

BEAVERS LOSE IN HARD FIGHT

Vernon Sends out Homer in Second and Clinches Contest 4-1

SALT LAKE IS BEATEN

Sacramento Wins From Angels in 2 to 1 Struggle—Seattle Game Off

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—Vernon won the first game of the series with Portland here today, 4 to 1. In the second inning "Truck" Hannah homed into the left field bleachers with one on, which gave the Tigers a 2 to 1 lead. Portland made its first and only run off Mitchell on a pass and single in the first frame.

Vernon added two more runs in the seventh on Chabourne's single and doubles by Hannah and Mitchell.

At Portland—R. H. E. Vernon 4 9 0 Portland 1 6 0 Mitchell and Hannah, D. Sam Ross, Fillette and Fisher.

San Francisco 8; Salt Lake 1 At San Francisco—R. H. E. Salt Lake 1 6 0 San Francisco 8 13 3 Reiger, Thurston and Hyler; Couch and Agnew, Yelle.

At Los Angeles—R. H. E. Sacramento 2 8 1 Los Angeles 1 5 1 Penner and Elliott; Thomas and Stange.

Seattle Game Postponed Oakland-Seattle game postponed, wet grounds.

SALEM LABOR COUNCIL FAVORS BUSINESS AGENT

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MUSIC STUDENTS ARE PRESENTED IN RECITAL

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FAMOUS FIGHT TO BE STAGED

Spectacle Planned on Little Big Horn When Custer Monument Unveiled

INDIANS TO COOPERATE

Widow of Noted Leader of Seventh Cavalry May Attend Ceremonies

BILLINGS, Mont., May 10.—Preliminary to unveiling the Custer monument, now under construction in the city park at Hardin, an exact reproduction of the massacre on the Little Big Horn will be staged on the site of the historic battle on June 25. It is announced by the Custer Battle Anniversary association of Hardin.

Approximately 500 Crow and Creyenne Indians, representing the Sioux, will take part in the mimic battle against members of the American Legion and troops of cavalry, representing Custer's headquarters.

Government Permission Given Permission has been obtained from the federal government for use of the national cemetery for the spectacle and Gen. Hugh L. Scott of the historic 7th cavalry has announced he will attend as probably will Mrs. Custer. The war department also has offered to co-operate in every way possible.

Following the "battle" there will be a basket dinner at Government park, Crow agency, and afterward, spectators, troops and Indians will go to Hardin where the Custer monument will be unveiled with proper ceremonies.

Indian Pow Wow Featured Various addresses, a band concert, a men's chorus, with the Indians arrayed on one side and the American Legion men and cavalry troops on the other, will include a part of the celebration. An Indian pow wow and a street dance at night completes the day's program.

People from every part of the state, as well as many without its borders, are expected to attend in view of the historic nature of the celebration, marking the anniversary of one of the most famous events in the west.

LEWIS WITNESS AT RATE HEARING

Salem Man Says Spraying Is Omitted Because of Lack of Finances

YAKIMA, Wash., May 10.—If the present freight rates had been applied at any time from 1912 to 1920, northwest fruit growers receiving the highest average prices during those years would have lost an average of 23 cents per box on apples, J. Curtis Robinson, traffic manager of the Northwestern Fruit Exchange, testified before Examiner Henry J. Ford of the Interstate Commerce commission here this afternoon, in support of growers' claims for lower rates in a hearing which ended late this afternoon.

A. W. Stone, general manager of the Hood River Apple Growers' association, declared that if Hood River orchardists had their land and all equipment donated without cost with no depreciation, interest charges, nor taxes, their total costs would have been \$1.35 per box during the past year and their average net return of \$1.23 per box would have brought a loss of 12 cents per box.

The Yakima National bank which places 50 to 55 per cent of its loans directly or indirectly on fruit in normal times, finds itself unable to make further loans in the face of the present losing situation of the fruit growers, according to F. A. Duncan, vice-president of the bank. Deposits of Yakima banks, he said, had dropped from more than \$12,000,000 on May 4, 1920 to \$8,008,598 on April 21 of this year, because growers with a surplus were obliged to use it for operating expenses.

L. L. Matheis, Wenatchee banker and E. O. Blanchard, banker of Hood River, confirmed Duncan testimony.

Professor C. I. Lewis of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association testified that many Oregon fruit growers had omitted the first or first and second sprays because of inability to finance operations.

H. M. Louis, manager of the Northwest Potato Growers' association, said hundreds of cars of potatoes have been fed to the hogs in Montana, and hundreds of cars are still held in hope of profitable sale.

Vice-president H. M. Adams of the Union Pacific appeared as spokesman for the carriers introducing figures to disprove contentions of the fruit men, but declaring that if the roads could reduce labor and operating costs they would voluntarily reduce freight rates. Examiner Ford will continue the hearing at Boise, Idaho on Saturday, May 14.

