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PRICE TWO CENTS ON TRAINS AND NEWS
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ORDER TURKS TO RETIRE

Record Crowd for a Rainy Day at the Fair

Klan Seeks Capture of Senate

Defeat of Cusick of Linn As Senator and Capture of Senate organization by Election of Moser as President of Senate

(By Harry N. Crain.)
Complete domination of the legislature by the Ku Klux Klan, of course, not be effective unless the control the organization of the senate as well as the house of representatives, where they are spending every effort to seat K. K. Kuhl as speaker, and to this end they are now seeking to elect Gus Moser of Multnomah county to the presidency of the senate.
As the alignment of the senators now stands E. D. Cusick, republican nominee for the joint senatorship of Linn and Lane counties, looms head and shoulders above Moser and Senator Eddy of Roseburg in the contest. Happily for his candidacy he is not only acceptable to the eastern Oregon delegations, despite the fact that he hails from the Willamette valley, but is being openly endorsed by such eastern Oregon leaders as Bruce Dennis of Union county and Jay Upton of Deschutes. On the face of things some political observers have gone so far as to concede the election of Cusick, but not so with Moser and his Ku Klux support.
Moser Claims Success.
Moser, without quoting figures to indicate wherein actually lies his strength, is reported to have made the flat statement that he already has enough pledged votes to insure the success of his campaign. That Eddy is to be the loser if Moser has the support he

DRIZZLE FAILS TO SCARE OFF FAIR VISITORS

Today Dedicated to Farmers and to Good Roads Buildings are Thronged Few Brave Showers.

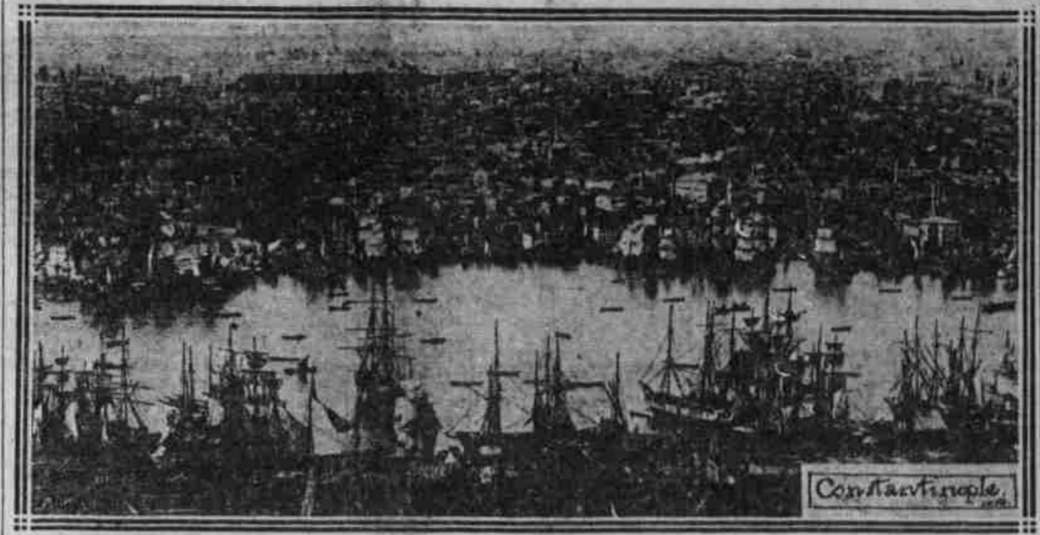
Gray, formidable skies and a persistent drizzle of rain failed utterly to dampen the spirits of the 10,000 persons who passed through the gates of the 61st Oregon state fair today and the many buildings on the grounds were jammed with spectators milling about from one display to another. Unquestionably, however, the size of the crowd was materially reduced by the uncertain weather and postponement of the afternoon's racing program, announced shortly before noon, brought regret to scores of fans.
At noon today, however, the clouds gave evidence of disappearing and fair officials expressed the hope that tomorrow and Thursday, always the biggest of the week, will find clear weather.
Is Farmers Day at Fair.
Today is dedicated to the farmers of Oregon and to good roads. In the agricultural building, which, perhaps, held the most popular of all exhibits, judging of various county exhibits began this morning but, it was predicted, the awards will not be made public until tomorrow afternoon. Sixteen counties have prepared displays and their unusual excellence has brought forth innumerable comments of a complimentary nature. Photographers were busy in the pavilion throughout the morning.
Layman, as well as accomplished florists, expressed pleasurable surprise at the extent and beauty of the floral exhibit offered this year under the direction of James Forbes of Portland. Approximately 30 professionals have entries in the show and about 15 amateurs are competing for honors. The flowers are displayed in the center of the agricultural pavilion.
Girls Canning Club.
In the educational building canning demonstrations were given this morning by the girls' canning club of Clatsop county. At 10 o'clock the Stoudenmeyer band concert, originally to have been given in the open, was offered in the auditorium at the pavilion.
This afternoon at 2 o'clock the girls of the Washington canning club gave a demonstration and Mrs. R. Bruce Horsfall gave an informal talk on the Metropolitan exhibit in the art department in the pavilion.
A distinct feature of tonight's program will be the appearance of the 51-piece Columbia women's orchestra of Portland. The orchestra, which Mrs. Calvin Coolidge characterized as the finest organization of its kind she had found in the United States, will be heard in the auditorium of the pavilion.
Tonight the horse show, featuring fine hunter classes, is expected to draw large crowds. Stoudenmeyer's band will be in the stand.
Among those who viewed with concern the threatening weather are the scores of concession operators. A continuance of rain, it is known, will cost these men and women many thousands of dollars while clear skies will assure them of something more than a fair return on the money which they have invested. One man, proprietor of a restaurant on the grounds, is said to have paid \$1500 for his concession. If fair weather is seen during the remainder of the week he will make hundreds of dollars, but at best he hopes to break even.
Police officials at the grounds said today, so far, the crowds have been unusually orderly.

