

## AGED CHINESE FATALLY HURT IN ACCIDENT

EMPLOYEE, SEPERT'S CANNERY  
RAN DOWN BY PENDLETON  
AUTOIST.

## WAS 60 YEARS OF AGE

P. H. ROOK, DRIVER OF DEATH  
CAR, TAKES VICTIM TO  
HOSPITAL.

What was intended to be an act of kindness, the giving of a ride to an aged Chinese who was wearily plodding along the Columbia River highway towards The Dalles, this morning resulted in an accident which cost the life of Seld Jew Juck, the Chinese. The accident happened at the end of the pavement, east of The Dalles.

P. H. Rook of Pendleton was driving the automobile which struck the Chinese. He was driving to Portland at the time. Noticing the tired manner in which Seld Jew Juck was making his way towards The Dalles, Rook thought to give him a ride. He accordingly slowed down and turned to the side of the road.

Just at this time, Juck heard the car, turned and saw it apparently approaching straight at him. He jumped directly in front of the automobile, which passed completely over his body.

Rook at once stopped the car, picked up his victim and rushed him to the hospital. Juck's age, 60 years, was against him in his fight for life, however, and he died early this afternoon.

Rook reported the accident to Sheriff Christman. He was allowed to continue his trip to Portland, upon the promise that he would come back to The Dalles if wanted.

Juck was a familiar character about The Dalles, having been employed at the Sebert cannery for a number of years. He was known to all of his friends as "Happy," because of his sunny disposition.

At the hospital, it was found that he was blind in his right eye, which probably added to his confusion when he turned suddenly and saw the approaching automobile.

The body is at the Burget-Morgan company's funeral home. A coroner's inquest will be held tonight, according to Deputy Coroner F. W. Mogan. As far as is known, Juck has no relatives living in this city.

## UNIONISTS TRIUMPH IN IRISH ELECTION

SINN FEIN CANDIDATES AROUND  
BELFAST SECURE LITTLE  
SUPPORT.

By United Press  
BELFAST, May 25.—Although official figures were lacking, a triumph of unionist candidates for the Ulster parliament was considered certain today.

Despite the furor in yesterday's elections, in which more than a score of persons sustained injuries, Sinn Fein candidates apparently drew little support.

## PRESIDENT BACK IN WASHINGTON

HARDING RETURNS CONFIDENT  
THAT ECONOMY PROGRAM  
IS APPROVED.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, May 25.—The Mayflower, carrying President Harding and his party from New York, docked here shortly before 10:30 a. m.

Harding left the yacht and went to the White House.

Harding is confident that his program of reducing the government payroll is backed by popular approval.

His declaration in New York that ruthless economy must be enforced regardless of the chances of obtaining equal privileges brought such instant approval of the program that he is expected to leave this time in applying the knife to Washington and tape.

## LEIGH SISTERS PLAN FLIGHT FROM PORTLAND

LOCAL GIRLS MAY REACH CITY  
TODAY BY AIR-  
PLANE.

Friends of the Misses Artie and Graddell Leigh are watching the skies to the westward today to see the coming of the airplane which Miss Graddell Leigh is piloting from Portland to The Dalles.

Undaunted by the uncertain air currents which prevail over Cascade Locks and make the sky lines bumpy for aerial navigators, the girls left here for Portland on foot Sunday, hiking every step of the way according to word received by their mother, Mrs. Rose Leigh, intending to fly back today.

Miss Graddell Leigh is a skilled aviatress, having had many solo hours in the air. She was to have received her pilot's license in Portland Tuesday, and expected to leave as soon afterwards as weather conditions would permit.

Mrs. Leigh said today she expects there will be three in the plane, as a mechanic will accompany the girls in the flight. The plane will land on the field at Granddalls.

Miss Graddell Leigh began her training at the Dudley school in Portland last spring, continuing her work through the summer and fall. She spent most of the winter in The Dalles.

Mrs. Leigh, and the younger daughter, Miss Artie, conduct the beauty shop in the Hotel Dalles. The sister who flies intends giving exhibitions over the city Pageant Day, and will probably carry a few passengers.

## MAYETA ACQUITTED ON PROH CHARGE

PROPRIETOR OF GLENWOOD HO-  
TEL GOES FREE ON THIRD  
TRIAL.

After being out nearly three hours, a jury in the circuit court yesterday evening brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of Tony Mayeta, proprietor of the Glenwood hotel, charged with violating the prohibition law.

At one time, the jury was said to have stood six to six on the question of conviction and acquittal; never more than six jurors being in favor of conviction, however.

