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WORLD CHAMPIONS

Chicago Wins Fifth Game of Series From Detroit

OVERALL SCORES SHUTOUT

Democratic Campaign Fund to be Made Public Tomorrow—Steamer on Sound Catches Fire

Special to the Evening Review.

DETROIT, Oct. 14.—By defeating Detroit this afternoon, Chicago for the second successive time won the world's baseball championship. The score was 2 to 0, and it was Chicago's fourth victory out of five games played of a schedule of seven. "Wild Bill" Donovan, the leading pitcher of the American League, occupied the box for Detroit. Overall did the box work for Chicago. He pitched a splendid game and received errorless support.

Chicago registered one run in the first inning. Evers and Schulte singled, and Chance followed with another safe drive, sending Evers home, Chicago's second run came in the sixth. Kling walked, went to second on Overall's sacrifice and then scored on a single by Evers.

Campaign Fund Publicity.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The list of subscriptions to the national Democratic campaign fund will be published tomorrow by Treasurer Herman Ridder. There will be six or seven exceptions, where the amounts are insignificant. The biggest individual contribution came from Charles Murphy, the Tammany leader.

Steamer Catches Fire.

SEATTLE, Wash., Otc. 14.—The steamer Utopia, enroute from Bellingham, caught fire off Apple Tree Cove early this morning, and in order to save the lives of the passengers Captain Hansen beached the boat. The fire spread quickly from the galley, where it originated, and many passengers sitting or sleeping near the galley narrowly escaped with their lives.

FREE MAIL DELIVERY.

For Roseburg as Soon as Houses are Properly Numbered.

Postal Inspector Thos. J. Flavin, of Spokane, was in Roseburg this morning looking into the matter of the establishment of a free mail delivery system in this city, which has been under discussion here for several months past. He found the conditions here fully justify such a system, so far as the business transacted by the Roseburg postoffice is concerned, and as heretofore stated at various times in The Review. The annual business has exceeded the minimum figure of $10,000 required for a free delivery office, and is now considerably above that sum.

Before departing Mr. Flavin announced that as soon as the necessary numbering of the houses and placing the names of the streets at the corner of each block is complied with he will recommend that the free delivery service be established. It is probable that he will file a favorable report on the matter at an early date and he may recommend therein that the service be established as soon as the local requirements are complied with.

In a number of instances better sidewalks and crosswalks must b laid in ordr to assure regular delivery service in some localities.

It is now up to the city council to "get busy" and have the street names properly bulletined at each street crossing, and order the houses consecutively numbered in compliance with some system adopted for that purpose.

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Farmers, mechanics, railroaders, laborers, rely on Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Takes the sting out of cuts, burns or bruises at once. Pain cannot stay where it is used.

TWO ARE INDICTED

Violations of Local Option Law are Alleged

SMITH LOSES DAMAGE SUIT

Instructed Verdict For S. P. Co.—$600 Commission Case on Trial This Afternoon

Two indictments on charges of violating the local option law were filed by the grand jury in the circuit court here this morning. The indictees are J. Falbe, a local restaurant keeper, and Scott Jefferson, a hotel keeper at Yoncalla. Falbe was arraigned before Judge Hamilton this afternoon and took until tomorrow morning to plead, furnishing $500 bail for his liberty in the meantime. Jefferson will be brought here on the local train this evening and will arraigned either two hours afterwards or tomorrow morning. The grand jury is still grinding away, and it is rumored that more indictments for alleged violations of the local option law will follow tomorrow.

S. P. Co Wins Damage Case.

Acting on instructions from Judge Hamilton, the jury in the case of Lewis N. Smith against the Southern Pacific Company returned a verdict for the defense without leaving their seats. Smith sued the company for $1000 damages for injuries sustained by being struck by a switch engine while employed as a section hand in the yards here in January, 1906. The defense of the company was that Smith's injuries were due to his own negligence; that the engine which struck him sounded its bell and whistle in timely warning of its approach, and that

REGISTER NOW, IT'S YOUR DUTY.

Have you registered?

If not, don't fail to do so without delay.

