

The Oregon Statesman

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

WEATHER FORECAST: Clearing weather; normal temperature; moderate westerly winds. Maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 40; river, 8.1; rainfall, .96; atmosphere, cloudy; wind, southeasterly.

Farmers demanded cheaper transportation for a long time; but the only one to get free transportation over the country was Queen Marie.

SEVENTY-SIXTH YEAR

LIVELY DEBATE MARKS HEARING MEDICAL GROUP

Naturopaths and Other Drugless Healers Battle for Their Profession

DR. HALL COMPLIMENTED

Naturopaths Told to Introduce Bill of Their Own and Secure Recognition From State of Oregon

Outbursts of oratory flooded the state senate hall yesterday when the naturopaths and other professions engaged in a grueling hearing...

The hearing came as a result of a bill introduced by Senator Butler, which provides for the registering of all licensed practitioners of medicine and surgery...

Virgil McMichael, Portland naturopath, probably was the most persistent advocate of his profession on the floor of the senate...

The Dominion Shipping company steamer Lord Strathcona became unmanageable and was placed under tow for Queenstown...

Mr. McMichael requested an amendment to the bill providing that naturopaths would be exempted from its operation...

J. Hall, secretary of the state board of medical examiners, said that he would not consent to such a suggestion...

DRY RAID NETS MANY IN GOTHAM

MANY SOCIALLY PROMINENT PERSONS DISCOVERED

Small Army of Deputy Marshals Takes Part in Drive to Curb Rum

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The shadow of a giant prohibition padlock fell across a huddled mass of men today...

During the day summons and complaint was served on 49 places between New York and Kingston, 75 men and 19 women being named as defendants...

The first thunder of today's enforcement storm reverberated early today about a Park avenue night club just below the Grand Central terminal...

There were 100 fashionably dressed couples in the place, who were allowed to go home after they had been hidden together and flashlight pictures taken of them...

The next place raided was in Greenwich village, where axes were used to break down iron doors in a six-story loft building...

First indication that the raids were more than a bluff in the real prohibition wind came with an announcement during the afternoon from Assistant United States Attorney Wadmond...

In each instance summons and complaint was served on the proprietor, bartender, and owner of the offending building...

The American Cyanide company's offer to lease Muscle Shoals was considered by the house military committee...

TERRIFIC STORM SWEEPS BRITAIN

ALL ISLAND STRICKEN BY SOUTHERLY HURRICANE

Eight Die in Glasgow, Hundred Injured; Communication Cut Off

GLASGOW, Scotland, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Eight persons killed and 100 injured in Glasgow alone today in a southerly hurricane which swept Great Britain from Land's End, the southernmost tip of England...

The storm was especially severe in Scotland, and the districts north of Edinburgh, as well as all Ireland and the Heilly Isles...

The weather observatory at Renfrew registered a record gust of 102 miles an hour...

Several old houses collapsed in Glasgow and pedestrians and vehicles were tossed about. Street cars were overturned and a section of the roof of the Central railroad station was lifted...

An express train running from Berwick to Newcastle was stopped for 40 minutes near Dunbar by violent winds. Gravel was driven through the windows, pelting the passengers...

Outgoing troop ships on their way to China encountered rough seas. A Lloyd's despatch from Port Talbot, Wales, said that the destroyer Sylph was blown ashore at Aberavon...

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TAX RESOLUTION FRAMED

Senate Democrats Renew Fight for Reduction Record Vote

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Blocked in their efforts to introduce some sort of tax reduction legislation at this session, senate democrats today put forward a resolution designed to record the senate for or against permanent tax revision before March 4...

Consideration of the resolution went over under the rules at the request of Senator Curtis, the republican leader, but its adoption would have little effect since tax legislation must originate in the house...

The amended law gives the board more authority inasmuch as the former law provided for the board of control to purchase all stationary, office supplies, furniture and equipment required by all state offices and departments...

