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DAILY EAST OREGONIAN, PENDLETON, OREGON, THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 11, 1921.

BODY OF FATHER PATRICK HESLIN, MISSING COLMA PRIEST, IS FOUND---MURDERED

HARDING FAVORS OPEN SESSION FOR CONFERENCE

Senators Borah and Johnson Asked Sessions of Disarmament Conference be Public.

PRESIDENT WOULD NOT OPEN ALL DELIBERATIONS

Executive Favors Publicity for Work of Conference But Only to a Certain Extent.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—President Harding, replying to the demand of Senators Borah and Johnson, that the disarmament conference hold open sessions, declared he favored publicity for the work of the disarmament conference, though not to the extent of opening all deliberations and sessions to the public as the two senators demanded.

WELL KNOWN PIONEER CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

A little city whose growth has been steady and which will continue steadily, is the town of Pendleton, Oregon's oldest pioneer, characterizes his home today on this his eighty-sixth birthday.

Mr. Livermore says that he has watched with interest since 1869 the development of Pendleton from a small hamlet to the enterprising city of 1921. "Pendleton," he said this morning, "does not owe her size to hoards. The growth in business has been normal and as such will endure into the future."

Mr. Livermore came to Umatilla in 1868 and entered the general merchandising business in that city. He well remembers how Pendleton citizens took the county records from that town and brought them here. He remembers also that the local men were forced to return them but that they were finally awarded them when Pendleton, after a fight, was made the county seat.

WILL PUSH ADVANTAGE GAINED

HANKOW, China, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Despite the lack of arms and ammunition, the armies of the southern Chinese provinces are preparing to push the advantage gained when the Northern China split following the naming of General Wu Pei Fu as inspector-general of the provinces of Hubei and Hunan, instead of General Chang. Chang is openly defying the republican government.

STEEL CONCERN BUILDS HOMES FOR DESTITUTE

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Employees of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company who lost their homes in the recent floods that swept this city and vicinity will be enabled to secure new homes as a result of action taken here by the local managers of the Rockefeller Steel Works.

Announcement has been made that a contract for the erection of fifty modern six-room homes has been let, and it is expected that many more employees of the company will take advantage of the offer of the management in the near future. The homes will be built on ground owned by the steel company and sold to the employees at actual cost. It is announced, payment being made over a long period of years. Each new home will be designed and constructed according to the desire of the prospective owner. The new homes will be located within easy access of the main gate of the Minnequa plant of the steel company. Until their new homes are completed many victims of the flood who are employed by the C. F. & I. will continue to be cared for at the company's camp, established immediately following the flood disaster.

SHEEP INDUSTRY GETS BACK TO BETTER BASIS; MONTANA STOCKMAN HERE TO BUY LAMBS

John Wilson, Supt. of J. B. Long Co. is in County to Purchase Some Ewe Lambs.

Another indication that the sheep industry is slowly getting back to a better basis is seen in the visit to Pendleton yesterday of John Wilson, superintendent of the J. B. Long Co. of Great Falls, Mont.

Wilson is in Oregon for the express purpose of buying some ewe lambs. The Long Company is a large cattle concern, having about 10,000 head at the present time. They formerly were extensively interested in sheep, too, but during the past few years they have had comparatively few of the woolies.

Cheap hay in Montana, however, more range than there is livestock to graze it down, and a feeling that the next few years are going to be profitable ones for the sheep men after the trying times through which they have passed recently are factors that have induced the Long company to get back into the business. They are looking for several thousand head of ewe lambs. Wilson went to Heppner today where he will look over flocks there. He reports that the feeling of sheep men in his own state is optimistic. The only barrier that remains now before the sheep and wool industry will regain its popularity is a lack of money to finance growers, and conditions are expected to improve in this respect during the next year or two to an extent that will see the ranges restocked with sheep.

The same conditions exist in Idaho, according to information that has been received here. Utah sheep men report that prospects are looking up. Young breeding stuff is wanted by all the range states, and there are indications that before Oregon's lamb crop is cleaned up that many buyers from these other states will have made their bids in the ewe stuff.

DE VALERA SENDS REPLY TO BRITISH PROPOSALS

LONDON, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—De Valera's reply to the proposals of the British government for Irish peace was handed Austen Chamberlain, the government leader at noon today. The tenor is striking. The cabinet will consider the reply. They may not divulge the contents for days.

