

# MILL VALLEY'S DAMAGE GREAT

### Four Thousand Fire Fighters Make Desperate Efforts to Check Flames

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damage placed the loss at \$5,000,000.

Local banks moved out cash and valuable papers as the flames advanced, and stores cleared out what stocks they could.

Many of the homes in Blythe-dale Canyon, center of the fire area, were valued at \$5,000 to \$10,000 each. One report said nearly 800 structures were destroyed in Blythe-dale Canyon alone.

Other Fires Are Also Reported

Meanwhile other less serious fires were reported from the Novato district and Hicks valley, north of San Rafael. Three persons were rendered unconscious by smoke prior to 9 o'clock, and were removed to a hospital.

The home of Charles Coles, housing a \$100,000 library and art collection; the \$200,000 summer palace of Ralston White; the residence of Lucian Marsh, San Francisco imported; and the summer home of Karl Zeigler, German consul at San Francisco, were among those razed.

The Northwestern Pacific railroad station was turned into a headquarters for fire refugees.

The Halston White residence, Corte Madera, and the L. A. among those in the path of the flame. A number of smaller places were destroyed. All residents of Blythe-dale canyon were ordered to leave their homes.

# BUSY TIME SLATED AT CATHOLIC MEET

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Howard, Archbishop of Portland in Oregon—Hon. I. L. Patterson, Governor of Oregon.

4. "Das ist der Tag des Herrn." Male Chorus.

5. Address: "Religion in a Nation." Rt. Rev. Magr. Louis Nau, Rector of St. Mary's Seminary, Cincinnati, Ohio.

6. Selection by Cherrian band.

7. Address: "The Meaning of Catholic Action." Mr. August Brookland, assistant director of the Central Bureau of the Catholic Central Verein of America, St. Louis, Mo.

8. "Holy God We Praise Thy Name." Audience.

Among the speakers for the session of the Central Verein will be: Rev. A. J. Muench, D. S. Sc. of St. Francis, Wis.; Rev. John Scherbring, spiritual director of Oregon state league; Willibald Eibner, president of Verein; F. F. Kenkel, K. St. Gregory, director of central bureau; Dr. Nicholas Dietz, Brooklyn; Rev. Gregory Robl, O. S. B., Portland.

# LA FOLLETT GIVEN CELL IN PORTLAND

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ected. Last February during the legislature, however, fresh trouble started and Mrs. LaFollett was said to have gone to Hills-boro and removed the household effects, clothes for herself and children and some fruit and jam to Portland. Replevin action was started by the legislator, and is still pending.

On March 43, Mrs. LaFollett filed a new divorce suit in the circuit court here, charging cruel and inhuman treatment. She sought alimony of \$100 a month, custody of her minor children, who are living with her here. A boy, 15, remained with his father on their ranch at Cornelius.

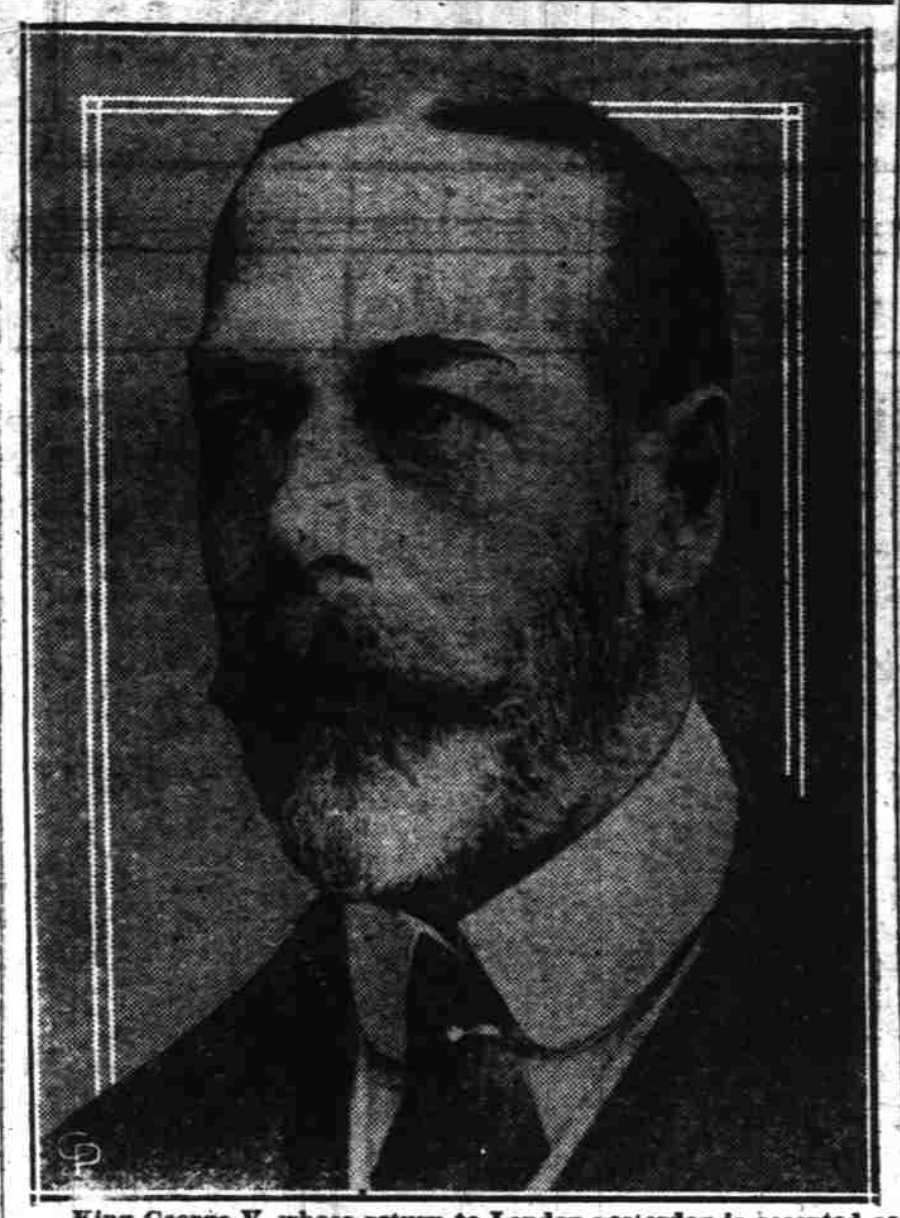
The complaint charged that LaFollett had mistreated his wife by using vile language in the presence of their children and friends; that he had accused her of consorting with other men; that he had kicked and pinched her, and that he had been generally unpleasant to her. They were married in Salem October 5, 1912.

