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## THE WORLD CRAZY ON WARSHIPS

WILL LAUNCH ONE EVERY NINE DAYS THIS YEAR AND THE LOT WILL COST NOT LESS THAN \$700,000,000.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] London, Jan. 19.—Figures made public here today by the British naval authorities show that despite the establishment of Andrew Carnegie's \$10,000,000 peace fund and the activities of the Hague tribunal, the year 1911 will break all records for the launching of battleships. From February 1 until December 31 a new dreadnaught will take the water in some part of the globe every nine days. Thirty-six will be launched in all, or only two less than the number already afloat, as the result of five years' launches.

Of these sea monsters Great Britain will launch 11; Germany 7; Russia and the United States four each. France, Chile and Japan will each have two to take the water, and Italy, Australia, Brazil and Spain will each launch one.

The total value of the battleships and cruisers now on the ways of the world's shipyards is placed at the enormous sum of \$700,000,000.

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\* X-RAYS AND SMILES. \*  
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Senator Nottingham thought (or said he did) the senate was wasting the people's time discussing the resolution "that Oregon's system of government was the best on earth" and this in face of the fact that the legislature took three days off last week and will take on or two this week.

The fact that Kellaher had a stenographer "taking notes" made senators "explain."

Now some genealogical shark says Speaker Cannon is a descendant of an Irish king. And yet some people call him, probably on account of his name, a son-of-a-gun and others insist he is a cross between an Irish bulldog and a yellow-streaked lady bloodhound.

Old Jule Play, is not popular just now. He spells his reign the wrong way.

The rain wiped out all social distinctions in Salem yesterday morning. We were all "in the swim" together.

Those who looked out of their windows early this morning, know how good old Noah felt when he removed the covering from his ark.

Has your cat come back?

According to the returns, Senator Tepow is running about like old "Bill Hazel" used to on the track here, "strong and a good fourth."

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

## SO CANNON COMES DOWN A LONG WAYS

ONE MAN TRACES HIM BACK BY THE NAME GURNEY TO AN ANCIENT SWASHBUCKLER — BY THE SAME REASONING HE IS A SON-OF-A-GUN.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Jan. 19.—Controversy as to whether "Uncle Joe" Cannon is the descendant of an Irish king or a Norman baron, is raging today among the genealogists of the capital. Only a short time ago one line-tracer showed that the Danville-statesman, if he had his deserts, would be a prince of Hibernia. But now comes W. Lewis Kane, of Westchester, Pennsylvania, with a neat little volume of 800 pages entitled "The Life of Joseph Gurney," which traces the speaker's descent from a noble swashbuckler who crossed to England with William the Conqueror. Gurney being Cannon's middle name, Kane scolds the "Irish king" hypothesis, and traces the speaker's descent from the Norman.

### STUDENTS ORGANIZE AS LEGISLATIVE BODY

The Philidorian Literary society last night organized for the time being into the senate of Oregon in concert with the organization of the house of representatives by the Websterian Literary society. The halls of the two societies are situated directly across from each other and concurrent bills and resolutions were acted upon.

Harry McCain was elected president of the senate without any opposition. Desk help was elected and President McCain appointed the committees. James Crawford was elected after a spirited contest to the speakership. A joint meeting of the two bodies was then called and Professor Kellar was elected governor of Oregon. The inauguration will take place next Wednesday evening in the chapel of the university. Several bills were read in the senate after the joint session and referred to their appropriate committees.

This will be fine practice for the students both in parliamentary practice and debate in addition to the acquirement of legislative procedure. The men show great interest in this undertaking.

### WILLAMETTE TO HAVE A GOOD BALL TEAM

A meeting of the baseball men of Willamette was called after chapel Tuesday morning and the coming prospect was discussed. It is certain that there will be a baseball team this year that will render a very good account of itself. There is a lot of good material and the manager has two pitchers of well known ability pledged to enter school next semester. In Harrison, an old high school player, the university has a third baseman that is hard to beat. McKee is a good man on the infield. Oakes will again occupy second base. There will be some competition for the first base position as well as that of the short-stop territory. McMeachen will catch. The men in the out gardens are doubtful.

## FLETCHER ASSAILS BALLINGER

SAYS "HIS ACTS ARE JUST WITHIN THE LINE OF CRIMINAL GUILT — BARELY KEPT ON WINDY SIDE OF THE LAW."

Washington, Jan. 19.—Declaring that the acts of Secretary Ballinger had been "just inside the line of criminal guilt," Senator Fletcher, of Florida, today spoke in the senate, endorsing the minority report of the congressional investigating committee.

"Between vulgar graft and perfection," he said, "lies the standard of conduct of their officials that the people have the right to exact. They don't require infallibility, but they certainly are no satisfied to have their officials barely keep on the windy side of the law and pursue a course of neglectfulness and unfaithfulness to their interests which is just within the line of criminal guilt."

