

"IT'S ALL HERE
and
IT'S ALL TRUE"



THE WEATHER
Tonight fair with
light frost; Satur-
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y winds.

DEER AT DANGER OF KILLED

John L. Goodell, Night Clerk at Angela Hotel, Shot Dead by A. B. Foster, Druggist.

Slayer, Crazy With Misplaced Infatuation for Woman, Shoots Self Three Times, but Lives.

TARGET for the murderous aim of a man said to be crazed by narcotics and a misplaced infatuation for pretty Bessie Wilson, John L. Goodell, 49 years old, a helpless cripple, night clerk at the Hotel Angela, Washington street, near Trinity Place, was shot and instantly killed in the hotel lobby at 2:30 this morning by A. B. Foster, Portland druggist. Foster held Officer George Haney at bay while he fired the fatal shot.

A moment later, holding Officer Haney at the point of the patrolman's pistol, Foster fired three shots into his own body and is at St. Vincent's hospital, where little hope is held for his recovery. In the meantime, so far as the police have learned, the girl, said to be the innocent cause of the tragedy, has disappeared.

Night Clerk Goodell is thought by the police to have been an innocent victim. Foster, part owner of the Orlando pharmacy, Twelfth and Washington streets, threatened the life of Edward L. Gerwig of the Juliana apartments just before he attempted suicide. Foster stopped Gerwig on Washington street while the crazed man was marching. Patrolman Haney to a telephone.

Miss Wilson, an employee of the Pacific Paper company here, was not at the hotel at the time of the shooting and this morning went to her work with no knowledge of the crime. When she learned of Goodell's death, it is said, she immediately left her work and has not since been located.

Not seeing a clerk behind the counter of the Angela when he passed the hotel, Officer Haney entered to investigate his absence. His attention was attracted by the buzzing on the switchboard when

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FITZGERALD URGES LABOR COMMITTEE

Oregon Man in National Conference Would Guard Against Future Contingencies.

Washington, April 25.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—W. H. Fitzgerald of Portland, who is participating by appointment of Governor Elliott, in the national conference looking to employment service legislation, says the prospect is for formulation of a bill generally satisfactory for action by the next congress.

The plan is for cooperation with states and municipalities on a 60-50 basis, apportioning the government appropriation of \$4,000,000 among the states on the basis of population. Fitzgerald, at the conference Thursday, took a strong stand in favor of restrictive legislation which might be made against future contingencies.

This question is one of the controversial points, officials of the federal service being opposed to having an advisory board. After the conference closed, Fitzgerald will visit his mother in Wisconsin before returning home.

Articles for Third Bank at St. Johns Refused Approval

Salem, April 25.—Superintendent Bennett of the state banking department has refused to approve articles of incorporation for the proposed new Bank of Commerce for St. Johns, in Portland, and L. H. Bass of Portland, who made application for the articles of incorporation, has taken an appeal from Bennett's ruling. The appeal will go up to the state banking board.

A public hearing had been called for 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at Salem, when those interested will be given an opportunity to present their views.

Egyptian Cabinet Said to Have Quit

London, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—The Egyptian cabinet has resigned. Presumably the cabinet resigned as the result of recent disturbances in Egypt, in which there have been many clashes between the native population and British troops.

GIRL IN CASE PRETTY Bessie Wilson, who police say was innocent cause of trouble which led to murder of John L. Goodell.

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GERMAN DELEGATES REACH VERSAILLES

Vanguard Arrives to Arrange for Main Body Which Is Expected in City by May 1.

Versailles, April 25.—(U. P.)—The vanguard of the German delegation arrived here today. It consisted of four minor representatives, who will assist the French in arranging for the reception of the main body of the German delegates, which will arrive here May 1.

A special permission was granted the German government to send these representatives at this time.

Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, foreign minister and head of the German delegation, is expected to arrive at 10 o'clock this morning at the hotel where the delegates are being housed.

