

CITY COMPLETES ITS CONDEMNATION, PLAYGROUND SUIT

After a three days' trial before a jury in Circuit Judge Gatens' court, the suit of the city of Portland against the Versteeg Brick company for condemnation of 14.89 acres of land in Irvington, desired by the municipality for playgrounds and park purposes, was completed this forenoon.

The city's contention was that the property is not worth more than \$50,000, while the company placed its value at \$22,000. The jury gave a verdict for \$37,400 as the real value of the property.

TWICE WED TO SAME MAN, SHE WANTS SECOND DIVORCE

After two marriages to the same man, Mrs. J. Edna Dow, a Portland stenographer, whose husband is a military man stationed at Governor's Island, N. Y., is again seeking legal severance of marital ties. She filed suit for divorce Friday, charging cruelty.

Mrs. Dow says that by their first marriage they had two children, who are now boys of 10 and 9 years, respectively, and that they are now with their father. After the second marriage with Dow, she says, he refused to let her make a home for themselves and their sons, but compelled her to live apart from him and to earn her own living by working as a stenographer. She says that he required her to send him \$20 a month from her earnings to help support the boys, and that he insisted upon her sending back to him the government check of \$47.60 a month sent to her for the support of herself and the children. Mrs. Dow says that she was threatened with arrest on the charge of kidnapping if she undertook to bring the youngest son back to Portland with her. She asks that the boys be placed in the custody of their father.

Divorce suits filed: Ella Mael against Grover Cleveland Mael, cruelty; J. Edna Dow against Edward K. Dow, cruelty; Philip S. Day against Aldrich Kirchoff Day, cruelty; Hadje Mansell Neff against Ronald M. Neff, annulment; James Y. Nollist against Viola L. Nollist, desertion; Elizabeth Eckels against George H. Eckels, cruelty.

Sadie against Renas Boorman, cruelty; Agnes against Walter Sigrest, cruelty.

CRIMINAL CYNDICALISM CHARGED IN INDICTMENT

The Multnomah county grand jury on Friday reported to Presiding Judge McCourt eight indictments, of which five were secret, and three not true bills. Among the indictments were those of Henry Lemieux, charged with being a member of a society advocating criminal syndicalism; Ralph Stark, charged with receiving stolen property; Ben Ingram, charged with assault with a deadly weapon. Not true bills were found in the cases of J. S. Drake, charged with larceny by bailor; Robert Cochran, charged with a threat to commit felony; and Frank Brady, charged with being a member of a society advocating criminal syndicalism.

L. H. DARLING CONVICTED OF STATUTORY CRIME

The second trial of L. H. Darling, charged with committing a statutory crime against his stepdaughter, aged 13, was concluded in Circuit Judge Stapleton's court Friday, and the jury, after being out less than half an hour, brought in a verdict of guilty. In the previous trial before Judge Phelps, one juror refused to vote on any issue, even the question of insanity, and when this situation was reported to Presiding Judge McCourt the juror was excused from further duty. This necessitated the second trial.

R. G. Welch Loses Suit

A jury in Circuit Judge Kavanau's court on Friday brought in a verdict for the defendant in the suit of R. G. Welch against the Portland Railway, Light & Power company. Welch sued for \$45,000 damages for personal injuries and \$2200 damages for a truck which was injured in the collision with a streetcar in November of 1918.

Taken to Supreme Court

District Attorney Evans today filed notice of appeal to the supreme court of Oregon in the suit of the state on behalf of Belle C. Borland against Paul C. Yates. This is a quasi-criminal charge involving the support of an illegitimate child. The case was before Circuit Judge Taxwell on April 21, and was dismissed.

Health Office Busy; Physical Tests to Lapse for One Week

There will be no physical examination of applicants for permits to handle food stuffs at the city health office on afternoon of next week. Announcement of this was made today by Dr. George Farrish, chief of the city health bureau, who said all of his staff would be tied up in activities incident to Shrine matters. The physical examinations will be resumed the following week.

Shriners to Get All Gasoline They Need

Roseburg, June 19.—Arrangements have been made for the accommodation of Shriners driving to Portland. The Roseburg Shrine club secured the Laurelwood park in West Roseburg and everything necessary for automobile tourists will be supplied. Guy Black, president of the Shrine club, said that gasoline is guaranteed to all who drive to Portland, both going and coming. The supply is normal again. About 35 Roseburg Shriners will visit Portland.