This is an important matter and should not be overlooked. Every good citizen of Oregon should vote at the coming general election, but it will be impossible to do so unless your name appears on the registration lists. There are yet some hundreds of residents of Douglas county who have so far failed to register.

From now until next Tuesday the registration books will be kept open.

the section foreman, H. Faulkner, shouted to him repeatedly to get out of the way. Tuesday evening the defense presented a motion for a non-suit, on the ground that the plaintiff had plainly failed to prove his case. This morning Judge Hamilton overruled the motion and allowed the plaintiff to present additional evidence. This was followed by the introduction of evidence on part of the defense and rebuttal by the plaintiff, after which cousel for the railroad company moved for an instructed verdict, which was granted. Counsel for the plaintiff has taken 20 days in which to file a bill of exceptions.

Commission Case on Trial.

This afternoon a jury of eleven eleven men is hearing the case of L. A. Daugherty against R. W. Long, an action for $600 claimed as commission by the plaintiff for selling, so he alleges, Long's farm near Yoncalla for $12,000. The defense claims that Daugherty was not engaged to sell the farm, neither was he instrumental in bringing about the deal. Daugherty is represented by the firm of Dufur & Carter, of Portland. Coshow & Rice represent the defendant.

Mortgage Foreclosures.

113. H. S. Donnell, O. J. Donnell and A. J. Volk, plffs., vs. Cordilleres Mines Co., a corporation, defts.; foreclosure of mortgage. H. D. Norton for plff. Judgment for plff. for $12,500, with $776.70 interest and $750 attys. fee; attached property ordered sold.

152. J. S. Dunnavin, John Hall and N. Selig, plffs., vs. Laura Daugherty, deft.; to foreclose mortgage. B. J. Howland for plffs. Judgment for plaintiffs for $785.92 and $75 atty. fees; sale of attached property ordered.

New Case Filed.

A new case was filed in the circuit court this afternoon, the First National Bank of Roseburg vs. W. .. Brosi and C. M. Rummage; an action for $137.80, alleged to be due on a promissory note.

Sheriff Fenton filed certificate of an attachment of 160 acres of timber land in sec. 34, 31-4, belonging to G. W. Marvin, on a suit filed in Lake county by A. H. Henson.

$500,000 FIRE AT BLAINE.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Oct. 13.—Fire, started by incendiaries, last night, destroyed the entire plant of the H. L. Jenkins Lumber Company, at Blaine, Wash., valued at $500,000 and threatened for several hours to wipe out the entire waterfront of Blaine, carrying with it two other valuable mills, the plants of two canning companies and the city dock.

BASEBALL HEARTS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Death from heart disease increased last week, due, the health department physicians say, to the acute baseball situation.

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Last night's downpour of rain reached a total of 1.91 inches, as reported by Observer Thos. Gibson, of the U. S. weather bureau office in this city. That total has been decidedly increased by the heavy showers today. Coming after an unusually prolonged period of dry weather this soaking rain is welcomed all over the state and will do a vast amount of good.

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YEAR'S APPLE CROP

Estimated at 62,500,000 Bushels in United States

ABOUT EQUAL TO LAST YEAR

The Banner Crop Was Produced in 1896, Reaching Enormous Output of 172,675,000 Bushels

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct 14.—If the apples harvested in the commercial orchards of the United States this year were converted into pies, the army of bakers needed to do this work would turn out 6,250,000,000 of them, and these placed side by side would make a path of almost 975,000 miles. The total weight of this mountain of pastry is estimated at 9,250,000,000 pounds, including 6,125,000,000 pounds of flour, lard and other ingredients in the popular American after-dinner dessert, requiring 154,166 cars of standard capacity to transport them from the ovens to the consumers.

Twenty-five million barrels, or 62,500,000 bushels, is the estimated yield this season, according to reports received by Harry J. Neely, secretary of the National Apple Show at Spokane, from 15,000 growers operating in the various belts of the union.

The returns show that while droughts, excessive rains or pests wrought havoc in many districts in the middle-western, eastern and several southern states, the entire crop is fully as large as in 1907, and it is better distributed. Prices also are higher than last year. However, the domestic supply is smaller than at any time since 1895, for the reason that the demands of the export trade are heavier and increasing yearly.