The delegates were Herr Walter, a post inspector, Doctor Dopker, a food official, and two assistants. Herr Wanschendorf, councillor for the German embassy, was delayed and is expected to arrive tomorrow. Only allied authorities were present when the Germans detrained.

By Carl D. Great
Paris, April 25.—(U. P.)—America will sign no peace that conflicts with the "14 points."

The declaration is repeated on the highest authority today. President Wilson is relying on the people of the world to support him in his stand that only a peace better than the Italian situation is negotiable.

The president's statement regarding Fiume is now interpreted as calling for a general "showdown." Its scope will be wider than the Italian situation. It includes Japan's claims to the Shantung peninsula. In fact, it covers any remaining allied statesmen who enter into negotiations beyond the articles subscribed to in the armistice.

And, further, coming on the eve of the German delegates' arrival, it is a clear interpretation of the "14 points"—no: the Germans will prevail in the final peace settlement.

Wednesday's mandate, according to those close to the president, was what he had determined on from the start of the negotiations, but which certain allied statesmen found it difficult to realize he actually intended to demand as a just peace.

From now on, it is declared, the president is counting on public opinion to force complete adherence to the principles enunciated by America. The committee of the world are parties in the peace conference. Their will, he believes, will decide the issue.

GERMANS HAVE PLAN TO SUBMIT TO ALLIES

Berlin, April 24.—(I. N. S.)—Via London, April 25.—Restriction of armaments and the administration of all colonies by an international colonial department are two of the features of the German draft of a "league of nations" which has been prepared for submission to entente envoys.

No country shall declare war unless attacked, and "freedom of the seas shall be made secure."

20,000 Bolsheviki Surrender on Pryzje

London, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—Twenty thousand Bolsheviki soldiers encamped along the Pryzje river have surrendered to the anti-Bolsheviki forces, and an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin today.

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24 COUNTIES IN STATE OVER TOP

Liberal Subscriptions Come in From Districts Outside of Multnomah County.

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Previously reported \$10,188,400
To be subscribed \$1,772,825

Portland's quota \$4,786,325
Previously reported \$2,783,200
Thursday's sales \$22,300

Total to date \$4,808,500
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The jury which found Adamson guilty made no recommendation of clemency and the death sentence was the only one provided under the law.

Oklahoma Farmer Runs Amuck; Three Dead, Two Wounded

Stigler, Okla., April 25.—(I. N. S.)—Running amuck, T. C. Cobb, a farmer, 55, killed two persons, one of whom was his son, shot his wife and daughter in his home at Garland, eight miles northeast of here, last evening.

The dead are Edward Elliott, 45, a neighbor of Cobb's; John H. Cobb, 22, Cobb's son; T. C. Cobb, 25, the wounded; Mrs. T. C. Cobb, shot in right groin, serious condition at Fort Smith hospital; Mrs. John H. Cobb, shot in right arm with the charge that blew off her husband's head. Mrs. Cobb had her arm about her husband's neck as his father-in-law fired.

George Washington Leaves Brest May 1

Brest, April 25.—(U. P.)—The George Washington, thoroughly overhauled, will leave Brest for New York on May 1.

After discharging her cargo of troops in New York, she should be able to return to Brest by May 20, although she is now regarded as probably the president may not be able to sail before June 1.

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These figures are giving the city executive committee concern, for it indicates that Portland is falling down and falling down hard on the Victory loan.

The people are not responding in the manner they should and unless there is a new viewpoint taken the First City will have a black eye for the first time in patriotic drives.

Concerns which subscribed liberally in other loans are not applying for Victory gold notes on the same basis. Some corporations are still stinging, while a great mass of citizens who came to the front with substantial subscriptions in the fourth Liberty loan are shirking miserably.

"People won't give us a hearing," complain prominent business men who are giving their time to canvassing for subscriptions. "They treat us like book

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PLANS MADE FOR 157TH INFANTRY

Entertainment Depends on How Much Time Men Will Have Between Trains.

