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LIGHTNING STRIKES FORT

FAIR THRONGS INCREASE WITH CLEAR SKIES

Last Two Days of Week Expected to Bring Attendance up to Average —Few From Portland.

Clearing skies, both here and in other parts of western Oregon, led J. E. McClintock, veteran chief of the state fair, to predict that tomorrow, riday, is to be the banner day of the week in the matter of attendance and a near record-breaker for state fair crowds. He based his prediction on the knowledge that the total attendance at state fairs runs about the same from year to year, and that so far this year the crowds have been comparatively small. Thousands of people are determined to visit the fair, he points out, but they have been putting it off in hopes that the weather would clear. If it does clear and stay clear they will all be on hand—even if the rain continues most of them will come anyway.

Today's crowd is running far below that of last year, when Thursday set a record for attendance, but is keeping up well in view of the weather conditions. Mr. McClintock estimated this afternoon that over 15,000 people would pass through the gates before they close tonight.

Sunshine Brings Crowd.

Thinning of the clouds and the occasional appearance of the sun from 9 o'clock this morning on began to bring out the crowds from Salem and the surrounding country and by 10 o'clock there was a steady string passing through the gates. Nearly as many students as attended yesterday, Salem Day, were on the grounds at noon.

The first perceptable swelling of the attendance over yesterday came with the arrival of the special and regular morning trains from Portland and the south. Three trains pulling in between 10 and 11 o'clock discharged nearly 1000 people at the depot in front of the gates, and this number of visitors was augmented by hundreds of others who came by automobile.

Autos Bringing Many.

Early this morning the customary heavy auto travel of Portland Day over the highway from the north looked like it would not materialize. The first arrivals from Portland reported rain in that city, and those coming shortly after said that the clouds were breaking and that many people who had almost given up attending the fair today were planning to drive down this afternoon. A constantly increasing line of traffic over the highway up until afternoon caused the police to reinforce the traffic guard at the entrance to the city and to the north in anticipation of congestion early in the afternoon.

Rosarians Arrive.

Arrival of the Royal Rosarians with their band at 9:30 started the official fireworks for the day and from then on the program moved forward swiftly. Most of the events of the morning centered around the Rosarians and Cherians, who were out in force to welcome the Portland marchers. The official entrance of the Rosarians came at 11 o'clock, when their band marched through the gates and led the Rosarians and Cherians in parade around the grounds to the Christian Church restaurant, where the Salem Cherians were the guests of their Portland brothers at luncheon.

As was the case yesterday, all of the exhibit buildings were crowded today, but there was also a good sized crowd on the grounds at all times, and the concession men along the midway began to smile for the first time this week.

An abundance of music added materially to the general "happy-go-lucky" atmosphere of the grounds today, five bands and the Cherians fife and drum corps being kept busy throughout the morning and afternoon.

GREEK ARMY NOW CLAMORS FOR REPUBLIC

Prince George Indicates Willingness to Accept Crown; Constantine Is Forced Out.

London, Sept. 28.—By The Associated Press.—Crown Prince George of Greece has indicated his intention to accept the throne, relinquished by his father, according to a message from authoritative sources in Athens.

(An Athens dispatch timed 12:10 yesterday said Crown Prince George would take the oath during the afternoon. Nothing later was received to show that this program was carried out.)

There is no word as to the whereabouts of Constantine.

Both Athens and Saloniki are reported to be quiet and under control of revolutionaries. It is too early to estimate the direction the revolution is taking but in authoritative circles it is looked upon as tending to support former Premier Venizelos.

Want A Republic.

Athens, Sept. 27.—(By The Associated Press.)—It is reported that a section of the revolutionary army is imbued with the idea of a republic and that the accession of King George may be accompanied by many difficulties.

An impressive pro-Venizelist demonstration occured in the city tonight. Thousands of persons, including some of the troops, paraded the streets singing and acclaiming Venizelos and waving portraits of the former premier. The throng marched to the French legation crying "viva France."

The revolutionists have entered the city and occupied all the strategic points and ministeries.

