

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs are in a really very happy married couple, though one would never think it judging from their notices in The Journal every day. The "Bringing Up Father" strip is but one of the daily Journal's numerous fun features. They're all worth a smile.



It's All Here and It's All True THE WEATHER—Tonight and Friday, probably showers, winds mostly west. Maximum Temperatures Wednesday: Portland..... 66 St. Louis..... 72 Boise..... 66 New York..... 68 Memphis..... 66 St. Paul..... 56

Republicans fail to show enthusiasm so far. Johnson gets radicals. Conservatives are divided. Independent vote is Splitting

By David Lawrence (Copyright 1920) Washington, D. C., April 29.—Republican primary results in Massachusetts, Ohio and New Jersey have failed to produce an overwhelming enthusiasm for any of the leading candidates, but have merely accentuated the fundamental line of demarcation between ultra radical and ultra conservative thought in the party itself.

Johnson Gets Radicals

The substitution of Wood for Harding or Lowden or the nomination of any one of the radicals would not meet the loss of the following of the other two. Their strength comes from precisely the same type of Republican voters. It is interesting to note that all the favor of the Nations and treaty with reservations, and their supporters include the regular Republican voters, together with some independent.

MAGNETISM MAY COUNT

Certainly Senator Johnson, who has made no bones of his absolute opposition to the League, managed to pull a considerable vote even in Eastern states as he did in the Middle West and Far West. The conclusion drawn here is that although Johnson's force in California, is impressing itself upon the voters with Rooseveltian magnetism of that—those elements in America which are taking it as their opportunity to express their appreciation to Hiram Johnson for his aggressive fight in their behalf.

OLD GUARD LINEUP

But what is unquestionably true is that these elements have of their own volition gone into the primaries to show their gratitude to Hiram Johnson. The point of view of the opposition was taken long before the opposition to the pact became positive throughout the country. His plans to return America's soldiers from Siberia to the states, and his great appreciation on the part of relatives of the soldiers in Michigan was a logical part of the Johnson campaign for nationalities.

FEDERAL FORCE IS DEFEATED AT CHIHUAHUA

Garrison Falls and All State and Federal Offices Are Taken Over by the Rebels; Governor and Other Officials Give Up. Washington, April 29.—(I. N. S.)—The federal garrison of Chihuahua City, state of Chihuahua, was defeated in a battle with the rebels April 26, and all state and federal offices have been taken over by the revolutionary forces, according to official advices received today by the state department.

U. S. CRUISER SACRAMENTO IS IN HARBOR OF TAMPICO

Washington, April 29.—(I. N. S.)—The U. S. cruiser Sacramento has reached Tampico and is prepared to offer protection to Americans there in the event of the revolution endangering them, according to information to the state department today, through official channels.

2 CANDIDATES FOR MEXICAN PRESIDENCY AGREE TO QUIT

Mexico City, April 29.—(U. P.)—Both Ignacio Bonillas, former ambassador to the United States, and General Pablo Gonzalez, candidates for the presidency, have agreed to withdraw in the interest of peaceful settlement of the present disturbed condition of the country, the newspapers El Universal and Excelsior said today.

Restaurants Face Profiteering Charge

Chicago, April 29.—(I. N. S.)—Government attorneys in Chicago started today their high cost of living investigation today. This time it had to do with the action of profiteering luncheon proprietors who have raised the price of coffee which costs them only 2 cents per cup, including cream and sugar, to 10 cents a cup. Many restaurant men have boasted the prices of sandwiches to 15 and 25 cents.

Campus Mystery Bared; Conscience Functions Return Of Stolen Gowns

A huge packing case delivered at Reed college last Tuesday has partially solved a campus mystery which has baffled Reed students and faculty for two years. Commencement morning, June, 1918, Reed seniors awoke to find their graduation gowns, valued at \$300, stolen from the college chapel. An outcry was raised. H. C. Gray of the Reed faculty went through every room in the dormitory, searching parties scoured the Reed woods, swimmers dove to the lake bottom, and posses went out in search of the thief.

Head-on Collision Is Fatal to Five Railroad Workers

Mankato, Minn., April 29.—(U. P.)—Five men were killed near Lambert, Minn., early today in a head-on collision of two Northwestern railroad passenger trains. The dead: Conductor E. W. Clark, Engineer S. Fuller, Fireman E. Larson, two railroad laborers, passengers.

Legislature Urged To Meet and Curb Rental Profiteering

Milwaukee, Wis., April 29.—(U. P.)—A special session of the legislature to enact laws aimed to curb rental profiteering was urged by the state's anti-profiteering committee in a report to Governor E. L. Phillip today. The report advocated: Elimination of rent brokers. Tax exemption of taxes on real property up to \$5000 to encourage home building.

