demand the protection of any other country, under a decree made by President Carranza, transmitted to Consul Garcia here today.

The decree covers mineral, forest and water rights and fisheries. The message to Garcia says that "Fundamental laws prescribe that foreigners enjoy equal rights and in consideration of this the first chief deemed it only natural that foreigners contract equal obligations towards Mexicans."

MAXWELL MUST TO DEFEND DEFENDANTS IN THE BOMB KILLINGS

Well Known Criminal Lawyer Counsel for One of Prisoners in a Previous Case.

San Francisco, Aug. 18.—(P. N. S.)—Maxwell McNutt, one of the foremost criminal lawyers of the city, today appeared for the first time in the bomb cases as general counsel for the five persons indicted for murder as a result of the explosion at Steuart and Market streets, July 22, which caused the death of nine men and women.

McNutt was retained by Robert Miller, secretary of the International Defense League, a New York artist whose work has won him national fame, has been here for two weeks.

It was McNutt who defended one of the men indicted, Thomas J. Mooney, when the latter was twice tried at Martinez on charges of blowing up power towers at the Carquinez straits during an electrical workers' strike.

McNutt said today:

"Money has from the first expressed a desire to be defended by McNutt, once declaring that the lawyer was the only man who ever got the better of him in an argument."

It was McNutt's desire to secure a lawyer of his own choosing that Mooney, on his last appearance in court before Superior Judge Frank H. Dunne, objected to the latter's appointment of Sydney P. Robertson to act as counsel.

All the defendants were scheduled to appear for pleading before Judge Dunne on Monday. McNutt said today:

"I do not seek delay simply to block the case, the defense has nothing to conceal. I will ask time, however, to familiarize myself with the case, of which I know little."

Billings is being defended by John G. Lawlor and E. H. Lomasney, Nolan by William Hoff Cook and Albert Waldstein, and Weinberg by J. G. Reiser.

Sale of Bricks Will Be Permitted

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 18.—Circuit Judge Campbell signed an order Friday permitting the sale of the bricks of the Unique Brick Co. at the Hoover station, for not less than \$8 a thousand.

Storm Was Bad One, They Say

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 18.—Judge Grant B. Dimick and Will L. Mulvey witnessed a hail storm near Wilsonville, and the latter, they say, was one of the heaviest ever seen in this country in years.

The storm, according to the two attorneys, did considerable damage to the crops near Wilsonville and in other parts of the southern end of the county which suffered by the same storm. Hop vines in some of the yards about the city were damaged to the point where they will probably aggregate quite a large sum.

Bankruptcy Proceedings Filed.

Bankruptcy proceedings were filed today in the federal court at Tacoma by J. G. Bennett, Alwood & Braley and Clinton C. Fleet, local firms, to whom it is alleged that J. F. Ruddleck, of the Hawley Pulp & Paper Co., of Portland, had failed to pay them \$10,000.

Both of the firms, 22, both of Portland; Ray B. Slough, 22, both of Portland; and Miss Thelma S. Smith, 24, both of Portland.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 18.—Marriage licenses have been issued here by the county auditor to the following persons: Vern Elwood Beal, 21, and Miss Florence Minton, 17, both of Portland; Oscar D. Davis, 17, and Miss Hattie Jones, 22, both of Portland; Ray B. Slough, 22, both of Portland; and Miss Thelma S. Smith, 24, both of Portland.

Herrera to Be Sentenced.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—Herrera, convicted of killing Mrs. Soledad Juarez two months ago in the presence of her husband, will be sentenced next week.

Prepare for Next Winter

Portland, Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—The city of Portland is today preparing for next winter by securing coal and other fuel at low prices.

BRECK'S PREDICTIONS THAT THE ALLIES WILL TRIUMPH PRESENT WAR

Belief Expressed Germany's Military Will Collapse Because of Impaired Morale.

WANT NO INTERFERENCE

Neutrals Should Refrain From Interfering by Volunteer, Says Former Federal Attorney.

By Hon. James Montgomery Breck. Former Assistant Attorney General of the United States. Special to the Oregon Daily Journal.

London, Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—I have had a most interesting visit in England and France in one of the stormiest crises of human history and I carry back to America the spirit of absolute confidence in the ultimate and not distant triumph of the allies, of which I have seen so many striking evidences.

If I were asked to state the two most impressive things I saw, I would answer the British fleet and the defense of Verdun.

While the latter town is sufficiently ruined to remind one of Pompeii, yet the citadel remains unimpaired and the encircling armies of France stand like a wall.

