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PRETTY YOUNG PENDLETON MOTHER IS BADLY BURNED IN RESCUING FROM DEATH HER THREE SMALL CHILDREN

DAIL EIREANN IS ONLY GOVERNMENT IRISH RECOGNIZES

Leader Says Country Will Treat With Nations Only on Basis of Recognition as Republic.

DE VALERA'S SPEECH MAKE DEMAND OF INDEPENDENCE

Irish 'President' Showed Uncompromising Attitude in Speech Before Sinn Fein

DUBLIN, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—DeValera told the Dail Eireann that Ireland treats with foreign countries, meaning England especially, only on a basis of recognition as an Irish republic.

DeValera declared the Dail Eireann is the only government the Irish people will recognize, having elected its members through popular vote.

DeValera's fiery speech made an uncompromising demand for independence. Members of the Dail signed an oath of allegiance to "free the Irish state with serious faces."

Uncompromising Attitude Shown DeValera showed an uncompromising attitude in his speech before the Sinn Fein parliament.

Will Fight For Principles DeValera said he will fight for principles and will mean to die for them if necessary.

DeValera in the opening session of the Dail Eireann, Sinn Fein parliament here, he said Ireland must be a republic.

It is practically impossible to negotiate with the present British government, he declared, "because it is unprincipled, and it is like negotiating with a man with a pistol to your head."

Premier Lloyd George told the American soldiers they were fighting for the principles of independence and that when they came to Europe they were fighting for the liberty of the small nations.

The principles Lloyd George expressed that day in Paris will be considered the English proposals in private and then communicated their decision at a public session.

The speaker was interrupted by applause when he said the Irish would die for the principles they held so dear.

130 Members in Attendance DUBLIN, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—The first open session of the Dail Eireann parliament was held with 130 members present.

The galleries were thronged and thousands stood without in a downpour of rain. DeValera in his opening address said Ireland stood for the ideals enshrined in the American declaration of independence.

He described the British attitude as that of a great nation demanding guarantees for its safety from a small one, Ireland is in the position of an unarmed man facing a man with a pistol.

He pointed out the virtually impossible conditions surrounding the negotiations. Frank P. Walsh, his American legal adviser, sat on DeValera's left.

Troops Ordered to Return LONDON, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—All British soldiers on leave from Ireland have been ordered to return immediately.

No explanation followed this announcement. However, following on the heels of DeValera's speech to the Irish parliament insisting on complete independence, it is taken as an indication of the fear of a possible break of the truce.

DUBLIN, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—At the conclusion of the address parliament adjourned until tomorrow when a reply to Lloyd George will be considered in a private session.

NATIONAL TAX CONVENTION DENVER, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—Sixteen delegates will represent Colorado at the National Tax Association, which will be held in Bretton Woods, N. H., September 12 to 16 inclusive.

Governor Shoup announced the list today, headed by Attorney-General Victor E. Keyes.

ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL CONTESTANT



Miss Helen Roach, Washington, D. C. beauty, has entered a popularity contest for a \$2000 auto to be awarded by the Georgia Division of the Roosevelt Memorial Association in September.

SAM JACKSON APPOINTED STATE CHAIRMAN FOR W. WILSON FOUNDATION

Portland Man Will Organize Movement in This State to Perpetuate Ideals of ex-President

NEW YORK, August 16.—Appointment of Hon. Samuel Jackson of Portland, publisher of the Oregon Journal, to serve as chairman in Oregon for the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, was announced today by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Mr. Roosevelt is national chairman of the committee in charge of raising a popular fund for endowing an annual award in ex-President Wilson's name.

The appointment was said to have been among the first for the forty-eight state organizations which are to present an appeal to the public late in October.

Mr. Roosevelt also announced that the specific purpose of the foundation and the award, had been defined by the executive committee in the following terms:

"Created by public subscription it recognizes the national and international services of Woodrow Wilson, twice president of the United States, who furthered the cause of human freedom and was instrumental in bringing out effective methods for the cooperation of the liberal forces of mankind throughout the world."

"The award or awards from the income of the foundation will be made from time to time by a nationally constituted committee to the individual or group that has rendered within a specified period, meritorious service to democracy, public welfare, liberal thought or peace through justice."

