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MORE SEAMEN MAY STRIKE

If Demands Are Not Granted a General Strike Will Probably be Called

POLICEMEN ARE MASSES TO PREVENT RIOTING

Three European Lines Make Settlement With Men—Strike Will Seriously Impair Great Naval Review at Coronation in London Saturday.

New York, June 20.—Anticipating rioting, following the endorsement of the seamen's strike by the firemen, stewards and cooks' unions last night the police today were massed on the water front. The committees from various unions today formally demanded an increase of wages and improved working conditions. In the event of an unfavorable answer a general strike will probably be called. The shipping companies are making an effort to secure strikbreakers. The indications are that an unfavorable answer will be given. A bitter fight is expected.

Three Lines Make Settlement. London, June 20.—The Cunard line announced today a settlement with its striking seamen. An increase was granted but neither side stated how much. The White Star, Allian and Leyland lines also made concessions to strikers and it is believed differences are near an ending. The seamen returned to work on the lines concessioning.

Affects Naval Review. London, June 20.—With the seamen's strike spreading, serious rioting is threatened. The great naval review Saturday, one of the most important features of the coronation, will probably be seriously impaired. Already the Royal Mail company and the Union Castle Co., depended on to carry thousands of sightseers to Spithead, have cancelled Saturday's sailings and other companies are expected to follow.

GREAT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONGRESS OPENS AT FRISCO

San Francisco, June 20.—Over 4,000 delegates and as many more visitors are guests of the Golden Gate City today to take part in the largest convention of the Sunday school workers of all denominations in the world's history. The meeting is the thirteenth triennial one of the International Sunday School association. The first general session will be held tomorrow evening, but in the meantime several auxiliary societies are holding meetings. Home missionaries from all the states west of the Rockies hold a conference today, and this evening there will be a great missionary mass meeting addressed by prominent speakers. The international convention will continue to next Tuesday, inclusive, and during that period 20,000 visitors are expected. The general meetings will be held in the Coliseum, which seats 8500 persons. Thousands of dollars have been spent in lavish decorations and the business interests of the city have combined with the churches and Sunday schools to provide entertainments.

During the thirty nine years of the work of the association, this is the first time that an international convention has been held west of the Rocky mountains, the nearest approach having been the 1902 meeting, which was held in Denver.

POSSE IS ON TRAIL OF TRAIN ROBBERS

Elkton, Ore., June 20.—With the bandits only a few hours ahead, the posse is training the Shasta Limited mail robbers. They are working westward and are 17 miles from here this afternoon. It is believed they will soon catch them. The bloodhounds are working well.

INDIAN WHO ONCE HELPED SAVE PENDLETON PAYS VISIT TO CITY

Another aged Indian with a romantic past is a guest on the local reservation and the stories linked with his life history might well be stuff for the bard and poets. His name, as given him by his tribe, is Him-ma-tum-se-lu, which means Sunny Eye, but since his people have been made subject to another and stronger race he has been known as George Amos. He is a full blood Nez Perce and his home is on the reservation in Idaho set aside for that nation. He arrived here a few days ago to visit his nephew, Paul Showaway. Yesterday he was brought into Pendleton to visit Major Lee Moorhouse, "the friend of the redman," and after the major had taken his photograph in native costume, he sat and talked of the days when his people were many and mighty, and when the white men were few and weak. From his rambling narrative, it seems that Sunny Eye has been a friend of the "pale face" through nearly all of the eighty-odd years of his life. Only once, he declares, did he lift his tomahawk against his white brother and even then, he says, it was against his will.

SEATTLE SUFFERS BAD FIRE THIS MORNING

Seattle, June 20.—Fire this morning in the manufacturing district resulted in more than \$100,000 damage to property. Two upper floors of the Seattle Cracker company are gutted. Much of the stock of the Coast China company is damaged.

SENATOR GIVES BLOOD TO SAVE WIFE'S LIFE

Washington, June 20.—Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, lies in the hospital today weak from the loss of a quart of blood given to save the life of his wife. Mrs. Lea was operated on Saturday. Surgeons said that only the transformation of blood would save her life. Without hesitation Lea bared his arm and the transformation was made immediately. It is said the operation has been successful and Mrs. Lea will recover. Lea occupies a room next to her's in the hospital.

HUNDREDS KILLED BY TYPHOON IN JAPAN

STORM DEVASTATED ENTIRE EASTERN COAST

In Kochi Shikoku Province 290 Coral Boats are Sunk and 123 Fishermen are Drowned—Many

Tokio, June 20.—Hundreds of persons were killed by a typhoon that has devastated the entire eastern coast of Japan. Many homes are wrecked and the inmates killed or injured.

