

PUBLIC DRINKING CUPS UNDER BAN

SEPTEMBER FIRST THEY WILL BE ABOLISHED BY ORDER OF THE OREGON STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

PORTLAND, April 24.—Public drinking cups will be banished from the state September 1st. The state board of health has issued this order, and it applies to public schools, trains, railroad stations and all public places. The ruling of the board is now in the hands of the state printer, and will be promulgated within a few days.

Dr. Calvin S. White, state health officer, has proof that the public drinking cup vies with the fly as a spreader of disease. Pneumonia, tuberculosis, measles, scarlet fever and typhoid are transmitted in this way and infection and disease come as a natural consequence. Dr. White believes the use of cups in the city schools is particularly dangerous, and gives the health authorities too much to do to check epidemics that get started in that way.

Drinking fountains will be placed in the Portland schools, which have been found to be very satisfactory wherever tried. The same plan will probably be adopted at railway stations, and on trains individual cups will have to be provided.

The rule of the state board of health will be enforced rigidly. It provides that after September 1st no person or corporation in charge of any railroad train or station or electric car, or any public conveyance or any public or private school, or any state educational institution shall furnish any drinking cup for public use, and no such person shall permit on said railroad train or station or in the various educational institutions the common use of the drinking cup.

DO YOU WANT A NICE FIGUREHEAD? WELL LISTEN

WASHINGTON, April 21.—To be given away—Four figureheads, weighing several hundred pounds each, splendid with gilt shields and Uncle Sam's colors. Army Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

The figureheads in question are those which once adorned the bows of the United States warships Dolphin, Chicago, Vermont, and Chesapeake. Several years ago the Navy Department determined to do away with figureheads, and all the vessels were stripped of their decorative prows. Most of them were eagerly sought by cities and states for which the vessels were named, and now but these four remain. The Department will cheerfully give them to any one who will take them away. If there are no applicants, they will be broken up as junk.

WOMEN TAX SHIP'S CIGARETTE STOCK

NEW YORK, April 22.—There were so many women smokers on board the steamer Oceanic, which docked Wednesday, that the run on cigarettes was phenomenal. When they were not in the smoking room the women lounged in deck chairs and puffed contentedly, to the sorrow of some of the passengers.

Mrs. Brooke Claxton, who admitted having taken just one puff, was surprised when the reporters questioned her about it. She said:

"Why, it is quite the thing abroad. Most women smoke in England and on the continent and in some New York restaurants. I don't think it very dreadful, do you?"

CHICO MAN SAID TO BE MURDERED

CHICO, April 22.—Marion D. Baker, brother of C. W. Baker of this city, has been missing since Thursday, and it is believed that he was murdered, and thrown into the Sacramento River while coming to this city from his home in Clear Creek.

G. W. Baker has identified the wagon and letters found as his brother's property. He says he had at least \$300 with him, and thinks that he was murdered for money.

The police authorities are using dynamite and dragging the river in an effort to find the body.

KLAMATH COUNTY RESIDENT DIED SUDDENLY

J. M. Pine, for the past twenty years a resident of Klamath County, died in this city Thursday. The immediate cause of his demise was mitral insufficiency, and the remote cause was Bright's disease. He had been suffering for some time from these two complaints, and was a county charge till a short time ago, when the members of Crater Aerie,

Fraternal Order of Eagles, of which order he was a member, brought him to this city, and placed him in care of Dr. Parker. Thursday night he attempted to get out of bed, and this exertion caused his death.

GOVERNMENT TO OPERATE MINE

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20.—A government mine, operated not for profit, but to obtain scientific data, will be inaugurated about May 1st, when the new experimental coal mining plant at Bruceton, Pa., near Pittsburg, will be opened. Scientific and mining experts will experiment under actual mining conditions to obtain for the United States bureau of mines information which they hope will be useful in the prevention of loss of life.

The explosive possibilities of coal and the fire damp dangers will be thoroughly studied.

Tests of all kinds of mining machinery will be made to determine the relative production of inflammable dust by different types of machines in coal cutting. To combat statements of coal cutting, to combat statements of rounding the tests made in the exterior gallery of the bureau of mines testing plant at Pittsburg were not the same as would occur in actual mining operations was one of the purposes in establishing this experimental mine.

