

WOMEN'S SALE
KILLED GOLD
BLOOD AT CHICAGO

Chicago, May 12.—(U. P.)—Gunnmen murdered two wealthy Italians in a barber shop here today and escaped.

Two men entered the shop of Debilia Laocchia at 714 Chicago street, in the barber chair and James Casalo was playing pool.

The gunman drew pistols. "You take the one in the chair and I'll take the one shooting pool," one yelled.

Four shots were fired and the two men died instantly. The slayers ran out and disappeared.

Both men's homes were in New Orleans. They had just arrived in Chicago from Buffalo, N. Y.

Police believe the slayers trailed the men over the country to assassinate them. A blackhand feud is believed responsible for the murders.

MORGAN SAILS TO
MEET WITH BANKERS

What will happen, I have just been reading what occurred after the Franco-German war of 1870. At that time France had to pay Germany and she borrowed the money and the investors in the other European countries.

Mr. Lamont foresaw, therefore, as early as September, 1918, the prospect of an international loan. Nearly four years have elapsed since then and the problem of German indemnity payments has not been solved.

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France is willing, however, that the Russian question should be referred for study to a commission of experts sitting elsewhere than in Genoa, excluding the Germans and Russians and if possible including representatives of the United States.

The French government considers that the Russian question is a matter of international law, and that the powers which signed the memorandum, said a French official to the correspondent, "France did not sign the memorandum and consequently is not taking part in the negotiations.

Nevertheless it reserves the right to express an opinion which is that in the face of this almost ridiculous manifestation on the part of the Russians the powers have no other recourse than to convene the conference or adjourn indefinitely. It is a ridiculous situation, those upon which the whole of European order and civilization rest and conciliation is impossible.

While the French government will not oppose the formation of a commission for the settlement of Russian debts and private property indemnification, it is understood that it considers that the role of this commission must be clearly defined and that its work can only be fruitful if the United States takes part in it.

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Princess Fatima Off to India
Britain Defrays Dusky's Fare

New York, May 12.—The Princess Fatima, sultana of Kabul, at last has shaken the dust of America from her royal feet. Today she is out upon the high seas, bound for Bombay, and once in India it will rest entirely with her to decide whether she will remain there or proceed to her native land of Afghanistan.

The princess and her three princely sons, Asim, Ghulam and Akbarhan, slipped quietly away from New York Wednesday afternoon, on a British freighter, bound for Alexandria and Suez. Her numerous editors happened to overlook that precious stone will probably forever remain a mystery.

Fatima, who came to New York 10 short months ago in a blaze of Oriental splendor, left yesterday as a dejected deportee. There were no able news reporters or cheering fellow countrymen to see her off. She left so secretly, in fact, that the news of her departure only leaked out today.

The British government, gently urged by the American state department, arranged for her sailing and saw to it that there was no mistake. Six weeks ago it was arranged that Fatima should quit our hospitable shores, but after she had stepped into a taxi to go to the steamship dock she instructed her driver to go in the opposite direction. For a time she disappeared, but soon she found it necessary to apply once more to the British authorities for support.

Fatima explained at the time that she did not wish to leave the America until her famous family diamond, the Dayaloon, about the size of a hickory nut, was disposed of. The diamond, at the time was in the hands of the sheriff, for Fatima had borrowed \$2000 on it.

Several creditors had filed liens against the stone, and to make matters worse Uncle Sam had stepped in with a big claim for duty. Fatima had expected to sell the diamond for not less

of necessities. What she would have gotten in a week of what was frequently through four years of blockade and America would have captured an important market. But instead Germany was disposed of, the diamond, without thought of the effect of her economic condition on the rest of the world.

Germany, in desperation, has made the mistake which the French writer in 1870 said would be disastrous for his country if attempted—it was the imposition of a tax on capital and the overissue of paper money.