Tentative plans are being made for the reception Saturday afternoon to the 115 men of the 157th infantry, who are expected to arrive at the Union station at 12:30.

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State of Siege Is Declared in Saxony

Copenhagen, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—The government has declared a state of siege throughout Saxony, said a Berlin dispatch to the Politiken today.

Livest Features Supplement News In Sunday Journal

"The Sunday Journal is a splendid newspaper. I read it thoroughly every Sunday and find my wants for news and features supplied in full and then some."

This interesting information was volunteered by a prominent Portland business man, whose training and habit of mind demand a newspaper that presents its material in an orderly and concise fashion.

"I read The Sunday Journal from cover to cover every Sunday," declared another well known Portland citizen, "and when I am through, I find no need for another Sunday newspaper."

These remarks are typical of the many that reach The Journal office commendatory of the efforts expended each week to make The Sunday Journal new, reliable and attractive.

In its several sections The Sunday Journal presents the news of the day as supplied by the complete leased wire reports of two leading press associations, the feature service of the Chicago Daily News, The Journal's Washington bureau, special correspondents in important news centers and in the cities and towns in the Oregon country, and lastly of a highly competent local news gathering staff.

NEWS DEPARTMENTS STRONG

The several news departments devoted to special activities, such as society, women's clubs, fraternal, dramatic and photography, music, fashions, and needlework, automobiles, good roads, sports, real estate, building, markets,

Cold Weather Records of April Broken in East

Mercury in Ohio Lowest Since 1878, and Damage Is Feared to Fruit and Grain.

Columbus, Ohio, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—With the lowest April temperature since 1878, reports from all parts of Ohio today indicate that very serious frost damage was done by the freeze during last night.

W. H. Alexander, head of the weather bureau at Columbus, said this morning: "Indications from all parts of the state are that very serious damage was done to peaches, apples and all tender vegetation."

Fear was also expressed for the wheat in the Northwestern Ohio, which has reached a tender stage.

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Big Damage to Fruit

Middletown, N. Y., April 25.—(I. N. S.)—The thermometer dropped to 24 this morning and ice formed on ponds in the vicinity. Thousands of dollars in damage has been done to fruit crops in Orange, Ulster, Sullivan and Sunsex counties.

Storm Warnings Issued
New York, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—The northwest storm warning issued by the weather bureau was continued today from Sandy Hook to Boston.

8 Above Zero
Cochrane, Ont., April 25.—(I. N. S.)—The mercury dropped to 8 above zero here today.

POTATO GROWERS ALLEGED SWINDLE

Farmers Say Buyer Failed to Pay Balance Due on Crops; Seek Arrest.

Fifteen Oregon farmers, with wrath in their eyes and vengeance in their hearts, strode into Sheriff Huriburt's office this afternoon and demanded the arrest of D. Harris, alleged to have fled from them of between \$3000 and \$5000 worth of potatoes.

A warrant was issued for Harris and he is being sought by county authorities.

Two weeks ago Harris bought the entire potato crop of farmers near Corbett and "paid" them with notes of the prevailing market. He paid them only a small fraction of what the potatoes were worth, promising to pay the remainder when he had disposed of them, say the farmers. After they shipped the potatoes to him in Portland, he sold them and left with the entire proceeds, they claim.

Villa Is Believed Engaged in Fight To Seize Parral

Juarez, Mexico, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—Francisco Villa at the head of 5000 troops, is believed to be engaged in battle with federal troops for the possession of Parral today.

American mining men, who arrived here Thursday night from Parral, say Villa entered that city Sunday, following a skirmish with the small garrison stationed there. Government troops are reported to have left Chihuahua City Tuesday to retake the city.

The Americans report that Villa ordered the execution Tuesday of Jose De La Luz Herrera, former mayor of Parral, and his two sons.

Villa is reported to have made demands for heavy tributes from American and foreign mining concerns for protection of their property from damage at the hands of his followers.

