

MUTINEERS TAKE OVER BIG LINER

Commonwealth Vessel "Jervis Bay" Calls For Help Today

PARTY OF MARINES BOARD RESCUE SHIP

Significant Silence Following Last Call for Help Indicates That Vessel is in Hands of Mutineers Led by Eight Stoways in Hold.

COLOMBO, Ceylon, June 21. (AP)—The Australian commonwealth liner Jervis Bay reported by wireless to Colombo this morning that there was a mutiny aboard. Threats had been made to set the vessel afire, the message said.

An hour after the message was received a party of marines was sent to Trincomalee to embark on the auxiliary steamer Slavov. The Slavov was ordered to go to the Jervis Bay and bring the liner to Colombo. The British cruiser Enterprise yesterday received a wireless message from the Jervis Bay which stated that the vessel was having trouble with "eight desperate stowaways."

Efforts after 6 a. m. today to communicate with the Jervis Bay failed. It was feared that the vessel was in the hands of mutineers. The cruiser Enterprise received this wireless message from the Jervis Bay at 5 a. m. today: "Mutiny. Threatening to set ship afire. Send immediate assistance."

Prior to the call for help the cruiser at two o'clock this morning received the following message: "Situation serious. Ask earliest removal eight men under hatch. They are dangerous. Mutiny and incendiarism tried. Passengers alarmed. Constant guard on men by volunteer passengers. Speedily assist me. Due Colombo Monday morning."

WEDDING BELLS RING FOR H. E. PERKINS, CITY

Announcement today of the marriage of H. E. Perkins, well known attorney of this city and Miss Helene Stevenson of Kearney, Nebraska, in Portland on Tuesday, came as a complete surprise to the friends of Mr. Perkins, who left here several days ago supposedly on a vacation trip.

After a trip through California by motor, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins will return to Klamath Falls and be at home to their friends on High street.

Mrs. Perkins has taught for the past year at Casper, Wyoming, and is an accomplished young woman who will be welcomed to Klamath Falls society.

Since coming to Klamath Falls, Mr. Perkins has made many friends. He has taken an active part in the Kiwanis club of which he is a member and his work in the chamber of commerce as chairman of the membership committee during the past year received much favorable comment.



Poor Pa

PICKERING TO ERECT PLANT AT ALTURAS

The Modoc Northern railroad, long sought by the Klamath country, seemed a step nearer reality today with the word that the W. R. Pickering Lumber company had taken up an option on a mill site west of Alturas, Modoc county seat, and planned immediate construction of a mammoth operation employing about 1000 men.

If Klamath ever figures in the Pickering operation, it will be only in a minor capacity.

The Pickering timber lies along the proposed survey of the Modoc Northern railroad—a Southern Pacific railroad project which would connect Klamath Falls and Alturas (or perhaps Westwood), thus giving the Klamath basin a direct eastern outlet with all the benefits in speed and lower freight rates that would obtain. It has been said in lumber circles for years that a Pickering operation in connection with northern California timber holdings meant the construction of the Modoc Northern.

Although not officially announced, it is understood that the Pickering plans contemplate a four-band mill to be located on the tract near Alturas, and also the construction of a logging railroad west from Alturas to tap

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KIWANIS TRAIN DUE TOMORROW

Leaving the chamber of commerce promptly at 8 o'clock on Friday morning, close to 50 business men of the city with cars will motor to Chiloquin where at 9 o'clock they will greet the arriving delegation of Kiwanians from Seattle on a special train. The visitors from Georgia, Alabama and Florida will be taken by motor to Crater Lake where by night a no host luncheon will be served in the dining room of the lodge, the first affair to be given at the lodge this season.

After viewing the lake the party will return to Klamath Falls where they will be shown through the leading mills. They will board their special train at four o'clock enroute to San Francisco.

At least eight more cars could be used in taking the visitors to Crater Lake, according to Elmer Balsiger, in charge of transportation.

NOTED MONTANAN DIES

HELENA, Mont., June 21. (AP)—Dr. C. M. Lanstrutt, republican national committee man from Montana, died suddenly in his office here last night. He was 55 years old and came to Montana in 1895.

WIFE FORCES HUSBAND TO SLEEP IN BARN

LOS ANGELES, June 21. (U.P.)—William Clarence MacKinnon was granted a divorce from Mattie Grace MacKinnon today after he told Superior Judge Fletcher Bowron his wife forced him to take their six children and live in the barn at their Rockaway, N. J., home.

MacKinnon said he came to Los Angeles, but belatedly and sent his wife money to come here. He charged she spent the money, but didn't make the trip.

