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TERRIFIC TWO DAY BATTLE IS WAGED, AND REBELS ARE IN GUADALAJARA

Troop Trains, Artillery and Other Supplies of the Garrison Will Now Be Used in the Campaign Against Mexico City—Heavy Losses Are Suffered by Both Forces—Several Thousand Men Engaged in Fight.

SALTILLO, July 8.—General Obregon today sent the following wire to Carranza:

"Our forces are now within the gates of the city. The fighting is desperate, but we expect to capture the city within a few hours.

United Press Service

ORENDAIN, Jalisco, July 8.—Hoping to surprise and annihilate the advance guard of General Obregon's army, 6,000 federal troops emerged from Guadalajara under cover of darkness Sunday night.

Instead the Obregon advance guard surprised the federal troops Monday near here. The armies fought stubbornly until last night, when the federals, badly beaten, began to retreat.

Obregon captured a hundred prisoners, ten troop trains, several cannon and hundreds of rifles and ammunition. Big quantities of provisions were also taken by the rebels.

The federals left their dead and wounded as they fled toward Guadalajara, pursued by the rebels. Both sides lost heavily in the engagement. Guadalajara, if captured, opens a western entry to Mexico City for the rebel forces. There are no important points between there and the capital.

IRON MAN NOW

AN INVENTOR

United Press Service

TACOMA, Wash., July 8.—"Iron Man" McGlinity, president of the Tacoma Northwestern League, formerly a big league twirler of renown, is enthusiastic today over a ground drying machine he has invented.

The machine is similar to a huge blow torch, is about four feet long, and mounted on three wheels. Four distillate burners furnish the heat.

After a hard night's rain McGlinity claims the machine will dry out the diamond in two hours.

ESPEE IS GIVEN

VERDICT IN SUIT

After half an hour's deliberation, the jury in the Hunsaker-S. P. case returned a verdict for the railroad company. This gives a judgment for costs against Hunsaker.

Jack Hunsaker brought the suit to recover \$2,700 damages. He alleged that he was injured by a fractious horse not properly tethered at the railroad's stable at Mapleton. As a result, he said, appendicitis developed and he had to undergo an operation.

SOLD FOR THEIR

ORIGINAL COST

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—The sale of the battleships Idaho and Mississippi to Greece has been formally closed, and Secretary of the Navy Daniels has received a check calling for \$12,535,275.96, which was the original cost of the vessels.

RATE ADVANCE IS

STILL IN FUTURE

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—A member of the Interstate Commerce Commission said today that even the members of the commission do not know when the 5 per cent rate advance proposition will be decided.

Usually the commission adjourns about June 1, but the members are still meeting in daily conference in an effort to agree on a sufficient number of essential features to permit at least a partial decision.

It is said that the majority have quit trying to persuade the minority to coincide in its views and urging the dissenters to withdraw objections to the announcement of a decision. The majority would be content with a "split" opinion. It is reported that four of the commissioners favor some advance for the railroads, but the other three disagree.

In the electric furnace gold boils at 2,400 degrees centigrade, or at 24 times the temperature of boiling water.

ALASKA'S RY

SURVEY STARTS

CORDOVA, Alaska, July 8.—Surveys of the possible routes for the government's railroad in Alaska are in progress in this vicinity today. Stakes have already been driven at Chitina by a reconnaissance party under Henry Day.

The route is being surveyed from Chitina, where the Fairbanks trail leaves the Copper River and Northwestern railroad to the Matanuska coal fields.

BAD MAN GIVEN

TERM IN JAIL

For shooting up Fort Klamath during the celebration there last week, Mike Rodicich must serve thirty days in the county jail. Sentence was passed Wednesday afternoon by Circuit Judge Benson.

This afternoon the prisoner, through his attorney, H. C. Merryman, entered a plea of guilty, and asked to be sentenced at once.

TWO JOHN DOES

ARE NOW KNOWN

The identity of the men secretly indicted by the grand jury is now known. They are Ivan Ernst and F. A. Williamson.

