

## TERRIFIC STORM IN QUEBEC

Roofs Were Carried Away, Trees Blown Down and the Streets Are Flooded by Tremendous Rainfall.

## ALL BUSINESS STOPPED

Electric Cars Laid Up, Power Plants Flooded and Craft on the River for a Time in Much Danger—All Factories Had to Shut Down, and the Damage was Extensive—But It Cooled the Weather.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Quebec, July 4.—Quebec, which has sweltered for the last two days in an oppressive temperature, received some relief last evening by a wind and rain storm. The storm was one of the fiercest which has been experienced in this city for many years and the damage done was extensive. Within a few minutes the streets were flooded and the business of the city was brought to an absolute standstill. Electric cars were stopped, factories were devoid of power, and the storm raged with a fierceness which carried off roofs, blew down trees in hundreds, and caused the greatest excitement. The craft on the river had a very exciting time.

## TAKE A SLAP AT GAME WARDEN

Seattle, Wash., July 4.—King county commissioners yesterday requested the resignation of Game Warden H. G. Kelley. This action was taken on a petition signed by more than 60 sportsmen, requesting the reinstatement of H. Rief, whom Kelley succeeded on January 9.

The real trouble with Kelley is declared to be that he is not a hunting man himself and therefore is not in sympathy with them. The gist of the petition is that he had \$4000 on hand when he took office and that it is all gone now, with nothing to show for it. Game and fish, says the petition, are being illegally taken in many instances.

Rief had to yield to Kelley when Commissioners David McKenzie and M. L. Hamilton entered office as political allies. Hamilton voted today for the request, with Commissioner A. L. Rutherford, while McKenzie voted against it.

## Baseball

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Philadelphia, July 4.—While the Phillies hammered McGraw's pitching staff into submission today, the Cubs won over the Reds in Chicago, and the result is that the bugs in the three cities are facing an epoch, with bubbling enthusiasm, and the intense heat. The three leaders are tied for first place in the league race, each with a percentage of .618 after the morning games today.

At Pittsburgh: St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 2.

At Brooklyn: Boston 3, Brooklyn 2.

At Philadelphia: New York 7, Philadelphia 1.

National morning games, at Chicago: Cincinnati 3, Chicago 8.

American League morning games, at New York: Philadelphia 7, New York 4. At Detroit: Chicago 7, Detroit 3. At Boston: Washington 6, Boston 4.

At Portland: Sacramento 1, Portland 0.

At Seattle: Portland 4, Seattle 12.

At Oakland: Vernon 5, San Francisco 0.

American at Cleveland: St. Louis 5, Cleveland 6, 13 innings.

## ASK THAT WOMAN BE PARDONED

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Portland, Ore., July 4.—Signed by Governor Oswald West, who is a Canadian by birth, a petition to Earl Grey, asking for the pardon of Angella Napolitano, now under sentence to hang in Canada for killing her husband, after the birth of her unborn child, was today circulated at Salem, Oregon.

Over 5,000 persons in Portland have signed petitions asking for her pardon.

## R. B. Lamson Killed.

Portland, Ore., July 4.—R. B. Lamson, millionaire attorney, of Portland, was killed at Holton, Oregon, this morning while driving his pacing mare in a match race. The trap he was driving ran into that of his opponent, throwing Lamson out, fracturing his skull. He died shortly afterward.

## WHERE BINGER HERMANN MADE HIS FIRST SPEECH

According to writeup in the Bandon Recorder of June 30, giving a description of the second celebration of the Fourth of July in Coos county, Binger Hermann, then a youth of 17, made his first speech, and brought tears to the eyes of the tough old back woodsman of that time by his powerful depiction of the sufferings of the Americans at Valley Forge, and other historic points during the revolution. The writer intimates that the Siwash tried to weep, but passed the job along to the pack horses, who did a good stunt at it. It was unfortunate for the people, for Binger's tongue never forgot its use as a paint brush after that.

## Athletes on Top.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
New York, July 4.—Cornelius McGillicuddy celebrated the Fourth today by putting his Athletics at the top of the American baseball league list. While he was winning from the Highlanders, the "fence busting" White Sox slammed out a victory over the Tigers. The standings after this morning's games were:

Club	Won	Lost	Pct
Philadelphia	46	22	.678
Detroit	46	23	.667

## A Good Counterfeit.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Washington, July 4.—A counterfeit \$100 gold certificate so perfect in numerous details as to be considered highly dangerous has just been discovered in a shipment of money from Louisville to a New York bank.