Representatives called. DUBLIN, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Sinn Fein representatives in Rome, Paris and Washington have been summoned to Dublin to attend the Daily Eireann's conference on the British peace proposals, the Sinn Fein cabinet and De Valera, issuing the call today. The British government agreed to issue passports for the representatives.

HUSBAND AND WIFE VIE IN PUBLIC POLITICALLY

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Husband and wife, both occupying official positions issuing a demerit on a public utility by-law in which they take opposite sides is the spectacle that is amusing the suburb of West Vancouver. School Trustee Mrs. Morgan wants the taxpayers to endorse expenditure for equipment, Reeve (rural Mayor) Morgan is naturally opposed to the school board spending any money, believing the Municipal Council, of which he is the head, can do all the spending the taxpayers require. Public meetings are being held at which both appear on the platform and "hand it" to each other in their respective public capacities to the delight of the audience. Betting on the outcome is even.

FIGHTING PROGRESSES IN DRIN RIVER DISTRICT

ROME, Aug. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Heavy fighting is progressing between the Albanians and Servians in the Drin river district of Northern Albania. According to dispatches a force of 2,000 serbs attacked and were defeated, retreating to Kavosovo. Thirty villages were destroyed.

GORED BY BULL. DECATER, Ga., Aug. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Will Miller, forty-nine, a dairyman, is dead, fatally gored by a bull. Miller was gored in the abdomen and about the head and shoulders when he entered the stall where the animal was confined.

CATTLE MARKET STEDY. PORTLAND, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—Cattle are steady; hogs are slow; sheep are slow and all is unchanged.

AFTER WARSAW, CHICAGO LEADS IN LARGE NUMBER OF POLISH RESIDENTS

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Chicago is the second Polish city in the world, according to census figures of foreign-born population made public by the census bureau. There is a total of 137,611 persons of Polish birth in Chicago, according to the census figures, but church records show that the Polish population of the city, including those born in America of Polish parents, is in excess of 275,000. Polish leaders declare, Warsaw is the only city with a greater Polish population, it is said.

Chicago's total foreign-born population is placed at 892,482, divided as follows: Germans, 112,288; Russians, 102,065; Italians, 50,215; Swedes, 58,560; Irish, 56,788; Czechoslovaks, 50,502; English, 24,420; Norwegians, 20,481; Austrians, 30,491; Hungarians, 28,106; and Canadians, 26,954. Those nationalities with less than 20,000 are not listed.

In Chicago is the largest congregation of Polish-speaking people in the world, namely St. Stanislaus Church according to Polish leaders.

INSTALL ELECTRICAL DEVICES FOR SECURITY OF INLAND EMPIRE

New System Gives Added Security to Patrons; All Three Banks to Have Equipment

The year man with his burglar kit or the professional safe cracker with his kit of scotline torch and hard steel drills, or even the broad daylight holdup man with his nerve and sixguns, will have no field to work in Pendleton in the future. The installation of electrical protection from the work of bank robbers is being made now on the vault of the Inland Empire Bank, and when the work is finished, the finest protection ever invented will be in use.

George A. Gardner, electrical engineer has been here for three days working on the installing job. As soon as the work on the Inland Empire vault is finished, the vaults of the First National Bank and the American National Bank will also be protected with the device.

This new device for the protection of vaults from the activities of safe crackers and banks from "tick-up" men is manufactured by the Palmer Martin Lock company of Seattle. While the Norris Safe & Lock Co., of Seattle is the northwest sales agent for the device, the contracts with the local banks were made by Gordon Burns as the representative of the Norris Safe and Lock company.

It is an entirely new system and besides electrifying the vault doors and safes, causes alarms to sound in different parts of the city as soon as an entrance is attempted. It also gives physical protection by two heavy locks which will not open for anyone until seven hours after the attempted robbery.

Daylight Protection, Too For protection from daylight holdups the banks are wired in such a way that entrance of a stick-up man may be announced from any one of a number of push buttons placed at convenient places in the banking room.