Ernst is indicted with Chandler and Sims for the larceny of a cow from J. M. Johnson, alleged to have been stolen in 1912. Ernst was arrested with the other two, but was liberated at the preliminary hearing.

F. A. Williamson, representative of the Union Oil company, was indicted by the last grand jury on a charge of mistreating a horse. He is indicted on the same charge this time, and the first indictment will not be tried.

MOVES TO SET

ASIDE A BILL

Holding that the foreman of the grand jury signed the endorsement in the wrong place, and that there are other errors in the original indictment and the certified copies of it, W. H. A. Renner Wednesday moved the circuit court to set aside the indictment for larceny by bailee against Al Crystal.

Crystal is charged with withholding \$1,000 or more belonging to Thomas Love. After the arguments this morning, Judge Benson continued the matter until tomorrow morning.

WILSON SPEAKS ON "BIG BUSINESS;" SAYS DEMOCRATS IN NO WAY OPPOSE INTEREST

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—President Wilson, in an interview today, made the following statement:

"It would be particularly unfair to the democratic party, and to the senate itself, to regard it as an enemy to business, big or little. I am sure it does not regard any man as an object of suspicion merely because he has been connected with some great business enterprise.

It realizes that the country's business has been chiefly promoted during recent years by enterprises organized on a great scale, and that the vast majority of men that we have come to call big business men are honest, incorruptible and patriotic.

"The country may be certain that it is as clear to the members of the senate, as it is to all thoughtful men, that those men who have tried to make big business what it ought to be are men to be encouraged and honored whenever they respond without any reserve to the call for public service.

"I predict with the greatest confidence that no action taken by the democratic majority of the senate will be so such nature as to throw suspicion on such men. Messrs. Jones and Warburg, in manifesting their willingness to make personal sacrifice, and put their great experience and ability at the service of the government, without thought of personal advantage, in the organization of the great reform which promises to be so serviceable to the nation, are setting an example of patriotism and public spirit which the entire country admires."

At Work on School.

Members of the firm of Cofer Bros. and H. P. Dow left Tuesday for Etna Mills, Calif., where they will complete the new school being erected by the Cofers.

At Swansea and other places in Wales, the postman is troubled with too many "Joneses." On one route there are nine different families of the same name within a radius of 500 yards.

Fifty persons attended the baptizing of a pet dog at Versailles, France. The dog is a collie, owned by a couple moving in highest society circles. Formal engraved invitations to the baptizing had been issued.

The Grants Pass and Crescent City railroad is operating five miles.

SCHOOL CONDITIONS

ARE FAST IMPROVING

CORVALLIS, July 8.—"The minimum school term in Oregon is now six months, but seven years ago it was out three months' sixty days of school to 305 days vacation," said Frank K. Welles, assistant state school superintendent, in addressing the teachers at the Agricultural College summer school.

"The minimum allowed the teachers has been raised from 40 to 60 per cent, and the teaching force has improved accordingly.

"School buildings of brick, stone and lumber have taken the place of the old wooden shacks.

"Text books and courses of study have been changed to include the useful things that make for the student's welfare.

"The number of high schools in the state has grown from five to 115 in a few years, and the number of graduates from high schools has increased to 1,500 during the last school year.

"In 1915 laws now enacted will go into effect whereby no inexperienced teacher without professional training can receive a certificate. There is also a general demand for an eight-months minimum term."

NAMES OF VICE HOUSE OWNERS ARE PUBLISHED

United Press Service

CHICAGO, July 8.—Making public the names of owners of property used for immoral purposes has been the most effective method of fighting commercialized prostitution in Chicago, according to the report made today by Superintendent S. P. Thrasher of the "Committee of Fifteen," that has been waging war on immoral resorts.

"It is admitted by all who are in a position to know that the old vice district on the South Side is practically closed," said Thrasher's report. "It would be folly to say that vice has been eliminated, but some of the most notorious resorts are included in the 450 houses of ill-fame, assignation and disorderly saloons which have been put out of business in the last year.

