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MEDFORD, OREGON, FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1911.

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TYPHUS RAGING AT JUAREZ; PANIC FOLLOWS IN EL PASO

ALL CLOTHING IS SEIZED AT LINE BY AUTHORITIES

VICTIM OF WHITE SLAVER READY TO ASSIST JUSTICE

Hundreds of Americans Have Carried Articles of Clothing as Souvenirs Into the United States—This May Spread Disease.

Cora Farmer, Out From Under Influence of John De Soto, Tells Complete Story to District Attorney—Will Testify Against "Master"

GRAVE DANGER AS DISEASE IS OF MOST EPIDEMIC TYPE

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES ALSO WANT THE MAN

Already One is Dead and Five Others Are Suffering—Steps Taken for Safety.

Young Woman Tells Pitiful Tale of Slavery Extending Over Past Two Years.

EL PASO, Tex., May 12.—Typhus in its most virulent form broke out today in the Mexican federal hospital at Juarez and already one is dead and five other Diaz soldiers are suffering from the disease.

Completely out from under the subtle influence of John De Soto, alleged white slaver, Cora Farmer, his victim, has made a complete statement to District Attorney Mulkey and it is believed that a conviction will follow his trial on a charge of unlawful solicitation which is called for next Monday in the circuit court.

As the form of typhus discovered is of the most epidemic type, the discovery has created a panic here, hundreds of Americans having carried away articles of clothing worn by the federals, as souvenirs of the Juarez attack.

In her story told District Attorney Mulkey the girl states that on different occasions De Soto took her to and from the state into Washington. This places the case in the jurisdiction of the federal court. A complaint has been filed in this court and a preliminary hearing will be held May 24 before Commissioner Canon, who, if the complaint is sustained, will bind the man over to the federal court for hearing.

The El Paso board of health and the United States authorities are seizing all clothing worn by the federals at the International bridge and are burning it as fast as seized. The typhus cases have been isolated and every possible means is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease. There is admitted to be grave danger through the crowds which still stream across the river into Juarez, braving the disease in their curiosity to visit the scene of the battle.

De Soto, who is a Greek, is charged with having taken the woman to Eagle Point and held her there for some weeks while he solicited for her among the Greeks who were at that time working on the extension of the Pacific & Eastern to Butte Falls. He learned that the officers were on his trail so he and the woman fled to Grants Pass. Arrested there on a charge of unlawful cohabitation they exhibited a marriage license of the woman to a man named Farmer and declared De Soto's name as Farmer. The case being dismissed there the case was brought to Medford where the charge of solicitation was lodged against the Greek. An indictment was returned against De Soto or Farmer, as he is claimed to be by the grand jury on March 25. The woman who was very ill, however, went north and entered a hospital at Juarez, Mexico, where the rebels under Madero are in control of the traffic into and out of Mexico. While no definite statement was obtainable, it is believed the decision will be that the government is not empowered to prevent the bona fide shipments of arms and supplies across the Rio Grande.

Alarm Is Felt. Much alarm was felt in Juarez last night that the federal command of Colonel Rabago had arrived and were opening the attack. It was found, however, that the firing was only a discharge of rifles by some of the rebels, who got hilarious in one of the saloons. Rabago was today reported at Tarras, near Chihuahua. He is without artillery and is awaiting orders from Mexico City. He probably will return to Chihuahua and fortify that city against the expected rebel attack. Daniel Orozco, cousin of General Pascual Orozco, was killed here last night by the accidental discharge of a revolver. It is reported that Orozco and Colonel Garibaldi are disputing over their respective authority in the city and that Garibaldi has threatened to quit the rebel army.

Will Get Arms. WASHINGTON, D. C. May 12.—The cabinet today discussed the customs situation at Juarez, Mexico, where the rebels under Madero are in control of the traffic into and out of Mexico. While no definite statement was obtainable, it is believed the decision will be that the government is not empowered to prevent the bona fide shipments of arms and supplies across the Rio Grande.

Sunday school 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; Epworth league 7 p. m.; leader, Mrs. Jeffries. P. m. Rev. Hazlett of Central Point will preach both morning and evening. You are invited.

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"BIG BUSINESS" IS GETTING BUSY

"INTERESTS" TO GREET WILSON

Such is Charge Brought By Labor Leaders—Say Association is Carrying on Active Campaign Against McNamans.

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LOS ANGELES, May 12.—Despite denials by the National Manufacturers' association and its subsidiary branches that "big business" is behind the prosecution of the McNamara brothers, charged with having dynamited the Los Angeles Times, letters tending to show that it is in possession of the labor leaders.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Howls, long and loud, from the throats of San Francisco's radical democrats today followed the discovery that, unless the plan can be spoiled, the city next week will witness the remarkable spectacle of Woodrow Wilson, progressive governor of New Jersey, and democratic possibility, dragged through the streets, a practical captive of the henchmen of the Southern Pacific, of Patrick Calhoun and "the interests."

