

A Complete Newspaper Such as The Sunday Paper is prepared with a view to entertaining every member of the family, from the "tiny tots," who look at the "funnies," to the granddaddies who are interested in the League of Nations.

It's All Here and It's All True THE WEATHER—Tonight and Sunday, cloudy; southerly winds; rain probable. Minimum Temperatures Friday: Portland..... 43 New York..... 5 Chicago..... 32 New Orleans..... 55 Los Angeles..... 33 St. Paul..... 55

IRELAND TO BE DEBATED PRO AND CON

Two Visiting Groups Are in City to Expound Their Opinion on Vexatious Irish Controversy.

Three Belfast Ministers Will Tell Protestants' Side; Another to Represent Catholics.

"Learn the Truth"

With this admonition, two visiting groups are in Portland preparing to expound the "truth" about the Irish situation at meetings to be held at the Auditorium on Sunday and Monday evenings.

The first bomb of oratorical "truth" will issue from the "Friends of Irish Freedom," represented by Lindsay Crawford of Toronto, Canada, newspaper publisher.

The Rev. Maurice Murphy, who declares he is a Methodist Episcopal evangelist from Dublin, did not come to Portland, as he was expected to do.

The Monday evening meeting, whose sponsors do not publicly recognize the presence nor the statements of the Sunday evening speakers, will be addressed by the Rev. Louis Crooke, Episcopal; the Rev. William Corkey, Presbyterian; and the Rev. C. Wesley Maguire, Methodist, pastors of Belfast Ireland, churches. These visitors are sponsored as "accredited delegates" from the Protestant churches of Ireland and are absolutely and unqualifiedly "fermat" home rule for Ireland and the Sinn Fein outburst.

Since the delegation of which Crooke, Corkey and Maguire are members arrived in the United States, it has been followed to every city by the "Friends of Irish Freedom," who, the former declare, arrange meetings to expound the "truth" about the Irish situation, coincidental with those of the delegation as possible.

On the other hand, Lindsay Crawford testifies to an ambition to "get" William Crooke, member of parliament and one of the official delegates, who is not with the local party.

To which the delegates here reply, "Why doesn't he follow Crooke?"

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Is It Green Cheese Or Is It Vegetation? Asks Astronomer

British Star Gazer Doubts Pickering's Discovery of Cactus and Sage Brush on Moon.

By Sir Frank Dyson, Astronomer Royal of Great Britain, London, Jan. 31.—I have my doubts about the supposed discovery by Professor Pickering of Harvard observatory of vegetation on the moon.

I know Professor Pickering. He has a splendid atmosphere for his work in the West Indies; he works hard; he comes of a talented family; one of his brothers is at the head of one of the best observatories in the world—but this "discovery" of plants, like sagebrush and cacti on the moon, is highly speculative.

Professor Pickering believes the "craters" on the moon are formed by volcanoes, whose eruption has left some water in these hollows in the form of snow or hoar frost. He maintains that during the lunar day the floor of these hollows gradually darkens, a change of color which can only be accounted for by the growth of vegetation.

The professor admits that the wonderful symmetry of these circular craters suggests they were made by falling meteors rather than by volcanoes. In fact they exactly resemble the hollows made by bombs dropped by aeroplanes. If this is so, the bottom of Professor Pickering's argument is knocked out at once.

Again, Professor Pickering asserts that "observations made at Greenwich during occultations of the moon show that a tenuous atmosphere actually exists on the surface of the moon." It is going too far to say that, Greenwich never demonstrated this.

Little weight can be attached to the argument that sagebrush and cacti would not be likely to be created if there were no animals to eat them. The conclusion of the matter is that Professor Pickering has three times called attention to his theories, in 1915, 1917 and 1919, and yet no astronomer has thought it worth while to devote attention to them.

As for Professor Goddard's idea of improving on the big Hertha that bombarded Paris by means of a shell containing successive charges of explosives and firing a similarly constructed rocket that will travel the 230,000 miles to the moon, this can be dismissed as a "wild cat" proposal.

Nation's Assets to Be Inventoried; 1200 To Take New Census

Washington, Jan. 31.—(U. P.)—Inventory of United States resources in mines, manufactures, quarries, oil and gas wells, and forestry and forest products, will begin March 1. It was announced at the census bureau today.

Twelve hundred enumerators in 398 districts will take the census. Headquarters in each state were announced today as follows: Arizona, Prescott; Arkansas, Fayetteville; California, San Francisco; Colorado, South Dakota and Wyoming, Denver; Idaho, Nevada and Utah, Salt Lake City; Montana, Butte and Salt Lake City; Nebraska, Omaha; Iowa, Des Moines; New Mexico, Denver and Albuquerque; Oregon, Portland and San Francisco; Washington, Seattle and Spokane, through San Francisco.

