

### HELP LIFT LOAD FROM CAR RIDER, APPEAL TO VOTER

Appeal for justice to car riders and defeat of the 8 cent fare by passage of the three measures on the city election ballot Friday, was made by L. L. Levings to an audience at Franklin high school last night during the course of which Levings told of prevailing discriminations against car riders. These, they would continue to bear if the measures were defeated, Levings pointed out.

**BURDEN TIRE CAR RIDERS**  
"Car riders are tired of presenting the whole public with a transportation system free of charge, and on top of that paying part of the cost of municipal government through double taxation," he declared. "There is no vestige of justice in compelling riders to pay for pavement in which they have no interest, and paying tolls which no other man pays."

Levings pointed out that car riders now pay tolls over the bridges, that automobiles don't pay such tolls, that heavy trucks pay no charges, that other vehicles do not, and that pedestrians are not charged.

**STRANGERS ARE GOATS**  
He also showed that riders pay for transportation for city employees and that the paving laid by the car company is used by every form of traffic which pays nothing for the roadway. Levings also declared that other railway companies will not be relieved of similar burdens, as was stated in a local newspaper, because the measures are so drawn that they apply only to the one company, and stated further that the real relief was not for the company but for the car rider.

### DECLARES COMMISSIONS AND LAWS ARE TOO NUMEROUS

There are too many laws and too many commissions in the opinion of John U. Smith, candidate for lieutenant governor from Washington, Yamhill, Lincoln and Tillamook counties. He believes that the special legislative session called to consider several measures should have confined itself to that number instead of passing 97, 41 of which were vetoed. He believes that there should be but one fish and game commission, free of politics, instead of the two created by the special legislative session. He makes his campaign issue the support of the program for permanent road building and opposition to expensive, burdensome and freak legislation.

### FOREIGN LANGUAGE PAPERS CENTER ATTACK ON LOFGREN

David E. Lofgren, candidate for representative from Multnomah and Clackamas counties, is being made the center of attack by the foreign language newspapers of Multnomah county because he voted for the Norblad bi-lingual bill at the 1919 session of the legislature. Lofgren is of Swedish parentage and his vote in favor of the measure is therefore more repugnant to the foreign language papers than if otherwise would have been. The Norblad bill was an American Legion measure, presented to the legislature from that organization and sponsored by it.

### STEWART SAYS ROAD AND MILLAGE BILLS WILL WIN

James B. Stewart, who has been spending the past month touring the state in the interest of the road bonding amendment and the various educational bills, has returned to Portland confident not only that the road bond amendment, but that all the educational measures will carry by substantial majorities. Stewart, who is a candidate for delegate at large to the Republican national convention, has driven so hard for the measures that he has paid no attention to his personal campaign. He says his first choice is Johnson for presi-

### BONUS BILL REPORTED BY COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The soldier bonus bill, with a 10 per cent tax on the privilege of issuing dividend stocks, was reported by the house ways and means committee this afternoon by a vote of 15 to 10. Eight Democrats and two Republicans voted against the measure.

Plans are to bring it up in the house under a special rule on Saturday.

A warm fight developed before the committee reported the bill, the Democrats waging battle against the Republican bonus feature, while the Republicans replied by attacking the Democratic 10 per cent tax feature.

dent, but he will, if elected, abide by the direction of the voters both as to the man and the League of Nations.

### U. S. ASLEEP TO OPENINGS IN MEXICO, SAYS FLOWER

Corvallis, May 20.—At the noon luncheon of the Corvallis Commercial club Tuesday, Montaville Flower spoke in Mexico, asserting that while the United States is asleep to the great opportunities of acquiring control of the great natural wealth of Mexico, three great nations, Germany, Japan and Great Britain, are rapidly acquiring vast holdings in that country whereby they will, in time, dominate the republic politically. In the evening Flower spoke to a large gathering in support of the candidacy of General Wood for the presidency.