EX-OMAHA CHORUS GIRL DIVORCES A LORI

Non-Partisans Seek to Avert Railroad Breach

TOLEDO, O., May 10.—The non-partisan movement in the northwest and the determination to go the limit in an effort to avert any open rupture with the railroads were discussed today by delegates attending the triennial convention of the Switchmen's Union of North America here.

A communication read asked the moral and financial support for the State Bank of North Dakota which is floating a five-million dollar stock issue.

Closer cooperation with the "big four" and other railroad organizations in case of action against a proposed general wage cut was urged.

Federal Steamer Burns While Lying at Dock

BALTIMORE, Md., May 10.—The Merchants and Miners company's steamer Persan, was partly burned at her dock tonight. The fire department responded to a general alarm. Police forces at the docks have been increased. The cause of the fire as yet is unknown. The steamer Ontario of the same line was endangered.

FISHING IS RESUMED

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—Fishing of all sections of the Columbia was resumed at 6 o'clock tonight following the acceptance of the packers' compromise offer after a 19-day strike by the fishermen.

The compromise provides that the packers shall pay 9 cents a pound for small chinooks and 10 cents a pound for large chinooks, fish weighing 25 pounds or more bringing the higher price. These prices will continue as long as the market permits and will not be reduced without a conference with the fishermen. The packers also cut the price of twine \$1 a pound.

TARGET PRACTICE CONTINUES

LOS ANGELES, May 10.—Dreadnaughts of the Pacific fleet engaged in night target practice tonight 15 miles off Los Angeles harbor.

Gunners of the flagship New Mexico, trained the 14-inch guns upon a target towed by the Mississippi, five miles away. The target was illuminated by star shells and searchlights.

Further practice is planned for Thursday night.

HOT VAPOURS BLAMED

PORTLAND, May 10.—The avalanche which plucked down the southwest slope of Mount Adams last Saturday night was due to hot vapors issuing from vents in the mountainside and melting the snow, according to observers in the vicinity of the mountain. Reports reaching here today were that the huge slide tore a path from near the mountain's crest downward for a distance of five miles. The slide is said to be from a mile to two miles wide.

Labor Leader is Freed From Federal Prison

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—John J. McNamara, released from San Quentin prison after serving nine years and five months for dynamiting the Llewellyn Iron works in Los Angeles in 1910, evaded all interviewers on arrival in San Francisco. So far as could be learned, he was staying with friends.

Officials of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers of which McNamara formerly was secretary, whisked him away in an automobile. McNamara is scheduled to speak tomorrow night at a meeting of the local structural iron workers' union.

ACTS DEFENDED BY LEAGUE HEAD

A. G. Townley and William Langer Engage in Bitter Debate at Salina

SALINA, Kas., May 10.—Charges that the leaders of the national non-partisan league were associated with the I. W. W. and the socialist party and counter charges that opposition to the league is fostered by "grain gamblers," insurance company and other business interests, were made in a debate here today between William Langer, former attorney general of North Dakota, league foe, and A. G. Townley, national leader of the league. The question was "resolved, that the non-partisan league program as managed by the non-partisan league has been detrimental to the people of North Dakota."

An audience of approximately 1000 persons, many of them farmers attended the debate. Rain began falling shortly after Langer opened his argument, and made it difficult for the audience to hear. An admission was charged, speakers explained, to defray expenses.

Langer, the challenger, devoted most of his time to attacks on Townley, who he declared was "farming the farmers." He declared Townley had "robbed" the farmers of North Dakota through the formation of the United Consumers' store company, a cooperative agency, and that he had a



Lady George Cholmondeley, former stage favorite of Omaha, Neb., known as Clara Taylor, who has won her freedom from titled Britisher. She charged desertion and suicide.

PROPOSED SALES LEVY IS RAPPED

Tax on Streetcar Fares or On Electricity or Gas Impracticable

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Opposition to a general sales tax developed today at a hearing before the senate finance committee. At previous sessions only arguments in support of the plan had been given.

The strongest opposition to a levy on gross sales was offered by R. G. Elliott of Chicago, representing the national association of credit men.

Its application to government regulated industries also was attacked by P. H. Gadsden, of Philadelphia, who spoke for the national Electric Light association, the American gas association and the American Electric Railway association.

Mr. Elliott declared the tax would require a new tax collection machine and would be difficult of definition.

Mr. Gadsden declared it a physical impossibility to assess a sales tax on street car fares or on electricity or gas through prepayment meters. His discussion, however, was not confined solely to the sales tax, as he told of the requirements of regulated industries and urged the appointment of a sub-committee to make a thorough study of taxation of public utilities.

Harding is Invited to Attend Portland Fair

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—Invitations to attend the world's exposition to be held in Portland in 1925 were despatched by the directors today to President Harding and members of his cabinet. The proposed exposition will celebrate the completion of the Atlantic-Pacific highways and the one hundredth anniversary of the discovery of the electro-magnet by William Sturgeon, the English engineer. The state of Oregon, through the legislature, has issued invitations to every state in the union to participate in the exposition and a joint resolution is now before congress inviting foreign nations to take part.

