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ROOSEVELTS REACH NAPLES

COLONEL WILL MEET POPE PIUS TUESDAY

KING AND QUEEN OF ITALY ARE ALSO ON THE LIST

Precedent to be thrown to the winds in Royal gardens and Roosevelt and family will visit the Royal children in their nursery, a fact seldom realized by anyone. Roosevelt's entry to Naples splendid

Naples, April 2.—Colonel Roosevelt, Kermit and Miss Ethel, arrived in Naples today on the steamer Prinz Heinrich and were given an enthusiastic reception by thousands of Italians. High government officials were on hand to greet the distinguished Americans, and the rank and file of Neapolitans struggled with each other to get a glimpse of the former president. Altogether the greeting was such as to serve as a fitting introduction to Col. Roosevelt's prospective triumphal tour through Europe.

After spending the night in the magnificent suite placed at their disposal by a Naples hotel, the Roosevelt party will leave early tomorrow for Rome. They will spend Sunday quietly in the Eternal City and on Monday will be received by King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena at the Quirinal.

One of the most delightful features of the visit of Colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt to the King and Queen will be their half hour or more in the nursery and playgrounds of the royal nursery. The Roosevelts are great lovers of children and the children of the King, who live very quietly, and are rarely seen by vis-

itors, are declared to be the most delightful little ones in the kingdom.

The audience with Pope Pius will follow on Tuesday and the Roosevelt party will leave on Wednesday for Spezia and Genoa. His Holiness is eager to meet Mr. Roosevelt and he therefore has made no objection to the audience following that at the Quirinal. Since the former president is not a Catholic, precedence of the Vatican visit over that to the King is not necessary.

Half the population of Naples was on the Quay and among them were a great number of Americans. All gave the American statesman a great reception. Roosevelt was met by Ambassador Lelshman who had come from Rome to welcome the former president. Counsel Crowninshield, stationed here, Mayor of Naples, the Prefect of Police and other dignitaries were also present. As soon as Roosevelt embarked he was surrounded by a guard of police regardless of his protests. He was escorted to the hotel and made a brief speech of thanks in response to speeches of welcome.

Buys Comfortable Home

The J. L. Courtney property consisting of two lots in Pleasant Home addition to North La Grande, and a comfortable five room dwelling were sold yesterday to Walter Tate, a well known local man. Mr. Tate will take possession soon, and after slight improvements, will make his home upon the property.

St. Peter's Church

First Sunday after Easter Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Morning service, 11:00 a. m. Evening service 5:00 p. m. Bishop Paddock will make his annual visitation to the parish on this Sunday, and will administer the Apostolic rite of Confirmation at the 5 o'clock service. He will preach at both services. The adjourned parish meeting for the election of the vestry will be held after the closing of the evening service. Vestry meeting on Monday evening at 7:30 UPTON H. GIBBS, Rector.

AETNA AGAIN CREATES FEAR

CITIZENS OF CATANIA DARE NOT ISLEIP

FREQUENT EARTHQUAKES ADDING TO THE HORRORS

Two small towns are doomed by the lava flow—Furnace-like roaring in the craters of Aetna increase in violence today—One town's inhabitants flee last night to escape instant death

Catania, April 2.—The eruption of the furnace of Mount Aetna increased its violent activity today and the people of Catania, after many sleepless nights are almost paralyzed by fear.

Fears of a conflagration from the live cinders from the craters adds to the general alarm. Occasional earthquakes rock the island. Inhabitants of the village of Cavaleri fled for their lives during the night when the lava engulfed the town. Bellpaso and Borello are in the path of the flow and cannot escape destruction.

Cyclone in Africa.

Lisbon, April 2.—Heavy loss of life and great property damage by a cyclone is reported today along the East African coast in a cable from the governor of Mozambique. The dispatch says the level of the sea rose 22 feet under a terrific wind and the water rushed inland for miles. Scores of bodies have already been recovered from devastated plantations.

SCHOOL DISTRICT PAID OFF.

Over thirty thousand sent out to various school districts

County Superintendent Bragg today wrote out checks aggregating \$30,000 or more which will be distributed among the various districts of the county. This is the state appropriation for school purposes.