WRECK LOSS TOTALS 26

Personnel of Crew on Steamship John Tracy Is Announced

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Twenty six men comprised the personnel of the steamship John Tracy which is believed to have been lost with all hands on January 10 in a storm east of Cape Cod...

Rudolf Richter, Waverly, Mass., was master, H. Donovan, San Francisco, Cal., was a member of the crew...

The John Tracy sailed from Norfolk on January 8 for Boston and is believed to have struck floating wreckage January 10 in a heavy snowstorm...

COMPANY I WINS FAST GAME

SILVERTON, Ore., Jan. 28.—(Special)—In a close and hard fought game, Company "A" of Silverton won over Company "B" of McMinnville with a score of 35 to 36...

YESTERDAY IN WASHINGTON

Secretary Kellogg restored the embargo on aircraft shipments to Mexico.

White House approval of Secretary Kellogg's Chinese policy was announced.

The senate passed the deficiency bill, without a tax reduction amendment, and took up the naval supply bill.

President Coolidge signed the Longview, Wash., bridge bill and vetoed the Shoshone Indians claims bill.

Another seizure of Pennsylvania ballots, cast in the Vare-Wilson election, was ordered by the senate campaign funds committee.

The American Cyanide company's offer to lease Muscle Shoals was considered by the house military committee.

HEFLIN RENEWS FIERY ATTACK ON CATHOLICS

Alabama Senator Holds Knights of Columbus Responsible for Trouble

PROPAGANDISM ALLEGED

Two Colleagues Deny Allegations; Assert Church Loyalty to America; Give Spanish War Example

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Charges that the Knights of Columbus have sought to embroil the United States in a war with Mexico were renewed in the senate today by Senator Heflin of Alabama...

Replying to a speech delivered at a Knights of Columbus meeting here last night by Joseph Scott, a Los Angeles lawyer, the senator said that the meeting itself was an evidence that the Catholic organization is spending money to spread propaganda throughout the United States to cause intervention in Mexico...

Although Mr. Scott had said in his speech that he was opposed to war, Senator Heflin continued, he had added in preparation of the resolutions adopted by the Philadelphia convention of the Knights of Columbus, which "bristled with war."

The senator said that the real trouble in Mexico grew out of the refusal of Roman Catholics to submit to governmental regulation under the flag of Mexico.

What the Catholic church does (Continued on page 2.)

BUYING POWER URGED

Bill Passes Providing for Board of Control to Purchase

House bill No. 183, which passed the house yesterday, empowers the state board of control to purchase materials of every nature and all public utility services of every kind and nature required or deemed advisable for each department, institution, board, commission, office, officers, bureau or agency of every kind...

The amended law gives the board more authority inasmuch as the former law provided for the board of control to purchase all stationary, office supplies, furniture and equipment required by all state offices and departments...

COALITION BODY FORMED

New German Cabinet Organized To Suit Von Hindenburg

BERLIN, Jan. 28.—(AP)—President von Hindenburg's ardent wish for a bourgeois coalition cabinet with leanings to the right was fulfilled late today when Chancellor Marx presented the names of a ministry to succeed the government defeated last December...

The chancellor presented a coalition cabinet made up of four centrists, four nationalists, two members of the German peoples' party, and one non-party member. The centralist contingent included a representative of the Bavarian peoples party, which represents its right wing.

SHANGHAI WHITE CLASS UNAFRAID

MOST FEAR APPEARS IN THE CABLEGRAMS FROM HOME

Business Men in Chinese City Say Commercial Perils Are Exaggerated

SHANGHAI, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The hostility of Chinese toward foreigners has not inspired white residents of Shanghai with the fear for their safety that is evidenced in cablegrams received from anxious relatives and friends at home...

Numerous inquiries received by Shanghai Americans and by the American consulate general reveal a state of mind in America which prominent Americans here characterize today as unduly alarmed over the immediate anti-foreign situation in this city...