Wood Reticent on Report He May Quit Army for Politics

Chicago, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Major General Leonard Wood who reached here today from Louisville was "politically" mum.

Local Men Among Powhatan Survivors

Two Portland and five Oregon survivors of the Powhatan are listed aboard the Northern Pacific by the Rocky Mountain club of New York. They are Charles F. Emery and Conrad Sibel, both of Portland, and Harold F. Hassler of Scio, Louis Lewellen of Myrtle Point and Roy F. Timmons of Grants Pass. The Powhatan left New York January 16 for Antwerp and was disabled at sea, the passengers being transferred to the Northern Pacific.

Spain Calls Halt On German Influx

Berlin, Jan. 31.—So tremendous has been the demand for German visas by emigrants lately for passports to Spain, that Spanish consulates throughout Germany have had to post announcements that until further notice no passports can be issued on the ground that Spain is being "literally over-run by foreigners and there must be a temporary check to this influx."

600 Arrested in Raid on Sinn Fein

Dublin, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Six hundred arrests were made in the nationwide raid against the Sinn Fein by the British military authorities today.

POSTMASTER MYERS QUILTS JOB TONIGHT

Resignation, Enforced by Postmaster General After Investigation of Affairs, Is Submitted.

Portland Office to Be in Temporary Charge of Chief District Inspector Robert Barclay.

Frank S. Myers, who for seven years has been postmaster of Portland, has formally tendered his resignation as requested by the postmaster general, the resignation being effective tonight.

Two postoffice inspectors from another district conducted the investigation that led to the request for Myers' resignation, according to Barclay. These men are now in San Francisco.

It is believed that Myers sent his resignation to Washington two days ago, following a request for such a step from the higher authorities.

Robert H. Barclay, inspector-in-charge for the Pacific Northwest postal district, assumed charge of the local postoffice until Myers' successor is named.

A general inspection of all records of the Portland postoffice will be made tonight.

MYERS REMAINS SILENT That Myers had actually resigned was learned from the first time today by representatives of The Journal. Myers has steadily maintained a Sphinx-like attitude of silence, refusing to comment one way or the other.

Inspector Barclay would not state at what time he would take over the duties of postmaster, declaring it was a matter for Myers himself to reveal. Barclay has persistently declared that he was not at liberty to speak concerning the matter because he was under definite orders from headquarters. He arrived in Portland from the district office in Spokane Friday morning and since has been busy in the local inspector's office.

BOY SCOUTS JOIN ARMENIAN RELIEF

Portland Lads Journey to Vancouver to Attend Launching of New Cargo Vessel.

Portland's Boy Scouts joined the Near East relief movement today when they went to Vancouver in regular army transport wagons furnished by Colonel Koester, to attend the launching of the steamer Bearport at the steel yard of the Standifer Construction corporation. The big vessel was scheduled to slip into the water at 12:30 and at 10 the Scouts had assembled at Broadway and Yamhill in force. Such yelling and cheering has seldom been heard.

All were enthusiastic for help for the suffering Armenians because one of their number, Nercess Cartozian, an Armenian boy, only lately reached Portland after fleeing from the Turkish atrocities which his people have suffered for generations.

The Bearport, when outfitted, will carry a \$1,000,000 cargo of Northwest flour direct to the mouth of the Euphrates river, for distribution among the starving. Mrs. C. L. Lamson of Seattle, who was born in Armenia, was delegated to ride with the ship down the coast, to carry the flags of her native and adopted countries. Mrs. Mabel J. Stewart, garbed as Columbia, was named sponsor.

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BOARD CHOSEN FOR ADJUSTING RAIL DISPUTES

House and Senate Agree to Apportion B-Partisan Committee to Handle All Labor Troubles.

Such an Agreement Removes All Possibility of Passage of Anti-Strike Bill, It Is Declared.

Washington, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Creation of a bi-partisan board of labor adjustment for the settlement of railroad labor differences has been practically agreed upon by the house and senate conferences on the railroad bill. This agreement removes the possibility of the passage of an anti-strike bill.

Senator Cummins, chairman of the senate interstate commerce committee, made this announcement today. The general principle of "adequate reparation" for the railroads on their investment also has been agreed to by the conferees, although the various elements of detail are as far from settlement as when the committee first met in December, Cummins announced.

GILMAN OFFERED RAIL PRESIDENCY

Former Head of North Bank Road May Regain Pre-War Job if He So Desires.

L. C. Gilman, president of the S. P. & S. prior to the placing of the railroads under federal control, has been offered the presidency of the North Bank road, effective March 1, if the roads are returned to their private owners on that date, according to a statement by W. F. Turner, the present chief official, who returned this morning from a conference of the Hill interests and other railroads in St. Paul.

