

## NEWSPRINT TO BE MADE BY COMPANY

### Ladd Interests of Portland Join in New Development of Oregon Pulp & Paper Company Enterprise

## NECESSARY GRINDERS WILL BE INSTALLED

### Newly Announced Product in Addition to Sulphite Specialties

The purchase by the Oregon Pulp & Paper company of the north power of the Salem Flouring mills, from the Ladd interests of Portland, who have taken preferred stock in the new paper mill enterprise in full for their holdings, insures to the new enterprise an opportunity for rapid expansion, the first result of which is the decision of the paper company to install grinders so that newspaper can be made for the wonderful machine now nearly erected in the new mill building.

Mr. Carnes, of the Bagley & Sewall company, of Watertown, New York, who is erecting this machine, states that the new machine room is the lightest and finest he has ever seen, and that all conditions for the erection of the machine are far ahead of the usual new mill.

### Tissue Machine Coming

The second machine for the manufacture of tissues is enroute, and is practically all the machinery needed for the starting up of the plant.

The tall buildings commented upon by so many of Salem's citizens are the sulphite mill and acid towers and plant. This very modern installation is rapidly nearing completion, and the enormous digester 16 by 49 feet, with a capacity of 25 tons of sulphite daily is nearly erected.

Since the start of this strictly Oregon corporation, the price of all grades of paper has increased by leaps and bounds, so that the stockholders, who are mostly Salem residents, have every reason to be pleased over the outlook, this mill having been designed to make high grade specialties that no other mill on the coast can produce, including glassine and greaseproof papers—paper that candy, bread and raisins are wrapped in.

The glassine paper, for example, sold at 15 cents a pound; the price is now 35 cents a pound and the paper is unobtainable. The big machine alone will turn out 30,000 pounds of this paper daily. This increase in price alone would make a difference of about \$4000 daily if the mill ran steadily on glassine paper.

### Additional Investments Necessary

The new additions to the mill will call for additional investment in Salem, where already the large sums spent have been felt in the business community and an opportunity given to the residents of the Willamette valley to become interested for the first time in a paper mill enterprise, so that the monthly dividends on the preferred stock will go wholly to Oregonians and quite largely to residents of the Willamette valley which supplies the raw materials and has the greatest quantity of pulp timber tributary to it of any section of the whole world.

## SIGNOR TITTONI HEADS COUNCIL

### To Invite President Wilson to Convoke First Assembly

ROME, May 14.—The fifth session of the council of the league of nations met at the ministry of the colonies this afternoon in private sitting, and on the motion by Leon Bourgeois, France, Signor Tittoni, president of the Italian senate, was elected president and delivered the inaugural speech.

The first public sitting will occur tomorrow when there will be discussion of the internal administration of the council. International questions will be held over until Wednesday.

Among the important questions to come up for discussion will be that of inviting President Wilson to convoke the first assembly of the league of nations, which is expected to take place in the autumn.

## Must Have Been One Wife Gave Him to Mail

PORTLAND, May 14.—The Portland branch of the army and navy recruiting office today received a letter marked "unclaimed" that had been mailed precisely two and one-half years ago. The letter was addressed locally and apparently had been in the dead letter office in Washington.

## MORE GASOLINE NOW AND PRICE IS LOWER

### STANDARD OIL COMPANY TO ALLOW HALF TANK CAPACITY

### Agreement of State Officials Not to Enforce Specific Gravity Law Brings Results

PORTLAND, Or., May 14.—The Standard Oil company announced today following an agreement by state officials not to enforce for the present the law requiring a specific gravity test on all gasoline sold in Oregon, that allotments to drivers of pleasure cars will be increased from 20 per cent to 50 per cent of tank capacity beginning tomorrow.

Some of the gasoline stored here for sale in the state of Washington will be placed on the Oregon market, it was said.

The price will be 25 1-2 cents a gallon, or 1 1-2 cents less than the price at which specific gravity test gasoline is being sold in Oregon.