123 Fishermen Drowned

In the Kochi Shikoku province 290 coral boats were sunk and 123 fishermen were drowned.

The destruction of houses in Yam-anaschi is enormous.

Storm Began Sunday

The storm began Sunday. The wires are down and reports are meager. The most damage is between Tokio Bay and Bungo channel, which is five hundred miles.

FRESHWATER MAN NAMED AS WATER MASTER

Salem, Ore., June 20.—The board of control today appointed William Bradley of Freewater as water master for the north end of Umatilla county.

RECEIVED DIME FOR SAVING MAN'S LIFE

Venice, Calif., June 20.—Charles Bassett, life guard on a local beach, has a dime in his jeans today. It was a reward for saving the life of George Eagerland of New York City. After voluble thanks the rescued man handed the guard the money and told him to purchase a good cigar.

LIGHT VOTE IS CAST AT SCHOOL ELECTION

J. V. Tallman and E. L. Smith were yesterday unanimously elected to succeed themselves as members of the Pendleton school board, the one for a five year term and the other for a three year. There was a very light vote cast as the result of the lack of opposition, only 46 ballots in all being polled.

Both Mr. Tallman and Mr. Smith have been prominent factors in the educational work in Pendleton and their unanimous re-election is a tribute of appreciation by the taxpayers.

J. T. Brown will be the next chairman of the board, according to the order of succession and will assume this position at the next meeting. The other members of the board are C. J. Smith and W. E. Brock, while Lot Livermore is clerk.

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While 9 o'clock had been named as the hour at which the reception began, no time was fixed for the end of the festivities, and it was after midnight that the engineer band struck up "Home, Sweet Home," the last dancers swept out on the floor of the east room, and the president felt that he could retire.

Probably never in the history of the nation has such a function been held in Washington.

The diplomatic corps, the United States supreme court, the senate and the house of representatives, the departments of government, men high in political affairs of the country, the army, the navy and almost every walk of life were represented.

The cool, clear night that made a reception in the open air possible prevented the crush that the white house for days had feared, and made the reception not only brilliant in every respect. The guests would have filled the white house to overflowing, but the grounds were ample and there was no crush and no confusion.

Possibly 15,000 people crowded about the iron fence that surrounds the grounds and looked longingly at the electric display, the splashing fountain and the gay throng within. Washington seldom gets excited about anything, but last night it showed its interest in the anniversary of the president in unmistakable fashion.

The cards said that the reception would begin at 9 o'clock and promptly at that hour, to the strains of the wedding march, the president and Mrs. Taft walked slowly down the staircase of the white house, preceded by the six presidential aides and followed by the cabinet. Out through the red room to the rear portico of the mansion, down the broad steps to the lawn, the procession marched, while hundreds of guests already in the grounds watched their progress. They took their stand about the center of the lawn, beneath two trees, the branches of which were joined by an electric sign flashing "1886-1911."

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WHITE SAYS SWAT THE FLY

Common House Fly is Greater Menace to Human Family Than Wild Animals.

STATE HEALTH OFFICER GIVES INTERESTING TALK

Housewives Advised to Refuse to Patronize Unsanitary Shops—Fies the Cause of Much Disease Which May Be Avoided.

The fly is a more deadly enemy of mankind than all the wild and ferocious beasts in the world.

It has been conclusively proven that the fly serves directly as an agent for the transmission of disease germs.

The fly lives on filth and perfect cleanliness would be an absolute preventative.

Housewives should refuse to patronize any grocer or butcher who does not screen perishable goods so as to protect them from flies.

These are a few of the points brought out last night by Dr. Calvin S. White, state health officer, who lectured at the city hall under the auspices of the ladies' civic club. The lecture was a revelation to those who heard it and the audience left the room fully impressed with the idea that the fly is a menace to human health and should be abolished.

In the course of his lecture Dr. White traced the habits of the common house fly, showing that they owe their existence to uncleanly conditions and describing how they carry disease germs from sources of infection to kitchen, dining room, etc. At the conclusion of his lecture he presented a series of stereopticon views that graphically illustrated the points in the lecture.

The following from the Catechism

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SILVER WEDDING RECEPTION BRILLIANT

Washington, June 20.—The silver wedding celebration of the president and Mrs. Taft, the second to be held in the white house, came to an end last night with the reception on the white house lawn.

Invitations had been sent to nearly 12,000 persons, and while the official count of those who shook hands with the president was not given out, it is estimated that at least 5000 persons were present.