Hamilton Holt, editor of the Independent, who is acting as executive director of the foundation, is carrying on the work of organization along non-partisan lines, aiming merely to provide an opportunity for a public tribute to the cause of liberalism.

National headquarters have been established at 156 Nassau Street, New York.

INMATE OF POOR FARM IS MAN SUSPECTED OF BEING AMBROSE SMALL

DES MOINES, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—The man supposed to be Ambrose Small, the missing Canadian millionaire theatre man, proved to be John Daugherty an inmate of the poor farm.

According to the testimony of J. W. Mount, an O-W. R. & N. official, said to have been given in a hearing at Boise, August 4, the railroad figures that it can make a profit in shipping from Portland at a rate of \$1.35 a hundredweight for bulk wood.

One from Mountain Home to Boston then is charged for the haul over the long haul from Portland to Boston.

This discrimination in rates is something that wool men are interested in is why the rate for interior shipping points should not be equally as low, or even lower, instead of much higher.

Steps are taken to deliver food to Russian ports; Americans will have complete control of distribution

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—Thirty-five million persons in Russia require famine relief, declared Lloyd George in the commons, quoting a report made to the British government by P. L. Toddson, head of the British trade mission in Moscow.

The famine-stricken people are moving in large numbers in different directions, continued the premier. "Children are being abandoned and left to wander. People are reduced to eating roots and grass."

ROSEBURG MAN STILL DECLARES HE IS RUSSELL

Brumfield on Way from Canada Escorted by Officers Enjoyed Ride From Jail to Depot.

ALLEGED MURDERER IS REFUSED PULLMAN CAR

Railroad Officials Forbid Officers to Bring Prisoner in Pullman; Passengers Object.

PORTLAND, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—A telegram special from Calgary says the Canadian Pacific officials refused to allow Starmer and Webb to bring Brumfield into the sleeper, claiming the passengers would change their bookings.

Brumfield, shackled hand and foot and chained to Webb, was put aboard a coach. He drank a quantity of milk before leaving and braced up considerably.

He appeared to enjoy the ride from the jail to the depot. He promised Starmer he would begin eating today. He still pretends he is Russell.

Starmer says he will not allow anyone near Brumfield until the latter is safely behind the bars at Portland or Roseburg. The sheriff is taking no chances.

Search Made for Woman PORTLAND, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—Officers, escorting Brumfield to a factory in Roseburg for the alleged murder of Dennis Russell are travelling over the Canadian Pacific through Kingsgate, Spokane and Portland, to Roseburg, according to reports.

Two additional officers are meeting the escort at Kingsgate to insure safe conduct for the alleged murderer owing to the high feeling among the friends of Russell.

District Attorney Neuner is pushing an investigation to ascertain if the woman, "Mrs. Clara Killian," thought to be near Lake Louise, is involved in the case. Brumfield's friends indicate that is the situation.

Wife Is Still Loyal Mrs. H. M. Brumfield is remaining apart and is not keeping in touch with the Brumfield investigation, according to reliable reports reaching here.

She cannot believe in her husband's guilt, according to her own statement, will not admit the guilt with his own lips. Brumfield's friends are remaining staunch, while Russell's friends are watching the development intently.

Considerable doubt is being expressed concerning the dentist's probable insanity, the authorities holding the belief that the dentist is attempting to pave the way for an insanity plea when his trial opens. They will probably speed the meeting out of justice in response to Brumfield's own request. The trial is regarded as promising considerable sensation and is expected to drag out over a long period.

OBECHINAIN HAS FAITH IN HIS FORMER WIFE

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—Ralph Obenchinain, the divorced husband of Madalyn Obenchinain, accused with Arthur Hurch as the murderer of Belton Kennedy, will plead that Madalyn loved Kennedy far too much to plot his murder.

Obenchinain's defense will take this unselfish trend as indicated to his friends and that Ralph intends to attempt to regain Madalyn's love. Ralph is convinced of the woman's innocence, he declares.

