

Just a Little Different
Portland dramatic news is a little "different" in the Journal.

Oregon Journal

It's All Here and It's All True

THE WEATHER—Tonight and Wednesday, rain; increasing southeasterly winds. Minimum temperature Monday: Portland, 40; New Orleans, 54; Havre, Mont., 40; New York, 28; Los Angeles, 40; St. Paul, 25.

SOVIET SWORD IS SHEATHED SAYS TROTSKY

Russia to Celebrate First "Peace Christmas," Asserts Bolshevik Leader, Who Promises Economic Upbuilding of Country.

By Louise Bryant (Copyright, 1920, by International News Service) Moscow (By Wireless to Berlin), Dec. 21.—(I. N. S.)—Soviet Russia will have its first peace Christmas this year since the creation of the soviet form of government.

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FIGHTING HAS CEASED This is the first occasion in the past three years that the military situation in Russia has given way to tranquility. There is no fighting anywhere just at present.

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OREGON CITY MEN GET BIG REWARD

Toronto, Ontario, Dec. 21.—(I. N. S.)—Fifteen thousand dollars will be equally divided between Chief Constable Ed Fortune and "Three Fingers" Richardson of Oregon City, Or., the sum being the reward for locating John Doughty, secretary to Ambrose Small, the missing millionaire theatre owner.

Erects Tombstone In Relief Campaign; Is Arrested for It

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 21.—Ralph Tuttle, chairman of the European Relief campaign here, erected Monday a 100-pound tombstone in the middle of the intersection of Main and Second streets, labeling it "800." Walla Walla's quota of starving children of Central Europe to provide for. He refuses to move the obstruction to the traffic and has been arrested by the city police and placed under \$50 bond for appearance in court.

Officers of Closed Bank Under Arrest

London, Dec. 21.—(U. P.)—Thomas Farrow, founder, and Fred K. Hart, auditor of Farrow's bank, which suspended yesterday, have been arrested. The probable deficit is estimated at £1,000,000.

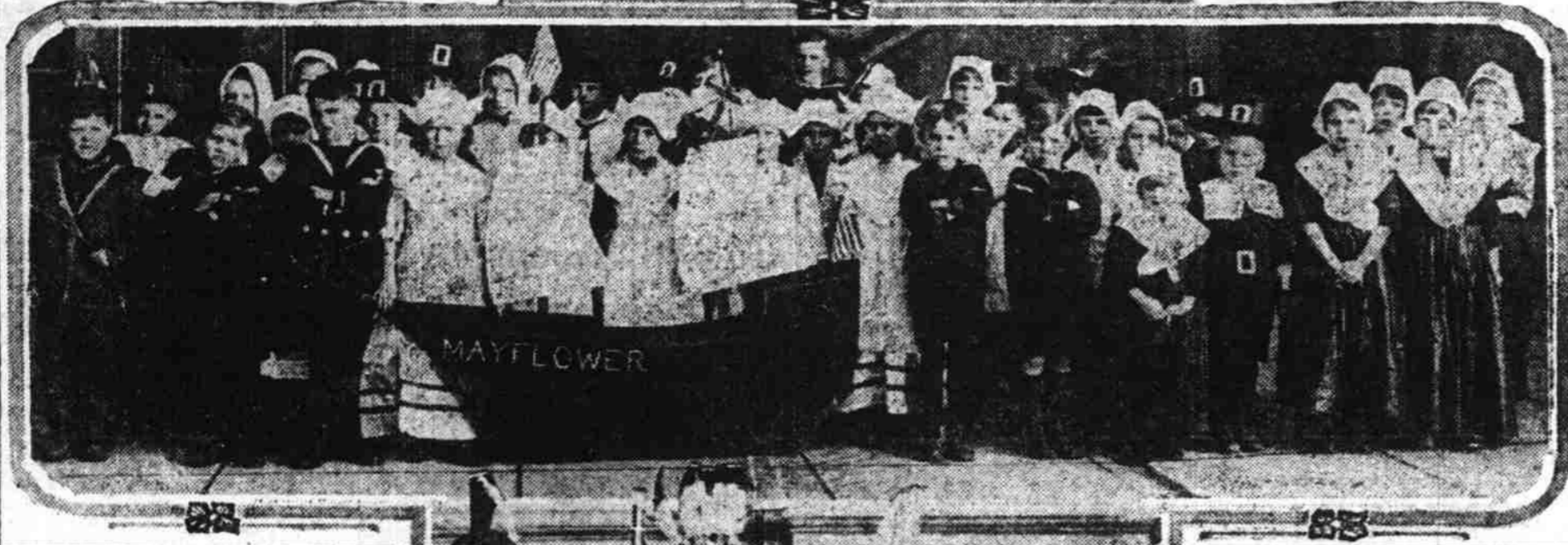
Portland as a Port

Portland now possesses a port plant worth \$75,000,000 that includes every essential factor from channel investment to public and private terminals and water-side industries.

