

The Journal takes pleasure in presenting its readers' thoughts and opinions on current events...



Portland and vicinity—Sunday fair; southerly winds...

STAGE TENSE AS RED CASE NEARS FINISH

Partisanship Runs High; Feeling Is Bitter; Sheriff Gets Reports on Meetings of the I. W. W. Sanguinary Encounters Are Said to Have Taken Place in Camps Regarding Justice of Trial.

By Fred H. McNeil Over The Journal's Special Legated Wire. Montesano, Wash., March 6.—In interest in the Centralia Armistice day case was intense when the two sides closed their direct testimony today...

Str. Astorian Hits Snag in Lower River

Fast Passenger Boat Damages Propeller; 150 Persons Taken Off by Fishing Boats.

Rescued by tiny Columbia river fishing boats when the steamer Astorian, en route to Portland from Astoria, smashed her propeller near Cathlamet, 150 passengers completed their trip to Portland aboard the night train from Astoria.

News Index

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HOFF MAKES STATEMENT IS JUST "DOPE" OF BOB DEAL FOR CAMPAIGN

State Treasurer Is Accused of Imprudence and Favoritism in His Purchases of Securities. Aircraft Investigation Ends on Floor of House Without Recommendations of Any Kind.

The records of my office are public records and I have endeavored to encourage inspection thereof by any person desiring to gain knowledge therefrom; and I court any investigation which may be made concerning the conduct of the office.

Breakfast in Tacoma; Dinner In San Diego

Major Smith, Who "Hopped Off" at Camp Lewis at Daylight, Ends Journey at 8:55 P. M.

San Diego, Cal., March 6.—(U. P.)—Flying almost three hours in darkness, Major A. D. Smith, army aviator, landed here tonight, establishing a Pacific coast record one-day flight from Camp Lewis, Washington, to San Diego.

BORAH GOUP DESIGNED TO BEAT LODGE

Republican "Bitter Enders" and Democrats Will Call for Immediate Action on Article X. Democratic Senators Hold Thing to Do Is to Support Reservation of Bi-Partisan Meeting.

Washington, March 6.—(U. P.)—Republican "bitter enders" in the senate will try next week to force a quick climax in the treaty fight by moving for immediate consideration of the reservation on Article X.

Wisconsin Dick Shot Dead in Love Triangle

Ralph Bruno Slays Notorious Yegg Who Stole His Wife's Affections.

Richard Troy, who as "Wisconsin Dick," a notorious safe cracker, is known to detectives in all Pacific coast states, was almost instantly killed about 6 o'clock Saturday night at Third and Harrison streets by revolver shots fired by Ralph Bruno, former proprietor of a pool hall at First and Clay streets.

DISMEMBERED BODY SAID TO BE DESCAMPS

Other Parts of Butchered Human Frame Found on East Eighty-First Street Are Identified. Police Believe Foul Murder Accounts for Mysterious Disappearance of Ex-Liquor Dealer.

The almost inexplicable mystery surrounding the disappearance of Ernest Descamps, ex-liquor dealer, prominent in the French colony and of reputed wealth was believed to have been solved Saturday afternoon.

TURKISH SITUATION ALARMING TO ALLIES

Supreme Council Accedes to Request From Greece for Strong Intervention.

Paris, March 6.—(U. P.)—Special dispatches to French papers from London today said that after most alarming reports from Constantinople the supreme council has acceded to the request of Premier Venizelos of Greece for strong allied intervention.

Boy Doomed to Be Hanged Is Denied Right of New Trial

Everett, Wash., March 6.—(U. P.)—Judge Ralph C. Bell of the Snohomish county superior court today denied the motion of Senator Joseph Smith for a new trial for 19-year-old Iorn White, the first murderer to be sentenced to hang in this state under the new capital punishment law.

Treasurer of Mine Says American Gold Policy Is Ruinous

Washington, March 6.—(U. P.)—"While the United States is maintaining a wide open gold market, Great Britain is maintaining only a theoretical one."

Roper May Be Head Of McDoo Campaign

Washington, March 6.—(U. P.)—Reports that Daniel C. Roper is leaving the post of internal revenue commissioner to manage the presidential campaign of William G. McDoo are given color.

Newsprint Saving Urged Telegram Boasts Waste

The directors and paper committees of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, assembled in New York Saturday, adopted a resolution urging the publishers of all classes of newspapers, daily and weekly, to make immediately a reduction of 10 per cent in consumption of newsprint.

Girl Escapes From Moving Train Going To State School

Santa Barbara, Cal., March 6.—(U. P.)—She was taken to the state girls' school at Ventura, jumped from a moving train near here today and made her escape from Miss Catherine Plunkitt, in whose care she had been placed.

Weather Man Would Inflict More Snow

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FINED FOR DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED

M. J. Reinsner Is Assessed \$100 in District Court Following His Plea of Guilty.

A fine of \$100 was imposed upon M. J. Reinsner late Saturday afternoon when he pleaded guilty before District Judge Hawkins to the state charge of driving a machine while intoxicated.

Endless Duplication Of Costs Would End With Consolidation

By Ward A. Irvine Petitions to place a measure for consolidation of the city and county governments in Multnomah county on the ballot at the November election are being drawn by the city attorney's office and will be ready for circulation at an early date.

President Masaryk Of Jugo-Slavia Is Greeted by Wilson

Washington, March 6.—(U. P.)—President Wilson today sent the following message of congratulation to President Masaryk of Czechoslovakia on the occasion of Masaryk's seventieth birthday anniversary tomorrow.

One Red Convicted; 17 Alleged Radicals Acquitted by Jury

Sand Point, Idaho, March 6.—(U. P.)—The jury trying the case of J. L. W. charged with the murder of a radical after deliberating less than four hours, returned a verdict of guilty against one of the defendants and not guilty against the other 17.

Hoover Declines to Permit Democrats Use of His Name

San Francisco, March 6.—Herbert Hoover has declined to permit his name to appear on the Democratic ballot at the approaching primary, according to a telegram received from Hoover today by the California Democratic state committee.

Ledge of Rich Ore Found in Vicinity Of Blue Ledge Mine

Medford, March 6.—An important strike was made in the Blue Ledge mining district by another ledge, owned by John Sullivan, pioneer mining man of that district, visited Medford with samples of the foot wide ledge of high grade copper, silver and gold, silver and gold, silver and gold, silver and gold.

P.R., L. & P. Only Public Utility Whole Public Is Not Taxed to Support

The Portland Railway, Light & Power company is the only concern in Portland operated in the general public interest and for the benefit of the public as a whole that is maintained almost in its entirety by one class.

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