

WEST SEEKS TO CONTROL WATER POWER RIGHTS

Conference Split at Start by Factions Favoring State Rule Against Federal Supervision—Oppose Ferris Bill—Governor Addresses Delegates From Thirteen States.

PORTLAND, Sept. 21.—Disputed interpretations of the rights of the states and the control of the federal government, at the opening of the Western States Waterpower conference here today, brought the issue into sharper contrast than at any time since the subject was argued from another angle previous to the civil war.

Delegates from thirteen western states were present at the call of the governor of Oregon to consider the problems regarding the development of natural resources and specifically to oppose the Ferris bill regulating the use of waterpower sites, which is to be reintroduced in congress following its failure to come to a vote in the senate last session.

The conference today, however, quickly divided itself into two camps, one favoring absolute control by the separate states of all the natural resources, while the other advocated continued federal supervision over the public domain. Whatever the outcome of the three-day session, it early was made apparent by the election of temporary officers and the selection of the committee on permanent organization that the opponents of the Ferris bill were in complete control.

Delegates to the conference and invited speakers and guests were welcomed by Governor James Withycombe.

"We are thirteen, we states of the west," said Governor Withycombe, "linked with common bands of interests. Our states are young and sturdy, aspiring to great attainments. But each of our states is held in leash, a leash grasped by a federal government, none too indulgent, none too sympathetic with the best meaning of the phrase 'state's rights,' and certainly none too familiar, in some phases of its bureaucratic paternalism, with the facts as they exist in the west today."

"You well know the numerical impotence of our sparse representation in congress. None can say we of the west have real opportunity to wield any appreciable power in connection with possible adjustments of federal regulation of our economic developments. As matters stand, what we get, practically speaking, will be solely by the grace of the members from the eastern states, many of whose constituents' progress utilized their own natural resources in years gone by, consider it little short of criminal that we should even consider transforming our streams into wealth, our forests into payrolls and our vacant lands into producing farms. Broadly speaking, our thirteen western states will face the dubious privilege of taxation without representation—and that phrase should at least strike a chord of sympathy in those thirteen other states whose rallying cry it became at our nation's birth."

PETER SCOTT WINS 2:14 TROT PURSE

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 21.—The Hoster-Columbus \$10,000 stake for 2:14 trotters, the principal event on today's grand circuit racing program here, was won by Peter Scott in straight heats. Mable Trask was second and Lottie Lee third. Best time, 2:07. Peter Scott's share in the stake was \$4,000.

By taking two straight heats, Mary Putney won the Horse Review futurity for three-year-old trotters. Second money went to Colorado Range and third to De Roche. The time of both heats was 2:08 1/4.

It Wouldn't Wait

Two Irishmen decided that they would go hunting. Among themselves they started out from Denver seeking game.

After much walking, Sheehan saw a bird not far distant and raised his rifle to fire. O'Callaghan yelled to him:

"Don't shoot, Sheehan; your gun isn't loaded yet! Load your gun first, man."

"Shure, an' Oi know that," cried Sheehan, raising his rifle, "but five Oi must, begorra, as the burrod won't wait!"

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RAILROADS GET MORE TIME TO FILE PETITIONS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The interstate commerce commission today granted a request by the railroads interested for time in which to prepare a formal petition asking for reopening and reargument of the western advance rate case so far as certain rates are concerned.

The carriers seek to reopen the case in respect to the rates on packing-house products, livestock, fresh meats, grain and grain products. The commission's order today does not mean that a reopening of the case is assured, but gives the railroads 90 days longer, or until December 31, 1915, to comply with its original order in the western advance case, so far as the other affects the rates on these products. Before the end of the ninety days the carriers will be given an opportunity to present their formal petition for a rehearing.

MINERS HOLD FOR APPEAL RIGHTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—Introduction of resolutions and reports of committees constituted most of the business contemplated today by delegates to the 18th annual session of the American Mining congress for their morning meeting.

Fletcher McN. Hamilton, California state mineralogist, of San Francisco, on "California's water infiltration law," and H. H. Schwartz of Portland, Ore., on "the right of appeal from decisions of the interior department in cases where the government is charged with an interest" comprised the program.