Before I came I believed that Germany's internal resources were suffering from a slow disintegration and that the war would end in a decisive battle. I am sure now that the military power of Germany may not suddenly collapse through impaired morale and deficiency of munitions.

Neutrals should keep out. Neutral nations have for many reasons refused to participate in the war. This non-participation in many cases may be justified, but it would seem manifest to me that the failure to participate makes it most unwise that any nation should interfere by volunteer, mediation or otherwise when the battle is won. It can do no possible good and may do harm.

When the allies win they have paid for the victory with an appalling cost of life and treasure and may therefore feel justified to determine, free from any interference on the part of neutral nations, the questions between themselves and the enemy.

I venture the suggestion that when the war is ended, the allied nations should select five distinguished jurists and four neutral nations, say Holland, Switzerland, Belgium, and the United States, each to be asked to name a jurist body thus to be formed to consider primarily what offenses of the central powers and of such belligerent nations as have been guilty of such offenses as to justify post-bellum punitive action against individuals and in what manner such punitive measures should be taken.

Justice must be meted out. These principles should be as generous as possible to the vanquished and consistent with the highest interests of civilization, which require that generous to the vanquished as individuals should be observed, lest civilization retrograde to the barbarism of former ages.

No instance of the war more strikingly raises the question thus indicated than the capture of the Lusitania, which was a deliberate and wanton sacrifice of non-combatants, especially of women and children. To the Lusitania character, it is very doubtful whether America will change its attitude of neutrality.

GERMAN ATTACKS ON FRENCH LINES FAIL; LOSSES ARE HEAVY

Grenades Used In Attempts to Drive French From the Trenches Near Verdun.

Paris, Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—The Germans entered a small element of a French trench north of Maurepas in the most violent counter attacks against all the newly won French positions north of the Somme last night, but at the point where they were completely repulsed, it was officially announced today.

On the Verdun front the French captured and ruined houses on the outskirts of Fleury village to which the Germans still cling.

The German assaults north of the Somme reached their greatest violence between Maurepas and Fleury. The Teutons vainly attempted to expel the French from the outskirts of Maurepas and throw back the French lines threatening to encircle the village. They suffered heavy losses under French machine gun fire. The French took 50 prisoners.

South of the Somme artillery was most active in the region of Belleau en Seine, where the French recently advanced their lines and also near Estrees.

The Germans resumed the fighting on the northwestern front of Verdun last night with two grenade attacks against the French salient north of Avocourt and against Hill 304. Both attacks were completely repulsed. The Germans were driven back to their trenches after suffering heavy losses. Artillery was most active on the whole Verdun front.

In Thursday's and Friday's fighting the French captured 300 unarmored prisoners.

Austrians Capture Carpathian Heights

Russians Make Violent Attacks on Von Hindenburg's Forces, According to Official Report From Vienna.

Vienna, Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—Capture of Stara-Obzovyna heights in the Carpathians by Archduke Charles' forces was claimed today by the Austrian official statement.

The statement added that a violent 12-hour engagement, during which the Russians drove forward in a series of continuous assaults occurred on Von Hindenburg's front between Perepyntsi and Pleniaka. Most of the assaults broke down before the Teuton batteries and the Russian advance was stopped at points where the Russian did enter the Teuton positions, notably near Manayov, they were quickly ejected.

Liquor Is Seized by Federal Authorities

Three Boxes Marked "Hardware" Are Taken as They Were Being Unloaded From the Steamer Boko City.

Three boxes marked "hardware" were seized by Sherman Miles and a number of internal revenue agents yesterday afternoon as they were being unloaded from the Rose City at the Alinsworth dock.

The boxes contained a large quantity of liquor, which was consigned to E. S. Simpson, who is now under surveillance of the federal officers.

The liquor was shipped in violation of the internal revenue regulations, the interstate commerce law and Oregon's prohibition law.

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Japanese Squadron Routed by Austrians

Fight, However, Has Nothing to Do With Europe's Troubles. Squabble Is on Between California Fishermen.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—A violent naval engagement off the California coast north of Long Beach was unofficially reported here today between a Japanese squadron and an Austrian convoy. The Austrians were victorious.

The battle had no connection with Europe's troubles, however, these two squadrons engaged were fishing smacks.

Salvos of albicore, halibut and barracuda decided the fate of the Japanese, who were bolted in the cabin of their ship by Austrian gunners who had boarded their vessel.