Germany Couldn't Feed Prisoners if Freed Right Now

Berlin, April 24, via London, April 25.—German prisoners of war would not be freed right now, said a statement by the German government today.

"It is not the purpose of this article to disclose any particular features that will make next Sunday's Journal especially attractive. Suffice it to say that there will be many of them. Better that the reader be left to find them for himself."

It is not amiss, however, to announce a smashing big new feature that will be begun Sunday, May 11. On that date The Sunday Journal Magazine will make its appearance, a section of quality features, superbly illustrated. For further announcement of this feature, see next Sunday's Journal, and if you do not receive The Sunday Journal regularly, place your order now, that you will be on the list at least by the time The Feature Magazine makes its initial bow.

ITALIANS IN PARIS CLAIM PEACE CONFERENCE AND LEAGUE OF NATIONS ARE NOW BOUND TO FAIL.

America Will Probably Help Italians Even if They Quit Conference.

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It is now pointed out in the official French circles that the Italians officially quit the conference the moment they would come up whether Italy had violated the pact of London by insisting upon the ownership of Fiume, thus releasing the French and British. Furthermore, attention was called to the fact that the allies, in accepting President Wilson's proposals, made reservations only on freedom of the seas and reparations. Thus France and Great Britain might claim their release from the pact of London on that score.

Why, they said, had Mr. Wilson made this appeal over the heads of the Italian government when up to that time the game had been to conduct the negotiations entirely within the group of four under a gentlemen's agreement and "friendly" discussions should be made. There was nothing in the 14 points that anyone could find contrary to the Italian claim. Why inflict this humiliation on Italy's statesmen? Hundreds of telegrams have been received showing

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JUDGES TO CONFER ON NEW UDGESHIP

Final Action on Head of New Court, However, Will Not Be Taken Until After May 29.

Noon Saturday is the time set by President Judge Stapleton for the selection of the circuit judges to consider the procedure to be adopted in the selection of the three names to be submitted to Governor Elliott, and from which he must select one to be judge of the newly created court of domestic relations.

It had been intended to send the recommendations to the governor early in May, but an investigation of the provisions of the act disclosed the fact that the names are not to be sent in until after the taking effect of the law, which is May 1, 1919.

As the act which raises the county judge from the circuit bench goes into effect at the same time, it is probable that County Judge Taxwell will sit with the six circuit judges in the selection of the candidates.

No final action will be taken at any meeting held before May 29, according to Judge Stapleton. Candidates are still flooding the offices of the circuit judges with letters of indorsement in spite of the fact that none of these can be considered until the judges have met, and contrary to their expressed wish.

Chinese Arrested In San Francisco For Crime Here

San Francisco, April 25.—(I. N. S.)—Chin Fong, alias Lee Yuen, is under arrest here today for the crime of the killing of a Japanese and wounding a Chinese at Portland.

T. Wata and M. Yama, Japanese, were taken to a stairway at the Japanese Doehi club, Fourth and Flanders, here the night of April 2 by two Chinese, Iwata, was shot and killed, Yama was wounded in the hand when he attempted to disarm the assassins. Both Chinese escaped.

Trouble is said to have arisen over the wages with factions were paying to unnamed white women.

Base Hospital Men Start West April 28

According to advice received by the O. W. R. & N. this morning, 133 men of base hospital No. 5 will leave Camp Merritt, Wrighttown, N. J., for Camp Lewis via Portland on April 28. On the following day 82 men of various detachments will leave Garden City, L. I., for Camp Lewis, traveling by way of Portland.

Grand Duke Nicholas En Route to England

Genoa, April 24.—(Delayed)—(U. P.)—Grand Duke Nicholas, uncle of the former czar, and commander in chief of the Russian armies at the outbreak of the war, arrived here today on the British steamer Admiral Nelson.

He was accompanied by Grand Duke Peter. Both will leave soon for England by way of France.

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