The committee on resolutions was to report at the afternoon session.

The election of directors and the discussion of the general affairs of the organization will conclude the afternoon session.

ARBITRATION DENIED BAY CITY CAR MEN

OAKLAND, Sept. 21.—Up to late this afternoon officials of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal railways had failed to answer a request of the grievance committee of the local carmen's union for a conference on questions which threatened a general strike.

Officials of the union said if a meeting was not arranged within 24 hours, the next step, if arbitration was refused, would be the calling of the strike.

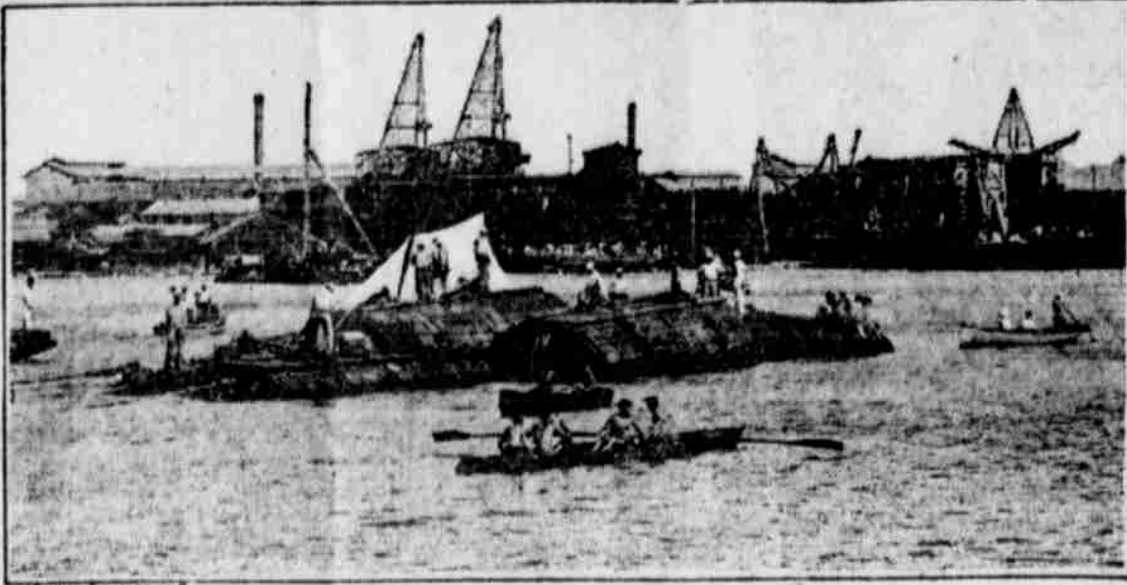
Providing

"Father, I've decided to become an artist. Have you any objection?"

"No—providing you don't draw on me."

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—The United States torpedo boat destroyers Paul Jones, Whipple, Perry and Preble arrived here today on their return from a two months' cruise to the Alaskan coast. The destroyers are in command of Lieutenant Alexander Sharp, Jr. Their last stop on the return trip was at the Puget Sound navy yard at Bremerton, Wash.

How They Brought F-4 to Surface



A few weeks ago the ill-fated submarine F-4, which was lost at Honolulu was raised to the surface after months of work by navy experts. The above picture shows the pontoons which were lowered and fastened to the hull of the F-4. The pontoons made of steel, were then pumped full of air and their buoyancy lifted them to the surface, bringing the F-4 with them. This picture shows the pontoons being towed into Honolulu harbor. The hull of the F-4, to which they are attached, is six feet below the surface.

ARTILLERY DUEL NORTH OF ARRAS ON WEST FRONT

PARIS, Sept. 21.—The text of the official communication follows:

"There was a bombardment yesterday in which both sides took part and of continued violence to the north of Arras and east of Noulette. In the sector of Neuville, French batteries directed an efficacious fire on the positions of the enemy to the east of the highway to Bethune. A reconnoitering party brought back some prisoners."

"In front of Beauvraignes, to the south of Roye, there has been spirited rifle firing, artillery exchanges and fighting from trench to trench with bombs and hand grenades."

