

## MOTOR CAR STRIKES AUTO; KILLS TWO MEN

Fonso Manston and J. Warren Quick Are Struck While Crossing Railway by Motor Car and Both Are Killed.

Last Monday morning a fatal accident occurred at the railroad crossing of the Salem, Falls City & Western Railroad at Bowersville that resulted in the deaths of Fonso Manston and J. Warren Quick, citizens of Dallas. The accident occurred at the same crossing where the traction engine driven by Ed Blodgett was knocked from the track by a logging train Tuesday of last week.

From the facts learned of the accident Quick and Manston were going out to the Quick home in an automobile, coming to the crossing, it is thought that they attempted to cross in front of the oncoming motor car that runs from Salem and meets the one at Dallas. The automobile was struck in the middle and dragged a distance of 575 feet before the motor could be brought to a standstill. Manston was caught between the motor and the automobile and crushed to death. Quick was thrown a distance of sixty feet from the track and badly mangled and died an hour later. Pieces and contents of the automobile were scattered along the track.

Manston and Quick were both young men and married and were prominent citizens of Polk county. Manston's father was foreman of the section crew here for many years.

## I. W. W. ON MARCH

Fifteen Hundred Armed Men on Way to Butte.

Governor Stewart of Montana Instructs Sheriffs to be on Watch—Ride Free On Trains.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 7.—Presumably headed for Butte, and carrying arms, as many as 1500 I. W. W.'s, are scattered along the route of the Great Northern railway between Great Falls and Fargo, N. D., according to information given to Governor Samuel V. Stewart today by the railroad officials.

Upon being apprised of the seriousness of the situation, and in order to prevent the I. W. W.'s from congregating in any great number, Governor Stewart immediately wired to the sheriffs of counties through which the Great Northern extends, and asked them to be on the lookout for the wanderers. He also informed the sheriffs of eastern counties through which the Milwaukee and Northern Pacific enter Montana.

The railway officials are much concerned over the situation. They reported to the governor that many of the invaders were armed and that they are forcing the trainmen to permit them to ride.

It was suggested to the governor today that a band of fifty I. W. W.'s had left Havre yesterday morning and probably had arrived in Great Falls. It is understood, also, that bands of the wanderers have been seen in Powell county, and near Bozeman.

The sheriffs have been requested to handle the situation as it seems best to them.

## MONDAY'S ELECTION

Falls City No Longer a Separate Road District. But Is Now Under the Jurisdiction of County Judge.

The election held Monday for the purpose of repealing that section of the charter making Falls City a separate road district resulted in the repeal of said section and Falls City is now a part of road district No. 21, and under the control of the County Judge so far as the disposition of the funds are concerned.

The object of getting back into the county road district was to get a road through from Falls City to the Lincoln county line. It was not believed that a sufficient levy could be voted without the aid of Falls City, as it was thought that there would be enough of people in the city in favor of the road to carry the levy. The vote was 112 for the repeal and 47 against the repeal. Very little interest was taken as was attested by the small vote polled.

## IS JAPAN WANTING TROUBLE WITH THE UNITED STATES?

Pekin, Oct. 7, 7:45 P. M.—According to a German news agency dispatch, Japanese forces have occupied the island of Yap, the most important island in the Caroline group, or new Philippines, in the Pacific Ocean.

The Caroline Islands are east of the Philippines. The group is very extended and comprises about 680 small islands. Yap is about 1000 miles from the Island of Mindanao, one of the Philippine group, and only 460 miles from Guam, which also belongs to the United States. The Caroline Islands were sold by Spain to Germany in 1899.

## ALLIES WESTERN WING IS EXTENDED

Overlapping Movement Carries Them to Within 30 Miles of the Belgian Border.

Paris.—The western wing of the allied armies was still further extended and now reaches within 30 miles of the Belgian frontier, carrying the allies' overlapping movement in a northeasterly direction.

The German right has hammered away at the French left wing in the region between Roye and Lassigny and east of Amiens toward Douai. All reports agree that the fighting is on the most deadly nature with the losses enormous.

