

TURKEY TO SEND PROGRESSIVE MINISTER

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Over 700 men are working on the grade of the California Northeastern Railroad from Dorris, the present terminus, to the edge of the Klamath Falls morass. Track is laid from Dorris to the state line, a distance of five miles, and construction trains are running over the rails to that point. The tunnel work is now under way at Dorris.

RITCHEY CREEK FLOWS OVER THREE MILLION GALLONS DAILY AT LOWEST KNOWN STAGE

The following official report regarding the flow of Ritchey creek was received today from Engineers McClain and McArthur:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Eugene: Gentlemen:—We hereby hand you measurements of Ritchey creek as follows:

August 5, '08, 3,115,000 gallons.
August 10, '08, 3,000,000 gallons.

The first measurement was made by McArthur, the latter by Mr. Kennerly. Computations were made by McClain and McArthur.

In connection with the above report it may be added that Mr. Jas. E. Kennerly, an old resident, in a letter to Mayor Matlock, says: "I think Ritchey creek is the lowest I ever saw it." Such testimony should refute the assertion that Ritchey creek does not afford an ample supply of water, although, as a further precaution the city has filed on the waters of several other creeks that will be contiguous to the pipe line.

PETER CLAUDIANES IS READY TO TELL ALL



WILLIAM J. BURNS.

The detective who arrested the suspected dynamiter of ex-Supervisor Gallagher's home in Oakland, California.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Peter Claudianes, arrested here yesterday, declares he will return to California and make a complete statement of all he knows about the explosion which wrecked Former Supervisor Gallagher's residence in Oakland, Cal. He

says he will incriminate his brother John, who, he says, exploded the bomb as the result of a personal quarrel with Gallagher.

Peter says he was at Reno at the time of the explosion, but when he heard of the attack on Gallagher's residence thought it was time to leave. He says he went to various places, including San Francisco, where he met Detective Burns on the street, but was not recognized, and then "bummed" his way east and stood beside Burns in the police court last week.

Burns is the man who made the arrest yesterday.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Peter Claudianes, who has been sought by the authorities of San Francisco because of his alleged complicity in the blowing up of houses belonging to ex-Supervisor Gallagher, was arrested here today by the local police, at the instigation of a detective from District Attorney Langdon's office. The capture was effected by means of a decoy letter sent by the San Francisco police and received by Claudianes a moment before his arrest in the post-office.

The prisoner's brother, John, was arrested several weeks ago in San Francisco, and confessed to placing a bomb in Gallagher's residence in Oakland, Cal. Several persons were slightly injured by the resulting explosion.

Wheeling, Va., Aug. 11.—Escaping gas in a building on South Eoff street, occupied by Mrs. J. S. Gavin as a millinery store and residence, started a fire that caused the death of the three Misses Gavin, and a perhaps fatal injury to Mrs. J. S. Gavin.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR NORTHWEST

Oregon and Washington—Partly cloudy in western portion, fair in eastern portion. Wednesday, fair; northerly winds. Idaho—Fair tonight and Wednesday.

AUCKLAND ENTHUSES OVER YANKEE TARS

Auckland, Aug. 11.—Glorious weather continues and the entertainment of the officers and men of the American battleship fleet is being carried out with even greater enthusiasm than was expected before the fleet arrived. Lord Plunkitt, governor of New Zealand, gave a state ball at the government house this evening in honor of Admiral Sperry and the officers of the fleet.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Aug. 11.—September, 94%; December, 96%; May, \$1.01 1/4.

Portland, Aug. 11.—Club, 89; red, 87; bluestem, 93; valley, 89.

GREAT FIRE IS RAGING NEAR SULLIVAN MINE

Winnipeg, Aug. 11.—A special dispatch from Cranbrook says that a big fire is raging near Sullivan, with the probability of the Sullivan mine being burned. Another fire is burning near Kimberly and there is danger of that town being wiped out. Owing to the strike in the Canadian Pacific railway shops no engine is available and two hundred men, who were to go to Ferris, are held over. It is not known when a train can start.

