

CONGRESS OF MAYORS FOR TACOMA

The congress of mayors started by Mayor Seymour for the First Congressional Brotherhood meeting Thursday night has grown from a mere meeting with the mayors of Seattle and Spokane present to a congress of all the mayors of the state. It is expected there will be a lot of oratory. The meetings will start in the afternoon and close with a banquet in the evening. Already many mayors have accepted invitations to be present.

PEOPLE WANT RADIUM LAND

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.—Secretary Lane held a conference Saturday with the Colorado congressional delegation and other Colorado interests on the pending Foster bill to withdraw all radium bearing land from entry in Colorado. The Colorado people object. They admit the policy of allowing Europe to grab the radium and monopolize it is indefensible, however, but they want a compromise that will still allow private enterprise in Colorado to get the benefit of the rich deposits there.

Some agreement may be reached that will be satisfactory to both sides.

102 Accidents in The Alps This Year

MILAN, Jan. 19.—There were 102 Alpine accidents to mountain climbers in 1913.

Politicians Tie Hands of Great Social Workers



MISS KATE BARNARD

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 19.—As a result of the legislature's action in cutting off her working allowance, Miss Kate Barnard, commissioner of charities and corrections, has to end her great reform movements. However, she has in mind a plan to appeal to the public for funds with which to carry on her work among the poor, ignorant and helpless.

RELIGION OF ACTION, HE SAYS

Rev. Marshal Dawson before the Ethical and Unitarian society Sunday discussed the religion of Zoroaster. He said it was a religion of action. It did not contemplate any man being so good he is good for nothing. It wanted a man to put his virtue into physical action and do something with it.

DOUBLE DEATH IN MACHINE EXPLAINED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—The mystery of the double suicide here Friday night when a man and woman were found in an automobile with bullet holes through their deeds has been solved.

The man was A. H. Hammett, county treasurer of Wyan, Ark., and the woman was Mrs. Sallie Blanche Wood Shoemaker, wife of a farmer near there. They eloped together and Hammett was said to be \$40,000 short in his accounts.

SACRED HEART CHURCH IS DEDICATED

Sacred Heart Catholic church at East 45th and McKinley avenue was dedicated in the presence of 500 persons Sunday.

Bishop O'Dea of Seattle and the priests of the local Catholic churches participated in the services. The Ancient Order of Hibernians attended in a body in full regalia and a special choir from the Catholic church of Puyallup rendered music.

TWO MINERS DIE

TRINIDAD, Col., Jan. 19.—One miner was shot and killed in a brawl and one run down and killed by a switch engine in the strike zone.

Withdraws Suits Against Husband to Avoid Scandal



BRUSSELS, Belgium, Jan. 19.—The duchess of Orleans has withdrawn her divorce suit because of her dislike of scandal the case threatened to expose. The duke is the pretender to the French throne; his wife was formerly the Archduchess Marie Amelia of Austria.

MAN WHO HELPED BUILD PEOPLES STORE DIES

R. J. Keown, 76, one of Tacoma's oldest business men, and among the founders of the Peoples Store, died Sunday at his home, 2124 North Steele street. He was for years general manager and president of the Peoples Store, until he retired seven years ago.

CHINA IS AWAKENING THEY DECLARE

"The greatest Christian nation or a great yellow peril" is the alternative Rev. W. H. Lingle, returned missionary, says the world faces in China. He declared China is awakening. She is going to take a place in the world of nations. And it all depends on the rest of the world whether she shall be Christianized and made a power for good or whether she shall become a great pagan nation full of war spirit. She has one-fourth of the population of the world.

Dr. A. A. Fulton, for 23 years a missionary in Canton, said America was strong with China for returning the \$10,000,000 indemnity awarded this nation after the Boxer uprising and he believed every dollar of it was being spent to send Chinese students here. Dr. C. A. Kille, many years a missionary, told of his harrowing experiences in the Boxer campaign.

The missionaries occupied the pulpits in the six Presbyterian churches of Tacoma Sunday discussing "Changing China."

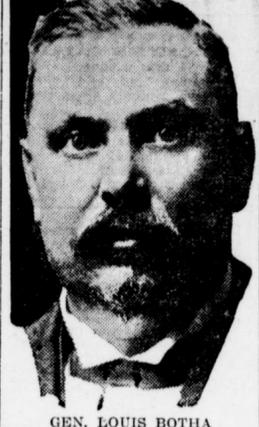
HUERTA ANXIOUS

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 19.—Huerta has demanded that Adolph de la Loma, minister of finance, now in Europe, return and report to him in person at once.

Boards in Jail

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Ella Enquist, deserted by her husband after arrival from Australia, has gone to jail to board to save her money to pay her fare back home.

Declares Martial Law in Africa



GEN. LOUIS BOTHA

CAPE TOWN, South Africa, Jan. 19.—The government, led by Gen. Louis Botha, premier, has declared martial law in South Africa, where a general strike of all trades' federations has suspended business.

WIVES OF FIRE LADDIES HEAR ADDRESSES

Wives of city firemen constituting the Women's auxiliary to their association for boosting the game of the firemen, held a meeting Sunday afternoon and listened to a talk by J. A. Billings on the benefits that will come to the firemen from the double platoon system. Billings said the plan would increase the efficiency of the department by adding many more men.

BOAT CAPSIZES; YOUTH DROWNED

Venturing to the center of Ward's lake, near South Tacoma, in an improvised canoe, while a companion stood on shore and watched him, Robert Baird, age 17, was drowned yesterday afternoon when a gust of wind capsized the boat. The youth was unable to swim, and his companion, Emil Miller, stood helplessly on shore, more than 60 feet away, unable to assist him. Police officers arrived in less than 45 minutes, brought the body to the surface with grappling hooks, and used the city pulmotor in an effort to resuscitate the youth, but to no avail.

Baird lived with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baird, at 89th and Sprague avenue, Fern Hill. Miller also lived in Fern Hill. Baird was city salesman for the Pioneer Bindery & Printing company.

The young men had gone for a walk across the prairies west of Fern Hill, and wandered by accident to the shores of Ward's lake, which is merely a large pond flooded by the heavy winter rains. Baird stepped into a canoe on the lake shore against Miller's protestations, paddled laughingly to the center, and suddenly plunged into the lake when the craft overturned.

BORAX KING MAY SAVE FORTUNE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Syndicate represented by Detroit and English capitalists will try to straighten out the tangled finance of "Borax" F. M. Smith, and the borax king may yet emerge with money.

RANSACKS ROOM

Ransacking the rooms of the Stanley hotel, on lower C street, late last night, H. E. Roberts, a workingman, gathered up six bed sheets and took them to the Elgin hotel, where he sold them for a dollar. Detectives McKay and Thompson captured Roberts and took him to jail. Later they arrested J. Donis, colored, who was rooming with Roberts. The men are held on larceny charges.

You can "swap" anything by using a Times Swap ad. See Want Ad page.

THIEVES WEREN'T COIN COLLECTORS

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 19.—Thieves stole old coins from the University of California collection worth \$50, but overlooked some old Roman coins worth \$5,000.

ELECTROCUTED

OSSING, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Francis Muhfeld, convicted of murdering Patrick Burns, a saloonkeeper, was electrocuted today. He went to his death on the chair smiling.

Cardinal of Paris Will Fight Tango

PARIS, Jan. 19.—Cardinal Amette has started a war on the tango dance.

MAY GET PAVLOVA The carnival association may endeavor to get Anna Pavlova to come to Tacoma and dance in the stadium at the July Montama Feste.

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