Miller & Tracey Complete Funerals \$75 Up

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"ALLY" IS TAMPA MASCOT



Diminutive surlions by the score are features of Kivnans conclaves. O. B. (Jonesy) Jones (at left) and O. L. Knight, delegates from Florida club, are making tiny tators do most of the boosting, while they pass out Tampa cigars and Tampa orange blossom perfume. Below is a close-up of one of Florida's best known products.

URGE LA FOLLETTE TO HEAD LIBERALS

By Don E. Chamberlain Chicago, June 19.—(U. P.)—United States Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin has been approached by a delegation of liberals with a view to sounding him on the prospects of joining a third party movement and becoming the party's standard bearer in the fall elections. It was learned here today.

LaFollette, it was stated, has made no answer. The delegation, it was said, saw the senator at the hospital in Rochester, Minn.

HE THINKS IT OVER

The delegation did not press their question. They went away leaving LaFollette to think it over.

That LaFollette is considering favorably the idea of going with the third party in the view taken by political observers, as a result of an announcement here by liberals that a "working alliance among progressive organizations in Wisconsin" has been completed.

Indicative of the stand which may be taken by the proposed third party were plans of the committee of 48 to give wide circulation to resolutions adopted at a state convention of that party in Minnesota last Saturday.

NATIONAL PARTY URGED

The resolutions urge the committee of 48 to join with other liberal organizations in establishing a new national political party. The aims of the labor party and the committee of 48, read the resolution given out here today, are so similar that it may reasonably be expected that the two bodies will unite on platform and candidates, thus launching a new party whose program, from the hour of its organization, will be backed by millions of people.

Policeman, Knocked From Motorcycle, Is Dragged 30 Feet

"Ted" Smythe, motorcycle policeman, was knocked from his machine and dragged 30 feet when he collided with an automobile driven by Hugh C. Gruwel, at East Twenty-second and Weidner streets about midnight Friday.

Smythe was taken unconscious to his home, where he was still in a weak condition this morning, but not severely injured.

Tragedy in Small Town Causes Death, Wrecked Homes

Oxnard, Cal., June 19.—(I. N. S.)—A woman is dead, another thought dying and two homes wrecked as the result today of a triangle tragedy at Fillmore, a small town near here, where a mob, bent on driving pretty Tonette Falas out of town, caused her suicide.

Just prior to the young married woman's death, Mrs. Frank P. Yearrick had attempted suicide because of alleged relations of her husband with Mrs. Falas. It was then that the mob started out to banish the woman whose death it caused. She killed herself just as the mob approached her door. Yearrick is at the hospital with his wounded wife.

26 Are Naturalized At Astoria Office

V. W. Tomlinson, head of the United States naturalization service, has just returned from assisting 26 aliens to become citizens of the United States at Astoria. Six of the lot were discharged soldiers. The naturalization office will be handicapped July 1 through the loss of one of their men, entailed by lack of congressional appropriation. There are at present three men in the Portland office and no stenographer. The territory covers Oregon and parts of Idaho and Washington.

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TURKS BURN AND KILL CHRISTIANS

Constantinople, June 19.—(I. N. S.)—Turkish nationalists have attacked and burned the villages of Dagheul and Pashakeul, massacring all the Christians, according to reports received at British headquarters today.

Christians living in the Imid district, where fighting has been in progress between Turkish nationalists and British troops, are being removed under the protection of British warships lying close in-shore.

Imid is on the coast of the Sea of Marmora, southwest of Constantinople. While Turkish nationalists have concentrated on the Sea of Marmora coast, it is not believed likely here that Mustafa Kemal Pasha contemplates a serious offensive in that zone.

Navy's Legal Right To Commandeer Oil Referred to Court

San Francisco, June 19.—(I. N. S.)—Whether or not the navy has the power to commandeer oil under threat of force will be determined by the court action brought by the General Petroleum company at Los Angeles, according to A. L. Weil, counsel for the company, in a statement issued here.

The oil company asked an injunction after Commander John Mel, according to their statement, had threatened to land marines and seize a certain amount of oil if it was not forthcoming.