The authorities are planning to confront Hurch with E. A. Rosenthal, a pawnbroker, who claims the butt of the shotgun found on the Santa Monica beach is that of a gun he sold to a young man. He may be able to identify Hurch as the man. The police believe Hurch, after murdering Kennedy, drove through Santa Monica, throwing the gun into the ocean. The stock was found when it washed ashore.

PORTLAND'S TONG WAR REMAINS UNSETTLED

PORTLAND, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—The tong warfare is unsettled. District attorney Evans has been informed by the Suesy Sings that they intend to fight to the finish to revenge themselves upon the Hop Sings for three shootings. Despite the fact the tong gunmen have been jailed, more are expected to arrive here.

WELL KNOWN WESTERN FILM STAR HOPES TO ATTEND 1921 ROUND-UP

Tom Mix, the hero of a thousand and screen adventures and one of the most spectacular of film-land's Western stars, will if possible accept the Pendleton Round-Up association's invitation to attend the twelfth annual show here September 22, 23 and 24. So says a letter from Mix received today by H. W. Collins, president of the association.

FORDNEY REPORTS LARGE REDUCTION IN TAXES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—Chairman Fordney of the house ways and means committee, reporting the new revenue bill to the house, declared federal taxes will be reduced \$34,000,000 for 1922 and \$70,000,000 in 1923.

FORMER UNIVERSITY OF OREGON PROFESSOR TO HEAD STATE NORMAL

Dr. F. C. Ayer Has Been Chosen Successor to Mr. Ackerman as President Normal School.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 16.—Dr. Fred C. Ayer, from the year 1912 to 1916 professor of education in the University of Oregon, last night was elected president of the Oregon State Normal school to succeed J. H. Ackerman.

The election of Dr. Ayer followed a 30-day session of the board of regents of the institution, during which 23 applications were given careful consideration.

Although some members of the board originally favored other applicants, Dr. Ayer's selection had the unanimous support of the regents.

Dr. Ayer served as principal in Waconoma (Ia.) high school in 1901. The following year he was instructor in the normal school at that place. In 1904 he was professor of education in a South Dakota normal school, while from 1905 to 1910 he served in a similar capacity in the Arizona State Normal school.

Dr. Ayer then came to Oregon, where he took up his duties as professor of education in the university. He continued in this capacity until 1916, when he returned to Iowa and accepted a position as professor of education in the university of that state. In 1918 Dr. Ayer was elected professor of education in the Washington university, a position which he has held for three years.

Dr. Ayer will receive \$5000 a year as head of the Oregon State Normal, and his election covers a period of three years. He received his degrees in the Upper Iowa university, Georgetown university and Chicago university.

Recent attending yesterday's session were Governor Olcott, Sam A. Cozer, secretary of state, J. A. Churchill, state school superintendent, W. C. Bryant of Moro, E. E. Brang of La Grande, Leonard Starr of Portland, Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, and Frank Miller of Albany.

BILL GETS FAVORABLE REPORT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—Deficiency in the appropriation bill, carrying \$15,500,000 for the United States shipping board and \$20,000,000 to defray the expenses of the disarmament conference, have been ordered favorably reported to the senate by the appropriation committee.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE WILL COST UNITED STATES OVER MILLION INSTEAD OF \$200,000 AS WAS ESTIMATED FIRST

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—The latest developments in the disarmament conference include: A prediction that the conference will cost the United States over a million and not \$200,000 as was at first estimated. Henry Cabot Lodge of the senate foreign relations committee, will be a member of the American disarmament commission; Senator Knox of Utah, introduced a resolution authorizing President Harding to call a conference of the leading mercan-

FOURTEEN MONTHS OLD BABY, HAROLD PURCELL, SERIOUSLY INJURED IN FIRE EARLY TODAY

AMERICAN FLYER TO PHOTOGRAPH MEXICO

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—According to information received here "Bob" Connell, son of Captain C. T. Connell, federal labor conciliator, has obtained a contract from President Oregon of Mexico to photograph important points in Mexico from the sky.

An American pilot will likely be used on the flights, it is reported, but a Mexican army observer is expected to be in the machine at all times.

The contract will include the photographing of railroad lines, harbors, highways and unexplored timber and railroad lines. One of the features Connell expects to photograph will be the crater of Mount Popocatepetl, long believed to be an extinct volcano, but which the young photographer says is "enjoying a smoke."