# George Now Back From His Vacation

George is back. Which is a short way of saying the girls at the child health demonstration center are happy; and while they might not admit it, the several male M. D.'s and sanitary inspectors were broader grins yesterday.

For, you see, George is the little yellow canary which came to the demonstration several months ago and has chirped and sung himself into the good graces of all.

# He's Back On Job



King George V, whose return to London yesterday is accepted as an indication of his complete recovery from a long and dangerous illness.

# Colorful Appearance is Presented by Molalla as Buckaroo Program Starts

By a Staff Representative

Molalla, nestling where the floor of the valley starts to break into the approach to the Cascades, was host Tuesday at the annual day of its Buckaroo program. The town presented a gala appearance, with stores decorated with flags and bunting, streamers flying across the streets, and a holiday spirit everywhere manifest.

The affair is a community enterprise, speaking not at all irreverently, a sort of "passion play" of the old frontier. The show continued through today and Thursday, the Fourth, when the largest crowd of all is expected.

While the crowd on the opening day was only moderately large, it was regarded as comparing well with attendance in previous years. This is the fifth season the young fellows at Molalla have staged the performance. The opening this year was blessed with presence of numerous dignitaries who entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion, and dropped titles and formalities in the effort to enjoy themselves thoroughly.

Gov. Patterson, Secretary of State and Mrs. Patterson, Secretary of State and Mrs. Hal Hoss, Mayor Baker of Portland, Tommy Luke and William P. Merry and party of Portland, Henry Collins, president of the Pendleton Roundup spent the day at the Molalla show.

The morning parade was a colorful event, surprisingly varied, considering the fact that Molalla is a town of only 1000 inhabitants. Led by an American Legion color guard bearing the stars and stripes the parade moved through

course, was George. And now he's back.

# Wedding Rite is Performed Here By Rev. Ferrey

Ellery Leo Harland and Miss Irene Elizabeth Ridgeway were married in the garden of the Unitarian parsonage here Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. Martin Ferrey, Unitarian pastor, performing the ceremony. Miss Lucille Harland and Miss Opal Harland were bridesmaids.

The bride is a resident of Yamhill county. Mr. Harland's home is in Marion county north of Salem. The parsonage garden was decorated with baskets of delphiniums, carnations, bluebells and roses. The bride was dressed in white and carried a shower bouquet of roses and sweet peas.

A wedding dinner was held shortly after the ceremony.

# Chemawa Defeats Scotts Mills 12-5

QUINABY, July 2.—In a nine-inning ball game, between Scott's Mills Woodmen, and Chemawa Woodmen, on the Quinaby field Sunday the game was won by Chemawa 12 to 5.

This was the first game of the second half of the series.

Among the Modern Woodmen camps, competing for honors in the 16 game schedule, Scotts Mills won 7 games, lost one, Chemawa M. W. A. won six, lost two. The Scotts Mills and Chemawa ball teams are considered the strongest of the league. Matthes and Sturgis of the Chemawa's have been doing some unusual pitching.