### PRIVATE SOLDIERS' LEGION INDORSSES THOMAS SWEENEY

Thomas A. Sweeney, candidate for the Republican nomination for congress from the Third district, Multnomah county, has been endorsed by the Private Soldiers' and Sailors' Legion, Sweeney enlisted as a private for service in the Mexican border trouble and later for service in the great war. Sweeney has conducted a quiet but energetic campaign for nomination during the past few days even bets have been offered that he would win the nomination.

### Youngster Charged With Forgery Taken

Toledo, Or., May 20.—Sheriff W. E. Simpson of Lincoln county departed for Portland Wednesday with 14-year-old Jack Monnette, picked up at Yaquina as he was arranging to sail on the gas schooner Nenahosha. Young Monnette is charged with forging his father's name to a check for \$110 at Vancouver, Wash. He tried to cash several checks at Newport.

### Emperor Yoshihito's Illness Not Serious

By Henry W. Kinney  
Tokio, May 18.—(Delayed.)—(U. P.)—Emperor Yoshihito, although suffering from neuralgia and kidney trouble, is not in a critical condition, according to the statement of Viscount Hatano, imperial household minister, today.

Three Are Arraigned  
Phil Polsky, Claude Durdray and Artie Sussman, Portland men, arrested on a charge of conspiring to violate the prohibition act by smuggling liquor into Portland from Canada, were arraigned before Federal Judge Bean today and given a week in which to enter pleas. The defendants were represented by Attorney John H. Stevenson.

### N. Y. BANKERS TRY FOR READJUSTMENT OF CREDIT BASIS

New York, May 20.—(U. P.)—New York banking and financial circles were bending every effort today to readjust the loan and credit situation on a lower basis without a too violent disturbance of the financial structure.

The liquidation of loans ordered by the federal reserve board was in progress. Just how sweeping it will be, one will say, bankers trying to protect their customers' credit. It is regarded as certain that the merchants carrying large luxury stocks on bank credit have been ordered to reduce their bank obligations. The result has been to compel the merchants to offer inducements to break the "buyers' strike." Therefore the flood of "sales" all over the nation. So far food has been little affected. It was understood, however, today that some of the banks have been carrying paper for vast quantities of food in cold storage and that they have called in part of these loans. It was expected this course would compel holders of the stored food to realize on it, with the result that it must be marketed and food prices will decline as notably as drygoods, clothing and shoes.

### DEFLATION OF CREDITS HAS DESIRABLE EFFECT

San Francisco, May 20.—(U. P.)—The concerted move by bankers of the Twelfth federal reserve district, under the urging of Governor John E. Caulkins of the district, to deflate credits, already has had its effect in lower prices, Governor Caulkins told the United Press today.

"Prices have been lowered already and will be lowered further, I believe," Governor Caulkins said today. "The bankers, working with other things, such as the tendency to stop the flow of luxury, are drawing in long-time loans and are protecting the credit of their communities. People are stopping the buying of non-essentials."

Governor Caulkins said no drastic steps will be necessary on the Pacific coast, "because the bankers are fully alive to the situation and have every intention of protecting credit," he believed. "No one is apprehensive," he said, "but all are conservative." He said the situation in this district is not critical as it is in the Middle West, which he described as "the soft spot." "Perhaps we behave better out here," he said, "we face no such difficult problems as they have."

Governor Caulkins recently wrote all bankers of the district stating that both an advance in rates and rationing of credit are undesirable, and urged the bankers to "protect the credit and economic interests of the country through the application of restraint and discretion in granting of bank credit."

### INCREASED RATES WOULD HARM, DECLARES OWEN

Washington, May 20.—(U. P.)—The federal reserve board, occupying the financial position held by J. P. Morgan in the panic of 1907, will cause great harm if it accepts any interest rates in an effort to reduce living costs, according to Senator Robert L. Owen, one of the fathers of the law which created the board. The board is justified only in requiring a liquidation of loans held for speculative or profiteering purposes, he said.

### Two Local Firms File Incorporation Papers

The Safety Can Opener company filed its articles of incorporation today with the county clerk, showing Portland as its principal place of business and its capitalization at \$50,000. Its purpose is to manufacture and sell specialties and novelties and the incorporators are Albert E. King, Arthur C. Burgess and Donald A. Young.

