

Some unkind person writes in to say that the paper which "found" Ethel Oliver is the same one which found oil in the Crescent well.

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WEATHER

Tacoma: Fair tonight and Sunday.  
Washington: Same.

# FOSTER WINS HIS OWN GAME

## RESTA LEADS AT N.Y.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The new Sheephead Bay course had a sensational opening today when Dario Resta, dashing around the two-mile oval at 104 miles an hour in his Peugeot, took an early lead in the 350-mile dash for the Astor cup.  
There was a crowd of 165,000. The cash prizes total \$50,000.

## SHINGLE MEN PLAN A BOOST

EVERETT, Oct. 9.—The largest gathering held by the shingle manufacturers of the Northwest, was that of the shingle branch of the West Coast Lumber Manufacturers' association in the Everett Commercial club yesterday afternoon. Seventy-five mill operators were present.  
Though there was an atmosphere of prosperity feeling over the assembly, the manufacturers all agreed that the time has come when they must stand shoulder to shoulder in a united effort to again put the business on a paying basis.  
The only solution is an advertising campaign on a scale to meet the competition of patent roofing manufacturers who are hurting the shingle business more than the tariff or any other factor, it was said.

## FIREPREVENTION DAY; OBSERVE IT

This is Fire Prevention day throughout the United States.  
The Safety First Federation of America, with headquarters in New York, has helped arrange programs, emphasizing the importance of preventing fire.  
"The individual is not apt to take fire prevention to heart if fire hasn't touched anything of his," says the federation, "but he should. In 1914 in the United States and Canada alone, \$235,591,350 (nearly a quarter of a billion dollars) worth of property was destroyed by fire. That means \$6 a year loss each, if divided between every man, woman and child in the two countries.  
"The biggest part of the gigantic loss could have been prevented, if the individual had been cautious."  
This Fire Prevention day is the anniversary of the great Chicago fire.

## CITY VIOLATES BUILDING CODE

The council again violated the fire and building code today by permitting a corrugated iron shack in the downtown district. On motion of Commissioner Mills, permit was granted to John Hamilton, florist, to erect a stand on 11th st. between Market and Broadway.  
Fawcett voted no.

## MODERN BUSINESS IDEAS

The Puget Sound State Bank has its books audited each year by an Auditing Committee, duly appointed by the Board of Directors, and supplemented by the assistance of Public Accountants.

The State Bank Examiner makes regular examinations. The office force is competent and active. This is only to indicate that every protection is thrown around the handling of the depositors' funds, and then the accommodations are extended to local people upon first-class notes and collateral.

H. N. TINKER,  
President.

## ALBERTSON TO CONTEST FOR SENATORSHIP



JUDGE ALBERTSON  
BY ABE HURWITZ.

SEATTLE, Oct. 9.—Judge Robert B. Albertson of the King county superior court will be a candidate for the United States senate in 1916 if there is any indication of popular demand for him.  
Asked for an interview today, he branded as untrue any statement to the effect that he had decided not to run.  
"I cannot say I will run or will not run," he summed up his position. "I shall await such time as I can judge whether there is a substantial request from the people for me to become a candidate."

This announcement falls like a bomb into the camp of a group of local politicians who were busy with press agent stories circulated outside Seattle to the effect that Seattle is solid for Congressman Will E. Humphrey, the standpat candidate for republican senatorial nomination who is opposing Senator Miles Poindexter, progressive.  
As a matter of fact, Humphrey will be lucky to break even with Poindexter in Seattle. With Judge Albertson in the race, Humphrey will not be able to do better than third in King county.  
With a record of 12 years on the bench, and never a word of criticism against his fairness, Judge Albertson is easily one of the most popular men in King county. He is also well known throughout the state, having been speaker of the house during one session and generally active in state affairs.  
On the other hand, Humphrey never has been a vote-getter in Seattle or King county. In 1910 there were four candidates, and Humphrey scraped through by 600 votes. In 1912, with Dan Landon against him in the republican primaries, he would have been easily defeated, but the organization of the progressive party saved him. In the three-cornered contest which followed Humphrey nosed Landon out by 400 votes in 120,000 cast. In 1914, Humphrey was again elected by a minority vote.  
It is due to Humphrey's extreme unpopularity here that even some standpatners are urging Judge Albertson to run. Judge Albertson has also been asked by many leading progressives, though Senator Poindexter, of course, has the progressive support generally.