General Strike to Back Rail Workers

Paris, April 29.—(I. N. S.)—The Federation of Labor today agreed to call a general strike on Saturday, May 1, in order to back up the railroad workers. Here is where the commission comes in with an interesting proposal. It asks congress to relieve the weak line of taxation and increase the tax on the other line. This would be done by abolishing the 4 per cent tax on gross earnings which both companies now pay and substituting a tax of 60 per cent on earnings above a 6 per cent return, and a tax of 75 per cent on earnings in excess of more than 7 per cent.

CHILD BUILDERS IN CONTEMPT HEARING CITED

Federal Court Orders J. R. Bowles and A. F. Smith to Show Why They Are Not in Contempt for Failing to Surrender Books. On showing made by United States Attorney Lester W. Humphreys this afternoon, Judge R. S. Bean in the federal court issued an order citing J. R. Bowles, president of the North-West Steel company, and Alfred F. Smith, president of the Columbia River Shipbuilding corporation, to appear before him and show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of court.

CONVICT WRITES AND PRINTS BOOK

Salem, April 29.—Based on his own "inside" experiences behind the walls of the Oregon penitentiary under 12 different wardens, and supplemented by data and information gathered from many of the larger penal institutions throughout the United States, Jesse P. Webb, a "lifer" in state's prison here, has produced "The American Prison System," a 262-page book said by many to be the most able and comprehensive presentation of the subject yet published.

Warnings Issued Spurious Dollars Are Out in Salem

Salem, April 29.—Warnings to the effect that spurious dollars are being circulated in this city have been issued by Salem banks, asking the cooperation of citizens in stopping the flow of the "queer." About 30 of the bogus coins have been discovered since March 15, it is said. The coins bear various dates and are described as poorly stamped, light weight, heavily milled and easily detected and thicker than the genuine. The coin is silver plated but the "treasury" feel is instantly detected by those accustomed to handling coin.

Children and All Their Pets to Be Seen in Public Parade Saturday

The animals went into the ark marching by two and two. Then, when the flood subsided, they all marched off again. The first miscellaneous parade since Noah is to happen right here in Portland Saturday, at 2 o'clock, and downtown at that. Not all the animals whose meal tickets Mrs. Noah punched will be there. The crocodile, jaguar, tiger, lion and leopard will all be conspicuous by their absence. But the monkey will be present, and perhaps will bring his comb and looking glass.

Supporters of Californian Claim He Was Robbed of Primary; On Face of Unofficial Returns General Wood Has Slight Lead.

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OHIO PRIMARY LEAVES G. O. P. BADLY DIVIDED IN FACTIONS

Columbus, Ohio, April 29.—The outstanding thing about the Ohio Republican primary is that it has left the party split wide open in this state. One element wrote in the name of Hiram Johnson of California, another name of Herbert Hoover Johnson getting 12,000 and Hoover 15,000. Outside of these elements, old line Republicans divided.

Boys to Welcome Papa of Old Third Oregon at Armory

When Major William Reidt, "father of the Third Oregon," raps his gavel at the Armory at 8 o'clock this evening, all across the city will be taken out to greet the veteran and officers concentrate their attention upon the organization of the veterans' association of the state regiment which became, for purposes of warfare against the Germans, the One Hundred Sixty-second United States Infantry.

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STOCKS SLUMP IN SHARP BEAR RAID

New York, April 29.—(U. P.)—Bear raiding forced a general decline in prices throughout the entire list on the stock market again today. Call money jumped to 9 per cent, contributing to the general decline. Steel common was forced to a new low at 94c. Reading, which had held up comparatively well during yesterday's slumping market, finally gave way and at 85 was off nearly 10 points from the high of Tuesday. Corn Products was forced down to a new low for the present decline at close to 55.

GAR MEN WITHDRAW WAGE RISE DEMAND

Employees of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company have withdrawn their request for a general increase in wages following a mass meeting Wednesday night. They will not, under agreement to be entered into with the company, again ask for an advance for one year, providing a small increase is granted to certain mechanical workers to place their earnings in proper ratio with platform workers. The additional expense to the company will be considerably less than \$10,000 a year, it is announced.

Steamer Beached When Fire Breaks Out in Ship's Hold

San Francisco, April 29.—(I. N. S.)—Fire in the hold of the United States shipping board steamer West Cape, which started this morning, became so serious that the vessel was beached. The four fire tugs fighting the flames, that the steel plates began to buckle, orders were at once given to tow the steamer to Mission Flats and beach her. On account of her cargo of oil, chances were taken on her going adrift to endanger other shipping.

