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WEATHER REPORT.

Fair tonight and Saturday; continued warm.

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WILSON DENIES POWERS WILL LAND ARMED FORCES

STRINGENCY IN MONEY MARKET IS A DISGRACE

Senator Tillman Urges President to Take the Initiative in Framing a Measure to Prevent it.

MOVEMENT ARTIFICIAL

Tightness of Currency Following Movement of Crops Should be Prevented—a Disgrace to the Nation That Such Things Are Permitted to Happen, He Says.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Declaring the government should adopt radical measures to prevent the annual money stringency which accompanies the movement of crops, Senator Tillman urged President Wilson to take the initiative to that end, Tillman declared the stringency is purely artificial. After a conference, Tillman said that no particular plan was in view but he told the president it was a disgrace to the nation that such things are permitted to happen and asked him to consider a remedy.

BANKER'S SURPRISED AT MADDOO'S DECISION

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Bankers are surprised at the decision of Secretary McAdoo to place from \$25,000,000 to \$50,000,000 government funds in hands of banks to facilitate the movement of crops.

PREDICTS A PANIC IF BILL PASSES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—A discussion of the alleged impending panic and the predicted extinction of the wool and sheep industry if the Underwood bill is passed, was voiced in the senate by Catron of New Mexico.

WESTON NEARS END OF HIS LONG WALK

ST. PAUL, Aug. 1.—Edward Palson Weston, aged pedestrian, is scheduled to arrive in Minneapolis at 5:30 this afternoon, ending his long hike from New York. He will be welcomed by Governor Eberhardt and city officials.

HOPPERS EAT FAMILY WASH

Snake River Farmer Successfully Fights Insects With Fire. WALLA WALLA, Aug. 1.—Hordes of grasshoppers swarming onto the farm of Charles Fairbanks, 10 miles west of Pomeroy, chewed to shreds a washing hung to dry in the sun. The pests, which are becoming numerous in the western and southern parts of Garfield county, have stripped the tallest trees of leaves and fruit.

TODAY HOTTEST OF SUMMER SEASON

Though many do not realize the fact, today is really the hottest day of the summer here in Pendleton. At 2:30 this afternoon, the official thermometer reached 107 and it is probable that the maximum for the day will be one point above that mark.

FREE SUGAR IS CAUSE OF ROW

Senator Thornton of Louisiana Attacks Schedule, Declaring it Will Mean Ruin.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Democrats of the senate who stand pledged to vote for the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill listened to one of their number yesterday who has repudiated the administration measure because of the free sugar plank.

"I am not false to principles of the democratic party," said the senator, "in refusing to follow it along the strange and devious pathway it now is pursuing with regard to the tariff on sugar. I am true to these principles, and it is the democratic party itself that is seeking to depart from them."

Senator Gronna of North Dakota followed assailing the measure from the viewpoint of the farmers.

Little Progress Made.

Nearly the entire time for discussion of the bill was taken up with these addresses and little progress was made in consideration of the schedules. The double attack did not sway the democrats from their determination not to take up time in general debate.

Senator Shively of Indiana plans to answer the arguments and criticisms of the minority.

Appeals of the manufacturers for an understanding between the senate and the house as to the date when the rates on woolen manufactures are to be made effective have failed to bear fruit. Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee, announced when republican Senator Reed petitions that something be done that he would confer with Majority Leader Underwood of the house. This he did. The house intends to stand firmly behind the provision that free raw wool and the rates on woolens shall become operative immediately upon the passage of the bill.

The senate bill proposes that raw wool shall be free on Dec. 1, 1913, and that the reduced rates on woolens shall become operative January 1, 1914.

RUSSIA WITHDRAWS PLANS TO EXHIBIT

Will Not Take Part in San Francisco Fair in 1915—German Decision Not Final.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—It has been announced that Russia has decided not to participate in the Panama exposition. No official explanation has been given.

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—It was officially announced the ministry of the interior has not yet decided whether Germany will participate in the San Francisco fair. A final decision was postponed for a month.

CROPS DAMAGED BY RECENT HOT SPELL

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Traders on the board of trade estimated the damage done the corn crop by the recent hot spell will reach anywhere between 150,000,000 and 500,000,000 bushels.

3 DEAD, 6 INJURED AND SCORE MISSING IN RAILROAD WRECK; DOCKMEN ATTACK CREW

Switching Train Crashes Into Ore Train—Angered at Carelessness of the Train Crew, Dockmen Make Attack—Strike Called as Result of Accident—Alleged Conditions Are Unsafe.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 1.—Three are known to be dead, six are seriously injured and a score are missing as a result of a railroad wreck which was followed by a hot fight between dock workers and railroad men. Thirty laborers were working on an ore train last night in the Allouez dock when another train was shunted

SAYS MARTIAL LAW SHOULD BE EFFECTED IN STRIKE DISTRICT

CALUMET, Aug. 1.—The establishment of martial law or that the camps where non-union miners and their families are living be protected, was urged by General Abbey, commanding the militia. He said the campaign of terror, directed against the wives of non-unionists by uncon-

trollable foreigners, has brought about a situation which has rendered the troops practically helpless unless martial law is declared.

COMMITTEE WILL RAISE FUNDS TOWARDS PAVING W. WEBB STREET

To raise funds among local citizens and farmers who make use of west Webb street, a committee was appointed last evening by President Tallman of the Commercial association at the suggestion of Mayor W. F. Matlock.

