

## Today

By Arthur Brisbane  
Sullivan and Mulchay.  
Ford's Busy Day.  
Paul Revere's Horse.  
Automobile's Booming.

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If there is anything the matter with you or your business investigate yourself and your methods.

That's the advice of scientific business.

Many individuals and businesses date back a long way, and won't accept new ideas. They fail.

Those engaged in electrical manufactures, telephones and telegraphs, and automobile manufacturers are fortunate, like the famous knife-grinder, in having no history, no harlequines attached to the ship.

A 100 candle power electric lamp actually costs less to operate than the old-fashioned wax candle.

Old machinery and old methods are junked by modern business as soon as they become obsolete.

Once overhead wires filled New York's streets. Now a few trunk lines buried out of sight take their place.

If Mr. Gifford, head of the telephone company, now used the old ways "the necessary overhead wires would create a solid roof of copper over New York City from river to river."

Our automobile industry sets an example to the whole world. One worker here can produce more than ten workers in Europe.

"The replacement of slow-drying paint by quick-drying lacquer has reduced the painting time for autos from days to minutes."

The things you can learn from Mr. Alford's "Manufacturing Industries." C. P. Tolman, a New York consulting engineer, supplies the facts.

On the other hand, the textile industry, on which our cotton growers depend, is as much out of date as a Galapagos turtle would be in modern transportation.

There has been no real improvement in textile manufacture for a generation. "It is entirely ancient history."

The automobile industry seeks to reduce costs with modern machinery, raising wages and encouraging men, while the textile industry "attempts to reduce costs by reducing wages, and with reverse results."

Intelligent automobile men, investing capital in special machinery, save labor and reduce total costs, while paying a maximum wage to workers."

The General Electric company by investing the cost of 136,000 pounds of mercury in a power-generating system, saves \$200,000 a year in coal.

Old-fashioned ideas as foolish as Mother Goose stories interfere with some businesses. Meat packers, for instance, thought themselves efficient, but wasted enormous sums and time on cooling rooms. They IMAGINED that slaughtered carcasses must be "cooled off" before beginning refrigeration.

One experiment showed them that the cooling off process simply encouraged development of bacteria, dangerous germs of various kinds. Now they save cooling rooms, time and money.

Fortunately the newest method

## HOOVER'S VICTORY IS DECISIVE

### Final Vote Gives Secy. of Commerce a Complete Primary Victory, While Al Smith Loses Several Delegates to Walsh—Lowden Delegates Badly Beaten.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Oregon's preferences for candidates for national and state offices were on record today as the result of Friday's primary.

Isolated returns trickling in over Sunday showed added totals, and the only change from the late Saturday tabulation was the placing of Herbert Hoover's campaign manager, Fred E. Kiddie, among the seven republican delegates at large. Early reports had him trailing in eighth place. All the republican delegates at large were pledged for Hoover.

One candidate for delegate pledged for Lowden ran considerably below the seven successful delegates at large in a field of 16 candidates.

Some republican voters took the trouble to write in the names of other republican presidential candidates. Unofficial reports showed 573 written in for Frank O. Lowden and six for Vice President Dawes. One republican wrote in the name of Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York.

Governor Smith, who carried the democratic endorsement over Senator James E. Reed of Missouri, and Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, by substantial leads, won three of the four democratic delegates at large, on the face of the returns available today.

The fourth on the list was a Walsh candidate. In the first district the two Smith delegates were leading; in the second district a Walsh candidate was leading and a Smith candidate closely following.

In the third district one Walsh and one Smith delegate were selected. Senator Walsh's name remained on the Oregon ballot because it was certified before he withdrew from the race.

Congressman W. C. Hawley won the republican nomination in the first district. R. E. Butler of The Dalles had a substantial lead for the republican nomination in the second district.

Congressman F. F. Kereff was unopposed for the republican nomination in the third district.

On the democratic side there was no candidate for congress in the first district; in the second district Walter M. Pierce, former governor, received the nomination by writing in; in the third district, W. C. Culbertson was unopposed.

Results in the state showed only increased figures over Sunday. The nominees were: For supreme court, George Rossman and John L. Rand, incumbents.

For secretary of state, Hal E. Hoss, Oregon City newspaperman.

The latest compilation today showed:

For republican nomination for president, 1703 precincts out of 1783 in Oregon; Hoover, 97,124.

For democratic nomination for president, 1543 precincts: Reed 5760; Smith 15,633; Walsh, 9785; Workman 1396.