King's Abdication.

Athens, Sept. 28.—(By The Associated Press.)—King Constantine's abdication came after dramatic scenes, wit hthe palace surrounded by an angry mob of revolutionists demanding his dethronement.

It was not until the mob threatened to seize the person of the sovereign that an emissary appeared at a window of the palace and announced the abdication.

General Papoulas had previously been sent to treat with the revolutionists, but, finding his entreaties unavailing, joined their cause himself. The government then sent a second envoy, but the mob was obdurate declaring:

"We are resolved to dethrone the author of Greece's misery!"

FIND TEACHERS UNDER PAID

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 28.—The county school superintendents and teachers of the state of Washington are underpaid and that many teachers in this state are not sufficiently trained to teach in elementary schools, was the belief expressed by President D. B. Waldo of Bellingham State Normal school before the Washington Education association convention here today.

Washington must pay better salaries if it expects to maintain and increase the standards of its school system," said President Waldo. "Teaching standards should be raised by requiring at least two years of professional training for grade school teachers and four years of training for high school teachers. Washington is not the only state that has flimsy teachers' requirements. Seventy-five per cent of the teachers in this country are not properly trained for the teaching profession."

Unless coal reaches the bins shortly, the only place many Americans will be warm this winter will be under the collar.

Fair Exhibits To Remain In Place Until Last Minute

Playing to the fair weather promised for the end of the week to give thousands of people who have been kept away by the rain an opportunity to view the exhibits of the state fair in their entirety, the members of the fair board this morning announced that the rule prohibiting exhibitor from removing exhibits, or any portion of an exhibit from the display spaces before Saturday night would be enforced to the letter.

In past years late comers have found many of the exhibits practically dismantled when they arrived on Friday and Saturday, and the exhibitors busy packing up.

"This year there is to be none of that," said one member of the board this morning. "When the exhibitors place their exhibits here they do it with the understanding that the exhibit is to remain in place and be kept up throughout the entire week. And we are going to see to it that they do this. They have got plenty of time to pack up and get away after the fair closes Saturday night."

To further strengthen the attractions for the end of the week it was announced today that the racing card for Saturday afternoon would be doubled. This is to be accomplished by running the two races scheduled for Tuesday afternoon that were called off on account of rain.

As it now stands the Saturday afternoon racing card will include four harness races as follows: 2.24 pace, purse $600; 2:16 trot, purse $600; free for all trot, purse $600; free for all pace, purse $600.

Unless more rain falls between now and Saturday afternoon the Lone Oak track will be in prime condition, and it is predicted that the battle for the $2400 in purse money will be the stellar card of the week's racing program.

SUPREME COURT ACTS ON FRIDAY

Arguments on the merits of the injunction suit instituted by S. S. Johnson and Robert Macveagh of Portland to restrain Secretary of State Kozer from placing the exposition measure on the November ballot will be heard by the supreme court sitting en banc at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

Arguments were presented before the court this morning on the advancement of the case on the docket which was granted by Chief Justice Burnett.

The case was taken to the supreme court on appeal from the decree of Judge Kelly of the Marion county circuit court in dismissing the complaint after the plaintiffs had refused to make the same "more definite and certain" as demanded in a demurrer filed by the attorney general's office and sustained by Judge Kelly.

175 CANDIDATES SEEK 109 OFFICES

A total of 175 candidates are competing for the 109 state offices to be filled at the November election, according to the official list which has been prepared by Secretary of State Kozer for certification to the various county clerks of the state. Of the 174 candidates 78 are labelled as republicans, 57 as democrats, 27 as republican-democrats, 8 as independents and 4 as industrial laborites and one, T. M. Kerrigan, public service commissioner, has no political designation.

The withdrawal of Charles Hall from the gubernatorial contest leaves the race for that office between Governor Olcott, incumbent, and Walter M. Pierce of La Grande, the democratic candidate. State Treasurer O. P. Hoff will be unopposed for re-election as also will be W. C. Hawley, republican, congressman from the first district.