The committee appointed consists of Councilman Charles Cole, Julius Guderian, Dave Nelson, Henry J. Taylor and Charles Tullis. Already a number of citizens and farmers have signified their willingness to contribute to this fund, Mayor Matlock and Julius Guderian being among the first. Each offered to subscribe \$100.

A Crawfish Feed. At the meeting of the board of managers last evening, President Tallman suggested that the association tender a crawfish "feed" to the members of the Round-up board in the near future. The idea was approved and arrangements will be made accordingly. The "feed" will be open to all members at so much per.

Wants Farm Experiments. President Tallman also brought up the matter of securing assistance from the state agricultural college for Umattila county farmers under the bill passed by the last legislature. He pointed out that many farmers, especially those in the lighter land districts, were not pursuing the proper

ALLEGED POWDER PLOT UNEARTHED

Strikers at Calumet Said to Have Been in Plan to Blow Up Much Used Bridge.

CALUMET, Aug. 1.—Rumors of a dynamite plot in connection with the copper mine strike became current here following the arrest of eight men at the Red Jacket shaft. It was rumored that the Portage bridge connecting Hancock and Houghton was to be a subject of attack. Guards and militia were posted at each end of the structure and street car passengers, autoists and pedestrians were not allowed to pass until they had satisfied the officer in command that their intentions were innocent.

The sheriff's office investigated reports that a quantity of high explosives have been shipped into the district but the identity of the persons responsible for the shipment was carefully suppressed.

The eight arrests were made at the Red Jacket shaft near Calumet. Search of one of the prisoners revealing a capped and fused stick of dynamite. The non-commissioned officer who arrested this man said the prisoners tried to strike a match as the party approached the guard house.

Portugal's President Ill. LISBON, Aug. 1.—It is stated that Manuel A. Arraiga is ill and that physicians are continuously in attendance upon him. Senor De Arraiga was elected to the presidency of the Portugal republic August 24, 1911.

PRESENCE OF WILSON SAYS NO NOTICE OF COURSE IS YET RECEIVED

Statement That European Nations Are Bringing Pressure to Bear on United States Not True.

CONFERS OVER MEXICO

Wilson and Secretary Bryan Meet Several Hours to Discuss the Situation—The President Says There is No Truth in Alarming Reports—Commission May Investigate.

AMBASSADOR WILSON IS FACING DISMISSAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Open hostilities between the president and Ambassador Wilson which may foreshadow the dismissal of that diplomat are believed to come with today's developments. Following reports that the ambassador is preparing to return to Mexico, he immediately was invited to appear tomorrow before the house committee, but an hour later the invitation was recalled. It was authoritatively reported the president requested the revocation of the invitation, not desiring to give the ambassador another opportunity to air his views. It is believed possible he soon will resign or be dismissed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Through Secretary Bryan, President Wilson issued the following statement today: "The statement appearing in morning papers to the effect that European governments are bringing pressure to bear on the United States to compel aggressive action in Mexico, is absolutely without foundation."

THIS YEAR'S BEAR ARMED WITH QUILLS

Each year a fair raising bear story of some sort comes out of the woods near Lehman springs or thereabouts. The 1913 model adventure with a bear is now ready for the public and the story shows Joe Skrable, local lawyer, and Walter Waggoner, druggist as the heroes, while the role of bear is taken by a big porcupine.

It happened a few evenings ago when Messrs Skrable and Waggoner after having enjoyed the pleasures of Lehman during the evening proceeded to retire to their domicile which happened to be the Bert Smith cabin at the springs. Skrable was the first to enter the cabin and he immediately rushed forth with a yell that indicated he had either been massacred by Indians or had stepped on a Russian thistle with a bare foot.

ASKS EMERGENCY FUND FOR AMERICANS IN MEXICO

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Secretary Bryan has requested an emergency appropriation of \$100,000 to relieve destitute Americans in Mexico, and provide them with transportation to the United States. Secretary McAdoo rushed the request to Speaker Clark.

SCORES FRANCE FOR LOAN

Says Government Should Have Prevented Money Going to Mexican Government. PARIS, Aug. 1.—Bitter denunciation of the French government for failure to prevent French banks lending money to Mexico was voiced in the chamber of deputies by Deputy Ferrissoud. The savings of the public, he said, was prejudiced by lending money to an unstable government.

WHITMAN OF NEW YORK TO RUN INDEPENDENT

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Following reports that the republican party is dissatisfied with the nomination on the fusion ticket of John P. Mitchell, collector of the Port of New York, for mayor of the city, it was announced District Attorney Whitman will run on an independent ticket. Mitchell received 45 votes against 43 for Whitman. The fusion committee selected Mitchell at 2:30 o'clock this morning after an all night wrangle.

M'ADDOO'S CHARGE MAY BE PROBED

Resolution Is Introduced in House to Look Into Alleged Plot of N. Y. Banks. WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Representative Needey of Kansas introduced a house resolution to investigate the charge made by Secretary McAdoo that the banks are conspiring to depress United States 2 per cent bonds and to antagonize the administration's currency program.

COAT OF TAR GIVEN MAN; FACE PAINTED GREEN

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 1.—Henderson Hasty of Easton, a small town near here, was stripped and dressed with a coat of warm tar and his face painted green by a party of citizens determined to force observation of the prohibition law. Hasty was found asleep by a road in Easton.