

Demented Woman Tries to Assassinate President Taft

U. S. SOLDIERS TO GUARD RAILROAD

MOBILIZATION IN NICARAGUA TO OCCUR NEXT WEEK

Threat to Send Tenth Infantry to Scene of Trouble Had a Good Effect Although Order for Moving of the Troops Was Rescinded at Midnight. Conditions Have Improved in the South.

Called From Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 29.—Two thousand marines and sailors will mobilize in Nicaragua next week. The order sending the Tenth Infantry to Corinto had a salutary effect on the Nicaraguans, although it was rescinded at midnight.

At the state department it was stated that the blue jackets would first re-open the Managua and Corinto railroad and then scatter along the line to prevent the molestation of the trains.

Acting Secretary of State Huntington Wilson telegraphed President Taft that conditions in Nicaragua had improved.

LOAD OF BOOKCASES WORRIES TWO ATTORNEYS

Attorney J. H. Carnahan was somewhat surprised when there was delivered to the door of his office a van load of book cases, which he had not expected. There were enough of them to do several lawyers, it seemed. He immediately got busy to find an explanation of the shipment, for while he had ordered a book case, he did not expect a car load.

The sight of the book cases made him fear that William H. Shaw, his brother attorney, and himself might not take their anticipated outing at McNeill's island. It developed, however, that there was a misunderstanding about the order for the book cases, and those which Mr. Carnahan could not use were snapped up by James C. Rutenic, who dispenses legal advice in the same building.

ROSEBURG EXPECTS LINE TO CROSS BAY CITIES

ROSEBURG, Aug. 29.—Roseburg's hopes of a railroad between this city and Coos Bay are mounting high once more, with the advent here of W. E. Pierce, an electric interurban railway operator of Boise, Idaho. Mr. Pierce's engineers have been in the field in Douglas and Coos counties for several weeks past, but their reports are still being awaited by him. After an automobile tour of the surrounding country, Mr. Pierce expressed himself pleased with conditions and opportunities for railway construction, and if the reports of his engineers are favorable, Roseburg's long cherished hopes of a road to Coos Bay will be in a fair way to be realized.

WANAMAKER IS SERIOUSLY ILL

OPERATION FOR BLADDER TROUBLE SAID TO BE CAUSE—PHYSICIAN DECLINE TO DISCUSS MERCHANT'S TROUBLE

Called From Service PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29.—John Wanamaker is reported to be in a critical condition at his home here following an operation for bladder trouble. Physicians refuse to discuss the case. Wanamaker's private secretary has denied that Mr. Wanamaker's condition is such as to cause alarm.

BASKETBALL TEAM WILL BE CLASSY

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS ARE PREPARING FOR THE COMING SEASON—EXCELLENT MATERIAL IS AVAILABLE FOR THE TEAM

It will be "some" basketball team representing the Klamath County high school this fall if the plans of the boys are carried out. Last year the quintet did some splendid work under William A. Shaw, coach, and it is expected that the men who are chosen this year will be up to those of last year.

One of the schemes under contemplation for the coming athletic season is to have the boys go to Medford and Ashland and play the teams there. It is not yet known who will be the coach this year, nor has the personnel of the team been decided, but shortly after the high school opens for the season the choice of talent will be made.

Among the available men are Hardin Carter, Glenn Garrett, Leon Holler, Harold Sargent, Ernest Nail, Harry Messner, Ralph Hurn, Robert Riggs and Paul Noel.

INDIAN WANTS TO BE CHAMP

CARLISLE MAN WILL GO OUT AFTER THE ALL-AROUND ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIP HELD BY MARTIN SHERIDAN

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian athlete, hopes to achieve a new world's record in all-around athletic championship at Celtic Park next Monday. The present record is held by Martin Sheridan, who made a total of 7,385 points in the championship of 1909. Thorpe believes he can better the score by nearly 700 if he is in top form.

PYTHIANS WILL HUNT FOR DUCKS

COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED TO LOOK OVER THE PROSPECTS FOR AN ANNUAL OUTING—A GOOD TIME IS BEING PLANNED

At the regular weekly meeting of Klamath Lodge No. 99, Knights of Pythias, a committee was appointed to take a survey of the prospects for an annual outing. The committee consists of Messrs. Brimmer, Bennett and Voorhees. It is the intention of the lodge to have a duck hunt for the benefit of the members whether any visiting lodges come or not.

Those expected from California have other plans which will prevent their presence, and the invitations extended to Medford and Ashland have not yet been answered. But the Knights are "strong" for the duck hunt, and the committee is to look the landscape over and determine the best place and time to go, reporting at the next meeting. The members figure that if they were to wait until the latter part of September, as they had planned, the local ducks would be driven out of this vicinity, while the northern ducks will not be in until October.

So the chances are that an early date will be picked. Many of the Sir Knights have their own launches, and there will be no lack of conveyances when the excursion is determined. Arrangements for a banquet in the early fall are also to be made.