## HOOVER THANKS OREGON FRIENDS

### Appreciates Cessation of Activities in His Behalf

PORTLAND, Ore., May 14.—Chester V. Murphy, chairman of the Hoover campaign committee for Oregon, today received from Herbert Hoover a telegram expressing appreciation of the Hoover committee's action in withdrawing their activities in promoting his candidacy in the campaign for the primaries to be held in Oregon May 21. The telegram says:

"Please accept for yourself and convey to your associates my deep appreciation of your keen understanding of my position. The high spirit and devotion to the republic which dominate your political activities cannot fail to inspire so educated and thoughtful a people as the citizens of Oregon. This in itself will be all the reward we should desire."

## CROWN PRINCE NARROW ESCAPE

### Automobile Comes Near Going Over Bluff in New Zealand

LONDON, May 14.—The Prince of Wales had a narrow escape today at Greymouth, New Zealand while motoring on a narrow, dangerous road skirting a ravine in Buller Gorge, according to a dispatch to the Central News.

At one point the rear wheel of the prince's motor car actually hung over the gorge and the earth gave way. The motor car, however, quickly recovered. The prince did not turn a hair, the dispatch adds.

## Hoover Gives Congress Views on Sugar Shortage

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Herbert Hoover, former food administrator and candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency, gave his views to congress today on the sugar and industrial situations. Appearing before a house committee investigating the sugar situation, Mr. Hoover declared that the world shortage in that product was likely to continue two or three years. The pressing need was rationing, he said, with immediate government action to control the supply through commercial, not legalistic methods. Although the hearing related primarily to the action of Attorney General Palmer in approving a maximum price for the Louisiana crop, it reached out into a broader field, as Mr. Hoover said he would give only an "off-hand" opinion as to that proceeding. Mr. Hoover said, however, that the government should have bought the Louisiana crop last year, pocketing the loss or else selling to the luxury trade at an advance.

Earlier in the day Mr. Hoover, who was a member of President Wilson's second industrial conference, told the senate labor committee he did not believe that the relationship between employers and employees could be settled by any form of legal repression, whether it be by injunction, compulsory arbitration or industrial courts. He said labor had unquestionably been affected by reports of the exorbitant profits of some employers, although he was emphatic in asserting that, unlike Europe, the United States had not been threatened by any attempt of labor leaders to use the strike as a political weapon.

## Opposition Developing To Pardon for J. Henry Albers

PORTLAND, May 14.—Opposition to efforts to obtain a pardon for J. Henry Albers has been started by Scout Young camp No. 2, United Spanish War Veterans here, it was announced today. It will be carried directly to President Wilson.

In resolutions denouncing Albers as an "undesirable citizen" and a "menace," the local post of Spanish-American veterans asks President Wilson to deny the petition for a pardon.

## SHIPPING IS HAMPERED BY RED TAPE

### Foreign Trade Council for Private Control of Transportation Enterprises

## DISCUSS AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE

### Would Purchase Vessels on Payment Plan at Construction Cost

SAN FRANCISCO, May 14.—The necessity of application by the United States itself to intensify development of foreign trade in preparation for the time when dependence will be placed upon imports rather than upon resources, was the subject discussed today at the third session of the seventh annual national Foreign Trade council. More than 2900 leaders of American industry and commerce heard international experts declare that primary steps in this connection are development of communications—cable mail and wireless provision—for control of shipping by private enterprise unhampered by federal control and establishment of a governmental foreign policy protecting American rights and property abroad.

The discussion of the American merchant marine was opened by Welding Ring of the New York chamber of commerce, who read a report of the merchant marine committee of the council.

He declared it the opinion of the council that the merchants and manufacturers of the United States should be enabled to compete with their rivals in other countries without governmental intervention or supervision. Shipping board vessels should be sold to Americans at prices based upon present construction costs and under payment plan extending over sufficient time to permit active operation, he said.