## CLUBWOMEN BUY CLUBHOUSE SITE

Members of the Tacoma Woman's Club House association realized their ambition yesterday with the purchase of the option on the home used formerly by the University club.  
The site is large enough for the proposed auditorium which the women expect to build, and admirably located for club purposes.

## HAPPY AS KIDS

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 9.—Happy as children, the president and his fiancée today passed through here on their way to Philadelphia. Mrs. Galt, displaying an engaging ring, smilingly declared, "Isn't it perfectly beautiful?"

## SHAKING 5 CENT 'JUICE' LIKELY

REDUCTIONS in light rates to all consumers in Tacoma will be provided in a general rate ordinance to be introduced by the light department at Wednesday's council session.

The new rates, however, will not be so low as previously planned, it was intimated today, because of the council's recent juggling of the 1916 budget.  
By its juggling, the council cut down next year's light plant profits by at least \$30,000. With this expected lowering of profits, the plant cannot afford, according to a high light department official, to make as large cuts in rates as it had previously contemplated.

Commissioner Drake refused to discuss the new rates today.

He declared that the light department was just completing its work on estimating the extent of cuts to be made, and that he would give out no figures until next Tuesday.

It was intimated, however, that the residence rate, now 5 1/2 cents a kilowatt hour, would be cut to 5 cents. Originally, according to early announcements, it had been planned to cut off a full cent from the residence rate.

## GERMANS MOWED DOWN

PARIS, Oct. 9.—German forces captured the first line of trenches near Ligny in a desperate night attack, it was officially admitted.  
However, it was claimed that when the Germans attacked near Loos late yesterday, in three lines followed by many dense columns, whole companies were wiped out by a fearful artillery fire.

## NO VITAL CHANGES

PETROGRAD, Oct. 9.—The war office claimed today that the tide of battle around Dvinsk, where Field Marshal von Hindenburg is leading the invaders, has turned toward the Slavs. No vital changes in the position of the armies were claimed, however.

## DELAY ADVANCE

PARIS, Oct. 9.—Following the official statement from Nish that the Serbians have cut down the Danube, it was generally predicted that no further attempt will be made to penetrate the mountain fastnesses of Serbia until reinforcements arrive.

## FLASHES

**NISH**—The Bulgarian minister has left here, and a state of war is recognized.  
**VIENNA**—Serbian resistance to Austro-German invasion so far confined to harassments of operations. Teutonic invasion progresses.  
**AMSTERDAM**—Kaiser reported from Berlin about to leave for Serbia, to direct Balkan drive.  
**LONDON**—German subs get British vessels Silver Ash and Scawby.  
**ATHENS**—Officer by Germans, the bulk of Bulgaria's cavalry is concentrated 15 miles from the Serbian border.  
**WASHINGTON, D. C.**—Postoffice department says Parkersburg train robbery netted robbers less than \$100,000 in unsigned notes.  
**WHEELING, W. Va.**—Posse with bloodhounds rushes to Sissonville to take up new trail of supposed bandits.  
**INDIANAPOLIS**—With the closing of arguments by the prosecution, the last stage in the trial of Mayor Bell for alleged election frauds began today.

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C. F. Beutel with an unusually well balanced brain, fine business talents, a pushing nose, an incisive mind, clear and vigorous language, and an intensely available intellect. Nathan Levin has a poetical mind and ought to be conspicuous for perfected work.  
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## NO TRACE OF BANDITS

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 9.—The posses have returned from woods without locating the bandits who held up the Baltimore & Ohio train yesterday and escaped with a large amount of federal reserve bank notes, as well as unsigned currency.