KING AND EMPEROR MEET AND EMBRACE

Cronborg, Aug. 11.—King Edward arrived here this morning and was



THOMAS L. HISGEN

met at the station by Emperor William and suite. The king and emperor kissed each other on both cheeks and embraced in a most cordial manner.

After the usual ceremonies the monarchs took an automobile to Friedrichshof castle, where they had a long talk before lunch, which was resumed after lunch.

King Edward will leave for Ischl, Austria, tonight.

The high school boys won in Corvallis, the voters deciding in favor of addition. Three boys struck the winning home run, which school. The grades will be 23.4 and there are 100. Eventually the city will have a new and complete high school building.

SERIOUS WRECK OF TRAIN ON THE NORTHERN PACIFIC

Glendive, Mont., Aug. 11.—The Northern Pacific train No. 2, the North Coast Limited, had a disastrous wreck twelve miles east of Glendive last night. Fireman A. B. Matthews and an unknown tramp were killed, and twenty or thirty passengers injured, one fatally. Express Messenger Wilson is expected to die.

The train was running fifty miles an hour and went through a burned bridge, but the prompt action of the engineer in putting on the brakes and reversing the engine prevented a wreck of the entire train.

The engine, smoker and mail car went into the ditch.

DISASTROUS COLLISION OF ELECTRIC CARS

Piqua, O., Aug. 11.—Five were killed and nearly forty injured, several perhaps fatally, when two electric suburban cars on the Western Ohio Traction Company's line collided at a sharp curve a few miles north of here last night. Both cars were late and were making up time, and one car is said to have disregarded orders by not taking the siding just south of Sidney.

HOLLAND WILL PREPARE FOR WAR

The Hague, Aug. 11.—The battleship Jacob Van Heemskerck sailed today for Carribean waters, and the cruiser Friesland, which returned today from Norway, will probably follow.

Willemstad, Aug. 11.—The colonial government is making active preparations for possible trouble between the Netherlands and Venezuela.

SERIOUS STORMS IN MIDDLE WEST

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 11.—A terrible hail and thunder storm swept over this vicinity last night, doing great damage. William Berg was crushed to death in the wreck of his barn, and a young son and daughter of Jack Delroy were drowned when the houseboat in which they resided was swamped. Mrs. Delroy had both legs broken.

Henderson, Ky., Aug. 11.—A hail and thunder storm in Henderson county last night did \$100,000 damage.

A New Jersey girl married a man who had taken his divorce and not only sold her, but arranged a immediate wedding. He was with a true gentleman as a true sport.

FOREST FIRES UNCHECKED IN NORTH IDAHO

Spokane, Aug. 11.—The fires in the Lake Coeur d'Alene country, thirty miles east of here, supposed to be under control, have got a fresh start and heavy winds are spreading them in all directions. Large timber owners are sending all men possible to fight the flames, but these damage is already immense and there is no telling when the fires will be checked. No towns are reported in danger yet.

LAND FRAUDER SENT TO PRISON

New York, Aug. 11.—Henry Cook, president of the Oregon Ranching & Timber Company, who was arrested at Baker City, Oregon, was committed to prison today. He is held under \$5000 bail for conspiracy to violate the timber lands act. A. G. Marshall, jointly indicted with Cook, was released on \$2000 bail.



WILLIAM F. VILAS

Former member of the Cleveland cabinet who is critically ill at his home in Madison, Wis.

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The July report of the Provincial railway for the month in New Westminster, B. C., shows an alarm increase in tonnage in the province. There being 240,000 tons under treatment at present, an increase of 100,000 tons for the month of July, and of 1,000,000 tons for the year ending July.

STANDARD PATTERNS THIS IS EUGENE'S BUSIEST STORE ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS

August Clean-Up Sale

Wash Dresses Continued at 1/2 Price

We have added every Wash Suit in our mammoth stock to this half price sale. Blue, linen, pique suits, worth up to \$4.00, sale price 1/2, now \$2.00.

White lawn and colored shirt waist worth to \$4, sale price 1/2, now \$2.