The following modern Woodmen camps are competing: Chemawa, Scotts Mills, Woodburn, Dallas, Independence, Pedee, Silverton and Salem.

# Y. M. C. A. CAMP REAL SUCCESS

### Strong Leaders Assured for Annual Event, Secretary Kells Declares

"Leaders and directors at the Elk Lake Y. M. C. A. boys' camp this year are exceptionally strong," according to C. A. Kells, general secretary of the "Y." The personnel is composed of college men, all of whom have had experience in camp work. There are representatives from Willamette university, Oregon State college and Columbia university.

The director of the camp is "Bob" Boardman, Springfield college boys' work graduate, who is in charge of the Ninth Annual camp. The success of the boys' camps in the past years has been due largely to his efforts.

Ivan White, boys work secretary, a Willamette university graduate and tennis player active in college life, is assisting Mr. Boardman in the direction of the camp. White has had much experience as a teacher of archery.

"Y" came singing will be led by Ken McCormick who has just returned from a year of graduate study at Columbia university. Mr. McCormick will also be advisor for the camp party.

Coch Earl Douglas, of Leslie junior high school and Willamette graduate, will be in charge of recreation and will supervise the instruction of archery.

A number of older fellows, veterans of former "Y" camps will serve as tent leaders. These include Don Sigmund, Wes Helse, Howard Adams, Norman Winslow, Ivan Kafoury, and Irving Hale.

# OFFICIAL GUESTS OF MOLALLA RODEO

Governor Patterson and Secretary of State Hoss were guests of the management of the Molalla rodeo Tuesday. The governor will spend tomorrow at Hills-boro, and will go to Newport Thursday, where he will give an address at the Fourth of July celebration.

Governor Patterson and Secretary of State Hoss will leave Salem early Saturday for Boise, Idaho, where he will attend a meeting of officials of western states in connection with the regulation of aeronautics.

Upon their return to eastern Oregon the officials will confer with government officials with relation to irrigation projects.

Rex Luper, state engineer, probably will attend the irrigation conference.

# Remodeling of Building is Now Nearly Finished

Extensive remodeling being made on the Oregon building is nearing completion with the bulk of the work done on the large first floor room to be occupied by the Metropolitan chain stores, Inc., of Delaware. The basement of the store is being equipped with a large number of shelves with which surplus stocks can be satisfactorily taken care of. Workmen are busy this week putting the millwork into the front of the store preparatory to the placing of large plate glass for window displaying. The store management expects to occupy the new room early in August.

# LYND INSPECTS AIRPORT

WAYNOKA, Okla., July 2. (AP)—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lyndbergh arrived at the airport of the transcontinental air-transport company here at 7:25 p.m., after a short flight from Wichita, Kansas.

# GOOD FEELING TO BE SOUGHT

### Need of Harmony Stressed by Ramsay MacDonald in Keynote Talk

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speech that his government now was consulting with the dominions regarding the signing of the optional clause embodied in the statute of the permanent court of international justice.

"My government," said the speaker from the throne, "considers that the time has come to submit to judicial settlement international disputes in which the parties are in conflict as to their respective rights."

Relations With Russia Will Be Established

As forecast in campaign declarations, the labor administration proposes to take steps seeking reestablishment of diplomatic relations with Russia. In domestic affairs the government made known its intention of attacking the unemployment problem vigorously; of considering the question reorganizing the coal industry; inquiring into the condition of the iron, steel, and cotton industries; investigating legislation relating to the sale and supply of intoxicating liquors, and of engaging in a survey of the election laws through an examination of the experience of the recent general election.

Regarding this last proposal, Mr. MacDonald disclosed in the afternoon debate that the government intended to inquire closely into the use of money in conducting political campaigns. Looking toward Mr. Lloyd George, leader of the parliamentary liberal party, he declared his belief that the government would concentrate engineering funds was a bad influence.

The premier, in speaking to the motion to adopt the king's speech, announced emphatically that the present administration was determined to carry out loyally existing international financial obligations, but added that in the future the government would carefully safeguard the business interests of Great Britain in its international financial negotiations.

of the government program, the After Mr. MacDonald's review house was adjourned until tomorrow, when the debate on the address will be resumed.

# Victim Of Crash Gets Insurance

Mrs. H. N. Bolger, 921 North Winter street, is in the Willamette sanatorium suffering from bodily injuries received in an automobile accident on the Pacific highway about two and one-half miles south of Salem on Sunday afternoon. The car ran off the highway and turned over when Mrs. Bolger attempted to pass another auto.

Mrs. Bolger was insured with the North American Insurance Co. for whom The Statesman writes policies. Under the provision of her insurance she will receive \$17.50 a week while in the hospital and \$10 a week thereafter until she regains her health or until 15 weeks have passed.