De Valera Separates From Chief of Staff Following Quarrel

Dublin, Sept. 28.—(By Associated Press.)—Eamon DeValera, leader of the Irish republican forces, and Liam Lynch, chief of staff of the Irish republican army, have parted, according to extracts of correspondence seized by the Free State forces and read by General Murphy, commander of the national army, in the session of the Dail Eireann yesterday. They showed that very unhappy relations have existed between the two for some time.

NO BLOOD TEST IN CASE AGAINST HARRY TIERNAN

Chicago, Sept. 28.—John P. Tiernan, Notre Dame law professor, his wife and baby "Billy," whose father Mrs. Tiernan says is Harry Poulin, haberdasher of South Bend, Ind., had returned to South Bend today after a futile effort to persuade Dr. Albert Abrams, California scientist, to make a private blood test in support of Tiernan's claim that he is not the father of his wife's third child.

With a decision expected Saturday from Judge Ducomb in the paternity suit at South Bend, Dr. Abrams refused to make the test privately, or on Tiernan alone without instructions from the court. Poulin had refused to submit to the blood test, which has a legal status in California.

Regardless of Judge Ducomb's decision, if it frees Poulin of the charge, Professor Tiernan said he would contiue his efforts to prove his former friend, the haberdasher, is "Billy's" father.

While here, Professor Tiernan explained the impulse which impelled him to question publicly the paternity of his wife's third child. It was an impulse based on a fervent belief in the "single standard," he said.

"I submitted my wife and myself to the ugly glare of publicity solely that justice might be done," he said. "The time has come when man must stand on the same moral plane with woman."

260 Students Poisoned

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 28.—A roll call at Woodlawn high school today showed 260 students absent as a result of food poisoning yesterday. Investigation indicated that the students were poisoned by eating sandwiches made from ground beef, cabbage, celery and pickles at the school cafeteria.

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NEAR EASTERN CRISIS GROWS MORE CRITICAL

Abdication of King Alters British Policy—Likely to Fight Turks' With Greeks.

London, Sept. 28.—(By The Associated Press.)—At the close of this afternoon's meeting of the cabinet, it was stated that the situation was regarded as increasingly critical. A third meeting of the cabinet will be held this evening.

London, Sept. 28.—(By Associated Press.)—The abdication of King Constantine of Greece, making again possible cooperation between Prime Minister Lloyd-George and Ex-Premier Venizelos, may cause a lightning change in Great Britain's policy toward the Turks, according to well informed circles here today.

It is asserted that a possible new conjunction of these two former co-workers is the explanation of the studied attitude of pessimism which since yesterday has been radiating from No. 10 Downing street, where today much apprehension was expressed regarding possible warlike acts of the Turks near Chanak.

Work With Venizelos.

With Constantine out of the way, it is said there will be once more a chance of reorganizing the best forces of Greece under Venizelos, whose Cretan soldiers were the backbone of the army until Constantine replaced the officers with his own sympathizers, especially with generals untrained and unexperienced in the great wars.

It is pointed out that the present revolutionists in Greece are reported to be not only pro-Venizelist, but pro-ally, and further that they are men who believe heart and soul in the greater Greece. It is not believed that they will yield Thrace, at least to the Turks, without a struggle.

Army to Aid British.

With a reasonable sized Greek army of 20,000 or 30,000 men in Thrace or else at the disposition of the British leaders now at Chanak or Constantinople it is not doubted among military observers familiar with the situation that an entirely new phase of the whole Near East situation is being approached.

It is generally reported that Mr. Lloyd-George was reluctant to abandon the policy toward the Turks which had been pursued for three years and that it was at a moment of pressure that he yielded to the French argument that the Turks be permitted to re-enter Europe, where they had long been,

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HALL FILES HIS WITHDRAWAL

Pointing out that "other candidates for the office of governor are advocating principles which I wish to have clearly presented to the electorate," Charles Hall of Marshfield today filed with Secretary of State Kozer his formal withdrawal as an independent candidate for governor.

