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## 150 PERSONS ARE LISTED MISSING WHEN BOAT SINKS

### CHILEAN STEAMER ITALIA REPORTED LOST OFF THE CHOROS ISLANDS

### TWO COAST VESSELS ARE ALSO ON ROCKS

Steel freighters Wabash and Gray wrecked in Puffin Sound in a heavy fog. But it is said no lives are lost.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—One hundred and fifty persons are missing following the sinking of the steamship Italia off the Choros islands, according to dispatches received here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—A cable to the marine department of the chamber of commerce, from Santiago, Chile, reported the loss of the Chilean steamer Italia. The dispatch said 150 persons and the crew of the vessel were missing, but gave no details.

The Choros islands, mentioned in the London reports, are a barren, rocky group of islands off the Chilean coast. The Chilean coast rises almost perpendicular landward, offering small chance for rescue to the stricken sailors.

SEATTLE, Aug. 29.—The steel freighters Wabash and Gray went ashore in British Columbia waters early this morning, due to a heavy fog, according to Merchant Exchange dispatches.

The Wabash is ashore on Vancouver Island, 12 miles west of Race Rocks. She will be floated on the next high tide, it is reported.

The freighter Gray is stranded on Java Rock, 15 miles from Victoria. She is said to be in a dangerous position.

## WOBBLIES IN FAVOR OF KLAMATH FALLS; DECIDE TO REMAIN

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 29.—The I. W. W., whose assassination of ex-service men during a parade in Centralia shocked and angered the whole country, is in Klamath Falls to stay. So declares the Industrial Worker, official organ of the wobblies.

The statement is contained in an article in a recent issue dealing with the six I. W. W. organizers held in the local jail, in which the police, the city and the local newspaper, are dealt with at some length. The "impoverished but desperately tyrannous government of Klamath Falls," it is declared, "is beginning to repent its campaign against the I. W. W. Four months ago they took up men with red cards on sight and charged them with criminal syndicalism. It was a rash undertaking, for the wobblies came by dozens. The county cannot stand the strain of so many trials, and has adopted a policy of selecting only those for arrest whom it believes are 'leaders.'"

### CRATER CLUB BOOSTS JACKSON COUNTY FAIR

Some 91 citizens of Medford and the surrounding country made up a motor caravan through Hornbrook, Montague, Yreka and Copco Sunday, boosting the Jackson county fair, which will begin September 13 and last until the 16th.

The party carried a 31-piece band, which furnished music at various stops en route, and helped sell the fair to the citizens of the towns visited.

Members of the caravan had assurances of a large attendance at the fair from Siskiyou county, as well as quite a few exhibitors.

### NATIONAL NET TITLE WON BY AMERICANS

CHESTNUT HILLS, Mass., Aug. 29.—Tilden and Richards won the national tennis doubles championship here today, when they defeated Paterson and O'Hara, the Australians, three sets to one.

### SANDBAG, "WET BY DEW," LOOKS QUEER TO JUDGE

AKRON, O., Aug. 29.—The bag of sand William Russell carried was wet. That it had been out "in the wet dew all night" was the explanation offered by Russell when arrested by Acting Chief of Detectives Ed McDonnell, who found Russell "lurking in the shadows" on Broadway, with the bag of sand in his hands.

Police Judge Marsh fined Russell \$1 and sent him to the workhouse for 30 days.

## FOREIGN SOLDIERS IN GERMANY SAID BARRIER TO PEACE

LONDON, Aug. 29.—The armies of occupation are the barrier to European peace, according to Mrs. Philip Snowden, wife of the well-known British socialist leader.

"When I was in Germany recently I found everywhere more resentment at the cost and irritation of the occupation than about any other things," Mrs. Snowden said. "Germany cannot at the same time bear the enormous expense of the occupation and pay additional sums in reparations."

Great Britain is in favor of reduced taxation, and if abolition of the armies of occupation will bring reduced taxation, then public opinion in England is for the abolition of the occupational forces.

### MEDFORD AUTO THIEVES ARRESTED AT COQUILLE

Alvin Fleming and Robert McClinton, two alleged auto thieves, arrested at Coquille, Oregon, August 24, were returned to Medford Sunday evening by Sheriff Terrill and L. L. Webber of that city.

Mr. Webber's Chevrolet car was stolen from Medford a few weeks ago and the news of the theft was sent broadcast over the country, resulting in the arrest of the men by Sheriff Hollingsworth of Coos county, at Coquille.

It is said that the men have confessed to Sheriff Terrill, but refuse to give their place of residence.

Geese started flying toward the south the last of August.

## WOMEN SWIMMERS CAUSES BIG RUSH TO FIELD GLASSES

RIGA, Aug. 29.—Baltic pre-war bathers never had any use for bathing suits until mixed bathing came along. Now the police are setting aside certain hours when men and women may bathe separately and au naturel.

