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BOURNE'S IDEA MAY BEAR FRUIT

"THIRD TERMERS" THINK A VICTORY IS AHEAD.

Taft's Memorial Day Address at General Grant's Tomb, Where He Referred to the Great Soldier's Drunkenness, May Result in the Defeat of Ohio's Favorite Son—Taft Enemies and Adherents of the Third-Term Idea Working Hard.

Chicago, June 3.—President Roosevelt may be the next nominee of the republican party. A sudden life has been injected into the presidential boom of favorite sons by the belief that Taft can be defeated on the issue of his remarkable memorial day address at Grant's tomb, in which he referred to Grant's drunkenness.

"Second elective termers" are busy trying to force Roosevelt to accept the nomination if he sees that Taft is sure to be defeated.

The fight is on today in a dozen different quarters. News from Indianapolis this morning shows the plans of the alliance to defeat Taft. Hitchcock soon breaks ahead. He hurried here personally to direct the fight. Speaker Cannon, who was on his way home in a touring car, heard the news and hurriedly left his machine for a fast train. Hemenway, Fairbanks' manager, with Cannon, also abandoned the auto. Hughes boomers and the Knox managers are using every means to make the most of the peculiar situation. The speech is to be mentioned at every opportunity on the floor of the convention.

PRESIDENT'S HORSE FALLS.

While Riding Yesterday Roosevelt Has
Fall But is Not Badly Hurt.

Washington, June 3.—It has become known here that Roosevelt was thrown from a young horse and narrowly escaped death yesterday afternoon in Rock Creek park. The president saved his life by quickly turning to one side as the horse fell. The president, when the story came out, said: "It really didn't amount to much and is hardly worth printing. I am not injured at all seriously."

Mrs. Roosevelt was with the president and saw the accident. She is an expert horsewoman, and would have aided her husband if she could have reached him in time. Sergeant McDermott, an orderly, was closer.

FIGHT AGAINST LID.

Reno in Throes of Bitter Fight Over
Saloon Question.

Reno, Nev., June 3.—An organized campaign against an attempt to "put

the lid on" Reno, the largest town in the United States which is run wide open, started at a secret meeting of the open element. The gamblers are willing to spend a fortune to keep the town open. The city council has decided to submit the license question to the people at a special election in October.

Mikado Buys Paper.

Tokio, June 3.—Editor Bethell, the Englishman, who has been publishing the Korean Daily News at Seoul, has been bought off by the Japanese government. The paper was objectionable to Japan, which could not do anything because Bethell claimed the protection of the British flag. A money consideration was finally the means of

MORE MARINES SENT TO PANAMA

CABINET STRUGGLES WITH PANAMA ELECTION WAR.

Much Interest Manifest in the Troubles in the Republic of Panama Over the Coming Election—More Marines to Be Sent—May Become Necessary to Send Controlling Power into the Republic—Danger to Canal Works Great.

Washington, June 3.—The publication by the United Press of dispatches telling of the crisis in the republic of Panama has aroused great interest here. It has been announced today that 200 additional marines have been ordered to the isthmus immediately, with orders to protect American property and to help keep order at the election.

It is also planned to have a detail of sailors if conditions are not improved before election time.

Almost the entire cabinet meeting yesterday was devoted to a discussion of Panama and the possible necessity of the United States taking control of the country, though nothing was given out.

The danger to the canal works is of utmost importance and the situation will be closely watched.

AUTO ACCIDENT PORTLAND RACE

MAY MAR ATTRACTION OF TOMORROW'S EVENTS.

Seattle Automobile Racer Meets Fatal Accident While Running Over the Course of Tomorrow's Races—The Wheels Strike Soft Ground and Turn Turtle—One Other Driver is Hurt But He Will Recover—Folberth Not Expected to Survive.

Portland, Ore., June 3.—Pinned into his seat by the steering wheel, William Folberth, a professional automobile racer of Seattle, was fatally injured when his car rolled completely over three times last night, and he is not expected to live through the day. George McCartney, another racer, was also seriously injured, but is expected to survive.

Folberth and McCartney were running over the course of the Oregon road races to be held here when the accident occurred. Folberth had driven over the course in the afternoon and was running his machine at a mile an hour when he attempted to take a curve on the road to the 12-mile road house.

Workmen who had been putting the course in shape had plowed the road, intending to roll it and lessen the danger of the curve. The Seattle driver knew nothing of the newly plowed ground and ran into it. The wheels sank and he rolled over.

