

HOBBO KING'S HERE ON BURNING TOUR BASED ON WAGER

The "Hobo King," who is touring the world at the world's own expense under the terms of a wager made January 21 in an exclusive New York club, passed through Portland today and after a brief visit to The Journal office, hurried away to Puget Sound in a borrowed automobile.

A slight complication arose after a reporter assigned to interview the Hobo King carelessly permitted himself to be induced to sign the traveler's record book. It seems everyone who signs the book has to donate something to the hobo.

CARRIES HIS POINT There is no doubt that he always carries his point. It must be his eyes, which are baby blue with black lashes, and very steady and disarming.

By way of compromise the king accepted a package of expensive cigarettes, which immediately restored diplomatic relations.

No one knows the name of the hobo king except the men who signed the contract and two secretaries, one who goes before him and a second who follows after him to collect publicity clippings and check up on his activities to be sure the terms of the contract are not violated.

He is required to visit all the principal cities in North America and several foreign countries. He cannot remain longer than two weeks in one place. He cannot receive more than \$1000 for any day's expenses for one day's work.

MUST AID CHARITY But he must distribute each week \$100 for charitable purposes. This money he must "burn." He must have \$1000 at the end of the trip. He had \$1 when he started.

In appearance he looked like the son of a millionaire who had been for a week-end in the woods without a handbag. He needed a shave badly, and his white flannel trousers and gray and green tweed coat were dirty and wrinkled. He wore no hat and was very sunburned.

His publicity book says he served omelets, where he lost two fingers from one hand, and tells of his burning around the world several times and his 19 years of hobo experience. He claims to speak 12 languages. The reporter did not attempt to test this claim.

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are sufficiently independent of parties to throw their strength to a Republican candidate. Naturally Mr. Reed will make an effort to recover some of the Democratic votes which were obviously opposed to him.

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HARDING'S HANDICAP It is an open secret that Mr. Campbell's unwillingness to give the administration a rule so as to bring the ship subsidy bill to a vote has been a handicap to Mr. Harding's pet measure.

DEAD MAN NOMINATED IN TENNESSEE PRIMARIES Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 4.—Tennessee's primaries presented some of the most unusual developments in the history of American politics.

DATE GOVERNOR OF FACE GOVERNMENTS WHEN HE ARRIVES

Dave Lightner, captured fugitive, who is in from the steamer West Farallones, will be held at Los Angeles for Portland federal authorities on narcotic charges when the ship docks at San Pedro, according to assurances received today by United States District Attorney Humphreys from the Los Angeles district attorney.

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WORK TO COMMENCE SOON The long discussed concrete bridge for Alexandria avenue, to give direct access to the Salvation Army's White Shield home, has advanced to the point where it will be at work within the next two weeks.

COURT'S MEMORY SERVES HIM RIGHT, ACCUSED FINED District Judge Richard Deitch's keen memory for facts completely negated a heroic plea for leniency delivered today by attorney for Philip Bredy, a driver for the Log Cabin Baking company, who was on trial for speeding 40 miles an hour on Sandy boulevard.

MAGISTRATE WINS In the senatorial race the "Golden Rule" candidate, Noah Cooper, who announced he would go to Washington to revive the blue laws of the nation and who opened all of his campaign meetings with prayer, was snowed under, being a poor third to Senator Kenneth McKellar, who was renominated, and Captain G. T. Fitzhugh of Memphis.

SOFT DRINK KING Will Take Bride Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 4.—(U. P.)—The engagement of Asa G. Candler, soft drink king, to Mrs. Onezma de Bouchelle, former New Orleans society leader, now of Reno, Nev., was announced here last night. Candler's wedding will take place the latter part of this month.

COMMITTEE KILLS Anti-Mask Bill Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 4.—(U. P.)—The corporation committee of the Georgia senate today killed the bill introduced by Senators John H. Jones and Russell Snow, outlawing the wearing of masks in public in this state. The vote on the measure was 6 against and 1 for.

Man Is Accused of Stealing Pigs, Kind That Don't Squeal

Robert Wilbur is charged with having outdone the famed piper's son of Mother Goose early this morning when he is alleged to have stolen several pigs from under a fence.

Wilbur declared they intended to sell the pigs to Front street junk dealers. He took to his heels, but was overtaken. Wilbur said his companion was Ray Prince, for whom he was taking the pigs.

