

SINCLAIR SEEKS F. D.'S BLESSING ON "EPIC" PLAN

PASADENA, Cal., Aug. 31.—(AP)—With the statement, "my election is certain," and indicating he expects support indirectly from President Roosevelt in the forthcoming election, Upton Sinclair, former socialist and now democratic nominee for governor of California, boarded a train early today for the national capital.

"I don't expect the president to come out directly to support me or any other state candidate," Sinclair said, "but I feel my election is certain and am going to see if I can get federal aid for my EPIC plan if elected."

Sinclair declared he was no longer a socialist because "the time for theories has passed."

He said he had hopes of conferring with the president on party plans, although the president had indicated he would bar politics in the forthcoming conference.

BREVITIES

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warned the nation that the prospective employment situation this winter is serious. He declared that unless business revived vigorously this fall, the country faced the loss of all recovery gains, from October, 1933.

TARRANT, N. Y., Aug. 31.—(AP)—A young unannounced Russian was arrested today after he had ruined with flaming acid the iconic mural of the New Deal, hung here in the exhibit of the Westchester institute of fine arts.

AIRPORT, Cleveland, Aug. 31.—(AP)—Doug Davis swooped over the finish line at Cleveland airport, at 3:46 p. m. today as the first finisher in the Bendix trophy race. Davis' unofficial elapsed time from Los Angeles to Cleveland was 9 hours and 26 minutes.

SEATTLE, Aug. 31.—(AP)—An earthquake of "moderate intensity" was recorded on the University of Washington seismograph last night, officials reported today. The shocks began at 7:11 p. m. and lasted for about an hour. The quake was believed about 2,500 miles from Seattle, possibly in central or southern Mexico.

VALLEJO, Cal., Aug. 31.—(AP)—Fire, roaring through tons of grain and sacking, demolished the Sperry Milling company's plant at South Vallejo. Firemen, aided by sailors from Mare Island navy yard, battled the blaze for hours yesterday.

SEATTLE, Aug. 31.—(AP)—Repairs on the coast guard cruiser Pualoa neared completion today. The vessel probably will leave for her new home, port of Coos Bay, Ore., the second week in September, officials said. With other coast guard boats, the Pualoa will engage in target practice off Port Angeles, Wash., Sept. 6.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—(AP)—The American Railway association announced today, carloadings of revenue freight for the week ended Aug. 25 totaled 605,516 cars, an increase of 4,952 above the preceding week but 31,994 below the corresponding week in 1933.

STATE

SALEM, Aug. 31.—(AP)—Dr. B. Earle Parker, for five years pastor of the First Methodist church here, last night received word of his appointment to the pastorate of the First Methodist church of Great Falls, Mont., by Bishop Titus Lowe of the Oregon conference. Dr. J. E. Milligan, at present serving his seventh year as pastor of the First Methodist church of Corvallis, will succeed Dr. Parker here.

OREGON CITY, Ore., Aug. 31.—(AP)—The body of Milton Allison, 10, Portland youth who was picking hops near Butteville, was sought today in the Willamette river where he drowned while swimming last night.

MEDFORD, Ore., Aug. 31.—(AP)—A coroner's jury this morning returned a verdict that George Garrett, 63, Sams valley district farmer, came to his death by the accidental discharge of a rifle he was cleaning. The tragedy occurred yesterday afternoon in the Garrett home.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 31.—(AP)—J. E. Bennett, city commissioner, and former state senator, was nominated as an independent candidate for representative in congress from the third district by a meeting of 226 registered voters here last night.

RESENT FOREIGN INFLUX!



Arizona farmers carry signs typical of hundreds used in a mass demonstration against Japanese and Hindu farmers in the rich Salt River valley section near Phoenix. Race troubles loom in the district as a result of American individuals and firms leasing farm lands to Orientals.

Indigent Filipinos In U. S. May Receive Help From Islands

MANILA, Aug. 31.—(AP)—Tackling the problem of repatriating indigent Filipinos in the United States, Governor General Frank Murphy today cabled Secretary of War Dorn for information concerning the condition of the emigrated islanders.

He asked that the secretary transmit to the question as to whether the state highway department will also let the contract soon for laying of a similar surface on the lower part of the highway between the Lowell bridge and Black Canyon but this report could not be confirmed as Raymond Walsh, state highway engineer in charge of maintenance, was out of the city.