Kimonos Underpriced

11 1/2 long or short Kimonos, pretty designs, August clean-up price, each, \$5c.

10 short Kimonos, Japanese designs, first clean-up price, \$4c.

Wrapper Dresses Reduced

Every wrapper in our stock for less.

1000 Percale Wrappers, dark colors, 10 button, braided trimmed, each, \$1.00.

100 Percale Wrappers, heavier than the first, August sale price, each, \$1.25.

100 extra heavy Percale Wrappers, dark colors, sale price, each, \$1.50.

Hundreds daily are improving these summer sales by buying dependable dry goods at heretofore unheard of prices.

We clear the deck of all summer goods and prepare for fall action.

Cost of the goods now is of little consideration. Our ideas are, move out summer stocks. If you could see our store these days you would think the entire stock would all be moved out soon. We have the business of Eugene. Trade was never better.

Wash Dress Goods for Little Money

About 300 yards of Lawns, Batistes and other wash materials on sale at one-half price.

10c Lawns, sale price, the yard, 5c.

20c Lawns or Batistes, sale price, the yard, 10c.

25c Batistes, Mercerized Caplins, sale price, the yard, 12 1/2c.

50c Silk Checked Mulls, several colors; sale price, the yard, 25c.

Mercerized Gingham for Less

7 pieces Mercerized Gingham, regular 25c quality; August sale price, yard, 18c.

Pure Linen Suiting for Less

35 and 36-inch Linen Suiting; August sale price, the yard, 28c.

33-inch Gingham Reduced

14c and 18c Zephyr Gingham, all wanted colors; August sale price, the yd. 12 1/2c.

Linen Finished Suiting

36-inch, 20c quality White Linen Finished Suiting; the yard, 15c.

Every Department Is Being Cleared of all Summer Goods

Hosiery

The black or tan Hose, for women, the pair, 15c.

The ribbed black hose, for children, fine for girls, heavy ribbed for boys; the pair, 15c.

White Wash Belts

10 and 50c white embroidered or plain; the clean-up price, each, 10c.

White Duck Skirts

10c Duck Skirts, clean-up price, 15c.

15c Duck Skirts, clean-up price, 20c.

20c Duck Skirts, clean-up price, 25c.

25c Duck Skirts, clean-up price, 30c.

30c Duck Skirts, clean-up price, 35c.

Silk or Lisle Gloves Reduced

75c Lisle Gloves, 12-button length, the pair, 55c.

\$1.00 Lisle Gloves, 16-button length, the pair, 85c.

\$1.35 Lisle Gloves, 16-button length, the pair, \$1.00.

\$1.50 Silk, double-tipped fingers, white, black or colors, 16-button length (Kayses'), the pair, \$1.25.

35c Taffeta Ribbon, 5 1/2 inches wide, all colors, the yard, 25c.

8 to 12 1/2c Laces, 3/4 inch to 2 1/2 inches wide; the yard, 5c.

A Great Bg Bargain in Embroidery

10 and 12 1/2c Embroidery, edge and insertion; entire lot on sale at the yard, 5c.



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Easy in Any Position.

Seen in the Silk Dep't at August Prices

\$1.00 Rajah Silk, 27 inches wide, several shades; clean-up price, the yard, 70c.

50c Princess Figured Silk, 27 inches wide; August clean-up price, the yd., 35c.

White Swiss Curtains at 1/2 Price

\$1.50 White Detroid Swiss Curtain, with wide ruffle; clean-up price, the pair, \$1.00.

Karkhi Cloth

Best material for tenting suits, yd., 25c.

Remnants of Wool Suitings

These are great bargains. Every one at just one-half price.

Big Sale Harvest Hats

35c and 45c Straw Hats, take your choice at, each, 25c.

A Hummer on Suits

Men's \$4.50 to \$10 two-piece Summer Suits; you can take your pick, pay us one-half the suit; now, \$2.25 to \$5.00. Could you ask for more?

Sox

3 pair heavy strong workmen's Sox for, 25c.

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