

SEVENTY-FIFTH YEAR

SALEM, OREGON, SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 21, 1925

PRICE FIVE CENTS

LA FOLLETTE WILL BE BURIED MONDAY

Funeral Services for Leader of Progressive Party Will Be Simple

BODY NOW LIES IN STATE

Crowd of Thousands Bow Heads in Tribute to Great Character in American Political Life

MADISON, Wis., June 20.—(By Associated Press.)—Robert M. La Follette is back among his own people tonight to receive from them a last sorrowful tribute before he comes to his final resting place beneath the elms of Forest Hill cemetery, beside his parents. His body now reposes in the governor's reception room at the state capitol where it was taken immediately after its arrival here from Washington this afternoon. Tomorrow it will be removed to the rotunda beneath the mammoth dome of the state house to lie in state from noon until twilight while crowds who knew and loved him gaze upon his countenance for the last time.

Until the hour of the funeral services—1 o'clock Monday afternoon—members of the state legislature will form a special guard of honor. After the special funeral train from Washington arrived fellow townsmen with uncovered heads stood silent as the casket was removed and started toward the capitol. Preceded by the legislative body, the procession made a slow way along streets where flags on specially erected standards fluttered at half mast. Hundreds marched behind the casket and grouped themselves about the massive granite state house while the body was carried to the reception room.

Members of the legislature immediately took up their long vigil, while selected members of the Wisconsin national guard in civilian clothes, stood as sentinels before the entrance.

Huge floral pieces surrounded the casket which stood beneath the motto the dead Senator often quoted—"The will of the people is the law of the land."

While flags everywhere were at half mast, the city hall alone is draped in mourning. The senator had asked that mourning be omitted by members of his own family, asserting "there is no sorrow in death when a life has been well spent."

Work in Madison will be suspended during the hour of the funeral. The state legislature will recess Monday morning and state officers will be closed.

The funeral services will be simple. They will be conducted in the capital rotunda by the Rev. A. E. Halden of Chicago.

Lifelong friends of Senator La Follette will be the active pallbearers. They will be State Senator Harry Southoff, former State Senator Albert M. Stonedahl, Dr. W. W. Gill, Madison physician, Ira Lorenz, Milwaukee lawyer; A. T. Rogers of Chicago, a former law partner of the senator; Dante Pierce, publisher; John J. Hannah, president of the state board of control, and Herman L. Eckern, state attorney general.

PLANES CARRYING RUM THOUSAND CASES A MONTH ARE BEING RECEIVED

SEATTLE, June 20.—Belief that a fleet of rum airplanes is bringing liquor into Seattle at the rate of thousands of cases a month was expressed here today by Matt Starwich, King county sheriff.

The arrest of L. H. Swisher and the capture of his liquor laden seaplane on Lake Washington on Wednesday last did not end aerial importation of illicit liquor, but was simply the first case of its kind, Starwich declared.

KILLING OF KELSO MAN REMAINS YET UNSOLVED

NO CLEW IS FOUND IN SEARCH MADE FOR ASSAILANT

Coroner Is Threatened With Death If Report Is Not One of Self Destruction

KELSO, Wash., June 20.—"Thomas Dovyery met death by a shot from a revolver in the hands of parties unknown." That, in substance, was the verdict of a coroner's jury at the inquest into the death of Thomas Dovyery, owner and publisher of the Cowlitz County News, who was shot to death here last night. The jury brought in its findings late this afternoon.

Further mystery was added to the killing when Coroner W. D. Vannote was called up by telephone this afternoon before the inquest and told by an unidentified person that if the coroner's jury failed to return a verdict of suicide that he would be the next victim. Coroner Vannote said he believed the person who telephoned him was a fanatic and not connected with the killing of Dovyery.

OVER 2000 ATTENDING FAIR GROUNDS PICNIC

SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF COUNTY VIE IN CONTESTS

Three Baseball Games Are Staged; Fred Lockley Is Principal Speaker

Over 2000 people attended the annual Marion County Sunday school picnic held at the Fairgrounds Saturday afternoon. Fred G. Lockley, a special writer for the Oregon Journal of Portland was the chief speaker on the program.

The athletic contests were far more successful than any staged at former picnics staged by the Sunday schools. The contestants were divided in three groups with special leaders and judges. The races for boys and girls were held in the stadium with Mrs. Hester and Miss Findley in charge of the girls and Mr. Pemberton with the boys.

The grownups celebrated in the shade under the direction of Mr. Badchan and Mr. Kinder as leaders. All of the contests in this class were of a humorous nature.

