

GENERAL SLASH IN PAY LIKELY

Ten per Cent for Salaries Over \$135, and 5 per Cent for Others

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charges on paving and sidewalk improvements from 20 to 10 per cent. The measure will be voted on at the general election November 8. Hughes declared that the charge of 20 per cent now added to the city's actual outlay for street improvements was exorbitant. The present 20 per cent charge is provided for in the city charter and can be changed only by its amendment. Rank Only Rider.
On Bancroft Bonds.
The Ladd & Bush bank was the only bidder for \$30,289 of Bancroft improvement bonds. One block of \$6000 was sold to the bank at the bid price of \$6003; the remainder of the bonds brought par. The bonds bear six per cent interest and are general obligation of the city.
The council granted a vacation to the two employees of the incinerator plant and provided that substitutes be hired at city pay. The firemen also were granted vacations, four men to be gone a fortnight. No added help is to be hired, the shortage being covered by reducing two shifts to two men each.

PARAGUAY IS READY FOR PEACE OR WAR

ASUNCION, Paraguay, Aug. 15. (AP)—Paraguay will do everything in her power to prevent war with Bolivia, but is determined to defend her territorial sovereignty if a peaceable settlement is impossible. Eusebio Ayala declared today at ceremonies marking his inauguration as president.
The president asserted that Paraguay is and always has been ready to submit the conflict over the Gran Chaco to any conciliatory tribunal.
For 25 years, he said, Bolivia has been advancing systematically in the Western Chaco, which she now occupies by force of arms, and all this time Paraguay has made repeated moves to submit the dispute to arbitration.
Mobilization by Paraguay is proceeding because of Bolivia's threatening attitude, Dr. Ayala said, despite the fact it means tremendous sacrifices to the nation.

NOMINATE CARSON FOR LEGION CHIEF

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and Joseph Pound, Stayton post commander.
Announcement was made of a Legion carnival dance to be held at Mellow Moon hall August 23. Vice-Commander J. T. Delaney reported the convention committee was ready for action.
The junior band was playing its third number at the time the fire was discovered. R. R. Boardman was to have been next on the program, with his report on the Olympic Games.

HEALTH APPRAISAL HERE SHOWS DROP

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Smith points to the fine record made in this county the last four or five years in reducing the death rate, and in effect points to the 1931 rating, decline to indicate "that the gain made will be lost if the financial support of the health department continues to be cut." He says in 1930 the county was spending 70 cents per capita and last year about 40 cents per capita on public health, and urges that financial aid be not allowed to go below this figure.

JEFFERSON PEOPLE CAR CRASH VICTIMS

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much speed caused C. L. Bilyeu, 1447 Graeger avenue north, Portland, to lose control of his car, and it plunged from the highway, uprooting a tree five inches through before it stopped.
Riding with Bilyeu was his wife, two children and his brother-in-law. They were on their way to Albany to attend the Bilyeu clan gathering at Bryant park when the accident happened. Neither of the children nor C. L. Bilyeu were hurt. The two injured were taken to an Albany hospital.

74-Day Drought Broken at Bend

BEND, Ore., Aug. 15. (AP)—Rain fell here last night, breaking a 74-day drought, the longest ever recorded in this city.
Eight fires were started in the Deschutes forest from lightning that accompanied the storm.

LIGHTNING KILLS COW
MEDFORD, Ore., Aug. 15. (AP)—Lightning which flashed in the storm here last night struck a cow at the Campbell dairy. The animal was instantly killed.

LAST HONORS FOR SECOND B. E. F. VICTIM



The flag draped casket of Eric Carlson, second fatality of the battle between the Bonus Army and Washington police, is shown being carried to a grave in Arlington Cemetery for military burial. Carlson, whose home was in Oakland, Calif., died from bullet wounds a week after the riot. Walter W. Waters (arrow) commander of the B.E.F. attended the funeral. Carlson had served eighteen months in France.

