

BONAR LAW DIES SUDDENLY

FIREMEN KILLED

Collision of Fire Truck and Chief's Car in Everett, Wash., Results in Death of Two Men—Chief May Die

EVERETT, Wash., Oct. 29.—Dennis Boyle, 55, a fireman, and Dan Michel, 58, a bricklayer, were instantly killed. Fire Chief W. A. Taro was probably fatally injured, and four firemen and two Everett residents were severely hurt when a fire truck collided head-on with Fire Chief Taro's automobile at 8:45 o'clock tonight at the intersection of Hewitt street and Colby avenue.

The injured firemen are Fire Chief Taro, 45, a crushed chest and arm and other injuries.

Six Injured
Ed Taro, 42, brother of the fire chief, slight cuts about the eyes.
Cliff Taro, 28, another brother of the fire chief, cuts about the head.

Arthur Leasing, 26, cut left ear and skull.
Frank Healy 26, compound fracture of the thigh.

The injured residents are:
Bob Dixon, 56, clerk of a cigar store, lacerated skull.

Harry Falk, 27, clerk cigar store, slightly cut by flying glass.
At the time of the accident the fire chief and the combination fire truck were answering what proved to be a false alarm. The truck from the Riverside station was going west on Hewitt avenue while Fire Chief Taro was going north on Colby avenue.

Bystander Killed.
Patrolman John P. Ryan, who was standing on the corner at the time, observed that the two vehicles were going to crash at the intersection and attempted to warn Fire Chief Taro. The truck swung to the right and the chief to the left, the machines crashing head on.

Michel, the other victim of the accident, was standing on the corner. The chassis of the fire truck struck Michel and hurled him through a cigar store window on the corner. Fire Chief Taro was thrown 100 feet. He was taken to the hospital where it was not expected he would recover.

Neuner Investigates Yamhill County Court

George Neuner, attorney of Roseburg, left here yesterday for McMinnville, where he will represent Attorney General Van Winkle in an investigation of expenditures of the Yamhill county court. The controversy in Yamhill county dates from last summer when some of the taxpayers asked Governor Pierce to cause an investigation to be made by some official aside from the district attorney. The governor directed Attorney General Van Winkle to do the work and Van Winkle at first turned it over to J. M. Devers, one of his assistants. Devers' work with the highway commission, however, was so pressing that he could not give it the time so the attorney general a few days ago appointed Neuner for the purpose. The complaining taxpayers aver, it is understood, that the court has been too lavish in its expenditures.

The reason a man loses faith in his fellows is because they do to him the things he would like to do to them.

THE WEATHER

OREGON—Fair Tuesday except rain near coast.
LOCAL WEATHER
(Monday)
Maximum temperature 53.
Minimum temperature 34.
River, —0.9 falling.
Rainfall, 0.
Atmosphere, cloudy.
Wind, south.

SALEM GAS RATES WILL BE ARGUED AT HEARING TODAY

Whether the Portland Railway, Light & Power company shall be allowed to increase its gas rates in Salem by from 7 to 89 per cent; depending on the amount used by the customer, will be determined at a hearing in the offices of the public service commission today.

City Attorney Ray L. Smith was not yesterday prepared to say what argument he will make against the company other than that he feels the present is not the right time for the corporation to ask for an increase. The average increase asked by the company is 26 per cent. Its customers in Salem in April, this year, numbered 1894.

The variation in the increases asked is shown on the proposed new schedule by the following figures:

Monthly users of 1000 cubic feet of gas would be increased from \$1.90 to \$2.68. Users of 2000 cubic feet would be increased from \$3.80 to \$4.78, or 26 per cent. Users of 3000 cubic feet would be increased from \$5.70 to \$6.88, or 20 per cent. Users of 4000 cubic feet would be increased from \$7.60 to \$8.98 or 19 per cent. Users of 30,550 cubic feet would be increased from \$54.94 to \$58.97 or 7 per cent. Salem is the only city where the Portland Railway, Light & Power company maintains a gas service.

SALEM MAN VISITS IN SAN FRANCISCO

The Examiner of That City Prints an Article About P. H. D'Arcy

Hon. P. H. D'Arcy has been visiting San Francisco, having just returned home to Salem. While Mr. D'Arcy was there the San Francisco Examiner made and printed a half-tone cut of him, with the following article:

F. H. D'Arcy isn't a native son, but he missed being one only by a few months.

D'Arcy was born in Brooklyn, N. Y. As a baby his parents brought him to San Francisco, and he remembers in later years being reminded by his father that he was in San Francisco on that busy day, May 22, 1865, when the Vigilantes took James P. Casey and Chas. Cora and hung them from the second story of old Fort Gunnybags, where the assembled crowd could see.