Three baseball games provided sufficient amusement for those not participating in the various sports. Fruitland took Turner 9 to 4 in the second series. The final contest proved to be far the when Liberty and Monitor played a shut out tie score 0 to 0.

The umpires for the contests were Loyal Warner and Paul Riddle.

Music was furnished by the band from the boys training school, and mass singing in charge of Benjamin P. Kimber.

The executive committee in charge pronounced a decided success and wish to thank Mr. Lockley, Mr. Gilbert. The fair board and various committees for their cooperation in making the picnic a success.

CLERKS' BONDS ARE DUE DISTRICTS HAVE UNTIL JUNE 25 FOR FILINGS

All district school clerks of the county should file their bond with the superintendent of schools by June 25. It was announced yesterday, although ten days of grace will be allowed. The required bond for each district must equal twice the sum of money each clerk will handle at any one time during the year.

Districts that have already filed are as follows: Sublimity, C. J. Ruetsgers, \$3,000; Rickey, J. Irvine Caplinger, \$3,000; Oak Grove, James A. Robl, \$1,600; Brush Creek, L. H. Meyer, \$2,000; Illibee, J. N. Luke, \$800; Rock Point, George J. Lambrecht, \$500; Union Hill, Pearl E. Heater, \$2,000; West Woodburn, W. J. McCormick, \$1,000; Livesley, Hilda Hayden, \$4,000; Whiskey Hill, Earl H. Kocker, \$1,000; McAlpin, James W. Gilham, \$2,000; Butteville, Napoleon Davis, \$2,000; St. Louis, Marie Ferschweiler, \$4,000; Eldridge, B. J. J. Miller, \$1,500; Hazel Green, Maurice R. Dunnigan, \$5,000; Thomas, C. H. Goschle, \$2,000; Johnson, V. H. Wells, \$1,000; Mehama, William P. Mulkey, \$500; Oak Glen, H. A. Slegmund, \$1,300; Oakdale, E. A. Taylor, \$1,500.

YOUNG GOLFERS VICTORS

Salem high's golf team won the final game of the Corvallis-Eugene series and is now possessor of the cup offered by Clifford Brown of Salem. Salem scored 20 out of a possible 21 points Saturday on the Corvallis course. The final score for the series under the Naussa system is Salem plus 77, Corvallis minus 17 and Eugene minus 39.

HEAT RECORD FOR YEAR ESTABLISHED

Salem Thermometers Climb to 91 Degrees; Shady Side Of Street Sought

MEDFORD FRIES WITH 103

Other Points Report Exceedingly High Temperatures; Electric Storms Occur In Southern Oregon

Breaking Friday's heat record of 88 degrees, the thermometer climbed to a new height of 91 in the shade yesterday, and remained there during most of the afternoon, causing hundreds of Salem sufferers to flock to the city's swimming resorts and grassy parks.

No present change in temperature is looked for by the Salem weather bureau, although in southern Oregon severe wind, rain and electric storms occurred last night, following record breaking heat. The temperature in this district is expected to remain the same for three or four days.

Reports received from other sections of the country point to the fact that Salem was fortunate as far as the distribution of heat is concerned.

The city of Medford sweltered under a blazing sun, with the mercury reaching 103 degrees. During the evening, however, thunder and lightning storms commenced, bringing heavy rains.

In Yakima all June heat records were smashed when the recording devices registered 102 degrees at 4:30 o'clock.

The mercury registered 92 at Klamath Falls, setting a record for the year. Last night, however, a severe wind and electric storm relieved the condition.

Spokane also sweltered from blistering heat when a new record for the year was established as the official observatory thermometer reached the point of 95 degrees.

RAZOR WIELDER IS DEAD

EX-CONVICT ATTACKS WOMAN THEN COMMITS SUICIDE

LONGVIEW, Wash., June 20.—J. C. Dille, said by the sheriff's office to have been paroled convict from Deer Lodge, Mont., penitentiary, is dead, and Mrs. William Freese, wife of a Longview contractor, is in a hospital here in a critical condition as the result of an alleged attempted murder and a successful suicide here today.

Dille bled to death, doctors said, after cutting a vein in his left wrist. Mrs. Freese is suffering from deep cuts on her face, neck and hands, said to have been inflicted by Dille.

Haven't We Awarded the "Dumbell" Championship a Trifle Hastily?



GENERAL STRIKE BREAKS IN CHINESE INDUSTRIES

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES HURT; TRANSPORTATION IS QUIT

Servants in Hospitals Stop Work; Boy Scouts Mobilize to Vite Aid

HONG KONG, June 20.—(By Associated Press.)—The general strike, which is being used by the Chinese agitators in their anti-foreigner flash, spread this morning to the street railways, the conductors and motormen failing to take out their cars. The service is temporarily suspended.