ALLIED TERMS APPROVED BY UNITED STATES

Secretary Hughes Voices Unequivocal Approval of Proposals to Insure Freedom of Straits.

Washington, Sept. 26.—(By Associated Press.)—The unequivocal approval by the Washington government of allied proposals to insure freedom of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus and also to protect racial and religious minorities in Turkish territories involved in the present Near Eastern situation was expressed by Secretary Hughes today in reply to an inquiry addressed to him by the Associated Press.
The question submitted sought to ascertain "the attitude of the government of the United States toward the proposals made by the allies to the Turkish nationalist authorities." Mr. Hughes declined to comment on the territorial questions raised, but made clear the attitude of the administration on the other points involved.
"The American government is gratified," said Mr. Hughes, "to observe that the proposal of the three allied governments seeks to insure effectively 'the liberty of the Dardanelles, the sea of Marmora and the Bosphorus as well as protection of racial and religious minorities.' These points of the proposal are clearly in accord with American sentiment.
"This government also trusts that suitable arrangement may be agreed upon in the interest of peace to preserve the freedom of the straits pending the conference to conclude a final treaty of peace between Turkey, Greece and the allies."

Attempt Is Made to Burn Constantinople



Mustapha Kemal, Commander-in-Chief of the Turkish Nationalist forces of the Angora Government, having captured and burned Smyrna, is reported to have sent an ultimatum to the Allies, demanding that Constantinople be turned over to him within fifteen days and that he be permitted to occupy Thrace. The British answer was to dig in in the Dardanelles and despatch an unusually large force of troops and ships to Constantinople.

BRITISH SEND ULTIMATUM TO KEMAL GIVING 48 HOURS TO EVACUATE DARDANELLES

General Harrington Warns Turks to Retreat From Kum Kalesi or British Will Open Attack; Kemal Insists That Military Movements Continue and Situation Becomes Increasingly Serious.

Constantinople, Sept. 26.—(4:45 p.m.)—General Harrington, the British commander in chief here, sent an ultimatum today to Mustapha Kemal at Smyrna by wireless giving him 48 hours from the receipt of the telegram to withdraw his forces from Kom Kaleh (Kum Kalesi) at the entrance to the Dardanelles.
General Harrington is urging Hamid Bey, the Turkish nationalist representative here, to notify Kemal Pasha by wireless of the grave responsibility he will incur if he compels the allies to expel these forces.
It is understood a sufficient time limit will be given for these communications.