D'Arcy for many years has been a citizen of Salem, Or., a leader in civic and political life, and particularly a friend of pioneer organizations.

D'Arcy has been president of the Oregon Pioneer association and the Champeog Memorial association, in which he worked for fifteen years toward the erection of a memorial monument to the hardy souls who met at Champeog on May 2, 1843, and by their votes at that time, with a majority of two in favor, saved to the union the territory now embraced in the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana.

This pioneer who is visiting with friends and acquaintances in California, has been made a life member of the Oregon Historical society, and because of his services as a printer in the early days is an honorary member of Capital Typographical union, Salem. D'Arcy served one term as mayor of Salem, is a former judge of the municipal court there, and is now practicing law.

D'Arcy says: "I have been in San Francisco many times since the early days when my parents first brought me here, and I achivint now, as in the days of my youth and early manhood, enthuses me anew with the spirit and atmosphere that characterize the city and makes it different and better."

"I have many good friends in San Francisco and many happy memories of old associations. "Of many of the now more or less famous Californians I can say I knew them when." "For instance, I knew Senator Samuel Shortridge when he was janitor of the East Salem school in my home town." D'Arcy will return to Salem early in the week.

SQUAW WORTH HORSE, SADDLE BUT NOT GUN

Young Brave Kills Chief Who Would Keep Him to Bargain Price for Woman

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Oct. 29.—A revival of the custom of trading in wives in the Purple mountain Indian camp, 87 miles north of here, today led to the killing of an Indian chief by a brave who refused to turn over a shotgun demanded in the sale of a squaw.

The chief who was slain was Zookie Eams and his slayer is Otto Mokahque, according to authorities. Eams offered to sell his squaw to Mokahque. It was alleged, demanding one horse, one saddle and one shotgun in payment.

When the squaw went to Mokahque, the latter gave Eams the horse and saddle but refused to part with the shotgun, police said. A quarrel followed and Mokahque took the shotgun and killed Eams, according to the authorities. Mokahque was brought to jail here.

Special Corn Prizes To Be Offered Youths

Special prizes will be offered at the Marion County Corn show for boys' and girls' club members throughout Marion and Polk counties, according to W. H. Baillie, who is in charge of arranging for the exhibits. Three prizes will be given, first, \$5; second, \$3, and third, \$2.

Cooking club members will be eligible for a bread contest in which five prizes will be given. The prizes will be \$5, \$3, \$2, \$1.50 and \$1.

All entries must be in by November 21. The show is to be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, November 22, 23 and 24.

PLANS FOR TRIAL BEING COMPLETED

Oklahoma Governor's Impeachment Trial Set for Thursday at Capital

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 29.—Plans for the impeachment trial Thursday of Governor J. C. Walton moved forward today although outwardly the proceedings were marked by a lull strange in contrast to the spectacular developments of last week which brought two charges of official misconduct against the executive and his subsequent suspension from office.

As a district court grand jury resumed examination of evidence which formed the basis for the impeachment charges with a view toward possible criminal action in the courts, forces of both sides in the impeachment case were completing all pre-trial arrangements behind closed doors.

The board of managers from the lower house of the state legislature which will prosecute Governor Walton before the senate sitting as a court of impeachment, was believed to have outlined its plans to contest a general demurrer to the entire impeachment bill which counsel for the executive are expected to file at the opening of the trial. There has been no official indication as to the governor's defense, but in political circles it is believed it will be centered largely on the Ku Klux Klan issue.

More than 150 witnesses are to be summoned.

Divorce Wanted By Aged Indian—Cruelty Charged

KLAMATH FALLS, Oct. 29.—Short Bob, a full blooded Klamath Indian, 80 years of age, brought suit for divorce here today against Mrs. Short Bob, his wife, 78, alleging extreme cruelty. According to the octogenarian record, his wife's spouse struck him on the head with an iron rod and then drove him out of their wickup at Chiloquin and he was forced to seek shelter with neighboring Indians. Bob in his complaint prays for an absolute divorce, all costs of the trial and for general relief.

ESTABLISH REPUBLIC

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—The national assembly at Angora has voted the establishment of the Turkish republic. Mustapha Kemal Pasha has been unanimously elected president.