In reality, the proceedings are in the nature of separate and distinct engagements, more independent battles than anything else. The Germans have been very heavily reinforced, but so have the allies. The result is that the contest has borne the appearance, for the most part, of a draw, with the advantage to the allies, in that for every individual killed or wounded on their side the Germans are losing two or three.

German cavalry again made its reappearance on the scene of action in great force, thus disproving the reports that all of its horses had been rendered useless owing to an epidemic of the glanders.

The allies' extended front has met with vigorous counter attacks on the part of the Germans who seem to have weakened their position on the center of the battle line in order to throw heavy masses of men against the right and left wings. The allies, although forced back short distances at some points on their left, have been generally able to hold their own.

The eastern wing also was the scene of severe combats, but there the battle was between infantry and artillery, and the allies were able to push forward.

## RUSSIANS, CANNON TAKEN

Germans Capture 3000 Prisoners in Two Days.

London.—A dispatch from Amsterdam to Reuter's Telegram company says:

"The German commander at Koenigsberg, East Prussia, has officially announced that the Russian armies in the battles of October 1 and 2 lost 3000 prisoners, 18 big guns and many machine guns and much transport material."

In a dispatch dealing with the fighting in the Russian provinces which border on East Prussia, the Petrograd correspondent of Reuter's Telegram company says:

"The recent German operations were particularly vigorous along the railway line between Suwalki and Orita. The enemy's intention was to reach Vilna, a turning movement around Yovon. The Russians began to fall back and then made a fierce counter attack. The shock was terrible. The Russians made frequent bayonet charges and drove back the Germans, on whom they inflicted enormous losses."

## GERMANS TAKE OUTER LINE OF BELGIAN FORTS

Berlin.—An official report from the German army headquarters says that in the siege of Antwerp the forts of Lierre, Waelhem and Koningshoeyck, and the intermediate redoubts, with 30 guns, have been taken.

Thus a breach has been made in the outer circle of forts, rendering an attack on the inner circle of forts and the town itself possible.

According to a statement made by Cardinal Bettinger, the highest Roman Catholic authority in Bavaria, the statements appearing in English and American newspapers that priests have been shot and bayoneted by German soldiers while attending the wounded in Belgium are to be considered as absolutely without foundation.

It is also declared that the English newspaper correspondents overlook the fact that a large portion of the German army is Roman Catholic.

A manifesto signed by Harnack Bode, Behring, Hauptman, Klinger, Suermann, Roentgen, Fulda, Deissman, Liszt, Thoma, Wundt and other prominent savants and artists, indignantly protests against what is termed "unceasing lies about the pretended barbarous warfare of the Germans."

## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

### Contour Survey Nearly Finished.

Eugene.—A United States geological surveying party, composed of nine men, under J. G. Staaks, arrived at Ridgion ranch, on the upper Willamette river, 50 miles east of here, this week, where they have established the last camp on a large topographical survey project. They expect to complete the mapping of what is known as the Diamond Lake quadrangle by November 15. The party has been at work all summer, having left Roseburg, in Douglas county, early in the spring.

Contour lines are being run, showing all streams, ranges, mountains, roads and trails, including both artificial and natural features.

### Jack Grant Champion Baby of Oregon

Salem.—With an almost perfect score, Jack Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Grant, of Dallas, was awarded a gold medal for being the finest baby entered in the eugenics contest at the state fair. Doris Lee Gordon, daughter of L. J. Gordon, of Portland, won the girl baby first prize, scoring a fraction of a point less than the Grant child.

## PAPER MILLS COMBINE

New Company Has Capitalization of \$13,000,000.

Portland.—For the purpose of reducing operating expenses by elimination of duplication in fixed charges, the pulp and paper interests controlling the Crown-Columbia Paper company and the Willamette Pulp & Paper company have perfected a consolidation involving a capitalization of \$13,000,000 and will hereafter operate under the corporate name of Crown-Willamette Paper company. All properties of the two companies located in Oregon, Washington and California will be taken into the combination. It is understood that a majority of the stockholders in the two concerns have ratified the plan and that the new company will be organized as a Maine corporation.

