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IMMENSE BRIDGE FALLS; 27 KILLED

A Prominent Seattleite Views the Ruins



FIRE ON S. S. BEAVER EXTINGUATION

(United Press Leased Wire) SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—The steamer Beaver, Portland to San Francisco, with 150 passengers on board, came into the Golden Gate today on time and safely after a fire in the lower hold had been subdued by the crew.

FLASHES

(United Press Leased Wire) CHICAGO.—The wheat market scored fractional gains a few minutes after the start but dropped when bears threw considerable wheat on the market, Sept. selling at 151 1/4, Dec. down 1/4 at 153, and May down 1/4 at 153 1/4.

BELGIAN BOY ASKS FOR 'GODMOTHER'

(United Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Anatole Wauters, 20-year-old Belgian boy, a soldier in the army of King Albert, wants an American "god mother."

T. R. OUT OF DATE, SAYS IDA TARBELL

(United Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Theodore Roosevelt is out of date, Ida Tarbell, magazine writer and economist, said today in declaring for President Wilson.

WILSON IS FLYED BY HIS COUSIN

(United Press Leased Wire) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 11.—President Wilson was flown from the pulpit of the Pilgrim Congregational church by his own kin yesterday.

REPORT WILCOX 'RIDING THE BULL'

(United Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Vigorous denials of reports that there was dissatisfaction with the work of Chairman Wilcox of the Republican national committee, was made at headquarters today.

SECOND WRECK OF KIND

(United Press Leased Wire) MONTREAL, Sept. 11.—The central span of the Quebec bridge, which has been under construction for many years and which was to link up the Canadian transcontinental railway system from Halifax to Vancouver, fell today as it was being placed in position, killing at least 25 workmen.

PLAN FOUR BREAD PROBES AT ONCE

(United Press Leased Wire) CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Four investigations into the proposed increased price of bread was planned here today.

LOVE ALLEE SAMEE AS STROKING CAT

(United Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Love is only a chemical reaction; you can get the same sensation by stroking a cat.

TODAY'S CLEARINGS

Clearings \$454,182.24 Balances 101,750.53 Total 555,932.77

Do Not Let Petty Bosses Bluff You

BY THE EDITOR. Every independent, free-minded, forward-looking citizen in the state on Tuesday is going to call for a republican ballot and vote it. Not because the republican party has any monopoly on free-mindedness, independence or progressiveness; oh, my no! But because the real civic battle of Tuesday is to be fought out in the republican primary.

GOING BACK TO FIGHT NAVY LEAGUE LAWSUIT

By Mabel Abbott. "What about the war, Mr. Ford?" asked one of the group of reporters who met the O. W. train at the Tacoma station to which the private car of Henry Ford was attached, at noon Monday.

WILL FIGHTSUIT

(United Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—Henry Ford, peace advocate, really doesn't mind a fight. Agreeing today to come to Washington to defend a suit for \$100,000 brought against him by the Navy league, Ford took on an unnecessary court scrap, his attorneys advised him.

POINDEXTER PRAISED BY STATE MANUFACTURERS

The Manufacturers' association in the latest organization to show that Senator Poindexter has been "senator for all the people."

Talk o' the Times

Greetings, have you a ticket in your home? Who's running for wreckmaster, doggone it! We can't find any on the official ballot. Edgar C. Wheeler says E. B. Brockway has two bugs and loves fishing. Does he use them for bait?

Film Tells Story of Terrible Vice Probe

BY FREDWIE FILM. Mothers and fathers who have scoffed at stories of white slavery and the "vice trust" will pucker up their brows in bewildered dismay after witnessing the great sociological drama, "The Little Girl Next Door," which is playing a week's engagement at the Apollo.