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## COAL STRIKE OFF; MINERS REACH TERMS

### Five-Year Contract Agreed Upon Between Workers And Employers

### NO WAGE INCREASE

Working Conditions to be Better, Says Official Statement

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 12. — Secretary of Labor Davis today announced a full settlement of the anthracite coal strike. The announcement came from the white house at 11:10 this morning.

Under the terms of the settlement, the miners will receive a five-year contract although no increase in pay will be given. Various controversial points relative to working conditions were settled to the complete satisfaction of the miners.

HARRISBURG, Penn., Feb. 12. — (P) — A settlement of the anthracite coal strike was announced in a flat statement today by Governor Pinchot.

## HIGH SCHOOL WINS FROM BATTERY TEAM

### Turn Tables and Get Long End of Score, 43 to 32, in Fast Game

Ashland high school's speedy and fast improving basketball squad turned the tables on the Battery B team at the armory last night and romped away with the big end of the score, 43 to 32, in a game which was fast and exciting from start to finish.

The high school boys are now in fine fettle for their hard game tomorrow night when they meet the flashy Central Point high school at the local armory. The girls' team will play a preliminary with girls of the alumni tomorrow evening.

The two teams last night lined up as follows:

High school — Marske and Parr, forwards; Moore, center; Gosnell and Abbott, guards. Substitutions, Tilton for Parr and Hill for Abbott.

Battery B. — Butterfield and Wilson, forwards; T. Bryant, center; Hoxie and P. Bryant, guards. Substitutions, Clary for Bryant, Caldwell for Hoxie, and Jones for Caldwell.

Schessel of Medford refereed.

## Reserved Seats Will Be Placed On Sale Monday

Those who want reserved seats for the big Ashland-Medford high school basketball game a week from tomorrow night will have to get busy the first of the week.

The reserved seat board for this game will be placed on sale at Rose Brothers at 9 o'clock Monday morning, and with the interest being aroused in the high school team this year, the tickets undoubtedly will be sold quickly.

The two teams will meet in Medford a week from tonight and local fans who want reserved seats for the Medford game can get them at the high school.

## Willamette Seeks Rockefeller Fund

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Feb. 12. — A requisition for \$27,000 was forwarded to the Rockefeller foundation fund by the university this week. According to agreements made during a recent financial drive, this sum was to be given to the university by the foundation fund as soon as \$50,000 was raised. According to President Doney this has been accomplished.

## Mexicans Pledge Their Support in Probe of Suicide

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 12. — (U. P.) — Swarthby Mexicans mingled with United States officers today at the inquest over the "shame suicide" of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Petet and two daughters, who entered into a group suicide pact because of shame over an attack on the two girls at Tia Juana a week ago.

Mexican officials pledged their support in an effort to fix responsibility of the crime which has aroused the entire country. A complete probe of vice conditions in Tia Juana has also been promised.

Six Mexicans and one Chinese are now under arrest as suspects in the attack case and speedy trials have been assured.

## LOCAL KIWANIS PRAISE LINCOLN

### Patriotic Program Held to Boost Ashland Basketball Team

Abraham Lincoln, the First Citizen of the Land as called by many writers, was the inspiration of a large part of the program today at the Kiwanis luncheon at The Lithia Springs hotel.

E. V. Carter, a guest, delivered Lincoln's famous Gettysburg address, which Mr. Carter said he thought should be a part of the Lincoln Day program.

Rev. P. K. Hammond told of the origin of Edwin Markham's famous poem on Abraham Lincoln, which was followed by a reading of the poem which was written for an anniversary celebration of Lincoln's birthday.

Rev. J. C. Mergler, the main speaker on the Lincoln program, said there were five special elements in the life of the great emancipator which deserved attention.

First, that the sense of humor never died in the solemn-faced man, not even during the periods of greatest burdens and temptations.

Second, that Lincoln at all times manifested a deep spirit of tenderness.

Third, that the courageous spirit of Lincoln carried him through many trials.

Fourth, that Lincoln's optimism never wavered, believing always that his cause would win.

Fifth, that Lincoln held that God would carry him through if he steadfastly put faith in the Creator.

The Kiwanians voted unanimously to get back of the Ashland basketball team and to attend in a body to root for the home team when Ashland and Medford clash here. A section will be reserved for the Kiwanians and their wives, Randall J. Wood was appointed chairman to arrange this. Carl Tongwald, of Medford, said the Rip Van Winkle club has been formed in Medford to root for the local athletic teams.

