

### ROGUE RIVER BANK ROBBER ARRESTED: IS LIFE TERMER

In the arrest of John Austin Hooper, a parole violator from the California state prison at Folsom, at The Dalles, the local police declare a two months search for the daring crook who robbed the bank of Rogue River has ended, and that the man suspected from the start is in custody. Hooper's picture is in the possession of the Medford authorities. Suspicion was first directed to him when a wanderer told the authorities of a plot he overheard to rob the bank. Before Hooper could be taken into custody he committed the robbery and fled.

The robbery of the Rogue River bank was consummated by throwing ammonia in the face of Cashier Hesser, who has since moved to Minnesota.

Hooper is also held on suspicion of being the man who robbed the Southern Pacific depot at Grants Pass, and a general merchandise store at Hornbrook, Cal., securing over \$2000 in gold dust and money at the latter place. He is also wanted in connection with two street car hold-ups in Portland.

Hooper spent several days in this city before the robbery of the Rogue River bank. He is about 30 years of age, wears glasses, and of average height. While here a card was received from Folsom saying that he was wanted for violation of a parole. He was serving a life sentence for highway robbery. It is not known upon which charge Hooper will be tried, or whether he will be sent back to the California authorities.

### BLAMES SULLIVAN FOR BECKER'S SPLIGHT

NEW YORK, July 21.—Harry Appelbaum, a lawyer and formerly private secretary of the late Timothy Sullivan, a one time state senator and for years prominent in local politics, substantiated today some of the important features of the appeal to Governor Whitman issued by Charles Becker, under sentence of death for instigating the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal. Mr. Appelbaum was mentioned in the Becker appeal as being cognizant of meetings Becker had with Sullivan previous to the shooting of Rosenthal.

"Becker's statement," said Mr. Appelbaum, "is not strong enough. He could have made it more elaborate and thereby helped himself considerably. I always believed in Becker's innocence and believe this on conversations I had with Becker."

### CREW OF TORPEDOED CRUISER RESCUED

BARI, Italy, July 21.—More than 500 members of the crew of the Italian cruiser Giuseppe Garibaldi, sunk Monday by an Austrian submarine, were saved. This leaves only about fifty who are missing and who probably were drowned.

Survivors say the Giuseppe Garibaldi was attacked by three submarines which came from the direction of Ragusa and Spalato. The Italian warship opened fire on the submarines, one of which is believed to have been sunk.

### FIGHTING IN PROGRESS WEST OF MONTEREY

LAREDO, Texas, July 21.—Battles of apparently considerable importance were reported west of Monterey, near Teanole and Villa Garcia. Several thousand Carranza reinforcements have been rushed from Tampico to participate and today three train loads of Carranza men left Nuevo Laredo for the same battle ground. Passengers from Monterey reported today that fighting is continuous, with large losses of life on both sides.

### GOVERNOR OF ILLINOIS AND PARTY COMING

SEATTLE, July 21.—Governor Edward F. Dunne of Illinois, members of his family and his official staff, 24 persons altogether, were shown about the city this morning in automobiles. At 11 o'clock they departed for San Francisco to participate in Illinois day at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

### SCHUMANN-HEINK'S DAUGHTER IS MARRIED



Marie Theresa Schumann, 18-year-old daughter of Mrs. Schumann-Heink, the famous diva, who became the wife of Joseph Hubert Guy, a rancher, recently.

### SALAZAR HELD WAR PRISONER

EL PASO, Texas, July 21.—Where Jose Inez Salazar, who was captured yesterday near Columbus, N. M., will be held depends on instructions from Washington. Stephen L. Pinekey and E. B. Stone of the department of justice, arrived at Columbus and took charge of the prisoner.

It was regarded as probable that Salazar might be taken to Santa Fe for presentation before the United States commissioner or he might be taken directly to Albuquerque where he escaped from jail several months ago.

Hopelessly lost from the scattered members of his little band and realizing that starvation or capture by Villa's troops would be his lot if he remained in Mexico, Salazar voluntarily crossed the line into this country. This was his admission to the customs guards today.

### ASQUITH REFUSES TO DISCUSS PEACE

LONDON, July 21.—A request by Sir William Byles, Liberal, in the house of commons this afternoon that Premier Asquith re-state more definitely the essential objects for which the nation was fighting, in the hope that peaceful influences might result in those objects being attained by other means than warfare, left the premier cold.