"Along the canal from the Aisne to the Marne we secured a footing on the right bank at a point near Sapignen."

"A French dirigible last night bombarded the railroad junction at Amagne-Lucy, to the east of Rethel."

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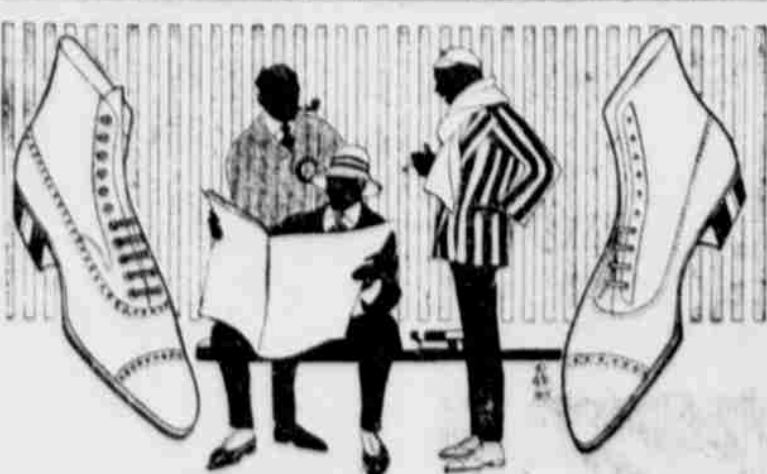
Every day you use up five and one-half times more energy than tissue. That waste must be supplied in the same ratio, if perfect health is to be maintained.

Properly cooked oatmeal comes nearest to supplying this ratio of "five and one-half to one." But it takes over two hours to cook oat meal properly. H-O oatmeal is steam-cooked for more than two hours, before it leaves the mill—and it is the only steam cooked oatmeal on the market.

When you open a package of H-O, you can at once tell by the golden brown color of these selected white oats that they have been steam-cooked and treated by a special process.

This steam-cooking, in sealed cookers, of H-O oatmeal before it is rolled into flakes, retains all the flavor of ripe grain—minus all surplus moisture. That explains its rare tastiness.

The two most important food elements, especially in building up children, are protein for tissue and carbohydrate for heat and energy. No other food has so perfect a combination of these elements as oatmeal. Might as well buy the best—H-O. All grocers.



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APPROVE EXTENSION OF FOREIGN CREDIT

DENVER, Sept. 21.—A resolution approving the extension of foreign credit wholly as a matter of business and endorsing the neutrality policy of the national administration was adopted unanimously by the Investment Bankers' association of America in convention here today.

The resolution was introduced by W. R. Compton, of St. Louis, chairman of the special committee on agricultural credits. It declared that the opportunity for the United States becoming a creditor instead of a debtor nation as a result of the present international financial situation should not be overlooked.

MONTHLY STEAMER TO ORIENTAL COUNTRIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—A new monthly steamer service from Java, Manila, P. I., and Hong Kong to San Francisco, may be established beginning in December by the Java-China-Japan line, it was announced today by the San Francisco chamber of commerce.

The addition of such service has been sought by the chamber of commerce for several months, since the Pacific Mail announced its now accomplished abandonment of trans-Pacific traffic. Inasmuch as the Java-China-Japan line employs Dutch crews and officers, the seaman's act, effective in November, will not affect it materially, it was said.

DRESS UP, BOYS!

WHY? Because Company is coming! Dress Up! Because these are "piping times of Prosperity" with us. Dress Up! Two billions of gold in the banks suffocating to get out into many times this amount of credits to buy things!

Billions of bushels of corn, wheat and other crops ripening into more dollars, which will be spent to dress up!

What is the big asset of this country, anyway? One Hundred Million of People Unafraid who can afford to Dress Up!

Every American is a Sovereign! Dress up and prove it. You are a sovereign whether you believe it or not.

Take that cash you had hid in a "stocking" and Dress Up!

"Start Something!" Dress up, and soon every neighbor on your block will follow suit.

Talk it to everybody! Be a leader! The most remarkable thing in the world is the Law of Suggestion.

Stop on a crowded street, look up at the sky and instantly everybody in sight looks up. Dress Up!