An injunction proceedig asking that the secretary of state be restrained from including Hall's name on the November ballot is now pending in the circuit court of Marion county. This proceeding was started after attorney general Van Winkle had prepared an opinion holding that as an administrative officer the secretary of state had no authority to pass upon Hall's qualifications as a candidate and must therefore include his name on the ballot even though under the Oregon election law he might not legally become a candidate having been defeated for a party nomination in the primaries.

Venizelos Refuses to Discuss Attitude Toward Greek Affairs

Paris, Sept. 28.—(By Associated Press.)—"I wish to be considered as dead" was the reply of Eliptherios Venizelos to a question as to the part he might play under the new government in Greece, says the Deauville correspondent of the Petite Parisien. Forty-five other correspondents had telegraphed to the former premier asking information but his reply to all was not to trouble him.

M. Venizelos maintains the even with his intimate friends. same impenetrable reserve,

M'CROSKEY WINS MAIN AWARDS FOR CLYDESDALES

All four of the main awards for Clydesdale horses were taken by Robert C. McCroskey of Garfield, Washington, it was announced by the judges today. Additional awards for Belgians were also made public this morning.

In the Clydesdale class McCroskey took senior champion stallion on Hopes Pride, junior and grand champion stallion on Prince, senior champion mare on June and junior and grand champion mare on Garfield Belle.

For stallions, four years or over, McCroskey took first, while second and third were taken by J. E. Ownbey of Salem. For stallions three years of age, McCroskey registered first again. J. H. Booster of Woodburn took first for stallions of one year.

McCroskey took first award for a mare and suckling colt and first and second honor on a mare of two years. For a mare of one year, Mr. Croskey took first and Booster took second. McCroskey took first and second for a filly under one year and first and second for four colts, either sex. McCroskey also was given first prize for five animals owned by exhibitor.

In Belgians, J. J. Frey of Dallas took senior champion stallion on Louis A. C. Ruby of Portland took junior and grand champion on Iams; Ruby took senior and grand champion mare on Christobel and also junior champion mare on Irma.

In English shires Ruby took senior champion stallion on George B; H. W. Merritt took senior and grand champion mare on Martha Washington; junior and grand champion on Prince and junior champion mare on Nancy Lee.

W. C. T. U. WILL MEET AT FAIR TOMORROW

One of the special numbers on the state fair program for Friday afternoon is the special meeting of the state W. C. T. U. at the auditorium at 3 o'clock, when a program of addresses on timely topics will be the order. The speakers for the session are:

Mrs. Ada Wallace Cornuh of Portland, campaign manager for the association's Children's' Farm home, who will speak on the progress of the campaign; Hrs. Helen Ayer Davenport, state superintendent of the W. C. T. U., speaking on "Americanization;" Mrs. Mary L. Mallett, state president, on "Prohibition vs Patriotism;" Mrs. E. L. Bueland, state superintendent, on "Work that Remains."

TOU VELLE NOMINATED FOR STATE TREASURER

Portland, Sept. 28.—The democratic state committee at a special meeting today, nominated Judge Frank L. Tou Velle, former county judge of Jackson county, as democratic candidate for state treasurer, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Milton Miller, who was nominated at the primary election.

FEDERATION EXTENDS AID TO STRIKERS

In Defiance of Daugherty's Injunction, State Labor Body Goes on Record.

In open defiance of the injunction recently secured by Attorney General Daugherty against the extension of aid or encouragement to the striking railroad shopmen, the Oregon State Federation of Labor in session here this morning adopted, by unanimous vote, and without argument, a resolution urging that all labor organizations within the state extend financial aid to the members of the railroad shop crafts who are now on strike.

Prior to the presentation and adoption of this resolution another resolution was adopted by the convention this morning demanding that the senate committee proceed with the impeachment of Daugherty and calling upon the Oregon delegation in congress to "work and vote for such conviction that the ends of justice may be conserved."

Favor Union of Unions.

Any glory which the I. W. W., the O. B. U. or other radical elements might find in the furtherance of the industrial unionism movement was entirely eliminated by the Oregon federation in the adoption of a resolution urging the amalgamation of local unions in each industry under one international head.