FRUIT GROWERS SIGN COMPACT

MEDFORD, April 21.—A membership agreement between the Northwestern Fruit Exchange, of Portland and the Rogue River Fruit & Produce Exchange was signed Saturday at a meeting called for that purpose. The central selling agency plan originated at a meeting of fruit-growers at Walla Walla, was discussed here at a previous meeting and was declared impractical for the local association.

The recent cold weather has done no damage to the apples and very little injury to pears is apparent. On the whole, conditions point to a large output of fruit in this district this season.

The Rogue River Fruit & Produce Association has grown rapidly the past year and is now operating 12 loading stations. A large warehouse is being built at Central Point. The headquarters of the association will be located in a new warehouse to be built here before the shipping begins.

ATTEMPT O LIFE OF SPANISH KING FEARED

BORDEAUX, France, April 20.—The police arrested Fernandez Francisco, alleged to be a Spanish anarchist, at the railway station here today, a short time before the arrival of the train on which King Alfonso was to have left the city.

Since the arrival here of the Spanish monarch every precaution has been taken to secure his safety. In anticipation of seeing the king many persons had gathered at the station, and detectives who mingled with the throng seized Francisco.

King Alfonso came here to see Professor Moure, who has frequently treated him for an affection of the nasal organs.

LAW MAKING BODY COST NEARLY FOUR THOUSAND PER

SACRAMENTO, April 19.—It cost the state of California \$3,942.95 daily to support the 1911 legislature, according to the expense account of the session, which was completed today, showing the cost of the session to be \$335,150.58. This is \$62,306.42 less than it cost in 1909. The senate salaries amounted to \$40,000. In the assembly the amount was \$80,000.

FEDERAL TROOPS OFF FOR JAUREZ

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 21.—Col. Cheaps with a force of 500 federal troops left Agua Prieta at 11 o'clock for a march overland to the relief of Jaurez. The movement was made under cover of a pretended attack on the rebels at Cienjas. Advices from there say that there are no rebels in that vicinity. It is certain that the troops are marching toward Jaurez.

PLAYING WITH MATCHES; IS BURNED TO DEATH

SANTA CRUZ, April 21.—Lena Perry, 2 years old, was burned to death at the home of her parents in this city this morning. It is supposed the little one was playing with some matches, and her dress caught fire from them.

Exhibit A. for Company

Crawford—Your hair doesn't seem to look as pretty as it did before we were married.

Mrs. Crawford—Of course not, dear. I used to pay a dollar then to have it marceled every time you called.

FIRST DEFENSE FUND BEING RAISED

MEMBERS OF THE UNIONS ARE PREPARING TO RAISE A BIG FUND TO CONDUCT THE DEFENSE OF PRISONERS

CHICAGO, April 24.—Labor unions are denouncing the "Russian" methods used in connection with the arrest of John McNamara, international secretary of the Iron Workers' Union, and McManigal, and they charge that third degree methods were used to force McNamara to make a confession. A serious quarrel between capital and labor, with a war on the Pacific coast as a climax, is predicted. A monster defense fund is being raised.

Persons seeing the alleged confession state that the Orchard confession pales into insignificance beside it. It is alleged that it recites how hundreds of lives were taken, with property losses of \$3,500,000. It is charged that the men were taken to the home of one of the detectives in South Chicago, where both were sweated. McNamara maintained his innocence, says the report, but finally McManigal collapsed and confessed, talking four hours to a stenographer, detailing a series of bomb outrages.

Captain of Detectives Woods denies that the men were mistreated, but says they went to the private house at their own request, and were treated as guests, not prisoners. The confession, he says, was voluntary.

"Not Right," Says Morrison

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WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Frank Morrison, Secretary of Western Federation of Miners:

"It will take more evidence than today's dispatches to convince me that McNamara had any connection with the Los Angeles Times catastrophes or the destruction of any property. The forcible abduction of McNamara from Indianapolis, giving him no opportunity to meet the charges, provokes the condemnation of citizens honestly desiring that every man, woman and child shall receive equal protection from the officers of the various states.

"High handed procedure of this character should not be permitted merely because those making the charges assert that they have positive and sufficient evidence to convict."

Ten Thousand Donated

United Press Service
CHICAGO, April 24.—Labor headquarters announce that \$10,000 will be placed by the American Federation at the disposal of McNamara's first defense fund contribution.