Two solos by Miss Eunice Hager, with Miss Mary G.

## Ashland Observes Lincoln's Birthday

Special patriotic exercises were held in all Ashland schools today in commemoration of the anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. In the grade schools exercises were confined to the individual class rooms, while the program at the high school was in the assembly.

The Ashland banks remained closed throughout the day, while the stars and stripes were in evidence throughout the city.

## RUM RUNNING TREATIES ARE SIGNED BY U. S.

### All Direct Courses of Supply Protected Now Except Cuba

### OTHERS ARE PLANNED

Spain Expected to Fall in Line; Senator Johnson Sick

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12. — (U. P.) — The United States government today concluded treaties to suppress rum smuggling with every important foreign liquor source, with the single exception of Cuba.

This week a liquor treaty will be sent to Spain, thus concluding treaties with all central European powers except France and Portugal.

## HIRAM JOHNSON ILL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12. — (U. P.) — United States Senator Hiram Johnson of California is confined to his bed with a bronchial malady. His condition is not serious but it was feared that pneumonia might develop unless he took an enforced rest.

## WOMAN DEFENDANT FAINTS ON STAND

### Says She Feared Underworld Would Take Life Because of Testimony

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 12. — Fainting as she was giving her testimony, Mrs. Dorothy Lee Testiona toppled from the witness stand in federal court here during the trial of herself and husband, charged with participating in the \$523,000 mail robbery in Los Angeles last October.

After she had been revived Mrs. Testiona said she had fainted because she thought the underworld would take her life because of the testimony she had given.

## RHINELANDER AND BRIDE TO REUNITE

### Reconciliation Now Appears Probable in Notorious Divorce Case

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Feb. 12. — Leonard Kip Rhinelander and his colored bride, Alice Jones Rhinelander, may effect a reconciliation. This is indicated in rumors flying throughout this vicinity. The mother of Alice in denying there had been a reconciliation, answered with a meaning "not yet."

Mrs. Jones intimated that premature publicity might spoil the plans which appear to be under way.

## Ashland Gardens Invaded By Deer

Gardens on Terrace street were badly trampled early this morning by several deer who wandered down from the hills and invaded the city, according to a report today from householders in that section of the city.

Police say that reports of deer within the city limits are frequent, and in a number of instances the animals made themselves real pests. Deputy Game Warden Roy Parr expressed belief that the deer were coming down from the mountains in search of salt.

## THE WEATHER

Washington and Oregon — Unsettled tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature, probably local snows in east portion of Oregon.

## Shoulder Thrown Out Of Place As Student Sneezes

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Feb. 12. — Yawns have dislocated jaws, and the much maligned Charleston has been responsible for badly sprained ankles, but it remained for Leo Riffle of Yorba Linda, Cal., to give the college health service something new.

Riffle, parked on his bed in a reclining position, leaning on one elbow, was studying class notes for a quiz when an unexpected sneeze made his head snap forward, and with it his shoulder, but when the head came back the shoulder stayed.

The victim tried various means of getting the shoulder back into normal position, but finally had to make a trip to the health service, where "Doc" Matthe and his aides slipped the dislocated shoulder in place.

## ASTORIA OIL MAN IS BEING SOUGHT

### Overdraws Account in Bank And Disappears From the City

ASTORIA, Feb. 12. — (U. P.) — R. W. Cotton, for two years manager of the Union Oil company's branch here, is being sought by officers on a warrant accusing him of issuing checks without sufficient funds. Cotton's connection with the Union Oil company has been severed and officers believe he has left the city.

The warrant was issued upon a complaint charging him with passing checks for \$25 at the Golden Gate cafe when he had no funds in the bank.

## HARRIET E. HODGES WEDS SEATTLE MAN

### Local Girl Becomes Bride of Walter Yordon, Steamboat Purser

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Myer at 259 High street, was the scene of a pretty wedding Thursday evening, February 11, at 8 o'clock, when their niece, Miss Harriet Esther Hodges was united in marriage to Mr. Walter Scott Yordon, of Seattle. The Rev. P. K. Hammond of the Trinity Episcopal church officiating. The guests were the immediate relatives and friends of the bride.

The bride's gown was a beautiful creation of white georgette and lace and a headpiece of silver ribbon and flowers. The rooms were made pretty with decorations of pink and white sweet peas and carnations.

Mrs. Yordon has made her home in Ashland for the past eight years, during which time she has been employed in the Enders Department store.