The price of field glasses has increased alarmingly, and more than 70 men have been arrested for lingering about the beaches while the women bathe.

### AGED LADY DIES HERE AT HOME OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. Lucinda Thompson died last night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Taylor, on Ohio street, at the age of 76 years.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Arkansas in 1845, and made the trip across the plains behind an ox team in 1856, locating with her parents in northern California, where she lived for 21 years.

She was married in 1861 and came to Ashland in 1877. She and her husband soon afterwards located on a homestead at what is now Climax. She lived at this place until after the death of her husband about eight years ago, since which time she has divided her time between her daughter here and other relatives in the valley.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary Taylor, of this city, and one son, J. W. Thompson, of Sutherlin, Oregon, besides five brothers and two sisters. She was the oldest of a family of nine children, and was the second to be called by death.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the H. C. Stock funeral parlors, and interment will take place in Antelope cemetery at Eagle Point.

## MEN TRAPPED BY FIRE NO NEARER RESCUE IN MINE

### WORKERS ARE STILL ENTOMBED NEARLY A MILE BENEATH EARTH'S SURFACE

### EVERY EFFORT MADE TO RELIEVE MINERS

Mine Employees Work for 36 Hours Without Avail; Fire Reported Spreading; Parallel Shaft May Be Destroyed as Last Resort.

JACKSON, Calif., Aug. 29.—After 36 hours of frenzied work on the part of a heroic band of fellow workers, the rescue of the 48 miners entrapped nearly one mile below the surface of the earth in the depths of the famous Argonaut gold mine, seemed as far off as when the news first spread of their plight.

Despite all efforts, the fire which cut off the escape of the miners has spread.

The one hope entertained of getting the trapped miners out alive is through the Kennedy mine, which runs parallel to the incline shaft of the Argonaut mine.

There is a bulkhead separating the two mines. This must be blown out and no man knows how much debris will be encountered between the bulkhead. It might require days to tunnel through.

## SALE OF CORPSES IN BERLIN LANDS MERCHANTS IN JAIL

BERLIN, Aug. 29.—A Budapest firm sold hundreds of corpses and parts of dissected bodies to medical institutes abroad, making a profit of about 60,000 kronen per body.

Some twenty persons were employed by the firm and paid from 2000 to 4000 kronen for each of the delivered corpses, which were stolen out of fresh graves and also from the morgue of the city. They were arrested, and a charge will be made against them for robbery and desecration of dead bodies.

### HIGHWAY ENGINEER RESIGNS POSITION

SALEM, Or., Aug. 29.—The state highway department was today notified of the resignation of K. E. Hodgman, division engineer of the department stationed at Medford and in charge of construction in southern Oregon. He is considered one of the most efficient men with the department, and it is understood will go into contract work for himself. The salary attached to the position is \$300 a month. A successor has not yet been named. Hodgman has been with the department since the close of the war.

### ASHLAND PARTY RETURNS FROM SUCCESSFUL HUNT

Charles Martin, with a party of Ashland people, has returned from a week's hunt in the vicinity of Huckleberry Mountain, and reports the largest kill made by any party this year. Four bears, two bucks and 50 gallons of huckleberries was the total outcome of the hunt, and all of the party were thoroughly satisfied with the showing.

One of the bears was of the large brown variety, while the others were black bears, two being of good size and the other somewhat smaller. The hunters say that huckleberries are very plentiful, and that the wild animals are getting fat from the large crop of berries and acorns.

### BASEBALL RESULTS TODAY

National League  
At Pittsburg 2-6; Brooklyn 3-0.  
American League  
At New York 3; Washington 1.  
At Philadelphia 6; Boston 5.  
At Detroit 3; Chicago 5.  
At Cleveland 3; St. Louis 6.

### Motors from California

Roy Long, of Los Angeles, arrived in Ashland Sunday, by motor, for a visit with relatives for a few weeks.

### "CUKE" RACE BECOMES AS FAST AS A BABY CONTEST

Don't pick 'em too young. Let them grow up with the community.

This advice is given, free and without any entanglements whatsoever to all cucumber growers, both professional and amateur.

The new entries, offered to the chamber of commerce by Dr. G. H. Johnstone and O. A. McCoy, are not quite as long as some of those turned in to the Tidings office, but they possess a greater "heft."

The "cuke" raised by Dr. Johnstone weighs an even four pounds, and is 14 inches in length, with a girth of 13 inches. Its rival, donated by Mr. McCoy, is only 12 1/2 inches in length, no waist measure given, and tips the scales at four and three-eighths pounds.