# Jefferson Service Station is Sold

JEFFERSON, July 2.—Mr. Wilson has sold the Oil service station in Jefferson, to W. H. Brown, who took possession Monday.

Mr. Wilson is as yet undecided as to where he will locate, but has moved his household goods to Salem.

# ATTEND—Chautauqua

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lem until he decides on a location. Level Hampton and Miss Mary Baker went to Salem Saturday by stage, where they secured a license to wed, and at 2:30 o'clock Judge Sigmund performed the marriage ceremony. They returned to Jefferson and went to the country home of Dick Hampton in the evening, where they were given a chivary.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hutchings and daughter were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Tandy.

The Jesse Parrish residence across from the stage terminal is receiving a new coat of paint.

# HARD JOLT GIVEN VENDOR OF LIQUOR

PORTLAND, Ore., July 2.—(AP)—Oone year and a day in McNeill Island prison, was the sentence meted out to C. E. Stevens of Astoria, this afternoon by Federal Judge McNary on a charge of possession and sale of liquor and maintenance of a nuisance at 78 Sixth st., Astoria, on June 2, 4, 6, 7, 8.

Stevens was sentenced to 60 days in jail by the court here on March 13 of this year.

F. F. Endicott, charged jointly with Stevens, was given six months in the Clatsop county jail, upon his plea of guilty.

John Dreth and Marwin Fowler were sentenced to 18 months in some reformatory to be designated, when they entered a plea of guilty to the transportation of a stolen automobile from Fresno, Calif., to Salem, where they were arrested.

# Espee Reports Heavy Traffic East and West

Traffic east and west over the Southern Pacific lines is quite heavy this season according to A. A. Mickel, district freight and passenger agent for the Southern Pacific. Thus far during the tourist season the local office has been well patronized by Salem people who are making eastern trips. Conventions during July and August will increase the traffic materially.

# WILLIAM BOYD IN THE LEATHERNECK

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STARK MAD

# HAWLEY MILL SOLD TO BOND COMPANY

PORTLAND, Ore., July 2.—(AP)—Blyth and company, bond house, with offices in the Pacific building, announced today that it had purchased the controlling interest in Hawley Pulp and Paper company located at Oregon City the formal announcement was made by M. B. Griffith, northwest manager for Blyth and company.

"We shall continue to operate it as a separate property," he said. "By that I mean that it will continue an individual plant and not be merged with any other pulp and paper company holdings."

Refinancing of the Hawley properties has been under way for several days, and with the announcement of the purchase, it is believed to have been completed.

Mr. Griffith would not discuss the purchase, other than to say that his company had bought it. He declined to say who would become president of the new company, or who will be manager.

The mill has a capacity of 150 tons of mechanical pulp and 85 tons of bleached sulphite pulp daily. It has concentrated principally upon newsprint, although equipped to make sulphite wrapping and lightweight paper. It can turn out 120 tons of newsprint and 85 tons of sulphite paper a day.

Early in 1928 the company spent \$2,000,000 on additions to the plant, stepping up production and increasing efficiency. In April of this year the company passed up its quarterly dividend, but the interest on its bonds was met Monday.

# DUTY ON AUTOS MAY BE REDUCED, WORD

WASHINGTON, July 2.—(AP)—Whether American automobile manufacturers are willing to stand

for a reduction or removal of the present 25 per cent duty on imported passenger cars and trucks shared interest with other tariff developments today at the capitol.

Chairman Smoot of the finance committee replied to charges by democrats that the farmers were being given a "raw deal" in the revision, declaring they were "so anxious to make political capital out of the situation that they are imagining all sorts of rates and unjust schedules."

The finance sub-committee took testimony of a score of witnesses on the sundry and metals schedules of the house bill. The former group concluded its hearings and the metal sub-committee recessed, with additional witnesses yet to be heard, until Monday.

Meanwhile, Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania, chairman of the metals sub-committee, awaited replies to the invitations sent yesterday to four of the leading automobile and truck manufacturers, asking them to appear July 11 to give their views on a proposal to reduce or wipe out the automobile tariff.

Those invited were Henry Ford, Alfred P. Sloan, president of the General Motors; Alvin MacAnley, president of the National Automotive chamber of commerce and head of the Packard Motor company; and W. T. White, president of the White Truck company.

# More Than Score Seek Tax Refund But One Gets it

It was only a news-story but Tuesday it brought no less than 25 people into the office of the county clerk seeking tax refund warrants.

Such was the result of The Statesman's pronouncement Tuesday morning that \$7900 in unclaimed warrants were available for taxpayers on moneys taken in taxes in 1920 but returnable to taxpayers because the budget exceeded the six per cent limitation.

Oddly enough only one of the callers found that he had money due.

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