

MARITIME INTERESTS
PLAN A CONFERENCE
IN CITIES OF COAST

Shipbuilders and Labor Delegates Discuss Topics of Mutual Interest.

BOILER MEN ALSO MEET

Delegates After Three Days Have Not Finished Work; Side Over Columbia River Highway Taken

Advance Given Longshoremen... Portland longshoremen were today granted an increase in pay which will make their scale 60 cents an hour for straight time and 90 cents an hour overtime.

With the third day of their convention almost over, the Pacific Maritime association, representing the thousands of men now engaged in the building of wooden and steel ships on the Pacific coast is only a little nearer the gigantic task they have set ahead.

The uniformity of working conditions and wages are the aim at which the men are working and they expect to have their plans so drawn by the time the convention is over that they can immediately start a series of conferences up and down the coast looking towards that end.

Committee Reports Made... Portland may be the center of much of the conferring, according to delegates.

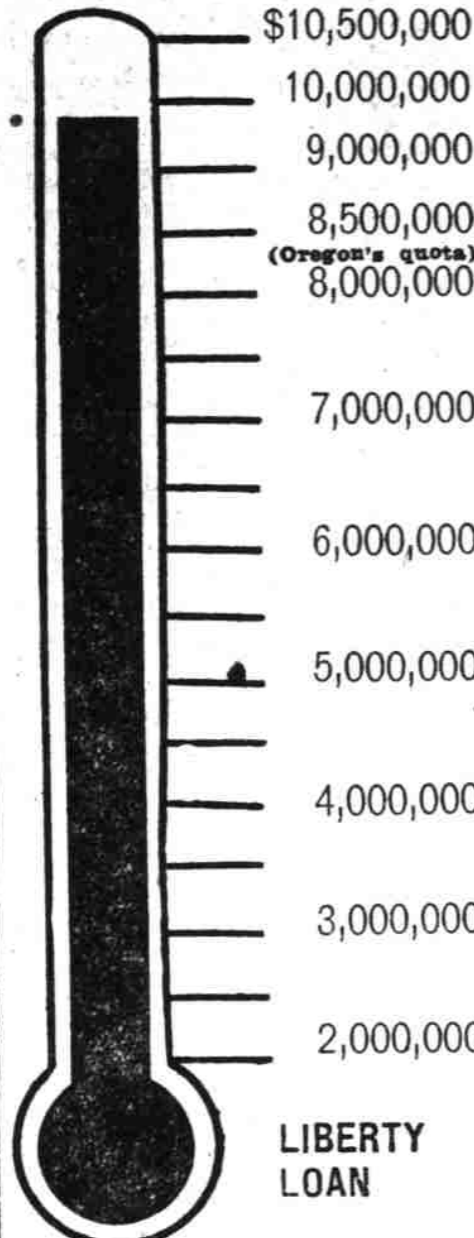
Committee reports occupied much of this morning's session at the Multnomah hotel together with a comparison of conditions and wages. "We have no intentions of bringing about a series of strikes," declared Dan P. McKillop, president of the Seattle Metal Trades council, who is in attendance at the session.

Trip Made Over Highway... The local entertainment committee has arranged a trip over the Columbia highway for the visiting delegates, to take place Friday afternoon, machines leaving from the Multnomah hotel.

In attendance at the session are the following delegates representing their districts: Portland, W. Latner and E. W. Lorenz; Vancouver, A. Watchman; Victoria, J. O'Brien; Bellingham, F. M. Parsons; Seattle, E. B. Zimmerman, A. J. Allen, G. Maxwell, J. Middleton; Olympia, J. McCasahan; Great Falls, C. H. Irish; St. Helens, R. A. McInnis; Coquille, J. A. Byard; San Francisco, Ed Kelly, J. Gleason, J. Bradford, E. Tretway; Oakland, E. Jentzen; Vallejo, W. A. Barklie; San Pedro, J. Miller, T. Ryan, and S. G. Sanfacon of San Francisco, secretary-treasurer of the convention.

Labor Delegates Attend... Representatives of the Carpenters' unions, C. Evans of Seattle; C. J. Vanderpool of Portland; F. E. Hite of Aberdeen; H. B. Gillman, Eureka, are

Watch It Rise



Today's grand total for state \$9,732,550
The state outside of Portland 2,647,150
Total for Portland 7,085,400
Wednesday's Portland subscriptions (partial) 83,500
Wednesday's outside subscriptions 933,400
Days left to subscribe 1

present. P. W. Dowler, general organizer, and W. E. Cole of the executive committee of the International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, and C. P. Taylor of the American Federation of Labor are also attending. The boiler-makers are holding their convention in another hall of the Multnomah hotel, while the Metal Trades councils of the Pacific coast are holding evening sessions. The boiler-makers had nothing for public use, they stated.

