
THE LARGEST

THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR.

SALEM, OREGON, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1913.

PRICE TWO CENTS. ON TRAINS AND HEWS

Rebel Artillery Pour Rain of Death Into City and Buildings Fall.

CITIZENS HURRY TO SHIPS IN HARBOR

Follow Foreigners Who Earlier in Day Sought Refuge in Vessels.

[UNITED PRESS LHARRD WIRE.]

Mexico, City, Dec. 12.-Rebel shells were raining upon Tampico today, it was learned today from a telegram which somehow passed the censor.

From a hill a mile outside the city the rebel artillerymen had got the exact range, and did frightful execution. Many persons had been killed. Buildings were tumbling.

Practically the entire non-combatant population had fled in terror, following the foreigners. Ships in the harbor were taking many on board.

It was stated at the war ministry that 800 federals were being rushed from Vera Cruz to strengthen the Tampico garrison.

Rains Shells on Rebels.

its big guns, the Mexican federal gunboat Brave joined today in the fight that the spoils system would reign. with the rebels at Tampico, according to messages received from Admiral Fletcher today.

During Wednesday's and Thursday's Tampico harbor were unable to aid in the town's defense, because the struggling forces' positions were such that out sweeping the town itself.

had succeeded in maneuvering into a the work. more favorable position, for, at last accounts, it was raining shells into the rebel ranks.

It was believed here that the new development might turn the tide of the throat, accompanied by a slight fever, battle, which seemed yesterday to be in the rebels' favor.

The big foreign warships were lying some distance off shore, but it was ing had run close in to the Tampico water front, to be ready to protect foreigners who might be endangered.

Already on board the Wheeling were 150 foreign refugees, Admiral Fletcher stated; on board the steamship Logician were 150 more, and on the German on shore.

have captured the railroad embank- the Pomona chamber of commerce to atment into the city, to have mounted fend a banque here this evening, batteries in the suburb and to be nouring a murderous artillery fire among the federals. The latter, however, were said to be putting up a surprising resis-

Authentic news from the scene of the battle was extremely meagre.

Another Battle Imminent.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 12,-Outpost skirmishing was reported today at Ojinaga, where the federal garrison of Chi hunhun took refuge after its flight | * across the desert to the border.

A battle was expected before Sunday. . Rome, Dec. 12.- 'La Giacon-The federals must fight to the death, + da," or the "Mova Lisa," as it + surrender to the rebels, who probably + is also called, has been found in + would kill most of the higher officers, * Florence, according to a state * disgusting that little of it was printable | Later, just before the murder, Dr.

Federals Still Holding Out.

Cruz agent, was prepared to dispatch + public until the French authori- + how, seizing an opportunity when The bulk of the day's testimony re- bathroom, and Faurot was sure he would the ship as soon as it arrives.

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Associated Press Tries to Hit Back

Has Editor and Cartoonist of Weekly, Which Depicted It as Lying Organization, in Court.

New York, Dec. 12.-Editor Max Castman and Cartoonist Arthur Young, of the satirical weekly, The Masses, vere arraigned today before Judge Swann, on a criminal libel charge with the Associated Press as complainant.

Last July The Masses published a artoon esptioned "Poisoned at the Source," in which the Associated Press State Printing Board Will, It Is Be was portrayed as pouring what was is belled "Poison of Lies," "Suppressed Facts," and "Hatred of Labor Organ izations" into a reservoir marked "the 1ews, **

Eastman and Young entered pleas of not guilty and were released on bail of

GOETHALS WOULD LIKE TO BE HEAD OF AFFAIRS ON PANAMA ZONE

[UNITED PRESS LEARED WIRE,] Washington, Dec. 12.-That Colonel George W. Goethals wants to run the Panama canal for the first six mouths of its operation, and would like to be the head of the zone's permanent government, was learned today from a reliable source.