Only a few banks in the United States are equipped with the systems that will be installed in the three Pendleton financial institutions and these banks are in the foreground in assuring their customers absolute safety. Safety deposit boxes always suffer from bank robbery and it is still a mooted question in the state as to whether a bank is responsible for theft from these boxes in case of robbery. It has been held, however, in California, that the bank is responsible for such losses. With the new devices the safety deposit boxes are protected and free from possible robbery.

The local banks are greatly pleased with the system being installed and feel that they are keeping pace with the devices offered for burglar protection, but not until now have they felt that mechanical ingenuity has solved the safety problem. They state that in the Palmer lock and alarm system the burglar is put entirely out of business and the stick-up man will also give banks having the system, a wide berth.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S HOME BOMBED. WAKEFIELD, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—District Attorney Phillips' home was destroyed by explosion today. Authorities attempted to discover the motive found no clues.

SENATORS WOULD PREVENT RECESS WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Western senators, under the leadership of Senator Pittman of Nevada, threaten a filibuster to prevent the senatorial recess.

DIRECTOR SAYS VETERANS WILL GET SQUARE DEAL

Charles Forbes of Veteran's Bureau Warns 'Vultures' They Are to be Destroyed.

THREE NEW PRINCIPLES ARE TO BE FOLLOWED

Government Should Equip Disabled Soldiers to Make Best Living Possible in Profession

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Charles R. Forbes, director of the new veteran's bureau sent a message to all disabled soldiers that they are going to get a square deal from the new bureau. He warned the "vultures" preying upon the veterans' misfortunes that they will be destroyed. Forbes laid down three principles:

The government should equip the disabled soldier to make the best living possible in the highest profession possible. The government's responsibility cannot be regulated to private individuals. The government must protect her disabled soldiers as its wards. Forbes plans to visit each of the 60 institutions all over the country within a short time.

SAN JOSE PASSENGERS WILL BE BROUGHT TO PORT ON FARQUHAR

Destroyer Failed to Pull Disabled Vessel Off Rocks; Ship Has 9 Inches Water in Hold

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—The United States destroyer Farquhar is expected to arrive today with passengers from the stranded steamer San Jose, ground off Asuncion Island, Lower California. The freighter Griffin is standing by the stranded vessel. The Farquhar failed to pull the San Jose off the rocks, the vessel having nine inches of water in the hold.

WHEAT GAINS SLIGHTLY ON CHICAGO MARKET

Slight gain and a strengthening of the wheat market were characteristic of the trading today. September wheat closed at one-half cent stronger with quotations at \$1.24 1/2, and December gained one-fourth of a cent with the close registering \$1.27 1/2. The following quotations were received by Overbeck and Cooke, local brokers:

Wheat		Corn	
Sept.	Dec.	Sept.	Dec.
\$1.21 1/2	\$1.23	\$1.21 1/2	\$1.24 1/2
1.24	1.27 1/2	1.23 1/2	1.27 1/2
1.25	1.28 1/2	1.24 1/2	1.28 1/2
1.26	1.29 1/2	1.25 1/2	1.29 1/2

Wheat—It was a strong market most of the day and although the outside trade did not broaden to any appreciable extent, the replacing of long lines sold yesterday was sufficient to bring about a sharp recovery. A very encouraging feature of the day's development was the active buying of wheat futures in Minneapolis by milling interests against flour sales. It would appear as though there would be enough consuming pressure to recognize the bullishness of the world's wheat situation and are beginning to have some confidence in values. Another item which stimulated considerable buying was the report of a leading northwestern crop authority that there has been a great deal of deterioration in the crop in parts of North Dakota due to black rot, and in Montana due to grasshoppers. Exporters were active buyers of cash grain to fill old sales, but the new demand was not urgent. Believe it is advisable to follow the advances until the trade broadens and exporters show some disposition to buy at other than the extreme breaks.

BILL GOES TO CONFERENCE WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—The house sent the Capper-Flancher bill, aimed to prevent gambling on grain and cotton by exchange, to conference.

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE NEAR BREAK OVER UPPER SILESIA

FAMOUS FILM STAR WILL ATTEND 1921 ROUND-UP AND FURNISH PRIZES

Pauline Frederick, famous screen star, who because of film production contracts was unable to attend last year's Round-Up, will attend the big twelfth annual show September 22, 23 and 24. Furthermore, she will present each day to the winners of the wild horse race a silver mounted bride and a silver bit. Miss Frederick, in a personal letter to the Hamley & Co. saddle factory today, asked that the special brides and bits be made. She has purchased two saddles from the local firm.

