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Price, Five Cents

ILLINOIS VICE COMMITTEE IS AFTER BANKERS

BANK EMPLOYEES' WAGE ABOUT \$900 A YEAR

Heads of Large Financial Institutions, Department Stores and Other Concerns Subpoenaed by Committee. Marshall Field Pays Men Employees From Twelve to Nineteen Dollars Weekly

United Press Service
CHICAGO, June 6.—The state legislature's committee probing the vice conditions in Illinois resumed its investigations here today, when subpoenas were served on forty witnesses. These include the heads of the largest banks, department stores and other business houses. Several students of economics have been summoned to appear and offer testimony. It is the endeavor of the commission in this manner to ascertain whether low wages paid to male employees here is any factor contributing to the ruin of young girls. The witnesses are to be asked regarding the wages paid to men employees. The average wage of a man working in a Chicago banking house is \$900 a year, according to George M. Reynolds, the first witness examined. (Continued on Page 4)

Doctor Cuts Tumor From Crook's Head



CINCINNATI, May 6.—Surgery vs. Law is the title of the drama in which Dr. S. P. Kramer is now taking part. He is trying to make an honest man of a burglar by removing a tumor from his brain. He might have sent the man to prison and left the tumor in the brain, but the doctor had other notions. "I believe I have killed the thief in him," said the doctor, after he had performed the operation. Sam Myers robbed the home of the doctor, and he was caught. He might have been sent to prison. But the doctor, visiting the man in jail, asked how he would like to have his brain "fixed up." (Continued on Page 4)

KLAMATH WATER USERS ARE HERE FOR BIG SESSION

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN ATTENDANCE

President Abel Ady Will Make Complete Report of the Investigation in Washington, Power Site Matter Will Be Discussed, Amendments Voted on, and New Directors Will Be Chosen for the Year
Over a hundred Klamath and Siskiyou county farmers, members of the Klamath Water Users Association, are in the city today, attending the annual stockholders' meeting of the association, which is being held at the Houston opera house. In addition to the water users, officials of the reclamation service, including Supervising Engineer E. G. Hopson, are present. Hopson came here from Portland especially to attend the session. Today's business includes, among other things, balloting on two amendments to the constitution of the association. One of these provides for a printed ballot for future elections. The other provides for candidates for directors filing their names ten days before the date of the annual meeting. At this session a board of directors will be elected for the ensuing year. The report of President Abel Ady, who has just returned from attending the investigation of charges against the reclamation service, will contain the details of the gathering at Washington. In addition, it is believed that a number of matters, such as the development of electric power, etc., pertaining to the Klamath project, will be discussed from all angles by the water users and the reclamation service officials.

BASE REJOINDER ON CONSTITUTION

JAPAN HOLDS THAT THE FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT IS VIOLATED BY THE CALIFORNIA LAND LEGISLATION

United Press Service
TOKIO, June 6.—It was announced today that Japan's rejoinder to America will be based on the alleged violation of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, which guarantees equal rights to all by the different states. It is held that it also violates the first article of the American-Japanese treaty of 1911, which gives the Japs the right to own and lease houses in America. This is claimed to be inseparable from land owning. Cabinet Considers Rejoinder
United Press Service
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6.—The cabinet today considered Japan's rejoinder to Secretary Bryan's note, but did not frame a reply, which was postponed until the next cabinet meeting. President Wilson advised the cabinet that Baron Chinda had said that Japan desired an early, but not a hasty reply. Negotiations may be continued indefinitely, probably until long after the California bill becomes a law. "Leave Off the Last Car."
United Press Service
HAMBURG, June 6.—Railway employees are a bit puzzled over the latest official notice, reading: "The last car shall not be attached to the two trains as it is always subject to unpleasant oscillation."

Cuban Gunboat and Commander, at Maine Monument Celebration



The Cuban gunboat Cuba, in charge of Lieutenant Colonel Oscar F. Quedo, was one of the principal features of the Maine monument unveiling ceremonies Memorial Day in New York. The vessel had been sent from the harbor in which the Maine was blown up before the Spanish-American war. Everywhere the officers and men were received with acclamation. "You may have to help us some day, though you have not as large a navy as we have," said Mayor Gaynor to the commander during an official call at the city hall. "We will do it in all sincerity," gravely replied the Cuban. Nearly 200 Cuban soldiers, who had been sent up by President Menocal, the new Cuban president, to help celebrate, swarmed over the city, and they were the most interesting exhibits in connection with the celebration. Miss Agnes Hannon returned last night from Raymond, Wash., where she taught school this year. She will spend the summer visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hannon. W. W. Whitlatch, a well known Klamath county rancher, is here from Merrill to attend the meeting of the stockholders of the Klamath Water Users Association. E. C. Erickson, who is connected with the forest supervisor's office at Medford, is here for a short business trip.