Constantinople, Sept. 26.—(By Associated Press.)—Another body of a thousand Turkish cavalry crossed the neutral zone from Biglia today. This movement is like that at Eren Keul, apparently concerted before the receipt of the allied note. General Harrington, the British commander, was said to be exhausting every channel to obtain a pacific withdrawal of both forces.
More Turks Advance
Constantinople, Sept. 26.—(By Associated Press.)—Simultaneously with their occupation yesterday of Eren Keul, it is learned, the Turkish nationalists also took possession of Kum Kalesi, at the mouth of the Dardanelles. The occupying forces consisted of cavalry.
Seizure of these places constitutes a violation of the neutral zone of the straits. Both are directly on the straits, Eren Keul being between Kum Kalesi and Chanak which latter place is held by the British.
The Kemalists have an entire cavalry corps at Adramyti, 50 miles southeast of Chanak.
The Turkish situation reached another critical stage today. Kemal Pasha's reply to the allied governments has been made known at Constantinople by his aide de camp, and is an acceptance of proposed conditions, but with the insistence that the Turkish military movements shall proceed and that Russia, Bulgaria and Persia shall be admitted to the proposed peace conference.
Situation is Serious
The military situation has become increasingly serious. The Turkish forces have occupied Kum Kalesi, at the mouth of the Dardanelles, commanding the entrance to the straits, with a cavalry force. Another nationalist cavalry force 3000 strong is at Eren Keul, 10 miles from the British lines of Chanak.
Soviet Russia has sent a note to the allied powers, the Balkan states and Egypt proposing an immediate Near Eastern conference in the hope, it says, of saving southeastern Europe from a threatened new outbreak of blood shed, and giving warning that Russia will refuse to recognize any decision regarding the Dardanelles to which she is not a party.
Conference Set for October 2
The armistice conference has been set by the allied high commander for October 2 at Mudania. Constantinople reports give indication of the abdication of the sultan of Turkey and the selection of a successor acceptable to Kemal Pasha.
Venizelos is now figuring in the political discussion at Athens. The former premier is mentioned as one of the members of the nationalist cabinet which will seek to reconcile the Constantinian and Venizelos element in a movement to assure a united Greece in this critical juncture for the nation.

AWARDS MADE FLORAL EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

Awards in what was generally conceded to be the greatest floral exhibit ever offered at an Oregon state fair were made public shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon. David Masterton of Eugene, J. D. Laing of the Oregon Agricultural college and C. B. Clancey of Salem served as judges.
Awards were made as follows:
Collection of green house plants—First, Clarke Brothers; second, Rahn Herbert Co.; third, Grant Wilson & Gehr, all of Portland.
Collection of ferns—First, Craut Wilson & Gehr; second, Clarke Brothers; third, Rahn Herbert company.
Carnations—First, F. Weideman; second, F. M. Young, both of Portland.
Collection of cut flowers—First, T. Luke; second, Clarke Brothers; third, Holdens' Florists.
Collection of roses—First, Clarke Brothers; second, T. Luke.
Hardy plants and evergreens—First, J. B. Picketton; second, H. E. Weed; third, J. W. Maruy.
Best display of gladioli—Gill Brothers.
Best display of perennials—First, H. E. Wood; second, J. W. Maruy; third, H. Clemons.
Best floral basket—First, Clarke Brothers; second, Holdens.
About 30 professionals were entered in the contest.

\$110 IN FINES FROM MOTORISTS

Traffic law violators arraigned before Justice of the Peace Glenn Unruh this morning contributed \$110 to the county funds for their illegal acts.
Two citizens of Toledo, Oregon, were among the violators picked up yesterday afternoon by H. L. Griffith, state traffic officer. A. J. Jacobson, charged with operating his car on the highway while in an intoxicated condition, paid a fine of \$25 this morning, and W. E. Preston, of the same city, contributed twice. On the count of having improper license cards on his car he was fined \$15, and he was assessed \$35 for driving his machine while intoxicated.
Robert Cress of Spokane paid \$26 for operating his auto without taking the trouble of buying any license at all, and J. H. Brooks of Portland left \$15 with Judge Unruh to pay for mending the speed laws that he broke.
As Henry Ford only has \$160,000 cash in hand, one can understand his hesitation about buying coal.