## TURKS AND GREEKS OPEN HOSTILITIES WIDE BATTLE FRONT

ATHENS, Aug. 29.—The Turkish offensive against the Greeks on the Anatolian front has spread over the entire battleline, with at least ten Turkish divisions assaulting the Greeks, the war office announced.

The Turkish infantry attacks have been supported by heavy artillery fire.

The Greeks are preparing for an offensive.

### PARENTS AND SCHOLARS MAY SEE PROF. FORSYTHE

Professor Forsythe will be in his office at the high school each day this week, from 9 to 12 o'clock in the mornings, to confer with parents and scholars as to subjects to be pursued during the coming semester.

Mr. Forsythe would be glad to see any student who is undecided as to what course is to be followed, and to give them what help he may. Parents will also be welcome to talk over any school matter with the principal.

### THEY WILL WED SOON



## COCA COLA KING SOON TO MARRY CHARMING WIDOW

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Under the sunny California skies, where he is said to have wooed her, Asa Candler, "Coca Cola King," and said to be the South's wealthiest man, will wed Mrs. Onesima de Bouchelle, charming beauty of New Orleans, who recently won a divorce from Adolph Rosquet, New Orleans insurance man, in the Reno, Nev., courts.

The marriage will take place late this month. Mrs. de Bouchelle told the International News Service, although the arrangements have not yet been completed. The date, place and hour will be fixed upon the arrival here of the elderly Mr. Candler, who is coming west via the Panama canal.

## "LIVING WAGE" IS TURNED DOWN BY R.R. LABOR BOARD

### PRINCIPLE NOT INVOLVED AS BASIS OF HEARING, IS REPLY

### PRES. HARDING IS OBJECT OF APPEAL

Quick Action on Transportation Act Asked; 48 Cent Minimum Wage Also Rejected at Meeting; Not Shown Reasonable.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—The United States railroad labor board has refused to accept a "living wage" principle as a basis for the maintenance of way employees hearing.

President Grable of the maintenance men immediately telegraphed President Harding and Senator Cummins asking them to take immediate action towards the passage of an amendment to the transportation act, making it mandatory upon the railway labor board to accept the "living wage" principle as a basis of its wage findings.

With the "living wage" theory, the 48 cents an hour minimum wage went into the discard, the board ruling that it must be shown to be just and reasonable by evidence before it could be awarded. The board ruled that it would be guided by the terms of the transportation act.

## OVER 600,000 WAGE EARNERS HAVE ACCIDENTS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The toll exacted by industrial accidents in the United States reaches appalling proportions. According to Secretary of Labor Davis, approximately 23,000 fatal injuries and 600,000 non-fatal injuries of over four weeks disability are sustained by wage-earners of the country each year.

The cost of these accidents, he says, is still largely borne by the workers, though not to the same extent since the enactment of workmen's compensation laws.

### MISS MYLER CALKINS AND GEORGE STEVENSON WED

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 29.—Miss Myler Calkins and George Stevenson were married at noon Sunday at the home of the bride's parents on Walnut street. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson left by automobile for a month's honeymoon in California.

Mrs. Stevenson is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. Calkins, old residents of this county. Stevenson's parents reside in Eugene. He is engaged in reclamation work on Klamath lake.

### ENGLISH PREMIER IS NOW COUNTED AMONG THE BARDS

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Premier Lloyd George has blossomed out as a bard.

"Cymru'n Un" is the title of the prime minister's first poetic effort. Lloyd George has written the words for a Welsh song, full of euphonious phrases such as "Glewion a feigr yn eu col."

Translated into English, the premier's poetic effort is as follows: While hills their shadows fling athwart the dale Stalwarts will ever rise within their pale.

While they, as watchers, guard the placid land No lack shall be of patriots to command.

Cambria's children dare deceit and spite. Rocks of our nation constitute our might.

And as the hills from cloudy feters rise. When Jove's Phoebus wakes the morning skies, So flees the bondage holding Wales in thrall. Dawn of the morning—listen to its call! Children of Cambria, light is near at hand. Morn breaks at last, and dawn is o'er the land.

### BATHING FLAPPERS GET PUT OUT OF DANCE HALL

WEBSTER, Mass., Aug. 29.—Flappers came to grief when they entered a dance hall at a local swimming resort clad in bathing suits. They were enjoying a fox-trot with their partners, when they were spied by the management. "Outside!" was the order given.

Other dancers present said the flappers appeared to be as much clothed as some who were on the floor in dancing costumes.

## HARDING WAITING FOR AUTHORITY TO SEIZE RAILROADS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Out of the cloud of uncertainty regarding President Harding's attitude on the question of seizing the railroads and coal mines, the White House made a clarifying announcement that the president desires to be armed with authority to take such steps before the forthcoming recess of congress.

However, it was stated, Harding would seize the roads and mines only in case of grim necessity and as a last resort to prevent the public from freezing this winter.