Mayeta was arrested last winter following a raid upon his hotel by special operatives from the state Anti-Saloon league. He was first tried in the justice court, where he was fined \$500 and sentenced to serve six months in the county jail. He appealed this sentence to the circuit court where a jury, after being out all night, reported that it could reach no agreement.

District Attorney F. V. Galloway refused to withdraw prosecution as a result of this disagreement, however. Yesterday's verdict of not guilty followed a hard fought legal battle which lasted for two days, with Galloway prosecuting and Attorney R. R. Butler representing Mayeta.

## MAPS WILL GIVE BACK SHANTUNG

COLONIAL CONFERENCE SAID  
TO HAVE DECIDED ON UN-  
CONDITIONAL SURRENDER.

By United Press  
TOKIO, May 25.—The Japanese colonial conference has decided in favor of unconditional surrender of Shantung, according to the newspaper Kokumin. The conference was composed of Japanese representatives to Asia, cabinet members, foreign office officials and the Chinese minister at Tokio.

## OUT IN PORTLAND GAS RATE EFFECTIVE JUNE 5

By United Press  
SEASIDE, May 25.—The public service commission today ordered the Portland Gas & Coke company to cut its rate 25 cents per thousand cubic feet on fuel gas, effective June 4. This will save customers of the company \$24,000 annually, it was announced.

## LEADERS FEAR LAXITY IN DRY LAW ACTIVITIES

TREASURY DEPARTMENT MAY  
HARBOR OBSTRUCTIONIST,  
THEY BELIEVE.

## MAY TRANSFER BUREAU

WILL BRING UP VOLSTEAD SUP-  
PLEMENT TO STAY PALMER  
RULING.

By Herbert W. Walker  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WASHINGTON, May 25.—Alarmed at an apparently prevailing laxity in prohibition enforcement, dry leaders in congress today determine to force a strict compliance with the law.

At the present an inquiry is being made quietly by some members of the house to determine whether someone in the treasury department is trying to hamper the enforcement of the dry law, as recently charged on the floor of the house. The dries are aroused because the treasury department released 700 out of 1,200 dry agents a few days ago when appropriation allotments expired without warning congress of the situation and asking for an additional amount.

Representative Volstead, Minnesota, believes a big blow to prohibition work was dealt by this reduction and that the action of the house in promptly voting an emergency appropriation of \$200,000 will only partially repair the damage which he claims has been done.

Volstead and others in congress, including Representative Byrnes, Tennessee, have indicated that they believe Prohibition Commissioner Kramer was prevented from coming before congress and asking for more money. In case it is found that prohibition enforcement cannot be effectively in the treasury department, it was said, the dries will immediately introduce a bill to transfer all the activities to the department of justice.

One of the first direct moves of the dries to tighten up the laws will be the passage of the Volstead bill, the main purpose of which is to prevent the use of beer as medicine.

## CHAMBER OBJECTS TO PARK'S NAME

"THE DALLES ILLAHEE" NEAR-  
INGLESS; "QUENETT PARK"  
FAVORED.

The name "The Dalles Illahee," which has been adopted for the new city park, came in for considerable criticism by directors of The Dalles-Wasco County Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting of the board of directors last night. The name is inappropriate and, in reality, does not mean anything, directors pointed out.

Chairman H. R. Fancher of the chamber state park committee, admitted that he did not like the name personally, but that his committee had decided upon the name in desperation when repeated calls for suggestions had failed to produce results.

After considerable discussion, it was finally decided that "Quenett Park" would be a more appropriate name for the new city park, as Quenett creek, the first recorded landmark in eastern Oregon, runs through the park. Quenett creek is now known as Mill creek. History records that Lewis and Clark, upon their voyage down the Columbia river, camped at the mouth of this creek.

It was finally decided that the city park committee will be asked to change the park name from The Dalles Illahee to Quenett Park.

Members brought up the question of collecting a fee from tourists, for the privilege of using the park. He explained that other cities on the Pacific coast charge a fee of 50 cents for camping privileges, and that with the money derived from this fee, a caretaker was hired to keep the grounds in shape and free from weeds. The directors decided to wait until the park was completed before taking this matter up for final decision.

## OLD HOSE WAGON IS TROTTED OUT FOR MINOR FIRES

VOLUNTEERS HAVE STRENUOUS  
TIME WHILE BIG TRUCK UN-  
DERGOES REPAIRS.

The Dalles volunteer fire boys were compelled to make use of the old hand-drawn hose cart this morning, when two fire alarms came within a period of 30 minutes, while the big motor fire truck was jacked up in the basement of The Dalles Garage undergoing repairs.

The first alarm was turned in from 510 G street, where a chimney spark, fanned by a strong wind, had started a roof fire. This blaze was extinguished without turning on water.

