

CHEERING CROWD ALMOST BLOCKS ROYAL VISITORS

Thousands Pack Street to Glimpse Duke, Duchess and Princess—Forced to Battle Their Way Through Maelstrom of Humanity.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Almost mobbed by an enthusiastic and cheering crowd that blocked their path through Wall street today, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia were forced to battle their way through a maelstrom of humanity which threatened to crush them.

From an automobile which was the pivotal point of the whirlpool of cheering thousands the royal party, including Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and the guards, plunged into a rapids of crushing humanity, which threatened to carry them off bodily. Police, detectives and government secret service men clubbed a passageway through the human wedge from the automobile to the entrance of the stock exchange and the party disappeared, disheveled and out of breath.

Leaving the Reid mansion in three automobiles, the Connaughts and the Reids, Princess Patricia, the lady-in-waiting and the duke's bodyguard, became separated. The first machine was lost in the traffic downtown, but managed to reach the stock exchange before the other two cars.

Thronged by riotously excited thousands eddied about the cars and the machines had to be driven through the financial district at a snail's pace. The first car awaited the arrival of the others before its occupants got out. Then, grouped as a mass of football players, the royal party pushed through the jam to the exchange building.

Once inside, they did not see how they were going to get out, and extra police were telephoned for.

Once safe inside the exchange the royal party was conducted to the governor's room and introduced to members of the exchange. Then for 15 minutes they watched the brokers trading on the floor. The usual pandemonium was reigning below and the royal party seemed to enjoy the sight immensely, but their comments could not be heard above the roar of voices of the buyers and sellers.

Just as the party left the exchange a funeral procession appeared in Wall street. The crowd waiting to see the royal visitors held up the hearse and carriages, and the driver of the hearse became nervously excited. For a moment it looked as though something serious was to occur. Attention of the crowd was directed for a time to the funeral and the duke's party were virtually carried into their automobiles.

As the duke's machine started away the driver of the hearse recovered his wits, whipped up his horses, scattered the mob and drove right up behind the duke's automobile. Back of the hearse followed the princess' machine, and behind this came the mourners' carriages.

Newspaper photographers climbed on top of the hearse and snapped pictures of the unique procession. All efforts to dislodge them were unsuccessful.

At the first intersection of streets the royal party's automobiles turned out of the funeral line and went to the city hall.

YELLOW FEVER CLAIMS GUNBOAT COMMANDER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Dispatches to the navy department today from Guayaquil, Ecuador, state that Commander Bertelette of the United States gunboat Yorktown and Seaman Clarence York of the same ship have died there of yellow fever.

Auto Kills Boy.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 24.—Finding that Clarence Bracken, 11-year-old son of Mrs. Martha Aurio, did not return from school yesterday afternoon at the usual time, the mother started out to find him. She was met at her door by police officers, who told her that the boy had been run down and killed by an automobile. She fell fainting in their arms.

Girls Learn to Smoke.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 24.—Mrs. Covell, public morals officer, is investigating reports that high school girls are learning to smoke.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Shipping insurance has been affected at Lloyds as a result of Italy's activities on the high seas and there is much uneasiness here today. War premiums have been declared on insurance and action is declared to be under mediation by Austria and England as well as France.

Haskins for health.

TEACH PERUVIAN GIRLS THE ART OF NURSING



(X X) AMERICAN NURSES WITH GROUP OF PERUVIAN PUPILS

American methods in the nursing and training of infants has been extended to Peru, where, in Lima, the Misses Bertha and Isonia Moert, graduates of a New York training school, are in charge of instruction work in the babies' hospital. The work of these two women has proved highly gratifying to the Peruvian government.

CHAMBERLAIN ASKS \$5000 FOR SURVEY THROUGH CRATER FOREST

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Senator George E. Chamberlain has added an item to the general agricultural appropriation bill calling for an appropriation of \$5000 to pay for a survey through the Crater forest reserve from the south line to the west line of the park, and from the east line of the park, near the Wine Glass, to the railroad. This would connect the park road surveys with the county roads. There is every prospect of the item carrying.

Will G. Steel has received a magnificent collection of Kiser's colored Crater Lake views, a duplication of the interior department set, and exhibited them in the headquarters room of the good roads federal aid section of the American Automobile association, where they attracted a

great deal of favorable attention. A new era is marked in America by the meeting of this institution. Senators and congressmen climbed over themselves to recognize it, and to pledge to it their support. A broad policy ruled the deliberations and there is scarcely a doubt but that the present session will appoint the commission asked for to report a comprehensive plan for the construction of nation wide trunk lines. A bill has been introduced by Senator Culom for national highways.

There is nothing new in the Crater Lake road appropriations situation. The Kiser collection was telegraphed for by Mr. Steel a few days ago, for the purpose of using before the senate appropriations committee when the matter of Bourne's bill is under consideration.

ARE INVESTIGATING THE DEATH OF HARAHAH

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Jan. 24.—Vice President Parks and Assistant General Manager Foley of the Illinois Central railroad today are investigating the wreck at Kimmunity early yesterday which resulted in the death of James T. Haraiah, Sr., former president of the road, and three other officials of the road. Representatives of the interstate commerce commission are participating in the investigation.

