

SUCCESSOR TO HANFORD MEETS PROTEST STORM

BELLINGHAM MAN IS NOMINATED TO VACANT JUDGESHIP

PROGRESSIVES WILL PROTEST HIS APPOINTMENT

Indignation Meeting to Be Held in Seattle to Prevent Appointment's Ratification in Senate—Said to Be Opposed to Will of the People and is a Privilege Seeker.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Clinton Howard of Bellingham, Wash., was today appointed federal judge succeeding Judge Hanford of Seattle. Hanford resigned while a sub-committee of the house judiciary committee was in Seattle investigating charges against him.

Howard Is Opposed.

Seattle, Aug. 19.—William J. Biggar, of Bellingham, candidate for congress on the Progressive ticket, today wired Senator Poindexter, of Washington, to the effect that Howard's appointment is an "outrageous insult" to the people and ought not to be confirmed by the senate under any circumstances.

"Howard always opposed the will of the people, and sought special privileges," said Biggar and Seattle Progressives are equally aroused.

Pains are being arranged for a monster mass meeting against the confirmation of Howard's appointment by the senate.

Clinton W. Howard appointed by President Taft to succeed Federal Judge Hanford, is a corporation attorney of Bellingham. He was a character witness testifying in favor of Hanford in recent impeachment hearing by the congressional committee here.

RACES TO BE BIG EVENT.

Union Has Many Horses Entered for the Events.

Reports from Union state that the horse show grounds resemble a tented city, so thick are the horsemen's tents awaiting the racing events of the week. It is said many of the horses to be entered in the La Grande-Boise race circuit are at the Union grounds ready to make the start from there owing to the early dates. Indications are that many La Grande people will attend the races at the neighboring town.

Colonel in Pennsylvania.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 19.—Colonel Roosevelt will go to Wilkesbarre, Pa., Wednesday, to attend the celebration marking the anniversary of the ordination of Father Curran. Later the colonel will leave for Vermont where he will continue his New England campaign for election.

REDMOND MUST ACCEPT WEST

FAILURE TO RELEASE MAYOR MEANS TROUBLE.

Martial Law Will Be Declared This Week if Mayor Stays in.

Salem, Ore., Aug. 19.—Governor West was today informed by the city council of Redmond, Ore., that it had the resignation of Mayor Jones, but was holding it pending further investigation.

Governor West told the council that if Jones' resignation was not accepted by Wednesday he will proceed to the scene with troops and place the town under martial law.

The King of England Greets Boy To Whom He Had Given Legs



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LITTLE stories bearing upon the democratic manner and habits of King George of England come to light every now and then. The king surely overlooks no opportunity to perform acts of charity and kindness which endear him to the hearts of his subjects. During a recent visit to Yorkshire his majesty reviewed 8,000 children in Clifton park. The picture shows him speaking to a cripple boy, Ambrose John Roe, whose legs were amputated at the knees two years ago and who was then presented by their majesties with artificial limbs. The mayor of Yorkshire is with the king.

ROOSEVELT COMING TO CITY SEPTEMBER 12 SAYS TENTATIVE ITINERARY FOR THE COLONEL

Theodore Roosevelt, candidate for president on the Progressive ticket is coming to La Grande September 12th and special trains will be run from three directions making the occasion the greatest gathering from a standpoint of numbers probably that has ever been in La Grande. The final word in this matter has not been spoken, but news dispatches give the present itinerary a place for La Grande. It will be his principal Eastern Oregon speech though a platform address at Huntington is on the slate, too. One conflicting report has been issued to the effect that the colonel is due in Portland on the 12th, yet the local boosters who extended the invitation to Mr. Roosevelt, feel that there is no doubt but that the favorable report is correct. President Goddes of the Progressive club here awaits a telegram hourly from the Roosevelt headquarters giving authentic announcement on the speech. Because it will be the principal Eastern Oregon speech, somewhere around 15,000 people are expected to be present on that occasion. Ampli facilities to seat six or seven thousand or perhaps more will be commenced and perfected the moment that word reaches here assuring the date.

ORGANIZATIONS TONIGHT.