"It was not the amount of oil wanted,—he only wanted a few thousand barrels—but it was a matter of principle," said Weil's statement. "Weil said other oil companies had furnished oil under similar threats."

Chinese Sentenced To Jail on Charge Of Selling Cocaine

Deserted by his Chinese friends because he had spent six weeks in the white man's jail, Lai Ham, a Chinese of advanced years, appeared before Federal Judge Wolverson this morning to answer a grand jury indictment which charges him with selling cocaine.

"Are you guilty?" asked Clerk Fraser. "Me no know," he answered. "Sometime I make 10 cent, sometime 15 cent, sometime two bits. I no make much."

An offer of the court to furnish an attorney was refused. The judge then asked how long Ham had been in jail. He was told six weeks. "Well, let him go back for six weeks more," the court decreed.

Extra Deputies on Duty Next Week

Twenty-five additional deputy sheriffs will be placed on duty after the convention rush of visitors is over. They will be utilized in the handling of traffic at outside points, being stationed at the points where the highways, where traffic congestion or confusion is probable. The regular motorcycle officers will also all be on duty in the districts outside the city limits.

Outlaw Rail Strike Resumed in East

Philadelphia, June 19.—(I. N. S.)—The "outlaw" railroad strike, which originated in Chicago almost three months ago, was resumed in this city today on the Pennsylvania & Reading freight lines when the rail workers failed to get the promised adjustment of their grievances within 60 days.

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SURINE COMMITTEE PLEADS FOR MORE AUTOS FOR VISITORS

Automobiles for the accommodation of visitors on tours over the Columbia river highway and Arrow routes are needed badly by the Shrine automobile committee. The appeal of the committee has changed to a plea for there are not nearly enough cars available.

Every other detail for the Shrine conclaves has been worked out, but plans of the automobile committee are being held up by the slow response of citizens to the call for cars.

Ira F. Powers, R. A. Stewart and F. C. Griffin, in charge of the automobile committee work, have been laboring night and day to get sufficient cars gathered together. This morning Powers said:

"We must have more automobiles. The Columbia river highway has been nationally advertised and Portland is going to have the second largest number of cars provided we take the visitors over the route, and this will mean disappointed visitors. We aim to send everyone away satisfied."

This morning Bert Eling of the Overland agency notified Powers that the other Portland car dealers had turned over to the committee for the week. This fleet of automobiles has been christened the "mosquito fleet" and will be used for the week's work.

The automobile service provided from headquarters for visitors has received much comment from the early visitors. They are pleased to their destination without charge.

COOPERATION NEEDED

The committee cited another instance this morning which demands closer cooperation. A party of 15 visiting nobles stood for 10 minutes at Fifteenth and Broadway this morning waiting for a streetcar, and during that time many automobiles passed by without proffering a ride. Some of the automobiles were manned by Portland Shriners.

"Pick up all Shriners" is the word passed along, and members of Al Kader are hoping that citizens who are not in the habit of aiding in this scheme.

Shriners Capture Spokane With Jazz And Rooting Crews

Spokane, June 19.—(I. N. S.)—Speeding toward their Portland rendezvous, the vanguard of Shriner pilgrims swooped into Spokane today and remained long enough to awaken the city with fraternal pep. Delegations from various temples, 3600 strong, literally took the city by storm. Business was almost totally paralyzed by local merchants, who joined in greeting the travelers. El Kafir temple of this place acted as host at the big reception.

After the shriner load, the shriner from the train they turned themselves loose on the downtown section, invading offices and stores with rooting crews and singing their presence by a crash of music from their brass bands. Temples represented were:

Oman, St. Paul, 13 cars; Aladdin, Columbus, 12 cars; Aladdin, Wheat, 7 cars; Mispah, Fort Worth, 7 cars; Tebala, Rockford, Ill., 7 cars; Lamalia, Buffalo, 7 cars; Elmasia, Galveston, 7 cars; Molla, St. Joseph, Mo., 12 cars; Al Min (Little Rock), Sahara (Pine Bluff), Ark., 10 cars; Grand Forks, 10 cars; Elmasia, 10 cars; Yaarab, Atlanta, 11 cars; Al Sehab, 11 cars.