Republican nomination for secretary of state, 1713 precincts: Hal E. Hoss, 46,917; H. H. Corry, 35,768; T. B. Handley, 36,299.

For justice of supreme court, two to be nominated, 1713 precincts: George Rossman 87,930; John D. Rand, 75,306; L. H. McMahon, 49,122.

Republican nomination congress, first district, 774 precincts out of 812 in district, give: W. C. Hawley, 28,556; James W. Mott, 19,048.

Republican nomination congress, second Oregon district, 440 precincts out of 487 in district: R. E. Butler, The Dalles, 3947; Roy W. Ritter, Pendleton, 2012; George Palmer, Hood River, 1294; W. S. Wiley, Klamath Falls, 1679; S. E. Nelson, Heppner, 1121; Daniel Boyd of Enterprise 667; Hawley Bean, Echo, 374; W. M. Pierce, 318.

Democratic nomination to congress, first district, 353 precincts: Walter M. Pierce, 1366.

For vice-president, republican, 1548 precincts: Hamilton Fish, Jr., New York, 23941; John H. Hall, Portland, 51,642; William Grant Webster, Washington, D. C., 8392.

Senator C. L. McNary, 29 (written in).

Floyd Cook Third.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—For republican delegates at large 1584 precincts out of 1783: E. A. Baker of Portland, 42,345; L. N. Blowers, Eugene, 39,590; W. A. Czer, Portland, 81,526; F. J. Cook, Medford, 51,480; Lane Goodell, Portland, 34,552; Russell Hawkins, Portland, 48,290; E. V. Hoover, Roseburg, 23,645.

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## CAPITAL WELCOMES HANNA KIN



Another beautiful granddaughter of the late Mark Hanna, of Cleveland, O., is taking her place in Washington society. She is the former Charlotte Hanna, daughter of Mrs. Stuart Hanna, who recently was married to Richard Hume, of Washington.

## WOMAN BREAKS FIND BODY OF SWIM RECORD SLAIN WOMAN BY FOUR HOURS IN LA GRANDE

### Mrs. Huddleston Gives a Ghastly Discovery Made in Marvellous Exhibition of Physical Endurance in Chicago Hotel Tank—Swims 50 Hours, 10 Minutes.

LA GRANDE, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Mrs. Myrtle Huddleston of Matton, Ill., was taken from the pool of the Lincoln Park West hotel early today after being in the water 50 hours, 10 minutes 15 1/2 seconds. The time beats by 17 hours and 29 minutes the best previous endurance record for women, made Saturday by Miss Nyle Austin of San Bernardino, Calif. It beats by four hours and 19 minutes the best previous record of a man, held in Germany by Otto Kemmerich.

Mrs. Huddleston, a 39-year-old mother, is no novice in the water. She formerly held the world's endurance swimming record for women, besides being the only woman to finish the Catalina channel race.

Mrs. Huddleston, who weighs 240 pounds, was not put on the scales when taken from the tank, but the 12 swimming coaches of Chicago athletic associations, who acted as officials during the endurance attempt, estimated that she had lost 20 or more pounds.

When she finished the Catalina channel swim she came out of the water 18 pounds lighter.

Physicians immediately took the swimmer in charge. She was unable to draw herself from the water, nor was she able to remain on her feet. A wheel chair was taken to the side of the pool and Mrs. Huddleston wheeled to her room.

Only three times during the 50 hours did she take nourishment and only hot chocolate then. She finished the swim much fatigued. Her hands and feet were shrunken from the long immersion. During the entire time she was in the water a group of officials was present to see that she did not touch either the sides of the tank nor the bottom.

Mrs. Huddleston's reward for record-breaking was \$5,000 offered by the Esserman Hotel, Inc. \$1,000 was offered for breaking the woman's record, with \$1,000 additional for every hour she exceeded the men's mark.

She once said if she ever died in LaGrande she would want food—chocolate or Zimmerman's—because she can be appointed administrator. But to repeat there is not one lousy dollar against her car, estate or anything else she owns. Please do your best, Lot.

"The 'Lot' referred to is Mr. Snodgrass.

No motive for the crime can be found, although officers recall that Smith had been seen with Robert Clark, who was found murdered west of LaGrande during the winter, a short time before the supposed time of the crime. Smith discussed the murder of Clark at considerable length with a newspaper man after the body was found, but no suspicions were held, either by officers or others.

Smith was a small man, about five feet two of three inches in height, but probably weighed about 125 to 135 pounds. He was last seen in LaGrande on May 19.