WOOD CASE IS IN THE HANDS OF THE JURY

ONE JUROR THOUGHT TO BE UNQUALIFIED

Tumor Current in Boston That Member of the Venue Hearing Evidence Against Textile Trust Head Had Expressed an Opinion, But This Is Found to Be Without Foundation. Charged With Conspiracy.
United Press Service
BOSTON, June 6.—The case against William W. Wood, Frederick E. Atteaux and Dennis Collins, charged with planting dynamite at Lawrence, Mass., in 1913, in order to arouse prejudice against the striking textile workers, went to the jury today. Presiding Judge Crosby gave his charge to the jury just before noon. It was intended to have the case in the jurors' hands earlier in the day, but this was prevented by a report that Morris Schuman, one of the jurors, had expressed an open opinion on the case. With both the attorneys for the defense and prosecution present, Judge Crosby subjected Schuman to a three hours' investigation, to determine his right to sit in the case. It was finally decided that the rumor was unfounded. The principal defendant is William W. Wood, multi-millionaire, and president of the American Woolen company. He is charged with a conspiracy to plant dynamite in an attempt to discredit the strikers at the Lawrence mills in 1913. Unlike previous trials in which (Continued on Page 4)

Enlisted Men to Get Chance With Middies

Secretary of the Navy Informs Graduates of Naval Academy that Tar Is Just as Ambitious

BANAPOLIS, Md., June 6.—Under the present presidential administration, the man who enlists in the United States navy is to be given exactly the same chance for advancement as is given the graduates of the United States naval academy. Announcement to this effect was made today by Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy, who is here attending the midshipmen's commencement exercises. Daniels' talk as to equal opportunities for all men who serve on Uncle Sam's floating fortresses came during the speech he made just before presenting the graduating midshipmen with diplomas. "The time is not far off," said Daniels, "when every ship in the navy of this country will be a school ship. You gentlemen must remember that the enlisted man is just as ambitious and as patriotic as you, and it is up to you to assist them in every way possible. "In its advertisements for recruits the navy department has been promising the young men of the nation that it will teach them trades. This has caused a great enlistment from country towns in the interior, and this is composed largely of young men who are ambitious to gain promotion. We intend to see that this promise to the enlisted men is kept to the very letter."

M'LOUGHLIN WINS IN FIRST MATCH

RICE, STAR AUSTRALIAN ENTRY, IS ELIMINATED FROM DAVIS CUP MATCH BY THE NATIONAL CHAMPION

NEW YORK, June 6.—Maurice McLoughlin won the first set from Australia in the Davis Cup match. He defeated Rice 6-1, 6-3, 6-3. The lightning drives of the American champion were a complete puzzle to the Australian, and he was easily eliminated from the contest.

Might Change Route of the Klamath Cutoff

Southern Pacific Not Satisfied With Salt Creek Stretch. Route Along Kitson Creek Looked Up

OAKRIDGE, June 6.—H. I. Randall, resident engineer for the Southern Pacific company, has gone up Kitson Creek to see if a more feasible route for the Klamath Falls cutoff cannot be found in that direction than by way of the present survey up Salt Creek. He expects to go as far as the summit if the snow does not prevent the trip. The Southern Pacific has never been fully satisfied with the survey which it adopted five years ago for this line, and has been at work ever since making topographical surveys of wide stretches of territory on either side of the survey, so that the engineers in the San Francisco office might work out better grades and curves from the plotted maps of the mountainous country. Grades and curvatures within the maximum set by the company have been secured in the surveys, but to build the road to these lines is going to be more expensive than the company would like to stand. As an example of the costliness of construction, the company let a contract a year and a half ago for 30,000 feet of grading beyond Oakridge. Several hundred men have been at work constantly since then, and even now the contract is not completed. Concrete work will be done in a week, but the grading crews will not be out for six weeks. Before the heavy grading could be begun it was necessary to build roads by which supplies could be taken to the newly established camps. If Engineer Randall's reconnaissance proves the Kitson Creek route the better, this stretch of expensive grading would have to be abandoned. From Oakridge, the present terminus of the Natron extension, to Odell Lake, at the crest of the Cascades, is but 18 miles, but in this distance the present survey would call for a score of tunnels of varying lengths. In this mountainous section there are many narrow rocky ridges extending out into the river. These are so steep they will have to be tunneled, in some cases with bores barely 50 feet in length.