Reber's Lead Shrinks As Late Returns Arrive

Final result of one of the most closely contested county school elections ever conducted in Klamath was still in doubt at press time today as County School Clerk Etta Farr awaited returns from a few remote districts whose vote might change the present trend.

The lead of John Reber, Mallin, was cut to 17 with the tabulation of additional precincts late yesterday and this morning. The count at noon today stood 228 for Reber and 211 for George Offield, Merrill, incumbent, on the county school board.

Among the districts yet to be heard from are Spring Lake, Swan, Crystal and Algoma. Just as was predicted, the big lead of Reber in early returns—

SEARCH FOR AMUNDSEN UNDER WAY

French Government Orders Two Vessels on Rescue Venture

NO WORD HEARD OF INTREPID EXPLORER

One Newspaper Believes That Norwegian is Safe, Holding That Great Polar Flyer Had Concentrated on Saving Group of Italia's Crew Which Has Not Been Seen.

PARIS, June 21. (AP)—The French ministry of Marine has ordered the cruiser Strasbourg and the dispatch boat Quentin Roosevelt to go to Spitzbergen immediately to help in the search for Roald Amundsen now missing in the French relief plane piloted by Captain Rene Gillaud.

OSLO, Norway, June 21. (AP)—

A local newspaper commenting on the disappearance of the French plane with its search for Amundsen aboard on its search for the Italia's crew today stated that Amundsen said before he left that he was especially interested in the party of seven which drifted away in the balloon party of the Italia. The paper thought it was possible that Amundsen and his companions had flown straight to the east and landed on the sea.

Hoel, an explorer, who will accompany the Russian ice breaker Zvezda in its rescue work, said the men in the balloon had probably been carried out to sea between Northeast land and Franz Josef land. He did not think that the Kraasin would search for Amundsen's plane but suggested that the ice breaker Malignin which was in the neighborhood should go to the seaplane's assistance.

The polar flyers, Captain Sir George H. Wilkins and Carl B. Eielson, who arrived at Bergen last night expressed no anxiety when informed that nothing had been heard since he started from Tromsø.

A telegram to the Aftenposten from King's Bay said it was

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ALL STAR NINE ASKS KIWANIS FOR BALL GAME

Hoping to give his boys more practice and endeavoring to create interest in a twilight baseball league, Rex Lawson, manager of the Klamath Sporting Goods All-Star team issues a challenge to the Kiwanis, Eagles, or any baseball team wishing to play ball any evening in the week.

"I am issuing this challenge in hopes that we can stir up interest in intercity baseball," Lawson said last night.

The All-Stars team are contenders in the Timber league, playing Sundays in that circuit, and Lawson believes it will be a big help to his team to play during the week.

The All-Stars will meet Chiloquin on the local fair grounds diamond Sunday afternoon in a league game.

Tourist Travel At Crater Lake Heavy; 5000 Since Opening

MEADOW, Ore., June 21. (AP)—Travel to Crater Lake national park this season passed the 5000 mark today, according to Superintendent C. G. Thomson. Ninety per cent of the travel has been in cars from east of the Mississippi river to date. Heretofore California and Oregon led in the foreground of the season.

All the roads in the park with the exception of the rim road are now open, and it is expected to be opened not later than July 10.

An extensive program of road and trail improvement will be carried on this season, requiring the services of two resident civil engineers, who are now on the job. A force of 80 men is now employed in this work.

Professor E. T. Hummett of the University of California has been assigned as park naturalist and will arrive today to assume his duties. He succeeds Professor Miller of the University of California. Professor Hummett

MERCHANTS' INSTITUTE WILL BE HELD IN CITY IN AUGUST

Making arrangements for the Merchants' Institute to be held in Klamath Falls on August 23 and 24 under the auspices of the chamber of commerce, Dean J. A. Bexell, head of the school of commerce of the Oregon State college, in company with Mrs. Bexell visited Klamath Falls today.

At noon Dean Bexell addressed the Kiwanis club and outlined the plans of the institute.

The two days' session will be held without charge under the direction of heads of the Oregon State college extension service in co-operation with the retail association of this city.

Thursday, August 23, the meeting will be open to the public, while the private conferences will take place on Friday. The institute will be held at the chamber of commerce.

"While this is an experiment put on by the state college, it has met with splendid success at Baker and Marshfield, where we held institutes this year," Dean Bexell stated today.

Dean Bexell has arranged for institutes to be held in Medford, Grants Pass, Roseburg and other southern cities during the month of August.

Professor E. Bosworth and Professor H. T. Vance of Oregon State college will address the meetings here in August. Another speaker of importance will be O. F. Tate, secretary of the State Retail Merchants' association.

Such problems as business methods, advertising and sales will be discussed before the institute.

