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## THOS. MARSHALL DIES TODAY AT WASHINGTON D C

### Heart Attack Takes War-Time Vice President of the United States

### WAS READING BIBLE End Comes Peacefully at Hotel—Funeral Plans Are Being Made

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Thomas R. Marshall, war-time vice-president of the United States, died here today.

He passed away at the New Willard hotel here, where he had been ill for several days with a cold and a heart affection.

The end came unexpectedly as the former vice-president had shown some improvement in the week he had been confined to his hotel room and plans had been made for his return to his home in Indianapolis some time this week.

Accompanied by his wife, Mr. Marshall came here a week ago today. On his arrival he went to the hotel, complaining of great exhaustion. When physicians were summoned it was found he had suffered from a heart attack. He regained strength gradually however, and soon was in such a condition that it was possible for Mrs. Marshall to leave the bedside to attend to various personal errands.

Death resulted from a recurrence of the heart attack which he suffered a week ago. Tentative plans were made for burial at Marion, Ind., near his father and mother and a foster child who died recently.

When the end came he was sitting up in bed reading from the Bible to which he had turned throughout life for consolation and guidance and into whose passages he often delved in his office adjoining the senate chamber in moments when his presence was not required as presiding officer.

Only a nurse was at the bedside. Mrs. Marshall was in an adjoining room. Suddenly slumping down upon the pillow, he passed away without a word and apparently without pain.

### VISIT OVER SUNDAY

Otto Ellis, Charley House and Willard Cooper spent Saturday and Sunday in the valley visiting relatives and friends.

### BABY SHOES!

WASHINGTON, June 1.—(A.P.)—Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, wife of the speaker-designate of the house, has been sitting for a portrait. It has been learned, to be used in the advertising of a well-known beauty cream.

The \$5000 which Mrs. Longworth will receive under the contract for use of the portrait, will accrue, it is understood, to the bank account of her daughter, Paulina, who came into the world some three months ago.

## President Sproule Of Southern Pacific Gives Out Statement Of Company Plans In Klamath County

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1. (A.P.)—Replying to published reports that the Southern Pacific company is contesting the Hill interests in the construction of new lines in Northern California and Southern Oregon, President William Sproule of the Southern Pacific said today: "The Southern Pacific is not at war with anyone, but it is attending strictly to its own business. It is true we are building a line through Klamath Falls, known as the Nitron Cut-off on which 52 of the 108 miles have been completed and 30 miles have

## Heaviest Rain in Many Years Descends Here

### One and Five-Tenths Inches Falls During Past 14 Hours

One of the heaviest rains on record for the past decade descended upon the Klamath country last night and this morning and before any signs of clearing up had become manifest this morning 1.5 inches had fallen.

Preceded by several light showers during the day, the rain clouds opened up in earnest shortly before 8 o'clock last night and roads of Klamath and pavements of Klamath Falls, were flowing with streams of water.

Twice as much rain fell last night as the average total precipitation for the entire month of June, during the past ten years, according to records at the United States Reclamation office.

In some mountain sections of Klamath, the rain bordered almost on a cloud burst, according to reports from Klamath fishermen. Many fishermen had difficulty in returning to the city due to muddy roads.

The rain will have the effect of dislodging the heavy snow drifts in the upper reaches of the Cascades, it is reported. It will also be a boon to the farmers of the Klamath project and more particularly the dry farmers of the Klamath country.

In addition it will assure an abundance of range grass.

## Hearst Writer Returns South

C. E. Kunze of San Francisco, who came here for the purpose of representing the Hearst papers at the hearing before the Board of Survey and Adjustment, left this morning for the Bay City. He was accompanied by Mrs. Kunze.

One of the greatest victories over the aggression of a great municipality ever gained by a small community was won through the power of Mr. Kunze's pen. When the people of Owens river valley had all but despaired in their fight against the City of Los Angeles, which had stolen their irrigation water, Mr. Kunze appeared on the scene and for nearly a year published a series of articles in the Hearst papers that stirred public opinion to a point where Los Angeles was forced to do justice to the farmers it had all but ruined.

It was through the influence of these articles that the Reparations bill was passed by the California legislature. This measure provides that where the acts of one municipality bring injury to another city or town, damages shall be paid to the full extent of the injury. By reason of the purchase of certain ditches in Owens river valley, thousands of acres of fertile land that was under cultivation were abandoned. Small towns that depended for their existence upon these lands were wiped out. As a result of this bill, property owners in these communities will receive compensation for the value of their property and business.

