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HEAD OF SECRET SERVICE TAKES ACTIVE CHARGE

Burns Declares Department of Justice Has Long Been After This Professed Anarchist.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—William J. Burns, head of the United States secret service, left for New York to take active charge of the Lindenfeld case.

Washington, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—The Wall Street bomb explosion, which killed seven persons and injured many others, was the work of a professed anarchist, it is believed.

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Keep Watch of Movements—Lindenfeld's movements are being watched by the police.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—The department of justice agents today believed the Wall Street bomb mystery of 1920 was near solution.

Advices from Warsaw, Poland, reported that Wolfe Lindenfeld, a professed anarchist who was arrested there, had confessed fully to plotting the disaster.

Detectives, working unceasingly ever since the bomb outrage, have had Lindenfeld under surveillance for a year.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—William J. Burns, before leaving for New York to assume charge of the Lindenfeld proceedings, declared the man captured in Warsaw would prove a star witness for the prosecution in the bomb outrage case.

THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, local weather observer. Maximum 21. Minimum 20. Barometer 29.65. Barometer is falling; may mean snow storm.

TODAY'S FORECAST

Tonight and Sunday fair.

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PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 17.—The Wall Street cut-off, or the proposed extension of the Columbia river highway from Umatilla to the Washington boundary, was subject of a spirited discussion at today's session of the state highway commission.

Chairman Booth said that there was no particular urgency in designating this 27-mile stretch as a primary highway in view of the fact that construction could not possibly follow immediately.

The subject was introduced by H. J. Ottenheimer, chairman of the highway committee of the Portland chamber of commerce, who asked that the proposed interstate connection be designated as a primary road in the system which is to receive federal aid.

Commissioner Barratt interrupted with a query as to what influences were behind the movement. The proposed road, he said, would run through a sand and sagebrush desert and had no scenic or commercial value.

"If tourists were forced through the desert," he said, "and saw nothing but sand they would say to hell with Oregon."

Two other roads through scenic regions suffice at present for this travel.

Commissioner Yeon said he was convinced that the chamber of commerce was not trying to dictate to the highway commission, but that it simply asked for the designation of the highway commission when construction should be undertaken.

Professor Peck, O. A. C. man, will be invited to visit Pendleton within the near future and make recommendations for beautifying the city.

Mayor G. A. Hartman may go to Spokane within the near future to attend a meeting of municipalities' representatives when the question of adopting some uniform plan for making camping grounds for tourists.

The question of securing another entrance to the city on the east was again discussed last night. The matter has received much consideration from the body.

RATIFICATION OF TREATY SEEMS ASSURED TODAY

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—A substantial majority seemed assured today to ratify the Anglo-Irish peace treaty when the formal vote comes Monday.

The British parliament will also vote formally Monday. Belfast was the scene of riots today following the British approval, (not ratification) of the pact yesterday.

The vote Monday will be at a public session called for the final discussion of the pact. A statement regarding the majority was made following a noticeable attitude of relief among those championing the pact.

BODY OF INHABITANT OF LONELY CABIN FOUND STUFFED IN POTATO BIN

PORTLAND, Dec. 17.—(A. P.)—Cramped into a potato bin with a butcher knife beneath it, the body of John Arthur O'Connor, an inhabitant of a lonely cabin on Hayden Island, was found this morning by Deputy Sheriff Bert, who headed the search for O'Connor, who has been missing for a week.

Officers believe O'Connor was slain by a wanderer he had been sheltering. He was apparently struck with an axe, and the body put in the bin. O'Connor is thought to have come from The Dalles. He formerly lived at Astoria. He was about 55 years of age.

SEVEN AND ONE HALF KARAT DIAMOND HELD FOR IDENTIFICATION

PORTLAND, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—A seven and one half karat diamond, valued at \$20,000 is held here for identification of Mrs. Eugene Shover, of Denver, from whom it was stolen by a Negro porter during a country club dance.