MARLENE'S "BE JEALOUS" RECIPE



Casualty, the other day, Marlene Dietrich, exotic star of the talking screen, remarked: "The happiest women are those whose love is 'peppered' with jealousy." There are millions of men and women the world over who hang on to every word of their screen idols. Most of them, to all appearances, heard and pondered on this latest epigram of the glamorous Dietrich. Immediately there were rejoinders. Magistrate Jeanette Brill, New York City's only woman judge, handed down a stern opinion to the contrary. Tallulah Bankhead, one of the most spectacular modern actresses of stage or screen, said that jealousy, far from being a symptom of love, was "hateful." Lois Moran, another star of the talkies, called jealousy "a curse." Frances Williams, blonde and a torch singer, scornfully said that jealousy was far more likely to annoy a man than to help him. But the exotic Miss Dietrich, who in private life is Mrs. Rudolph Sieber—a wife and a mother—persisted. "A woman who doesn't care what her husband does, leaving him free as to his companions, soon loses contact with him and the result is good-by husband." Hannah Williams of the stage, who is Mrs. Roger Wolfe Kahn, was the only woman interviewed who agreed with Miss Dietrich.

FIND ANCIENT CITY IN MEXICO JUNGLE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15. (AP)—America's demand for chewing gum has uncovered in Mexican jungles a lost city that 1,500 years ago was a metropolis of an Egypt-like civilization.
Great pyramids and the ruins of temples and palaces in which a teeming population once lived have been found buried in what is now uninhabited, almost impassable jungle, by an expedition of the Carnegie Institute of Washington.
Native chewing gum hunters, who explored the region for chicle, the "chewing" part of chewing-gum, first found the ruins said the Carnegie institution in announcing the find today.
The city, named "Calakmul," by C. L. Lundell, the first American to visit it, was built at the height of the vanished civilization of the "old empire" of the Mayas. Soon after the time of Christ they developed what many archaeologists call the most brilliant of the ancient Indian civilization of America.

Robert Stewart Services to be This Afternoon

Funeral services for seven year old Robert John Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stewart, 1230 North Winter street, who was

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ONLY
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JOHN BENNETT
JOHN LYON
John Holiday
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electrocuted near Quinaby park Saturday evening, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Free Methodist church, Market and Winter streets. Interment will be made at Newberg under direction of W. T. Rildon and Son.

Little Robert met instant death when, while climbing a fir tree, he contacted an 11,000 volt power wire. His brother Roland and a third playmate were knocked from the tree by the shock. Roland's hands and feet burned. Rev. Stewart is pastor of the Free Methodist church.

SAYS PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT HURTS

SEATTLE, Aug. 15. (AP)—B. N. Hicks, Washington state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, told the Women's Christian Temperance Union convention here today that "when the president admits the dry laws can't be enforced, it is time we are getting busy."
He said that as a result of a "recent declaration" the prohibition act "will be harder to

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Friday—Richard Arlen in "Sky Bride."
- Grand
Today—Joan Bennett in "Week Ends Only."
Wednesday—Eliana, Landi in "Devil's Lottery."
Friday—Buck Jones in "High Speed."

enforce now than it has ever been."
Speaking for himself, he said he "would take very little interest in the election of a president this fall." He advocated concentration upon the election of a dry congress and dry state legislatures.

DANA EXONERATED OF SLAYING COUNT

NATCHEZ, Miss., Aug. 15. (AP)—Richard E. Dana and his housekeeper-guardian, Miss Octavia Dockery, eccentric occupants of "Goat castle," were released from jail today, virtually exonerated on charges that they killed their wealthy neighbor, Miss Jane Stuart Merrill, on the night of August 4.

They were freed on their own recognizance after authorities had concluded the slaying was committed by a negro, George Pearles, who was killed by Pina Bluff, Ark., police while resisting arrest. Their release was obtained when doubt was cast on the findings of a Jackson, Miss. Bertillon expert, who reported to Sheriff C. P. Roberts that fingerprints photographed in the Merrill home resembled those of Miss Dockery and Dana. That report was not supported by a New Orleans fingerprint expert.

Von Schleicher Now Mentioned For Chancellor

BERLIN, Aug. 15. (AP)—General Kurt von Schleicher, one of the old imperial military leaders who is recognized as the power behind the throne in the present cabinet, emerged today as a strong possibility for the chancellorship.
The name of Dr. Franz Bracht, deputy federal commissioner in charge of the state of Prussia, was twinned with the general's in an effort to compose the cabinet crisis. Dr. Bracht was mentioned for the Prussian premiership.