### TO HONOR WRIGHT

DAYTON, Ohio, May 30.—The original Wright airplane will be given to the Smithsonian institution at Washington by Orville Wright, providing the institute meets his requirements which will be presented to Dr. Walcott next week.

## HEROISM SAVES THREE PERSONS FROM DROWNING

### Ferryboat Owner drives Into Water and Breaks Glass of Sedan

### AUTO IS SUBMERGED Seattle man and Wife and Baby Rescued When Car Goes Into Sound

TACOMA, Wash., June 1.—Unparalleled heroism saved the lives of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McDonald and their six months old daughter of Seattle yesterday when the McDonald auto was pulled into the sound from the deck of the Alki Point Manchester ferry. The accident occurred as the ferry, crowded with cars, was backed out of its slip at Manchester about 7:30 p. m.

The McDonald car at the end of the ferry nearest to the slip, in some manner became entangled in the chain that controlled the movable apron on the slip. To the horror of the motorists on the ferry the car, a sedan, was dragged off the ferry and dropped into the water as the ferry backed away.

The chain held the car suspended over the water, with only the corner of one fender showing. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald were in the front seat of the car and their baby in the back seat. All the windows were closed except that beside the driver.

### Dives Into Water

The ferry pilot, warned by the screams of horror, stopped the craft immediately and Harry Crossby, one of the owners of the line, immediately dived from the ferry and fought his way down to the suspended car, where he kicked in the window beside Mrs. McDonald.

She was dragged out by Crossby, badly cut by the jagged glass, and in the meantime Mr. McDonald fought his way free from the car.

### Mother Saves Baby

The rescuers did not know of the baby's presence in the rear seat until Mrs. McDonald tore herself from the grasp of those who were helping her and pulled herself back through the break of the window into the car and emerged a moment later with the baby in her arms.

The baby was revived by artificial respiration although it had been under water for nearly 10 minutes.

Mrs. McDonald is suffering from nervous prostration and severe cuts but will recover.

## War Secretary Growing Weaker

### John W. Weeks' Condition Poor, Says Bulletin

BOSTON, June 1.—Secretary of War John W. Weeks, who was operated upon for gallstones, at the Massachusetts General Hospital last week, passed a restless night, his physicians announced today and his general condition described, not so good.

The bulletin said: "Secretary Weeks' general condition is not so good this morning. He had a restless night. Pulse 90. Temperature normal." From the time of the operation last Thursday, Secretary Weeks had been convalescing favorably until yesterday when the physicians admitted that his condition was not entirely satisfactory, although there was said to be nothing alarming in his symptoms.

### LORELLA VISITORS HERE

M. F. Orr and Robert De Haven of Lorella spent the day in the city visiting and attending to business matters.

## Eighth Grade Will Graduate Last of Week

### Total of 114 Pupils Will Complete Work Next Friday

With a class of one hundred fourteen students, graduating exercises of the public schools will be held on Friday morning at The Pine Tree theatre. The exercises will make the largest class that has ever graduated from the public schools of this city. Last year eighty-three pupils graduated, which was the largest class of the one hundred and fourteen to graduate, one hundred and nine plan to enter high school this fall, according to Supt. of Schools, J. Perry Wells.

"Service to Oregon Through Industry" has been chosen by Professor of Foreign Trade, Alfred Loman, of the University of Oregon, as his address for the graduating exercises.

Following is the list of students who will graduate on Friday morning:

**Central School**  
James Barkley, Garret Beckley, Gertrude von Berthelsdorf, Gale Travis Blundell, Marjelyn Bradford, Leroy B. Cain, Helen May Cofor, Billy T. Crocker, Jr., Charles Herman Darby, Frank Ellis Davis, Clara J. Dollard, George W. Ekman, Jack R. Goble, Anna Faye Grizzle, Aldene Harris, Roy Harris, Alice Standish Harvey, Wanda Alice Kirkendall, Gilbert H. Lageson, Margaret Evelyn Macken, Thomas B. Massey, Alais Miller, Clifton Molatore, Nadine O'Flaherty, Maxine De Veta Olson, Helen Peterbaush, Alvin L. Satterlee, Hazel Stansbie, James A. Wherland Jr., George E. Whitman, Bernice Ruth Yancey.