CLARK POUNDS DESK TO PIECES

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKER WIELDS GAVEL WITH A VENGEANCE. REPAIRERS FIND RESULT OF HIS EFFORTS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 29.—Repairmen today, examining the furniture of the house, discovered that Speaker Clark during the last nine months had used the gavel with such effect that virtually the entire top of the desk was wrecked.

One entire section had been pounded away, leaving a large hole concealed by the green felt that covers the desk. The speaker all through the session made vigorous use of the gavel on all occasions. According to old members no speaker since Thomas B. Reed employed the mallet with such freedom.

BAND CONCERT TO BE SATURDAY

DATE IS CHANGED FROM TONIGHT—IF WEATHER IS NOT GOOD, CONCERT WILL BE POSTPONED AGAIN TO SUNDAY

The weather permitting, the Klamath Military band will play in the court house square on Saturday evening. In the event of the weather preventing, the concert will be given Sunday afternoon.

It was intended to play the concert this evening. The program: March—"Bride Elect".....Souza Selection from "Lucia".....Donizetti Bridal song from "Rural Wedding Symphony".....Goldmark Selections from "Three Twins".....Kochua Popular song, "Moonlight Bay".....Wenrich Teller's song from "Carman".....Coney "Wedding Bells Rag".....Coney National Anthem

MOTOR BOAT IS RETURNED HOME

ENGINE OF LAUNCH OF MIKEL AND DOLMAN FAME STARTS AT THE FIRST TURN OF THE WHEEL

The gasoline boat in which Messrs. Dolman and Mikel left this city Sunday morning, and which they abandoned in the tules along the Lower Lake, was brought to this city last night.

"The engine started at the first turn of the wheel," stated Miss Telford this morning. "There was plenty of gasoline in the tank."

CHINK DOCTOR KILLS A MAN

NOTED SCULPTOR OF NEW YORK MEETS DEATH WHILE UNDERGOING TREATMENT FOR MINOR SKIN DISEASE

Called From Service SEATTLE, Aug. 29.—Louis Potter, the famous New York sculptor, died here today while undergoing treatment by a Chinese physician for a minor skin disease. The coroner is investigating the affair.

GENERAL BOOTH LAID TO REST

TWO MILLION PEOPLE SEE FUNERAL PROCESSION

Lord Mayor of London, in Official Robes, Stands at Salute Before His Official Residence While the Funeral Passes—Members of the Booth Family Follow the Hearse on Foot to Abney Park Cemetery

United Press Service

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Twenty thousand members of the Salvation Army, comprising 51 brigades and accompanied by 100,000 sympathizers, marched through a crowd estimated at 2,000,000 people to Abney Park cemetery, where General Booth was buried.

The procession from the Victoria Embankment started at 11 o'clock and passed the Salvation Army headquarters, where the hearse joined the marchers.

A Salvation Army flag draped the coffin, on which was General Booth's uniform.

Captain Bible Bramwell Booth and other members of the Booth family followed on foot.

The lord mayor in his official robes stood at salute before his official residence.

SHIPBUILDING ERA PREDICTED

BUILDING OF "GREAT DITCH" IS EXPECTED TO GIVE IMPETUS TO AMERICAN MARINE AND KINDRED INDUSTRIES

Special to The Herald WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 29.—An era of shipbuilding and increased tonnage of foreign freight in American bottoms may be looked for now that the Panama Canal bill has been signed by the president, and the machinery for operating the "great ditch" created by congress at last on the statute books.

"It means the re-habilitations of the American merchant marine," is a favorite expression of scores of legislators, while those who have been making the fight of their lives for a return to the old order of things before the Civil War, as it relates to our own shipping, see in the Panama Canal bill a consummation much to be desired.

LUMBER TRUST FACES A PROBE

GOVERNMENT CHARGES THAT THE RETAIL DEALERS ARE IN A COMBINE IN WEST—INVESTIGATION IS STARTED

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 29.—The government investigation of the so-called retail lumber trust of the Middle West began here this morning.

H. B. Hewitt of the Tye Lumber company of Hoquiam was the first witness. He admitted that he hesitated to sell to retail lumber men not included in the alleged syndicate for fear of being blacklisted by the trust. He told of correspondence that ensued between him and the publishers of the Mississippi Lumberman, a lumber journal in support of the trust, in which it was hinted that he must refrain from selling in the Mississippi Valley and neighboring territory to any retailers except those in the syndicate.

Secret Service Officers Take the Weapon From Assailant

Woman Declares that She is the Wife of the President and Followed Him to See that He Remained True to Her

BANK TO FIX UP FORMER HOME

OLD FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING WILL BE REMODELED, SO AS TO CHANGE THE ENTRANCE WAY

When the First National bank remodels its former home building at Fourth and Main, into which it will move after making alterations, the banking room will not only be on the street level, but will be larger than it is now. It will be larger by the width of the present stairway, whose room will be used therein, and the stairway dispensed with. The entrance to the First National building will then be the same stairway as that to the White Maddox building.

In order to provide a hallway from the White-Maddox building into the First National block a room in the latter, adjoining the former's hall, will be cut out and used as an entry. When the bank block is remodeled the law offices of James C. Rutenic and Joseph S. Keat will occupy three rooms in it.