### League Discussed at Lengthy Conference

Washington, May 20.—(U. N. S.)—The League of Nations and other issues of the campaign bearing on the country's foreign relations were discussed at a lengthy conference today in the Republican National Chairman Will H. Hays and Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Republican leader of the senate and chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, held in the senator's office at the capitol.

### Timber Supply for Mill Is Purchased

Chehalis, May 20.—Stockholders of the Chehalis Mill company authorized expenditure of about \$200,000 for more than 80,000,000 feet of timber, giving the company a supply for about two years. Most of the timber was purchased from the O'Connell Lumber company of Winlock. The company employs about 175 men and cuts around 125,000 feet a day.

### Doctor Runs Down And Kills Japanese

Tacoma, Wash., May 20.—(U. P.)—Charged with running over and killing H. Kimura, Japanese, at Fifteenth street last night and then fleeing in his automobile, Dr. Arthur P. Calhoun of Seattle, former superintendent of Stearns asylum here, was arrested by Tacoma officers early today.

### M. R. Whitehead Is Reported Very Ill

M. R. Whitehead, general agent of the Pacific Fruit express, is very ill at Good Samaritan hospital. Mr. Whitehead has been identified with the company for many years in various capacities.

### Mobs Are Put Down in Italy

Paris, May 20.—(I. N. S.)—Violent disorders, during which the city hall was burned and members of the royal commission were wounded, have occurred at San Niche-Sur-Tagliamento, in Northern Italy, said a radio dispatch from Rome today. Several hundred workers took part in the demonstrations which began when they were refused two weeks advance wages. Troops finally restored order.

### Road Cited for Violation

Suit charging violation of interstate commerce railroad regulations was filed by the government against the Mount Hood Railroad company, which runs south out of Hood River toward Mount Hood, today in federal court. Defective coupling gear, was charged and the usual \$100 penalty asked.

### BORAH SLUSH FUND MOTION IS PASSED

Washington, May 20.—(I. N. S.)—The Borah resolution calling for a congressional investigation of campaign expenditures in behalf of presidential candidates, was passed by the senate this afternoon without a rollcall.

### Vancouver Couple On Wedding Tour By Auto in South

Vancouver, Wash., May 20.—In the presence of 25 guests, Miss Norma Firestone and G. Malcolm Johnson were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Firestone of Fruit Valley. Rev. A. H. Thompson, pastor of the First Methodist church, performed the ceremony, which took place under a canopy of white spires. Miss Alvie Johnson, sister of the bridegroom, home from the University of California, attended the bride. C. La Verrie Firestone, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Esther M. Heath of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left for San Francisco and way points by automobile. They expect to spend two weeks touring through California and Southern Oregon. Upon their return they will make Vancouver their home.

### Name Is Confusing; Would Change It

Ivar N. Oye does not like the name he bears and wants it legally changed to Ivar N. Tolstoye. He filed a petition to that effect today in the court of domestic relations, stating that the real name of his father is Tolstoye and that he has a pride in this family connection; that in business life he receives mail in the name of Oye that belongs to a Chinaman of the same name, and the Chinaman receives his mail, making constant confusion. Oye is a single man, 26 years old, and states that he has made his own living since he was 17.

### Spokane Gasoline Rationed

Spokane, Wash., May 20.—Because of a temporary shortage of gasoline throughout the Inland Empire, and as the result of railway strikes and transportation difficulties, Spokane is on gasoline rations of 25 per cent of tank capacity.

### State Chamber Meets

Members of the state executive committee of the State Chamber of Commerce met at the Benson hotel this morning to consider plans for carrying on the state expansion movement which was started last week. A meeting with the members of the board of directors of the Portland chamber was held in the hotel at noon.

### Fighting Sugar Price

Spokane, Wash., May 20.—The Consumer's league of Spokane has opened a campaign among women of Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana and California to bring pressure upon Western senators and representatives to secure action lowering the price of sugar.

### Narcotic Poison Fatal

Twin Falls, Idaho, May 20.—Ralph Cox died from the effects of drinking a narcotic poison, which had been prepared by himself and a companion.

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