Under the Adamson law, there is no limit to the positions which the governor of the zone may create. Politicians believe that if Colonel Goehals is appointed, a maximum of positions will Washington, Dec. 12.—Opening with be created. If a practical politician is

Colonel Goethals filed today his views regarding a permanent zone government with Secretary of War Garrison, and the latter will discuss Goethals' fighting the two federal gunboats in recommendations soon with President ceed Duniway upon his death, one of

WILSON STILL ILL. [UNITED PRESS LEARED WIRE,]

Washington, Dec. 12.—Suffering from a severe cold in the head and a sore President Wilson was not permitted to see any visitors today. His physician, Dr. Cary Grayson, however, insisted that the cold was yielding to treatment. stated the American gunboat Wheel- He said he hoped to have the president well enough to attend the Gridiron club dinner tomorrow night.

GOES MILE A MINUTE.

[UNITED PRING LEARND WIRE.] Pomona, Cal., Dec. 12 .- Glenn Martin liner Kronprinzessin Cecelia 350. Pive arrived here at 10:32 this morning in hundred remained in the neutral zone his biplane, making the 32 miles from Los Angeles in exactly 32 minutes. The The rebels were understood finally to aviator comes as the invited guest of

AND ITALIAN JAILED AS GUILTY MAN

4 ties were heard from.

HARRIS DISREGARDS AN OPINION BY CRAWFORD SIGNS CONTRACT

State Printer, It Is Just Discovered, Has Pact With Union Here.

DEVELOPMENTS EXPECTED

lieved, Take Steps in Regard to Harris' Action.

Absolutely disregarding an opinion rendered by Attorney-General Crawford last August, State Printer Harrit has entered into a label contract with this city, whereby he agrees to employ only printers and pressmen who are ion, to pay the wage scale prescribed by it, and to abide by all rules and regula. side of Morroll's head. tions formulated by it, and the international union.

October, and its consideration is the use of the union label. According to Harris it may be revoked at any time by surrendering the label, but pending its esistence union rules and wages are in full force, and none but union men can be employed, and they must be mem bers of the local union.

This discovery of the contract was nade today, and it fulfills a prediction made by the late State Printer Duniway during his campaign against the State Printer Flat Salary Law. He de clared that the law authorized the state printer to enter into such a contract, and that Harris and his following were named as governor, it was believed here laboring for its enactment in order to obtain the fat plums it would provide, and to unionize the office, and that they were fighting him because he had re fused to sign such contract.

After Harris was appointed to suc his first acts was to declare he intend-It was also reported that Colonel ed to enter into a contract with the Goethals may go to Alaska. Congress union for help. He contended that the they could not fire on the rebels with expects to authorize the construction flat salary law authorized it, but Attorthere of a government-owned railroad, ney-General Crawford held that, if it Some shift had evidently taken place and administration officials believe did, the provision was unconstitutional in the battle, however, or the Bravo Goethals is the ideal man to superintend on the ground that it would be class legislation, and that any contract en certain class of employes or only employes belonging to any one organization. Contrary to this opinion, how-State Printing Board will do with rela- cisco exposition. tion to the matter.

TRAIN RUNS AWAY.

[CRITED PRINCE LEARNIN WIRE,]

Centralia, Wash., Dec. 12.-Due to a leaky valve, the ongine drawing Great Northern passenger train No. 455 ran away here early today, while the crew was lunching in the depot, and was entering the Chehalis yards, five miles away, before a baggageman, discovering that the engineer and fireman were not aboard, went forward over the ten-

der and applied the emergency brakes.