The Chinese house servants employed by foreigners at Kowloon, a city across the harbor from Hong Kong Island, also walked out this morning as did the servants at the Peak hotel, a favorite hotel of foreigners.

The movement is expected to become general throughout the colony. The Chinese staff at the Matilda hospital, a charity institution for foreigners where there were 35 patients; the servants of the nurses' quarters at the military hospital, the Hong Kong hotel, Wiseman's cafe and many of the boarding houses have also gone on strike. The boy scouts and other organizations are mobilizing for the purpose of taking the places of the strikers.

Many Chinese are leaving for Canton.

The government of the colony has issued a statement that severe measures will be taken against evil disposed persons endeavoring to disturb the peace and good will of the colony and offering a reward of \$250 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of offenders.

MAY REVISE TARIFF LAW

IMPROVEMENTS CAN BE MADE COMMISSION DECLARES

WASHINGTON, June 20.—(By Associated Press.)—Recommendations for a revision of the present tariff law as it affects the tariff commission probably will be made in the commission's report to congress early in December.

Experience with the law has demonstrated to members of the commission that improvements can be made, especially with respect to its flexible provisions. The principle of flexibility, however, would not be disturbed.

One of the most important changes suggested is the adoption of a new method of demanding adjustments in the duty of imported articles. At present this duty is based on the difference between the costs of production in this and foreign countries.

Thomas O. Marvin, chairman of the commission in discussing the commission's experience with the law, favored the substitution of wholesale prices as the basis for making tariff adjustments.

PRESIDENT'S PARTY TO LEAVE ON TRIP TUESDAY

TWO MONTHS CRUISE ON MAYFLOWER WILL BE MADE

Affairs Settled for Summer Vacation; Yacht Will Carry a Large Retinue

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Sizelizing summer weather greeted President and Mrs. Coolidge today as they prepared for their departure Tuesday for Swampscott, Mass., where they will spend the next two months.

The presidential yacht, Mayflower, weighed anchor late in the day with the first detachment from the White House bound for the summer retreat. Carrying two cooks, domestic servants and the White House dogs, Paul Pry and Rob Roy, the vessel will proceed to Marble Head, Mass., where it is expected to arrive Monday.

Mr. Coolidge had a busy day, but the evening found his desk clear and ready to leave. Only a few appointments are pending and the president has few questions demanding immediate disposal. With an office set for his use at Lynn, Mass., Mr. Coolidge will carry on there such business as arises during the summer.

Soon after departure of the family from the White House, workmen will start extensive renovation and Mrs. Coolidge is busily engaged in arranging such directions for this as will be necessary. An appropriation of \$50,000 was granted by congress for repairs, most of which will be in semi-public rooms on the first floor where new rugs and wall paper will be placed.

The presidential party will leave Tuesday afternoon, arriving in Salem, Mass., early the next morning. From there the president will motor the four miles to Swampscott.

RADICALS ARE EXPELLED

EIGHT HURT WHEN SOCIALIST UNION WORKERS BALK

NEW YORK, June 20.—(By Associated Press.)—Seven men and a woman were injured tonight in a fight that resulted in the expulsion of 25 radical labor unionists and nearly disrupted a fusion convention of the socialist and American labor parties to nominate a ticket for the coming city election.

The fight followed the refusal of 20 of the 200 delegates to join in a tribute to the late Senator La Follette and the rejection of 14 because of their communistic beliefs.

The delegates who refused to stand a moment in silence in honor of La Follette and those who were banished from the convention by Algernon Lee, temporary chairman were representatives of the left wing of the labor party.

Many old friends of Commander MacMillan were on hand to bid him goodbye. Among them was Mrs. Robert E. Peary, widow of the late Rear Admiral Peary, discoverer of the north pole, and with whom MacMillan made his first trip to the Arctic; Mrs. Edward Stafford, Mrs. Peary's daughter who was born beyond the Arctic circle, and her brother, Robert E. Peary, Jr., and Major General A. W. Greeley, the first American explorer of note and who 41 years ago reached the farthest northern point that any explorer had reached at that time.

M'MILLAN LEAVES FOR FROZEN NORTH

Expedition Bound for Uncharted Northern Wastes; Bids Farewell

NEW LANDS ARE SOUGHT

Explorers Plan to Return to States in September; 41 Men Comprise Crew on Way to Arctic

WISCASSET, Maine, June 20.—(By Associated Press.)—Donald Baxter MacMillan left today for the Arctic with the Godspeed of Wiscasset, the state of Maine and the nation ringing in his ears.