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IDAHO BANDIT STILL AT LARGE

Harry Whitney Eludes Posse and Starts in Direction of Willow Creek

BELIEVED THAT HE HAS KILLED HIS PARTNER

Pursuit Has Been Started by Band of Blackfoot Indians—Bloodhounds Have Taken Up Trail, Only to be Eluded by Fugitive—Will Probably Escape.

Pocatello, Idaho, June 20.—The lone bandit who is supposed to be Harry Whitney, shot and wounded several persons near here today. He eluded the posse and started in the direction of Willow Creek. It is thought that his objective point is Jackson Hole, Wyoming.

It is believed he has killed the desperado who was with him when the two shot Conductor Kidd and the deputy sheriff on the Oregon Short Line train. It is believed that he will make his escape.

Leaves Trail of Blood

His trail of blood extends half way across eastern Idaho. A whole region has been terrorized by his deeds and half the state is in arms against him. Poses are out from every town, bridges are guarded, as in time of war, and the governor of the state, after offering a reward for his capture, is considering a plan for calling out a portion of the Idaho national guard.

Bloodhounds have taken up his trail at times only to be eluded by the superhuman cunning of the fugitive, who doubled on his tracks, took to running water and otherwise baffled the animals. A more formidable pursuit is that begun by a band of Blackfoot Indians, who unite with the in-

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UNCLE SAM TO DEAL WITH INDIAN THIEF

Frank Johnson, the Indian who recently was arrested by Sheriff Taylor and indicted by the grand jury for stealing cattle from Albert Minthorn will not escape punishment despite the fact that he could not be brought to trial in the local circuit court through lack of jurisdiction. His case is now in the hands of the United States courts and he is now en route to Portland in the custody of a United States marshal to receive trial in the federal court in that city.

The theft with which Johnson is accused was committed on the reservation and both the alleged thief and the man from whom he stole the cattle, are Indians, which combination of facts took the case out of the hands of the local authorities, although the man had been indicted and intended to plead guilty.

This morning he was taken before U. S. Commissioner Vida Johnston, who fixed his bail at \$1000 and, as he was unable to raise that amount, he was given over to the custody of the U. S. marshal and taken to Portland on No. 17. Johnson is an old offender, having been sent up once before from Multnomah county on a similar charge.

SECOND INVESTIGATION OF LORIMER'S ELECTION BEGINS

Washington, June 20.—The second investigation by the senate committee on privileges and elections into the election of Lorimer began today. Cyrus McCormick, the president of the International Harvester company, is scheduled as the first witness.

Grand American Handicap. Columbus, O., June 20.—The grand American handicap, the classic event of American trapshooters, will be decided during the tournament opened today by the Interstate association. Sportsmen from all over the United States and Canada are competing today in the preliminary events which lead up to the grand American on Thursday. A purse of not less than \$1,000 is guaranteed to the winner of the big shoot.

INDICTMENTS ARE DISMISSED BY ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE

Springfield, Ill., June 20.—On motion of the state the indictments against State Representatives Lee O'Neill Brown and Wilson Louis Hirschelmer, the state tax board equalizer, and Frank Traut, fish king, charged with conspiracy and bribe, as a result of the activities in the assembly during the sessions when Lorimer was elected were dismissed today.

TAFT RECEPTION TO BE REPEATED

Washington, June 20.—At the direction of Mrs. Taft, the white house grounds tonight will be thrown open to the public. Last night's spectacle celebrating their silver wedding jubilee will be repeated. The marine band will furnish music. Hundreds of the gifts received were not exhibited to the guests last night.

NORTHWESTERN PACIFIC BUYS OREGON-EUREKA RAILROAD

San Francisco, June 20.—The announcement to the effect that the Northwestern Pacific will take and operate after July 1 the Oregon-Eureka railroad is believed to be the first step in the plan of the Northern Pacific to construct a road to Portland. The route proposed beyond Trinidad is unknown save that it will pass through the Crescent city.

CRAZY GREEK BREAKS LOOSE FROM FRIENDS

TERRIFIES RESIDENTS ON EAST ALTA STREET

Officer Stansberry Has Narrow Escape From Insane Man Who Was Armed With Wicked Looking Knife—Is Finally Captured.

For the second time within a week Xenophon Harachan, the crazy Greek who last Friday was captured by Chief of Police Gurdane after a terrific battle, last night broke loose from the custody of his countrymen and, after terrifying the residents of West Alta street, was again captured, but not until Officer Ed Stansberry had had a narrow escape from his insane threat for blood. At the time of his previous arrest, he was armed with an automatic revolver but last night his weapon was a wicked looking knife.

Tarachan, according to the county authorities, had been perfectly rational and a model prisoner while in the county jail. Accordingly, when two of his countrymen promised to take him back to his native land and to leave with him on the night train, he was released from jail and turned over to the other Greeks.