Money Stolen From 2 Branch Libraries

Taking all the money in the cash drawers, but so far as is known not stealing any of the books, burglars entered the St. Johns and North Portland branch libraries Tuesday night. Eight dollars were obtained from the St. Johns branch. The cash in the North Portland branch, however, had been taken out and hidden in another place, and the thieves failed to find it, but rattled the books all over the floor. Entrance was made in both cases by smashing a window. Monday night the lock on the basement door of the Brooklyn branch was forced and \$7 were taken. Library officials and city detectives working on the case believe that the robberies are the work of boys.

Geo. L. Young Fined \$400 in Fraud Case

George L. Young, Tuesday in federal court, was fined \$400 on his plea of guilty of using the mails to defraud. With W. P. Hallowell, he had been indicted for alleged conspiracy in fraudulent land transactions in California. Their operations were said to have covered a large area, the victims to the scheme having been beguiled into giving their money for locations that proved practically worthless.

ERICKSON'S SUED FOR \$1200 ALLEGED TO BE DUE LATE MRS. SMITH

Sophie Harper, Administratrix of Estate, Sues Undertaker to Recover Funds.

DEATH STILL A MYSTERY

Attorneys for Erickson Insist Suit is Only Another Effort to Discredit Him.

Sophie Harper, administratrix for the estate of Hannah Smith, deceased, has filed suit in the circuit court against Eric E. Erickson, undertaker, for the recovery of \$1200 alleged to be due the estate. The complaint states that Mrs. Smith disappeared on the evening of May 8, 1916, and that at that time she left \$1200 in Erickson's possession to be paid to the defendant, from whom she was renting, and injured herself so severely that she has been entirely incapacitated for work. Her fall, she alleges, was due to a defective step, of which she had complained a number of times, but which the defendant had neglected to repair.

Jury Awards \$1500... A jury in Circuit Judge Bell's court awarded Otto C. Miller \$1500 against the Payette Valley Sound & Orchard company. Miller sued for \$2100 alleged commissions due to him from the defendant for negotiating the sale of certain lands to Dr. C. J. Smith.

Estate Left to Daughters... The entire estate of the late Mary M. Dufur of a probable value of \$30,000, with the exception of the home, is left according to the terms of her will to her two daughters, Anna May and Lois Dufur Balch. The home is left solely to Anna May.

Two Are Killed by Tornado in Missouri

Woman Loses Life While Seeking Safety in Cave and Baby is Buried in Farm House Ruins. Unionville, Mo., June 13.—(I. N. S.)—Two persons were killed in a tornado which struck last night near Ravenna, Mercer county, and continued toward Princeton, county seat of that county.

Wife No. 2 Annuls Tie... Because He Was "Legally Dead." James W. Arthur stayed away from his wife for seven years and elapsed cause a lawyer told him he was legally dead felt privileged to attempt another marriage. He convinced Amy Patterson of his right to do so and, February, 1916, they went through the ceremony of a marriage.

Buyer Must Pay for Hat... Miliner Wins Suit Against Patron Who Returned Goods. According to the doctrine of "caveat emptor," laid down by District Judge Jones, Mrs. W. L. Dalton 48 East Eighth street can go into the millinery shop of Mrs. M. English, select a hat, wear it home and then return it two weeks later, refusing to pay for it on account of defects which were perfectly apparent at the time of its purchase.

Widow Demands \$25,000... Southern Pacific Blamed for Death of Husband, Car Repairer. Suit was filed Tuesday by Ellen V. Stark against the Southern Pacific Railroad company, asking \$25,000 damages for the death of her husband, Levi C. Stark, alleged to have resulted from injuries which he received while in the employ of the railroad.

Question is Knotty One... Judge Must Decide Standing in Court of Alien Enemy. The question as to whether a non-resident alien enemy could recover judgment in American courts at this time came up before Circuit Judge Bagley Tuesday. The case was taken under advisement by the court for a later decision.

Two Are Killed by Tornado in Missouri... The twister's path was six miles long and more than a mile wide.

RED CROSS FORCES IN GREAT RALLY REPORT READINESS FOR DRIVE

General Chairman Ayer Host to Committee Members and 20 Team Captains.

Need Is Urgent... John L. Clymer, representative of the national war council and director of the western division of the Red Cross, will speak on the urgent need of the public's support of the organization, tonight at 8 o'clock as part of the exercises to be held at Festival Center. Mr. Clymer has addressed Portland audiences before in his present capacity and is known throughout the west as an eloquent orator and thoroughly familiar with the needs of the Red Cross society.

At a rousing rally at noon today, all the Red Cross forces which will participate in Portland's big \$200,000 drive next week were brought together by General Chairman Ayer, who entertained at luncheon for the campaign executive committee all the chairmen of other important committees, and the 20 team captains who will direct 200 of Portland's leading business and professional men in the work of sweeping the city for cash contributions and pledges.

Teams Ready for Action... At this meeting all the unit forces which have been busily preparing for the work of systematically canvassing the city, were rounded up and mobilized into a single effective organization. Each of the team captains reported his team of 10 men complete and ready for action, and received instructions from General Chairman Ayer as to the methods to be followed and other details, each team also being assigned definite territory to be covered. The personnel of these 20 teams will be announced tomorrow.