Folberth could not escape and was crushed under the heavy machine three times. Four ribs were broken and he sustained fatal internal injuries. McCartney was crushed but once, having his collar bone broken and an arm broken. It is feared the many accidents may mar tomorrow's races as the course is said to be even more dangerous than Briar Cliff road.

COMPLETE RETURNS OF COUNTY VOTE

CANDIDATES.	At Large	Walla Walla	Umatilla	Wheeler	Yamhill	Wasco	Union	Umatilla	Walla Walla	Wheeler	Yamhill	Wasco	Union	TOTALS
For Congress—														
12 Ellis	61	17	110	141	141	21	82	45	14	86	200	301	204	53
13 Jeffrey	15	4	15	87	105	15	22	70	3	43	74	52	70	55
14 Sanders	2	1	1	20	25	8	6	8	9	23	15	27	6	4
15 Shaffer	5	4	12	18	9	8	6	1	1	13	13	16	3	10
Supreme Judge—														
16 Bean	64	17	29	182	217	190	4	149	58	12	119	214	234	237
17 Bright	13	3	4	20	29	28	7	12	6	1	8	26	21	6
18 Brink	4	2	15	4	23	30	4	5	8	16	10	43	26	8
Dairy and Food Commissioner—														
19 Bailey	89	17	31	110	123	134	99	89	43	18	79	183	185	194
20 Emery	19	8	21	82	112	90	26	67	26	4	42	101	95	63
21 Hopkins	14	2	5	13	24	21	4	7	2	7	26	20	34	12
For United States Senator—														
22 Amos	8	1	2	7	21	7	2	6	5	2	10	10	11	5
23 Calk	28	10	17	9	122	124	27	55	33	10	17	144	147	161
24 Chamberlain	27	12	21	18	125	123	20	102	22	12	60	157	147	127
25 Cooper	3	1	9	1	10	20	2	4	1	13	4	23	29	9
For Railroad Commissioner—														
26 Aitchison	28	15	19	97	123	107	22	77	39	2	69	83	111	118
27 Hamilton	7	4	4	34	39	45	14	19	11	27	38	182	146	107
28 Newell	9	3	4	18	16	17	3	6	3	1	4	19	25	9
29 Young	19	11	8	76	98	77	14	58	17	1	35	46	37	65
For Circuit Judge—														
30 Crawford	20	11	24	92	146	127	30	93	35	14	46	134	147	81
31 Knowles	42	12	25	132	140	135	28	69	39	18	98	200	178	250
For State Senator—														
32 Oliver	26	10	26	99	141	117	36	87	20	15	65	128	163	41
33 Rumble	46	19	19	104	143	135	22	70	40	14	76	179	154	157
For Joint Representative—														
34 Rusk	51	20	28	149	200	178	35	121	54	20	98	230	227	232
For State Representative														
35 Barnes	4	1	12	70	14	31	2	6	1	13	10	34	20	27
36 Richardson	28	17	14	91	142	131	29	74	32	14	16	181	159	183
37 Rothchild	31	5	19	115	120	99	19	84	34	6	7	125	136	100
For Sheriff—														
38 Childers	24	11	31	115	141	138	210	37	21	75	185	185	210	43
39 Davis	49	9	9	97	136	111	29	54	35	6	64	123	120	92
40 Fitzgerald	4	2	8	43	11	16	2	5	1	8	4	17	14	34
For Clerk—														
41 Tullis	8	1	11	18	54	48	11	20	6	15	15	59	43	57
42 Wright	62	22	33	183	212	186	43	137	68	19	121	259	268	249
For Commissioner—														
43 Blumenstein	40	3	17	114	165	161	25	98	38	11	54	118	112	116
44 Rich	5	3	10	14	13	23	4	6	3	11	10	44	22	47
45 Selder	25	16	21	88	90	88	27	64	33	11	75	156	172	165
For Recorder—														
46 Gassett	17	4	19	93	121	100	19	46	24	6	42	76	81	79
47 Snook	53	18	19	112	145	122	31	116	47	15	94	232	219	211
48 Simmons	2	1	10	3	16	51	5	3	1	18	6	32	17	40
For Assessor—														
49 Hug	31	15	14	76	129	112	29	67	21	9	78	258	149	173
50 Mayville	6	3	21	6	8	15	5	5	1	15	8	25	21	37
51 Rinehart	26	4	23	136	161	139	20	104	53	10	57	144	152	115
For County Superintendent—														
52 Blinop	30	9	28	60	97	110	22	52	23	7	56	100	94	131
53 Bragg	40	14	19	150	184	138	28	116	49	27	79	217	220	191
For Treasurer—														
54 Prawley	43	20	29	132	220	187	37	142	64	15	122	266	265	232
55 Warren	7	3	13	22	30	48	12	15	6	18	17	55	46	69
For Surveyor—														
56 Curtis	38	8	22	121	144	132	36	196	36	19	79	189	174	185
57 Thornton	24	15	24	93	136	116	21	61	37	8	59	137	138	132
For Coroner—														
58 Monk	53	20	27	109	217	185	36	136	70	16	108	244	252	244
59 Yoder	8	3	13	23	42	10	14	3	19	17	47	37	54	10
Local Option—														
60 Dry	64	28	31	147	182	152	31	120	54	9	98	121	170	190
61 Wet	12	3	24	62	91	107	23	43	18	22	44	201	194	135