"In these 450 houses of ill-fame there were, according to conservative estimates, 2,000 professional prostitutes, an average of five per house.

"A conservative estimate as to the gross income would be \$10 per day per woman, which would mean \$20,000 daily, or the snug sum of \$7,300,000 in a single year. I have no hesitancy in saying that at least 80 per cent of this amount was paid to about 1,500 keepers, runners and panders, the male exploiters of these women. No wonder that the vice interests are in a panic, when several millions of dollars have been taken away from them by this committee.

"The chief weapon used in this warfare has been publicity. The publishing of the names of the owners of real estate in connection with the keepers of immoral resorts has had a four fold effect; it has made it much harder for keepers of immoral resorts to find safe abiding places; it has stimulated the administration and the police department to greater activity and it has thrown vice interests into a panic.

"I am well aware of the statements being industriously circulated to the effect that the breaking up of the vice district is sending prostitutes into respectable neighborhoods.

"That is not true to any such extent as is generally believed. That many professional prostitutes have taken up their abode in residential districts is true, but it is also true that the district they left is largely residential, and the pity of it is that residents of that district are poor, and unable to protect themselves against an entrenched system of vice which has been more or less officially established and maintained."

THREE MILLION ACRES THROWN OPEN BY LANE

More than 3,000,000 acres of land in Western states have been thrown open to homesteaders under the enlarged homestead act by Secretary of the Interior Lane during the past few weeks.

The enlarged homestead designations are situated as follows: 914,000 acres in Montana, 900,000 acres in Oregon, 170,000 acres in Washington, 250,000 acres in Idaho, over 40,000 acres in New Mexico, 161,000 acres in Arizona and 450,000 acres in Colorado.

Secretary Lane has also emphasized his policy of restoring withdrawn land wherever the public interest will permit by recommending to the president the restoration of over 2,500,000 acres in Western Wyoming.

This land was withdrawn in 1906 because of reports of abundant coal underlying it. The geological survey has shown these reports to be unfounded. The government still holds about 3,000,000 acres of coal land in Wyoming.

Bolivia is the second largest producer of tin in the world.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER WAS SEVENTY-SIX YESTERDAY

United Press Service

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., July 8.—John D. Rockefeller, oil king and richest man in the world, today is celebrating his 76th birthday. Because it was feared that the "Free Speechers," the I. W. W.'s and the Ferrer anarchists might pick today as a good one for another demonstration against Rockefeller because of his attitude in the recent Colorado strike war, a heavier guard than usual was placed about the great mansion in Pocantico Hills. The oil king's son, John D. Jr., was expected to spend the day here with his father.

Hundreds of telegrams and messages of congratulation poured into the Rockefeller home today from all sections of the globe, where Rockefeller has business and personal friends. Many messages came from royalty and the crown heads of Europe. Rockefeller on his 76th birthday is accredited with a fortune of close to a billion, thus making him the only billionaire in the world. The assessment of his property in Cleveland some months ago, when he refused to pay taxes there, placed his holdings far in excess of \$800,000,000.

According to John D.'s physician, Dr. H. F. Bigger, Rockefeller's health is better today than it has been in many years. He continues his daily program of a game of golf, an automobile ride, and perhaps a bicycle ride. Despite many reports that Rockefeller's health is bad, Dr. Bigger declares his wealthy patient is unusually healthy and vigorous for a man of his years, and especially when the early cares and worries he went through are taken into consideration.

FOUR PLEAS OF NOT GUILTY ARE ENTERED

Four pleas of not guilty were entered in the circuit court Wednesday noon. O. L. Chandler, William Sims and Ivan Ernst, three young men from Malin, who were indicted for the larceny of a cow, all entered pleas of not guilty. Their attorneys are George Noland and Thos. Drake.