Breaks His Bonds. He was taken to the little Greek house on West Alta street and left bound hand and foot while his custodians came up town. After their departure, he used his maniacal strength to break his bonds and, securing the knife, left the house and began prowling about the streets.

A number of residents noticed him walking stealthily up and down the streets, peering in the windows of houses and in his hand he carried his murderous weapon. Frank Griggs, hastily telephoned to Officer Stansberry who lives nearby.

That officer responded immediately and approached the man, not recognizing him as the same with whom Chief Gurdane had had the desperate

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WOMAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Portland, June 20.—Mrs. W. H. Lerchen died today from a fractured skull sustained last night when the inbound Salem electric car struck an automobile driven by her husband, containing her and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Maynard and Maynard infant, who sustained concussion of the brain and may die also. The accident was at the intersection of Hood and Gibbs streets. Motorman Burnett says he blew the whistle but the autoists and others deny this.

WHITE SLAVER SENT TO PENITENTIARY

Salt Lake, Utah, June 20.—Guilty of interstate traffic in girls for immoral purposes, May Brown today was sentenced to five and one-half years in the Kansas state prison. The testimony at the trial showed that she made a practice of securing employment in department and candy stores, making the acquaintance of attractive girls and later leading them into immoral life.

Hawley Boan, son of Supreme Judge and Mrs. H. J. Bean formerly of this city, arrived in Pendleton this morning and will spend the summer in Umatilla county wheat fields.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY READS FROM BOOK OF "ABSOLUTE LIFE"

Chicago, June 20.—Asserting that See, "revealer of absolute life cult," claimed to be a living God, and so gained undisputed sway over his followers, Assistant District Attorney Durham today read excerpts from the book of Absolute Life. This manuscript contained a lengthy quotation from the book of "truth," both of which were written by See and saturated with mysticism. Attorney Cantwell for the defense, imposed a stubborn objection to the introduction of this evidence, but the court overruled him. After reading a number of excerpts, Bernham promised that testimony would be introduced showing that the next excerpt referred to Mildred Bridges, who was known at the Junior commonwealth as "Motherhood." It is for her delinquency that he is being tried. Burnham then read: "The mother of the perfect race is here. With my radiance I have clothed her who shall bear child in token of the fulfillment of my covenant with my people. For my goodness must be brought to earth; my grace among men." The court had warned the reporters against laughing when Cantwell solemnly warned the newspapermen to be careful as the book was copyrighted.

RECEIVE GUESTS AT BUCHINGHAM

King and Queen Welcome Envoys and Ambassadors sent to Attend Coronation

LONDON POOR BEG VISITORS FOR ALMS

Police Are Unable to Handle Throng That Gather in West End—Hundreds of People Faint—Grand Costume Ball Will Be Held This Evening.

London, June 20.—The king and queen received in imperial state at the Buckingham Palace, the envoys and ambassadors sent to attend the coronation. The roads to the palace are lined with guardsmen.

Poor Beg for Alms

Behind the troops are the poorest of London's poor, most of them frankly begging and whining for alms. The police attempted to disperse them but failed. Then they simply detailed officers to prevent any violence on those who refused them alms. The police found themselves unable to handle the throngs in the west end. Hundreds of people fainted.

Royal Troops Arrive

London, June 20.—Sixty-five thousand royal troops entered London today and pitched their tents in the various parks ready to participate in the coronation pageant. Traffic is seriously impeded by the thousand of sightseers from the foreign countries.

Costume Ball Tonight

London, June 20.—A meeting under the championship of Lord Chancellor Baron Loreburn to emphasize the imperial Christian religious significance of the coronation ceremonies was held today, the speakers including Lord Loreburn, the Archbishop of York and the Bishop of London. Tonight the special envoys and delegates to the coronation will dine with the king and queen, following the reception in their honor at Buckingham palace this afternoon.

Most important of the events of the day, from the public viewpoint, will be the great costume ball in Albert hall this evening, which is in furtherance of the Shakespeare National Memorial scheme. Several members of the royal families of England and other European countries will be present and the special ambassadors from all nations will go from the state banquet to the ball. The costumes to be worn are to be those of characters from Shakespeare's plays. Albert Hall has been transformed into an old garden of the Tudor period. The best boxes were sold for \$1000 each and general admission tickets cost \$20, with the demand far in excess of the supply. Fabulous sums were offered today by wealthy Americans for boxes and seats. The dancing floor contains 16,000 square feet and in this space tonight will be seen more than 2000 of the characters created by the bard of Avon.