NEGRO SENTENCED TO 13 MONTHS ON Narcotic Charge "Honesty is the best policy," Federal Judge R. E. Bean said when he sentenced Mitchell to 13 months in the Leavenworth prison this morning.

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CITY OF MILAN IS CAPTURED BY FASCIST GROUP

Rome, Aug. 4.—(U. P.)—Fascist, the militant organization of the Italian nationalists, seized the city of Milan today after a battle in which 62 persons were injured. Two hundred arrests were made. At last reports the Fascists were administering the affairs of Milan.

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Salem Hop Buyers' Property Attached To Cover Lawsuits

Property of T. A. Livesley company, of Salem, hop buyers, was attached Thursday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal Reed to cover law actions totaling \$41,500 brought against the concern by C. Clemens Horst company of New Jersey and E. Clemens Horst and Daisy B. Horst of Tehama, Cal.

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Band of Gypsies Driven Over River To Oregon Shore

South Bend, Wash., Aug. 4.—Pacific county is rid of a plague of gypsies, which descended on this section via the Ocean Beach highway from Chehalis early this week. The band numbered 39 and traveled in 13 automobiles. They invaded the invaded business houses and picked pockets, one man losing more than \$40. Sheriff A. B. McDonald and deputies chased them down the Ocean Beach highway to the seashore near Ilwaco, cornering them at McGowan. All were shipped across the Columbia river to Astoria.

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Man Shoots Wife And Self Before Proposed Reunion

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 4.—(U. P.)—Mrs. Belle Carson, 25, and pretty, was shot and probably fatally injured by her husband, Roy Carson, 22, at the home of her mother-in-law at Sheffield, a suburb, this afternoon, while preparations were being made for a reunion dinner.

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BEACH FLAPPERS ARE APPROVED BY CENSORS

these suits" declared William H. Perkins, chairman of the newspaper men's committee, as he watched a bevy of pretty girls splash in the shallow water at Windemere.

"Sure," agreed the inspector Klingsmith, who appeared to make pleasure of the business trip before he was un-nerved by the tape episode.

What the other newspaper men, James S. Sheehy, Lawrence G. Smyth and Hazel S. Moore, said were merely retortations in the most part of the statements of their companions.

One thing that looked good to the inspectors, as they skirted the houses, boats at Willametta moorings and the Oregon Yacht club, was the cool and easy life of the houseboaters.

One Fair Enough For Wasco County, Court's Decision The Dalles, Aug. 4.—As a result of a general meeting of all interested in the matter of holding a county fair here this year, the county court has decided that no fair will be given in The Dalles next month, and all efforts of the county will be concentrated upon an exhibit at the Southern Wasco county grounds at Tygh, Va.

Auto Kills Boy on Everett Highway

Seattle, Aug. 4.—(U. P.)—Allen McDonald, 13, was instantly killed shortly before noon today, when struck violently and hurled a distance of about 50 feet by an automobile driven by Freeman A. Hobart of Tacoma, on the Everett highway, near Richmond Highlands. The lad, in company with Meril Haines, 16, and Dwight Bennett, 12, was hanging posters for the Oriental Pasta to be held at White Center. He crossed the road on a sharp curve to carry a paste pot to Haines, when the automobile hit him.

Harding to Succeed Himself on Board

Washington, Aug. 4.—(U. P.)—Reappointment of W. P. G. Harding as governor of the federal reserve board will be announced within a few days, according to authoritative information here today.

Three Crossings at Grade Ordered Out

Salem, Aug. 4.—The public service commission has entered an order eliminating three grade crossings on the Shanks branch of the O-W. R. & N. in Sherman county and authorizing the construction of one new grade crossing. The new crossing authorized is on the Monklans county road. Fifteen grade crossings have been eliminated by the commission this week.

Advertisement for Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co. featuring 'New Fall Models' with prices starting at \$35. Includes text: 'With better ones priced at \$40, \$45. The new fall styles are interestingly smart—the sort that stay "good" and their colorings to suit every taste.'

Advertisement for 'More Miles From Each Gallon' featuring a car with 19, 20, and 22 miles per gallon. Includes text: 'Absence of unnecessary weight, with engine power scientifically applied, makes the Columbia Light Six a real "more-miles-per-gallon" car.'