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than \$300,000. It is said that she refused \$25,000 for it. Last Tuesday it was sold at public auction and brought \$5000, of which none but princely sums the princess received the royal receipt of \$16. Uncle Sam got \$1600 on duty. This was the last straw. After this blow had fallen, Fatima was willing to go, vowing to the high heavens that she never again cared to look on the face of this fair land again. The British bought her passage on an act of friendship for the United States and not through any love of the princess. Afghanistan technically is not a British possession, but there is a sort of implied protectorate arrangement which induced the state department at Washington to suggest to the British authorities that Fatima had best be on her way.

While her stay in America was one dismal disappointment after another, Fatima, now aboard the lugger, Bombay-bound, can look back upon two or three moments of supreme happiness and achievement.

SOME MEMORIES LEFT
She can picture again her reception at the White House, where President Harding accorded her all the deference due her royal rank; she can live over again the cordiality of her welcome at the state department and the conversation at the White House, where she was brought to the colored messengers in the corridors of the state, war and navy building. She can recall the once vivid dream of land "somewhere in the West," where she could settle down and live a life of ease befitting her station. She had always heard that America was open handed and welcomed the stranger within its gates. Fatima said she wanted to educate her sons in America, where opportunity knocked at every man's door.

One of her dreams was shattered. She fell into the hands of impostors. She suffered the ignominy of being put out of some of the most fashionable hotels and at length she found herself in the teeming East Side of New York, an object of pity and charity.

But now her day of glory is spent. She has gone—gone to the engulfing vastness that lies somewhere east of Suez.

armies are quite capable of dealing with the Russian forces and that the French army on the Rhine will keep Germany quiet.

"In any case," declared my informant, "the Genoa conference is now near its end. We ourselves never doubted that Russian opposition would make a solution impossible as soon as the allies showed any indisposition to give Russia the money which the soviets need to continue their rule."

MEMBERS OF UNION
TO MEET EMPLOYERS

being affected in the port by the strike, and with neither side apparently yielding, the union committee has decided to attempt a settlement at once.

The joint committee plan subsequently was adopted following a controversy over whether or not the United States shipping board should be represented on the committee. All sides agreed that the matter of a hiring hall could be discussed by the union and employers with only the two parties concerned in this issue represented.

A Cartwright of the Employers' union testified Friday, He summed up the employers' attitude in the following statement:

Members of the Waterfront Employers' union testified Friday at the outset, to state that they do not wish your board to act as arbiters in the matter of the strike, as in our opinion the matter is not suitable for arbitration, but we are glad, indeed, to avail ourselves of your board's services in order to put an end as speedily as possible to the present lawlessness on the part of the waterfront work as exists in neighboring Pacific coast ports.

The small employers, who have included men being made into gangs for lumber, wheat, flour and general cargo work, said they are not in a position to work together for very long periods and consequently could not cooperate with the union in working continuously in the same gang.

We respectfully submit that the waterfront employers of Portland should be accorded equally impartial treatment. If you can contract the industry of a labor union dictating terms which place our port at a disadvantage with its competitors and nullify all expense and effort of our citizens to place Portland in the leading rank with other world ports.

Cartwright declared more efficiency under the new hiring system than the old.

Some vindictiveness crept into the hearing Friday afternoon when Herman Larsen, member of the union strike committee and foreman of cargo working crews, testified that stevedore companies in Portland practiced payroll padding and other means of deception for illicit profits.

Larsen declared that stevedore companies made it a practice to stretch port time for the time for which they were contracted on time paid for by the ship owner. He could offer no estimate as to how much money he asserted the companies made by these means.

Larsen upheld the list system of hiring men as being the only way work could be rotated among the men. He said that the list system was being according to efficiency favoritism was shown, foremen selecting their friends and members of their families as permanent crews.

Under the employers' hiring hall plan, he said, men who wanted work "tipped" hiring agents with money in order to get the jobs.

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Two More Killed in
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Dublin, May 12.—(U. P.)—Hostilities in Ireland have been resumed, despite the peace conference between the leaders of the warring factions.