Cove, Imbler and Union to Create Roosevelt Clubs This Evening.

Organization of Progressive party occur tonight and local men are planning on attending the meetings in each club in Cove, Imbler and Union will of the three towns. Committeemen will be chosen in each section and

the clubs set in motion in proper order.

In Wallowa county, the big rally tomorrow night is drawing considerable attention and the Progressives of that county anticipate a great deal of success.

St. John Greets the Governor-General.

St. John, N. D. Aug. 19.—St. John was on fete today in honor of the visit of the Duke of Connaught and his party. Immediately after landing from the Earl Grey his royal highness was escorted to the court house, where the civic address of welcome was presented. The vice regal party will proceed to Frederickton tomorrow.

SUN HEADS NEW REBELLION

Shanghai, Aug. 19.—A new revolution, headed by Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the most popular man in China, today threatens the life of the new republic, and the administration of President Yuan Shi Kai.

Agents for Dr. Sun are mobilizing an army.

Dr. Sun and his friends are angered because of the execution of General Chang Chen Wu. President Yuan Shi Kai denies the blame, saying that Vice President Li Youn Hung is responsible. This is denied by Dr. Sun.

Ready to Notify Marshall

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 19.—Governor Thomas R. Marshall will be formally notified tomorrow that he is vice

POLICE AWAIT SCHEPPS, BUT MEET DEFEAT

SCORE WOULD TAKE CONFESSOR AWAY FROM WHITMAN

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SAYS

GOTHAM POLICE FEAR SCHEPPS

Redhot Statements Issued by Whitman Against Police Officials Who Fearing Confessor, Would Take Him in Charge and Prevent Confession Reaching Office of District Attorney

New York, August 19.—Met by a score of policemen who demanded that the prisoner be surrendered to them, District Attorney Whitman and his assistant, Robert Rubin, arrived here shortly before noon today with Sam Schepps, arrested in Hot Springs, Ark., and wanted here in connection with the murder of Herman Rosenthal. Whitman held back the police and rushed Schepps through the station and hurried him to the west side of the prison in a taxicab.

Later Whitman issued redhot statements denouncing the police for butting in. He declared they manifested interest in the case only when men likely to divulge incriminating facts against them, were arrested.

With the arrival here of Schepps, Whitman says he is ready to go on with the trial of Lieutenant Becker. The confession from Schepps, Whitman says, will complete the chain of evidence against Becker and the police officials. Becker, who is alleged to have given money to Schepps to pay the gangsters who murdered Rosenthal, will plead to the charge of murder Wednesday.

GROUSE ARE SCARCE.

Wild Fowl Either Keeping Under Cover or Are Not to Be Found.

Nimrods who have been scouring the mountains for grouse since the season opened last Thursday are wondering what has become of these wild birds. Last year there was an abundance of native pheasants and grouse; but they, so far at least, have proved a scarcity this season.

In former years, many secured the limit within a few hours, although many of these same hunters have returned empty handed from recent trips.

One theory is that the early rains drowned the young birds soon after hatching. Others claim that owing to the recent rains the birds do not have to frequent the creeks and springs for water and consequently remain in the thick timber where they are hard to locate.

OFFICER KILLS FAMILY.

Two Children, Wife, Self and Two Others Victims of Suicide.

East Bourne, Eng., Aug. 19.—Capt. Hicks Murray of the Gordon Highlanders, today shot and killed his two children, wounded his wife, and shot himself and then set fire to the family home here. Murray, his wife and two other occupants of the building perished in the flames. Capt. Murray left a note saying he was ruined and intended to kill all those dependent on him.

Fisher Going to Hawaii.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher today announced that he expects to start for Honolulu Sunday to personally investigate affairs connected with the territorial government of Hawaii. Fisher will sail for the island from San Francisco Aug. 31, and will reach Washington on his return about October 15th.

Auto Accident Kills Woman.

Petaluma, Aug. 19.—Their automobile turning turtle today, a mile from here, a man named Mason and wife, believed to be from San Francisco, were victims of a fatal accident. Mrs. Mason was instantly killed and her husband so badly injured it is feared he cannot live until night.