Dean and Mrs. Bexell are returning to Corvallis by way of Bend and tomorrow will join the Klamath Falls delegation on the caravan to Crater Lake, when delegates of the Kiwanis clubs from throughout Oregon, California and Florida will be special guests.

NOT GUILTY IS MEXICAN PLEA

E. G. Soto, Mexican, former lumber employe, pleaded not guilty today in circuit court to the charge of assault with intent to kill. He had been indicted by the grand jury Monday and arraigned Tuesday.

Soto is charged with having stabbed Louis Johnson, a fellow workman, in the time keeping office of the Pelican Bay Lumber company. Johnson nearly died from the effect of the wound.

S. D. O'Neill and Milt O'Neill, pool room operators, were arraigned before Judge A. L. Leavitt this morning on the charge of receiving a stolen property. They will enter their respective pleas Saturday morning.

Marvin Middaugh, 19-year-old youth, charged with the theft of a shipment of cigarettes from the freight house of the Southern Pacific, pleaded guilty to larceny this morning. Sentence of Middaugh was deferred.

DERBY HAT DAY IS CELEBRATED

While Friday, June 22 is officially recognized as the first day of summer, Wednesday, June 20, was officially recognized as "Derby Hat" day in the city of Klamath Falls.

Along the avenue from early morning until late last night hundreds of young men were on parade, their heads crowned with black derbies.

DEMOCRATS ADVISED TO FACE ISSUE

Former Senator Cautions Party Against "Trick Phrases"

G. O. P. GUILTY OF DECEPTION, CLAIM

James Hamilton Lewis, Tells Chicago Press Club He Sees Similar Signs of "Beating Around Bush" and Avoiding Issues in Bourbon Ranks.

CHICAGO, June 21. (AP)—The democratic party was advised by former Senator James Hamilton Lewis today to "avoid trick phrases" and take a clear stand on the issues of farm relief and prohibition. Mr. Lewis addressed the press club of Chicago on the eve of his departure for the democratic national convention at Mouton.

The former senator condemned what he called "seduction of votes by misrepresentation and misrepresentation."

"The republican party managers at Kansas City," he said, "evaded the farm issue, and to catch votes of the unwary, announced false principles to escape responsibility for a clear statement of their intentions. The democratic party in certain sections now gives promise of a similar deception. It is proposed for the use of the veto of the pretended farm relief bill."

Democracy must not descend to the trick of arousing prejudice by an un-American position to gain misled votes."

If democracy sincerely opposes national prohibition Mr. Lewis said it must denounce the eighteenth amendment and advocate its repeal; if democracy favors the amendment it must demand its enforcement.

"There must be no avoidance of issues on principle by presenting doctrines of modification of the Volstead act," he declared.

TODAY'S RESULTS

American—First game: Detroit 3 8 2 St. Louis 5 11 0

Carroll, Smith, Holloway and Woodall; Crowder, Blasholder and Mantou.

American: First game: Chicago 2 8 6 Cleveland 4 7 2

Thomas and Berg; Miller, Hudlin and Myatt.

American, first game: Philadelphia 0 9 0 New York 4 7 6

Grove and Cochran; Johnson and P. Collins.

American: Philadelphia-New York second game called off, rain and wet grounds.

National, first game: New York 9 13 0 Boston 4 6 1

Fossummons and O'Farrell; J. Cooney, R. Smith, Wertz and Sphor, Urban.

National—Second game: New York 1 5 0 Boston 3 9 0

Benton and Hogan; Delaney and Taylor.

National, first game: St. Louis 1 2 1 Chicago 2 5 0

Mitchell and J. Wilson; Blake and Hartnett.

National—Second game: St. Louis 4 7 0 Chicago 1 3 3

FLYING CLOUD WINS RACE BY WIDE MARGIN

GRANTS PASS, Ore., June 21. (AP)—One hundred and sixty-seven hours and fifty-one minutes out of San Francisco, Flying Cloud, Karook entry of the Oregon Cavemen in the Redwood marathon, breasted the tape at the finish line here at 10:30 this morning. He came in strong, finishing at a run through a street lined with thousands of people who had waited since late yesterday for his arrival.

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Flying Cloud is a hero here today, for he left his nearest competitor, Melika, the aged Zuni, 22 miles to the rear. He was photographed hundreds of times and news reels ground out many feet of film of the finish and the reception given the youthful runner. Presentation of \$5,000 in silver dollars and 20-dollar gold pieces to the winner, a water bucket being utilized for the purpose of holding the coins, reading of the messages brought by Flying Cloud from Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco to Mayor George Fox of Grants Pass, the wild geeting of the Oregon Cavemen, sponsors of Flying Cloud.

