

THE EUGENE WEEKLY GUARD

VOL. 42

EUGENE, OREGON, THURSDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 10, 1908

NO. 37

MINNESOTA SETTLERS FIGHTING FOR THEIR LIVES

Duluth, Sept. 9.—Improved conditions follow a night of terror on the ranges. More than a thousand residents of Hibbing, after a night-long effort, successfully fought back the flames, and the reports are this morning that the town is safe. At Bovey, Aurora, Nashwauk, Buhl, Wrenshall and several smaller towns all-night struggles were maintained against the fires. This morning the wind is dying down and the fires appear to be gradually burning themselves out, although great vigilance is still being maintained.

At present the dramatic incidents of the fire promise to develop around Grand Marais. The steamer Gopher has gone to the rescue of settlers along the north shore who are completely cut off from communication by telephone or telegraph. The last boat from there reported the flames rushing in with great speed and gradually hemming in the inhabitants of the little village, who number about 600. Other than those at Grand Marais there are along the north shore of the lake many settlers who are

threatened with loss of life, though in their extremity they might take refuge on the beach.

Settlers in the country along the north shore are walking into Grand Marais, burned and exhausted, with packs of their most valuable belongings dragging wearily along behind them. The woods are as dry as tinder, as there has been no rain in the north shore country for fourteen weeks.

CONVICT KILLED IN ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE

Sacramento, Sept. 30.—At the Folsom penitentiary today a convict named Barrett was shot and killed while making a break for liberty.

A. Welch announced yesterday that work will begin next Monday on Albany's electric street railway system. The first line will cover the present route of the horse car line, extending through the business section of First street and out Lyon street to the Southern Pacific depot.

M'BRIDE AND JONES WIN IN WASHINGTON

Seattle, Sept. 9.—The first primary election under the new law was tried yesterday, and the count is progressing very slowly owing to the great length of the ticket. Incomplete returns indicate that Senator Ankeny carried King county by 5000 and that McBride is ahead for governor, first choice, with Cosgrove giving him a hot race for second choice. There is no opposition to Representative Humphrey in this district and he is renominated.

From several parts of the state reports that Judge Chadwick (Dem.) is leading the supreme court ticket, and Root and Crow are keeping well up.

Reports from Spokane

Spokane, Sept. 9.—Reports from Tuesday's primary election indicate the selection of Wesley L. Jones as the Republican nominee for senator in place of Levi Ankeny.

The count for second choice for governor shows that Cosgrove has a strong chance of success. Ex-Governor McBride is running strong in this section over Governor Mead for first choice for that office.

For congress Poindexter leads all

SHOWERS PROMISED FOR TOMORROW

Portland, Sept. 9.—Oregon—Fair, except showers in northwest portion tonight; warmer, Thursday, showers; southerly winds.

Washington—Showers tonight and Thursday, warmer tonight. Southerly winds.

Idaho—Fair in southern portion, showers in northern portion tonight and Thursday; warmer in northern portion tonight.

Spokane candidates though Lee Johnson, of Sunnyside, may overcome his lead by the country vote.

Jones is leading.

Seattle, Sept. 9.—Late returns from 25 out of 39 counties indicate that Jones defeated Ankeny for United States senator.

The Democratic vote is light in the absence of any serious contests and no figures on the result are obtainable.

Rather than go to school Winifred Thayer, a 14-year-old Spokane schoolboy shot himself with suicidal intent, using a small calibre rifle. The stock of the weapon had been sawed off, apparently with the purpose of making the weapon handier in the deed of self destruction.

IMPORTANT LABOR CASE IN COURT AROUSES INTEREST

Washington, Sept. 9.—There is widespread interest in the Buck Stove & Range case, in which the company is seeking to have the American Federation of Labor, President Gompers, John Mitchell and other labor leaders punished for contempt of court, and although the case has not convened, it is not certain that the case will be tried now or postponed until the October term. Interest is added to the case by reason of the fact that the chief of counsel for the Federation is Judge Alton B. Parker, former Democratic candidate for president. Besides Judge Parker there is present a notable array of counsel.

The injunction which the labor leaders are accused of violating is one which was issued last year, prohibiting the Federation's (the Federation's official publication) from advising organized labor that the Buck company is "unfair" to its employees, or from otherwise advising organized labor of this alleged fact.

The answer of Messrs. Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison to the contempt proceedings was filed this morning. In it they asked that the issues be tried by jury, and not by Judge Gould alone. For the most part Mr. Gompers admits the correctness of the assertions from his speeches, interviews and editorials, but he declares that none of them was intended to be in contempt of any decree of the court.