The new disorder centers in Ulster. Irish Republican army mutineers' arson squads set fire to and destroyed the British naval wireless station on the Donegal coast, Thursday night.

Promotion of the Clackamas river road as a scenic highway is to be undertaken by the club, with the intention of securing a pavement extending from here to Springfield. The department also plans investigation of road pavements and surfaces to determine the most feasible for Clackamas county.

Needed repairs to roads of the county, including Main street in Oregon City, are to be looked after by the matter of signs and the automobile park will be handled by a committee.

To expedite business undertaken by the department, non-partisan committees will be appointed, each individual being responsible for matters entrusted to him.

Prince of Wales Is
Welcomed in Manila;
Guns Boom Salute

Manila, P. I., May 12.—(U. P.)—The Prince of Wales was given an enthusiastic welcome on his arrival here today from Japan en route home to England.

He was greeted by airplanes far out in the harbor, while guns ashore boomed a salute.

This afternoon the prince was to play polo and tonight will be the guest of honor at a banquet to be given by Major General Leonard Wood, governor of the islands.

He will leave Monday en route to England via North Borneo and the Suez canal.

Mounted Police of
Canada Invited to
Attend Rose Fete

Salem, May 12.—Governor Olcott has extended, through Secretary of State Hughes, an invitation to the Canadian Mounted police to attend the Rose Festival in June.

Not only will this offer permit the entrance of such a detachment in the state, but will welcome it, the governor writes. "I may say that last year a similar detachment very graciously accepted of the invitation to attend the Rose festival and its presence did much to further cement the very friendly relations between the people of Canada and of the United States and the Pacific Northwest."

Radio Concert Is
To Be Benefit for
Candidate for Queen

The first radio concert to be staged in a public auditorium in this city will be carried through tonight at the Lincoln high school auditorium, when employees of the Union Pacific system hold a benefit entertainment for Laura M. Olbrich, their public candidate for the Elks' spring carnival. The concert will be broadcast from station KQY about 8:30 o'clock. A special indoor aerial has been rigged up for the receiving set at the auditorium. Preceding the concert, S. C. Lancaster will deliver an illustrated lecture Alaska and the Northwest, and following the concert, a motion picture depicting scenes at the Pendleton Roundup will be shown.

Politics Stalking
Apace With Harding
On Week-End Rest

Absecon, N. J., May 12.—Coming to New Jersey for a few quiet rounds of golf along the seashore, President Harding found himself today squared in the middle of a hectic political campaign. The president left the bonus and tariff question at Washington for a rest, but on the time he struck the Jersey shore yesterday until he retired at the Seaview Golf club early this morning, after an exceedingly strenuous day, politics followed him to the shore. The result of his vacation so far is the friends of Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen are congratulating themselves over the news that the senator from New Jersey is the first sitting senator up for re-nomination this year to publicly receive the "O. K." of the White House.

Conference at Once
On Station Is Asked

Salem, May 12.—A request for a prompt conference on station facilities at Oregon City has been forwarded to the U. S. Department of Commerce by Southern Pacific company, by Fred C. Buchtel, public service commissioner. Buchtel expresses appreciation of difficulties encountered in the company's attempt to comply with the commission's order for improved freight and passenger facilities at Oregon City, but points out that the definite location of the Pacific highway at that point, the way has been cleared for action.

Fires During April
In Oregon Caused
Deaths of Seven

Salem, May 12.—Thirty-six fires in Oregon outside Portland, during April resulted in the loss of seven lives and in material losses aggregating \$106,578, according to the monthly summary report of the Oregon State fire insurance commissioner. Three of the seven lives were lost in two separate fires caused by careless smokers and four lives were lost in a fire which resulted from the explosion of an incubator lamp.

The heaviest material loss by fire during the month was that represented by the destruction of a warehouse and contents at Elgin, estimated at \$41,000.

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