It was announced at the meeting, according to reports received last night, that it would be the policy of the Hill railroads to replace all officials who served in war work in their former positions if they desired to do so. Gilman has not accepted the offer of the presidency yet, but will visit Portland early next week and will probably make a definite decision at that time.

Dr. Foster Asserts He Will Concentrate Time on Manuscript

Dr. William Trufant Foster, until recently president of Reed college, returned to Portland this morning from Los Angeles, where he had been since he resigned from his collegiate position. Dr. Foster's family has remained in the Foster home at Reed college throughout his absence.

The doctor tells of no definite plans for the immediate future, although he stated recently that he desired to concentrate his attention on manuscripts on which he is working. Until such plans are formulated, Dr. Foster and his family probably will remain in Portland, he said.

Business Prosperity In America Forecast Of Charles Schwab

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Charles M. Schwab, of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, sees a new era of prosperity for America. His views were reflected in an address here when he said:

Alleged Betrayer of Nurse Is Acquitted

Paris, Jan. 31.—(U. P.)—Georges Quien, who originally was sentenced to death for alleged betrayal of Edouard Cavell, the British nurse executed by the Germans in Belgium, has been found not guilty on the Cavell charges. The court, however, confirmed Quien's conviction for espionage, and he was sentenced to 20 years in prison.

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BEAUTIFUL AMERICAN WIDOW WEDS GREEK PRINCE

MRS. WILLIAM B. LEEDS, who inherited \$14,000,000 from the late American tin plate king, was married today to Prince Christopher of Greece (shown below), uncle of the king of Greece and first cousin of King George of England. Prince Christopher is about 30 and good looking. He is a son of the late King George of Greece. Their romance has for several years been a topic of much interest in Europe.



MRS. LEEDS NOW WIFE OF PRINCE

Wealthy American Widow and Uncle of King of Greece Are Married at Geneva.

Geneva, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—A civil marriage ceremony for Mrs. William B. Leeds, rich American widow, and Prince Christopher of Greece took place in the town hall here today.

The religious ceremony will be conducted in the church at Montreux, a little Swiss town near Vevey, tomorrow.

Mrs. Leeds has lived abroad since the death of her husband from whom she inherited \$14,000,000. She is a native of Cleveland, Ohio, a daughter of the late William C. Stewart.

Another Wedding Sunday

Paris, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—The religious ceremony for Mrs. William B. Leeds, wealthy American widow, and Prince Christopher, will take place at Vevey, Switzerland, Sunday, according to word to the Gaulois from Geneva today. Constantine will not be present but will be represented by the Duke of Sparta.

Where Is Owner of Citizenship Papers Picked Up in Trench?

Seven thousand miles came Anders Johanson's naturalization certificate to Portland today. Now authorities in Portland are seeking him to restore it.

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EMPTY GUN BLUFF WORKED BY BANDIT

Unmasked Robber Locks Six Clerks in Closet, Rifles Mail Coach and Flees.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 31.—(U. P.)—A lone bandit, unmasked and operating with an empty revolver, last night robbed the mail coach of the Union Pacific Overland limited train between Fremont and Omaha, and escaped with loot supposed to run into thousands of dollars.

The bandit boarded the train as it was leaving Fremont. He locked six mail clerks in a clothes closet and systematically looted nine registered and three unregistered sacks of mail. He over-looked one sack containing \$500 in Liberty bonds en route from Boise, Idaho, to Washington.

As the robber was making his escape he dropped his revolver in the car. It was found to be a .38-caliber automatic and never had been loaded.

Japan and Britain To Renew Alliance

London, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Negotiations for a renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance are under way, said a press dispatch from Tokyo today. Viscount Uchida, the Japanese foreign minister, was quoted as saying that Japan had decided to renew the pact because of the nation-wide demand for such action.

Dissolution of Five Packers at Hand

Washington, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Final agreement for the dissolution of the unrelated businesses of the five large packers has been reached and a court decree will be entered early next week, it was announced at the department of justice this afternoon.

Medical 'Ad' Bill Is Defeated in House

Washington, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Representative Blanton of Texas this afternoon interposed a point of order and defeated an appropriation of \$2500 by the house to pay for advertisements in Chicago papers inserted by the public health service and warning against influenza.

HAYWOOD AND 36 OTHERS ARRESTED

I. W. W. Leader Charged With Sedition by Federal Grand Jury in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—(I. N. S.)—Indictments for conspiracy to violate the sedition laws were returned today against "Big Bill" Haywood and 36 other alleged I. W. W. members by the federal grand jury. They were held in bonds of \$5000 each, all being placed under arrest.

