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## RADICALS THREATEN U. S. CONSUL

### SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL ORGANIZE ASHLAND UNION

There will be a meeting at the Presbyterian church Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing an Ashland Sunday School union. The call for this meeting is signed by the following superintendents: H. C. Galey, Congregational; G. W. Gregg, Methodist Episcopal; O. F. Carson, Baptist; H. E. Badger, Presbyterian; Frank Patterson, Christian; Thornton Wiley, Nazarene. The superintendent of the Brethren Sunday school has also signified his intention of co-operating and it is expected that still others will join in the movement.

### Many See Bailing Operations, Good Trigonía Showing

Many visitors at the Trigonía oil well were present all day Wednesday and about twenty people interested in the development of the project were present in the afternoon about 4:30 while the process of bailing was in progress. Every time the bailer was brought up the gas and thick black oil were discernible on the water column which gushed from the orifice of the casing and when the bailer was emptied into the drain, large globular particles of thick, crude oil which had been chilled by the water were seen floating on it, coating the surface of the water with an oil scum. Many people who have been spectators at the well for several days express the opinion that the showing is increasing, but officials of the company and members of the drilling crew will not commit themselves by offering

### Hawaiians Have Keen Interest In Questions Confronting the Disarm Conference Delegates

HONOLULU, T. H., Nov. 26.—Statement of Premier W. F. Massey, of New Zealand, made on the occasion of his stop in Honolulu en route to his home after attending the all-British premiers' conference recently held in London, to the effect that "a tripartite agreement as between Britain, America and Japan would be the best arrangement possible, and if this result could be obtained at the Washington armament reduction conference the Pacific problem would be solved for some time and a great step taken toward lasting peace," has caused much interested comment throughout Hawaii. Due to its situation in the middle of the Pacific, almost halfway between mainland America and the Orient, Hawaii is perhaps more in-

## Mrs. Southard Sued For Divorce; \$2,500,000 Fire Sweeps Augusta

### CONVICTED WOMAN SUFFERS COLLAPSE IN IDAHO PRISON

BOISE, Ida., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Lydia Southard, the woman who smiled when arrested for the murder of her fourth husband, faced a jury of twelve men with composure, and went to prison without a murmur, collapsed today when informed that her fifth husband, Paul Vincent Southard, who had stood by the convicted woman throughout her trial, is seeking a divorce. The strain of months spent in jails and undergoing the rigors of the court room, ended with a snap, and the woman who has been acclaimed as the marvel of Idaho, broke down and wept. She was placed under the care of the prison doctor at once. When she recovered, however, and regained her composure, she refused to make a statement. Mrs. Southard was found guilty at Twin Falls, Ida., November 3 of murdering her fourth husband, Edward Meyer, and was given a prison sentence of from ten years to life. The state accused her of murdering all four of her husbands, claiming that they were poisoned with the intent to collect insurance on their deaths. The news of Southard suing for a divorce came as a severe shock to the imprisoned woman, as he had remained loyal throughout her troubles following Mrs. Southard's arrest in Honolulu, and was constantly at her side during the trial.

### NAVY BEATS ARMY 70 TO 0 ON NEW YORK GRID FIELD

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—In a drizzling rain and on a mud-covered gridiron, the United States Navy football team beat the United States Army team by a score of 70 to 0. More than 50,000 spectators witnessed the contest despite the worst kind of weather.

### Kiddie Party—

Sylvia Provost, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Provost, 98 Meade street, gave a birthday party to a number of her little friends yesterday afternoon. Many games and a beautiful birthday cake were enjoyed by the kiddies.

### LLOYD GEORGE ON TOES FOR PART IN ARM CONFERENCE

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Foreseeing a crisis at Washington in the near future, Premier Lloyd George has ordered his secretary to inquire regarding steamer passage to the United States next week. "The most critical stage has not been reached in the disarmament conference discussion," was Downing Street's explanation of the present situation at Washington.

### Grounded Ship Near Astoria Saved In Gale

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 26.—The United States shipping board steamer Springfield, which went aground on Peacock spit, off the Washington coast, at 9:30 o'clock this morning, has righted herself and is proceeding on the course to Seattle. It was believed for some time that the ship would go to pieces due to the fierce gale raging. Two life saving crews and a tug stood by to attempt the rescue of the crew, if necessary.

A little more than one-third of the electric power in the United States is produced by water power.

## FIVE FORMER ILLINOIS TREASURERS ARE NAMED DEFENDANTS IN ALLEGED SWINDLE OF \$2,500,000 STATE FUNDS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 26.—Five former county treasurers of the state of Illinois are named as defendants in the suits of the attorney general who is prepared for the asking of an accounting for approximately \$2,500,000 in interest money alleged to have been withdrawn from the treasury during their terms of office. Those named in the suits are Governor Len Small, Lieutenant Governor Sterling, Auditor Russell, William Ryan, Edward Mitchell, and their bondsmen. The wholesale charges against the state officials are the result of a sensational embezzlement charge recently preferred against Governor

### Bandits Escape With \$30,000 Shop Payroll

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 26.—Two armed bandits held up the employes of the St. Louis Refining company, assayers and cutters of precious gems, today and escaped with diamonds and jewelry valued at \$62,000.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 26.—Four armed bandits held up and robbed a motor truck carrying \$30,000 in currency from local banks to meet the payroll of the Walter Shoe company here today. The robbers escaped in an automobile under a hail of bullets fired by the bank guards.