GIANT ZEPPELIN TO BE BUILT FOR AMERICANS

PARIS, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—Council of 100 members has authorized Germany to build a giant Zeppelin for the United States. It will sail across the ocean when completed.

The ship to be constructed will be similar to the L-70 model, the highest 174 ft. high, 422 ft. long and 100 ft. wide. There is opposition to some quarters because of the fact it would keep German airship experts in training during the period of shipbuilding.

Chicago wheat prices show only a fraction of a cent difference today over yesterday's market. December wheat closed at \$10.7 1/4.

Wheat—There was no feature as far as today's market was concerned, but news was not without significance.

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CRAIG AND LLOYD GEORGE WILL HOLD CONFERENCE

LONDON, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—Premier Craig departed in London today for a conference with Premier Lloyd George over the southern boundary of Ulster.

PORTLAND, Dec. 17.—(A. P.)—Laystock, eggs and butter are steady.

HUGHES ASSIGNS FRANCE PLACE IN WORLD'S NAVIES

Other Powers Have Informed France She Must Bear Blame Unless She Retracts Stand.

SITUATION OF NAVY LIMITATION CRITICAL

It Was Believed France Would Weaken Today; Premier May Take Hand in Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—Secretary Hughes has told the French he would assign them to figure one and seventeenth in the ratio of "five-five-three" for the world's navies.

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PATTERSON, SHOT BY COMMON-LAW WIFE, IS EXPECTED TO RECOVER

Condition Today is Favorable, Physician Declares; Charge Against Woman to be Minor

Fred H. Patterson, injured yesterday morning when Mrs. Ella Alexander, his common-law wife, shot him in the back with a .25 Special Colt's revolver, will probably recover.

Two shots lodged in Patterson's body, one in the left elbow and the other one in his back. Neither bullet has been extracted, and the course taken by the one which struck his body is not definitely known.

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KING COUNTY FLOODS COMPLETELY ABATED

SEATTLE, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—The floods in King county have completely abated. The streams are back to normal and the water is rapidly subsiding in the lowland districts.

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SIGNS 36,000 CHILDREN IN HEALTH WORK.



Mrs. Robert B. Grant directed the Children's Health Crusade in Washington, D. C., and enrolled 36,000 children in a year.

TWO EXHIBITS OF WHITE SPRING WHEAT EXHIBITED HERE WIN FIRST AND SECOND PRIZES AT INTERNATIONAL CHICAGO SHOW

Two exhibits of White Spring wheat, exhibited here at the Northwest Grain and Hay Show in September, won first and second prizes at the International Chicago and Hay Show and the wheat is acclaimed the best grown in North America.

The wheat was grown by T. A. Sammis, of The Dalles, who won first prize at the Chicago show, and by Herbert Egbert, also of The Dalles, who won second prize.

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WILL ORGANIZE STATE WIDE NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE IN CALIFORNIA

BERKELEY, Cal., Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—Thomas Walter Mills, of Berkeley, today published plans for launching a statewide non-partisan league with the prospective membership of 100,000 and a treasury of a million dollars.

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GERMAN'S REQUEST FOR TIME EXTENSION ON MEETING HER REPARATION PAYMENTS REFUSED

PARIS, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—The allied reparations commission refused the German request for a time extension on meeting the reparation payments.

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FUTURE MEETINGS WILL BE HELD IN IRRIGATED SECTION

Work of Oregon Irrigation Congress Will Not be Limited to 3 Days Once a Year.

EXECUTIVES TO CARRY ON ACTIVITIES CONTINUALLY

Will Thus Keep Objects of Organization Constantly Before Public if Plans Materialize.

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SHIPPING MAN SAYS JAPAN WANTED WAR

TACOMA, Dec. 17.—(U. P.)—Japan wanted war and would have declared it had the Anglo-Japanese alliance been renewed, Captain Robert Dollar, a shipping man, declared in an address to the foreign trade convention.

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ATTORNEY SAYS JAMES MAHONEY WILL NOT HANG

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