"Ballinger was far from candid in his letter to the president which denied the truthfulness of the Glavis statement, and there is no doubt that after his resignation as land commissioner, he acted as the legal representative of the Cunningham group. In fact, he admitted on the stand that he acted in that capacity. Throughout the whole record it appears that as lawyer, as commissioner and as secretary of the interior, Ballinger fully sympathized with the coal and claimants and desired that they be given the patents they desired. If they had violated the law, he held, it was because the law was absurd. Nowhere does it appear that he wanted the law enforced; nowhere is he shown as safeguarding the public interests. He always seemed to feel it his duty to look out for private interests and to entirely lose sight of the fact that the people's property was at stake."

Fletcher declared that it was positively wicked in Ballinger to send a "young lawyer, only a year out of college, and who had never tried a case, to the Pacific coast to defend the government's interest in the hearings on the Cunningham claims." He further asserted that Ballinger when on the witness stand, was "evasive and apparently afraid that the truth would come out," and bitterly criticized Oscar Lawler for participating in the case while bearing malice in his heart against Glavis.

### OPEN FORUM.

Ed. Journal: The proposal to celebrate the saving of Oregon to the United States, and by Oregon I mean Washington, Idaho and other areas included in the disputed territory, is one that should meet the approval of every Oregonian. The proposal to have the state aid by donating \$100,000 to it should be approved, and for many reasons. Laying aside the patriotic pride, which the Northwest should feel, and which should be shown by every true American, and looked upon as a mere business transaction, it is a splendid investment.

It should be remembered that Oregon is not alone in this movement, but, as the location is on Oregon soil, she must make the first move. Must start that ball rolling. The majority of the legislature favor the move, but many are afraid nothing worthy can be accomplished with the \$100,000 asked for.

They overlook the fact that Washington and Idaho will each appropriate not less than \$50,000 apiece, and perhaps double that, and that California will also probably do as well, and Montana also.

A splendid showing could be made that would bring thousands of people to the coast, and, without counting future benefits, would leave a sum many times greater than that expended in the state. All we have to do is to note the effects of the Lewis and Clarke exposition and the big fair at Seattle, which brought millions of money and tens of thousands of people to the coast. Astoria asks this, and I think the great majority of the thinking, patriotic citizens of the Northwest demand it.

### FOR A CENTENNIAL.

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MRS. FRANK W. COTTERILL, State Organizer for the Retail Clerks' International Protective Association.

Mrs. Cotterill is an earnest and energetic worker in the interest of all organized labor, but especially such measures as tend to improve the woman and child labor conditions. Her work is her life, and she is full of the facts and realities of present labor conditions.

## FEDERATION TRANSACTED MUCH BUSINESS

GOES ON RECORD AS OPPOSED TO CAPITAL PUNISHMENT AND ACTS ON MATTERS OF MUCH IMPORTANCE TO LABOR.

The Oregon State Federation of Labor went on record this morning as being heartily in accord with all efforts to secure good roads.

Discussion on the proposed measures for the proper inspection of high tension electric construction, brought out the fact that the majority of the fatalities among electrical workers are due to faulty construction in the high voltage systems. The trend of the talk was that while the measure was good, it should be closely watched, to see that it did not in any way conflict with or invalidate the present employer's liability law. The present inspection law for electrical apparatus is not sufficient and is in fact nothing but a farce. The resolution was endorsed with the provision that a draft of the proposed bill be submitted to the executive board of the federation.

The endorsement of the measure to increase the number of supreme judges was opposed, on the ground that the same delays would occur under the present methods of court procedure and the resolution was laid on the table.

The recommendation of the committee that the resolution relating to old age and disability pensions be not endorsed, was adopted.

Another recommendation on a similar line was that the eighth annual convention go on record as being "unqualifiedly and unreservedly opposed" to any legislation tending toward compensation or industrial insurance laws by the present legislature but that the subject matter be referred to the executive board to report at the next convention.

The anti-capital punishment resolution was unanimously adopted.

The extension of the Chinese exclusion act, which is urgently required by the Pacific Northwest, received concurrence without a question.

The Lifesaving Service pension bill that is now before congress received the hearty endorsement of the convention.

The suggestion of Governor West, made to the delegates at the reception given by him at the beginning of the convention, that the federation recommend two individuals to him for appointment on a commission, to be composed of two representatives of organized labor, two from the Grange, two from the employers and one to be selected by the governor, to collect data and make recommendations to the next legislature on the subject of automatic industrial insurance, brought out considerable discussion but on a roll-call vote was accepted with the provision that any appointees be instructed to absolutely discontinue any action on the matter by the present legislature.

### Yesterday's Afternoon Session.

When the resolution relating to the proposed new tax law for Multnomah county was reported back from the committee, Hon. W. S. U'Ren, of Oregon City, was invited to speak on the measure. He stated that while the present employer's liability laws particularly protect and help those engaged in hazardous occupations, the exemption of individual effort from taxation, as proposed, could not fail to be a benefit to all working men. The burden of the change would come on the holders of large tracts of unimproved land held for speculative purposes—most of which land is being enhanced in value by the labors expended on adjacent lands. And that the improvement of lands should not be penalized by additional taxation

## OBJECTS TO HITCHCOCK METHODS

MAIL CLERKS COMPELLED TO WORK OVER-TIME WITHOUT PAY, IN ORDER THAT HE MAY MAKE SHOWING OF ECONOMY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 19.—A tie-up of the country's mail system and a walkout of the railway mail clerks is likely unless Postmaster-General Hitchcock discontinues certain phases of his postal savings policy, according to members of the Twin Cities Railway Mail Clerks' Association.