## RUBBISH LEFT BY CITY WAGONS

### Boy Scouts Asked to Make Survey and Report to Street Commissioner

The city wagons failed to haul away all the rubbish that was gathered up during the three days of the clean-up campaign and unsightly piles of trash are evident in all parts of the city. This was brought to the attention of the Salem Floral society last night and Mrs. E. E. Fisher was appointed a committee of one to confer with the Boy Scouts, and ask them to make a survey of the situation and report to the city street commissioner and to the floral society.

Junk collections in various parts of the city and tumble down buildings were made the target of the society. A committee will be appointed to investigate and draft a resolution for presentation to the city council, asking their removal.

Several more prizes are in prospect for the best kept lawns and the best window boxes. Mrs. Everett Anderson was appointed a committee to make inquiry and report.

## Fourteen Service Men File on Single Track

PORTLAND, May 14.—Ex-soldiers and sailors with names indicating foreign birth, seem to have had better luck than those with English names in contested drawings for Oregon and California grant lands which were settled today. In some cases as many as 14 former service men had filed entries for one piece of land.

Sixty tracts out of the original 344 were still open after today's drawings—non-exclusive entry by former service men before July 8.

## Lewiston High Wins Inter-Scholastic Track Meet

MOSCOW, Idaho, May 14.—Lewiston high school, with 50 points today won the inter-scholastic track meet held under the auspices of the University of Idaho. Burley was second with 23 points and Genesee, third with 18. Wesley Doe of Burley won individual honors by taking four firsts.

Doe, who yesterday equalled the national record of 5 2-5 seconds for the 50-yard dash, won the final today in 5 4-5. He also won the 220-yard dash, the 100-yard dash and the broad jump.

## DEBATES WITH O. A. C. WON BY WILLAMETTE

### UNANIMOUS DECISIONS BOTH HERE AND AT CORVALLIS

### Seven Out of Eight Forensic Contests Are Taken by Women's Teams of Local University

Myrtle Mason, Ina Moore, Loriel Blatchford and Helen Hoover have not only won honors for Willamette university but also an enviable reputation for themselves during the spring debating season which closed last night with the O. A. C. debate. Last night's debate was a unanimous decision for the Willamette debaters both in Salem and at Corvallis. Out of the eight debates in which the Willamette women have participated they have won seven, and lost the other won a Puffin Sound by a close decision of 2 to 1.

The judges for last night's debate that was held were J. W. Todd, superintendent of the Salem schools, Miss Edna Sterling, head of the department of English, Salem high school and Ronald Glover, attorney of Salem. Mr. Glover took the place of W. C. Winslow whose illness made it necessary for him to absent himself from the debate. When it was ascertained that Mr. Glover was a Willamette Graduate, the Willamette forensic manager, Fred McGrew suggested that the decision be made 2 to 1 instead of 3 to 0 because the last vote might be thought partial. But the O. A. C. coach rose to his feet and made protest to this, saying that he himself would have judged the debate in favor of Willamette.

Prof. Della Crowder Miller presided at the Salem debate. Miss Leisa Ruby entertained with a violin solo and Miss Mildred Strevé with a vocal solo.

## THREE DEAD IN SPOKANE MINE

### Superintendent Bergen and Two Miners Are Gassed

SPOKANE, Wash., May 14.—The bodies of Fred L. Bergen, superintendent of the Marsh mine near Burke, Idaho, and Charles Johnson and Ed Conley, miners, were recovered from a shaft of the mine late this afternoon after rescue crews had attempted all day to reach them.

The men apparently had died of monoxide gas poisoning, the result of a blast set off last night. According to Sydney L. Shonts, engineer of the mine, the powder used in the blast apparently was defective, and the fumes were due to the fact that it burned, rather than exploded.

Conley's name had been reported today as Sam Elvrum. The bodies of the three men were found in a recess off the shaft, and not in water at the bottom, as had been expected.

Gas helmets used by the mine rescue crew from the Hecla mine proved of little avail against the gas, and this fact is believed to have destroyed what chance there might have been of taking the men out of the mine alive after they had been overcome early today.