Welcomes "Home" Investigation

Sawtelle, Cal., Aug. 19.—Governor Cochrane of the National Soldiers' home, declared he is ready for a congressional investigation of affairs as provided for in Works' resolution, passed by the senate today.

Campers Return.

A party of campers consisting of Charles and Lee Reynolds, Willie Pearce, Miss Ethel Wright, Misses Ruby and Hazel Thiesen and chaperoned by Mrs. Thiesen, returned last night from the head waters of Beaver creek where they have been spending a week. Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wright were guests of the campers the past few days and returned with them.

SUICIDE ENDS LIFE OF SHAME

DENIZEN OF RESTRICTED DISTRICT KILLS SELF.

Felton Taken to Cheat Courts and Girl Victim of Drug.

Tired of the primrose path, weary early of the gold tinsel life of shame into which she fell as a girl of tender years, and dubious over the probabilities of obtaining a divorce from a husband in Minneapolis, a proceeding which was really progressing with perfect success in sight, Carrie (Belle) Patterson, a denizen of the restricted district, aided by the laudanum route. Her remains are held in the Henry & Carr undertaking parlors pending further decision about the funeral arrangements. The rash act was committed some time last night, after the woman had returned from a buggy ride early in the evening.

Divorce Proceedings Started.

Several days ago the woman who gave into the hands of a local attorney the facts which she deemed sufficient to guarantee her a divorce from Edward M. Patterson, whose address is Minneapolis. The preliminary papers were sent to him for signature and there seemed little likelihood of opposition against the divorce.

Last night, after her return from a buggy ride she made inquiries about the progress of the divorce proceedings and was informed that everything had a promising aspect.

This was about 10 o'clock in the evening, but she apparently was not satisfied with the answers given her and she determined to cheat the courts and no inquest will likely be held in view of the fact that a physician had been called prior to death and was present when the drug claimed its victim.

BUDGET KILLING FAMILY IN SENATE

BY MAJORITY OF TWO VOTES, ENEMIES OF COURT WIN

APPROPRIATIONS FOR THAT BODY STRICKEN OUT

Big Super Dreadnaught Type of Ship Result of Compromise in Conference Between House and Senate—Believed Dispute Has Been Ended by This Compromise Vessel.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The senate today passed the new "budget" bill containing provisions abolishing the court of commerce, by a vote of 35 to 23.

The amendment, eliminating appropriations for commerce court, was adopted.

The senate and the house conference on the naval appropriation bill today agreed on a compromise of the battleship controversy on the basis of one vessel to cost \$15,000,000. This is expected to end the dispute.

The vessel to be built will be a super dreadnaught as originally proposed.

The senate today debated a resolution of Senator Works of California which proposes an amendment to the constitution making the presidential term six years instead of four years, and providing that no president shall be eligible to re-election.

Speaking in support of the measure Senator Cummins of Iowa said: "The duty of every one who respects the rights of the people is to vote for this amendment. The high office of president should be free from influence or coercion. The president should be free to perform his whole duty, having no other thought than to enforce laws which contribute to the welfare of the people."

California Centennarian.

Stockton, Cal., Aug. 19.—Thomas White, who resides with his daughter, Mrs. George Lissenden, in this city, reached his 100th birthday anniversary today. He celebrated the occasion by giving a birthday party at Oak park for his many friends and relatives. White was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, on the same day that the Constitution won her notable victory over the Guerriere in the second war between the United States and Great Britain. He has lived in California since the civil war.

Attorney Green Home.

Attorney R. J. Greene has returned from a visit to Minneapolis, his former home city. Mr. Greene was an alternate to the Chicago Bull Moccas convention.

CITY IS SOAKED IN HUMAN BLOOD

MANAGUA'S BATTLE WORST IN HISTORY.

Thousands Dead Litter Streets and Pestilence Has Broken Out.

Washington, Aug. 19.—With a thousand dead and unburied in the streets, the city of Managua battle is the bloodiest in the history of Central America according to reports received here today from United States Minister Wytzel at the capital of Managua. The city is threatened with pestilence. The revolutionists' strength is said to be increasing.