Tentative plans for a walkout of the railway mail clerks have been made, it is said. This will be ordered, the clerks say, unless the practice of requiring the clerks to work overtime without extra pay is stopped.

Speakers last night who addressed an indignation meeting of the Twin Cities, repeated today assertions made before the meeting.

"The mails surely will be tied up all over the country," one of them said. "Although the amount of mail handled is daily increasing, the number of clerks has been decreased by Hitchcock. His policy of economy is a good one, but the clerks bear more than their share of the saving. A general strike of mail clerks certainly will follow unless some remedy is applied."

for the benefit of unimproved land near it.

Delegate A. J. Mason, of the Grange, prefaced his remarks by saying that what he would say would not necessarily be the voice of the Grange, but the voice of Mason. In reply to a query by a delegate as to whether or not the proposed new tax would be a benefit to the non-property-owning wage-earner, he said that inasmuch as the large tracts of unimproved lands would be the bearers of the bulk of the change, it would necessarily follow that the wage-earner would be benefited.

Paul V. Mohr, delegate from the Washington State Federation of Labor, spoke in favor of the measure and cited numerous instances to show why it is a very desirable thing for the laboring man.

Ralph Clyde, representative from Multnomah county, wanted the employer's liability law retained just as it is.

Fred Jabelman spoke eloquently in favor of the Astoria Centennial and the convention enthusiastically endorsed the measure.

Representative Seneca Fouts, of Multnomah county, on special invitation addressed the convention and said he would favor no laws regarding labor that was not endorsed by the federation.

Speaker Rusk made a very effective talk, giving much personal experience.

A resolution endorsing the efforts of the machinists to secure an eight-hour day called forth an eloquent address by Ed. Hannan, vice president of the International Association of Machinists, and the resolution was heartily adopted.

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## DISASTROUS EXPLOSION IN MONTANA MINE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Helena, Mont., Jan. 19.—Six miners are dead, two are injured and two are missing today as a result of an explosion in the Keating mine, near here, yesterday. They were killed by concussion.

The dead: Ed. Ryan, shift boss. Dan Ryan, his brother. Percy Way. Dan Whyte. Harry Abbott. Louis Tucker.

The injured: Alex. Westlake, leg broken. John Russell, both arms broken.

An investigation was begun today. Officials of the Keating Gold Mining Company declare that no miners below the 300-foot level were injured. Those killed and injured were working on this level.

It is generally believed that the powder magazine, which contained 500 pounds of dynamite, let go. This cannot be positively learned, however, until the debris that now chokes the main shaft is cleared away.

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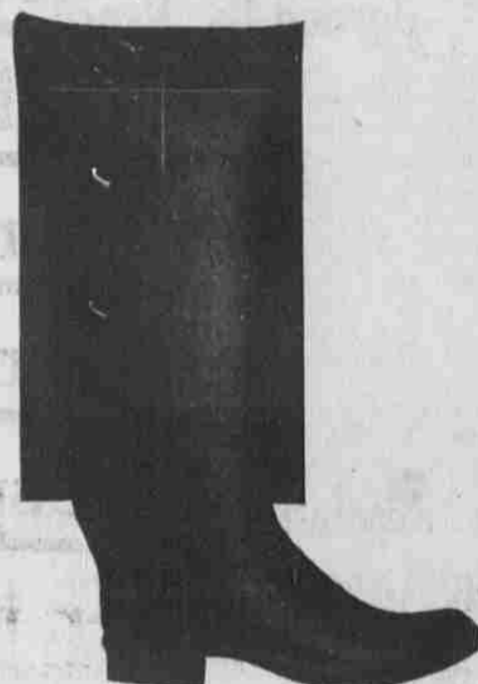


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### Emma Goldman Talks.

Columbus, O., Jan. 19.—Emma Goldman, anarchist, was today invited to address the convention of United Mine Workers, in session here. The county commissioners, in charge of the convention hall, refused to allow the address in their building. Undeterred by their action, Miss Goldman rented another hall in the city, where the miners will listen to her views.

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## ANOTHER RAILROAD PROJECT

The Willamette Valley & Coast Railroad Company today filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. The capitalization is fixed at \$100,000, and Cherry Grove is named as the principal office of business. The articles set out that the purpose of the corporation is to build a line of railroad from a point on the Southern Pacific railroad line between Forest Grove and Gaston, and then on to Cherry Grove. From Cherry Grove the road will be built in a westerly direction and along a route to be determined by the company. The directors are August Phillip and Levi Lovgren.

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