MADALYNN OBENCHAIN IS HELD IN CONNECTION WITH KENNEDY'S DEATH

Opinion is Burch Did Murder, Madalynn Furnished Motive; Murder Not Premeditated.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Numerous denials were made to the theory that Mrs. Obenchain was attempting to force Kennedy to marry her to give a name to her unborn babe. According to jail matrons there is no knowledge that Mrs. Obenchain is about to become a mother. The district attorney's office declared this would not follow such a theory.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—The state will attempt to picture Madalynn Obenchain, connected with the murder of Belton Kennedy, as a "vampire woman" attempting to force the victim to marry her in order to give a name to her unborn child. The state will claim Madalynn, failing to state Kennedy to marry her, sent for Burch, who reasoned with Kennedy and shot him when Kennedy drew his revolver as the quarrel grew hot. Authorities believe the murder was not premeditated. The opinion is that Burch did the murder and Madalynn furnished the motive. Arthur Burch is the son of an Evanston, Ill. clergyman.

The state declares they have evidence that Madalynn sent Burch a telegram summoning him halfway across the continent to help her from her difficulty with Kennedy. The police believe Madalynn had more influence over Burch than over Kennedy, although Kennedy was the man she loved. Burch has been identified as the man who rented an automobile about the time the murder was committed, that had a peculiar tread on the tires and whose mark the police found in a spot near where the murder occurred.

PRICES DURING ROUND-UP TO BE REGULATED; PROFITEERING PROHIBITED

Visitors to Pendleton's twelfth annual Round-Up, September 22, 23 and 24 will be able to secure double beds at the rate of \$2.50 per bed, this price having been decided upon by the Pendleton Round-Up Association. The price is the same as that asked last year. Prices of meals are to be regulated also so that there will be no opportunity for profiteering.

People of Eastern Oregon are inquiring as to the cost of rooms and meals and want assurance that prices will be reasonable, says Arthur Budd, Round-Up publicity agent, in a letter to the Round-Up board.

During the past week Mr. Budd has been in Baker, where he reports there is a lively interest in the Round-Up. A number of riders from the Baker region are planning to appear in the Pendleton arena. Cecil E. Bell of Baker, Jess Lawrence and Ed Gilles of Burnt River are the most promising prospects in this group, says Mr. Budd. Baker county has been covered with Round-Up publicity, and a number of talks have been made to the Baker people in addition to considerable newspaper publicity. A large crowd is expected from that section and it is probable that special cars will be put on trains between Pendleton and Baker at Round-Up time.

SOVIET TRADE ENVOY ARRIVES QUEBEC CITY, Que., Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Leonid Krassin, the Soviet trade envoy, arrived on the same steamer bringing Lord Byng, the new director-general of Canada. Krassin intends to visit Ottawa and then go to the United States.

Lloyd George Told Briand if France Maintained Present Position He Would Return.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Britain and France were again seriously near a break this afternoon on issues involving Upper Silesia, Germany and Poland. Premier Lloyd-George told Premier Briand if France maintained her present position there was nothing for him to do except return to London.

French President Intervenes President Millerand of France intervened in the Upper Silesian conversations between Premier Lloyd-George and Premier Briand to prevent another serious diversion of views. The president urged the importance of settlement to save the entente cordiale of Europe. Lloyd George is said to have insisted that British and Italian views prevail, while Briand said he would refuse to make any further concessions.

LEONARD WOOD TO BE PHILIPPINE GOVERNOR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—It is authoritatively stated that General Leonard Wood has been selected by President Harding for governor general of the Philippines and that he will accept.

FORMAL INVITATIONS SENT. WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—The formal invitations to the disarmament and far eastern conference in Washington on November 11 will be sent today to Britain, France, Italy, Japan and China.

CONGRESS TO BE ASKED FOR \$200,000,000

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Director General Davis told the senate interstate commerce commission that congress will be called upon to appropriate \$200,000,000 to make final settlement between the railroads and the government. Davis declared the end of the liquidation of federal control is in sight by December 31, 1922, when everything but the tag ends should be cleared up. The committee intends to decide tomorrow whether it would proceed with the administration's railroad plan now, or postpone until December.