The amount of swag is estimated variously at from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000, which would make it one of the largest robberies on record.

## GERMAN PAPERS HIT BERNSTORFF

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—German newspapers of the militaristic party decried the arrangements which Count von Bernstorff made with the United States in the Arabic case as shameful. Particularly, they denounce his willingness to take the word of the Arabic's British commander that there was no intention of ramming the sub.

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## Here's Latest "Prettiest Girl" of United States



PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 9.—The "prettiest girl in America"—and they call her "Gert!"—She's Gertrude Fischer, 19, just elected America's beauty by the national's photographers in a convention.  
And her beauty doesn't bother her.  
"Beauty of line amounts to nothing after the first 10 minutes; the only beauty that lasts is beauty of soul," she told a correspondent.  
Her wide, wonderful, gray blue eyes showed she meant it.  
She's 5 feet 8 inches and weighs 140; her nose is short, her mouth mischievous, and her voice like an angel's with a slight cold. She's pro-German and a suffragist. She wants to be a concert singer like Schumann-Heink—and to have lots of children.  
The "prettiest girl" has an elder sister, Mary. I thought Mary was the "prettiest girl" when she opened the door for me. I still think, if I was a man, I'd say "Me for Mary!"  
Gertrude thinks so, too.  
"Being called the prettiest girl isn't going to turn my head," she said.  
"I'll fall in love and get married, maybe; but it will be to a man who loves ME—my soul—myself—Gertrude Fischer—not the so-called 'prettiest girl!'"  
So saying, she photographed her favorite picture for Times readers, and showed me the door.

## HOME-RULE FIGHT TO GO TO PEOPLE

NORTH YAKIMA, Oct. 9.—The League of Washington Municipalities will submit to the initiative about Jan. 1 its "home rule" bill, granting cities the power to regulate public utilities that do business within their corporate limits. This decision was reached at the closing session. The league instructed its city attorneys to prepare a general home-rule bill giving cities wide and extensive powers that may not conflict with the so-called police power of the state as applied to peace, health and public welfare.

## What's Doing

**Today**  
Convict ship Success: Municipal dock; 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.  
"The Calling of Dan Matthews": Tacoma theater matinee and night.  
Young Men's Republican club: reception to Wesley L. Jones; Olympus hotel; 6 to 8 p. m.  
Illustrated lecture on Washington, D. C.; by Wesley L. Jones; before Hibernians and K. of C.; St. Leo's auditorium; 8:30 p. m.  
National highway between Morton and Mineral opened; Tacoma in celebration at Morton.  
Second game of world's series; Boston Red Sox and Phillies; at Philadelphia.  
**Tomorrow**  
South Tacoma Tigers start south for national championship series.  
German American league of Tacoma and Pierce county annual convention; Fraternity hall.  
Mrs. Deborah K. Livingston, national W. C. T. U. lecturer, speaks at Immanuel Presbyterian church; 10:30 a. m.  
Convict ship Success; last day in Tacoma; 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

## DOWN PHILLIES IN SPECTACULAR PITCHERS' DUEL

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—A mighty cheer rose from 20,000 fans today when President Wilson threw the first ball today from the box where he, his fiancée and the presidential party sat.  
His control was good, and once again the stands laughingly approved his aim. Mrs. Galt smiled delightedly.

After the first inning, when it looked as if the Red Sox would lose Mayer from his feet, the game was a pitching battle for several innings. Both Foster and Mayer were in invincible form. The heaviest hitters struck out or tapped easily to the infield.

**President Smiles Broadly.**  
Mrs. Galt was immensely pleased with the reception. The game was stopped while the ball that the president threw out was returned to him as a memento. He doffed his hat frequently, and smiled broadly at the enthusiasm of the reception.