## SITE SELECTED FOR RESERVOIR

### Deschutes Irrigation Project Involves Million Acres

PORTLAND, May 14.—Professor Crosby, geologist with the United States reclamation service, has completed his report of the Deschutes reservoir site for the Deschutes irrigation project, which involves placing water on millions of acres of land in central Oregon, and it will be ready for release on May 15, according to information received from Congressman W. C. Hawley today by the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce. Professor Crosby has been engaged in his investigations for several months, and his report is eagerly awaited by hundreds of farmers in the district which is within the project.

## Berry Shipments Begin From White Salmon

WHITE SALMON, Wash., May 14.—White Salmon valley shipped its first strawberries for the 1920 season from Bingen, Wash., Wednesday. The berries brought 50 cents a half box, or \$12 a crate. Kennewick, Wash., shipped its first berries Thursday.

A substantial additional acreage has been set this spring to strawberries.

## DENIES ARMOUR CHARGE.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 14.—That he never had been approached by the Armour and company interests with a view to selling his plant and that the Armour company was one of his strongest competitors, was testimony given today by E. H. Statten, the purchase of whose packing plant in 1917 by the Armour company is charged by the government to have violated the Clayton anti-trust act.

## WOOD RALLY TO BE HELD AT ARMORY

### Montaville Flowers, National-ly Known Author and Lecturer, Appears Here in Address Monday Night

## SCHEDULE HEAVY IN COUNTIES OF VALLEY

### Tooze Declares Sentiment Overwhelming in Western Part of State

Montaville Flowers, nationally known author and lecturer, who has campaigned 12 weeks with Leonard Wood, to whose efforts is largely due Wood's success in Indiana and who is now the presidential candidate's personal representative in Oregon, will speak at the Salem armory at 8 o'clock Monday night. A big hearing is predicted since Salem, with Hoover out of the race, is regarded strong for Wood.

Mr. Flowers will spend all of Monday in Marion county. He has been invited by President Carl Greig Doney of Willamette university, a personal acquaintance, to address the Willamette students, and will appear before them with a non-political subject early in the day. His subject, by request, will be "The Soul of America."

### Other Towns On List.

During the afternoon Mr. Flowers will speak at Woodburn and Silverton, and probably at other Marion county towns, returning here for the armory address at night.

Walter L. Tooze, Sr., returned to Salem yesterday after campaigning for several days with Mr. Flowers from the California line through southern Oregon and into the Willamette valley. Today Mr. Flowers, accompanied by Mr. Tooze, will have a heavy itinerary in Polk and Yamhill counties. Mr. Tooze declares that all western Oregon counties south of Marion are safe for Wood.

Starting at Ashland Monday, Mr. Flowers made two addresses on that day, speaking at Medford in the evening, and though the city had only 11 hours notice of his coming, it is said the big public auditorium was overflowing.

### Grants Pass Enthusiastic.

The following night Mr. Flowers appeared at Grants Pass where he was greeted by a big house. During the day, prior to the night address at Grants Pass, he appeared at Rogue River, Central Point and Gold Hill. (He had retired after the Grants Pass speech when he was called from his bed to address 90 school teachers who were meeting at an institute.)

Mr. Flowers was accorded an enthusiastic reception at Roseburg and spoke also at Sutherlin and Oakland. Last night he was at Albany.

Today Mr. Flowers, will perhaps have his heaviest schedule in the state and will be accompanied by Mr. Tooze, opening the day's drive at Independence at 8:30 o'clock this morning and following this itinerary: Monmouth, 9:45 a. m.; Falls City, 10:15 a. m.; Dallas, 11:15; Sheridan, 12:30 p. m.; Amity, 2 p. m.; Whiteson, 2:45; Dayton, 3:45; Newberg, 4:45; and McMinnville at 8 o'clock tonight. He will go to Portland tonight and Mr. Tooze will return to Salem, both traveling by automobile.

On the last day of Mr. Flowers' Indiana campaign he spoke at eight county seats and traveled 276 miles. "Believes Wood Has State."