These letters, which have been entrusted to the keeping of Andrew J. Galbraith, secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council, who represents organized labor here in the defense of John J. McNamara, go to show that a "letter writing campaign" has been inaugurated by the Manufacturers' association. Their plan is to have every business man affiliated with an organization which is unfriendly to organized labor either write or telegraph the state officials who are connected with the prosecution of the alleged dynamiters, urging them to "stand for law and order" and to "perform their duty in bringing the guilty men to justice."

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Mrs. Cudaby Wants Kiddies. LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 12.—Mrs. Edwin Cowan Cudaby, who has been in Los Angeles for the last six weeks, will leave tomorrow for Kansas City to consult her attorneys as to the best way of securing control of her four children, now in possession of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Michael Cudaby of Pasadena.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Investigation of the so-called San Joaquin valley freight rates continued today before the state railway commission. William H. Wheeler of the Merchants Exchange traffic bureau, continued his testimony regarding the rates as they affect San Francisco and the bay cities. He stated that the present rates were manifestly unfair to San Francisco shippers.

Crowds Watching the Insurrectos Gathered for Attack on Juarez

GIUSEPPE GARIBALDI



CROWDS ON AMERICAN SIDE OF RIO GRANDE WATCHING INSURRECTOS GATHERED FOR ATTACK.

DIETZ DECLARES ACCIDENT CAUSE OF HARP'S DEATH

Denounces Lumber Trust and His Other Enemies in His Closing Address to Jury—Says State Introduced Blackmail Evidence.

HAYWARD, Wis., May 12.—Declaration that he honestly believed Oscar Harp, the deputy sheriff for whose murder he, his wife and his son Leslie, are on trial here, was killed accidentally, was made today by John P. Dietz, "defender of Cameron dam," in an address to the jury after District Attorney Williams had closed for the prosecution. Williams' speech was a careful review of the case for the state. Dietz followed, denouncing the lumber trust and his other enemies, and declaring that he was his duty to defend his family against all attacks.

UNCLE SAM WILL PROBE LOOTING OF TIA JUANA

Scores of Looting Americans Ransacked Stores at Tia Juana Following Occupation of Rebels—Investigation is to Follow.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 12.—While Tia Juana, captured by the rebels on Tuesday, resumed business today, it was declared that investigation by the United States authorities was certain to be made as a result of the indiscriminate looting in the little Mexico town since the rebels occupied it. It declared that a large part of the stock of several curio stores was taken, not by the half-starved rebels, but by the crowds of souvenir-seeking Americans who rushed across the line almost as soon as the firing ceased. Some of them did not stop at taking souvenirs, but took about all they could get across the line.

GARDINER CASE AGAINST ROAD SET FOR MONDAY

Mother of Engineer Who Died Following Wreck on Pacific & Eastern Last August Seeks \$7500 Damages—Case Will Be Hard Fought.

The damage suit brought for \$7500 by Mrs. Myrtle Gardiner, an administrative of the estate of Walter Gardiner, deceased, against the Pacific & Eastern railroad will be called in the circuit court next Monday. The case will be bitterly fought and will probably occupy three or four days.

OHIO SOLONS WOULD CONFESS

Seek Opportunity for Immunity by Telling What They Know to Grand Jury—Indictments Are Being Rushed Through.

COLUMBUS, O., May 12.—Many members of the state legislature, it was reported today, are seeking an opportunity to confess to the senate investigating committee before the grand jury can return indictments, expect in this way to gain immunity. As a result it was said that the grand jury would probably rush the indictments in order to head off any immunity seekers.

GREAT AERIAL DISPLAY MADE

Fourteen Aeroplanes, Wheel, Dip and Soar Like Great Birds Over Officials of the House of Commons and Premier Asquith.

SPIKED CLUB USED BY HIGHWAYMEN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 12.—With skulls fractured by blows from a spiked club, E. L. Lee and P. E. Cowden, street car men, are near death today, the victims of two footpads who waylaid them on their way home from work early today.

U. OF O. MAY LOSE APPROPRIATION

Petitions Are Filed Today Invoking Referendum on \$500,000 Appropriation for University of Oregon—Parkinson is Active.

PORTLAND, Or., May 12.—With 5000 names on the referendum petition against the half million dollar appropriation for the University of Oregon granted by the last legislature, Harry J. Parkinson left for Salem at noon to file the petition with the secretary of state. He stated that a second petition containing 3000 names will be filed soon.