A fishing war is on between Japanese and Austrian fishermen.

NEW FEDERAL FARM LOAN ACT WILL BE EXPLAINED TONIGHT

Much Interest Centers in Address of Herbert Myrick, Noted Expert.

GENERAL PUBLIC INVITED

Bankers and Business Men and Farmers Expected at Meeting at Chamber of Commerce.

The workings of the new federal farm loan act will be discussed at a meeting to be held in the Chamber of Commerce at 8 o'clock tonight by Herbert Myrick, of Springfield, Mass., one of the foremost authorities on the subject of rural credits in the country.

Invitations to hear the address have been sent to farmers and bankers throughout the state and a large attendance is expected. The general public will be welcome at the meeting and all interested in rural credits are invited to be present.

A. L. Mills, president of the First National bank, will preside. It is expected that Governor Withycombe, President Kerr of Oregon Agricultural college, C. E. Spence, master of the state grange, and J. D. Brown, head of the farmers union, will be present. Mr. Myrick is editor-in-chief of the Orange Judd farm publications and has been an ardent worker for rural credits for years. The recently enacted farm loan measure was largely due to his efforts.

Portland is a candidate for the location of a branch farm loan bank, as provided in the act, and the state committee in charge of the Portland campaign will consult with Mr. Myrick during his visit.

The recently appointed farm loan board will hold a public hearing to listen to Portland's claims early in September.

MILLS DOUBTFUL ABOUT POLICY ON FEDERAL LAND BANK

"Until I hear Mr. Myrick at the Chamber of Commerce tonight I will be undecided as to the proper steps in the campaign for a federal land bank in Portland," said A. L. Mills, president of the First National bank and chairman of the committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to inaugurate a campaign for a national rural credit bank at noon today.

"Indeed, I am undecided as to whether we should make a campaign or not," Mr. Mills continued. "It would be necessary for instance to secure subscriptions of \$100,000 to the state outside the existing banks and the state cannot contribute toward the amount I am sure. Then I want to learn from Mr. Myrick exactly what will be the benefits to the general public and to the investors through such a bank. Until some of these points are cleared up there is really little to do or to say."

Mr. Mills said that as yet the committee has not formulated even a tentative plan of action in behalf of a national rural credit bank.

Warrant Is Issued For Tacoma Man

Charge of Arson Follows Fire in Company Store; Receiver Asked; M. C. Tebbetts Not Found, Say Police.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—A warrant for the arrest of M. C. Tebbetts, president of M. C. Tebbetts, Inc., a company operating a chain of stores in Tacoma, Olympia and Spokane, on a charge of arson, followed close this afternoon upon the appointment of a receiver for the company and a report that Tebbetts could not be found in Tacoma.

The arson charge grows out of what Fire Marshal Chantrel and the police declare to have been an incendiary attempt last Tuesday night on the company store located at Twelfth and A streets.

The charge that Tebbetts could not be found was made in the application of the Carstens Packing company for the appointment of a receiver. Police declared that Tebbetts had fled the night, first having shipped the last of his household furniture to Seattle.

S. P. & S. Employees to Picnic at Cascades

Vancouver Employees to Be Picked Up En Route Tomorrow; Grained Pig Will Form Feature of Program.

Employees of the S. P. & S. company will picnic at the Cascades, Wash., tomorrow, leaving Portland on a special train at 8 o'clock. Vancouver employees will be picked up at the station in that city. About 1200 employees are expected to attend. The day will be spent in games and sports, scores of prizes having been provided. A feature of the program will be an attempt to catch a grained pig.

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Private Exhibition Is Given of Great Film

Pantomime, Music and Mechanical Effects Make "Civilization" Realistic to Guests of Kellig Management.

Newspapermen and their friends, city officials, and prominent people were guests of the Kellig management last night at a private exhibition of the new film, "Civilization," at the Kellig management. The screening was accompanied by a pantomime promenade rendered by a troupe of 25 actors, a large orchestra which rendered the incidental music and the mechanical effects which gave a highly realistic effect.

The guests were greeted by J. E. Weirlein on behalf of the management. Mr. Weirlein gave a brief explanation of the film and the reason for peace that it is hoped it will teach.

SEATTLE BANKS ARE ENJOINED IN EFFORT TO REDUCE INTEREST

Injunction Holds Until Aug. 23, When Hearing Will Be Given the Defendants.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—Thirteen of the largest Seattle banks and houses were enjoined today by Superior Court Judge John S. Jurey from carrying into effect an alleged conspiracy to reduce the annual rate of interest paid on commercial and savings deposits in this city from four to three percent.