PORTLAND FIRM AND WALLA WALLA BIDDER GET SCHOOL CONTRACT

Competitive Bids on New Group of Buildings at Milton and Freewater Decided Monday.

Many men interested in the building same representing business firms of Pendleton, Portland, The Dalles, La Grande, Boise, Walla Walla, Spokane, Yakima and Seattle journeyed to Milton yesterday to be present at the opening of the bids submitted for the erection of the splendid up-to-date group of school buildings for the Union High School District No. 3.

The bids were opened publicly by the school board and building committee and later the lowest bidders were announced to be the successful competitors.

The contract for the plumbing heating and ventilation was awarded to Runklight and Hastorf of Portland, and the general contract including all masonry, woodwork, painting, wiring and everything not included in the plumbing, heating and ventilating contract was awarded to George Schreiner of Walla Walla.

The work is to be started at once and it is expected that the exterior work and roofs will be complete by the time winter weather is here. It is the aim to have the gymnasium building in use by the first of the year and the other two buildings, the industrial arts and the administration buildings, the latter containing the large auditorium, to be entirely completed by the middle of June.

The architect of this building enterprise, Raymond W. Hatch, was one of the Pendleton men to drive over with a number of friends from Portland to witness the opening of the bids.

M'ADDOO WILL NOT BE CALLED TO TESTIFY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—(U. P.)—The senate interstate commerce committee refused to call McAdoo to give expert testimony on the administration's railroad funding bill.

THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer. Maximum 85. Minimum 49. Barometer 29.40.

TODAY'S FORECAST

Tonight fair Wed. rain.

Blaze Starting From Box of Paper Causes Destruction of Upper Story of Apartments.

BRAVE MOTHER TAKES THREE BABES TO SAFETY

With Hair and Clothing Aflame Mrs. Purcell Dashes Through Blaze to Downstairs Floor.

In saving from death her three small children during a fire which destroyed the upper story of the J. H. MacMaster apartment house, 717 Thompson street this morning, Mrs. Earl Purcell, pretty young mother, was badly burned on the back, shoulders, neck, head and arms.

Her fourteen months old baby Harold, whom she carried through the flames, suffered serious burns on the head, neck, arms and legs, while her two year old twins, Floyd and Lloyd, were slightly burned on their heads and necks.

Mrs. Purcell, who with her husband and children occupied the rear apartment, was washing when she noticed smoke pouring in from the hall, the blaze evidently having started from a box of papers.

Mother Courageous Snatching her baby in her arms she called the twins and attempted to reach the stairs at the front of the building. The little boys, frightened by the flames and smoke, three times attempted to go back but the mother finally succeeded in fighting her way through the blaze, taking the children with her.

With hair and clothes aflame, Mrs. Purcell reached the safety of the downstairs and she and the children were taken to the Charles Keen home.

Others Escape Mrs. L. Tate, who with Mr. Tate occupied the front apartment, escaped down the stairs, while James Gilbert, of Seattle, who was in a rear room asleep, jumped from his window to the ground 15 feet below, after being awakened by flames coming through the door. Gilbert, who is here visiting his brother, Arlex M. Gilbert, took his clothes with him and saved some of his brother's clothing also, but two suits of clothes were destroyed. The belongings of the Tate and Purcell families were destroyed but some furniture owned by Mr. MacMaster was saved through the action of the fire department which responded to the alarm.

The loss, says Chief William Rngold, is about \$1500 including furniture and building. He is of the opinion that one of the children in the house was probably playing with matches and threw one into the box of papers.

Insurance Small The building was owned by Henry Crall, of Walla Walla and it is believed it is covered by insurance. Mr. MacMaster has but little insurance on the furniture. Furniture in the lower apartment, occupied by the Stowe and Condon families, was saved but is damaged by water.

The fire is the second on Thompson street this summer, a serious blaze having occurred at the Auto Clearing House, 728 Thompson, earlier in the season. The district is congested and both fires threatened the neighboring structures.

Mr. and Mrs. Purcell came here two weeks ago from Window, Idaho. He is employed here as an auto mechanic.

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