**Fairview School**  
Martin R. Ashby, Byron C. Caldwell, Imogene Caldwell, Jeanette L. Clay, Thelma Gray, Vivian Blanche Daw, Beryl Frost, Blanche H. E. Grimm, Isabel H. Guse, John H. Hammer, Rendal Clarke Lane, Kathleen Livingston, Mildred G. Lloyd, Lillian M. Mathers, Pearl G. Mathers, Elden McKim, Myrtle M. Mullennax, Evelyn O. Probst, Wilma L. Rettel, Thelma E. Rowe, Annabelle Smith, Alfred H. Stephenson, Hazel H. Tracy, Carroll Vernon, Herbert Vernon Wahl, Frances Loria Walls.

**Mills School**  
Clyde Elmas Brown, Marita Sarah Brown, Carrol Colvin, George Elliott Hawkins, James L. Hawkins, Marian Odessa Lusk, Hope Eva Miller, Violet Elizabeth Newby, Leslie Vernon Siles, Kenneth Lee Thomas, William Harold Tompkins, Jr., Marie Lucille Thompson.

**Pelican Bay School**  
Clyde G. Davis, Mary Louise Hotchkiss, Pearl Margaret Johnson, Henry E. Sanders, Charles C. Sanguinetti, Vera K. Smith.

**Riverside School**  
Barnette M. Bean, Jack M. Bedford, James O. Beevers, Cora L. Biehn, Bonifay Blair, Evelyn I. Bliss, Gwendolyn Claye, Tex U. Crowther, Rex Daxis, Dwayne Delap, Jack W. Elliott, Ludmilla Goldsmith, Herbert C. Graham, Virgil C. Grove, Cyril S. Humphrey, Letitia Kirk, Joseph L. Kirk, Matthew Kohn, Gertrude Lindley, Louise C. Longhead, Alfred Lundquist, Helen Mason, Hazel L. Michaelson, Vera Moore, Athen Moore, Roy F. Nune, Thomas W. Simpson, Josephine E. Snyder, Marjorie Stinson, George E. Tunnell, Armond Ulrich, Dorothy W. Upp, Ina M. Westfall, Wayne A. Whitney, Raymond L. Westfall, Embera A. Pausan, Ennis Oldemeyer, Elmer C. Wilkerson, Charles E. Dennis, Jr.

## Roseburg Party at Crater Lake

### Second Group to Reach There This Spring Tell of Trip

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 1.—E. A. Britton, Douglas county boy scout executive, of Roseburg and Ray Simms, George Mason, Roy Schroeder, Frank Yoder and Edwin White of Eugene, returned late last night from Crater Lake, claiming to be the second party to reach the rim this year.

They drove to a point within eight miles of the lake, Saturday, and then went in on foot, Mr. Britton traveling across country, while the others followed the road. Five inches of snow fell at the lake during Saturday, they report. They skied back to the government camp, where they spent the night, five feet of snow being reported there. It will be possible to reach Anna Springs by Auto next Sunday, they stated.

### NEW SOCIETY EDITOR

Mrs. Helene Breitenstein arrived in the city yesterday from Helena, Mont., to become society editor of the Evening Herald. Mrs. Breitenstein formerly was a reporter on the Birmingham, Ala., Age-Herald and the Great Falls, Mont., Leader.

## S. P. PUBLICITY MEN START WORK IN RAIL BATTLE

### Big Guns on Writing Staff of Railroad Invading Klamath Falls

### OPENING GUN FIRED First of Projected Series of Signed Statements Make Appearance

The first gun in the fight that is to be made to keep out the Hill lines was fired today, when a statement, over the signature of Marion Nine, was issued for publication. While it does not so appear on its face, this is the beginning of a carefully scientifically prepared campaign to win over to the support of the Southern Pacific the weight of public opinion that has leaned so heavily towards the Hill lines.

The biggest publicity guns of the Southern Pacific have been brought to this city for the purpose of firing a broadside of propaganda. First on the list came Linzey Campbell. He made a careful survey of the situation and prepared a program that was submitted to R. E. Kelley, the big publicity chief of the system. When the latter was informed of the local situation he came here post haste and sat in on the conferences. He put the finishing touches on the campaign and then called in another brilliant luminary, K. C. Ingraham, who was to help Campbell. Everything was set to the satisfaction of all and then Marion Nine issued the following statement:

If the promises of Judge C. H. Carey and others from the north bear fruit and the Great Northern and Northern Pacific really come into this city, what will be the effect on Klamath Falls.

This is a question every business man and property owner here should ask himself before it is too late; before he has been rushed into endorsing a project that may rather break than make Klamath Falls.

Klamath Falls is the center of one of the most prosperous communities in the state. It has a bright future. It owes most of its prosperity to the local lumber industry.