The injunction also covers what Edward C. Neufelder, president of the Peoples Savings bank, alleges was a scheme to force his bank out of the Seattle clearing house association on at noon today, by dissolving the association and reorganizing without his house as a member.

According to the sworn statement of Edward C. Neufelder, who testified before the board of equalization here this week, there is \$20,000,000 lying idle in Seattle banks. A reduction of one percent on the interest paid on commercial and savings deposits would amount to between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 a year which the depositors would not receive, it is asserted.

Hearing Is Set.

President Neufelder brought suit against the Seattle clearing house association, M. F. Backus, its president, and J. W. Spangler, secretary, as well as 13 member banks of the association today.

Judge Jurey made the injunction temporary, to stand until August 23, when he cited the defendants to appear and show cause why it should not be made permanent.

Negro Kills White Girl, Then Kills Self

Before Taking His Life Frank Kempsted Wounded Pearl Edwards, Another Negro.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—Frank Kempsted, a negro, shot and killed Mrs. Lillian Derrick, a beautiful young white woman, at the home of her mother, a Mrs. Hoover, near Capitola, and then committed suicide.

The tragedy, which occurred last night, reached here today.

Before turning his gun on himself, Kempsted, in a jealous rage, shot and wounded Pearl Edwards, another negro.

Kempsted fired three bullets into Mrs. Derrick's body and stabbed her twice with a pocketknife. Then he shot himself through the head.

Coal Mine Strike in West Is Averted

Both Men and Operators Are Reported to Have Made Concessions—Consumer to Pay More.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 18.—(U. P. S.)—While the terms have not been made public, it was stated that both miners and operators conceded points to make the agreement possible.

By the settlement, 35,000 men will continue to work.

Other prices for coal, according to the operators.

Four sub-committees worked over 17 weeks before terms of the new contract were agreed upon. The old contract expired July 31.

Work on Vista House to Start on Monday

Excavation, Plumbing, First Floor to Be Completed Before Winter; Structure to Be Finished Next Summer.

Work on Vista House, to be built at Crown Point on the Columbia river highway, will start Monday, announced Roadmaster John B. Yeon today. The excavation, plumbing and first floor will be completed before winter, he said, and the structure will be finished next summer. Part of the money for Vista House was raised by public subscription.

Twelve thousand dollars will be spent by the county. The estimated cost is \$20,000. Vista House will serve the combined purposes of public comfort station, observatory and memorial to the Oregon pioneers. A camp in the background for workmen at Crown Point.

Horse Trader in Trouble.

Eugene, Or., Aug. 18.—Because he told E. E. Cowell, a Creweval farmer, that he was a well known Junction City farmer and gave his workman's note for \$300 in payment for a team of horses, James Berridge, a traveling horse trader, is in the county jail, charged with obtaining property under false pretenses. Monday Berridge made the transaction with Cowell. The next day the latter became suspicious and informed the sheriff. Yesterday Berridge was located, he admitted the transaction and was locked up. He refuses to tell where the horses are.

Sister Is Co-Respondent.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 19.—P. N. S. Naming her own sister as co-respondent, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown today has asked a suit for divorce from Archie R. Brown, former head of the Brown Wood Manufacturing company.

CITIZENS MUST PAY OWN EXPENSES TO THE TRAINING CAMP

General Beebe Explains New Condition Following President's Veto of Army Bill.

Belief Held That Congress Will Again Pass the Appropriation Measure in Short Time.

General Charles F. Beebe, chairman of the executive committee of the Civilian Control committee, has sent a letter to all those enlisted in the American Lake training camp, explaining the effect of the veto of the army appropriation bill upon the arrangements for the camp. General Beebe expects that those enlisting will have to advance part of their expenses, which it is hoped will be reimbursed when the army bill passes again. General Beebe's letter follows:

Headquarters Civilian Control Committee, American Lake Training Camp, 241 Washington Street—Dear Sir: The veto by the President yesterday of the general army appropriation bill enjoining an item providing for the payment of the government of expenses of those who attend the American Lake Military Training Camp at American Lake, Washington, commencing August 28, will make it necessary for all such to pay their own expenses.

This committee is officially informed from headquarters of the western division of the army that an assessment of \$20 instead of \$30, as heretofore, will be required to cover the subsistence in camp; that clothing will be sold to participants at \$13 per outfit and that all who attend will be expected to pay their transportation to and from camp, averaging at the special rate of \$1.50 per mile from the roads from Portland to the vicinity from \$8 to \$6 per individual.