American business men who have been feeling the effects of the anxiety at home in arranging transactions said that commercial perils in Shanghai had been exaggerated in America...

American consular and naval authorities, it is authoritatively stated, have worked out plans which are believed adequate to cope with any ultimate situation believed possible, but authorities said emphatically that they did not believe it would become necessary to put the entire precautionary program into effect...

Another bill which has the support of the eastern Oregon delegation carries an appropriation of \$175,000 for the construction of the new Eastern Oregon normal school. This institution also was created by the voters at the general election in November...

COOPER CASE REFERRED

Laguardia Demands Impeachment of New York Federal Judge

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—A resolution charging Federal Judge Frank Cooper of the northern New York district with usurpation of power in enforcing the prohibition law and demanding his impeachment, was referred by the house today to its judiciary committee for consideration...

Action came without a record vote after Representative E. J. McGuire, Republican, New York, author of the resolution, had demanded impeachment of the judge on the house floor.

FIRE IMPERILS 246 MEN

Burning West Virginia Mine Jeopardizes Workers Lives

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Jan. 28.—(AP)—A fire in the number one mine of the Connellsville By-Product Coal company, in the city's run district, endangered the lives of 246 miners for a time today and was the indirect cause of one death. The fire was brought under control after a fight of several hours, and it was expected that operations would be resumed tomorrow...

Harry Sheldon, 53, Fairchance, Pa., died from a heart attack after he reached the surface safely with fellow workmen, who were in the underground tunnels when an old fire broke out anew in the southern section of a slope. The excitement was believed to have contributed to his death.

HOSPITAL FUNDS ASKED IN SENATE

BUTLER SUBMITS BILL FOR TUBERCULOSIS INSTITUTION

Six Senate and Two House Bills Meet Approval on Third Reading

An appropriation bill, introduced by Senator Butler of Wasco county, calling for \$169,850 to build the Eastern Oregon tuberculosis hospital, which met the approval of the voters in the election last fall, was presented to the senate yesterday...

The appropriation will build an administration building, laundry, outdoor pavilion and heating plant, and is in considerable excess of the funds created in the original measure. The bill is reputed to have the solid support of the eastern Oregon delegation...

The tuberculosis hospital will be erected at The Dalles, which has provided a site without charge in event the appropriation bill is passed within the next few days, actual building operations should get under way by May 1. This would insure completion of the institution by October 1 of this year...

Under a bill introduced by Senator Hall the county courts have discretionary powers with relation to the construction and width of roads. The proposed law fixes the width of these roads at 60 feet, but provides that they may be made narrower or wider by order of the county courts. The bill was prepared by Stanley Myers.

LABOR FOR 5 DAY WEEK

President of Federation Calls Reduction Practicable

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor is pledged to the advocacy of the five work day week and increasing wages in industry, William Green, president of the federation, declared, speaking at the United Mine Workers' convention today...

"We have reached a point in industrial development where a further reduction in working hours can take place, without a slump in productivity," Mr. Green said.

Commenting on wages, the federation president asserted, "You cannot have prosperity and low wages. Show me the pay roll of a community and I'll measure the prosperity of that section," he added.

SPAN MEASURE SIGNED

Technical Part of Longview Bridge Up to Army Engineers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The Longview bridge bill was signed today by President Coolidge, and the next step will be the filing with the war department of an application under the authority of the bill which will include detailed plans of structure proposed. The war department retains jurisdiction over technical engineering aspects and those which have to do with the effect of the bridge upon navigation...

Senator Jones and Representative Johnson of Washington and Representative Denison of Illinois, chairman of the bridge sub-committee of the house commerce committee, urged President Coolidge to sign the bill.

STORM WARNINGS DOWN

Meteorologist Predicts Fair and Warmer Weather Sunday

PORTLAND, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Storm warnings on the Oregon coast were lowered tonight after having been flown most of the time for several days. North Head and Marshfield reported winds of moderate velocity today, all coast winds being from the southwest.