"There is no question in my mind that every county south of Marion will go overwhelmingly for Wood," said Mr. Tooze, in summing up the campaign from the California line north. "This is notwithstanding the Johnson men have been very active in southern Oregon." Raymond Robbins, one of Johnson's campaigners, spoke at Albany Thursday night to possibly 150 people and aroused comparatively little enthusiasm.

"One thing stands out clearly and plainly in the pre-primary battle throughout the states of the union. This is that in no state where Wood has competed with Johnson face to face and on even terms has he failed to win a pronounced victory. That Oregon will go for Leonard Wood by a large majority, since Hoover has withdrawn, is my belief beyond question, and that he will be nominated at the Chicago convention is practically a certainty."

"One of the very noticeable things in the campaign throughout western Oregon is that the friends of Wood are also the friends of Frank Lowden. They appear to be the Damon and Pythias of the Republican party in this part of the state."

## EMBEZZLER SUICIDES.

MONTREAL, May 14.—William Graham Browne, head of the bond firm of W. Graham Browne & Co., committed suicide by shooting here tonight a few hours after his arrest on charge of the theft of \$50,000 from the Royal Bank of Canada. The shooting occurred in a room adjoining his lawyer's office.

## MARY FINDLEY AGAIN BEATS OREGON PLAYER

### WILLAMETTE TENNIS CHAMPION WINS OVER MISS SLOOTBOOM

### Best Women Players of University Go Down Before Salem Girl—Brown Beats Moodhe

Mary Findley, Willamette's tennis champion, again won in her contest with University of Oregon yesterday when she defeated Madeline Slobboom, an Oregon student from Portland. It was a very close game, Miss Findley winning the first and third sets, and Miss Slobboom the second set.

During the Willamette junior week-end Miss Findley met and defeated Marjorie Kay from U. of O. Noble Moodhe lost by a close margin to Mort Brown, the northwest tennis champion. Hugh Doney lost to Kenneth Smith, another U. of O. champion.

## PEACE TREATY VOTE TODAY

### Adoption and Veto By President Later Is Conceded

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Arrangements for the senate's vote tomorrow at 4 p. m. on the Republican peace resolution were completed tonight with its adoption and a veto later by President Wilson foregone conclusions, according to leaders of both parties.

Democratic estimates were that the resolution would have a majority of from five to seven votes, depending on whether another Republican joins Senator McCumber of North Dakota in opposition.

The president's veto message is expected to define more clearly the campaign issue on the question of peace and the treaty of Versailles. Democratic leaders tonight predicted that the treaty would not be returned to the senate with the veto message, but that the president would outline more extensively his position in his veto message and thus let matters go "to the country."

The president's position, given in his telegram to Oregon Democrats, was attacked today by Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, who spoke for more than two hours in behalf of the peace resolution.

## SCHOOLS MEET FOR CONTESTS

### Spelling, Track Events, Baseball, Folk Dances on Day's Program

Competition among the schools of Marion county to take place in Salem today under the auspices of the Marion County Principals' association will open with a spelling contest at the high school, to occupy the period from 10 until 11 o'clock, and track events on Sweetland field at Willamette university from 10 to 12 o'clock. In the afternoon will be folk dancing and baseball games, the latter for the elementary and high school championships of Marion county.

The program for the day follows: 10-11 a. m.—Spelling contest, Salem High School.

10-12 a. m.—Track events. High school—220 yard dash; 12-lb. shot put; 50-yard dash; running broad jump; 100-yard dash; running high jump; 440-yard dash; pole vault; relay race.

Elementary grades—Eight-pound shot put; 220-yard dash; running high jump; 440-yard dash; running broad jump; 100-yard dash; pole vault; 50-yard dash; relay race.

1 p. m.—Folk dances, pupils of Salem Schools.

Richmond school—Direction of Mrs. Lulu McCaffrey.

Highland school—Direction of Miss Myrtle Jane Albright.