MYSTERY FIRE SOON STOPPED

Loss Roughly Estimated at \$5000 up; Most Caused By Dripping Water

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the past six years to strike the Fraternal Temple association. The old temple, located at 240 North Liberty street, burned down in the fall of 1925. The present structure cost \$41,000.
Eight fraternal orders used the temple: Modern Woodmen of America, Knights of Pythias, Eagles, United Artisans, Woodmen of the World, Yeomen, United Workmen and Royal Neighbors of America. Directors of the Fraternal Temple association consisting of representatives of all of the lodges, are: Floyd Waltz, president; Floyd White, secretary; L. A. Scheelar, Fred Mangis and Cash Roberts.
Legion Men Calm
While Smoke Fours
The legionnaires had finished their business meeting and were in the midst of their entertainment program when the fire broke out. Several had noticed smoke emerging from the ventilators while the junior band was playing. They thought it tobacco smoke until it increased in volume and the sparks fell. By that time the flames were in plain view through the ventilators.

Commander McSherry urged the band to continue playing, called adjournment and ordered the colors carried out. Cool-headed from military experience, the veterans left the room without great confusion, the band boys soon joining them.
Remembering the post's charter and pictures of its past commanders, resting in a locker on the third floor, O. E. "Mose" Palmateer braved the intense heat and choking smoke in an attempt to rescue them. He was forced to come back down stairs with the legion auxiliary's colors. The charter and pictures, smudged and water-soaked, were retrieved after the worst of the fire was out.

A number of men and boys were recruited from the huge crowd of onlookers to carry out the lodge equipment. Lodge members soon came to take charge of it.

OREGON LEADER IN CO-OP MARKETING

Oregon has the broadest and most satisfactory cooperative act in the United States, under which has grown up a more or less standard form of organization known as the "Oregon Plan," according to a leading article in the national Cooperative Marketing Journal.

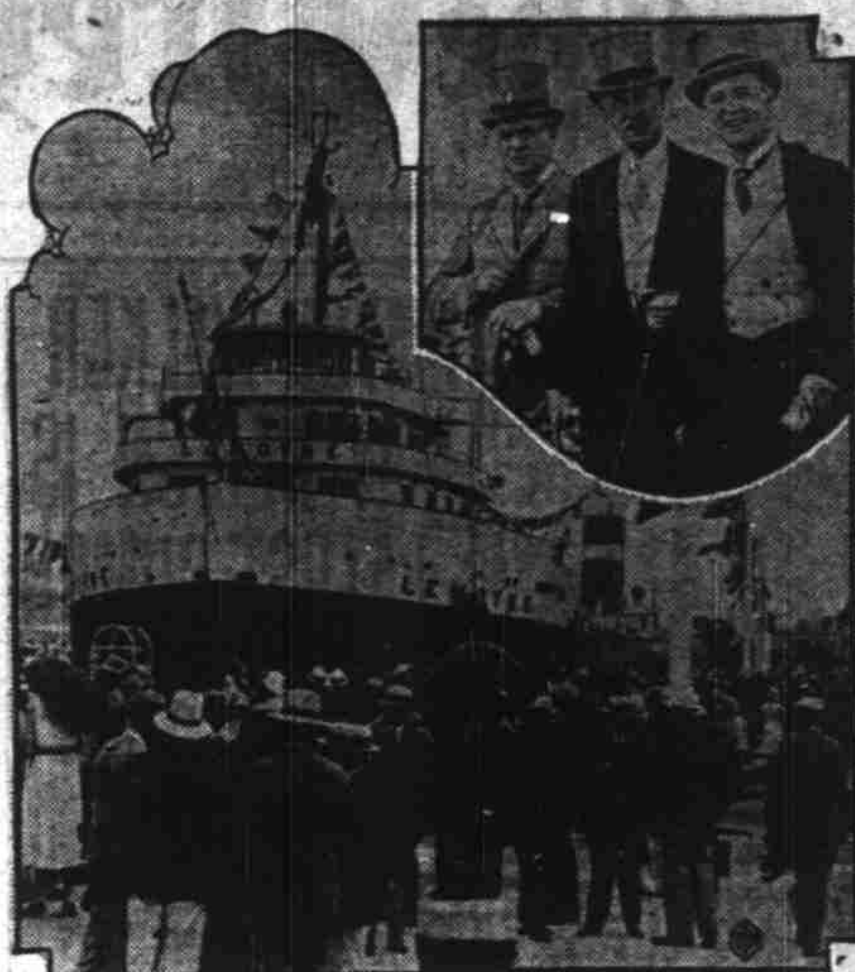
The article, written by George O. Gatlin, extension economist at O. S. C., says that Oregon's accomplishments in this field are now so widely known that increasingly large numbers of letters from many parts of the country are received asking for copies of the organization plan used here.