GRECIAN-TURK PEACE MEETING ON OCTOBER 2

Constantinople, Sept. 26.—(By the Associated Press.)—The armistice conference to arrange for the cessation of hostilities between the Greeks and Turkish nationalists will be held at Mudania on or about October 2, provided the Angora government accepts the provisional peace terms outlined in the note from the allied powers.
This was decided at a council of the allied high commissioners held yesterday afternoon in the British embassy, and attended by Hamid Bey, representative of the nationalists. Hamid asked for pledges from the British government that the positions around Chanak be not reinforced during the progress of the negotiations.
Rear Admiral Mark L. Bristol, American high commissioner, did not participate in the council, but it is understood the United States will have an observer at the final peace conference.
The Angora government has protested to the allies against the presence in the Bosphorus of the Greek flagship Averoff, which it alleges infringes the neutrality of the Constantinople region.
The remaining members of the Greek military mission, the re-formation of the Greek naval base, which was discontinued yesterday and prominent members of the Greek colony have boarded the Averoff, which is leaving shortly for Athens.
Dail Approves Constitution
Istanbul, Sept. 26.—(By the Associated Press.)—Consideration of the new Irish constitution is progressing steadily at the parliament session here and already ten articles of the 78 have passed the committee stage of approval.

PRUNES LIKELY TO SUFFER IF RAIN CONTINUES

Continuance of the rain of last night and today will be disastrous to the prune crop of the Central Willamette valley, according to the opinions of growers and dealers today. So far, they assert, the precipitation has not been sufficiently heavy to damage the crop, but they estimate that the prunes still on the trees will crack if the rain continues.
Up to this time everything has been favorable for a record crop of the fruit, and growers have been looking forward to a chance to recuperate from the adverse market and growing conditions of the past two years. It is estimated that about one third of the crop, the first one picked, has already been delivered to the dryers.
Shortage of help, which has been prevalent throughout the season, is being aggravated by the bad weather growers declare, many of the pickers quitting the orchards this morning and others made ready to leave if the rain should continue.

BRISK DEMAND SENDS DAIRY PRODUCTS UP

Portland, Or., Sept. 26.—Light production and brisk shipping demand were given as the reason for the price advances in the early market here today. The wholesale price of butter was up two cents to 45 cents per prints at creameries. Tillamook cheese advanced two cents to 28 cents wholesale. Eggs took a three cent jump, with select henneries and broilers listed at 43 to 45 cents in the jobbing market.

WALTERS DENIED NEW TRIAL BY SUPREME COURT

The judgment of Judge Robert Tucker of the Multnomah county circuit court sentencing Husted Walters to hang for the murder of Jerome Walters, Portland policeman, is affirmed by the Oregon supreme court in an opinion written by Justice Harris and handed down by the court this morning.
The opinion points out that "the defendant was ably defended. He had a fair trial. The record of his trial is free from prejudicial error."
The crime for which Walters was sentenced to hang was committed on the night of November 17, 1920.

Lane County Case

The court this morning also denied a petition for a rehearing in the case of Calkins vs. Lane county. This case involved the use of market road funds on state highways. The Lane county circuit court had held that market road funds were created for a specific purpose, the improvement of market roads, and could not be diverted to use on state highways. This decree was affirmed by the supreme court in an opinion several weeks ago and a rehearing of the case is now denied. The holding of the courts in this case is said to affect highway improvement activities in many Oregon counties.
Other opinions were handed down by the court today as follows:
Other Opinions Rendered.
State of Oregon vs. Marshall Fraser, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; appeal from judgment of conviction for violation of blue sky law. Opinion by Justice McCourt; Judge W. N. Gatens affirmed.
Ivy Hansen-Rynning, as administratrix of estate of David Hansen, deceased, et al, vs. Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company, appellant; appeal from Clatsop county; suit to recover damages. Opinion by Justice Rand; Judge J. A. Eakin affirmed.
Raymond Derrick by S. G. Derrick, father and guardian ad litem, vs. Portland Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat hospital, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; suit to recover \$10,000 damages. Opinion by Justice Brown; Judge W. N. Gatens affirmed.
H. S. Curry, et al, vs. W. L. Smith, appellant; appeal from Baker county; controversy over title to property. Opinion by Justice McBride; decree of Judge Dalton Biggs modified.
Motion to dismiss granted in Western Loan & Building company vs. Nichols.