The new bill is printed on government paper, which the counterfeit obtained by bleaching a genuine bill of smaller denomination. The portrait of Benton, on the back, is very flat and is the greatest defect found.

## Quiet in Portland.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Portland, Ore., July 4.—Independence day in Portland was celebrated without noise other than the national salute at sunrise by the National Guard and a few fireworks on the outskirts exploded by small boys. Band concerts, athletic meets and picnics served to pass the day for the majority.

## Strong Breakfast Food.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 4.—Mixing a quantity of strychnine into a supposed early morning Fourth of July spread, Henry Kelly, 36, a contractor committed suicide early today, trying to induce his wife to partake of the poisoned food.

## THE HOUSE OF LORDS WILL FALL

## CONCERNING FAIRGROUND BOULEVARD

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
London, July 4.—Banking on the belief that King George sooner would vacate his throne than create 500 more liberal peers to pass the veto bill over the protests of the present house of lords, leaders in that archaic body today stand flatly opposed to the Asquith government. Having passed Lord Lansdown's amendments to the veto measure, demanding a referendum on that as well as on home rule, the lords are apparently ready to stand off, all defiant to the last.

The Tories say King George's promise to create the new peers is only a conditional one. The liberals say it is absolute, and that, if it becomes necessary, it will be done.

The liberals have also decided upon a vigorous counter campaign. They refuse to accept the lords' amendments, demanding a referendum, saying that the last general election was, in effect, just that. A set timetable will be adhered to in the house of commons, the lords' amendment will be summarily disposed of, and if the lords continue to obstruct legislation the veto question will be at once brought to an issue, the 500 new peers will be dumped into the upper house, and that body, thus metamorphosed, will proceed to carry through at once the liberal legislation, which has been delayed for years.

## AUTO DOES SOME FAIRLY GOOD WORK

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Los Angeles, Cal., July 4.—Captain John C. Frazer, head of the Pacific division of the Pinkerton agency, was severely injured early today when an automobile driven by Lewis Stone, actor, crashed into a window of a downtown department store. Stone escaped unhurt.

## Invent Magic Ink.

Centralia, Wash., July 4.—Two Centralia youths have just perfected a "magic ink," and are working out a formula for petrifying wood. The young men are Everett G. Powell and J. L. Fos. By some chemical process marks made on paper by an ordinary pen dipped into a watery-looking fluid may be turned into ink black characters when heated over a stove or a lamp.

The tests for petrifying wood have so far been successful, and the young inventors believe the process will be perfected in a few weeks.

## THE POET-LAUREATE OF THE FLAG

None Knew Him But to Love Him,  
Nor Named Him But to Praise.



JOSEPH RODMAN DRAKE.

## THE AMERICAN FLAG.

WHEN freedom from her mountain height unfurled her standard to the

She tore the azure robe of night  
And set the stars of glory there!  
She mingled with its gorgeous dyes  
The milky baldrick of the skies  
And striped its pure, celestial white  
With streakings of the morning light:  
Then from his mansion in the sun  
She called her eagle bearer down  
And gave into his mighty hand  
The symbol of her chosen land.

Majestic monarch of the cloud  
Who rear'st aloft thy regal form  
To hear the tempest trumpings loud  
And see the lightning lances driven,  
When strive the warriors of the storm  
And rolls the thunder drum of heaven.  
Child of the sun, to thee 'tis given  
To guard the banner of the free,  
To hover in the sulphur smoke,  
To ward away the hostile stroke  
And bid his blendings shine afar  
Like rainbows on the cloud of war,  
The harbingers of victory!

Flag of the brave, thy folds shall fly,  
The sign of hope and triumph high;  
When speaks the signal trumpet tone  
And the long line comes gleaming on,  
Ere yet the lifeblood, warm and wet,  
Has dimmed the glistening bayonet,  
Each soldier eye shall brightly turn  
To where thy sky born glories burn  
And, as his springing steps advance,  
Catch war and vengeance from the glance.

and when the cannon mouthings loud  
Heave in wild wreaths the battle  
And gory sabers rise and fall  
Like shoots of flame on midnight's pall,  
Then shall thy meteor glances glow  
And covering fess shall shrink be-

Each gallant arm that strikes below  
That lovely messenger of death.  
Flag of the seas, on ocean wave  
Thy stars shall glitter o'er the brave;  
When death, careering on the gale,  
Sweeps darkly round the helms and sail  
And frighted waves rush wildly back  
Before the broadside's reeling rack,  
Each dying wanderer of the sea  
Shall look at once to heaven and thee  
And smile to see thy splendors fly  
In triumph o'er his closing eye.