Mr. Yordon is purser of one of the Pacific Steamship company's ships, running between Seattle and San Francisco.

They will make their home at 1212 North 41st street, Seattle, Washington. They will leave for the north Saturday.

## Firm Which Sold Soldiers Bay Rum To Be Prosecuted

HONOLULU, Feb. 12. — Criminal prosecution will be started against a California wholesale firm which sold bay rum in wholesale quantities to American soldiers stationed in local army barracks. This was the announcement today by the island attorney general.

Several soldiers died from drinking bay rum, while many others were rendered violently ill. An analysis of the liquid showed it contained 67 per cent wood alcohol.

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## WRATHY JUDGE CALLS WEALTHY JUNKMAN LIAR

### Portland Municipal Jurist Starts Fireworks in City Court

### CHARGES ARE HURLED

Jack Barde Says W. A. Ekwall Violates All Prohibition Laws

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 12. — Instead of assessing a fine for contempt of court, Municipal Judge W. A. Ekwall late yesterday afternoon jumped down from his bench and called Jack Barde, millionaire junk dealer, a "liar and four-flusher" during the progress of heated court hearing.

Barde a moment before had charged Ekwall with violating more prohibition laws than any man in Portland.

Drank Together

"Why," exclaimed Barde, "I've drunk liquor in his home and right here in his office in the police station."

Ekwall's face reddened and he rushed from the bench to face Barde with flaming eyes.

"You never drank liquor in my office or my home or any other place with me," he shouted. "You lie when you say it, and you're just four-flushing because I would not decide a case the way you wanted it."

Ekwall Peevish

Barde then chimed in to say that Judge Ekwall was peeved because he would not subscribe \$4,000 to Judge Ekwall's campaign for the circuit bench.

The flaming argument ceased as suddenly as it had started, with Barde leaving the court room without being fined for contempt of court. The junk dealer for whom he had appeared in court was found guilty.

## FRONK RETURNING TO STAND TRIAL

### Alleged Master Embezzler Enroute to Los Angeles From Chicago

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 12. — In custody of Sheriff Bill Traegar and Detective John Pyles of Los Angeles, John K. Fronk, alleged master embezzler, left here last night for California where he faces trial on charges of mulcting Los Angeles banks and others out of more than \$335,000 through check-kiting operations.

Fronk was arrested here two weeks ago after a nationwide search. He has been sick in a hospital which delayed his return to Los Angeles.

## TACOMA RAID NETS BIG OPIUM CACHE

### Drugs Valued at \$6000 Seized and Two Peddlers Are Arrested

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 12. — (U. P.) — Opium valued at \$4000 was seized here today and John McGee and W. M. Lewis were arrested. McGee was apprehended while attempting to dispose of the drugs. A large quantity of the opium was found in a raid on the apartment occupied by Lewis. The two men said they had taken it off a vessel here yesterday.

## Episcopalians Rap Anti-Dry Law Move

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 12. — Indignation at the impression broadcast that the Episcopal church is favorable to ward modification of the Volstead act to legalize light wines and beer was voiced at the district convocation of the Episcopal district of Spokane at All Saints cathedral here.

## Old Mosaic Law Invoked By Man Against Spouse

NEW YORK, Feb. 12. — "An eye for an eye," is part of the old Mosaic law, and it was practiced in Brooklyn by Isidore Meyerson, according to a complaint filed against him today.

He was charged with throwing acid in the eyes of his wife in an attempt to blind her. He was paroled pending a further hearing.

Meyerson, totally blind, told police he had lost his sight two years ago as a result of acid being thrown into his eyes by his wife, and he was simply following the precepts of the old Mosaic law in an effort to even up the score.

Physicians reported Mrs. Meyerson's eyes were badly burned but she will not lose her sight.

## MANY NON-RESIDENT AUTOISTS REGISTER

### Record Breaking Number For One Day Revealed Here Yesterday

Thirty non-resident motorists registered their cars at the chamber of commerce yesterday, most of them being from California and Washington, but with several from other states. This was considered an unusually heavy registration for this season of the year. Last year on February 11, but one non-resident tourist was registered in Ashland.