TOM WATSON PASSES AWAY

Washington, Sept. 25.—United States Senator Thomas E. Watson of Georgia died suddenly at his home here early today. Death was said to be due to an acute attack of asthma, from which Senator Watson had suffered recurrently for some years.
Although failing health has interrupted Senator Watson's attendance at senate sessions frequently in the last several months, he was in his seat Friday when the senate adjourned and his friends believed that he was then showing improvement. He was stricken suddenly after dinner last night and passed away shortly after 3 o'clock this morning. He was 66 years of age.
Members of the senator's family and a number of close friends were at his bedside when he died.
During the first year and a half of his term in the senate, to which he was elected in 1920 after receiving the nomination over Senator Hugh M. Dorsey, Senator Watson gave no indication of any impairment of the vigor and activity which had marked his long career in politics and as a publisher. In his last speech in the senate, delivered only a week ago last Wednesday, the Georgia senator severely criticized the administration for its course in connection with the rail strike situation.
His previous attacks on the administration and most notably his charges of illegal hangings in the American expeditionary forces, the subject of exhaustive investigation by a senate committee, had made him a conspicuous figure in the senate body during his brief service there.

Anti-war Democrat

In the senator's own language given in his biographical sketch in the congressional directory, he

EIGHT SALEM MEN ADMITTED TO BAR

The names of eight Salem men are included in the list of 68 successful applicants to the Oregon bar made public by the supreme court this morning. The Salem men who are to be admitted to the practice of law as a result of the recent examinations are Raymond H. Bennett, James B. Beddingfield, Allan Carson, Clyde R. Ellis, Carl T. Pope, Bernard Ramsey, Donald T. Randall and Ernest Rowland Woods.

FAIR BOARD'S AXE IS OUT FOR WEATHER MAN

The state fair board has its axe out for the weather man. Today they are betting, with a prayer in undertone, on the predictions of the "old timers," who stood on one foot and then the other around the gates of the grounds, cast anxious glances at the sky and, along about noon, predicted in unison that Wednesday would be greeted with sunshine and balmy breezes.
How strong the fair officials bank on the unofficial predictions is indicated by the preparations they are making to entertain the largest crowd that ever entered the grounds tomorrow, Salem day.
"Unless these old friends go back on us," said Secretary Lea this morning, indicating the pioneer weather prophets who hung close to the shelter of the portico of the administration building, "we are going to smash all attendance records tomorrow. And that means some crowd. Last year around 40,000 people entered the grounds on Salem day."
In one way fair patrons who attend tomorrow will profit by the inclemency of the weather today, especially the race fans. Today's race program, postponed by reason of the muddy condition of the track, will probably be run off Wednesday, giving the spectators a double racing card for the day.

CHERRIAN'S GUESTS OF PORTLAND ROSARIANS

Through a letter received by Wm. McGlebrist, Jr., King Bing of the Cherrians, the Rosarians have extended an invitation for the Cherrians to be their guests at a banquet to be held at the state fair grounds on Portland day, Thursday of this week. The banquet is to be held at 11 o'clock in the morning at the Christian church restaurant.
The letter signed by O. C. Bortz meyer, secretary of state for the Rosarians, says that the Portland delegation will attend the fair in a body with their forty five piece band. The letter further states that they think the fair as much theirs as Salem's and in order to show their appreciation of the hospitality always shown them when here are making the invitation.
Arrested Here Today
Chas. H. Westeraft, wanted in Willows, Cal., on a felony charge, was arrested here this morning by Deputy Sheriff Barber and is being held in the county jail awaiting arrival of an officer from Willows, who is expected tomorrow.