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SEAS' KISS TO BE NOISY ALL ALONG PACIFIC COAST

Gamboua Dike, Last Barrier in Panama Canal, to be Blown Out Tomorrow. MARSHFIELD INDUSTRIES TO JOIN IN CELEBRATION Biggest Noise World Has Ever Known Will Mark Finish of Big Waterway.

CUT FILLING RAPIDLY. PANAMA, Oct. 9.—Culebra Cut is filling with water so rapidly that all previous calculations have been upset. The cut will be filled to the level of Lake Gatun by October 10, the date fixed for the destruction of the Gamboua dike by dynamite.

Getting Ready for Noise. The Pacific Coast is drawing its breath ready to give a cheer that will roar from Vancouver to Colon at the instant tomorrow that the dike at Culebra Cut is blown up and the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans are finally united.

NO CELEBRATION HERE With the exception of possibly some special blowing of whistles at the mills in Marshfield and North Bend, there will be no celebration of the completion of the Panama canal here tomorrow. North Bend parties were talking of having Marshfield and North Bend unite in some big doings, but it was called off.

PERSONAL OVERFLOW J. E. WALSTROM, of Bandon, is in Marshfield on business. CLARKE FENSLER, of Myrtle Point was in Marshfield on business yesterday.

JUDGE HALL went to Coquille today to hold a special session of County Court. O. A. MINTOYNE, of Coquille, is in Marshfield on matters connected with the street improvement contract which his firm recently got at North Bend, but over which there is more or less trouble.

G. W. KAUFMAN arrived home today from a business and pleasure trip to Spokane and Seattle. Mrs. Kaufman and daughter, will return later.

CLOSE CALL IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Foster Elliott and Troupe Have Harrowing Experience on Curry County Road. Word has been received here of the almost miraculous escape of the Foster Elliott theatrical troupe, en route up the coast from Eureka to Coos County, in an auto accident in Curry County. Their machine skidded off the muddy road on a high grade below Port Orford and slid down the hillside for 500 feet.

MANY ARRIVE ON BREAKWATER Steamer in From Portland Early Today—Had Big Cargo of Freight. The Breakwater arrived in early today from Portland with a large list of passengers and a capacity cargo of freight.

LET US TALK IT OVER

OSWALD has given utterance to another of his oafish "ouches!" He has had another attack of Coos County I. W. W.-itis and has howled in a way that he hopes will strike horror into human hearts from Harney to Tillamook. Peeved and piqued because his special investigators, grand jurors and others would not pervert facts to conform with his opinions and issue a report that would vindicate his vainglorious grandstanding the Governor gives vent to his personal spleen and spite in a malicious attack on C. A. Smith and Al Powers.

With his customary love of the limelight, Oswald makes an alleged public duty the vehicle of his vanity. Summoning a Portland Journal reporter to his presence he strikes an attitude and declaims: "Watch me throw the javelin of defiance at C. A. Smith and hurl the harpoon of hate into Al Powers!" "Great stuff," says the Journal reporter, "we'll put it on first page with big headlines and it will bring down the galleries."

This is the way Oregon's Governor goes about the affairs of state. Personal pique, passion and prejudice are his guides instead of duty. If Oswald West had information that led him to believe the law had been violated it was his duty to summon the Attorney General and instruct him to commence action. It was not his place to send a telegram to the alleged offenders requesting a private conference at the Statehouse. It was not part of his duty to drag in the name of a private citizen who was in no way connected with it. It was deplorable to make public allegation of "out-law activities" that had been legally and openly disproved and which he knew or should know were disproved.

What would Governor West think of Sheriff Gage, if after he discovered some one had violated the law he would send a message asking a conference instead of informing the Prosecuting Attorney? But that's exactly what the Governor has done. The whole proceeding savors of the childish capering of an egotist rather than the dignified and decorous action of the Governor of a state. If Mr. Powers proceeds with his action for libel he will have the sympathy and support of this entire community. Public sentiment is unanimous that in his last outbreak Governor West has gone too far and should be called to account.

ATHLETICS SWAMP NEW YORK UNDER FUSILLADE OF HITS

CATCHERS OF OPPOSING CLUBS

Comparison of Receiving Staffs of New York and Philadelphia Teams. [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The catchers of the New York Giants and Philadelphia Athletics are playing an important part in the battle for the world's championship in baseball, and the managers of the rival clubs are fortunate in having dependable players for the position behind the plate. Connie Mack has Schang, Lapp and Thomas to use as his judgment dictates, and McGraw in Meyers, McLean and Wilson, has an opposing squad of catchers, who, viewed in a broad manner, suffer little, if any, when compared with the Philadelphia wearers of the mit and mask.

Meyers and Schang appear to have first place for the position with McLean and Lapp second choice and Wilson and Thomas as third string catchers. Meyers and Schang will be called upon to do the brunt of the work barring illness or accident, and therefore are first to be considered in a comparison of the catching strength of the two clubs. From an offensive standpoint, Meyers is the better player of the two, due to his ability as a batter. The big Indian has an unofficial record of .310 for 115 games this season as against .259 for Schang in 75 games. On the bases, the Philadelphia backstop is a faster man, but this asset is more or less nullified by the fact that Meyers gets to the initial bag more frequently than his chief rival in the world's series. Both are accurate and fast in throwing to the bases, but the Athletic youngster has a margin over Meyers in this respect, for he shoots to second with less apparent exertion and more speed.

