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Oregon Observations

Portland—Owners and lessees of seven apartment houses in Portland and an owner of a rooming house were today summoned to appear Tuesday before Mayor Baker's committee of eight appointed to investigate cases of rent profiteering.

Portland—Tony Polich, arrested last week at Oregon City on a charge of manufacturing illicit liquor, lost his status as a federal prisoner Monday when he died at a local hospital as the result of an automobile accident late last night.

Astoria—Effective today sweeping reductions in prices of lumber will be made in the Astoria yards, it was announced today.

Portland—A. M. Fry and his associates of Aurora, Ore., have applied to the controller of the currency at Washington, D. C., for a charter for a bank with a capital of \$25,000 to be opened at Aurora and known as the Liberty National Bank.

Portland—With a full quota of state officers and delegates in attendance, the annual convention of the state council of the Knights of Columbus opened here Monday.

Baker—Baker is to become the official headquarters of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen for the district comprising Baker, Grant, Union and Wallowa counties and the southeastern part of Idaho.

Portland—Value of cargoes cleared from Portland for offshore destination during the month of May total more than \$4,300,000 according to figures tabulated from records kept by the merchant's exchange.

Editors Discuss Paper Shortage At Convention

Boston, June 1—The newspaper shortage was discussed Monday at the National Editorial association annual convention here. A resolution, unanimously adopted and forwarded to Chairman Porter of the house foreign relations committee urged the passage of senate joint resolution No. 152, designed to afford immediate relief in the emergency and to benefit country newspapers.

President P. T. Dodge, of the International Paper company, predicted higher prices for newsprint due to threatened rise in freight rates and wage demands by labor.

Abe Martin

Charles came home this morning full of enthusiasm for John and his business capabilities. "I tell you, Katherine," he said, "that husband of yours is one of the best business men I have ever met. He put his hand right on the weak spot of the whole matter."

Little children now use for seven-cent cents instead of a penny.

RESTORE LOCAL REPRESENTATION.

Complaint against the selection of four out of the five Marion county legislative candidates from Salem at the recent republican primaries is voiced by the Silvertown Tribune as giving Salem an undue proportion of representation at the expense of the county.

There were fourteen candidates in the field and other sections were well represented with candidates, but they failed to receive the county-wide support essential to nominate.

The primary is a free-for-all and any one can enter. There is no way of selecting a ticket or slate in which all sections would have representation.

Under the present method, the result is the same in every county—candidates from the largest city comprise the bulk of the county legislative delegation.

It is questionable whether, even with local men representing the various districts, the county would really be the gainer, for the county is such a small unit that the interest of one section is the interest of all sections.

The successful candidates are fairly representative of the entire county. Though four of them come from the largest city, no section of the county is likely to suffer.

Moves of the ouija board are not due to ghostly fingers but to the action of the sub-conscious mind of the operator, stated Dr. J. Allen Gilbert of the medical school of the University of Oregon at the annual meeting of the alumni at Portland.

EXPLAINING THE OUIJA.

"Everyone has a storehouse of sub-conscious knowledge from which he draws," declares Dr. Gilbert, "through without knowing it. Ouija does not move of its own accord, nor is it moved by powers outside the individual manipulating it."

The underlying principle is the psychological state which reflects every action in the imagination before there is a muscular response. This condition is sub-conscious and is in proportion to the asendancy which the sub-conscious gains over the conscious that the muscular reflex gains definiteness.

An extract from Herbert Hoover's cablegram from Paris, July 23, 1919, regarding sugar policies reads: "Any continuation of control will require action by congress and it must embrace appropriations, the continuation of power and embargo, control of speculation, profiteering and distribution."

The federal supreme court has decided the referendum amendments to state constitutions are inoperative insofar as they affect ratification of federal amendments.

Rippling Rhymes

I'm at La Jolla, by the sea; the view is something fine, with large blue billows rolling free—five thousand miles of brine. The grand old ocean is my lawn, it slopes against my door; no dandelions grow thereon, to make my spirit sore.

LOVE and MARRIED LIFE

By the Noted Author IDAH McGLONE GIBSON

Woman's Intuition: Charles came home this morning full of enthusiasm for John and his business capabilities. "I tell you, Katherine," he said, "that husband of yours is one of the best business men I have ever met. He put his hand right on the weak spot of the whole matter."

G. O. P. Convention Snap-Shots

THE STORY OF 16 NOMINATIONS

By A. H. VANDENBERG

Thirteenth Convention: The thirteenth republican national convention met in Chicago June 21, 1904. Mark Hanna—chairman of the national committee, and perhaps the most cartooned man in American public life—had died February 15 previous, and the gathering was called to order by Vice-Chairman Henry C. Payne.

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Oh, John would say I was a goose. "Well, I'd write it to him," said Charles.

That's all right, you write him. He'll take it from you, but he wouldn't take it from me.

Denver, Colo.—Two express "packages," each consisting of a little negro boy, recently passed through Denver on route from Topeka, Kansas, to Ogden, Utah. Orville Skaggs, eight years old, was package No. 1, while his brother, Lester, six years old, was package No. 2.

The boys, though, saw to it that another rule, which provides that animals must be fed at all junction points and wherever else it may be necessary was not suspended.

Famous Coach Outlines Rules To Condition Men

Philadelphia.—Lawson Robertson, coach of the University of Pennsylvania track team, in announcing his training rules for the present season, urges his athletes to make the Olympic Games the goal of their athletic aspirations.

Scientists Plan Exploration Of Pacific Ocean

San Francisco.—The project to scientifically explore the resources of the Pacific Ocean will be further advanced by the scientists who will gather at Seattle, June 17-19 for the fourth annual meeting of the Pacific Division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Merchants Will Discuss Lever Act At Sessions

San Francisco.—Merchants of national standing will discuss the Lever act, designed to prevent profiteering, at the National Retail Dry Goods association here June 2 and 3.

Dr. D. T. McDougal, director of the Desert Laboratory of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, will present a paper at this meeting in which a discussion will be made of some of the biological and physical barriers which limit the distribution of plants.



Timothy Turtle was glad that Johnnie Green was gone. But he was far from happy, lying helplessly on his back on the bank of Black Creek.



"I'll be sick." at once that Timothy Turtle knew next to nothing about boys.

Why? Timothy snapped out his question in an angry tone, as he lay there upside down and stared at old Mr. Crow, who sat in a tree nearby.

Yank Ingenuity Triumphs. Philadelphia.—Yank Ingenuity has triumphed in far off Belgium. The American steamer Opus built at Hog Island last May as an oil barge, ran short of fuel at Matsul, Captain H. Kerr managed in 11 hours to convert her into a coal burner.

When anything happens to your automobile, even a very little thing, you stop at a motor service station at once and have the trouble remedied.



A Service Station for Eyes

When anything happens to your automobile, even a very little thing, you stop at a motor service station at once and have the trouble remedied. But when something happens to your eyes, how apt you are to let it go from day to day, putting off the bother of finding out whether anything serious is really the matter.

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