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## SEATTLE MOB BURNS AND WRECKS HALLS

Seattle.—All of the Industrial Workers of the World meeting places, the Socialist headquarters and a Socialist news stand were wrecked and the furniture piled in the street and burned in front of each place by a great mob, led by 100 sailors from the Pacific reserve fleet and half as many soldiers from the Puget sound fort, last Friday. One member of the I. W. W. was slightly injured, and it is reported that one sailor sustained a broken arm.

The Times printed a report of a speech made by Secretary of the Navy Daniels, at the Rainier Club, in which the secretary is said to have urged forcible suppression of the red flag and the I. W. W. The secretary denied that he had any intention of counseling violence and several who heard him speak corroborate his statement. The mayor professed to see in the Times' account of the secretary's speech a cause for the attack of sailors on the headquarters of I. W. W. and Socialists and gave this as an excuse for issuing a proclamation forbidding the publication of the Times unless proofs of its contents should first have been submitted to him for scrutiny. He followed this up with a proclamation closing all the saloons of the city on the final day of the annual Fetich, Saturday.

Lawyers for the Times immediately went before Judge John E. Humphries of the superior court, and obtained a restraining order preventing the mayor or police from interfering with the publication of the paper.

Saloonsmen also secured an order from the court enjoining the order to close.

## BALLOONIST LEAPS TO DEATH

Parachute Jumper Dies in First Aeroplane Drop

Seattle.—Francis L. Thayer, aged 47 years, a parachute jumper, known throughout the west, was drowned while making a parachute descent from an aeroplane as part of the Potlatch air sports.

He went up in an aeroplane with Johnny Bryant. At a height of 750 feet he dropped from the aeroplane. After a descent of 100 feet he broke loose from the parachute and fell to the water.

Thayer did not rise to the surface after going into the water. He had been giving parachute exhibitions 25 years. Thayer called Chicago his home. He leaves a widow, in Seattle, and relatives at Aberdeen, Wash.

## Day's Referendum Bill is Held Legal

Salem, Or.—Holding that not a single contention of the plaintiff was logical or even pertinent to the issue, the supreme court in the case of A. C. Libby against Ben W. Olcott, secretary of state, decided that the Day Bill, providing a special referendum election in November, is constitutional.

## CITY WIPED OUT BY FIRE

Sheridan, Or.—As the result of the explosion of a small gasoline stove in a restaurant here the business section of Sheridan is a smouldering heap of wreckage, and almost every firm is put out of business. One blacksmith shop, a garage, one bakery and one meat market are all that remain for the accommodation of the people.

## Reclamation Land Not Assessable

Boise, Idaho.—Land within government reclamation projects cannot be taxed while the United States holds title. This, in brief, is the ruling just made by Judge Frank S. Dietrich, of the federal court of Idaho. The decision will affect reclamation projects in other states.

## Ships 109 Cars of Strawberries

Hood River.—The strawberry shipping season has come to a close in the Hood River valley and the records of the Apple Growers' association show that 109 car loads have left Hood River this season, which is the largest number of cars that have ever been shipped from this point.

## Aphis Attacks Young Orchards

Mounmouth.—Polk county's young orchards of cherries and pears are again being molested with green aphis. The tiny pests appear on the ends of the smallest limbs and do damage to such an extent that the leaves curl up. Cherry trees especially are having a hard year for their foliage growth.

## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

### Sand in Water Kills Cows

Head.—Sand as an enemy of the dairyman has just been discovered by a Powell Butte rancher. A fine dairy cow of his died suddenly and to determine the cause of her death he made an examination and found that there was nearly a quart of fine sand between the second and third stomachs. The cow had been drinking from shallow irrigation ditches, and the light colored sand had been so abundant in the water as to accumulate and cause death. Fine dairy stock previously lost by other farmers is now believed to have died also from the same cause.

### Crawford Makes Ruling

Marshfield.—Attorney General Crawford, in a written opinion sent to Judge Penneck, of Marshfield, holds that registration clerks, under the new law, cannot register voters in other precincts than the one in which they are appointed. The new law requires the registration clerks to give bond for \$200 for the faithful performance of their duties.

