

BOARD HEAD IS ACCUSED

Heflin Declares Governor Harding Was Speculator in Cotton Market

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Belief that Governor Harding of the federal reserve board had speculated personally in cotton while directing the alleged deflation policy of the board in 1920 was expressed in the senate today by Senator Heflin of Alabama in another speech against re-appointment of Governor Harding.

HARDING AND JEWELL MAKE ANOTHER MOVE

Washington for the week-end to discuss the strike with the national officers.

GOODING MAY ASK INQUIRY IN SENATE

Mr. Gooding, ranking Republican of the senate finance committee.

FORD OFFER REJECTED

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 5.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Louisville & Nashville Railroad company today rejected Henry Ford's offer of aid in operating its coal carrying lines in eastern Kentucky.

were given as New York City. Inquiry was made as to the identity of Mr. Grover and after a cross fire of debate Senator Harrison said he would propose a senate investigation, both as to the alleged syndicate and the reported efforts of government officials to bring about a reduction of the Cuban crop in return of reduced tariff duties.

Cubans Refuse

Senator Harrison charged that before Senator Smoot wrote to General Crowder, Cuban producers, after negotiations, had refused to curtail this year's crop.

Record Called Dark

"When was a blacker page ever written in the legislative history of this country?" asked the Mississippi senator.

Record Is Defended

"I say now," he added, "that I can show the country that I am just as clean as I can be in everything I have said and done, and in whole heart, I am willing to have laid before the whole American people not only this, but every other act of my life.

Details Taken Up

Beginning on next Saturday, the senate will proceed to the consideration of remaining committee amendments to the bill and after that will dispose of individual amendments that may be proposed.

FLAX GROWER MADE DEFENDANT IN SUIT

Growers Are Pleaded That the poor yield was due to the exceptionally dry season, is so evident to the growers, that the officers of the association are well pleased with the cooperative prospect.

DENIES HE SAID DOCTOR WAS FULL

Alderman H. H. Vandevort Takes Exception to Article in Newspaper

H. H. Vandevort, member of the city council, takes exception to an article in the Statesman of yesterday in which he was referred to, though not by name, as having said in a council meeting when the Dr. A. R. Andrews affair was under discussion, that the doctor had been "in a helpless state of intoxication."

ROTARY AND ROTUND ATHLETES IN TRAINING

considerable number of volleyball players in the Rotary, and the teams will be chosen from the following: Rev. J. J. Evans, Dr. M. C. Findley, George Hug, W. I. Staley, Carl Abrams, Paul Wallace, Bob Boardman and Charley Knowland.

Perry Holds the Medicine

J. C. Perry (Perry's drug store) has offered a prize of a bottle of well known vegetable compound and two bottles of Tanlac for the winner.

SIXTY PERSONS KILLED AND SCORE INJURED

were not too greatly injured to aid in the rescue work.

21 Double Plays in 12 Games is Browns' Record

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 5.—(By The Associated Press.)—Twenty-one double plays in 12 successive games is the "high mark" the Browns have established since their return home June 25.

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VICTORY SEEN BY BOTH SIDES

Conference Between Union Officials and Federal Officers Watched

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Both sides in the rail controversy today claimed to see impending victory in the conference of national officials of the engineers, trainmen, enginemen and firemen's union and B. M. Jewell, head of the shop crafts, with federal executives at Washington.

Senator Buried

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Aug. 5.—United States Senator William E. Crow was buried in Oak Grove cemetery here today after impressive funeral ceremonies. Senators, congressmen and state officials attended.

JAZZ WAGON IS TARGET OF BILL

Alderman Vandevort to introduce ordinance at Monday night session.

Silverton Wheat Crop Makes Good Showing

SILVERTON, Ore., Aug. 5.—(Special to The Statesman.)—In spite of the early predictions that the grain crop should be exceptionally slim this year Silverton farmers who have their threshing done say that the crop is turning out as well as last year in most instances.

Twelve Grade Crossings Eliminated by Officials

The public service commission yesterday issued an order closing and abandoning 12 open, public grade crossings on the Heppner branch of the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company lines in Morrow county.

Shrine Country Club is Organized in Portland

The Oregon Shrine Country club of Portland, with George L. Baker as president, was incorporated here yesterday.

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TENNIS TITLE IS LOST BY ALLEN, STAR OF SEATTLE

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 5.—Marshall Allen, Seattle tennis star lost his title of British Columbia singles champion, when he was defeated by St. L. K. Verley of Vancouver at the open tournament closing here today.

STANFORD WINS

HONOLULU, T. H., Aug. 5.—Stanford university scored a shutout against the Pearl Harbor team today 2 to 0.

OREGON AIRPLANE WRECKED BUT NO ONE IS INJURED

EUGENE, Or., Aug. 5.—The airplane that was wrecked near Eureka, Cal., yesterday afternoon was one of the army planes on duty with the Oregon forest fire patrol with headquarters in Eugene.

PRODUCTION OF MILLS 4 PER CENT ABOVE NORMAL

One hundred and twenty-four mills reporting to West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending July 29, manufactured 83,511,834 feet of lumber; sold 78,639,926 feet; and shipped 75,496,800 feet.

THIRTY-FOUR PER CENT OF NEW BUSINESS TAKEN DURING THE WEEK

Thirty-four per cent of all new business taken during the week was for future water delivery.

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Unfilled domestic cargo orders total 98,274,364 feet. Unfilled export orders 58,932,744 feet. Unfilled rail trade orders, 6,260 cars.

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TEACHERS' FINES ADD TO REVENUE

Some Instructors Forget to Return Books and Levy Is Assessed

The county school superintendent's office has one source of revenue that isn't down in the books—the collection of fines from school teachers who borrow books there and do not return them at the appointed time.

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GOOD WORK IN JULY

"The planes arrived in the state July 15, and by the end of the month 41 patrols were flown, covering a distance of over 6500 miles, and 78 fires were reported. Several of these fires had not been reported previously by the ground organization.

STATIONS INSTALLED

Six planes are now in commission, stationed at Eugene, and landing fields are being used at Medford, Roseburg, Salem and Portland.

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