Captains Are Listed... The team captains, to whom the supervision of the big drive, under the direction of General Chairman Ayer, will be left, are: Charles F. Adams, J. C. Ainsworth, W. J. Burns, C. C. Colt, Edward Cookingham, A. H. Devora, T. D. Honeyman, James B. Kerr, L. Lang, Allen Lewis, Julius L. Meier, Edward Newbegin, Andrew C. Smith, Ben Selling, E. L. Thompson, Guy W. Talbot, T. B. Wilcox, W. D. Wheelwright, W. F. Woodward, John B. Yeon.

Dr. Boyd Is Speaker... Preceding the organization work and discussions pertaining to the machinery for the big drive, a stirring speech

SHERIFF WILL INSIST ON OBSERVATION OF ANTI-CIGARETTE LAW

Many Complaints Being Received of Boys Smoking; Registration Card Is Proof.

Notices were sent out from Sheriff Harburt's office this morning to every tobacco dealer in the county calling attention to the new 1917 law forbidding use of cigarettes by minors.

A great many complaints of young boys smoking cigarettes have been received in the last few days by the sheriff's office and also by Chief Probation Officer Keady of the juvenile court. The following extracts from the warning sent out to dealers show some of the new provisions applicable to those who sell tobacco. Having cigarettes in a place of business where minors may take them or help themselves, is prima facie evidence of an attempt to sell to minors. The word "cigarette" or "cigarettes" are held to include cigarette, cigarettes, cigarette papers, cigarette wrappers, or any substitute therefor, or any

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was made by Dr. J. H. Boyd. In this inspirational talk Dr. Boyd emphasized the imperative need of thoroughly arousing the American public to the seriousness of the national situation and the urgency of bringing every American man, woman and child to a realization that he or she bears an individual responsibility and owes a personal patriotic duty to his or her country in this crisis, the seriousness of which must not be underestimated. Particularly, he said, each citizen who stays at home feel the responsibility for providing through the American Red Cross proper medical, surgical and hospital care for the brave American boys who are wounded in service at the front. Dr. Boyd's address was enthusiastically received.

Hundred Orators Are Enlisted... Under the direction of Chairman J. C. English, the organization of the Red Cross speakers' bureau is now complete and ready for action, with more than 100 of the city's best orators enlisted. The Rotary club, at its meeting Tuesday, was called on to offer volunteer service as speakers and the following members promptly responded. They will be used throughout the strenuous oratorical campaign next week: Fred Spoerl, Rufus C. Holman, N. G. Pike, Dr. Edmund C. Myers, A. R. Gephart, C. V. Cooper, H. P. Sackett, C. B. Waters, J. A. Curry, R. S. Farrell, Dr. E. K. Scott, J. H. Dundora, Charles F. Berg, Marshall N. Dana and George T. Hardy.

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PRESSING Money Raising SALE this Mighty Sale to the Limit to shake ourselves loose from the bonds of our creditors, is the great effort we are making. Cost prices in a great many instances have been ignored by us in this stupendous task of raising money. LESS THAN HALF PRICE is not unusual in this sale. Some instances here. Dressing Table in golden oak —WAS \$16.50, NOW \$6.75. Spanish Leather Easy Arm Chair —WAS \$46.00, NOW \$22.75. Arm Chair in fumed oak —WAS \$6.50, NOW \$2.95. Chair in fumed oak —WAS \$3.45, NOW \$1.65. Desk Chair in fumed oak —WAS \$9.00, NOW \$2.75. Body Brussels Rug, 9x12 feet —WAS \$40.00, NOW \$19.75. Anglo-Persian Rug, 9x12 feet —WAS \$82.50, NOW \$49.75. Axminster Rug, 9x12 feet —WAS \$37.50, NOW \$21.50. Scotch Rug, 9x12 feet —WAS \$24.00, NOW \$13.50. Fancy Net Curtain material —WAS 95c Y.D., NOW 35c. Sundour Curtain Material, 50-inch —WAS \$2.00 Y.D., NOW 85c. Cretonne, 36 inches wide —WAS 45c YARD, NOW 19c. Drapery Velvet, 50 inches wide —WAS \$4 Y.D., NOW \$1.95. Drapery Velvet, 50 inches wide —WAS \$2.50 Yd., NOW \$1.15. J. G. MACK & CO. 68-70 Fifth St. Between Oak and Pine



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Headquarters of THE FAIRY QUEEN OF THE FESTIVAL AND HER COURT The Queen's Dance Tonight at 6 o'clock the Queen and her Court will occupy the dais in the beautiful dining-room. Dinner 5:30 to 8 Music and Dancing. A Week Day Dinner Dance Special Music and Dancing Every Evening 6:15 to 8:15 Dinner 5:30 to 8. The Supper Dance Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10 o'clock to Midnight. The Ad Club Quartet, the official quartet of the Rose Festival, will sing in the hotel lobby, beginning at 1 P. M., on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The Governor will review the parades from his Reviewing Stand in the hotel courtyard. The Portland Hotel Richard W. Childs, Manager Elbert S. Robe, Assistant Manager