"Fair weather" is the tidings meteorologist for Sunday. The clearing by Edward L. Wells, meeting process will take place tomorrow. Normal temperatures and moderate winds are promised.

THREE DIED IN CRASH

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 28.—(AP)—Three persons were killed and one injured when a southbound Missouri Pacific passenger train struck an automobile here tonight. Two of the dead are women and the other a 13 year old girl.

CANTON FORCE ABANDON MOVE FOR SHANGHAI

Plans of Nationalist Leaders Suddenly Changed; to Leave Chekiang

WASHINGTON UNDECIDED

American Government Not Certain About Negotiations; Can Find No Way of Uniting Rival Factions

LONDON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—A Shanghai dispatch to the Daily Express reports that the plans of the Cantonese army have been suddenly changed, indicating abandonment of their intention to advance on Shanghai. The dispatch says that all nationalist troops have left or are about to leave Chekiang, through which they have been advancing in the direction of Shanghai...

Leaders of the two main factions in the Chinese civil war have not yet accepted Secretary Kellogg's suggestion that they agree themselves on a suitable treaty negotiating committee. The state department has no indication that they will do so. On the contrary, such knowledge as it has of their attitude makes agreement between them seem most unlikely.

President Coolidge today reaffirmed the offer made by Mr. Kellogg. Later Mr. Kellogg indicated, after a visit to the White House, (Continued on page 6.)

FOUND UNCONSCIOUS

No Explanation Concerning Rock Thought Thrown in Car

No new information throwing light upon the unexplained accident in which an automobile driven by Mrs. Lydia King of the Marion County Child Health demonstration, was wrecked one mile north of the city Friday morning has been obtained by the local police up to early this morning, Chief Minto reported.

Mrs. King, who was on her way home to Hayesville when her car was wrecked, was found lying unconscious beside the road by a truck driver who had noticed the car, with its windshield broken, standing nearby. Mrs. King, after recovering at a local hospital, declined to talk about the occurrence, it was reported, except to state that something had been thrown through the windshield.

AIR MAIL CONTRACT LET

Seattle Firm to Have Run From Chicago to San Francisco

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The Boeing Airplane company of Seattle, today was awarded the contract for carrying the air mail between Chicago and San Francisco.

The Boeing company agreed to maintain the service now furnished by the government on the western division, charging \$1.50 a pound for each additional 100 miles. It submitted one of the four offers received for operation of the western section.

FLORENCE LOSS \$20,000

No Trace of Bandit Found by Sheriff Taylor and Posse

EUGENE, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The total amount taken by the lone bandit who held up Miss Harriet Weatherston, cashier of the State bank at Florence, yesterday was \$13,746.23 in currency and gold, and \$7,000 in travelers' checks, according to Henry Bergman, president. About \$1200 of the money was in \$5, \$10 and \$20 gold pieces.

No trace of the bandit has been found, according to a report from Sheriff Taylor who with a large posse of men is following up all clues.

HARTLEY MEN REJECTED

Washington Legislator Condemns Dismissal of Suzzalo

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 28.—(AP)—Rejection of six and confirmation of four recess appointments by Governor Roland H. Hartley in the senate of the Washington state legislature today was preceded by a two-hour debate in which the executive's action in dismissing members of the University of Washington board of regents and filling their places with appointees who later asked for President Henry Suzzalo's resignation, was characterized by Senator D. V. Northland, Yakima, as "ruthless and brazen."

HOUSE COMPROMISES ON SALARY INCREASE OF CIRCUIT JUDGES AT \$5000

The third week of work in the house of representatives was brought to a close yesterday and the general spirit of harmony, which has marked the 34th legislature so far has been marred by only a few flights of fancy. The members are settling down to their work in a splendid manner and nearly all of the bills have been introduced. In fact, when the gavel calls the house to order on Monday morning no more bills can be introduced, according to the house rules.