GAMBELL DENIES BRIBERY STORY

Parkinson says University Head Offered Him \$10,000 to Destroy Referendum Petition but Campbell Utterly Denies the Report.

EUGENE, Or., May 12.—Flatly contradicting the assertion of H. J. Parkinson, formerly editor of the Portland Labor Press, that he offered Parkinson \$10,000 to destroy an appropriation for the University of Oregon, President Campbell of the university, issued a statement this afternoon. He said in part:

ARMOUR, PACKER, NEARING PRISON

Judge Carpenter Overrules Demurrer and Rules That Packers Must Stand Trial on Criminal Charge—Nine Others in Shadow of Jail.

CHICAGO, May 12.—J. Ogden Armour and nine other Chicago packers, indicted for conspiracy and violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, came today measurably nearer prison cells when United States Judge Carpenter here overruled a demurrer filed by the packers' attorneys and ruled that they must stand trial on the criminal charge.

SPokane MAY LICENSE ALL ITS RESTAURANTS

SPOKANE, May 12.—A proposal to license restaurants with the view of compelling restaurant keepers to keep their places of business up to a certain sanitary standard was made today by Dr. J. E. Anderson, city health officer. Dr. Anderson has just completed an inspection of various restaurants and bakeries and reported that many of them are unfit for the preparation of food.

MINERS GET CHARTER

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—The American Federation of Labor today issued a charter to the Western Federation of Miners, the latter body having overwhelming endorsed affiliation.

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PUMP PLACED IN FISH WAY AT AMENT DAM

Is Ordered Out by Deputy Warden Sandry on His Return From Coast Trip—Serves Notice on Company He Will Stand No More Juggling.

WILL SOON INVESTIGATE DAMS ON APPLIGATE

Leaves for Roseburg Where He Has Several Cases of Law Violation.

Evidently believing that the fish were having too easy a time getting over the new state fishway at the Ament dam, it being the first time in the history of the dam that a fish could get over, the company last week, when the deputy fish warden's back was turned, installed a centrifugal pump and a gasoline engine at the head of the fishway and was merrily engaged in pumping water out of the fishway when Sam Sandry returned and ordered it out. So once again everything is serene, and fish are ascending the river.

Deputy Fish Warden Sandry has just returned from a trip on the coast streams, where he found everything in good condition. On his return he was notified of the pump incident and that the company repairing the dam had turned the water out of the new fishway on several occasions during his absence. He has served notice on the company that he will no longer brook any interference or juggling on their part and that the fish ladder must in no way be again tampered with.

"I am going to see that the run of salmon which will soon be on gets over the Ament dam if I have to camp there the rest of the season in the way Mr. Sandry sums up the situation. Mr. Sandry left last evening for Roseburg, where he will take up some cases of law violation. It is reported that a number of fish have been taken recently from the fish ladders on the South Umpqua. He will go from Roseburg to Drain, where he has a case against the Prange Investment company who had posted a net in the Elk river. On his return home he will spend several days on upper Applegate investigating the dams in that section.

"COAL PARTY" DID NOT MATERIALIZE

Steamer Edith Docks and Discharges Her Cargo Without Demonstration as Planned—United States Marshal Had Large Force on Hand.

CORVOVA, Ayaska, May 12.—Though a large crowd of citizens were at the docks when the steamship Edith, loaded with Canadian coal, slipped into her berth last night, no demonstration of any consequence was made or any actions tending to indicate that another "coal party" had been planned.

It is believed today, however, that the precautions taken by United States Marshal Sullivan, who had posted a large number of deputies on the wharf, held the crowd in check and prevented them from throwing the coal into the bay.

GREAT LUMBER CONCERNS UNITE

Plan Reforms and a More United Stand—W. C. Miles of Globe is Manager—Details Will Be Perfect-ed at Centralia Tomorrow.

SEATTLE, May 12.—Planning reforms and a more united stand, three of the largest lumber associations in the Pacific northwest will consolidate with W. C. Miles of Globe as manager. Details will be perfected at Centralia tomorrow, when the merger will take place between the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' association and the Southwestern Lumber and Manufacturers' association. Victor H. Bookman, secretary of the Pacific coast, has resigned, being succeeded by Thorpe Babcock.

OLDEST CONDUCTOR OF S. P. IN OREGON BUILDS

ROSEBURG, Or., May 12.—Roseburg Edie has charge of the funeral of Conductor T. J. Kearney, oldest S. P. conductor on the line in Oregon, who died at San Francisco Monday evening. The passing of "Tom" Kearney is one sad-sounding feature of the Roseburg berry festival, for the veteran trainman was extremely popular. He retired from service a few months ago because of bad health. He was then conductor on the Shasta limited. He was aged almost 60 and leaves a widow and son.