They were seized by a coup of the state's attorney. The indictments, returned secretly, had been in his hands several hours. When they crowded into one courtroom for a preliminary hearing as the result of New Year's eve raids here, the state's attorney went to another court and obtained capias for the arrest of all of them.

They were permitted to remain in the courtroom pending the arrival of bondsmen, while bailiffs and deputy sheriffs waited outside ready to pounce on them and serve the warrants.

Rains for Pacific States Forecasted

Washington, Jan. 31.—(U. P.)—The weather bureau today issued the following forecast for next week: Pacific states—Frequent rains except in Southern California, where generally fair weather will prevail after the early days. Nearly normal temperatures.

WOMAN JUROR EXCUSED FROM I. W. W. TRIAL

Mrs. Emily C. Pattison of Aberdeen Has Opinions of Own That Bring Challenge From Defense

One Other Tentative Jurymen Is Dismissed After Long Wrangle Among Attorneys in Chambers.

By Fred H. McNeil (Over The Journal's Special Leased Wire.) Court House, Montessano, Wash., Jan. 31.—Following an extended session of attorneys and the judge in chambers, court was reopened this morning at 11 o'clock, in the Centralia murder trial, and two of the 13 jurors already selected were excused by the court.

Those excused from the box were Mrs. Emily C. Pattison of Aberdeen and Orton Glenn, garage man of Satsop. Grounds of the action thus taken were not stated. Glenn was to have been the subject of impeachment proceedings in open court today. Judge Wilson having given Attorney George F. Vanderveer permission to introduce witnesses to show that the juror had made the statement on January 7 that he believed the defendants were guilty and should be hanged.

WOMAN HAS OPINION Mrs. Pattison was the subject of long examination on the part of Vanderveer Wednesday afternoon and was challenged. The challenge was resisted and overruled. She had expressed decided antipathy to the I. W. W. as an organization, but not as to its members.

Mrs. Pattison smiled as she left the box and was apparently happy over the court action.

Two other talemans to fill the vacant chairs were summoned. The examination of one of these, John Eoder, a sawyer employed by the Grand Harbor Lumber company, immediately began, and he was passed by the prosecution.

OTHER CASE ATTRACTS Department 1 courtroom being idle for so long during the morning, many of the spectators and jurors went into department 2 where the trial of the 13 alleged members of the I. W. W. opened before Superior Judge Ben Shanks. These men are charged with violating the state syndicalism act, in belonging to a criminal organization.

As the session opened, Attorney Ralph Pierce, for the defendants, began arguing a demurrer to the information on the grounds that membership in the organization did not constitute a crime. Legal arguments by Pierce and by Prosecuting Attorney J. E. Stewart of Grays Harbor took up the morning session. Securing of a jury will not start until Monday morning.

Pierce had been in charge of the trial of I. W. W. members on a similar charge, and reached Montessano this morning. He was formerly associated with Vanderveer.

For the second time in two days the jury box held twelve temporary jurors when S. L. Tuffree, electrical worker, was called to try the 12 defendants accused of murder in connection with the Centralia shooting on Armistice day were seated yesterday.

Robert L. Stepien, mill office employe of Housatonic, was accepted at 4:20 in the afternoon when passed for cause by Vanderveer for the defense.

The jurors when court adjourned Friday were: Thomas C. Conner, retired lumberman, Montessano; A. H. Kuhn, lumberman, Hoquiam; P. R. Ames, rancher, Oakville; E. A. Youngs, laborer, Montessano; C. C. Trayer, grain and paint dealer, Aberdeen.

New York Herald Is Printed Last Time; Combined With Sun

New York, Jan. 31.—(U. P.)—The New York Herald, established by the elder James Gordon Bennett early in the last century, lost its identity today through merging with the Sun. The first issue of the combined paper tomorrow morning will be called the Sun and New York Herald.

Trusting Grooms Get Hoodwinked by Fair Grass Widows

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 31.—(U. P.)—Scores of Seattle bridegrooms are being hoodwinked by their brides, says Deputy Prosecutor Thomas F. Hunt. Hunt condemns the leniency of superior court judges in allowing divorcees to resume the title "Miss."

"Thousands of these grass widows are parading under the fraudulent title as maids," said Hunt. "When a man marries these days he may be getting a 'miss' and then again he may not—he never knows."

66 Fingers In the Pie

Tax levies for all purposes in Multnomah county for 1920 aggregate nearly \$12,000,000.

Sixty-six tax levying bodies determine this sum. The same bodies responsible for these levies control the disbursement of the tax moneys realized by them. Proper coordination is wanting.

The tax supervising and conservation commission, created by the 1919 legislature, has just completed an exhaustive study of this condition.

In a report to Governor Olcott, the commission's findings are set forth and recommendations made that are of interest and concern to every citizen.

The essential features of this report will be featured in The Sunday Journal Tomorrow