The train ran slowly and no damage

Late News Bulletins

(UNITED PRESS LECTED WIRE.]
Washington, Dec. 12.—A bill provid ng a drydock 1000 feet long for Puget ound, at a cost of \$3,000,000, was introduced today in the senate by Jones. of Washington. Representative Hum phrey, of Washington, introduced a similar measure in the house

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 12.-Frederick Reichardt, aged 22, of San Francisco, a discharged naval prisoner, today shot at Major Thorpe, commandant of the naval prison here, as he drove across Market Square in his automobile. The bul let penetrated the car door, but Major Thorpe escaped injury. Reichardt was arrested. He said he had been laying for Thorpe fo- several days.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Dec. 12.-Santa Gruz the Allied Printing Trades Council of county was being combed today for James Denton, of San Francisco, who last night shot and killed Lot Morrell combers of the local typographical nn at Boulder Creek, near here. Design used a shotgun, tearing off the right

The contract was entered into last HENEY WILL SEEK TO EITHER GOVERNOR OR SENATOR

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—Francis declaring his intention of seeking either the progessive nomination for governor or that for the United States senate, to succeed Senator George W. Perkins. It all depends, the statement says, upon the position taken by Governor Johnson.

- If the governor decides to be a candidate for re-election, Heney will fight for the progressive nomination to succeed Perkins. If Johnson finally decides to make the senatorial race, He-

WILL SEND SQUADRON.

Berlin, Dec. 12 .- The foreign office today notified American Ambassador tered into favoring any special class Gerard of Germany's acceptance of the was void. Neither the State Printing invitation to send a warship squadron Board nor Harris, he declared, could en- from the fatherland to Panama when ter into a contract to employ only a the canal is opened. The number of ships to be sent had not been decided upon. The announcement at this time was intended, it was believed, as an atever, the contract has been entered tempt to soften Germany's refusa! to Girard, deputy county assessor, and well into, and it now remains to see what the participate officially in the San Fran-

The Weather



The Dickey Bird says: Oregon, rain today and Saturday; southeasterly winds, increasing nlong the const.

CRISIS IN CURRENCY EXPECTED LATE TODAY

Vote on Hitchcock Amendment to Administration Bill Is Important.

It Is Main Point in Dispute, and When It Is Disposed of Bill Will Soon Be Passed.

CUNCTUD PERSO, LEARNING WIRE, T. Washington, Dec. 12 .- A erisis in the currency fight in the senate was expected today with a vote on the Hitcheock amendment to the administration

The amendment calls for four region al reserve banks and for sale of their stock by public subscription. Unamended, the administration measures provides for from eight to 12 regional banks controlled by member-banks and for sale of stock to the public only in case the regional banks are not financiafly strong enough to meet require ments after the member-banks have done their stock buying.

It was hoped to get a ballot on the amendment by tonight or tomorrow. The regional proposition was the main point in dispute. That being disposed of, it was believed the rest of the bill Hency issued a statement here today, would pass without discussion after a few roll calls.

FINAL TESTIMONY GIVEN

ney will withdraw and make a fight for litigants. Amos Long, a witness for the sections and working space. the progressive gubernatorial nomina, plaintiff, testified that after compility the votes cast at the December election and making a comparison with the 19th and the Gill registration law, he found that out of a total of 4461 votes case, aranged the two spacious floors as to there were 1458 votes cast by persons give unlimited floor space for every de-Clablhar und the Gill registration act which was declared unconstitutional,

> FATALLY INJURED. TUNITED PRESS LEARNS WIRE, T

Aberdeen, Wash., Dec. 12 .- Mrs Emna E. Girard, aged 73, mother of A. C. known newspaper man, is suffering from probable fatal injuries today as the result of being struck by a street car near her home in Hoquiam. Her left shoulder and several ribs were broken and her head and body lacerate !.

MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE.

[UNITED PRESS IMARED WIRE.] Aberdeen, Wash., Dec. 12.-Plans are under way today for a municipal Christmas tree. One hundred leading singers and all of the band musicians on Grava Harbor will participate in a yuletide celebration to be held in the streets. The tree will be the largest that can be brought here, and will be electrically

Explorer Deserted by Karluk's Crew

Bow Over Food Supply and Details Re-lating to Life Aboard Ship Caused Their Action.