The progress that has been made in this line warrants the claim that Portland is the fastest growing port on the Pacific.

SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL CELEBRATES PILGRIM LANDING

IN commemoration of tercentenary of Mayflower, teachers and pupils of many Portland schools hold appropriate exercises today, one of the principle ones being at Sunnyside, where a unique pageant was arranged. Picture shows: Above—Pilgrim fathers and mothers, impersonated by children, gathered about model of the historic ship that discharged its human cargo on the "stern and rockbound coast" at Plymouth Rock. Below are pupils impersonating the native Indians who greeted the visitors from overseas.



PILGRIM FATHERS' MEMORY REVERED

Today marks the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth Rock after their long and perilous trip aboard the frail bark, Mayflower. Throughout the country old and young are celebrating this great historical event with suitable ceremonies.

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CITY WOULD CARRY R. R. ROW TO COURT

A temporary injunction restraining the Northern Pacific Terminal company from executing its order directed against the Great Northern and the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway in their use of the Union station will be sought by the city from a state court if law supports the action and answer is not had from the interstate commerce commission before December 31, the effective date of the ouster order.

D'Annunzio Is Given Another Ultimatum To Surrender Fiume

Milan, Dec. 21.—(I. N. S.)—General Cavaglia, commander of the Italian troops in Fiume, today presented an ultimatum to Gabriele D'Annunzio, demanding the immediate surrender of Fiume and the islands of Arbe and Veglia and the fleet which was assembled at Fiume. The ultimatum will expire at 6 o'clock this evening.

Rev. Ward Long of Portland Called to Pastorate in Salem

Salem, Or., Dec. 21.—A unanimous call was extended to Rev. Ward Willis Long, pastor of the Forbes Presbyterian church, Portland, by the members of the First Presbyterian church of this city at a meeting Monday night.

Smith Is Appointed To Boundary Board

Washington, Dec. 21.—(I. N. S.)—President Wilson will appoint Senator Mark Smith, Democrat of Arizona to the international joint commission on Canadian boundaries to succeed the late R. E. Glenn of North Carolina, it was learned at the White House today.

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TARIFF BILL IS CALLED TOO HIGH

Washington, Dec. 21.—(I. N. S.)—The house voted today 206 to 76 to take up tomorrow for passage the Fordney bill providing emergency tariff duties on agricultural products, wools and woolen manufactures, designed to afford relief to farming interests.

ISLAND OF YAP IS WRECKED BY QUAKE

Tokio, Dec. 21.—(U. P.)—A combined earthquake and typhoon has wrecked most of the buildings on the island of Yap, according to rather meager advices reaching here today.

DISCUSS DEEPENING OF COLUMBIA RIVER

Washington, Dec. 21.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Deepening of the Columbia river channel to 30 feet between Vancouver and the mouth of the Willamette river was urged on the army engineers' board for rivers and harbors today by Senators Wesley and Jones of Washington and Charles McNary, Representative Albert Johnson and Commissioner J. N. Neal of the shipping board.

Mercury Down to 27 In the Orange Belt

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 21.—(I. N. S.)—Smudging was resorted to by citrus growers in the Riverside, Pomona and Ontario districts during the night to save the fruit from damage by frost. An examination indicated that the fruit had escaped damage.

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Teachers to Be Paid Before Christmas

To enable teachers to pay their Christmas bills, the school board's regular monthly pay day has been shifted ahead one week, and teachers will get their checks on Thursday of this week instead of Thursday of next week.

TELEPHONE CO. THREATENS TO CUT SERVICE

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Central States Held in Grip of Fierce Blizzard; Snow Piles Up

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SUSPENSION HINTED FOR COP CAPTAIN

Laxness May Bring 48-Hour Let Out for Inskip; Capt. Harms and Sergeant Olsner Are to Be Scolded; Soft Drink Men Cause

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