The principal charge made in the petition refers to criticisms of the injunction made by Mr. Gompers in an editorial, in which he characterized the injunction as an invasion of the liberty of the press and of the right of free speech, and further said, it would be impossible to comply with all its terms. Repeating this charge Mr. Gompers, Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Morrison united in saying:

"Answering the 17th paragraph of the petition this respondent says that the editorial therein referred to is only to be understood properly and in its entirety and he accordingly files of this court. He denies that said editorial constituted in any respect the contempt of court, or that it was in any degree disrespectful of the action of the court. On the contrary, he says it contained such fair and temperate criticisms as he had

LOS ANGELES OFFICER VICTIM OF BURGLARS

CAPTAIN AMBLE OF CITY FORCE RECEIVES THREE BULLETS FROM DESPERADO, WHO ESCAPES—COMPANION LANDED IN JAIL BY CAPTAIN FLAMMER—FUTILE ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE

Los Angeles, Sept. 9.—In a desperate shooting affray with two burglars at Ninth street and Grand avenue, at about 10 o'clock this morning, Captain Walter Amble, of the city force, was shot three times and probably fatally injured. Captain Flammer, who was with Amble, escaped uninjured. One of the men, Fred Horning, a chauffeur, was captured and taken to the police station, but the man who did the shooting escaped, his name being given given as Carl Sutherland, formerly a waiter at the University Club.

Flammer and Amble had previously surprised Horning and Sutherland in their rooms. The officers started with their captives to take the car at Ninth street and Grand avenue. While waiting for a car Sutherland suddenly whipped out a large revolver and fired three times at Amble. Sutherland then fled and Horning also attempted to get away, but Flammer captured him and succeeded in landing him at the station.

Amble has been connected with the department for more than twenty years and was one of the best known officers in the Southwest.

PORTLAND CAPITALISTS MAY INVEST IN EUGENE

S. W. Herman, a prominent Portland capitalist, who came to Eugene Saturday with the Shriners, was so favorably impressed with the appearance of the city that he remained for several days, a guest at the home of Hon. S. H. Friendly, for the purpose of investigating conditions here with a view to making investments in real estate. He returned home today to confer with his business associates and it is highly probable that they will soon invest a large sum of money in property here.

NELSON BESTS GANS IN HARD FOUGHT BATTLE

Nelson wins in the twenty-first round.

San Francisco, Sept. 9.—A big crowd witnessed the Nelson-Gans battle for the world's championship today, the betting odds favoring the Dane. Both men were in the ring promptly and looked in the pink of condition.

Round 1.—Nelson rushed to centre going right after Gans. Gans met him with right uppercut to jaw, and followed it with two similar blows as they broke from a clinch. Nelson forced Gans back, putting right left to body. Gans shot right and left to jaw. Nelson drove hard right to Gans' face. Gans retreating with a right chop to Nelson's jaw. Gans then rocked Nelson's head as round ended. Gans' round.

Round 2.—Nelson forced Gans around ring; Gans countered with right to body and two rights to jaw. Nelson forced Gans to ropes and then drove him to centre of ring, landing right and left on negro's stomach. Nelson's round.

Round 3.—Gans shot right and left to Dane's jaw and tried to force him to fight at long range. Nelson reached Gans' body with rights and lefts. Nelson's round.

Round 4.—Nelson rushed in but Gans drove him back with right and left to jaw, forcing the Dane to close quarters. Nelson forced Gans against ropes and landed hard left to stomach and right swing to the face. Close fighting and round comparatively even.

Round 5.—Gans landed hard right to body and rocked Nelson's head three times in quick succession with right and left upper cuts, but the Dane merely waded in for more. Gans uppercut twice with right to jaw, shaking Nelson up, and staggered him with right to jaw as going round. Gans' round.

Round 6.—Nelson played for stomach and then hooked a left and right to the jaw, forcing Gans to clinch. Gans put two rights to body, receiving right and left swings to face. Gans caught Nelson on the face with

(Continued on Page Twelve.)

STANDARD PATTERNS ALWAYS THE BEST—10c and 15c

Suits and Skirts

For Women who desire styles that are distinctive beautiful as well as practical



A display that is meeting with greater success than we have ever enjoyed. Competent salesladies are ready to show you the greatest variety of modes ever shown in this city. Two dressmakers are constantly working making the alterations in the garments we sell. We cannot keep up with the demands. Suits have to be sent out of the house for changes so as not to disappoint. If you would be ready for the STATE FAIR secure your suit now. Eugene will be well represented if you wear one of our "Wooltex" all wool suits.