[UNITED PRESS LEARND WINE.] Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 12.-Reports reeived at the Canadian capital today tell of a rumor that Explorer Stefansson was deserted on the shores of the Arctic by the crow of his ship Kar-REGIONAL PROPOSITION luk, following a row over the food sup-

> The report says that those remaining on the Karluk, after Stefansson and his party went ashore, deliberately deserted the explorer and his party, and that the vessel was not carried away OFFICE IS BADLY by the ice, as told in previous dispatch-

OCCUPIED BY PURVINE IMPLIMENT FIRM

there is one of the finest business build- aged 20, a stenographer. The girl's ings in the city now standing at the face was blown to bits and her body corner of State and Front streets. C. badly mangled. D. Purvine, one of Salem's hustlers, Just where the bomb came from was owner and manager of the implement livered by an express company. firm which was known as the Chase & Purvine Implement Co.

In speaking of the building this morn-IN SALEM BREWERY ACTION of the former small quarters occupied the office was shattered and the furniby it, and a new place became absolute- ture wrecked. The final evidence in the case brought ly necessary. The new building is two by the Salam Brewery Association to stories and covers a space 85x82 feet. livered the package but could not re restrain the city of Salem from enfore The interior is so constructed as to member whether the man were a too ing the charter amendments voted at make the entire building an ideal in form. On one corner of the package the December election, better known as plement house, and Mr. Purvine is at was written "23 State street, New section 2A was submitted to Judge Gal. present putting the finishing touches York." loway this afternoon by counsel for the to the display departments, implement

It is doubtful if there is any other building of the kind in the city that is built so thoroughly. Every convenience has been added, and the owner has so proves a great ornament to that part of

Old Shacks Gone.

Up until the time Mr. Purvine started the construction of his new building, the corner of State and Front streets was decorated with old, tumbledown, mosacovered shacks. These syesores were erected when Salem first became a town, and their absence is now greatly appreciated by the local boosters.

Mr. Purvine occupied a small brick needed more room. Instead of renting | cell. another building, the thrifty implement building of his own,

NEW OFFICERS TALK

The newly-elected board of goverthat being left for a later meeting. The our love and affection is all over." secretary was instructed to prepare a A little later she wrote: "I have retary's statements, which will be pre- ence yesterday afternoon long enough to pared in writing and furnished to the laugh heartily when a witness testified officers Saturday. Those present were: that Miss Annuller said she was "go-U. O. Shipley, W. I. Staley, John J. ing to marry a millionaire." Roberts, George H. Rodgers, W. M. Hamilton, Secretary Bynon and Assist-lawyer asked Joseph Eighler, a consun and Secretary Group.

rean, it was announced here today, will be the principal speakers tonight at the

ply, and details relating to life aboard Stenographer Meets Instant Death when Package Is Delivered.

WRECKED BY IT

Injured Employe of Bottling Works Thinks Bomb Came By Express.

(UNITED PRODUCTION WINE, New York, Dec. 12,-A bomb delivered to the O. K. Bottling company here exploded in the firm's office today, in-Springing up in the night, as it were, stantly killing Miss Ida Anusowitz,

constructed the building, and is the sole not known, but presumably it was do-

Thomas McCabo was standing near Miss Anusowitz when the bomb expleded. His left ear was nearly severed. ing, Mr. Purvine declared that the busi- Thomas Ryan, a stable man, sustaine! ness of his firm just simply grew out cuts about the face. Every window in

McCabe thought an express man de

SCHMIDT DROPS MASK AND WEEPS WITH AGED FATHER

[DECTED PRESS LEARNED WINE.] New York, Dec. 12 .- Hans Schmidt,

the ex-priest on trial for the murder of Anna Annulder, fell on his kness yesholding nothing but a certificate of reg. partment in his business. The exterior terday afternoon in District Attorney istration gives them by County Clerk of the new building is attractive, and Whitman's office, kissed the hand of his aged father, who has come all the way from Germany to try to save him from the electric chair, and in a flood of tears begged his forgiveness, Schmidt refused yesterday morning to recognize his father.