Aged Pioneer Burns To Death; Historic Gaines Home Ruined

ALBANY, Ore., Aug. 31.—(AP)—Samuel W. Gaines, 91, Linn county pioneer of 1852, burned to death in a fire that destroyed his home near Crabtree, east of Scio, early today. His stepson, Jack Griffin, was severely burned about the head and hands in an attempt to rescue the aged man. Mrs. Belle Archer, a granddaughter who also was sleeping in the house, escaped injury. Cause of the fire was undetermined.

Willamette Road Will Be Surfaced By U. S. Bureau

Bids will be called at once for the laying of a bituminous macadam surface on the Willamette highway between Black Canyon and Oakridge, it was announced at Willamette forest headquarters Friday. The distance to be covered is nine miles. While no announcement as to the date of the beginning of work was made, it is believed that it will be under way before the heavy fall rains begin. This is a federal bureau of public roads job and information regarding the bids may be obtained

AMERICAN BAR ASS'N CRITICIZES NEW DEAL AT 57TH CONVENTION

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 31.—(AP)—The American Bar association, nearing the end of its 57th annual convention, today took a parting shot at the Roosevelt new deal by accepting the report of a special committee which criticized the Securities act of 1933 as riding "rough shod over legal principles."

The report recommended the act be revised "with the aid of corporation directors and executives, bankers and lawyers familiar with the practical problems" of finance. The revision was urged in the interest of "simplification and clarification," and contemplated 14 amendments, some of which have already been passed by congress.

"The act imposes drastic liabilities, in essence in terror, which are regarded by those made subject to them as unfair and unjustified," the committee reported. "It radically alters the ordinary established machinery for the distribution of securities. It rides roughshod over legal principles which have been long established in our law such as limited corporate liability, agency and the burden of proof."

The association turned its attention today to the question as to whether judges should be appointed or elected. A lively debate on this issue centered around a report drafted by Austin C. Vannon of Cleveland, O., who collected opinions on the subject through a widely circulated questionnaire. There was no advance indication as to what stand the association would take.

Elephantine Onions Break Record Mark

Nature certainly did herself proud in Lane county this season in the line

"EPIC" WON FOR THEM!



Upton Sinclair, left, former Socialist who turned Democrat to become candidate for governor of California, and Sheridan Downey, his running mate as lieutenant governor, cheer election returns in Sinclair's Pasadena home.

of deluxe editions of fruits and vegetables. Yesterday it was a mammoth tomato, today it is two huge onions, weighing 27 ounces and 25 1/2 ounces each.

The latest onion offerings were grown by H. A. Rossman at his place on the River road and are of the sweet Spanish variety.

The famous route F onion sent in by William Madalaugh is put to shame by the River road specimens. Says Mr. Rossman with pride: "Those 15-ounce onions (of the Sawyer soap fame) just make good sets."

RAINBOW WINS

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—(AP)—Rainbow today defeated Yankee for the third straight race in the series to select the defender of the America's cup.

Awning Fire Gets Start From "Fag"

A fire starting from a cigarette thrown from an upstairs window of the Tiffany building burned a hole some five or six feet square in an awning of the Tiffany-Davis Drug store over the 8th street window Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

The blaze was heroically squelched by George Davis, Albert Tiffany, Michael Francane and a customer rushing water to the fire in all available containers from glasses on up. Bystanders report that office occupants on the third and fourth floors were also sending down their "quota" of water in glasses.

TOWNSEND PENSION GROUP REFUSES TO BACK CANDIDATES

Despite letters favoring old age pensions but not endorsing fully the Townsend revolving pension plan received from Congressman James Mott and R. R. Turner, candidates for congress, which were read at the mass meeting held at the court house Thursday evening, local backers of the Townsend plan still insist on their plan and withheld any endorsement of candidates.

A resolution was attempted Thursday evening endorsing only candidates who would support the Townsend bill, but it was not passed. The leaders say that they are "marking time" and are not yet ready to endorse candidates and that they are attempting to

keep their organization out of politics. Over 14,000 signers of the pension have been obtained in Lane county up to date, announced Charles L. Paine, who was the chief speaker at the Thursday meeting. Many were turned away from the court house and around it were inside to hear the speaker. The plan was explained and questions answered. Dr. G. C. Wade of Long Beach representative of the headquarters of the plan, was unable to be seen. He was slated for chief speaker.

Public Market Plans For Picnic

The Producers' Public market folk are planning for a picnic gathering to be held in Dunsmuir park the coming Sunday. The event is for all producers selling on the market. An informal program and entertainment is planned. The coffee for the dinner will be furnished by the committee in charge. A. S. Witbeck is general chairman for the picnic.

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