Fall Suits from \$16.00 to \$60.00
Fall Coats from \$10.00 to \$50.00



Our Clothing Department

has in stock the highest grade of ready-to-wear clothing possible to be made by the most skilled labor the world produces. No man will ever wear a more stylish well made suit than our Hart, Schaffner & Marx Varsity sack suit. There's no distinction in it. There's no style for men so popular. Other makers imitate it, but they lack the style and the all-wool quality. You'll miss a good thing if you don't see and wear these clothes.

The fabrics this fall are very fine browns and greens with almost invisible stripes in harmonious colors. We can fit you perfectly in these goods, either a suit or an overcoat.

Overcoats or Suits
From \$10 to \$30

When will you be in to lock them over—come today

New Stetson Hats
\$4.00 to \$8.00

Hampton Bros.

558-564 Willamette St.
WHERE CASH BEATS CREDIT

New Gordon Hats
Each \$3.00

New Silks

We have on sale beautiful new weaves, colors and designs in fall and winter silks, also superb black taffetas, 36 inches wide, values fully 25% better than has been shown. The assortments are numerous, almost every wanted color of the season, rich stripes for waists, pretty patterns for suits.

NEW BURMAH SILK with messeline finish, 27 inches wide, colors blue, green and tan, the yard \$1.50
PERSIAN STRIPES for waists, exclusive patterns, no two alike, 5 yard lengths, the pattern \$6 to \$7.50
PLAIN COLORED MESSELINE in all wanted shades, the yard 90c to \$1.25
SKINNERS SATIN the kind guaranteed for two seasons wear, colors and black, 36 inches wide the yd \$1.50
BLACK TAFFETAS, 36 inches wide, best values we have ever shown, the yard \$1.00 and \$1.50

New Dress Goods

Creations of rare beauty unexcelled in richness of color, in values the have no counterpart, invisible stripes are prominent, solid colors most numerous, all new and leading shades, stock is complete ready for your inspection, an early choice will be to your advantage the yard 50c to \$1.50
Broadcloths \$1.25 to \$3.50

NEW BELTS

NEW PULLEY ELASTIC BELTS with ribbon fastenings instead of buckles, colors and black, each 50c
LEATHER PULLEY BELTS finely tailored, ribbon as the above, each 75c

NEW NECKWEAR

New Persian Collars, with wide ruching each 40c
New Velvet Ties with drop ornament ends, all colors each 45c

JUDGE PARKER NOT CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

Washington, Sept. 9.—Judge Alton B. Parker said today that he would not be willing to make the race for governor of New York.

STEAMER LEHUA LOST WITH CARGO

San Francisco, Sept. 9.—The steamer Lehua arrived today with salmon from Bristol Bay, Alaska, and reports the total loss of the American ship Lucille on August 19, when she parted her moorings at Nushagak and went ashore. Her cargo of 39,300 cases of salmon and 1200 barrels of salt salmon was lost. On board were 150 men, all of whom escaped.

KERN WILL SPEAK IN EUGENE, SEPT. 22

Portland, Sept. 7.—John W. Kern, the democratic candidate for the vice-presidency, expects to make three addresses in Oregon. The democratic state central committee expects Kern to arrive in Eugene in time to speak at the district fair at Pendleton, September 23, and deliver an address at Portland, October 1. Definite assurance has been received by Congressman Theodore Hout, of California, that he will deliver three addresses to the voters of Oregon. He will speak at Medford September 21, Eugene on the evening of September 22, and at Salem the night of September 23. Possibly he may speak at Ashland.

WRIGHT'S NEW WORLD RECORD FOR AEROPLANES

Washington, Sept. 9.—A new world's record for aeroplane flights was established at Fort Meyer, Va., early today, when Orville Wright circled the parade grounds 58 times and remained in the air 57 minutes and 31 seconds. Today he attained



ORVILLE WRIGHT. One of the Ohio inventors whose aeroplane has conquered the air.

a height of 150 feet and traveled under perfect control, his speed approximating 35 to 45 miles an hour. The previous world's record was established last Sunday in France, when Leon de la Grange remained in the air 29 minutes and 44 seconds.

Yesterday's baseball scores: Los Angeles 4; Portland 1. San Francisco 6; Oakland 0.

Alvin G. Nare, Willamette University's track athlete, has left the university and gone to St. Louis, where he will attend the St. Louis Medical College. Nare was in his senior year in the medical college of Willamette University, and will be missed from the football ranks of the institution, in which he had been prominent for several years.