

WEATHER REPORT. Fair tonight; Wednesday fair and cooler.

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SNOW AND GALE IN LAKE STATES

Shipping Badly Hampered Many Craft Destroyed and Several Lives Believed Lost

CREW OF SHIP IS REPORTED MISSING

Hoosiers Shivering Amid a July Snowstorm, Wear Overcoats With Straw Hats to Match and Prepare to Fight Effect of Predicted Frost.

Detroit, Mich., July 25.—With heavy damage suffered to practically all property, many boats missing, scores of small vessels wrecked, as the result of a wintry and vicious gale which swept the Great Lakes last night, toll that is being taken today is expected to reveal an appalling loss to both property and possibly life.

The lumber barge, Lucky Lucy was found near Travers, minus her crew and it is feared that every member lost his life.

Fort Wayne, Ind., July 25.—Every one in Fort Wayne is today wearing overcoats, many of them with straw hats to match, as the result of an unprecedented drop last night in the weather for this time of year.

HORSE THEIVES ARE WORRYING RANCHERS

It seems that the day of the professional horse rustler is not yet past. From time to time stock owners in Umatilla county have been annoyed by the operations of some horse thief, but Sheriff Taylor's reputation has prevented the development of any wholesale practice along this line.

PASCO MERCHANT FACES SERIOUS CHARGES

Charged with a serious crime a Pasco merchant named Milley is now under arrest in that city and had a narrow escape from lynching last evening, according to stories that have reached the city today from Pasco.

SITE SELECTED FOR PANAMA-PACIFIC FAIR

San Francisco, July 25.—Harbor View, Golden Gate park and Lincoln park were selected this afternoon as the site for the Panama-Pacific fair. They will be connected by a boulevard.

MURDERER OF COBLE COUPLE CONFESSES

SECTION FOREMAN WILSON ADMITS FIENDISH CRIME

Declares That Mania to Kill Rainier and Wife Seized Him and After Resisting One Week He Finally Fell.

Olympia, Wash., July 25.—J. H. Wilson, the section foreman on the Northern Pacific railroad at Rainier, Wash., today confessed that he killed Archie Coble and Mrs. Coble as they slept in their home at Rainier on the night of July 9th, according to Sheriff Gaston.

Following the discovery of the fiendish crime, Wilson furnished information upon which Swan Peterson was arrested. Peterson proved an alibi.

INDIAN MAIDEN ELOPES AND WEDS

That the modern Indian is fast emulating his white brother in all things was further exemplified last night when Walter Redford, an allottee on the reservation, and Mary Lahaye, the dark skinned stenographer of Major E. L. Swartzlander, the Indian agent, were united in marriage in this city, after having stolen away from their homes and having kept their friends in ignorance of their intentions.

Miss Lahaye, who is a good looking educated Indian girl, applied to her employer Sunday for a leave of absence of a week, stating that she wished to go to Lehman springs on a vacation. The request was immediately granted and the major never suspected that his stenographer was about to take unto herself a husband.

The bride is a graduate from the business department of the Haskell Institute at Lawrence, Kansas, and the groom has also imbibed of the white man's fountain of knowledge. He has a piece of land near the Catholic mission which he is farming. The happy couple left this morning for Lehman, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Anti-Treating Organization.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 25.—With A. R. Bucknam of Morris, Wis., as president, a national organization has been formed in Wisconsin with the express purpose of putting a kibosh on the invitation to "name your poison, boys." The Universal Non-Treating Society is the name given the new movement, which has adopted an official badge. The latter is of blue enamel with a picture of a foaming mug of beer in the center, and these words: "I pay for my own drink."

Two Dead in Family Fight.

Lexington, Ky., July 25.—Specials from Jackson, Ky., give particulars of a family fight at South Quicksands near Jackson, Sunday, in which William Simms and his wife were killed and Alonzo Allen was seriously wounded. Norman Allen, a son-in-law of the dead couple, and a brother of the wounded man, is at large.

STREET PAVING MAY BE HELDUP

Property Owners File Remonstrances Against Improving Court and Alta

CLAIM PROCEEDINGS WERE NOT ACCORDING TO LAW

Court Street People Declare Assessment Inequitable, Irregular, Without Proper Authority and in Violation of Constitution.

Court street and Alta street will not be paved, at least at the present time, if remonstrances filed with Recorder Fitz Gerald last night are found to contain the signatures of the owners of eighty per cent of the property in the two districts. This will not be known until City Engineer Kimbrell has carefully gone over the lists, which task will take at least a day.

The two remonstrances are based upon different grounds but both contain the allegation that the proceedings by which the districts were created and the assessments levied were illegal and hence null and void, and the signers of both declare they will resist any effort which the city council or of a company to which a contract for paving is let, may make to collect the assessments levied.

Expense Not Justified.

Besides the charge of illegality, the Alta street remonstrance cites that "the class of buildings and future prospects of the street do not warrant the attending expense" and declares that in many instances the cost of improvement is equal to 50 per cent of the present market value of the property taxed. It states that the part of Alta street from Johnson to Court street will not be used for business purposes in the next ten years, nor will not be sought for residences and hence there will be no increase in value to justify the expense.

Other Protest Probably Good.

Apparently there is no flaw in the Court street remonstrance and it is thought that the claims of the circulators that the signers represent over 80 per cent of the area of the district are true. There are 70 signatures in all attached.