A plea of not guilty was entered by F. L. Pumphord, indicted on charge of giving a forged check to K. Sugarman in payment for a suit of clothes. His attorney is Arthur D. Hay.

F. A. Williamson was arraigned this morning. He was given until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning in which time to enter his plea.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clopton of Bonanza, who were indicted on charge of setting fire to the Clover-Leaf town, will be arraigned tomorrow. Mrs. Clopton is now on her way here from Lakeview.

Here for Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Surryhne of San Francisco are here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Smith, and they will enjoy Klamath's fishing while here.

Ends Her Vacation.

Miss Edna Houston, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Houston, for the past two months, left this morning for San Francisco, where she will again take up her duties at the Fabiola hospital. Miss Edna is preparing herself for trained nurse, and has one more year's work in the hospital before completing her course.

DOINGS AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Does the debated "labor exemption" clause in the administration anti-trust bills now before the senate really exempt labor unions from Sherman law prosecution?

This is a mooted question at labor headquarters, the Capitol and White House today, notwithstanding reams of argument on the subject clogging official records.

President Gompers and officials of the American Federation of Labor who have been leading the fight for incorporation of the exemption clause are satisfied with the phraseology now in the bill as passed by the house. The president, too, is satisfied, and house and senate leaders accept it as O. K.

But the actual operation of the clause is still problematical. High legal authorities in congress—insist that only a test of the clause in the courts will decide whether labor receives or is denied any privileges under the new proposed law.

The wording of the disputed section is as follows: "Provided, that nothing contained in the anti-trust laws shall be construed to forbid the existence and operation of fraternal, labor, consumers, agricultural or horticultural organizations, orders, or associations instituted for the purpose of mutual help, and not having capital stock or conducted for profit, or to forbid or restrain individual members of such organizations, orders or associations from carrying out the legitimate objects thereof; nor shall such organizations, orders or associations, or members thereof, be held or construed to be illegal combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade under the anti-trust laws.

President Wilson's view of the clause is that it exempts labor and the other organizations from prosecution because of the sole fact of organization—combination—but does not prevent their prosecution or that of any individual member for any illegal, unlawful act of combination or conspiracy in restraint of trade.

Those who doubt the efficacy of the legislation point out that the courts have never declared that mere "organization" is prohibited by the Sherman law and that, therefore, the "exemption" clause adds nothing to the law and does not, in fact, "exempt" anybody or anything.

Agreement, such as "closed shop" working arrangements, between labor unions and big employers will still be prohibited and subject participants to a Sherman law suit, it is contended by many.

The "Honey Moon Car" is the name given by friends of Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and his bride, formerly Miss Eleanor Wilson, to their new motor car. It is a racy-looking two seated runabout—"built for two" only—which McAdoo himself drives. For official, state travels McAdoo uses a victoria carriage with a spanking pair of bays, but Mrs. McAdoo prefers the "gas cart." Sometimes one of the younger McAdoo children is tucked in between the cabinet official and his bride.

"Paddy, the Turnover" is a pet squirrel known to thousands of Washingtonians because of his acrobatic stunts. He has a nest in a tall elm overshadowing the Jackson monument in Lafayette Square, opposite

the White House. "Paddy" is the champion somersaultist of capital squirrels and to earn peanuts and pecans, performs until onlookers become dizzy. It is said "Paddy" was trained while in captivity years ago. Others believe this doubtful because he has amused park loiterers for nearly a decade.

Representative Frank Clark of Florida is one solon who scouts the "high cost of living" complaints. He says he proved it to a friend right in Washington, where the "cost of living" is supposed to be up in the clouds.

"I demonstrated that we could go out and spend the evening on something less than a dollar, including dinner and theater," Clark relates. "We went to a certain popular dining place, two car tickets costing less than 9 cents. We had a good dinner of stew, costing 10 cents each, and strawberry shortcake, at 5 cents each, for dessert. Total so far, 39 cents. Then we went to a show, costing 10 cents each, enjoyed a performance of an hour and a half, and used two more car tickets to go home. The entire evening's entertainment and refreshments cost me just 68 cents—and I don't believe anyone will say I'm a piker either."