Objection to the resolution, based largely on the association of the industrial union movement with the "one big brotherhood" idea and other radical movements of a similar nature, was overcome by the inclusion of a paragraph to the effect that "the resolution intends to further a form of organization which at all times has

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$14,000 HAUL BY BANK BANDITS

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 28.—Five men entered the Hamilton county bank on Woodburn avenue today, struck the cashier over the head and escaped with $14,000, according to a report to police headquarters.

The bandits, who had driven up in a small automobile, rushed with drawn revolvers into the bank, compelled the depositors and the bank employes to go into a supply room in the rear, while they looted the open safe of all the money and bonds in sight.

One of the bandits hit Maurice Griefe, the cashier on the head with a revolver. He was not badly hurt.

HARDING HAS HUNCH YANKEES WILL WIN

Washington, Sept. 28.—President Harding has a hunch that the New York Yankees will win the world series this year, according to Dave Bancroft, captain and shortstop of the New York Giants, the National league pennant winner.

Bancroft called today at the White House and urged the president to attend one of the world series games. Mr. Harding indicated he would be unable to do so, and added, Bancroft said, that he was confident the Yanks would clinch the American league flag and trounce the Giants.

Milwaukee Is Chosen.

Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 28.—Representatives coming from this morning's session of the annual Grand Army of the Republic, said that Milwaukee had been chosen as the 1923 convention city.

GARRISON OF FORTRESS DIE IN EXPLOSION

Everything Within 10-Mile Radius Destroyed —70 Bodies Recovered; Hundreds of Wounded.

Spezia, Sept. 28.—(By Associated Press.)—The entire naval garrison at Falconara fort, near here on the Gulf of Genoa, is believed to have been killed in an explosion, caused by lightning, which destroyed everything within a radius of ten miles. There are many hundreds of wounded. The fort was blown up, the adjacent town wrecked and many hundreds were killed or wounded.

Seventy bodies have already been recovered in the debris. Fifteen hundred tons of explosives were stored in the deep tunnels of the fort. The entire top of the hill on which it is located was blown away. The work of recovering additional dead is proceeding. No estimate has as yet been made of their number.

The wounded are being rushed to the hospitals here all of which are filled. Military forces have been assigned to the rescue work. All fascisti of the province of Genoa have been mobilized by their chiefs to assist the soldiers.

The explosion occurred in a violent storm, which damaged the crops and property of the inhabitants for large areas along the gulf. Half-crazed with terror from fire and storm, the despairing population is being relieved through governmental care.

TURKS NOTIFY BRITISH TO CEASE FORTIFYING ZONE

Constantinople, Sept. 28.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Turkish nationalists have notified the allied high command that they will not tolerate the fortification of certain points in the so-called neutral zones along the Dardanelles. Continuance of the work of fortification will be looked upon by the Kemalists as warranting military action, their representative, Hamid Bey, informed the allied commander, Brigadier General Harington.

The Turkish troop movements continued yesterday, and for the fifth time they violated the neutral zones, taking positions in the regions of Dumbrek, Lamphaki, Yaghjilar and Sangakeli.

Cavalry is advancing on Asmali-Tepe, apparently with the object of isolating the British advance posts at Kephez, and aid has been sent to the latter.

G. A. R. VETERANS TO HOLD FORTH AT FAIR

A musical number to be given by Mrs. F. L. Waters, Mrs. Roy Simeral, Mrs. Ronald Glover, Mrs. C. M. Lockwood, Mrs. C. C. Clark, and Mrs. Ida Babcock, women of the Womens Relief Corps, and entitled, "To Thee Oh Country" is to have place on the program arranged by the G. A. R. veterans tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the new bandstand, weather permitting. Should the weather be disagreeable the program, consisting of speeches of a patriotic nature will be held in one of the buildings.

A feature of the assembly of veterans will be the numbers given by the Fife and Drum corps of Portland. For the past two days the veterans of '61 have been furnishing pep at the fair grounds with the music of their time.

Now that the senate has passed a law, there will be no profiteering in coal this year.