It is declared that additional new capital will be brought into the business and enable the consolidation to make extensive improvements which have been in contemplation for some time.

The Crown-Columbia Paper company has a large modern plant at Camas, Wash., said to have the finest equipment of any paper mill in the world. It has a capacity of 175 tons a day. It manufactures print paper, paper bags and tissue paper. It has an auxiliary plant for making wrapping paper at Oregon City, pulp mills at Warrendale, Or., and a large wrapping paper and tissue paper establishment at Floriston, Cal., where the chief output is tissue paper wrappers for fruit.

The chief plant of the Willamette Pulp & Paper company is located at Oregon City, with a capacity of 200 tons of print paper a day. The combined capacity of the various mills involved in the deal is about 450 tons a day.

### W. C. T. U. Ends 3-Day Session.

The Dalles.—The 31st annual convention of the Oregon Women's Christian Temperance Union came to a close in this city after a three-day session. The following new officers were elected: President, Mrs. Jennie Kemp, Portland; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mary Russell, McMinnville; recording secretary, Mrs. Madge Mears, Shedd, and treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Houston, Portland.

## PORTLAND HAS RECALL

Mayor Albee, Commissioners Dieck and Brewster Accused.

Portland.—Recall petitions, bearing approximately 9800 names, were filed with City Auditor Barbur against Mayor Albee and City Commissioners Dieck and Brewster. They were filed by a committee comprising M. E. Gibson, C. W. Hohit and A. C. Allen, which committee has headed the recall movement, which has been under way for about two months.

B. E. Kennedy, a real estate man, is the recall candidate for mayor; W. A.

## GOVERNOR WEST FOR OREGON DRY

State's Executive Tells Why the People Should Dump the Foreign Liquor Corporations.

By Oswald West, Governor of Oregon.

Oregon should go dry because there does not exist a single reason on earth why it should stay wet.

The war news from Europe strikes us with horror; yet this great war, with all its carnage, past, present and future, will not prove a drop in the bucket compared with the ravages which are being made throughout the land by booze.

We boast that we are the greatest nation upon earth, and in our efforts to preserve that position we must strive constantly to raise, or at least maintain, the standard of our citizenship, and to accomplish this end we must unceasingly fight organized greed and graft, stamp out poverty, vice and crime, protect the home, and make life more pleasant for those who have been less fortunate than others. It is idle, however, to talk of progress along these lines so long as King Alcohol occupies the throne.

Who grabs the pay check from the honest workman on Saturday night, and makes his wife and little ones go ragged and hungry? Mr. Booze.

Who sows the seeds of poverty and distress everywhere? Mr. Booze.

Who fills our insane asylums, feeble minded institutions, penitentiaries and reform schools? Mr. Booze.

Who loads upon us most of our tax burdens? Mr. Booze.

The wets protest against our voting the state dry because it will close Paul Wessinger's brewery and be equivalent to the confiscation of his property; but they do not tell you how the brewery was built through the ruination of homes and the confiscation of pay checks. They do not tell you that every brick in the building represents a broken heart, and the color of the building is emblematical of the blood that has dripped therefrom.

Whenever I think of the Devil I think of booze, and whenever I think of booze I think of the Devil, for the Devil is booze and booze is hell.

Old Booze is an outlaw who has been long pursued but never subdued. At no time and under no circumstances should he be given quarter, and it is the duty of every good citizen to stand ready to sandbag him whenever he sticks his head in sight. All Oregon will have a chance to sandbag him on November 3, and for the Lord's sake let us make a good job of it!

Paid Advertisement.  
**ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE OF OREGON,**  
611 Stock Exchange Bldg., Portland Oregon.

Leet, an attorney, is candidate against Commissioner Brewster and H. E. Abery, an employe of the United States Engineer department, is candidate against Commissioner Dieck.

Under the provisions of the recall amendment the officers are given five days in which to resign. After that the city auditor is obliged to call a special election within 20 days. Mayor Albee and Commissioner Dieck both announced that they would not resign. Commissioner Brewster is out of the city. This means that the election will be held unless legal complications set in.

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