No sooner had the volunteer fire fighters returned to the station, put their equipment away and gone about their regular work, when a second alarm was turned in, this time from the Washington hotel. Front and Washington streets.

Hitching the old-fashioned hose cart on behind an oblong "Henry," the fire boys went started on their way, narrowly averting several serious accidents in making wild turns around the stone sentinals on Third and Second streets.

The Washington hotel alarm proved to be another roof fire. In this instance, however, it was found necessary to cut through the roof and turn on water before the flames could be extinguished.

The motor-driven truck was laid up for three hours altogether, by a broken part in one of the wheels which made driving dangerous.

## INSURGENTS BEATEN ON BIG NAVAL BILL

ALAMEDA BASE APPROPRIATION  
PROBABLY WILL GO  
THROUGH.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, May 25.—With republican insurgents beaten on the important items of increase, republican leaders in the senate today hoped to put through their navy bill virtually as the naval affairs committee reported it.

They were confident that on another roll call appropriation for the \$1,500,000 for the Alameda, Cal., naval base would be restored.

Much work has been done among the insurgent republicans to convince them they did wrong in voting against this project.

The senate today adopted the McLean amendment, permitting use of the \$90,000,000 appropriation for a building program to construct submarines and a transport. The Kenyon amendment, relating to the Virginia Islands, was also accepted. It prohibits office holding in the island by anyone but American citizens.

## ENGLISH COAL MINERS RETURN TO THEIR PITS

LONDON, May 25.—The first break in the ranks of striking British coal miners occurred today, when 600 Shropshire miners returned to their pits.

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\* WHAT TO DO WITH \*  
\* BEAR, BOTHERS CV \*  
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\* The Elks' hall is rapidly be- \*  
\* ing transformed into a place of \*  
\* mystery, as members of the \*  
\* lodge entertainment nightly \*  
\* wield hammers in the construc- \*  
\* tion of queer shaped articles, \*  
\* designed for use in the big \*  
\* Elks' carnival to be held in \*  
\* the hall Friday and Saturday \*  
\* evenings. The carnival com- \*  
\* pany has already arrived, ac- \*  
\* cording to Cy Cohen, director \*  
\* in-chief of the committee. Co- \*  
\* hen had a hard time yesterday \*  
\* afternoon finding a place for \*  
\* Teddy, the savage trick bear \*  
\* which is carried by the car- \*  
\* nival company. He finally man- \*  
\* aged to build a crate in the \*  
\* basement, in which the bear \*  
\* will be kept until Friday eve- \*  
\* ning, when the animal will be \*  
\* brought out and made to go \*  
\* through its repertoire of tricks. \*  
\* The carnival is for "Elks and \*  
\* their ladies only." Cohen an- \*  
\* nounced, adding that visiting \*  
\* Elks who are members of other \*  
\* lodges are also included in the \*  
\* invitation. The fun will start \*  
\* promptly at 7 o'clock, both Fri- \*  
\* day and Saturday nights.

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## POLES ORDERED BY ALLIES TO CLOSE FRONTIER

COUNCIL OF AMBASSADORS DI-  
RECTS NATION TO FOLLOW  
GERMANY'S EXAMPLE

## FIGHTING CONTINUES

ATROCITIES REPORTED ON BOTH  
SIDES OF LATEST BAT-  
TLEFRONT.

By United Press  
PARIS, May 25.—The allies today demanded that the Polish government close her Silesian frontier.

In a note to Warsaw, the allied council of ambassadors pointed out that Germany has closed her frontier, and demanded that Poland follow the example.

The council denied a request from Berlin that the Germans be permitted to reclaim anti-tank guns left in Upper Silesia.

OPPELN, May 25.—Savage fighting is developing in Upper Silesia. The struggle is no longer confined to armed bands, but Polish and German residents of the same communities engage in death struggles with whatever weapons they find.

Barbarities were charged on both sides. German leaders declared that after one community fight they had found three Germans, their bodies slashed with knife wounds and their eyes gouged out.

The Polish leaders reported that worse mutilations had been found on their dead.

By Webb Miller  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
PARIS, May 25.—Great Britain and France appeared today to have been drawn closer after their threat of separation in the Silesian situation.

It was believed certain that Premier Briand will be given a vote of confidence to carry out his policy, which he expressed yesterday as "considering the welfare of the allies before talking up France's internal politics."

Press comment today indicated that

## GRAND JURORS MAKE REPORT

FEBRUARY "SCANDAL" CAS-  
ES DROPPED, COUNTY CON-  
DITIONS SATISFY.

All county offices are maintain- ing in a highly satisfactory manner, the opinion of the new grand jury which yesterday made a complete inspection of offices in the county house.