Flag of the free heart's hope and home,  
By angel hands to valor given!  
Thy stars have lit the welkin dome  
And all thy hues were born in heaven  
Forever float that standard sheet!  
Where breathes the foe but fails before us,  
With freedom's soil beneath our feet  
And freedom's banner streaming o'er us!

## CROSSED CHANNEL LIKE BIRDS

FLOCK OF ELEVEN AIRSHIPS CROSS YESTERDAY, ONE OF THEM CARRYING A PASSENGER—IT WAS DEAD EAST.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
London, July 4.—Only by making the cross-channel flight under some extraordinary circumstances will any aviator ever be able hereafter to gain any particular glory from the feat. After yesterday's flight must be considered an ordinary affair, for the morning saw no less than 11 aviators, contestants in the international circuit air race, winging their way across the channel, and alight in Dover as easily as a flock of birds might have done. Moreover, one of the 11, Renaux, carried a passenger in his biplane.

## SMALL CHANGE SCARCE ON THE COAST

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Portland, Ore., July 4.—According to local bankers, a famine in silver coins, particularly dimes, quarters and half dollars, today threatens the Pacific Northwest.

Bank officials have appealed to Washington to relieve the situation, but as congress has made no appropriation to transport silver, it is understood that the government cannot come to the aid of Western banks unless congress acts.

The shortage is due to the heavy demand for silver by ranches in the harvest season.

## WOMEN TAKE INTEREST IN THE ELECTIONS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Portland, Ore., July 4.—Recent elections in Washington entirely refute the contention that women do not take an interest in public affairs, according to Mrs. Mary Arkell Hutton, a prominent suffragist of Spokane, who is here today in the interest of woman suffrage.

## Coal Strike Settled.

Spokane, Wash., July 4.—That the big strike of coal miners in the southern part of Alberta, Canada, and in the Crows Nest Pass has been settled, was reported yesterday from Nelson, B. C.

Spokane and other Northwest cities were threatened with a serious coal famine as a result of the strike. It is understood that the operators have agreed to offer the day mine workers an increase of 7 per cent in wages, and it is said that the miners will accept such terms.

The dispute which led to the strike was one of wages and also the question of "closed shop." On March 2, at a conference in Calgary, the operators' ultimatum was an increase of 5 per cent on the wages to all classes. The expiring agreement had a minimum wage of \$3 for an eight-hour day, bank to bank, which the men declared often worked out at \$2.50. The miners asked for an increase of 12 1/2 per cent.

In addition to wages and hours a protest has been raised against the open shop, principally by the Crows Nest Fuel company.

H. G. Ferris, of the Crows Nest Fuel company, of Spokane, said today that unless the strike had been settled shortly there would have undoubtedly been a coal famine in the city this winter.

## All About Morocco.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Madrid, July 4.—Following the sending of a German sunboat to Agadir, Spanish troops are reported here today to be occupying a more advanced position in the Rif district of Morocco, evidently with aggressive intentions.

## A Jap Murdered.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Oakland, Cal., July 4.—The body of Masaki Enomoto, a Japanese laborer, was found early this morning on the sidewalk here with a dagger wound in his neck. Two Japanese who reported the alleged murder are held by the police. The case is being investigated.

## JOE DAY IS FINALLY THROWN IN

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Seattle, Wash., July 4.—Detectives Joe Day and William H. Hyde, of Portland, and E. B. Benn, former mayor of Aberdeen, Wash., and a brother-in-law of C. W. Wapenstein, the convicted ex-chief of police on a bribery charge, were arrested yesterday afternoon, following a sensational attempt to escape. They are held nominally as "witnesses" for the grand jury, which is to reconvene Thursday. All three were witnesses for the defendant.

Day "smelled a rat," as Deputy Sheriff Beebe came toward him, and started to run. Despite his 60 years, he ran for six blocks before he was captured. Hyde hid behind a barrel, when he found he could not escape by running. Benn offered no resistance.

The men were allowed to go on their own recognizance, under bail of \$2000, after they had been kept in jail for an hour and a half.

## ENGLAND MAY JOIN FRANCE AGAINST GERMANY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
London, July 4.—Premier Asquith today postponed until Thursday his promised statement to the house of commons of the government's attitude on the Moroccan situation as the result of Germany's sending a warship to Agadir.