Fair-Minded Jury Can't Convict

United Press Service
ST. LOUIS, April 24.—President Louis P. Hillip of the Central Trades Union, says:

"I don't think a fair minded jury can convict McNamara. His arrest is a part of a capitalistic plan to break the strikes at Los Angeles. Half a million backed Moyer and Haywood, and twice as many will rally to the defense of McNamara."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Klamath Falls Land and Transportation company to R. Madsen, warranty deed, part of lot 2, Block 102, Beena Vista addition; \$10.

G. W. White et ux to L. L. Low and R. J. Low, warranty deed, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 17, Fairview No. 2; \$10.

R. J. Low and L. L. Low to W. A. Langell, warranty deed, lot 12, block 17, Fairview No. 2; \$10.

D. B. Campbell and E. R. Reames to Ben Galloway, warranty deed, lot 13, block 9, Midland; \$125.

L. Hessig et ux to Jas. L. Gordon, warranty deed, 8 1/2 of lots 5 and 6, block 6, Hessig addition to Fort Klamath; \$100.

J. C. Rutenic et ux to P. C. Carlson, warranty deed, part of lot 8, sec. 32-38-9; \$100.

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United States to Cha. H. Flackus, patent, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 9-38-11 1/2.

Howard T. Lewis to Jas. A. McDonald, warranty deed, lots 5, 6, 7, 11 and 12, block 23 Second addition; \$10.

Iva S. Lewis et vir to P. M. Reidy, warranty deed, parts of lots 1, 7 and 8, sec. 19, lots 1, 2, 6, 12, 14 and 15, sec. 20, lot 13, W 1/2 of SW 1/4, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, sec. 17, lots 1, 10 and 11, sec. 18-39-9; \$3,000.

R. V. Ess and family came in from Los Angeles Thursday night to see for themselves the wonders of Klamath County, that our "Booster Prince" told them about. They don't look very much disappointed.

THIRD SUSPECT NOW UNDER ARREST

DAVID CAPLAN IS BEING HELD

TILL THE OTHER TWO ARRIVE ON THE COAST—THE REWARD SHRINKS VERY RAPIDLY

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—The San Francisco end of the Times explosion investigation developed rapidly when it was learned that the witnesses who must be able to identify James McNamara as Bryce have been notified by the local police authorities to prepare to go to Los Angeles when the suspects arrive.

Today a local detective said: "They have got David Caplan, and are holding him until the others reach Los Angeles."

This indicates that he is being held in a prison on the Pacific coast. Burns has frequently declared that Caplan is on the coast.

San Francisco police officers say that San Francisco labor men under surveillance will be arrested shortly and sent to Los Angeles.

Rewards Shrink Rapidly

United Press Service
LOS ANGELES, April 24.—With the announcement of the arrest of a trio of Times dynamite suspects the rewards, it is said, offered locally for the capture and conviction of the guilty parties have shrunk considerably. Investigation today shows that Burns and his assistants stand a chance of receiving \$5,000 out of a possible \$15,000 in case the men are convicted.

Following the explosion it was published that \$100,000 would be paid for the capture of the dynamiters. The Merchants' and Manufacturers' association offered \$50,000 alone.

Secretary F. J. Zechandelaar says association will not pay this, as the reward reported offered by them was not official.

The Los Angeles city council offered \$10,000 reward, but the city attorney ruled this illegal.

RAILWAY WAR TO BOOST KLAMATH

HIS CONNECTION WITH THE WESTERN PACIFIC WILL GIVE KLAMATH FALLS SPLENDID SHIPPING FACILITIES

The following dispatch from New York is of particular interest to this section of the West from a railroad standpoint:

"Big financial men who observed the way in which George Gould 'came back' and defeated all opposition in the naming of B. F. Bush as president of the Missouri Pacific, are united in the opinion that one of the biggest railroad wars the country has seen is impending as the result of the Kuhn-Loeb defeat.

"The war, it is believed, will affect all of the Gould and Harriman lines. Gould's direct charge that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. were too closely associated with the Harriman lines sums up the situation. The Kuhn-Loeb people wished to banish all railroad competition from the Southwest, and put forward David R. Francis, former governor of Missouri, as the man to accomplish their object.

"Gould insisted that Bush be elected, and that he be authorized to make the Missouri Pacific a real system—not a tag to the Harriman lines.

"It is still unknown whether Rockefeller will join with Kuhn, Loeb & Co. in fighting Gould, but no doubt is entertained that whether he does or not the railroad world is going to see one of the most bitter battles of recent years.

"The victory of the Gould faction was followed by the announcement of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.'s withdrawal as bankers for the system, and by the resignation of Paul M. Warburg, the company's representative on the board, and of Cornelius Vanderbilt, an attorney."