"I stated these objects with as much definiteness as I am capable of at the beginning of the war and at the Guild Hall," the premier said, "and I am unable to add anything to those statements."

Pressed to take under consideration the peace proposals of the German socialists, the premier reiterated:

"I have nothing to add to the statements I have already made."

### GAINS IN STRIKERS FRANKS CLAIMED IN MUNITION STRIKE

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 21.—Strike calls resulted today in machinists throwing down their tools in a number of Bridgeport shops and walking out. Labor leaders claimed they had taken 110 additional men from two plants doing work for the Remington Arms and Ammunition company; that one hundred men on the night shift at the Union Metallic Cartridge company had gone on strike and that during the noon lunch hour hundreds of men on the day shift would quit. They estimated this forenoon that nearly 500 skilled machinists were now on strike. They reiterated their statement that there would be a complete close down of war munition factories by Saturday.

Disorder seemed imminent today, once at the new Remington plant and once outside the works of a contractor making machine tools for the Remington company. Dirt wagons, driven two abreast, cleared the road in front of the first named plant. The police, according to an official connected with the contracting concern, dispersed strikers and sympathizers there after they had made a demonstration against the men who remained at work.

The labor leaders asserted that 25 more guards at the Remington plant had gone on strike for more money today. Fifteen were said to have walked out yesterday.

### CLOTHING WORKERS BACK AT WORK

NEW YORK, July 21.—Announcement was made today by Jacob Panken, attorney for the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, that 13,000 of the 21,000 members of the union who went on strike last week returned to work today in accordance with an agreement reached last year with the manufacturers by which an advance of from 12 to 15 per cent in wages was made. The others will return as soon as some necessary formalities are concluded.

### MILITARY DUTY FOR AMERICA

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"It was my good fortune to take the action in 1903, failure to take which, in exactly the shape I took it, would have meant that no Panama canal would have been built for half a century and therefore that there would have been no exposition to celebrate the building of the canal. In everything we did in connection with the acquiring of the Panama Zone we acted in a way to do absolute justice to all other nations, to benefit all other nations including especially the adjacent states, and to render the utmost service, from the standpoint alike of honor and of material interest, to the United States. I am glad that this is the case, for if there were the slightest taint upon our title or our conduct, it would have been improper and shameful thing to hold this exposition.

Marion county is laying about 20,000 yards of hard surface pavement.

### "IN THE VALLEY OF THE MISSING" AT PAGE WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY



"From the Valley of the Missing," a spectacular photo-play in five parts by Grace Miller White, author of "Tess of the Storm Country," is the Wednesday and Thursday feature at the Page this week. This is an extraordinary production with a splendid cast of dramatic stars. Many thrilling scenes in Augusta Va., and the capital of Washington with a yacht collision, country fair, etc., make this feature one of the most remarkable of the Fox productions. The drama contains 500 scenes, 1000 people and cost \$100,000. The Hearst-Selig News Pictorial of interesting events is another film on this program.

### HOUNDS ON TRAIL OF KIDNAPER OF IDAHO RANCHER

IDAHO FALLS, Idaho, July 21.—Authorities in command of rescue parties searching for the kidnaper of E. A. Empey, wealthy ranchman held for \$600 ransom, today refused the services of several hundred volunteers, selecting only experienced frontiersmen and cowboys.

Bloodhounds arriving from Salt Lake were taken to the scene of the kidnaping in an effort to track the ranchman and his captor.

Indications were that the kidnaper had taken his victim in the direction of Sheep Mountain, a heavily forested hill thirty miles from the scene of the abduction.

Empey was forced at the point of a gun to leave his ranch, forty miles east of here, last Saturday night. Officials here believe the kidnaper is Hugh Whitney, a noted fugitive from justice.

### ITALIANS GAINERS IN HEAVY FIGHTING ON ISONZO FRONT

ROME, July 21.—Heavy fighting on the Isonzo front north of the Gulf of Trieste, resulting in gains for the Italian forces, is announced in a statement given out tonight at the war office. The report is as follows:

"Our vigorous offensive all along the Isonzo front continued yesterday, progress being made especially on the Corso plateau, where at the end of the day several additional trenches were taken and 500 prisoners, including five officers were captured.

"Although fatigued by the sharp and stubborn struggle, prolonged until nightfall, our troops succeeded in establishing themselves rapidly and firmly in the conquered positions and resisted counter attacks made by the enemy during the night. The actions continue to develop.

"The situation over the rest of the front is unchanged."

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