Six Forest Patrol Planes May Be Here For Shriners' Week

The Gavelston Shriners' special train is expected to arrive here this week with hardwood dancing floors, and is accompanied by jazz bands.

Attempts are being made by the general Shrine committee, upon the suggestion of District Forester George Cecil, to secure the six airplanes to be used for forest patrol beginning June 25, in time for the celebration of Shrine week. They hope to get the six planes assembled in Portland as a feature of the week.

Eastmoreland aviation field has been abandoned, and the field of Oregon, Washington & Idaho Air plane company will be used by the forest patrol planes. Instead, Cecil announced this morning. The change in fields is due to no fault of Eastmoreland, Cecil explained, but to the mere fact that the field is being used to a greater extent.

Four of the planes will go out from the Eugene base and two from the sub-base at Medford. The Eugene planes will be routed over northern California. One plane will visit Portland daily at the beginning.

Cecil received word recently that in July four routes will be established from Camp Lewis. This will probably mean an additional plane to visit Portland, said Cecil, since one of the routes will undoubtedly come south.

Special maps for the use of the observers have been completed, arranged in quadrangle form and showing timber stands, burns, lumber camps and look-outs.

Extra Deputies in Bridge Service Are Named by County

Eight extra deputy sheriffs were sworn in today for service beginning next Monday as traffic guards at the Burnside and Morrison street bridges during the rush of the convention week. They will serve in eight hour shifts from 7 to 11 o'clock daily. It is the intention of the county commissioners, said Commissioner Hoyt today, to keep six of these deputies continuously in service after the convention season is passed.

These deputies were given instructions today regarding the regulations for the two bridges. There must be but one streetcar at a time on the approaches or on any one span; teams may go on the outside of the streetcar tracks, but light trucks and automobiles must travel on the streetcar tracks. There must be no jockeying for position on the bridge, but all vehicles must keep in such formation as they enter on the bridges. No heavy trucks are to be permitted to use the bridges. Speed limit is 15 miles an hour for automobiles and six miles an hour for the light trucks.

Both Peterson and Blakely to Attend Convention at S. F.

Pendleton, June 19.—Returns from county clerks of the second congressional district and those reported by the secretary of state differ regarding the election of a delegate to the Democratic national convention, and both William M. Peterson of this city and George Blakely of The Dalles plan to attend. Whichever man is declared elected delegate will provide the loser with a seal at the convention, they have agreed.

Unofficial returns give Peterson the place by six votes, but word from the secretary of state indicates that Blakely is elected.

Prizes for the best displays of Oregon products this week in the competition fostered by the Associated Industries of Oregon, were awarded Friday at the Oregon products dinner. Bond Brothers were winners of the \$50 first prize.

E. H. Stafford, a parole violator from the state penitentiary, was arrested Thursday at Pilot Rock and returned to Salem Friday by Sheriff Taylor. The man had been on parole two years.

Dalles Shriners to Attend Opening Day Rites in Portland

The Dalles, June 19.—Local Shriners and their employes will attend opening day rites of the Shriners' convention in Portland in large numbers. Mayor F. J. Stadelman Friday, by request of many, issued a proclamation making Tuesday, June 22, a holiday.

Dufur post of the American Legion with headquarters at Dufur, this county, has made all arrangements for a rousing July Fourth celebration there, with many unique features already engaged. Wasco county will thus have two large celebrations with Dufur and this city staging them.

The Columbia river is slowly rising here. On June 1 high water was 20 feet. Friday it was 24 feet. Rainfall since June 1 here has been 6.8 inches.

Driver Sues Power Company

A suit for \$7500 damages was filed by A. E. Clark against the Portland Railway, Light & Power company Friday. Shriners, who were celebrating, were driving a sprinkling wagon on Broadway between Larrabee and Margin streets, his vehicle was smashed into by a streetcar.

DELEGATES ARE SO FAR AGREEING WITH PRESIDENT

By William Slavens McNitt (United News Staff Correspondent.) San Francisco, June 19.—Democratic delegates gathering here for the convention are maintaining at least an outward semblance of perfect alliance with President Wilson's ideas as expressed in the interview published in the New York World.

The interview may have been an explosive bomb, but if so such delegates and committeemen as have arrived here are doing an excellent job of hiding whatever damage it may have done.