The grand jury made the following report, summing up the matter which have been brought before it to Hon. Fred W. Wilson, Circuit Judge:

We, the grand jury of the May 1921, term of court, respectfully report that we have been in session since May 23 and half of the 24th, so far as we can ascertain practically all criminal matters have been disposed of, as far as grand jury action is concerned, by the prior grand jury. We have had before us three witnesses in addition to interviewing the respective county officers and have not deemed it advisable to return any true or not true bills. Certain criminal matters have been considered by us, which we deem it advisable to dispose of this time, but we may subsequently called return a true or a true bill.

We have made a brief examination of the available evidence relation to some cases growing out of the so-called "parties" in this city on or about the 6th of February, 1921. This is the case that involves several young men of this city. We find that there is no available or definite evidence concerning any statutory rape charges; consequently we think that if such have been disposed of in the light of any present available evidence.

We have looked over all of the county offices and have concluded

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## HIGH WATER INJURES 200,000 POUNDS OF SPINACH

LOSS CURTAILS OPERATIONS OF  
LOCAL DEHYDRATING  
PLANT.

More than 200,000 pounds of spinach have been destroyed by the flood waters of the Columbia river in Wasco and Sherman counties, according to C. C. Ross, manager of The Dalles King's Products company. The spinach was grown on lowlands which are now under water.

The Dalles King's Products company resumed operations today, after having been shut down during the winter months. About 70 local women were put to work at dehydrating spinach this morning.

The big plant will only operate

## "TRUNK MURDER" SUSPECT DEAD IN OKLAHOMA

By United Press  
SHAWNEE, Okla., May 25.—The body of a man whom Chief of Police Sims declares is the notorious Eugene LeRoy, wanted in connection with the famous trunk murder mystery, lies in an undertaking establishment here. The dead man was killed by a Rock Island train.

## PALS LIKE OTHER'S WIVES BETTER; PLAN SWAP

By United Press  
ANDERSON, Ind., May 25.—William Muncy and Gordon Huffman are going to trade wives.

Muncy and Huffman, the best of friends, love each other's mates. So they talked things over and decided to swap.

Divorce suits were entered today so that things could be arranged.

## FIRE DESTROYS FARMER'S STORE

STATE FIRE MARSHAL ASKED  
TO INVESTIGATE CAUSE  
OF BLAZE.

By United Press  
WILSONVILLE, Ore., May 25.—The Farmers' mercantile store, owned by Sam Director, of Portland, was destroyed early today by a fire, which, according to R. M. Hussey who discovered it, gave off strong odors of burning kerosene.

## PEA HEAT

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## MAYOR PROCLAIMS GENERAL HOLIDAY FOR PAGEANT DAY

BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE  
AT 1 O'CLOCK FRIDAY  
AFTERNOON.

## PLAN INDIAN PARADE

COMMUNITY DANCING ON THE  
STREETS IN EVENING IS  
NEW FEATURE.

All business houses in The Dalles will close at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon May 27, in order that the every body may turn out for the master good roads meeting, football game and pageant, all three of which will occupy the center of the stage at different times during the day.

Information to this effect was conveyed in an official proclamation issued this morning by Mayor E. J. Stadelman.

All details are being carefully worked out for making the afternoon of the 27th a memorable day in the history of Wasco county. Advance information is that thousands of people, from all parts of the state, will be in The Dalles on that day, including a large delegation from Portland, representing the Portland Ad club, which will give up its automobiles over the Columbia Street highway.

Daily rehearsals are being held by persons taking part in the pageant, which will start with a band dress rehearsal Thursday evening on the natural theater in the city auto park. The Indian group will rehearse their parts at the same place.

Friday noon, a big parade will be held through the main street, and the pageant will start at 7 o'clock. Indians from the Warm Springs Indian reservation (this parade will be followed by representatives of all the picture studios, as well as the historic pageant, which will be held in the evening.

The good roads meeting will occupy Amston field from 1:30 until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, in which various speakers will argue the pro and con of the proposed \$200,000 bond issue. Following this meeting, the Warm Springs Indian football team will clash with the local team in what is expected to be a hot exhibition of the national sport.

In the evening after the pageant is over, The Dalles Chamber of Commerce will be open in a great street dance. The dance

## BANDON MAN WENT BY EXPLODING FIRE

FALLS IN MUD PIT AND IS UN-  
ABLE TO RE-  
CAP.

By United Press  
BANDON, Ore., May 25.—A man fell into a deep mud pit immediately after he had set off a dynamite charge and received almost the full force of the explosion here late yesterday.

Banta was engaged in digging a vertical. He has fair chance of recovering from the hospital reported today.

## WAR WAGON DUPLICATED

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