Englewood school—Direction of Miss Ruth Pearson.

Lincoln school—Direction of Miss Mabel Temple.

Garfield school—Direction of Miss Ella Deyoe.

1:30 p. m.—Elementary baseball game; Silverton vs. Washington, championship Marion county.

2:30 p. m.—High school baseball game; Jefferson vs. Silverton, championship Marion county.

## CARRANZA PENETRATES REBEL LINES

### Burns Trains and War Materials and Flees into Mountains With a Thousand Picked Men

## MAIN BODY OF TROOPS DELAY REBEL PURSUIT

### Congress Called to Appoint Provisional President by Rebel Chief

VERA CRUZ, May 15.—President Carranza, who with a force of loyal troops has been resisting rebel attacks near San Marcos, state of Puebla, for the last five days, has broken through the rebel lines to the southeast and, accompanied by 1,900 men, has fled into the mountains between Puebla and Orizaba according to advices received here this morning.

Before abandoning their last positions the Carranza troops destroyed their trains and war material which could not be carried with them. Generals Muirza and Urquiza, with some of the Carranza troops are still fighting near San Marcos for the purpose of retarding the pursuit of the fleeing president.

JUAREZ, Mexico, May 14.—The meeting of the new congress, called by Governor Adolfo de la Huerta, supreme chief of the liberal constitutional government, will be held at Mexico City May 24 for the purpose of appointing a provisional president of Mexico. General Ignacio C. Esquivel, candidate for governor of Chihuahua, announced tonight.

VERA CRUZ, May 14.—Mexican rebel forces are making determined efforts to outflank the positions held by the troops loyal to President Carranza near San Marcos, in the state of Puebla, according to latest advices received here. Generals Higinio Aguilar and Guadalupe Sanchez also are preparing for an attack upon the Carranza lines.

The position held by President Carranza's soldiers extends from near Huamantla, southward about 37 miles to the village of Algiebe, approximately six miles northwest of Chalchicomula, according to reports. As advices received yesterday and today before indicated the southern end of the Carranza line was near San Marcos, it would appear the president's troops have succeeded in working their way down the railroad a distance of nearly 15 miles since the beginning of the combat five days ago.

A rebel captain who was in the battle zone on Thursday arrived here today and stated that Thursday afternoon forces commanded by General Guadalupe Sanchez, consisting of 4000 infantry and cavalry, entered the fight and succeeded in flanking the first positions occupied by Carranza's men. The infantry deployed to the left over the hills, while the cavalry swung around to the right on level ground. The main attack was made against the last two trains held by Carranza's men.

The attacking forces encountered a barrage of artillery and machine gun fire but succeeded in reaching the Carranza trains and destroying both of them.

The rebel advance, however, encountered superior Carranza forces and was repulsed. After two hours of fighting, the rebels were ordered to retire to Chalchicomula. The battle lasted four hours.

Severe losses were suffered by both sides, the rebel forces losing one of their leaders, General Liberto Lara Torres.

Two Carranza airplanes circled over the battlefield and inspected positions held by the rebels. General Higinio Aguilar, who is being during the regime of Porfirio Diaz and was known as the "eternal rebel", arrived to co-operate in the attack against Carranza. He brought into the fight two thousand soldiers.

EL PASO, Tex., May 14.—With the fate of President Carranza still in doubt, Mexican telegraph officials from Juarez to Mexico City, tonight were said to be making strenuous efforts to handle the almost overwhelming mass of government and press messages.

The last official word received was from General Alvaro Obregon, former candidate for the presidency of the republic, who reported to Luis Montes de Oca, revolutionary consul here, that President Carranza's capture was a matter of hours, and that a train of 600 soldiers of the president's escort had been captured by forces under General Guadalupe Sanchez, said to be one of Obregon's strongest supporters in Vera Cruz.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Further indication that Pablo Gonzalez and Alvaro Obregon, formerly candidates for the presidency of Mexico and now jointly occupying Mexico City, are working in accord, was contained in report to the state department.

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