Occurring so late in the campaign for recruits, it is deeply deplored that this assessment should be levied. The committee believes that the assessment by congress with the feature to which the president objects eliminated and including retroactive provisions under which all these expenses will be promptly reimbursed.

The committee feels confident that it is impossible to complete this legislation in time to avoid the necessity of participants advancing their own expenses, owing to the short time remaining before the opening of the camp. The committee therefore is refunding in full by the government within a comparatively reasonable time.

Sincerely hoping that even under this unanticipated and absolutely unavoidable condition, you may feel able to carry out the terms of your enlistment, I am, very respectfully,

CHARLES F. BEEBE, Chairman, Executive Committee.

Frank Branch Riley Heads Body to Arrange Celebration of Completion of Interstate Bridge Across Columbia.

Frank Branch Riley is the head of a Chamber of Commerce committee to arrange for a celebration on the occasion of the formal opening of the interstate bridge between Oregon and Washington this fall.

The committee will not meet until Mr. Riley returns from the snowy peaks of the Sierra Nevada, where he is with the Mazamas on their annual climb.

Named on the committee were Frank Branch Riley, chairman; Julius L. Meier, C. Jackson, J. H. Nola, Rufus C. Holman, W. L. Boise, F. A. Freeman, Edgar B. Piper, W. O. Feenbaugh, T. J. Cleeton, Charles E. Wright, W. M. Killinsworth, Dr. E. W. Moore, F. W. George, George F. Wagoner, M. G. Munly, John Burdard, F. J. Fuller, C. C. Colt, William H. Daugherty, John B. Yeon and Albert Sutton.

The committee will join with a committee from the Vancouver Chamber of Commerce and it is expected a joint preliminary meeting will be held about September 1. The Portland Ad club will also appoint a committee.

Rev. M. P. Fikes to Fill White Temple Pulpit

Supply Pastor Will Visit East and Take Up Work Here Again From November 1 Until May 1.

Rev. M. P. Fikes was asked to supply in the pulpit of the First Baptist church for six months at a meeting of the board of the church, held Thursday night. Dr. Fikes came here on the first of August and will remain until the early part of September, when he will make an eastern trip. He will return to Portland about November 1 and fill the pulpit at the White Temple until May 1.

Rear-Admiral Pays Visit to Portland

Rear Admiral Cameron McR. Winslow, United States navy, retired, passed through Portland this morning en route from San Francisco to Seattle. Admiral Winslow was formerly in command of the Pacific fleet. He was retired July 29.

WE don't envy anybody, but one man we might be jealous of is the young fellow who graduates from cigarettes and is just starting in to smoke the OWL Cigar—steady. He's got his good times coming.

The Million Dollar Cigar

M. A. GUNST & CO. INCORPORATED

Business Is Good on N. P., Says Official

Assistant General Passenger Agent Nelson Accompanied Judge Hughes' Special While on Company's Lines.

Business is good on the Northern Pacific, according to E. E. Nelson of St. Paul, assistant general passenger agent, who is in Portland today for a conference with A. T. Charlton, resident assistant general passenger agent for the company.

Mr. Nelson came west with Judge Hughes and his party, accompanying the presidential candidate, as long as he traveled on the Northern Pacific. Hughes was favorably received all along the line, he says.

TRAIN WRECKS AUTO; LIFE SPARED EACH OF THE SEVEN OCCUPANTS

Father, Mother and Two Children Hurt; Three Others Escape Without Injury.

Cottage Grove, Or., Aug. 18.—An automobile containing the seven members of the R. A. Root family of Eugene was struck by a south bound freight train this morning at the dangerous crossing at the head of Pass Creek canyon. The car was demolished but none of the occupants was killed.

Mr. Root was the most severely injured, his chest being crushed. Mrs. Root was bruised about the head and one leg was badly scalded. "Pal," aged 14, suffered serious injuries to his ribs. Velma, aged 10, suffered a broken arm.

The three smaller children escaped with hardly a scratch.

Auto Victim Near Death.

Port Townsend, Wash., Aug. 18.—(P. N. S.)—Allen Welt, member of the automobile party of Senator David S. Troy, which plunged from a pier into the sea here Sunday, killing Senator Troy, his wife and three children today. Physicians hold little hope for him.

Governor Ernest Lister and prominent