It is believed Great Britain is endeavoring to arrange a naval mission with France.

## GRANDFATHER TO HIS OWN CHILD

San Francisco, July 4.—Charged with an offense against his 14-year-old daughter, Zee, Charles E. Serveau is at the city prison today in default of \$20,000 bail. The child became a mother at the Irving sanitarium one month ago. The girl's sister is responsible for the charges against Serveau, who owns several retail stores in San Francisco and is reported to be worth \$200,000.

## Woman Lightkeeper Dies.

San Francisco, Cal., July 4.—After six years of suffering, the result of injuries received while tending the light which nightly for 40 years she had set as a beacon for mariners, Mrs. Julia F. Williams is dead at a hospital here.

She was the first woman lightkeeper appointed on the Pacific coast, and from the time she took charge of the lighthouse here, in 1887, she was on duty continually until six years ago, when she fell off the tower. Mrs. Williams was 85 years old.

## ALL READY FOR GREAT FESTIVAL

Program Complete for the Big Three-Day Cherry Fair, and All Arrangements for Decorations, etc., Are Made.

## CHERRIES ARE PERFECT

City Will Be Gay With Decorations and Everything from the Family Cat to the Flying Machine Will Wear Salem's Colors—Friday Will Be Portland Day, and a Big Excursion Is Planned for That Date.

## Line of March.

The cherry fair big industrial parade will form on Thursday at 10:30 a. m. Floats form on Liberty north of Court and the line of march will be south on Liberty to Ferry, west on Ferry to Commercial, north on Commercial to Court, east on Court to Twelfth, south on Twelfth to State, west on State to Commercial, north on Commercial to Marion Square, where the golden keys of the city will be presented to King Bing and Queen Ann.

## Program of Sports.

Each day of the fair there will be a program of sports at 2:30 p. m. These will be on State street west and west from Liberty street. They will consist of a 100-yard dash, open to all; 100-yard race for boys under 16; 50-yard race for girls under 12; 50-yard race for girls, open to all; 50-yard slow bicycle race; 50-yard backward foot race, open to boys under 16; egg, obstacle, barrel, sack, wheelbarrow and three-legged races, also. Each night there will be fireworks at 9:30. On Friday there will be a 100-yard race for the Cherry City championship. The prizes for this will be a gold medal for the winner and a silver one for second place.

At the meeting of the display committee reported 110 entries of cherries to date. Royal Anns will be about perfect. The principal exhibits will be from Marion and Polk counties. There will be five displays of Bing and Lambert cherries.

Marion Square will be decorated with streamer lights all leading to the central pavilion, which will have many arc lights and several hundred Japanese lantern drop lights.

The hour for the automobile parade was changed from 10:30 a. m. to 2 p. m. on Friday. Decorations were reported progressing well under the direction of Professor Schreiber.

## All to Decorate.

It was expressed as the sense of the cherry fair committee that all business houses be decorated with the cherry fair colors or the national colors—red, white and blue bunting—and that every store should be decorated.

Friday was made Portland day and a committee will go to Portland Wednesday to arrange for the excursion.

The concessions committee reported selling \$200 stand privileges. The Salem, Dallas, Victor Point and the Salem high school bands have been engaged. The Little German band of Portland will play all day Saturday.

The baby show and parade has received nearly 100 entries and will be held Saturday morning at 11. These will be Shetland ponies and dog teams. The parade will be around the court house and postoffice squares. The national guard will be on duty.

The committee extended an invitation to the Woodburn militia company to act as a guard of honor for the baby parade, their expenses to be paid and a band furnished.

The U. G. Shipley company has donated 100 Cherry City pennants for purpose of decoration of automobiles and floats. The sum of \$15 was appropriated to the Women's club in fitting up a rest room in the basement of the U. S. National bank, and on motion \$25 was appropriated to build a float showing the cherry packing industry.

There will be a platform built in Marion Square for comical amusements afternoon and evening. The Liberty quartet will sing and there will be two good free vaudeville stunts of an hour's duration each.

There will be water sports arranged for Friday evening at 8:30 at the foot of State street. The day sports will be pulled off each day at 2:30 p. m.

## Prisoners' Independence Day.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Sacramento, Cal., July 4.—A report reached here today that seven prisoners escaped from the county jail at Auburn early this morning. Posses from here have been rushed to the foothills, and are watching all trains and roads leading into Sacramento.