DR. HEINZE IS LEADER IN SAXONY

Central Government Holds Whip Hand Over Dr. Zeigener Since It Has Means of Preventing Uprisings

DETACHMENTS HONEY COMBED OVER STATE

Further Steps to Be Taken Have Not Developed—Situation Now Critical

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Chancellor Stresemann's punitive expedition into "red" Saxony is still in the initial stages and it will be several days before its further progress reveals whether it is intended as something transcending the merely limits of a controversy with a federated state over the question of constitution prerogatives.

The chancellor of the reich has appointed as commissioner Dr. Carl Heinze, who as a commissioner represented the reich in Saxony. Dr. Heinze immediately demanded the resignation of the Saxon cabinet and the ministers complied with the demand, withdrawing from office, at the time set by the commissioner, 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

General von Mueller who commands the reichswehr in Saxony, prohibited the diet from meeting. What further steps are to be taken in the central government has not developed. The central government obviously holds the whip hand over Dr. Zeigener and his radical administration in that it has literally honey combed Saxony with reichswehr detachments, thus precluding the possibility of physical outbreaks. So far as competent political opinion in reichstag circles is concerned even down to the ranks of the moderate socialists, it may be said that the government's drastic procedure is being viewed as highly preferable to an attitude of waiting upon the pleasure of the Saxon communists who, despite their minority in the Zeigener ministry, were rapidly growing a menace not only to Saxony, but to the other proletarian sections of Germany.

Both the political and social situation in Saxony has reached such a critical stage that President Ebert became concerned that it called for a strong show of authority by the central government as Saxony was rapidly developing into an incubator for German bolshevism. The Berlin authorities also were impressed with the urgent need of giving the Saxon industrialists necessary protection against communistic terrorism in order to halt the economic collapse with which the nation's most prolific industrial and commercial sector has been threatened.

While the socialist party and the labor federation are outwardly viewing President Ebert's armed invasion of Saxony with a show of impatience, it is believed that both champions of labor are secretly not altogether opposed to his peremptory removal from duties of Zeigener and his radical allies.

The United Socialists and officials of the various labor federations will discuss the situation tomorrow, and on the outcome of these deliberations will depend the socialists' further relations to the Stresemann coalition government.

WOMAN KILLED

SPOKANE, Oct. 29.—Alema Owens, 43, residing near Cheney, Wash., was killed and Anna Owens and Gertrude Owens, her nieces, were probably fatally injured, when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a freight train at a crossing near Cheney tonight. Albert E. Owens, a brother of the dead woman who was driving when the accident occurred escaped uninjured.

SOUL MATE IS HELD IN DURANCE VILE

Crude, Old-Fashioned Ideas of Salem Police Clash With Pair's Modern Stuff

"Soul Mates" were parted by the police in an arrest made Saturday night, and no possible imagination upon the part of Beryl Wagner, who admits she is a devout believer in spiritualism, could change the crude materialistic ideas of the officer who made the arrest.

In an old, more or less dilapidated flyover, Beryl Wagner and Ellis Brown, surrounded by a large amount of baggage, were discovered Saturday night. They were taken to the police station for investigation.

The woman admitted that she and the man had lived in various Portland apartment houses for six months, and though not formally united in the holy bonds of matrimony, nevertheless were "perfect mates."

In addition to her spiritualistic activities, Beryl Wagner admitted, the police say, to having had a good thing in answering matrimonial advertisements in certain matrimonial publications. In fact, she had received \$80 from one man and upon his becoming suspicious, had brought her "perfect mate" to Salem in an effort to obtain some needed cash from another man.

Miss Wagner, who resides at Laurel, near Hillsboro, was released, but the "perfect mate" is being held in the city jail. The police are not positive that he has a right to operate the flyover.

Portland officers arrived early this morning to claim Brown who is said to be wanted there for the theft of five automobiles. A call early in the evening from Hillsboro brought the information to the local officers that Miss Wagner had been picked up by the Hillsboro officers on charge of being a member of a league of auto thieves. It was said the group working together would exchange parts of cars until it was unlike the original. The woman is now in jail in Hillsboro and Brown will be turned over to the Portland officers.

Girl Bad Check Artist Arrested Again in East

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 29.—Frances Babb, 19, arrested here last summer on a charge of passing a bad check, later sentenced to the state penitentiary at Salem for two years and paroled soon afterward, has been arrested at St. Joseph, Mo., for forgery, according to a telegram received from there by Sheriff Stickle here today.