MANY SIGN CONTRACTS

Liberal number of farmers come to town despite the weather

Regardless of the fact that the storm this afternoon prevented a generous attendance of prospective water users, there were many who went to the office of the irrigation company and signed up contracts.

Horses Hitched to Bedposts

Seattle, April 2.—Irate freshmen at the University of Washington are today searching for the sophomores who unhitched two delivery horses, led them into the freshmen quarters of the dormitory and tied them to the bed posts of Leon Becker and Claud Bozart. The horses belonged to a driver for a dye works firm.

CHAUTAUQUA BOARD MEETS

Many matters discussed—Subscription committee placed in field

At the regular weekly meeting of the chautauqua board last night, it was decided that the committee on subscriptions begin their canvass at once, and the committee was so instructed by Chairman T. A. Rinehart. Among the matters discussed was that in regard to the sale of 1000 season tickets which was strat-

egy some time ago. It is essential to the success of the plans that these tickets be disposed of, and the report of the committee in charge of the sales shows that the work is progressing, so that it is hoped the entire number will be sold in the near future.

LAND OFFICE AT VALE SOON

ORDERS SENT OUT TO THAT EFFECT TODAY

MANY CANDIDATES FOR THE PLUMS ALREADY IN FIELD

July first will see a slice of ten townships chopped from the La Grande land office district to help form the new land office district in Oregon. Office will be at Vale and lively scramble for places is on.

The seventh in the state will become a reality on July 1st, according to instructions issued from the general land office officials. At that time a new Receiver and Register will have been appointed, necessitating some action before the present session of congress adjourns.

The La Grande office loses but 10 townships by the formation of the new district. The principal amount of land in the new district, will be taken from the Burns district and the office will be established at Vale. The part that La Grande loses lies south of Baker City.

The new office will be a great convenience to the people desiring to file on land in that section of the state. Burns is difficult to reach and a large amount of the land was included in that district.

Already there is considerable speculation as to who will get the plums soon to fall to the Vale office. Baker City men are after the appointments, and of course the district where the new office is to be will supply a liberal supply of timber for Bourne to select from.

ANNOUNCE CHORUS

Another rehearsal and "Mikado" will be given public appearance

With one more rehearsal and dress rehearsal, the production of "The Mikado" will be ready for next Monday night. The list of chorus people, in addition to the principals announced two days ago, follow:

Chorus of school girls and train of ladies—Hilda Williams, Lucy Van Fleet, Ethel Manley, Olive Massee, Lottie Jones, Rose Spain, Aletha Brookler, Nellie Hill, Frankie Crawford, Enice Kennedy, Alta De Lashmut, Genevieve McCrary, June Hume, Elizabeth Hume, Pearl Murchison, Reat Bramwell, Irma Geddes, Mary Penington, Hazel McCrary, Ruby Huff, Ruth Oliver, Gertrude Halley and Sarah Collier.

Gentlemen of Japan—George O'Neil, George Abeg, A. C. McNeill, O. A. Hagan, Harley Richardson, Howard Richardson, Lawrence Hill, R. Conrad, Fred Young, Irwin Bramwell, Merrill Childers, Arthur Van Fleet, Roy C. Rrey and C. P. Ferlin.

Bookman Property Sold.

Charles L. Payne this week purchased from the La Grande Investment company what is known as the Bookman property on First street. There is a fine modern six room residence on the property, where Mr. Payne will make his home when he takes possession in the near future.

Duel in New York.

New York, April 2.—The police admit they have no clue to the identity of the Frenchman who yesterday fought a duel with a fellowcountryman on the East Side water front and killed his adversary and then escaped. The fight was witnessed by a chauffeur who was driving past an apartment house.

"CITIZENS DUTY"

Address tomorrow evening in L. D. S. Tabernacle by Atty. Hodgkin.