CHICAGO TRIBUNE EDITOR BEFORE LORIMER COMMITTEE

Washington, D.C., July 25.—James Keeley, managing editor of the Chicago Tribune, resumed the stand in the Lorimer inquiry. He was questioned as to the persons interested in the Tribune. He said that Mrs. R. S. McCormick and Mrs. R. W. Patterson held a majority of the company's stock.

Keeley said he had not discussed Representative White's confession with Managing Editor McCormick, except briefly after it had been published. He said that McCormick had opposed Lorimer for years.

DRIVER OF WRECKED AUTO UNDER ARREST.

Through a newspaper clipping telling of his crime, Harry Curly McDonald, the young man accused of stealing the Seelye auto from the garage to take a party of joy riders over the county, was discovered and arrested at Vancouver, Wash., and will be brought back here tonight by Deputy Sheriff Joe Blakeley. How he got to Vancouver so soon the officers are at a loss to understand but it seems from reports that soon after he arrived there he was picked up on a charge of vagrancy or some other minor offense. A clipping from a Portland paper telling of the almost tragic joyride gave the officers a clue, and having received a circular from Sheriff Taylor, they found the description tallied.

EUROPEAN WAR IS INEVITABLE

France Alarmed by Calling Out of Reserves in Germany and Will Follow Suit.

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England Confesses That Hostilities With Germany Are Likely—France Allied With Great Britain, While Spain Will Line-up With the Kaiser.

Paris, July 25.—Though unconfirmed a report that Germany had called out 400,000 reserves caused intense excitement here today. It is also rumored but unconfirmed, that France, likewise, will call out reserves.

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Berlin, July 25.—Official denial that 400,000 reserves have been called out was issued by the German war office today. Only 100,000 men are affected, it is asserted. The foreign office intimates that the report was circulated in order to create sentiment favoring France's Moroccan course.

London Sees War.

London, July 25.—War between England and Germany, with France and Spain lined on either side today is probably more imminent than it has been for many years.

COAST WEATHER BREAKS A FOUR YEAR RECORD

Portland, July 25.—Following yesterday's torrid spell, which was the hottest period recorded in four years in western Oregon, decidedly cooler weather prevails in western Oregon and Washington today. It is expected to continue 15 degrees lower. East of the Cascades the weather bureau says a hot wave continues today with prospects of relief tomorrow. Though the temperature yesterday went to 99 in Portland, 100 at Roseburg and Walla Walla and 102 at Oregon City, no deaths were caused but several prostrations were reported.

POPE'S CONDITION CAUSES ALARM.

Rome, July 25.—Vatican officials confidentially admit today that they are worried over Pope Pius' condition, despite the reports that he is only suffering from a slight cold. Many believe his illness is more serious than admitted.

FIRST FIGHT IN G. O. P. RANKS IS ON TODAY

Lincoln, Neb., July 25.—The Nebraska Republican state convention assembled here at noon today with every indication that the steam roller would be used by the platformers when the question of platform adoption came up. Taft and LaFollette followers are ready for warfare. The LaFollette men are endeavoring to stop the intromission of President Taft, while the regulars claim to be in control of the convention.

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AD SECURED IN GOVT MINING OF ALASKAN COAL

Washington, July 25.—The movement started in Oregon for mining and placing on sale to consumers at cost, of Alaskan coal by the government, has been taken up by Representative Lafferty of Oregon with Secretary of the Interior Fisher, Congressman Lafferty said today that he showed the petition that is being circulated in Oregon making this demand, to Secretary Fisher and that he received assurances that all possible aid would be extended.

START CRUSADE TO SAVE YOUNG GIRLS

Officers Take Action in Cases of Four Places Alleged to be Breeding Places of Vice Among Younger Element, to be Investigated and Wiped Out of Existence.

To save young girls from lives of shame, County Judge J. W. Maloney, who is also juvenile judge, Deputy District Attorney W. C. E. Pruitt, Truant Officer John Halley and the city and county officers have inaugurated a crusade against the breeding places of such evil and announce their intention of continuing their efforts until every girl in this city who is straying from the paths of virtue shall be rescued.

Today the juvenile court had its attention called to four of these cases. Glad and Juanita Whitworth, aged respectively 14 and 8, daughters of the landlady of the Whitworth lodging house over the Cash Meat market were today taken before the court.

INFECTED FRUIT MUST NOT BE SOLD

Declaring that he will enforce the state law prohibiting the sale of infected fruits, County Fruit Inspector S. J. Campbell is in the city today on a trip of inspection through the county. He has already discovered a number of violations of this law and has confiscated the fruit but hereafter, he declares he will bring the offenders before the courts.

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TRUSTS EASILY DUCK DECISION

New Ten Million Dollar Organization is Holding Company for Combines

NATIONAL CITY COMPANY INDIRECTLY CONTROLS

Incidentally, Method of Organization Restricts All Stockholders and Eliminates Possibility of Invasion of Unfriendly Element.

New York, N. Y., July 25.—That the ten million dollar National City company to be operated by the directors of the National City bank, was organized to nullify the supreme court trust decision in the Standard oil company and American Tobacco company cases was reported today on Wall street. It is asserted that the new concern will be the holding company for both trusts.

The trusts, it is reported, will be split into three integral concerns, conforming to the decision then the National City company will control them indirectly.

The stock of the bank and the National company will be interlocked so that owners of stock in both concerns must sell both stocks or none.

When the reorganization plan of the oil and tobacco trusts is announced it is believed all stocks of the companies composing the two trusts will be turned back to their original owners with similar interlocking clauses, which will effectually prevent the sale of any single stock but will allow the sale of all or none. This will hold the trusts virtually intact.

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