Reports from a majority of the growers indicate that the condition of summer and fall apples is the best, but that in numerous districts the winter varieties are not up to the standard. This, it is stated ,is true in Maryland, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana and Arkansas, while Massachusetts will harvest less than a 50 per cent crop. Connecticut, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont report as much fruit as in 1907, but the crop in Maine will be smaller than it was last year. However, the quality is fair in most of the districts.

While the yield in Niagara belt is reported to be holding up well, the state of New York as a whole will not produce more than 50 per cent of its normal crop, the cause assigned for this being heavy rains and lack of spraying at the proper time. The crop in New Jersey is fair. Reports from Ohio give estimates ranging from 20 per cent of a full crop to 75 per cent, it being added that in most parts of the state the yield is better than in 1907, though the crop of winter apples is light.

The crop in Michigan is estimated at from less than 20 per cent to 75 per cent, according to locality. Pennsylvania's yield is short in some districts, following a large crop in most varieties in 1907. The growers expect to harvest a 25 per cent crop of good quality fruit throughout the state. Virginia and West Virginia each report about a half crop. The quality is good and prices will be a shade higher than last season.

Kansas has a little better than a third crop, which is reported to be better than in 1907, while Kentucky reports a light yield, which, it is added, however, is better in most districts than last season. The yield in Iowa and Nebraska also is smaller than in 1907. Iowa reports a 25 per cent crop of varying quality, while Nebraska growers say that the yield will be about 50 per cent in the favored districts, but that the quality is below the standard.

Orchardists in the Carolinas are harvesting fairly good crops, and Tennessee will have a yield of from 30 to 35 per cent of fall and winter apples of good grade. It is reported that the yield is better than in 1907 in most of the districts. Crops are also light in Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama and Texas and Oklahoma each have a little better than a 25 per cent crop of medium quality fruit. Reports from Minnesota, Wisconsin, the Dakotas and Wyoming are not complete, but indications are the yield will be fully as large as in 1907. The grade is fair to good, with choice fruit in some of the favored districts.

The northwestern and Pacific states report crops of fair quality and quantity. California leads the list with a normal yield, while Colorado, Oregon and Idaho have yields ranging from 65 to 85 per cent in the order named. Utah also has a good yield with larger acreage than in previous years. Growers in Washington report that in most districts, notably the Yakima, Wenatchee, Prosser, Spokane and Okanogan valleys,

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CALLED ON ROOSEVELT.

Puter Gets Promise of Strong Counsel to Wrest Lands From Smith.

PORTLAND, Or., Oct. 13.—S. A. D. Puter has returned from Washington, D. C., with the assurance from the department of justice that able legal counsel will be assigned to this state to assist United States Attorney McCourt in prosecuting the suits brought by the government to recover nearly 15,000 acres of valuable timber land in Linn county alleged to have been acquired unlawfully by C. A. Smith, the Minnesota millionaire. These suits were filed in the United States court in this city May 25 last. Some of the lands involved in the pending suits were included among those illegally acquired by Puter and his confederates and afterwards transferred to the Minnesota man.

"While in Washington I called on President Roosevelt personally and presented the facts surrounding the Smith lands," said Mr. Puter, yesterday. "The president appeared greatly interested and assured me of his co-operation in every possible way in any steps that might be taken to restore this land to the government. I also presented the matter to George W. Woodruff, assistant attorney-general, who told me that the department of justice would send Judge Pugh to this state to assist District Attorney McCourt in preparing the case for trial. I was also informed that if it is possible, Francis J. Heney or some other man acquainted with land conditions in this state would be sent to Oregon to assist in presenting the case to the court when it comes up for trial. In the suits to cancel patents which are now pending in the courts, there are involved 90 claims of 160 acres each, and aggregating 14,400 acres.

Pugh a Man of Experience.

Judge Pugh, who is to assist District Attorney McCourt was assistant to District Attorney Baker, who prosecuted successfully the Hyde-Benson landfraud trials in Washington last summer.