"See you in September," shouted his old friends as they stood on Old Whale wharf, bidding them farewell, thereby symbolizing the confidence they have in his ability to bring his crews of two score men safely back from the Arctic where in the polar sea, the explorer hopes to find an unknown and uncharted land.

Lieutenant Commander MacMillan's two ships sailed away amidst the greatest demonstration he has ever received on any of his eight previous trips into the far north. Thousands of persons lined the roadways along the sheepskin river and jammed the pier from which the Bowdoin and Peary sailed. Thousands more waved farewell from the hillsides.

School children crowded the wharf and unrolled a shower of multi-colored toy balloons as the fifth infantry band of Portland played the national anthem.

Commander MacMillan stepped aboard the Bowdoin, took the wheel, the lines were cast off and the craft slipped out among a hundred or more flag bedecked small boats that were on hand to accompany him to the mouth of the river.

The departure was immediately preceded by a celebration in the honor of the village green, where he heard prominent men of nation and state wish him well and express their confidence in his success.

Governor R. O. Brewster of Maine, Captain C. E. Bismukes, commandant of the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard, were the speakers.

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PUPILS OBTAIN DIPLOMAS

265 OF CLASS OF 400 ARE IN SALEM SATURDAY

"Why Everybody Should Be Educated" was talk given by H. F. Durham, principal of the J. L. Parrish Junior high school, at the fourth annual commencement for Marion county eighth grade graduates, held at the high school Saturday afternoon.

The 256 members of the class of about 400 students received their diplomas from Mary L. Faulkerson, county school superintendent.

Miss Louella Belle Tartar, head of the music department of the Salem high school and four of her advanced students, Claudia Lewis, Wilma Coursey, Margaret Kaster, and Thelma Davis furnished special music for the exercises.

Invocation was asked by Rev. F. C. Taylor, pastor of the First Methodist church of Salem.

Dr. Findley Returns From Convention of Specialists

Dr. M. C. Findley, of Salem, returned from Vancouver, B. C., last night, after attending a three day convention of the Pacific coast division of physicians specializing in ear, eye, nose and throat trouble. Dr. Findley left Salem on Wednesday.

Over 200 specialists from over the entire United States attended the convention which was addressed by several distinguished authorities on the question. Dr. Findley was the only attending physician from this district. The meeting will be held at San Francisco next year.

BAND CONCERTS WILL BEGIN FRIDAY NIGHT

CHERRIAN ORGANIZATION READY FOR BIG SEASON

Eighteen Appearances Stated For Summer; 25 Men Are Playing This Year

Concerts by the Cherrian band will begin in Wilson park, Friday night, according to Oscar Steelhammer, director. The concerts will be given every Tuesday and Friday nights during the nine weeks' season. The Waite memorial fountain will be in action as usual.

The band consists of 26 members this year, an increase of six. The personal of the band is: Clarinet—Walter Bush, Adolph Bombeck, Fred Bruce, William Meyer, Ronald Desart, Heda Swart and John Waters.

Oboe—Jack Eakin.

Cornets—Charles Pabst, W. H. Mills, Carl Amprist, Jack Nash and Charles Kurth.

Horns—L. Mixelson, Elmer McKinney and John Graber (manager).

Trombones—C. G. Olson, R. G. Hoffman, Frank Zinn and A. Doerfler.

Baritone—I. G. Martin and M. G. Cooley.

Drums—Ralph Southwick and Mark Renne.

Basses—John Steelhammer and Edward Tallman.

DETROIT-NIAGARA ROAD PLEASES COUNTY COURT

TRAFFIC NOT ADVISED OVER ROUTE THIS SEASON

Grading and Graveling Work Not Complete; To Award Contracts June 23

Expressing the opinion that traffic on the new Detroit-Niagara highway will not be permitted this summer, the Marion county court announced that, due to construction work, travel on the road will be difficult and very dangerous in places. At the present time the highway is closed to all persons.

Grading and graveling work is not completed, and contracts will be awarded on June 23 for surfacing the road with 8 inches of macadam. It is estimated that 11,000 yards of material will be required. This work will be finished in October.

Those making the trip were: County Judge J. T. Hunt, J. E. Smith, and John Porter, county commissioners, W. C. Culver county roadmaster, and Frank Johnson, deputy roadmaster. Chiefs and chasms, looking down hundreds of feet are numerous on the drive, and Jim Smith, pilot of the car, was approximating a nervous state of mind when the stop was made for dinner, according to Judge Hunt. "He revived considerably, however, when he saw the men cooks at the camp," Mr. Hunt stated.