**Hitters In Form.**  
Unlike yesterday's game, today's scores were due to the men expected to do the hitting. Boston's run in the first resulted from a walk by Hooper. Speaker's spanking single on which Hooper went to third, and Burns' error in dropping the ball at the plate, when Hooper and Speaker attempted a double steal.

In the fifth, two resounding doubles by Cravath and Luderus scored the big home-run king with the Phillies' first run, tying the score.  
Boston had a chance to score in the fifth when Foster, two down, doubled and Hooper walked. But Scott fled out.

**Foster Wins Own Game.**  
Boston won in the ninth when Gardner singled, took second on Janverin's out, and scored on Foster's single.

|              | B  | R | H  | P  | O  | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|----|----|----|---|---|
| Hooper, rf   | 3  | 1 | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Scott, ss    | 3  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 3  | 0 |   |
| Speaker, cf  | 4  | 0 | 1  | 3  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Hobitzel, 1b | 4  | 0 | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Lewis, lf    | 4  | 0 | 1  | 1  | 2  | 0 |   |
| Gardner, 3b  | 4  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 2  | 0 |   |
| Barry, 2b    | 4  | 0 | 1  | 0  | 3  | 0 |   |
| Thomas, c    | 3  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Foster, p    | 4  | 0 | 3  | 3  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Cady, c      | 0  | 0 | 0  | 2  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Janverin, ss | 1  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |   |
| *Hendricksen | 1  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |   |
| Totals       | 35 | 2 | 10 | 27 | 10 | 0 |   |

\*Ran for Thomas in seventh.

|              | A  | B | R | H  | P  | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|---|---|
| Stock, 3b    | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 2  | 0 |   |   |
| Bancroft, ss | 4  | 0 | 1 | 2  | 2  | 0 |   |   |
| Paskert, cf  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Cravath, rf  | 3  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Luderus, 1b  | 3  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Whitted, lf  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 2  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Niehoff, 2b  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 4  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Mayer, p     | 3  | 0 | 0 | 6  | 3  | 0 |   |   |
| Burns, c     | 3  | 0 | 0 | 1  | 2  | 0 |   |   |
| Totals       | 30 | 1 | 3 | 27 | 10 | 1 |   |   |

**PHILADELPHIA**  
Stock, 3b ... 4 0 0 0 2 0  
Bancroft, ss ... 4 0 1 2 2 0  
Paskert, cf ... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
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Mayer, p ... 3 0 0 6 3 0  
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**SCORE BY INNINGS**  
Boston—  
Runs ... 1000000001—3  
Hits ... 210110302—10  
Philadelphia—  
Runs ... 000010000—1  
Hits ... 000021000—3  
Summary: Two base hits—  
Foster, Cravath, Luderus. Base on balls—By Mayer 2. Struck out, by Mayer—Lewis (2), Hooper (2), Barry, Foster, Scott; by Foster—Bancroft (2), Cravath (2), Burns, Mayer, Niehoff, Luderus.

## ARREST STUDENT AS GERMAN SPY

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Information was received here yesterday that Kenneth G. Triest, a 19-year-old Princeton student, was being held in London as a German spy.  
W. G. Triest, his father, has presented information to Secretary Lansing to show his son was mentally unbalanced.

## BIGGEST SHIPMENT IS FROM THIS STATE

The biggest shipment of lumber sent from the Pacific coast has arrived in Baltimore, where it is to be used to put up a plant for the United States Industrial Alcohol company. This shipment consists of huge spruce logs which if placed end to end would reach from Baltimore to Chicago. It contains 3,000,000 feet of lumber and came in 17 days. It comes from a Grays Harbor lumber company of Hoquiam, Wash.

| TODAY'S CLEARINGS |               |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Clearings         | \$ 399,522.00 |
| Balances          | 67,922.50     |
| Transactions      | 1,221,922.50  |