OLIVER ELECTED BY 134; STATEMENT 1 WINS; 18 DRY

With full and complete returns from every precinct in the county of Union and but one precinct missing in the report from Walla Walla county—that precinct containing but 15 votes in all.—The Observer can now state the complete totals of majorities, and just who is elected. The principal proposition of doubt since last evening has been the state senatorial question. That is settled this afternoon when practically full returns from Walla Walla came in and the Union county precincts came in. Oliver's majority over Rumble in both counties is 134. In Union county Oliver lost by 166 votes, but Walla Walla has gone for Oliver by an even 309. The difference will not be lessened much, as only 15 votes remain to be accounted for.

Cake carried Union county by 88, and Walla Walla county by 75. In Walla Walla county the democrats elected a sheriff, clerk, assessor and treasurer. The court house stays at Enterprise by a majority of 200. The republicans elected a county judge, commissioners, school superintendent and surveyor. Knowles carried the county by a trifle more than 400.

Statement No. 1 Carries. Portland, June 3.—Governor Chamberlain will be the next United States senator from Oregon. This was determined today when the returns showed 52 statement No. 1 members were elected to the next legislature—a safe majority of six over the number required to elect a senator. Chamberlain now leads H. M. Cake by 1672, with three or four counties to hear from. Chamberlain stands, 38,759; Cake, 37,117.

Eighteen Counties Dry. The prohibitionists won their battles in 18 counties. According to present figures Union, Walla Walla, Umatilla, Yamhill, Lane, Douglas, Polk, Linn, Klamath, Curry, Gilliam and Sherman counties are absolutely dry. Crook, Baker, Multnomah, Jackson and Josephine counties sacrificed large slices of wet territory to the "drys."

Wholesale Slaughter. Athens, June 3.—A body of pan-stricken refugees from Camos, who have arrived here, report that 80 women and children were slain by Turkish troops during the first days of fighting at Vathy, the capital of the island. They declare also that the troops fired persistently on the foreign consulates. The refugees are all Greeks and as they have inborn hatred of the Turks, their statements are accepted here with considerable reserve.

FITZSIMMONS' IS GAME.

Old-Timer Now in Portland, Anxious to Match With Ketchell.

Portland, June 3.—"I want to meet this man Ketchell. The rumor that I have retired from the ring is wrong. I am still the middleweight champion of the world and ready to fight any and all comers," said Bob Fitzsimmons the pugilist-actor, who opens a short engagement here Monday. Fitzsimmons, accompanied by his wife, Julia May Gifford, the singer, who works with the fighter in vaudeville. Fitzsimmons is going to open negotiations with Ketchell next week.

Wind Hurts Fruit.

Mosier, June 3.—Still, warm weather would certainly be welcome to most every one in Mosier as this wind is playing havoc with the early fruit. Mr. Batheman, our largest strawberry grower, says he won't have more than half a crop of berries, because of the cold winds. The small green berries on the vine in place of ripening as they should, are drying up. Some of the cherry raisers say this wind is causing lots of cherries to fall. A few apple growers are waiting for a calm day to spray so it seems as if this wind is injuring the fruit crop in general, and calm weather would be most welcome.

IT OUGHT TO BE THE HAPPINESS AND GLORY

of every citizen to so live and act that his fellow citizens will esteem him for his goodness, his kindness, and his usefulness. The principles of good citizenship should constitute the code of rules for every kind of business whether public or private. This applies particularly to the drug business, because, owing to the limited knowledge of the qualities of drugs by the general public, it follows that the reliability of the druggist is the chief guarantee of good service.

HILL'S DRUG STORE
La Grande Oregon

GETTING READY TO -UNLOAD-

The Fair's Big Sale
Starts Tomorrow
Morning
At Nine O'clock

It Will Be By Far
The Biggest Selling
Event La Grande
Has Ever Seen

This Sale is for the Benefit of the People as Individuals

It Will pay You
To Be Here Early
To Share In The
Grand Choosing