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## PA. MINE IS FILLED WITH DEAD

### Horror of Mine Explosion in Pennsylvania Grows, As Over 60 Bodies Brought Out—Death List May Reach 200—Tragic Scenes.

MATHER, Pa., May 21.—(AP)—The bodies of three score miners, victims of an explosion in Mather mine Saturday, had been recovered up to this afternoon by rescuers, who were pushing past the scene of the blast in an effort to learn the fate of 183 men entombed in the far recesses of the workings. Shortly after noon rescuers carried 13 additional bodies from the mine, making the known death toll 66.

After finding nine bodies this morning near but 15, the rescuers pushed on, building air locks to carry the fresh air with them. At 24, they came upon 11 bodies, some of them mangled and burned, indicating that the greatest force of the blast was felt in this region.

Henry Filer, leader, who left the mine a few minutes before the explosion spread death thru the tunnels, said that practically all the bodies brought out so far were those of the day shift men. He said the rescuers must fight their way 1000 feet further back before they will reach number nine, north, where the entire night shift was on duty. The explosion occurred just as the day men were leaving and the night crew went to work.

The bodies were turned over to undertakers in the emergency morgue established in the mine machine shop and later were removed to the village recreation hall which has been converted into a morgue.

As the rescuers came from the shaft bearing the blanket-covered bodies on stretchers, the lungs of spectators rushed from the lines, but were restrained by troopers and National Guardsmen.

Reports were that the rescuers had located 40 additional bodies in the far recesses of the mine and that preparations were being made to bring them to the surface.

Two of the bodies in the group of seven were unidentified.

## Baseball Scores

American League	
First game—	R. H. E.
Boston	8 6 2
New York	8 6 2
Batteries: Morris and Havig; Shaley, Moore, Campbell and Grabowski.	

Second game—	
R. H. E.	
Boston	2 8 2
New York	5 9 1
Batteries: Ruffing and Hofmann; Hoyt and Collins.	

First game—	
R. H. E.	
Washington	3 15 2
Philadelphia	4 9 3
Batteries: Zachary and Tate; Quinn and Fox.	

Second game—	
R. H. E.	
Washington	1 6 1
Philadelphia	2 3 0
Batteries: Hadley and Kuel; Walberg and Cochran.	

National League	
First game—	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	3 9 2
Cincinnati	4 6 0
Batteries: Dawson and Beach; Hennessey; Rixey and Pincin.	

Second game—	
R. H. E.	
Pittsburgh	6 11 0
Cincinnati	3 8 0
Batteries: Russell, Gooch and Smith; May, Donohue and Suickforth.	

## The Noted Dead

LONDON, May 21.—(AP)—Sir George James Frampton, noted British sculptor, who executed many memorials and statues, including the Edith Cavell memorial in London, died today at the age of 88.

Sir George, who was a member and one-time president of the Royal Society of British Sculptors, executed many memorials in honor of Queen Victoria, the statues of Queen Mary for the Victoria memorial hall at Calcutta and government house at Delhi, portrait busts of King George and Queen Mary for the Guild Hall and the lions at the entrance to the new extension to the British museum. He also designed many medals including the coronation medal.

Baker Beats Pendleton.

PENDELTON, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Erickson's part side slants were a mystery to the Backarrow yesterday and Baker nipped the locals for a 5-1 win in the Blue Mountain league contest.

## ACTRESS SPURNS WAITING MAN



Miss Winifred Barry, Broadway actress, isn't going to marry Baron Giorgio Mario Suriani, of Italy, she says. She left him waiting at the church in New York, declaring she didn't know he had advertised his title for sale for \$100,000 in the newspapers and that he had been engaged to another last year. The baron offered his title in exchange for a wealthy wife, but found none of those who answered his advertisement to his liking.

## CANDIDATE FOR NO NEW LOCAL PRESIDENT IS HIGHWAY TO BE HERO IN DEATH BUILT, SAYS POP

### Frank T. Johns of Portland Socialist Labor Candidate for President, Drowned in Attempt to Save Boy in Deschutes River.

BEND, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Frank T. Johns, candidate for president of the United States on the socialist-labor party ticket, was drowned here Sunday evening about 7 o'clock in an attempt to rescue a boy who fell into the Deschutes river while fishing.

Johns, who was at Drake park, on the Deschutes, to address a political meeting, saw Jack Rhodes plunge into the swift water of the stream from a bridge, and leaped into the water. Johns reached the boy but the battle against the current proved futile.