Alleged Husband Slayer Goes on Witness Stand

SEATTLE, May 10.—Madge Anna Sawyer, charged with second degree murder for the killing of her husband, Howard I. Sawyer here May 10, 1920, took the stand in superior court here today. The prosecution rested this morning and Mrs. Sawyer was the second defense witness called. She declared she shot Sawyer to save her own life.

Panama Canal Shipment Establishes New Record

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Recent shipments of fruits from Pacific ports to Europe via the Panama canal have been delivered in three days less time than was required by the trans-continental water and rail route, according to the Panama Canal record. Not only was economy in time effected, it was said, but the freight

Silver Falls Ball Team Defeats Portland Post

SILVERTON, Ore., May 10.—(Special to The Statesman)—American Legion Post No. 1 of Portland was defeated by the Silver Falls baseball team Sunday on the Silver Falls diamond. The score was 7 to 8.

Aged Banker is Held On Embezzlement Charge

TACOMA, Wash., May 10.—Ole S. Larson, president of the defunct Tacoma Scandinavian-American bank, was found guilty by a jury in the superior court to night on the first of 22 indictments, which charged the unlawful borrowing of \$10,000 from the bank's funds as an official of the bank without authorization of the board of directors.

Associate Director Will Raise Broccoli

Otto Hansen, recently elected director of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association, will become one of the more extensive broccoli growers this season. He has decided to put in 24 acres on his farm in Polk county.

VESSELS IN DISTRESS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Two 14-year-old Bakersfield, Cal., high school boys, Sidney Dawes and Clyde Ziner, sent out the mysterious S. O. S. radio calls picked up by wireless operators in the vicinity of Bakersfield Saturday afternoon, it was stated here tonight by Major J. F. Dillon, radio inspector.

ADMIRAL WILSON NAMED

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Admiral H. B. Wilson, commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet, will be the next superintendent of the United States naval academy at Annapolis.

PUGILISTS GUESTS OF ROTARY CLUBS

Jack Dempsey and Jim Corbett Entertained by Atlantic City Elite

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 10.—Jack Dempsey and Jim Corbett, respectively present and former heavyweight champions, were guests of the Atlantic City Rotary club today.

Mayor E. L. Bader introduced Dempsey, stating he was one of the cleanest and best living athletes that he knew. Dempsey thanked the large gathering for the fine treatment receiving here. Corbett made a brief address, declaring Dempsey was one of the greatest fighters he ever saw.

Corbett and Dempsey were besieged with cards of businessmen who desired an autograph. This was probably the last function Dempsey will attend before going into hard training at the Atlantic City airport for his bout with Georges Carpentier. The heavyweight champion stated he never felt better and soon would be down to his right weight.

Members of the Atlantic City American legion today appointed a special committee to forward an invitation to Carpentier to come here for training.

Girls Learn to Swim Easily in Short Time

Twenty-six out of the 135 girls from the nine grade schools and junior high schools who reported at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday to learn to swim, successfully swam the 40 feet of instruction under the direction of Thomas Gawley, head of the physical department of the Portland Y. M. C. A. The girls were chaperoned by Mrs. J. H. Littler in the morning and by Mrs. C. W. Southworth in the afternoon. Today the tank will be in charge of the Y. W. C. A. with Mrs. James Elvin as head.

Spaulding and State House Play Tonight

The teams to represent Spaulding mill and the state house in the game between these two members of the Cherry City Twilight league tonight at Sweetland field at 6 o'clock will be chosen from the following: State house; Knickerbocker, Small, Southworth, Glayser, Craig, Gabrielson, Lettingwell, Governor, Anderson, Desonda, McKenzie, Brown, Spauldings; Birdette, Bonzell, Rogers, Hilbourne, Holbrech, Dearling, Roth, Stevens, Durbin, Knightlinger, Grimes, Blanchard and Batelcon.

Graduates to Receive Regular Army Honors

CORVALLIS, Ore., May 10.—Forty-nine members of the graduating class of Oregon Agricultural college will be given commission in the officers' reserve corps of the regular army. The combined list of men to be commissioned from other institutions in the ninth corps, including Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Nevada, Utah, Arizona, Montana and a part of New Mexico, is not equal to the list of 49 from the Oregon Agricultural college, according to information here.

Woman Moonshiner To Serve Jail Sentence

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—Because Mrs. Nettie Connett, first woman convicted in Oregon in a moonshine case, failed to perfect an appeal, United States Attorney Lester W. Humphreys today obtained from Federal Judge R. E. Bean an order for her commitment to jail to which she was sentenced to six months in addition to being fined \$500.

Mrs. Connett who has been at liberty pending appeal, was found guilty of having operated a still at Bull Run, Ore.



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