"I am certain that President Wilson correctly expressed the sentiment of the convention," Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the Democratic national convention, declared.

BIYAN MAY START ROW

"The convention will declare for ratification of the treaty of Versailles and the League of Nations. There has never been any question in my mind about that."

"What about Bryan?" he was asked. "I don't speak for Bryan," Cummings replied. "I am sure, however, that I speak for the convention."

In spite of the united and smilingly confident front presented to outsiders the prevalent impression among disinterested observers here is that the convention is in for a smashing fight over the league issue. Cummings does not speak for Bryan, but the impression prevails that Bryan will speak for himself, and his voice has ever been a mighty roar in the ears of Democratic delegates. He is expected to sound his mightiest note against ratification without reservations.

Apparently, on the league question the convention is faced with the problem of coaxing two hungry lions to lie down beside each other and act like little pussy cats while a luscious lamb is paraded before their eyes. The lamb is Democratic party control. The lions are respectively President Wilson and Bryan. The answer is that the convention has a full sized job of diplomatic pacification on its hands that will probably look like a fight.

In support of Cummings' opinion, Mrs. Mary E. Foy, delegate from Los Angeles, member of a committee on arrangements and regarded as leading woman Democrat of the state, declared that the women of California, irrespective of party, were heart and soul with President Wilson in his uncompromising league stand.

FARTY LINES DEMOLISHED

"Senator Johnson lost the support of the women in this state by his opposition to the league," she declared. "We are looking to the Democrats to take a firm stand with the president. We do not know what the Republicans mean, and we look to the Democrats to be definite. The women of California are with Wilson for the League of Nations, Democrats, Republicans, Socialists and all."

Jones Spent \$1250 in Race Against Sinnott

Washington, June 19.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)—Senator Owen F. Jones and Harry Graham, Sinnott's opponents in the primary, are the only congressional candidates in Oregon outside of the present congressman who have complied with the federal law requiring the filing of campaign expense accounts and their accounts were long overdue. Jones shows total expense of \$1215, of which \$730 was his own money. Graham expended \$100.

Edmondson Is Convicted

Eugene, June 19.—L. R. Edmondson, attorney of this city, was found guilty of unlawful possession of intoxicants.

17,000 REFUGEES FLEE FROM KIEFF

Warsaw, June 19.—(I. N. S.)—Twenty trains have arrived here from Kieff, capital of Ukraine, bearing nearly 17,000 refugees from the zone of Russo-Polish fighting. Some of the trains were on the way seven days ago.

Colonel Henry Plota of the American Red Cross said that the Bolsheviks had shelled the city with great violence and that 50 fires broke out. The Ukrainians could not fight the flames because there was no water. The refugee trains were followed and preceded by armed and armored trains, while detachments of cavalry guarded the refugees as they were passing the Bolshevik outposts.

German staff officers were reported to be fighting with the Russians and directing the operations about Kieff.

Small electric ovens have been invented for softening the sealing compound and rubber parts of storage batteries.

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For the convenience of Journal patrons and visitors, The Journal circulation department announces a special subscription rate of 25 cents for The Journal for eight days from Sunday, June 20, to Sunday, June 27, inclusive. If you would keep your friends in other cities informed of the big events in Portland during Shrine-Rose Festival week, send The Journal with its comprehensive accounts in picture and text. The accompanying coupon will turn the trick.

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Johnson's Fight Against the League at Chicago

One of the outstanding incidents of the Republican Convention at Chicago was Hiram Johnson's victory in forcing the adoption of the League of Nations plank in the platform. According to the N. Y. Times, "the net result is that the Republican party has met the issue squarely and has made the League of Nations a paramount issue of the presidential campaign. It is a clean-cut fight from now on between President Wilson's principles of the settlement of National disputes through a society of nations and the principle accepted by the Republican convention that the United States should hold itself aloof from participation in the affairs of the world."

For all the important news, with special attention given to reporting the Republican Convention, you should read this week's LITERARY DIGEST, dated June 19th.

Articles of particular interest in this number are:—

A "Strictly Business" Peace With Russia

Irritation in France Over Britain's Negotiations to Resume Trade With Soviet Russia

John Barleycorn's Casket Sealed Up

U. S. Navy to Lead the World

French Affection for America

American "Interference" in the Orient

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