### PATROL GOES TO TIMBER

Six Hundred Watchers to Be in Service During Next Six Hot Weeks

Salem.—With the arrival of warm, dry weather hundreds of forest patrolmen are being sent into the timber districts to keep a lookout for forest fires. State Forester Elliott states that over 600 men will patrol the forests of the state during August. This will be the largest number ever used in this service.

The state forester is now appointing the federal patrolmen, whose salaries and expenses are paid by the government under the provisions of the Weeks law. There will be 60 of them. One or more will be placed in every county west of the Cascades, and one in every county east of the Cascades which has sufficient timber to warrant it. The state force consists of 27 men, a portion of whose salaries and expenses is paid by the forest fire association. The other 500 or 600 men will be the patrolmen hired by the associations.

### Boast Gets Him Behind Bars

Roseburg.—Charles Howard of Edenbower, who is under bonds for alleged bootlegging was arrested on a charge of contempt of court. He boasted, it is said, that he could buy intoxicating liquor at 14 places in Roseburg, which is a dry town. When called before the grand jury he said it was true he could buy booze but he refused to name the places. He was fined \$25 and ordered held in jail until he consented to tell.

### Exiled Editor Will Return

Salem.—Declaring that he was kidnapped and taken from Bandon, Dr. Bailey K. Leach, Socialist speaker and publisher, announced in an address here that he would return to that city in several weeks. He said he would resume the publication of his paper on his return.

### BLUE SKY LAW IS REACHING

Statute Applies to All Companies With Securities to Sell.

Salem.—Corporation Commissioner Watson has announced that all companies with stocks or bonds to sell, even though they are not offered at the present time, come within the purview of the blue sky law. He said that the only investment companies that are exempt are those that have issued and sold all their securities. All companies, he holds, that have stocks or securities not contracted for prior to June 3 must live up to the provisions of the bill.

### Klamath Opposes Revision

Klamath Falls.—The proposed federal legislation which would close the season for duck hunting December 15, instead of February 15, as provided by the state law, would cut out much of the best part of the hunting season in this region. The Klamath Sportsmen's association has taken the matter in hand and will press objections to the undesirable features.

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## U. S. GRANT WEDS; CHILDREN OPPOSED

San Diego.—The wedding of U. S. Grant, Jr., of this city, and Mrs. America Workman Will, of Los Angeles, which was to have taken place Saturday in a San Diego hotel, did not occur. Instead of a wedding it was announced to those present at the appointed time that the marriage ceremony had been performed one week ago by Justice George Paterbaugh.

U. S. Grant, third, was the only one of the bridegroom's five children who was in the hotel parlor when the announcement of the marriage was made.

His grown son Chaffee Grant and his three daughters absolutely refuse to recognize their step-mother, and it is said that Mr. Grant, in retaliation, threatened to cut them off entirely in his will, unless they change their attitude.

### Referendum Suit is Filed at Salem

Salem, Or.—Charging gross frauds in the obtaining of signatures to the petitions to refer the workmen's compensation act at the special election in November the state in relation of Gale S. Hill, district attorney, through E. R. Ringo, representing the people, filed suit in the Marion county circuit court to enjoin Secretary of State Olcott from placing the measure on the official ballot.

### Siulaw Reserve is to Be Opened

Eugene, Or.—Complete reversal of the policy of the forest service with relation to the Siulaw national forest and the welcoming of homesteaders to the whole coast country of Oregon from Tillamook to Coos Bay, was announced here, following a week's inspection of the national forest by Chief Forester Graves.

### People in the News

Augustus O. Bacon has been reelected to the United States senate from Georgia without opposition.

His eminence, James Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore, entered upon his eightieth year Wednesday.

John Purroy Mitchell, recently appointed Collector of the Port of New York, announced that he was willing to accept the nomination for mayor on a fusion ticket.

President McCormick of the Cook county, Ill. county board, has issued a statement saying that the county is \$2,317,000 in debt with no assets in sight to cover the deficit.

Dr. Sun Yat Sen, ex-provisional president of the Chinese republic, finally has taken sides in the revolt by openly proceeding to Nanking, where the southerners apparently are much disheartened by their defeat.