The county court was extremely well pleased with the construction of the road, which leads into one of the most scenic natural parks in the United States. Fishing in the mountain streams is excellent, and when the road is finally completed, it is declared that tourists will flock there from all places. The distance from Salem is about 60 miles. The road cost about \$300,000, of which the county supplied \$30,000.

GUARD CARAVAN STARTS TRIP TO BE MADE TO CRATER LAKE NATIONAL PARK

MEDFORD, June 20.—The Oregon National guard caravan to Crater Lake—the largest ever to enter a national park—was peacefully bivouacked tonight at Union creek in the Crater National forest reserve, ready for the last lap tomorrow morning.

The 487 automobiles will go as far as possible and the party will hike the rest of the distance to the lake rim.

Tonight the national guardsmen will entertain with music vaudeville stunts and boxing.

At 5:30 in the morning breakfast will be served and after a short religious service, the march to the rim of the lake will begin.

The caravan, which was given by the Medford Chamber of Commerce as an entertainment to the guardsmen was given at an estimate cost of \$15,000.

Monday the national guardsmen will be reviewed by Governor Walter M. Pierce and other state officials, and inspected by General Mencher, U. S. A.

LAKE CLAIMS VICTIM

PORTLAND, June 20.—Edward Austen, 22, of this city, was today drowned in Lake Oswego while swimming. The body was recovered.

STATE VICTORIOUS IN SHEPHERD CASE

Defense Loses Ground Under Prosecutor's Stinging Cross-Examination

SCHOOL JANITOR CALLED

Caretaker of Institution Conducted By Fairman Makes Damaging Admissions in Witness Box

CHICAGO, June 20.—(Associated-Press.)—Testimony of two witnesses called by the defense in the William Darling Shepherd murder trial was divided with such success by the prosecution that the defense forced an afternoon session of court Saturday in an effort to regain its lost ground.

Walter Smith, formerly janitor at the National University of Sciences conducted by Charles C. Fairman, testified upon direct examination that no live germs ever were about the school, but upon cross examination admitted he had seen racks full of test tubes and that for all he knew, they might have contained germs being propagated.

He was followed upon the witness stand by Dr. Frederick O. Tonney, director of the laboratory of the Chicago health department. For an hour under guidance of defense counsel he contradicted testimony of Fairman, state's chief witness, but the entire status of his testimony was changed under questioning by Prosecutor Robert E. Crowe.

Five minutes before time for the usual Saturday adjournment, William Scott Stewart chief of defense counsel, appealed to Judge Thomas J. Lynch for an afternoon session which he granted.

"It would never do for the jury to have the week end to discuss this testimony," appealed Stewart.

Both witnesses were called in an attempt to offset Fairman's testimony that after Shepherd had indicated interest in a course of criminal bacteriology in his institution he gave him three test tubes filled with live typhoid germs, learned later that Shepherd wanted them for the murder of Billy McClintock, his millionaire foster son, and that Shepherd promised him \$100,000 from the youth's estate.

The germs, Fairman testified, were obtained from the city health department laboratory by his merely asking an unknown boy at the entrance for them. Dr. Tenney testified at first that Fairman could not have obtained the germs in that manner and that it would have required at least 10 to 15 minutes.

Under cross examination, however, the doctor admitted that the department rules had been violated many times.

Winfield Scott Hoerger, reprimanded three times and finally discharged last spring from the health department, was a former director at Fairman's laboratory. Dr. Tonney said he understood.

He also admitted his chief assistant, Dr. J. L. White, had told him he had seen Fairman about the city laboratory.

Peter Byrne, the last witness of the day, formerly employed by Fairman, denied Fairman ever had germs about the school. He told of Fairman posing as a physician and surgeon and treating sick persons and operating upon others, and accused Fairman of "bootlegging" alcohol.

BROOKS MAN INJURED AUTOMOBILE DEMOLISHED IN ACCIDENT SATURDAY

Dan Cronan, of Brooks, was severely bruised and badly cut on the face and head about 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon when an auto he was driving collided with a heavy truck. The accident occurred on the Pacific Highway at the Brooks crossing.

Arthur Madson, riding with Cronan, was bruised but not badly hurt. Cronan's car was totally wrecked, according to report.

Although the automobile did not turn over, it was thrown high in the air by the impact, and reduced to wreckage. The truck is said not to have been damaged.

COLLISION IS FATAL

YANCOUVER, Wash., June 20.—James Stanger of Image, Clarke county, received fatal injuries today in a collision between a motorcycle on which he was riding and a coupe driven by S. S. McCuddy of Portland, on the North Bank highway near Ellsworth.