It was in connection with the unlawful acquisition of a portion of these lands that Mr. Puter was convicted on a charge of perjury and sentenced to two years in jail, being pardoned by President Roosevelt before his term had expired. He is now naturally interested in any proceedings which may be brought and prosecuted by the government to restore these lands to the public domain.

In presenting the facts attending the improper seizure of the Smith lands, Mr. Puter submitted to the president, and the department of justice, a statement detailing the operations of Smith in this state. That statement says in part:

In the Spring of 1900, C. A. Smith, a multi-millionaire lumberman of Minneapolis, Minn., F. A. Kribs, his Pacific coast agent, and S. A. D. Puter, of Portland, Or., entered into an agreement whereby the latter was to locate a group of entrymen on a large tract of timber in Linn county, Or., in the interest of Smith who was to furnish all necessary funds, with the understanding that deeds to the various tracts thus acquired were to be made to whomsoever he might designate.

Soon after the lands had been filed on, Smith, Kribs and Puter made personal inspection thereof, and upon this occasion Smith directed Puter relative to the method of transferring the titles. Smith furnished the money with which to pay for the lands when final proofs were made, and all the entrymen, in accordance with instructions from him, thereupon executed deeds in favor of John A. Wild, of Minneapolis, Minn, a stockholder in the C. A. Smith Lumber Company, of that place, and likewise a relative of Smith's. At the same time each claim was mortgaged to F. A. Kribs for $600. The deeds to Wild were not recorded until ten days after final proofs were made, but the mortgages to Kribs were placed on record immediately thereafter.

C. A. Smith has upon several occasions been indicted by Federal grand juries in Minnesota and else-

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MINERS ENTOMBED

Explosion in Silesia Costs Nearly 200 Lives

FIRE STOPS RESCUE WORK

Two Engineers Killed in Collision on Rio Grande Road—Today's Record of Tragedies

Special to the Evening Review.

VIENNA, Oct. 14.—Nearly 200 miners are entombed and probably burned to death as the result of an explosion in the Koenig coal mine in the province of Silesia today. Fire followed immediately after the explosion, cutting off the work of rescue. Six bodies, burned almost beyond recognition, have been recovered. It is supposed that coal dust caused the explosion.

Wreck on Rio Grande Road.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 14.—Two men were killed and several other injured in a head-on collision of freight trains on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad today. The dead are the two engineers, T. J. Loftus and W. McAleer. The collision occurred at the head of a dangerous curve at the Jordan narrows.

Speaks for Itself.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Oct. 14.—John Lambert, a street car conductor, and Mrs. Myrtie Claire were found lying on the woman's bed today fatally wounded from bullets fired by the woman. Mrs. Claire died on the way to the hospital, and there is no hope for the man.

Mother Grundy to Blame.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Anna Johannsen, a domestic in the home of James D. Ruggles, paying teller of the Bank of California, committed suicide last night because a servant in the adjoining home circulated tales derogatory to her character. Disrobing herself, Miss Johannsen lay face downward in a bathtub filled with water and drowned herself.

Death of a Hero.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14—While trying to save the lives of others, W. McBeth, of Seattle, quartermaster of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co's. ship Umatilla, fell in the hold of the ship last night and was killed. The hold had been fumigated with sulphur, the fumes of which are deadly. The hatches were ordered opened, and McBeth, remembering that some of the crew were sleeping near the hatches, rushed to arouse them and fell into the hold.

ACTIVE FOR GOOD ROADS.

Series of Conventions Being Held in Eastern Oregon.

PORTLAND, Or., Oct. 13.—A series of good roads conventions began throughout the state yesterday and will continue until late October. Eastern Oregon is the scene of the latest gatherings in the interest of good roads, where the people are setting actively to work to improve the highways. There was a convention at Dufur yesterday, another will be held at The Dalles today. Other dates for good roads conventions are as follows: October 15, Wasco; October 16, Grass Valley; October 17, Condon; October 20, Arlington; October 22, Pendleton; October 23, La Grande; October 26, Baker City.

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