The directors of the Missouri Pacific have named Speyer & Co. fiscal agents of the road, in place of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.

Those who have closely followed the developments of the big fight which is in prospect in the near future between the Gould and Hill interests and the Harriman lines, see more in the above dispatch than is evident on the first reading. Something over a year ago the Herald predicted the joining of forces of the Western Pacific and Hill lines for competition with the Southern Pacific on the coast.

Now that the rupture has come and Gould, although apparently beaten, has won a decided victory by electing Bush to the presidency and severing connections with Kuhn, Loeb & Co., it is believed that an alliance has been made with James J. Hill for contesting with the Harriman lines for the trade of the Pacific coast.

It has been announced that Hill

would build to Klamath Falls, and this city is to be the terminus. The Western Pacific has already gained an entrance into San Francisco, and controls the right of way through the Pitt River canyon. The Western Pacific wants connections with Portland and Seattle, while Hills wants to reach San Francisco. This being the case, credence is given to the report that an alliance has been formed and that the Western Pacific is to build to Klamath Falls and reach Portland and Seattle over the Hill road, while Hill will use the Western Pacific to reach San Francisco.

The prediction that there will be a lively railroad war in the near future is no idle dream. The Southern Pacific is not going to give up control of the trade of the coast without the hardest kind of a fight. All of which will make things lively in this section of Oregon, and is bound to result in great benefit to Klamath Falls and Klamath county.

RESUME WORK ON CRATER ROAD

Work has been resumed on the Crater Lake road within the boundaries of the national forest. A camp is located at the Mill Creek ranch, one mile inside the boundary of the forest. No snow except the isolated patches in the dense woods exist at Mill Creek at this time.

Last season ten miles of the road were completed, covering the distance from the national park boundary to Union Creek, which leaves merely the easiest portion of the road from Union Creek to the forest boundary, a distance of seven miles, to be finished this spring. It is expected that all work on this project will be completed by June 30th.

Improvement of the Crater Lake highway within the Crater national forest was first undertaken last fall, and for this work a special appropriation of \$5,000 was authorized. From the satisfactory showing obtained last year it is possible to complete the full distance of seventeen miles within the forest, including the construction of two and one-half miles of entirely new road, the construction of a bridge across Whiskey Creek, widening the road ten feet on each side, grubbing out the stumps and brush and blasting out the rock.

Garrett & Acheson have been awarded the contract for the construction of the Gale school building, which will be located about three miles east of Merrill. The building will cost completed approximately \$2,000, and will be a one-room school with a floor space 30x32.

SPLENDID LECTURE AT THE IRIS YESTERDAY

"Health Triumphant" is the title of a lecture delivered Sunday afternoon at the Iris theater by Dr. F. W. Rayburn of Los Angeles, under the auspices of the Ladies' Episcopal Guild, and all those attending feel much benefited as a result of hearing him. Instead of being a lecture on some athletic fad, Dr. Rayburn's talk was one that set the people to thinking and stirred up the minds of many. He spoke to some length on the concentration of purpose.

The doctor has arranged with the ladies of the guild for the delivery of four more lectures during this week in further development of his theory of the cure of disease by suggestion without drugs.

DAY HEADS THE EQUITABLE LIFE

NEW YORK, April 20.—The directors of the Equitable Life Insurance company this afternoon elected William Day as president of the organization to succeed Paul Morton. It is reported that three of the directors opposed Day.

These trustees had asked that the election be postponed, fearing the meeting might interfere with the mutualization of the company. It is understood that there is strong opposition to such mutualization, though Morgan favors it. It is reported that Day absolutely opposes such a move.

CATTLE ARE LOST IN EARTHQUAKE CRACKS

ELY, Nev., April 20.—Hundreds of Nevada cattle today are reported lost in large cracks in the earth caused by an earthquake a year ago. Many cattle were lost at the time of the disturbance, but the cracks are now filled with soft earth and water, and the cattle become mired in them and die. Cattlemen are trying to get the government to fence in the cracks.

NO ARMISTICE GOES WITH INSURRECTIONS, SAYS MADEIRO

EL PASO, Texas, April 20.—General Madeiro made the following statement:

"There will be no armistice to delay the attack on Juarez. The federals merely want a delay to enable them to bring up reinforcements. The battle will be fought, and we will either win or lose before we consider any further discussions of peace."

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