Medill McCormick, of Chicago, vice chairman of the national committee of the progressive party, who visited in Portland, does not believe there is to be a union of the progressive and republican parties.

Fifty "women vigilantes" at Waukegan, Ill., seized Mrs. John Richardson, tore off part of her clothing, rode her on a rail, pelted her with mud, and ordered her to leave town.

In papers filed in the Superior court of San Francisco, Phil K. Gordon, general agent of the passenger department of the Sunset Route of the Southern Pacific company, with headquarters in San Francisco, was made defendant in a suit for \$50,000 and costs on charges of alienating the affections of Mrs. Lillian M. Beck, wife of Arthur A. Beck, of Oakland.

John G. Boyle of San Francisco is in the county jail at Los Angeles, charged with abetting the suicide of his wife. The couple made a compact to end their lives by drowning, which the wife fulfilled. Boyle's courage failed him, however, when the cold water of Redonda Beach lapped his knees, and he returned to shore, while his wife walked to her death in the surf.

### Liquors To Be Seized

Salem, Or.—Governor West has issued a proclamation instructing peace officers to seize all intoxicating liquors shipped into the state in violation of federal and state laws.

### 100 Prisoners to Leave Reformatory

Olympia, Wash.—One hundred prisoners at the Monroe Reformatory have been granted paroles by the board of managers. One was granted immediate freedom, while the other 99 will leave the institution August 1, constituting the largest class ever "graduated."

## FIFTY MEET DEATH IN FACTORY BLAZE

Women and Girls Are Burned in Binghamton, N. Y., Fire-Trap Building.

Binghamton, N. Y.—Fifty persons were killed, according to late estimates, and many injured, a dozen mortally, in a fire which swept the four-story factory building of the Binghamton Clothing company. The victims chiefly were women and girls.

About 125 persons were in the factory when the fire broke out. Those unaccounted for or most of them are believed still to be in the red hot ruins of the structure.

The big outstanding fact of the catastrophe is its suddenness. In the tragedy the killing burst of flame followed quickly on the heels of the alarm. There was small opportunity for anyone to use the ordinary or even the emergency means of escape. Fire drills had been carried on regularly, so frequently in fact that the employees had found them monotonous.

When the firemen arrived they were unable to get within 200 feet of the burning building and the ends of the streams from their hose were turned into steam without effect on the fire.

The fire escapes were not large enough to hold all who rushed madly to the exits and there was a dash for the windows, the trapped victims screaming with pain as the flames swept on them from behind.

From windows and fire escapes bodies began dropping. They fell thick and fast. The building was but four stories high and many who jumped even from the topmost floor escaped with their lives, although most of them were maimed.

### Brief News of the Week

The English house of lords has again rejected the Irish home rule bill by a vote of 304 to 64. If the bill is passed again by the commons, it will become a law without the approval of the lords.

According to a report made at Lodge City, Kans., by P. A. Classen, state entomologist, more than half the grasshoppers in that district have been killed by poisoned mash which the farmers scattered over their fields.

Fraud is charged at Cleveland, Ohio, in the use of the initiative and referendum. Indications are that scores of petition circulators will go to prison as a result of efforts to get a vote on the law, providing compulsory compensation to workmen.

A coroner's jury which investigated the trolley accident at Los Angeles, which resulted in the loss of 14 lives, has laid the blame for the disaster upon the Pacific Electric Railway company.

Members of the National Guards of Oregon, Washington and Idaho and the Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles of British Columbia will participate in a joint rifle and revolver competition at Vancouver, B. C., in October.

With most of the agitators in jail, the disturbances which have reigned in Portland during the past week between the authorities on one side and members of the Industrial Workers of the World on the other seem to be nearly at an end. Tom Burns, chief agitator, was freed on \$750 bail, pending an appeal in his case. Burns was sentenced to 40 days on the rockpile.

### LAND FOR SALE.

Sixty acres on Wilson River, a part of what is known as the Peter Brant place, with or without stock. I want \$6000 or more down and will give plenty of time for the balance at 6 per cent interest. See N. P. Hanson, Hebo, Ore. Last issue October 5.

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