The price paid to the farmer for potatoes is about 48 per cent more this year than last year.

The average farm price for potatoes this year is 71.4 cents a bushel, 23.2 higher than last year.

In the Eastern states gains in potato prices to farmers have been reported as follows: Maine, 24 cents; Massachusetts, 21 cents; New York, 23 cents; New Jersey, 13 cents; Pennsylvania, 27 cents; West Virginia, 30 cents; Virginia, 14 cents; and North Carolina, 14 cents.

In the Central states, the increase ranged from 24 cents in Wisconsin to 36 cents in Indiana.

Idaho, Washington and Oregon had the lowest prices, with gains of 18, 10 and 17 cents respectively.

MT. LAKE NEWS NOTES.

(Herald Special Service)

WHITE LAKE, July 8.—Theodore N. Case left this morning for Eugene to attend the Presbyterian Synod, as delegate from the Mt. Lake church.

The Children's Day service of the Mt. Lake church will be given Sunday, June 19, instead of June 12 as announced.

Mr. Avery will perch at the Presbyterian church in Klamath Falls next Sunday, and Mr. Coats will preach at Mt. Lake.

Allen McComb of Bonanza has returned home after a short visit with his uncle, Mr. J. A. McComb.

Mrs. George Williams from Spring Lake was in Klamath Falls Monday calling on friends.

The haying season is at its busiest just now. Although much of the alfalfa was hurt by the frost there is some fine hay in the valley.

In France farmers are experimenting with a prolific potato from Uruguay, which perpetuates itself with roots left in the soil.

C. W. Warren, one of Fort Klamath's progressive merchants, is here on a business trip.

Accurate information about the Klamath Basin. See Chilcote, 635 Main.

Home From Trip.

J. C. Brockenbrough returned Monday from San Francisco, where he and Mrs. Brockenbrough spent ten days. Mrs. Brockenbrough will remain there some time, visiting friends.

Off for a Fish.

Ralph Carter, Dr. Boyd and Hugo Loewe are rusticated in the vicinity of Stean this week, breaking all local records for trout catches.

Chiloquin Man in Town.

Roy Moore, of the firm of Moore & Klepper at Chiloquin, is in the county seat on business.

There are two kinds of insurance. Chilcote writes the kind that pays 635 Main.

Notice to Contractors

The directors will receive bids to build a new school house in Langell Valley, Ore., till 12 o'clock noon, July 25, 1914, to be completed by October 1, 1914. Plans can be seen at Veghte & Co., Klamath Falls, Bank of Bonanza and at the clerk's office, Langell Valley.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

GEO. W. NOBLE, Sr., Clerk District No. 10, h 3t sw 3t

Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Klamath County, Charles Wesley Judkins, Plaintiff,

vs. Adra Beatrice Judkins, Defendant. To Adra Beatrice Judkins, the Above-Named Defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 13th day of August, 1914, that being the last day of the time within which defendant is allowed to answer herein as fixed by the court for publication of summons herein; and if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint filed herein, to-wit: For a decree of said circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Klamath county, forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the court shall appear meet and proper in the premises.

This summons is published in the Semi-Weekly Herald, a newspaper published at Klamath Falls, Oregon, by order of the Honorable William S. Worden, county judge of said county, made and entered on the 1st day of July, A. D. 1914, directing service of summons herein to be made by publication thereof in such newspaper for six successive weeks.

Date of first publication hereof, July 2, 1914.

C. C. BROWER, Attorney for Plaintiff, 7-2 8-13 aw

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Little Klamath Water Ditch company will be held at its office, 207 Odd Fellows' building, in Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Saturday, July 11, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of acting upon the question of dissolving said company.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 25th day of June, 1914.

LESLIE ROGERS, Secretary, 6-25 7-9 aw

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