### MOST DISASTROUS FIRE IN HISTORY OF CITY CONTROLLED

AUGUSTA, Ga., Nov. 26.—After three hours work, firemen succeeded at 6 o'clock this morning in controlling the most disastrous fire in the history of Augusta. The Harrison and Johnson buildings were gutted by flames, and the Augusta Chronicle building is believed to be a total loss. The Albion hotel is badly damaged and other business houses were destroyed in the fire. The loss is estimated as high as \$2,500,000.

### FRANK WARD NAMES RAILROADS ACCUSED OF RULES VIOLATIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—The Pennsylvania, New York Central, and Baltimore and Ohio railroad systems are named by Frank Ward, statistician for the railroad brotherhoods, as among the railroads he accused before the interstate commerce commission of deliberately operating a maintenance account to camouflage their actual income and thereby justify the freight rate increases and wage reductions.

### BELIEVE TUG AND CREW LOST OFF OREGON COAST

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 26.—The tug Sea Eagle, of San Francisco, is believed today to have foundered off the Oregon coast during the terrific gale which raged along the north Pacific coast yesterday and last night. Oars marked "Sea Eagle" and a portion of the pilot house and some furniture was found along the beach, apparently leaving no doubt regarding the fate of the vessel. Whether the twelve members of the crew succeeded in getting off before the tug went down is unknown.

### Cure for Hoarseness—

The best cure for hoarseness and sore throat, according to G. F. Billings, real estate dealer, is lemon juice sucked through a stick of peppermint candy. Cut the lemon in halves, make a cross cut in the pulp, insert the stick and pull. Many speakers who have come to Ashland are said to have been cured by this simple remedy.

## Postoffice Is Preparing For Rush of Christmas Packages; Pointers Given By Postmaster

The post office department, both nationally as well as in Ashland, is being placed in shape for the Christmas rush and various functions of the service are being gone over and placed in readiness. The "Perfect Parcel" month of November, in which the public are instructed and urged to prepare their parcels properly before handing the same to post office clerks has been stressed by the local postal employees. The next important matter to the service is the proper addressing of all mail. The local postmaster declares that the patrons of the Ashland office cannot know how fully the postal employees will appreciate the complete address on all mail sent to them by their correspondents. The co-operation of our own citizens at this time, in requesting their correspondents, in fact, upon insisting that their correspondents address them completely as to street, house number, post office box number, rural route number, and box number, or general delivery, as the case may be, is of the utmost practical importance to every family in Ashland. The complete and correct address means that there will be no delay. The absence of the complete address means that there will be a multiplicity of delays, especially during the greatest part of the month of December. The direct importance of this to the patron is the largest item. In addition to this, there is the increase of cost to the post office department, which is an unnecessary burden to the taxpayers, which in-

### DEMAND RELEASE OF IMPRISONED PAYROLL THIEVES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—John Dye, the American consul at Juarez, Mexico, has been threatened with death if the United States government permits the execution of Sacco and Yanzetti, according to a cablegram received by the state department this morning.

The warning letter was forwarded by Consul Dye to the state department. It was signed the "committee for the syndicate of truckmen, the port of Vera Cruz."

Attempts to destroy an American consulate in Spain a short time ago by bombing failed, after previous warning notes had been sent demanding the release of Sacco and Yanzetti. Slight damage was done to the interior of the consulate but no injuries resulted.

The attempts to destroy the American consulates in foreign countries is an apparent effort by radical factions at intimidation to effect federal intervention in the cases of Sacco and Yanzetti, who are now in a Massachusetts state prison awaiting the day of execution when they pay with their lives for the death of guards who were killed in an industrial payroll robbery.

During the trial of the two men they were accused by the prosecution of being confounded with radical movements in this country and had attempted to make away with a large payroll to pay the expenses incidental to conducting the defense of fellow workers who had been imprisoned. The men were convicted largely on circumstantial evidence.

### Prof. Reimer Addresses Calif. Pear Convention

Prof. F. C. Reimer, of the Southern Oregon experiment station, returned Thursday from the great California Pear Growers' convention held at Berkeley. Prof. Reimer addressed the convention on the work which the experiment station is doing on blight resistant pears. This was pronounced the largest fruit growers' convention ever held in California, and was a remarkable success from every standpoint. Professor Reimer also visited the leading pear districts of California, including the Sacramento and Santa Clara valleys. Over 90 per cent of the pear growers of that state now belong to the California Pear Growers association, and this organization is doing a wonderful work for the industry.

### Haz Kik



I like that lesson taught by the instrument called the boomerang. The poison darts we aim at others often come back to torment us, and the secret thoughts of the heart are often blazoned on the housetops. Backbites often return to cut us in the face with the keenness of a two-edged sword. That secret jab we aimed to destroy our adversary missed him and returned to disembowel us. Open fighting is sometimes justifiable, especially in self defense, but secret backbiting never.

NOTE: Haz Kik wants to meet Mrs. Susan Smith for the purpose of identification. Your communication is all right for publication, but we do not know you. Please call at the Tidings office.

Denmark is making a wide variety of textiles from nettle fibre.