Chester A. Davis, alias Robert Travers, who was arrested here with the girl, was tried in Portland later on a white slave charge was convicted and is now serving a term at McNeil's Island. He and the girl drove here in an automobile from Missouri.

Poultry Breeders Are Summoned to Portland

A meeting of the poultry breeders of the state will be held Thursday, Nov. 8, at 10 o'clock in the morning, in the dairy sales pavilion at the Pacific International livestock show, Portland.

This meeting has been called in accordance with the request of the breeders who were present at the meeting held at Salem during the state fair, and is for the further consideration of the feasibility of organizing some sort of state poultry breeders association. At this time, the committee appointed at Salem will report with suggestions as to methods of organization.

It is believed that this matter should be of importance to every poultry breeder in the state and should be well worth their while to attend.

WOULD HONOR HENRI FABRE

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Admirers of Henri Fabre, the Provencal naturalist, have revived a campaign started in 1914 but interrupted by the world war, to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of his birth and to erect a monument to him at his home, cillage of Sorgues, France.

ONE-TIME PREMIER OF GREAT BRITAIN SUCCUMBS TO DEATH

Man Who Succeeded Lloyd George as Head of English Cabinet Passes Early This Morning in London—Was Known as British Roosevelt From Large Following of Masses.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—(By Associated Press.)—Andrew Bonar Law, former premier of Great Britain, died early today. The end came at 2:30 o'clock.

GOVERNOR PIERCE TALKS AT ASTORIA

Must Be More Equal Distribution of Rewards of Labor Says Executive

ASTORIA, Or., Oct. 29.—With approximately 80 delegates present from the various sections of the state, the annual convention of the Oregon State Federation of Labor got under way here today. The greater portion of the day's session was devoted to listening to addresses and to preliminary matters, the credential committee not making its report until tonight so that the actual business of the organization will be taken up tomorrow.

The principal speaker of the day was Governor W. M. Pierce, who declared that "there must be a more equal distribution of the rewards of labor or the ship of state of this great republic will strike upon the rocks which are just lying around the bend."

He spoke particularly of how the prices of the products of the farms have been cut until there is no profit to the farmer, while the cost of those products to consumer has not been reduced materially and said something must be done to curb the operations of the combinations which are reaping enormous and unwarranted profits at the expense of the producers and consumers.

The governor also announced that the workmen's compensation act in this state is in grave danger and urged the convention to favor a compulsory compensation act, which he said must be provided for by a constitutional amendment. The speaker dwelt for some time on the income tax law and asked the convention to endorse it.

KELLOGG TO START WITH CLEAN SLATE

Harvey's Talk Thought to Mean an End to Liquor Searching Rights

LONDON, Oct. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—At a complimentary dinner given tonight in honor of T. P. O'Connor's 75th birthday, at which Marquis Curzon presided, the American Ambassador, George Harvey in the course of his speech, said he was pleased to inform those assembled that as a sequel to a conversation he had just had with Lord Curzon he was leaving his successor an absolutely clean slate.

Lord Curzon, replying, said he was glad to be able to confirm Ambassador Harvey's statement and to testify that the ambassador was leaving a comparatively easy task for his successor.

These remarks were interpreted by the company as meaning that an agreement had been reached on the question of the right of the American government to search vessels for liquor within the 12-mile limit.

Over Three Thousand Attend Prison Show

Gross receipts from the "Voyettes of 1923," the annual penitentiary show, totaled \$1435.50 according to a statement prepared yesterday by M. E. Weir, business manager. With 50 complimentary tickets issued for each of the six nights of the show, the attendance was well over 3000 for the week. Thursday night was the biggest night, when the guard at the gate refused to "permit" many people to enter owing to the lack of seating facilities. By actual county Thursday night there were 258 automobiles parked in front of the prison.

Expenses this year were light. Mr. Weir having placed a limit of \$150, and though all bills have not yet been turned in, he believes the expense will not be much in excess to this amount. Money derived from the show goes to the amusement fund, which includes purchase of athletic goods, magazines and books. Part of the light expenses is due to the fact that no music was hired, as had been done in previous years. All members of the 14 piece orchestra were inmates of the institution.

Warden Dalrymple is highly pleased with the results of the show. Every precaution was taken to safeguard visitors against possible fire, long lines of men having been laid in readiness for emergency.

A request from Silverton for the loan of "Spark Plug," was granted by Warden Dalrymple yesterday. Sparky will be near, but the motive power will be supplied by other than prison inmates.

The Oregon Statesman announced great salesmanship competition—See details on page 6.