Whistle a cheerful tune and everybody within hearing distance will hum it! Let everybody dress up. Talk it to everybody else until we all get the habit.

Dressing is a fine habit! Five fine young men, merchants of New York City, started to walk to the Catskills.

When night overtook them, they applied at a boarding-house for lodging. They were dirty, unkempt, tired, and tramps to all appearances.

At this house there were a dozen fine girl boarders spending their vacation.

As the "merchants" had no "change" of clothing, they couldn't be introduced. One, however, had the foresight to carry in his "kit" a new shirt, collar and scarf.

He was introduced "dressed up." He had the "time of his life," while the others sulked outside.

"Right Dress," says the Captain as the reviewing Major marches down the line. The regiment straightens out and up, like a plumb line. That is the test! Dress up!

The "safety razor" has coined millions because it helps men dress up.

"Phoebe Snow" is loved by all because she is a sweet girl all dressed up.

Don't be a "sloven." Dress Up!

The wife who meets her husband neatly dressed, holds him safe. Dress Up!

The "drummer" who is untidy in habit may as well stay at home.

It is the dressed up store that wins the trade.

It is the best-dressed shop window that creates DESIRE and draws the customer in.

Nature is ever proclaiming the Truth to man, "Dress Up!" She is ever Dressing Up! In the morning the East is rosy with the Dawn. At "high noon" cool shadows invite men in the quiet caress of their charm. At evening Day passes into the twilight and to rest. Dress Up!

Let us with great enthusiasm Dress Up NOW!

The Rogger
OF COURSE

ORDER INFANTRY TO EL PASO TO GUARD BORDER

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—A regiment of infantry and a regiment of field artillery have been ordered from Galveston to El Paso, Texas, according to an announcement from the war department late today.

The purpose of the movement was not stated, but inasmuch as the division hitherto stationed at Galveston is about to be abolished, most of the forces there are to be placed under command of Major General Funston. The latter is understood to be taking precautions against raids and other lawlessness.

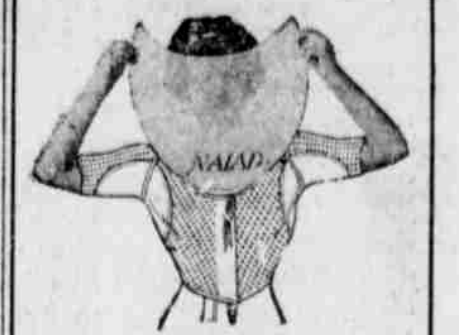
In the El Paso district he has 14,000 men and in the Brownsville district 5000 men. Today's action will give him at El Paso alone a total force of about 3200 infantry, 800 cavalry and 28 pieces of field artillery. The regiment of infantry remaining at Galveston probably will be ordered to San Antonio, to be available for service in the Brownsville district.

Many a man can stay sober at a banquet while his health is drunk.

AN OVERBURDENED WIFE

If the work that women do and the pains they suffer could be measured in figures what a terrible array they would present! Through girlhood, wifehood and motherhood woman toils on, often suffering with backache, pains in side, headaches and nervousness which are tell tale symptoms of organic derangements which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made from roots and herbs—can undoubtedly correct. Women who suffer should not give up hope until they have given it a trial.

Mann's The Woman's Store



Announcing a Special Demonstration of Naiad Dress Shields

This week we opened on the main floor a demonstration with the idea of illustrating and explaining to all interested the superior merits of Naiad Dress Shields.

Miss Davidson, dress shield expert, direct from the Naiad factory, will be pleased to point out to all women the merits of the Naiad Shields. Also she will introduce some new lines of Sanitary Waterproof Goods for women.

Brassiere "Naiad" Shields, all sizes, pair as illustrated **\$1.00**

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Plain Sew-in Shields, No. 2, a pair **20c**

Plain Sew-in Shields, No. 3, a pair **25c**

Plain Sew-in Shields, No. 4, a pair **30c**

Full Dress Shields, per pair **25c and 30c**

Shirt Waist Shields, a pair **20c and 25c**

Skirt Protectors and Belt **60c**

Elastic and Sateen **25c**

Sanitary Belts, all sizes **25c**

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