WOMEN TO MEET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

THE DATE OF AWARDING PRIZES IN THE CITY BEAUTIFUL MOVEMENT MAY BE CHANGED TO NEXT MONDAY

On Friday afternoon at 2:30 there will be a called meeting of the Civic League to consider unfinished and new business.

The date for awarding the prizes for lawns had been set for September 1st, which will be Sunday. The chances are that the league will change the date to Monday, September 2d.

COMAN PLEASSED WITH OUR ROADS

RAILROAD MAN DECLARES CRATER LAKE IS WONDERFUL—RETURNS TO PORTLAND FROM A LONG TRIP

Wilbur E. Coman, general freight and passenger agent of the Hill lines, was among the first of the Portland boosters to get home from the Lakeview meeting last week. In an interview with the Journal he expressed himself as being well pleased with the trip.

"You must go to Central Oregon to find good roads," said Mr. Coman. After attending the Lakeview meeting and visiting Crater Lake he returned to Portland by rail that he might attend the funeral of the late Postmaster Charles E. Merrick. "We found most excellent high-

FREE DELIVERY NOT IN SIGHT

POSTMASTER BRANDENBURG DECLARES THAT THE GROWTH OF THE CITY HAS BEEN SUFFICIENT TO WARRANT ACTION

There is no indication that there will be city delivery of mail before next year, although Postmaster Clyde K. Brandenburg has said that the city's growth so far as population is concerned has been sufficient. What the city needs in order to get the delivery is sidewalks in the delivery district, together with house numbers and street signs. Some of these three last mentioned elements are slightly lacking, and under the present charter muddle the city council is said to be chary of doing anything in the way of compelling the people of the city to become more up-to-date in the way of walks, numbers and signs.

Owing to a chill in the night air last evening a crimp was put in the ambitions of the members of the Klamath Falls Military band, and that organization failed to concertize in the court house park as scheduled.

School Board Meets

This morning at the First Trust and Savings Bank the city school board held a session and conference with Superintendent Rosell H. Dunbar. Some matters of a routine nature were discussed, mostly pertaining to the coming session of the school, which begins next Monday. Some bills were allowed, also.

SHERIFF BARNES NABS SUSPECT

CHRIS REGAN IS ARRESTED ON THE WEST SIDE OF KLAMATH MARSH, SUSPECTED OF STEALING HORSES

Suspected of being a fugitive from California where he is wanted for stealing horses, Chris Regan was arrested late yesterday afternoon by Sheriff Barnes and Deputy Sheriff Wheeler at Garfield Jack's place on the west side of Klamath Marsh. Regan was brought to this city and confined in the county jail, awaiting advice from California.

When arrested Regan had just closed a trade with Garfield Jack with the horses he is supposed to have stolen. A reward of \$250 has been offered by the California authorities for the capture of the horse thief, whose description tallies with Regan.

PORTLAND MAN RIDES MOTORCYCLE TO DENVER

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 29.—John E. Norman of Portland is in Denver on his way to New York city on a motorcycle. He has averaged 25 miles a day since starting, and his average while coming across the mountains was 29 miles a day. The distance from Portland over the route he has taken is 1,466 miles.

"SACRED" KNIFE IS DISCOVERED

WOMAN HAD \$200 IN CASH IN HER POSSESSION

President Arrives in Columbus, and is on His Way to Breakfast When the Attempt is Made to Stab Him. Banquet is Arranged in President's Honor for Tonight, With Governor Harmon as Toastmaster

Called From Service COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 29.—A woman supposed to be insane, made an attempt to kill President Taft as he entered the Southern Hotel for breakfast this morning.

She made a rush as the president entered the door. Secret service operators stopped her. She was searched and a dangerous knife was found. She was immediately taken to the city prison.

President Taft arrived here at 7 o'clock. He remained a short time in his private car before going to breakfast.

The woman gave her name as Carolyn Beers, and said she was from Greenville, Ohio. She attempted to enter the elevator with the president. When arrested, the woman shouted: "I am the president's wife. I am following him to see that he is true to me. I have a sacred knife that I am going to give him."

When taken to the station a pocket knife with one three-inch blade was found hidden in her dress. She had \$200 in her clothing. When questioned she talked incoherently. She had seen the president last fall in Cincinnati. Taft then told her to go home and stay with her daughter.

A battalion of Spanish War veterans and state militia comprised President Taft's guard of honor. He will remain at the state fair grounds most of the day. Tonight he will attend a banquet given by the Bench and Bar Association. Governor Harmon will be toast master. Tickets are \$10 apiece.

ODD FELLOWS TO BE VERY ACTIVE

MEETING WILL BE HELD TONIGHT TO ORGANIZE WITH A VIEW OF TAKING UP REGULAR WINTER WORK

This evening at I. O. O. F. hall there will be held an adjourned meeting of Ewauna Encampment No. 46 for the purpose of organizing with a view to taking up the regular winter work in a thoroughly systematic and business like manner. While the growth of the lodge has been very gratifying to the brotherhood, it is determined that no abatement in the industry of the members shall be allowed, and the plan is to have the coming winter be a banner one in Odd Fellowship in Klamath Falls.