JAMES MAHONEY WILL PLEAD 'NOT GUILTY'

SEATTLE, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—James Mahoney, charged with the murder of his aged wife in order to get her property, stuffing the body inside a trunk and throwing the trunk into Lake Union, is expected to plead not guilty when arraigned late today. The prosecution expects to be able to convict Mahoney, declaring the evidence is strong against the man.

The trunk was discovered as the result of constant police dredging. Alvin Jorgenson, the truck man who carried the trunk to the Lake Union bathhouse late the night of April 14, is expected to prove a strong witness.

BILL FOR RUSSIAN RELIEF INTRODUCED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Senator King of Utah, introduced a bill appropriating \$5,000,000 for the president's use in extending relief to famine-stricken Russia.

SPANISH CABINET RESIGNS. MADRID, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—The Spanish cabinet resigned as the result of the Spanish military reverse in Morocco. Senior Maura was asked to form a new ministry. He will probably form a coalition cabinet.

A nine-year-old girl recently fell off a station platform in front of an elevated train in Brooklyn. In falling, she missed the approaching train, fell between the rim of the platform and the track, glanced off an electric feed wire and landed on the street 25 feet below. She faced death three times and escaped with scratches.

CRUMPLED BODY DUG FROM GRAVE IN SMALL CAVE

Clerical Clothes, Priestly Jewelry, Papers and Bills Establish Heslin's Identity.

BULLET HAD PENETRATED PRIEST'S HEART AND HEAD

William Hightower, Mechanic, Furnishes Clue Leading to Discovery of Isolated Grave.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—(U. P.)—Father Patrick Heslin, the missing Colma priest, has been found murdered. Six men dug his crumpled body from a rude grave concealed in a tiny cave near Salada Beach, 20 miles south of San Francisco. The body was clothed in clerical broadcloth. A velvet case and priestly jewelry was found on the body. Papers, bills and similar articles establishing his identity were discovered. William Hightower, a mechanic, furnished the clue leading to the discovery. The priest was killed by a shot through his heart, probably at the grave's edge. Shells lay scattered about.

Search for Almost Two Weeks. The discovery of the body of the missing priest concludes almost a two weeks' search. He was last seen alive when he departed with an excited foreigner presumably to administer the last sacrament to a dying person. Sacramental articles were found in the grave. The kidnappers had demanded a \$5000 ransom and then \$15,000 from Archbishop Hanna. It is not known how long the priest has been dead. Hightower learned of the existence of the grave from a woman, Dolly Mason, of Salt Lake City, a suspected "nightlife" character.

Last Seen Night of August 2. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—The body of Father Patrick E. Heslin, the Colma priest, who disappeared the night of August 2 when a stranger called and asked him to administer sacrament to a dying relative, has been found buried at the bottom of a sand cliff on Salada Beach, 20 miles south of San Francisco, with a bullet hole through his heart and another through his head.

William A. Hightower, discoverer of the grave, who notified the police, is held pending investigation. Hightower claims the clue was given him by Dolly Mason who said she met an intoxicated foreigner who made bizarre revelations to her and expressed his hatred of the Catholic church. Acting on the information Hightower claims he succeeded in locating the grave. He pondered three days and finally decided to tell Archbishop Edward J. Hanna, but encountered a newspaper reporter at the bishop's residence who took him to the police. Archbishop Hanna had offered \$5,000 reward dead or alive. The archbishop received two letters demanding a ransom which he considered hoaxes.

Dolly Mason Cannot be Found. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Literally riddled with bullets and cruelly beaten, the battered body of Father Patrick Heslin, the missing Colma priest, was taken from the Salada Beach crypt in which it was hidden by the slayer. That money alone was not the motive for the killing was evidenced from the fact that the priest's wallet containing \$25 was unharmed.

It is believed William Hightower, who gave the clue that led to the

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THE WEATHER

The weather reported by Major Lee Moorhouse. Maximum, 92. Minimum, 52. Barometer, 29.56. Rain, a trace.

TODAY'S FORECAST

Tonight and Friday fair.