As he neared the bank of the river, Johns tried to shove the boy ahead, but the boy sank, and Johns himself, exhausted by the effort, was carried down the stream and lost to sight.

The Rhodes boy was the son of a prominent realtor of Bend. The boy's body was recovered immediately but Johns' body was carried down the stream. Searchers worked until late last night without finding it.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Frank T. Johns, Portland carpenter, who was drowned last evening at Bend, Ore., in an attempt to save a boy's life, received a telegram a week ago from New York City advising him that he had been nominated in the socialist-labor party convention for president of the United States. Johns was making preparations to tour the country on a speaking campaign, and his appearance at Bend yesterday was one of his first public addresses, since being advised of his selection as a candidate.

Johns was a socialist-labor candidate for president four years ago, and made a speaking tour of the country.

NEW YORK, May 21.—(AP)—Frank T. Johns, drowned at Bend, Ore., in attempting to rescue a 12-year-old boy, was 39 years old, a carpenter by trade.

He was born in Sunbury, Pa., February 23, 1889, and educated in the public schools there. He attended high school in Spokane, Wash.

Johns became secretary of the socialist-labor party in 1920, having cast his political fortunes with them five years before, and in 1924 he was nominated for president of the United States in the socialist-labor convention in New York city.

Since his graduation from high school he had been a farmer, postal clerk, letter carrier, shipbuilder, shoemaker, day laborer and a carpenter, the trade in which he was registered at his death.

He made a speaking tour of the country in behalf of his candidate in 1924 and attracted some attention by challenging the late Senator Robert M. La Follette, Sr., who was running on a third party ticket, to debates.

## COOLIDGE ASKS FOR NEW BILL

### President Requests McNary Haugen, et al, to Get New Farm Aid Bill Without the Equalization Fee, Or He Will Have to Veto One Before Him.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—(AP)—An early veto of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill by President Coolidge was indicated today after the president had conferred with Senator McNary, republican, Oregon, and Representative Haugen, republican, Iowa, authors of the measure.

Neither the senator nor the representative would divulge directly the terms of their conversation with the president. Asked pointblank about the outlook for the bill, McNary said:

"It looks like rain. The weather man says the forecast is not good."

Mr. Coolidge is believed to have called the congressional farm leaders in a conference with a view to asking them to seek to put through a farm bill which would not provide for the controversial equalization fee.

The equalization fee provision of the McNary-Haugen measure is the stumbling block in the path of the legislation. Attorney-General Sargent a year ago declared it unconstitutional and the president has stood on that ruling.

With a view to obtaining consideration of congress of a farm relief bill, it is expected the president will send his veto of the McNary-Haugen legislation to the capitol late today or within a few days.

Senator Brookhart told the president that the dispute between congress and the executive regarding farm relief legislation revolved around the question of the constitutionality of the fee.

Unwilling to admit defeat, Senator McNary and Representative Haugen would announce no plans today in the event of a veto. There were indications that the senator might ask to have the bill referred back to the agriculture committee with a view to having it decide on whether to seek legislation without the equalization fee.

The apparent determination of Mr. Coolidge to veto the bill and to ask reconsideration of farm relief legislation at this session may affect plans for adjournment Saturday, especially if an effort is made to pass another bill.

## Mandell-McLarnin Fight Returns to Be Bulletined Here

NEW YORK, May 21.—(AP)—Sammy Mandell, champion, and Jimmy McLarnin, challenger, each scaled exactly the class limit of 135 pounds for their 15-round lightweight championship fight tonight at the Polo Grounds. It was the second weighing in for the bout, three times postponed, and the champion made the weight only after a strenuous three-hour workout.

The sun was out as the boxers weighed in, and indications were that the weather would permit the much deferred bout to proceed tonight.

(A round by round report of the title fight will be bulletined in the Mail Tribune starting about 5:30 this afternoon.)

## TWO PORTLAND FIREMEN KILLED

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21.—(AP)—Two firemen, William N. McCovey and Charles A. Ryan, were killed yesterday when a life belt broke as they were going thru a life saving drill in preparation for an exhibition for the Rose Festival. Both fell 65 feet to the street. Gerald VanKollen, 21, was drowned late yesterday while swimming in Oswego lake.

Axe Ekeleson, 34, a logger from Stevenson, Wash., died at a hospital here from injuries received in a logging camp.

North Pole Trip Delayed.

KING'S BAY, Gnitbergen, May 21.—(AP) A strong easterly wind was blowing at King's Bay today leading General Umberto Nobile to decide not to start on his next polar flight tonight unless the wind should abate.