Committee meetings and public hearings will consume a great portion of the time during the coming week in the house; but sessions will be held every day to take care of the bills as they are reported out of the committees. The more important measures are being held for further consideration in a majority of instances.

The session of the house of representatives was opened yesterday morning with a prayer by Rev. Albert S. Roberts of The Dalles, representative from Wasco county.

A number of the members considered it advisable to take house bill 1271 from the table immediately. This was the bill that had caused the greatest debate of the session so far. It provided originally for the increase of circuit judge's salaries from \$4,000 to \$6,000, but afterwards was amended to \$5,500, and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis was as opposed to the measure even after its further amendment as he was to the (Continued on page 6.)

GOVERNOR ASKS JOINT SESSION

TAXATION QUESTION REMAINS IN UNSETTLED CONDITION

Patterson Message to Give Views On Redistribution and Other Matters

Governor I. L. Patterson announced yesterday that some time before Wednesday he would present his financial program to the legislature. In order to do so he requested President Corbett and Speaker Carkin to call a joint session of the two houses at which time the special message will be delivered. The exact date for this session has not been set.

It is understood that the governor will unfold a program, which will contain suggestions for the redistribution of the tax burden and the listing of new sources of revenue. He will attempt to point out ways in which the state may be placed on a firm financial basis.

Governor Patterson did not outline his policy yesterday and it is understood that he intends to keep the program quiet until the message is delivered. He stated that it is his intention to analyze many of the taxation questions which are now confronting the members of the legislature.

The taxation question has been creeping into both houses at various times during the first weeks of the session; but very little work has been done in an effort to find a solution. Evidently the law makers want to wait until they know just how much money must be provided to carry on the work of the state. The fact of the matter is that the finance question is in a way very unsettled state and will remain there for a few days yet.

Several tax bills, including the corporate excess bill, the intangible bill, the bill to provide for the readjustment of assessed values, the luxury tax bill and numerous others are all reposing in the hands of committees.

On some of these bills many (Continued on page 6.)

SLAYER PRAISED BY ACCOMPLICE

RAY ARNOLD, HANGED YESTERDAY, IS EXTOLLED

Man Maintains Innocence Before Death; Texas Verdict Held Unjust

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 28.—(AP.)—Soon after Ray Arnold, 26 year old Sacramento automobile salesman, was hanged today at Folsom prison for the murder of a Japanese woman at Penryn, in 1924, Edward K. Sayer, Denver youth and Arnold's accomplice, finished a letter to the Arnold family, in which he extolled his dead pal's virtues and expressed mystification about their dual fate.

At the same time another letter written by Arnold just before he was hanged, was on its way to Governor C. C. Young, bearing a clemency plea for Sayer, scheduled to die next Friday.

A third accomplice, Arthur Muller of Sacramento, ended his life in a San Francisco rooming house, leaving a suicide note implicating Arnold and Sayer.

Arnold, after spending the last few minutes of his life with Sayer, walked to the death chamber, steadily mounted the 13 steps to the gallows and, before the noon which was to stifle his last breath, was placed over his head, exclaimed to the tense crowd:

"Gentlemen, I am innocent! My request is that this rope be cut into 13 pieces. Then send a piece to each of my jurors and the judge."

He was then dropped through the gallows trap to his death with the strains of the old melody "The Sidewalks of New York," which he had played before leaving his cell, echoing in his ears, rather than the prayers of the prison chaplain, whose consolation he had politely refused.

It was 14 minutes and 35 seconds before physicians pronounced him dead.

Shortly after Arnold's limp body was cut down from the gallows, newspaper men went to Sayer's cell for a statement.

"Poor Ray is gone, and oh, how I miss him. I feel heartbroken. It was an ignorant throwback from the middle ages in Texas when the people call a minister, whom a man in cold blood. He has a trial which evidently was very (Continued on page 6.)