Those who registered their cars were: F. R. Stanley, Modesto, Cal.; A. B. Bentley, Reno, Nev.; John Clavel, Santa Barbara; D. R. Warburg, Oakland, Cal.; W. W. Carr, Selah, Wash.; George D. Wood, Livingston, Cal.; W. C. Freeman, Merced, Cal.; Mrs. E. L. Slaughter, Hill, Cal.; A. V. Smith, San Francisco; B. T. DeVore, San Francisco; Dale Hamilton, Los Angeles; John A. Johnson, Seattle; Perry Brown, Chico; H. M. Fort, Manson, Cal.; R. M. Colton, Chowchilla, Cal.; W. J. Utterback, Seattle; Dr. T. T. Robson, Long Beach; T. E. Seebree, Pasadena; E. A. Hildebrandt, Anacosta, Mont.; J. W. Tait, Los Angeles; G. K. Bradford, San Francisco; Beatrice A. Jordan, Oakland, Cal.; J. C. Snyder, Madno, Saek, Canada; Ida C. Ryan, Leavenworth, Wash.; George S. Walker, Dumala, Cal.; Floyd Post, Santa Monica; E. E. Damin, Los Angeles; R. L. Mahon, Craigmont, Idaho; H. G. Carne, San Francisco; M. L. Herzog, San Francisco.

## COOPERATION RULES OFFICERS' MEETING

### Law Enforcement Heads of Southern Oregon Hold Harmony Conference From Which Much Good is Expected to Come—Many Present—Klamath Official Raps Courts.

Helpful cooperation and a genuine desire to assist each other at all times and under all conditions were the dominant features of a successful get-together conference of law enforcement officers of Southern Oregon at the Lithia Springs hotel last night. Fifty-three law enforcement officers from many points of the State were in attendance and without exception they were all agreed that much good is certain to come as a result of the meeting.

## "Diamond Dick" Convicted; Is Given Sentence

Men are only boys grown up. The truth of this saying was proven at the conference of law enforcement officers at the Lithia Springs hotel last night when R. W. Price, managing director of the hotel and of Crater Lake Lodge, provided 40 minutes of hilarity, when he was handcuffed and taken before the officers for trial in a charge of speeding the hotel elevator.

Under the alias of "Diamond Dick of Crater Lake," the erstwhile dignified hotel man, was dragged unceremoniously into the room. Then the trial and fun started.

Mayor Johnson and Justice of the Peace Taylor of Medford sat on banc or "in bunk" as associate judges. Deputy District Attorney Phillips of Medford prosecuted, and W. T. Miller defended—or rather appeared in the guise of defense attorney.

As the trial progressed it was at once evident that the charge of speeding the elevator was but a minor issue in the case, as "Diamond Dick" was accused of a few more crimes of which he probably will never be guilty.

As prosecuting witnesses, Chief of Police McNabb, and State Traffic Sergeant McMahon performed nobly and gave enough damaging evidence to convict a dozen prisoners.

The "kick" of the case was provided when Charley Talent, traffic officer, asked to be allowed to testify for the defendant, "Diamond Dick" and his attorney appeared to welcome this act of kindness. But when Charley got through "panning" the prisoner and telling the court his reputation was terrible, there wasn't a chance for the frightened prisoner. He was convicted speedily and thoroughly.

As punishment Mr. Price was ordered to entertain the peace officers at some future time, to which he gladly consented.

He then gave a short talk in which he prophesied that the conference would result in much good. He declared he had always found the officers a fine bunch of fellows and willing at all times to cooperate in any matter which was just and proper.

An interesting paper on crime investigation was read by Royal B. Markland, investigator of Medford.

Rafferty Talks

T. A. Rafferty, head of the state's traffic officers, declared that cooperation among brother officers, a proper and due respect for all law by the officers themselves and a complete stewardship of their officers comprised the three main functions of a peace officer.

J. A. Meek, arson investigator for the National Board of Fire Underwriters, told of his branch of law enforcement work and read a humorous paper on how not to conduct investigations.

Sam Malehorn, chief deputy sheriff of Coos county, gave a

## MANY WILL GO TO LINCOLN BANQUET

### Republican Function at Medford Tonight to Draw Big Crowd

Between 35 and 40 Ashland residents are expecting to attend the annual Lincoln Day banquet to be held at the Hotel Medford this evening, according to Thomas H. Simpson, who had charge of the ticket sales in this city.

Edgar B. Piper, editor of The Oregonian, will be the chief speaker. State officials and leading republicans from every section of the state will be in attendance.

## Helen Wills Wins In Tennis Match

CANNES, France, Feb. 12. — (U. P.) — Helen Wills, back on the tennis court after days of illness enforced by rain, rose to her usual form today and defeated Mrs. Madeline O'Neill of England two love sets, thereby advancing another step toward expected meeting with Suzanne Lenglen.