### WILL HAVE COAL TO BURN, SAYS HOOVER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Despite the deterioration of rolling stock resulting from the shopmen's strike, and the possibility of other labor troubles, the railroads are expected to be able during the coming winter to move all the coal the country needs, Secretary of Commerce Hoover declared today.

### COAL PRODUCERS END PENNSYLVANIA STRIKE

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 29.—The bituminous coal strike in western Pennsylvania was ended when the Pittsburg Coal Producers association announced it would meet with officers of district 5, United Mine Workers, to sign up under the terms of the Cleveland agreement.

## BATTLE WITH COPS IN TACOMA BRINGS DEATH TO SAILOR

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 29.—One United States sailor lies at the point of death in the sick bay of the U. S. S. New York, two others are suffering from serious knife and blackjack wounds, scores are booked for disorderly conduct, the St. Charles hotel is partially wrecked, and John Sciotti is held in the city jail today, as the result of a riot that raged through the downtown streets for hours Sunday night and early Monday morning.

Two thousand sailors participated. The most seriously wounded is E. C. Parkinson, of the New York. Sciotti is accused of stabbing the three sailors.

### EX-KAISER SAID TO BE ENGAGED TO WIDOW

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Former Emperor William is betrothed to the widow of a German aristocrat, according to a report received by the Times. The woman is said to be almost of royal rank and the mother of three children. She and the children recently visited the former emperor at Doorn, Holland. It is said the marriage will take place during the coming winter.

The report adds that this is not the woman to whom the one time emperor was reported some time ago to be betrothed.

### DYNAMITE BLAST IS FATAL TO 3 WORKERS

CARTHAGE, Mo., Aug. 29.—Three men were instantly killed and a fourth dangerously injured in an explosion of dynamite in a mixing house of the Atlas Powder company near here. The men were blown to bits.

Band—Work being rushed on the Tumalo dams.

## EYES OF COUNTRY CENTER ON BEAR STATE PRIMARIES

### THE SPOTLIGHT SWINGS FROM OTHER STATES TO PACIFIC COAST

### JOHNSON AND MOORE ARE TWO FAVORITES

Both Camps Content on Eve of Battle in California; Overwhelming Victory Predicted by Followers of Senior Senator.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The political orbs of the nation, which have been quite busy turning from one state primary to another, were focused intently on California today, as voters of the Golden state wended their way to the polls to register their verdict on Senator Hiram Johnson.

The senior senator is opposed for renomination by Charles C. Moore, wealthy business man, leading olive grower of the state, and best known as president of the Panama-Pacific International exposition.

Johnson's supporters predicted an overwhelming victory for the senator.

Moore's backers professed confidence, however, and declared that when the ballots were counted, there would be a surprising upset of the dope.

Senator Johnson himself has never felt the campaign to be in doubt. The day he arrived a little over a month ago to begin his campaign, he declared:

"It is the same old fight against the same old gang, and it will be the same result."

## CONDITION OF ROADS SOUTHERN OREGON GIVEN IN REPORT

According to the report of the Oregon state highway commission, the roads in southern Oregon are in the following condition:

Ashland-Klamath Falls highway—Green Springs route open. Road in fair condition; Medford-Ashland-Klamath Falls stages taking this route.

Klamath Falls-Lakeview highway—Macadamized road in good condition from Klamath Falls to Dairy. Dairy to Beatty, dry and sandy. Bonanza route is better. Beatty to Lakeview, fair dirt road.

Crater Lake highway—Road open to Crater Lake from Medford and from Klamath Falls on The Dalles-California highway. By the Medford route a detour is necessary five miles north of Eagle Point. Take road via Derby and McLeod bridge. The Crater Lake rim road is open.

Grants Pass-Crescent City highway—(road to Oregon caves)—Grants Pass-Kerby—Good smooth road. From Kerby road is open to Oregon caves.

Kerby-Monument (Oregon mountain)—Rough and dry. Monument to Crescent City in good condition. Grave Creek-Sexton's (Smith hill)—Construction under way from Grave Creek to south foot of mountain. Traffic detoured over old dirt road night and day. Good dirt road but steep grade averaging 10 per cent.

According to local reports the new Jacksonville-Applegate road is in good condition with moderate grades. The Fish Lake road is dry and in fair condition, although steep. Cars are making the Dead Indian road without trouble, many taking that road to and from Pelican Bay, via Lake of the Woods. The Diamond Lake Rim road in the Crater Lake park is open and in fair shape.

### STEEL TUBE MAN IS FOLLOWER OF FORD

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 29.—George Storer, manager of the Standard Steel Tube company here, announced this afternoon that he will close down his plant on September 10 in sympathy with Henry Ford's protest against present high coal prices.