Officials of the Illinois Central assert the wreck would have been averted had Henry Broeker, rear flagman of train No. 25, performed his duty and flagged train No. 31.

I. W. W. Leader Fined.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 24.—On police charges that the Industrial Workers of the World leaders were "belligerent" and incited street disorders, Judge Weller today sentenced Organizer Herbert Wright to 10 days in jail without the alternative of a fine. Frank Seviski and Conrad Waage, members of the organization, said to have led in the attack upon the police, were given fines of \$10 each.

Steamers Collide.

HONOLULU, Jan. 24.—Only a quick reversal of the engines of the steamer Cleveland today averted a serious collision with the cruiser Colorado off this port. As it was one of the Colorado's guns was badly damaged and the propeller partially wrecked. Pilot Sanders dropped dead from apoplexy as a result of shock.

Small Change in Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Today's opening stock market developed a softening tendency and the changes among leaders were small. There was little trading and the weakness of Lehigh Valley drew most of the attention to that stock. Harriman, Gould and Hill stocks had spells of weakness and Lehigh Valley lost 1%.

The market closed dull and steady. Bonds were irregular.

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80 ACRE TRACT SELLS FOR \$40,000

J. A. Bothwell Disposes of His 80-Acre Orchard Tract, Situated Six Miles Northeast of This City, to a Los Angeles Man.

J. A. Bothwell has sold his 80-acre orchard tract, situated six miles north and east of Medford, to a Mr. Black, of Los Angeles, for \$40,000. In the deal Mr. Bothwell takes Los Angeles property to the value of \$5000 as part payment.

Mr. Black was in Medford a few days ago and began laying plans for moving to the tract with his family and improving the property. The tract is nearly all set to three year old pear and apple trees. This is considered good fruit land, lying, as it does, in close proximity to the large "401" orchards.

G. L. Schermerhorn has sold 128 acres of land lying one mile south and east of Medford to G. W. McDonald, of Laramie, Wyo. The price paid was very close to \$10,000.

This tract is undeveloped land and is what is known as "brush land." Mr. McDonald will move here and clear the land of brush, break it and set the greater part of it to fruit of commercial varieties.

Mr. McDonald has been quite prominent in political circles of Wyoming and was warden of the penitentiary of that state for a number of years.

This sale was made through the agency of A. L. Barnett and W. J. Hills, of this city.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Juan Aranos, practical joker, had the tables turned on him, but Judge Sullivan wouldn't believe it. Juan took a pair of stolen blankets to an address and found there an open lot and a policeman. His rival sent him.

Croup Ends Life

Many Children Die of Croup Every Year Before a Doctor Can Be Summoned.

Parents of children should be prepared at all times for a spasm of croup.

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HYOMEI is sold by Chas. Strang and druggists everywhere and is guaranteed for croup, catarrh, asthma and bronchitis.

WANT NEW WAGE SCALE FOR EASTERN MINERS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 24.—Representatives of the United Mine Workers of America and operators of the coal mines in Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and other states will engage in a conference here tomorrow concerning a new wage scale for the miners. The men demand an eight-hour day, to begin when the miners enter the shaft and to end when they emerge from underground. It is believed that all differences will be amicably adjusted.

REMITTANCES FROM HOME STOP; MAN KILLS HIMSELF

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 24.—That Howard Forbes, Tacoma accountant, who killed himself in Seattle yesterday via the morphine route, was a remittance man whose supplies had been cut off is accepted here by his friends as the reason for the suicide.

Repudiates Confession.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Now denying absolutely that he is guilty David Abrams, the tailor who confessed to firing the Broadway flats, for which crime Mrs. Nettie Rouda was at first arrested, has today renounced that confession. Abrams is in the Emergency hospital.

"I don't remember making or signing any confession," Abrams declared. "I did I was not in my right senses. I attempted to take my life simply because I have thought of suicide for a long time."

Mrs. Rouda is consulting her attorneys with a view of bringing suit for damages against the city for false arrest and imprisonment.

Many Women Register.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 24.—It has been found that out of 20,000 voters already registered for the March election, one-third are women. One feature that has helped is the fact that it is not necessary for the women to give their exact ages. All they have to do is to say "legal age."

Haskins for health.

RANCHERS TRY TO SECURE WATER

Meeting of Central Point Commercial Club Is Devoted to Discussion of Securing Water From Rogue River Valley Canal Company.

At a meeting of the Central Point Commercial club, held last night, the matter of irrigation was brought up and discussed.

The orchard men and ranchers of the Willow Springs district and all those owning land northwest of Central Point are petitioning the Rogue River Valley Canal company to extend the Hopkins ditch into their territory. The company has agreed to make the extension if the owners of land will sign an agreement to use water on 2000 acres. At the meeting Tuesday night 295 acres were signed up and a committee of interested land owners in that section are circulating a petition in an endeavor to secure the required acreage.

The covering of this territory means the extension of this ditch fully eight miles and will be a considerable expense to the company, as the Hopkins ditch will have to be enlarged over its entire length and a new and larger siphon will have to be put in to carry the water under Bear creek. With this extension and increased carrying capacity of the Hopkins ditch over 6000 additional acres of land can be covered.

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