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DISPOSAL SITE DEAL FINISHED

Formal completion of the deal by which the city secures the site for the new sewage disposal plant on the west side of Lake Ewauna, was completed this morning when a deed recording the transfer was filed in the county clerk's office.

The site includes 22.3 acres and was sold for approximately \$20,000 to the city by the Northwestern Utilities company, represented in this deal by Rupert Hauser and Howard T. McCulloch, Portland. The deal was recently completed following extended negotiations conducted by Mayor T. B. Watters and the city council.

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FILE ARTICLES NEW COMPANY

Articles of incorporation for the Wood River Investment company, a concern which will deal in real estate transactions principally, were filed last yesterday in the county clerk's office.

The incorporators were named as A. W. Schaupp, Velma Schaupp and LaVeeta Moore.

SMITH DELEGATIONS TO LEAVE ON SPECIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21. (AP)—Instructed as a unit to vote for the nomination of Governor Alford E. Smith of New York for the presidency, 59 delegates will leave for the national democratic convention at Houston, Texas.

The delegations of Washington and Oregon, both considered Smith supporters, will arrive here just before the democratic special deparis. They will make the rest of the trip with the Californians.

METZ TO SHOW TINIEST WATCH

Within the next few days, the smallest watch in the world will be on display in the main window of the George Metz store, according to a wire received today from the Bulova Watch company of New York City.

The wire sent Mr. Metz reads: "Smallest watch in the world shipped you today. This marvelous watch is smaller than a dime and is considered one of the wonders of watchmaking skill in the world today. It is valued at one thousand dollars and is an exact duplicate of the one awarded 'Miss America,' winner of the National Beauty Contest."

Assassin Jubilant Over Murdering Two Deputies

BELGRADE, Jugo Slavia, June 21. (AP)—Punica Ratchitch, Montenegrin deputy who shot and killed two deputies, and wounded four in the Jugo Slav parliament yesterday, lost none of his nerve when arraigned before a magistrate today on the charge of murder.

"I am ready to be taken out immediately and shot without trial," he exclaimed. "I have fulfilled my task."

When Ratchitch previously had tried to see the minister of the interior, Father Korosech, the latter said: "I receive no murderers. Surrender to the gendarmes in my auto room."

Ratchitch was asked why he carried a revolver in parliament and replied: "Oh, everybody in the Balkans carries a small arsenal in his belt, why not I?"

ALASKA HIT BY SERIES OF QUAKES

Distinct Tremors Felt Over Area of 100 Miles Today

CORDOVA SEEMS TO BE SHOCK CENTER

State of Oaxaca, Mexico Also Visited by Recurring Earthquakes in Past Two Days; 181 Shocks are Shown by Recording Instrument.

CORDOVA, Alaska, June 21. (AP)—Three distinct series of earth tremors were felt today throughout an area within 100 miles of Cordova. The shocks were felt at 3:30 a. m., 8:30 a. m., and 9:20 a. m.

The British cruiser Durban, at sea in Prince William Sound, recorded violent disturbances at 5:30 o'clock between Montague and the Hinchinbrook Islands.

The Direr Bay cannery near La Touche reported that a ship at dock and buildings were shaken. Several avalanches in the mountains were observed.

EL PASO, Tex., June 21. (AP)—Earthquakes are reported continuing in the vicinity of Tuxtepec in the state of Oaxaca, Mexico, where 181 shocks have been recorded in the last few days.

Chachahu, a seaport town, was totally engulfed when the waves swept inland more than 5000

MOVIES TAKEN OF BIRD LIFE ON CLEAR LAKE

Klamath bird life—in particular pelicans on Clear Lake—has attracted J. G. Hill, Portland, prominent moving picture man of the northwest.

Today, Mr. Hill, accompanied by District Game Warden M. J. Barnes is in the Clear lake district "shooting" several thousand feet of film.

This is not Mr. Hill's first trip. Last year, he and Otto Jones, well known Oregon sportsman, took moving pictures of Klamath ducks and geese in the lower Klamath lake and Tule lake districts.

Aunt Het

"Ma don't like the people she's invited over tomorrow, as she's goin' to have a better dinner than if they was real friends."

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All Jugo Slavia is mourning the victims of yesterday's tragedy.

The newspapers have appeared in black borders. Many stores, theaters, moving picture houses and cafes are closed; tram cars and trains have ceased to run temporarily.

The peasants, among whom the dead and wounded men were held in high esteem, are in a state of dangerous agitation; there are mutterings and high tension.

Thus far only the democratic members of the cabinet have resigned, but it is believed that those remaining cannot long continue in office in the present

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"Bill's a lot older than his wife, an' when they're in a crowd o' young folks he always reminds me of a dog that don't belong to nobody."