Mrs. Elizabeth Schaddler, Schmidt's sister, who made the trip from Germany with her father, was present at the meeting. Schmidt embraced her affectionately. For half an hour she and building adjacent to the shacks for her father tried to soothe the prisoner. some time, and as time went by his but he refused to be comforted, and business grew to such an extent that he was still weeping when led back to his

The prosecution continued the present man got busy and erected a fine new tation of evidence to show that when Schmidt killed the girl, cut up her body and threw it in the Hudson river, he followed a carefully premeditated plan and acted in a way that proved him sane. Schmidt's counsel, against his OVER CLUB AFFAIRS will, it is said, are trying to prove that he was mentally irresponsible for these acts which he has confessed.

Letters regarding Schmidt written by his victim to Miss Anna Huttler, of nors of the Salem Commercial club's Cincinnati, were read to the jury today. promotion department met yesterday Miss Huttler was on the witness stand. afternoon at 4:30 to take soundings and In one of the letter the Aumuller girl look into the fiscal affairs of the de wrote: "Please do not mention the partment. No officers were chosen, name of Mr. Schmidt to me again, as

statement of the affairs of the depart- made up again with Schmidt. The pour ment, showing a complete inventory of fellow is sick, and a few days ago sent the work done since the club's reorgan for me. Do not mention Schmidt's

Schmidt dropped his mask of indiffer-

"Did Anna ever tell you," Seamout's to Anna Aumulier, on the stand today, that Schmidt had told ber he had teen commanded by God to make a blood anrifice of her, as Abrahum sperificed Imac#"

Eighler replied in the affirmative. The trial was balted till this morning stand.

Miss Aumuller Said Schmidt Was Crazy and Feared Him Greatly am afraid of him. I think he will harm Faurot, of the police department de ization, and a statement showing name on any card you send to the rec-

New York, Dec. 12.—Testimony so me." or cross the border and give themselves the ment issued here tonight by Min to have been was devoured greedily today by a Lea said Schmidt called on him to have ble. + daro. The picture, a priceless + crowded court room in which woman a cut finger dressed. He was pale and Vera Cruz, Mex., Dec. 12.—That the stolen from the Louvre, in Paris, trial here of Hans Schmidt for the some time ago. The alleged thief. the murder of his sweetheart, Anna Aunul. On visits he paid to Schmidt's room,

The admiral asked Consul Canada to send the liner Morro Castle, due here to take foreign refugees telephone to Credaro. It was a Aumuller to him for medical advice Schmidt seized a zither and began sing.

HADLEY WILL SPEAK.

New York, Dec. 12.—President Hadley, and Surgeon-General Stokes, of the government health buttering the purpose of the purpose that the purpose of the purpose that the purpose of the pur Captain Robertson, the line's Vera * stated no details would be made * some time before the murder and told ing wildly.

* Schmidt was not listening, the girl said lated to an incumble disease from which have killed himself had not the inspection to be given at the Waldorf As to permit the prosecution to confer with 'it was said Schmidt was suffering. * * * * * * * * * * * * * "Father Schmidt is wholly crazy, I. At the afternoon session Inspector he had.

scribed how he traced Schmidt to his members and detailed finances. A meet- tory, as I do not want them to know I flat, where signs that a murder had ling will be held Monday at noon at am good with him." been committed were still plainly viai. the Marion Hotel to consider the sec-

Tells of Schmidt's Arrest.

Visiting Schmidt at the rectory where he lived, Paurot said he told the young by wireless messages from Admiral + an Italian, was arrested at the + ler.

by wireless messages from Admiral + same time the painting was re- + Dr. Arnold Leo, whose story, relating had blank death certificates on his deck, ously, drew from his pocket Anna Au-

> With the words he started for the tor stopped him and taken away a razor toria botel by the American Museum of its alienists before placing them on the