More Subpoenaed by Lobby Investigators

Seventy-five Men to be Examined by Judiciary Committee. List Includes Many Former Senators

United Press Service
WASHINGTON, June 6.—In addition to the members of the senate who have been examined already in the investigation of President Wilson's charge that an insidious lobby is working to defeat the Underwood tariff measure in the senate, a number of more witnesses are to testify. Senator Lee S. Overman of North Carolina, chairman of the senate judiciary committee, which is conducting the investigation, stated that subpoenas are being prepared for at least seventy-five witnesses. Included in this list, according to Overman, are a number of former senators and congressmen. They are accused of using their privilege to the floor in order to argue against the tariff bill. Senator George T. Oliver of Pennsylvania, who was examined today, stated that he is worth \$7,000,000. He gave a long list of Pittsburgh manufacturers who called on him regarding the tariff. "None of these men were lobbyists," said Oliver. "They were honorable citizens, seeking to impress the national legislators of convictions they believed to be honest."

Crater Lake Road Forces Now at Work in the Park

Temporary Road Completed from Kirk to the Park Line and Permanent Camp Established at Wheeler Creek Begin Grading Permanent Roadway Monday

The temporary road for hauling supplies from Kirk to the park line has been practically completed, according to G. E. Goodwin, United States Engineer Corps, in charge of the Crater Lake road work, who came in Thursday from Kirk on a business trip. "The construction force is now at work a mile inside the park line," said Mr. Goodwin this morning. "They are at Wheeler Creek, where permanent camp has been established. From Wheeler Creek the work will be carried on toward the rim of the lake as fast as the snow disappears. In getting into the point designated as a permanent camp, it was necessary, a few days ago, at some points to shovel a road through drifts of snow four and five feet deep. The snow, though, is rapidly disappearing. "We expect to commence work on the permanent roadways by Monday," continued Goodwin. "The work will become more extensive as the snow leaves. In ten days we will have a large force of men and teams at work. According to the engineer there are twenty men and five or six teams at work now. In less than two weeks, as the snow permits of a greater scope of work, there will be work for at least forty or fifty men and thirty or more teams. A rock crusher for use in preparing dressing and foundation for the government's system of roads in the park has been received at Chiloquin. Other road building machinery is expected daily. The system of roads to be constructed in Crater Lake by the United States Engineer Corps is very extensive, and the roads will be constructed with a view to permanency. It is planned to make a number of cross sections of experimental road. In this manner it will be ascertained what type of road building is best adapted to the climate and traffic conditions in the park.

OFFICIAL VOTE IS CANVASSED

ACCORDING TO COUNT MADE TODAY, WILLIAM S. WORDEN POLLED 2,888 VOTES, FRANK IRA WHITE 974
The official canvass of the recent recall election was completed at the court house today. The result follows:
William S. Worden 2,888
Frank Ira White 974
J. R. Ritter 54
I. Burrows of Ashland is visiting Klamath Falls.

FALLS UNDER CAR AND LOSES TOES

BOX FACTORY EMPLOYEE LIES BETWEEN RAILS WHILE THREE CARS PASS OVER HIM—FOOT IS INJURED
Falling from the front of a fatcar between the rails underneath a moving train at Shippington Thursday, James Finnell, an employe of the Klamath Manufacturing company, lost the toes on his right foot. The man remained between the rails until three cars passed over him. Finnell was taken to the Blackburn hospital, where his injury is being attended to.

Marsh Land Owners to Confer With Engineer

Head of the Pacific Division of Reclamation Service Will Hear of Lower Lake Reclamation Plan

A further consider consideration of the feasibility of reclaiming 606,000 acres or more of swamp land around Lower Klamath Lake will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce, when the plan outlined by the owners of marsh lands will be explained by Supervising Engineer E. G. Hopson of the reclamation service, in charge of the Pacific division. At this meeting the local people will lay the entire matter before Mr. Hopson. In this way they hope to ascertain whether or not he believes their plans feasible, and will recommend that the government take up this reclamation work. There have been several plans suggested for the reclamation of these lands, and one suggested by G. C. Hogue has been favored by the land owners, as it provided for the doing the work at a nominal cost. It is said that nearly all of the land owners are anxious to subordinate their acreage in case the government will take up the matter.