EATINGHOUSES AND CARS FACE BIG SHUTDOWN

CHICAGO, April 29.—(U. P.)—Demands of hotel and restaurant employes and street car men for increased wages today threatened to shut down hotels and restaurants and a tleup of street car service here. Hotel and restaurant employes, demanding a 35 per cent wage increase, voted to strike May 1 if their request is refused. The street car conductors and motormen are asking \$40 a week.

NORTH BEND MILL HAS \$120,000 FIRE

Marshfield, April 29.—Fire at the plant of the Buehner Lumber company in North Bend early this morning caused \$120,000 damage. The fire was started by a dust explosion in the boiler room, which was quickly enveloped in flames. The fire departments from North Bend and Marshfield managed to confine the flames to the one unit of the plant. Fortunately there was no wind.

Wad of Spurious Bills Discovered on Person of Suspect

A. L. Goodrich, 61, supposedly from Seattle, yielded nearly \$1000 worth of counterfeit money in the form of greenbacks, and \$250 in negotiable cash, when he was arrested by police here yesterday afternoon following his arrest at Fifth and Morrison streets shortly after noon. Goodrich, police say, had attempted to buy a woman's skirt for \$1 at a store at 360 Morrison. The skirt cost \$27.50. The packet contained 12 bills similar to that Goodrich had tried to pass and there were three bills raised from \$1 to \$50. He had \$250 in cash in his pockets.

Mother's Guilt or Innocence Is Left In Hands of Jury

Paw Paw, Mich., April 29.—(I. N. S.)—As the fate of Mrs. Sarah Tabor was placed in the hands of the jury today, Special Prosecutor Glenn E. Warner made the announcement that a warrant charging murder will be taken out against Joseph Virgo, charged by Mrs. Tabor with the real responsibility for the death of her daughter, Maude Tabor Virgo, as soon as the jury reaches a verdict. The announcement that Virgo was to be arrested on a murder charge in connection with the "hope chest" death mystery was the biggest sensation of the trial. As yet to definite case as to his whereabouts has been obtained, it was said.

Lutheran Campaign Speakers to Reach Portland Sunday

Dr. A. L. Farmer, Dr. A. J. Aagaard and Dr. Theodore Hokenstad in the service of the national Lutheran council of the Lutheran World Service campaign, will be in Portland Sunday to address a mass meeting of all Lutherans at St. James church at 8 p. m., according to the announcement made today by the Rev. W. E. Brinkman. The speakers are urging the Lutheran campaign for a fund of \$200,000 to carry on relief work in Europe.

SUGAR PRICES TAKE ANOTHER UPWARD LEAP

Sugar is up again. The Western Sugar Refining company, following the practices recently inaugurated, has gone the California & Hawaiian Sugar Refining company's record price one better. Its quotation stands today \$2.25 per hundred pounds above the former record price. The Western Sugar Refining company is quoting \$2.25 per hundred pounds to wholesalers at refinery shipping points. With freight added and the usual wholesaler's profit attached, this means that the Portland retailer will pay about \$2.45 per hundred pounds over the next shipment.

Supply and Demand Help Sustain High Cost Era

Washington, April 29.—(I. N. S.)—The high cost of living, hiding behind the wall of supply and demand, may withstand attacks for some time yet, according to official statistics. Retail prices, by experts working under H. L. Livingston, chief of the bureau of markets, show that two or three food staples, breadstuffs, meat and potatoes, are short of last year's supply but with higher prices for all three. The decrease is in meat and potatoes. There is an increase of about 50,000,000 bushels of wheat this year and when the July harvest is in there may be a carry-over from last season of 100,000,000 bushels, bureau of markets statistics show. The flour production to April 1, is 108,142,000 barrels against 99,000,000 last year.

Paper Output Will Gain 300,000 Tons In 1921, It Is Said

Washington, April 29.—(U. P.)—Print paper production will be increased by 300,000 tons next year, Paul Patterson, Baltimore Sun, told the senate print paper investigating committee. "The only effective way to curtail consumption is to reduce advertising space by charging higher rates and thereby reducing the size of advertisements," he said. "An arbitrary reduction in advertising space would be almost impossible to execute."

John A. Bell Home Sold for \$30,000

The John A. Bell home, located at 290 West avenue, was purchased Wednesday by I. N. Fleischer of Fleischer, Mayer & Co. This is one of the most attractive homes on lower Portland Heights, the house being furnished with imported Venetian fixtures. Fleischer purchased the property as a home and the consideration was \$30,000. The deal was handled by the J. O. McKenna company and the Title & Trust company.