"Although the Oregon plan is neither unique nor strictly uniform, it does have certain distinctive features and provisions which have been a vital factor in making Oregon outstanding for progress, soundness and success in agricultural cooperation," says Mr. Gatlin.

"The Oregon plan of organization, adopted by more than 40 cooperative in the past two or three years, is really a long-time program to advance cooperative enterprises through understanding, technical improvement and unity of effort."

Use of this semi-standardized plan of organization, based on many years of past experience in this state, has the advantage of simplifying and facilitating organization, promotes understanding, and encourages and makes easier consolidation or federation, Mr. Gatlin writes.

WELLAND CANAL OPENED



The first ship to pass through the Welland Canal following the formal opening ceremonies at Thorold, Ont., Canada, was the S. S. Lemoyne, a Canadian vessel. Inset shows, left to right, Prime Minister Richard B. Bennett, Lord Dunsborough, Governor General of Canada, and E. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals, inspecting the newly opened waterway.

DYNAMITE IS FOUND IN BONUSEER CAMP

LA CROSSE, Wis., Aug. 15. (AP)—Representative Royal C. Johnson of South Dakota said tonight that at the proper time he would offer proof that "dynamite and caps, with guns and ammunition, were found in camp" at Washington.

Addressing an American Legion banquet, Johnson, a republican, a veteran himself, and former chairman of the house veterans committee, blamed communists for initiating and carrying out the siege on the nation's capital that resulted in rioting, bloodshed and death.

"Men don't bring in dynamite to start a V. M. C. A. or Sunday school meeting and they don't bring in pistols to start a pink tea," he said.
"I can prove that there was dynamite and caps to explode it, arms and ammunition, in the bonus army camp at one time and it will be proven at the proper time, he declared, adding:

Woman Missing; Going Swimming When Last Seen

State police yesterday launched a search for Mrs. Viola Davis, who has not been seen by acquaintances here since a week ago yesterday, when she informed friends that she intended to enjoy a swim in the Willamette river.

At that time she was at the home of Leslie Davis, owner of a service station on the Pacific highway a short distance north of Salem.

Mrs. Davis was described as being 31 years old, slender build, light complexion and brown eyes. She was wearing sunglasses on the day she disappeared.
Mrs. Davis' disappearance was reported by her husband, Everett Davis upon his return here yesterday from Montana.

BORAH URGED TO SEEK PRESIDENCY

BOISE, Ida., Aug. 15. (AP)—Senator William H. Borah tonight urged to a renewed appeal from Dr. Clarence True Wilson and Leigh Colvin to run for president as head of the prohibition ticket.

MAYOR TO QUIT IS NEW RUMOR

"Bunk" Says his Attorney When Questioned; Case Still Being Heard

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stock to the mayor," demanded Curtin on cross-examination, "is purely assumption isn't it and you don't pretend it is anything else?"
Herick answered "Yes."
Mr. Roosevelt read a portion of Herick's testimony in New York to the effect there was no question in his mind that \$39,000 to pay for stock came from the mayor.
"I think that's wrong," Herick replied, "the money came I thought from Mr. Stanton" (Edward M. Stanton, former secretary to the mayor).

of the 22 convicts who escaped from the state reformatory here in the absence of their woman wardens were still at large tonight.

A stabbing, several kidnappings and an attempted attack upon a 17-year-old girl were attributed to authorities to the prisoners who duped a sergeant and fled from the reformatory last night.

Four men, all sentenced to long terms for robbery, were recaptured in the search ordered by Mrs. George A. Waters, the warden, who returned to the reformatory from Oklahoma City today. Nineteen, including J. O. Pounds, life term convicted of killing a sheriff, were still uncaptured.

Two guards, said by Mrs. Waters to have been negligent, were dismissed.

ESCAPED CONVICTS TERRORIZE REGION

GRANITE, Okla., Aug. 15. (AP)—Terrorizing citizens as they scattered in a frantic effort to elude pursuing guards, most

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