It is true that agriculture also contributes to the wealth of the community. But it is also true that this agricultural wellbeing depends very largely

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## Oregon's Compulsory School Bill Knocked Out By Highest Court

### Attack on Private and Parochial Institutions Lost in Decision Handed Down Today by Supreme Court of U. S.—Hill Elated

WASHINGTON, June 1. (A. P.)—Oregon lost in the supreme court today its fight to compel children to attend public schools.

The court held that states in enforcing compulsory education laws, cannot require the attendance of children in public schools, to the exclusion of private or parochial schools.

The decision had been awaited with unusual interest because of the peculiar circumstances of the litigation, and because many other states have compulsory education laws. The Oregon law was attacked by the Society of the Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary and the Hill Military Academy. Throughout the controversy there were many charges that the statute had been inspired by the Ku Klux Klan.

Justice McReynolds, delivering the opinion for the court, said the inevitable practical results of enforcing the Oregon act would be destruction of the present parochial schools and other private primary schools, which are engaged in a kind of undertaking not inherently harmful, but long regarded as useful and meritorious.

## CONFESSIONS IN KIDNAPING CASE HELD BY POLICE

### Three Men Held in Los Angeles Plot to Abduct Mary Pickford

### HAD OTHERS MARKED

### Jackie Coogan, Pola Negri, and Others Were to be Victims, Report

LOS ANGELES, June 1.—(A.P.)—With three purported confessions in their hands and a trio of alleged plotters under lock and key, police investigators working on the Mary Pickford kidnaping case met today with representatives of the district attorney's office to discuss presentation of the so-called \$200,000 plot to the grand jury.

In the meantime an attorney retained by the wife of A. J. Woods, one of the alleged conspirators, announced he would seek his immediate release on a writ of habeas corpus. Woods, who is a truck driver, and his two associates, C. A. Holcomb, also a truck driver, and C. Z. Stevens, automobile salesman, all have made signed confessions of their part in the kidnaping plot, according to police, and are being held on suspicion of conspiracy to commit a felony.

### Tell of Plot

On the purported confessions the prisoners admit that, under the stimulus of such strong drink as was from time to time available to them, they talked of various "ways of getting easy money." A project to kidnap the grandchildren of E. L. Doheny, oil magnate, was under consideration for a while, as were plans to carry off and hold for ransom Jackie Coogan, Pola Negri and the grandson of an unnamed retired business man.

Finally the confessions revealed Mary Pickford was picked as the (Continued On Page Eight)

Hill Elated  
PORTLAND, Ore., June 1.—"I am delighted with the decision," said Joseph A. Hill, head of Hill Military academy, one of the plaintiffs in the suit attacking the Oregon school law, who returned only a few weeks ago from Washington, D. C., where he appeared before the United States supreme court while his attorney, John C. Veatch, argued the appealed case.

"We are naturally pleased that the right of the parent to educate his child has been upheld. It should end for all time the argument over who owns the child—the parent or the state.

**Do Real Service**  
"Experiments in education are always made by private enterprise—not by state schools. The way is left open for such continued experiments, of which the state has the benefit after the soundness of the theory has been tested by private schools.

"Specifically the decision means that Hill Military academy will immediately proceed with plans for a new school on the Rocky Butte site to represent an investment of \$250,000. We expect to get into the buildings during the coming school year."

**Of Real Importance**  
Judge J. P. Kavanaugh, attorney for the Society of the Sister of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary, one of the plaintiffs in the compulsory school law case, said: "The decision of the supreme court declaring the Oregon school law unconstitutional is a decision of the first importance.

"It will define the limits of the power of the state to regulate natural rights under the constitution.

"We felt confident that the law was unconstitutional and invaded some of the most sacred rights. "Not only will this decision determine finally the power of the state with regard to education, but it will declare the extent of the power of the state to regulate other useful occupations.

**Settles Question**  
"There has been constant effort in many directions to encroach upon personal rights, but this new definition of the liberty and property clauses of the fourteenth amendment will remove many of (Continued On Page Eight)

## Five Bandits Clean Out Small Bank In Chicago Suburb During Raid This Morning; Make Escape

CHICAGO, June 1. (A.P.)—Five robbers held up and virtually cleaned out the Baker State Bank in Cicero of available cash, estimated at \$15,000 today. The robbers escaped in an automobile.

Thirteen persons, including the employees, were in the bank when the robbers entered and with drawn revolvers, prevented opposition, holding the employees and customers together, while some of the holdup men entered the teller's cages and gathered up the money.

Charles G. Baker, president of the bank, said the robbers took practically all the currency in the bank. He said he did not know the amount but supposed it would amount to nearly \$15,000.