The Mutual Improvement Associations of this city have been successful in securing Attorney Jno. Hodgkin in a lecture "The Citizen's Duty to the State," which will be delivered at the L. D. S. Tabernacle tomorrow night, April 3d, to which all are cordially invited. Attorney Hodgkin addressed a large audience at the Tabernacle a few months ago on the subject of astronomy, and another equally enjoyable and instructive time is expected tomorrow night. Services commence at 7 o'clock p. m.

FARQUHARSON AT LIBERTY.

Writ of review is filed in circuit court—Trial later

Late last evening James Farquharson who was yesterday morning remanded to the city jail, secured an order from the Circuit Court to secure his release until the proceedings of the Recorder's court could be reviewed.

The petition for the writ sets forth the fact that the city ordinance is defective and non-enforceable. Thus the matter will rest until the validity of the ordinance is determined.

WORKS FOR AID SOCIETY

School for boys and girls at Portland send worker here.

Miss Myrtle E. Pense, who is the district visitor and investigator for the Portland Boys and Girls Aid Society, which is now caring for many from Union County, was in the city yesterday looking over the field here. She solicits moral and financial support for the institution which is becoming one of the most important of its kind in the state. A full slate of officers in Union county is always maintained and F. L. Meyers of this city has been chosen president in place of C. H. Finn. The other officers are:

Secretary—Mrs. Harriet McDonald, James Russell; Mrs. W. T. Wright of Union and J. T. Williamson.

SEND ENGINE TO ALBINA.

Locomotive which went into river is able to be shipped.

A crew of men was sent to Pendleton this morning by Division Foreman Watson to take engine No. 385 to Albina. This is the locomotive that went into the river at Mission at which time two were killed. The machine has just only recently been placed on the rails again and will have to receive a liberal expenditure for repairs.

McCall Exonerated

New York, April 2.—Justice E. E. McCall of New York Supreme court was today completely exonerated of all charges against him in connection with fire insurance bribery scandals. Superintendent Hotchkiss said today the charge that Justice McCall was involved in the scandal was entirely without foundation.

DENVER FIRM GIVEN BONDS

CONSIDERABLE PREMIUM GOES WITH BID

CHICAGO FIRM IS HIGHEST PREMIUM OFFERER

Had Chicago firm stipulated clearly what they actually mean to would have received bid—Denver firm gets bonds with premium of \$1,297.50 and several other very important items

Representatives of the firm who meant "precipitated considerable arguments and discussions and stood in the way of a prompt acceptance of bids presented today at 2 o'clock when County Treasurer Frawley and the school board opened La Grande school bond issue bids. Ten bids were in, but only two were in close range to each other.

F. H. Rollins and Sons of Denver, presented a bid of \$1,997.50 as a premium, agreed to pay for the bonds—a cost of about \$100—and pay accrued interest until the bonds were actually floated, if any so accrued. The next and nearest competitor to this bid was a bid which offered a higher premium but neglected to stipulate other phases when Woodlin, McNear & Moore of Chicago, offered a premium of \$1,327.50, but left out provisions for bonds and accrued interest. It will be seen that the last named bid was the lowest but other phases considered the Denver bid to be easily the more desirable of the lot.

Representatives for both of the leading companies had opportunity to discuss the matter, and the Chicago man affirmed his company meant what the other stipulated, but deemed unnecessary to set it forth. By 3 o'clock, however, the Denver firm had been given the bond issue and the red tape of liquidating the bonds will commence at once. It may require about a month's time.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

Special school meeting to consider building takes no action.

At the special meeting of the school board called last night by Chairman Henson to consider the question of the new \$75,000 high school building for La Grande, no action was taken by the members upon this question, nor upon the election of a superintendent for the schools for this city. The meeting was adjourned to be called at a later date for further consideration of these matters.

A HAIR TRAGEDY

In the healthy scalp when a hair falls out it is soon followed by a new one. This process goes on all the time.

But there may come a day when the falling hair is not renewed; the hair bulb has lost its vigor. Unless this vigor is promptly restored the bulb will probably never be revived. Multiply these torpid or dead bulbs and permanent baldness is the result.

Don't wait when the hair begins to thin out. Use Shiek's Golden Hair Tonic in time and it will always prevent baldness.

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