SUMMING UP IN SULZER CASE

Final Vote on Eight Impeachment Articles Will Begin Next Tuesday. [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] ALBANY, Oct. 9.—Final arguments held the stage in the Sulzer impeachment trial today. Attorneys for each side were allotted five hours for summing up addresses. It is believed that at the end of the arguments Friday night, the Court will adjourn over Monday, which is Columbus Day, until Tuesday. Then the voting on the constitutional objections to the impeachment articles brought by the attorneys for the defense, and the impeachment articles themselves, will begin. A final vote will be taken separately on each of the eight articles, if all of them are allowed to stand.

VERIFY REPORT OF EXECUTIONS

Mexican Officials Officially Notified of Execution of Federal Officers. [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] MEXICO CITY, Oct. 9.—Confirmation of the execution by rebels at Torreon of General Alvarez, with his staff and a number of federal soldiers has been received by the War Department from unofficial sources. General Alvarez had started for Durango when he was defeated and his artillery captured by the rebels. Will Court Martial Generals. The evacuation of the city of Torreon by the federal troops was confirmed today by Minister of the Interior Aldeape, who declared that General Truay Aubert, the Federal commander, with Generals Munguia, Ignacio Braco and Escudero, is now at Hipolito, near Saltillo. The latter three commanders, Aldeape says, will undergo a court martial for the evacuation of Torreon.

ART COLLECTION FOR NEW YORK

Millionaire Merchant Leaves Famous Works of Art to City—\$10,000,000. [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The famous art collection of Benjamin Altman, a dry goods merchant who died yesterday, probably will go to the city under the terms of his will, his friends say. He was a bachelor. The collection is valued at \$10,000,000.

ASK PARDON FOR BECHTOLD

Petitions to Governor West for Clemency for North Bend Offender. Petitions asking Gov. West to parole Frank Bechtold, who recently was sentenced to one to five years at Salem, are in circulation in North Bend and Marshfield. W. J. Ritz is circulating it here today and it is largely signed. It is pointed out that since Hawley Brigham, who was with Bechtold, was paroled by the Court, that it would be only fair to Bechtold to be given a chance too. It is stated that Bechtold was a stranger here. Bechtold was involved in the robbery of a North Bend pool room.

AMONG THE SICK

J. V. Hodson of North Bend, who has been very ill for weeks past, is reported to be improving rapidly. J. Brockmuller, who has been ill at the Mercy Hospital for the past seven weeks, is rapidly improving. It is expected he will be able to leave the hospital in a couple of weeks. ORDER a sack of HAINES FLOUR today.

Find Tesreau for Five Runs in the First Two Innings of Today's Game.

BUSH AND COLLINS THE STARS FOR PHILADELPHIA

8-2 Tells the Story—Play in Philadelphia Tomorrow—Attendance 35,000. [By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Philadelphia swamped New York today under a fusillade of hits, defeating the Giants 8 to 2. Bush's fine pitching, together with Collins' hitting and sparkling defense work and long four-base smash, were the bright features of the Athletics' game.

Tesreau was found for five runs in the first two innings. Bush allowed only five hits. Doyle made a scintillating double play unassisted in the seventh inning. The two clubs will play in Philadelphia tomorrow. The attendance today was over 35,000. The scores: Phila 3 2 0 0 0 2 1 0—8 N. Y. 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—2 R. H. E. Philadelphia 8 12 1 New York 2 5 1

Game by Innings.

First Inning—(first half)—Tesreau's curve broke over the plate for a strike. His second pitch was a ball. Fletcher threw out Murphy at first. The ball beat the runner by only a step. Tesreau had plenty of speed and broke to the ball. Oldring singled when Tesreau sent up a floater. Collins took a strike, putting the batter in a hole. Collins singled over second. Oldring goes to third. Baker missed first one. Baker missed second one by a foot. Oldring scored on Baker's single to left. Collins being held at second. Tesreau put over a strike on McInnis. Collins and Baker made a double steal, putting them on third and second respectively. McLean dropped Tesreau's pitch. McInnis struck out. McLean to Merkle. Collins and Baker scored when Fletcher took Strunk's grounder and threw wildly to grandstand. Strunk went to second on the play. Barry popped to Fletcher. Three runs, three hits and one error.

Second Inning—(first half)—Schang struck out, being unable to gauge Tesreau's spitter. Bush fied out to Murray. Murphy beat out hit to short, Fletcher making a nice stop on the grass, but could not get his man at first. Oldring got his second single to right, sending Murphy to third. Oldring stole

SUTHERLIN LOSS \$20,000

Building and Stock of Mercantile Co. Destroyed by Fire. SUTHERLIN, Ore., Oct. 9.—Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the store of the Sutherlin Mercantile Company, causing a loss of \$20,000, on which there was an insurance of \$15,000.

Along the Waterfront.

The tug Gleaner brought in a big shipment of butter from Gardiner this morning and will take back a cargo of general merchandise. The Grace Dollar arrived in at Bandon from San Francisco yesterday.

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