

## HUGHES IS RENOMINATED

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Governor, Hughes was renominated today by the Republican state convention by an overwhelming majority on the first ballot. He received 827 out of a possible 1009, as against 151 for James W. Wadsworth, Jr., of Livingston county, the speaker of the state assembly, and 31 for former Congressman Stewart of Montgomery. The nomination was made unanimous on a motion of State Committeeman Barnes, who has perhaps been the bitterest and most outspoken opponent of the governor.

The governor's renomination followed the utter failure of a desperate struggle on the part of a number of the county leaders who for four days have spared no effort to discover the candidate upon whom they could unite to defeat him. The remainder of the ticket was made up in a good, old-fashioned way. The organization of the state announced an hour or more before the session of the convention began by Chairman Woodruff of the state committee, after a conference of the local leaders.

It was 183 votes, of all but one district in New York county, that carried the governor's total beyond 505, a majority of the convention. When nine votes from Nassau brought the total up to 39, a hush in which was concentrated all the intensity of bitterness and suspense, the secretary of the convention called "New York." President Parsons of the New York county committee responded:

"Four for Wadsworth, balance of county, 183 for Hughes."

Thousands of pencils footed Hughes' total to 578. In as many heartbeats every person in the great hall knew the battle was over and the hall instantly became a bedlam of cheering. When the secretary announced the result there was another pandemonium, which lasted fully a minute before anything could be said or done. Then Governor Hughes' nomination was made unanimous. The other nominations were quickly made and the convention adjourned at 5:30 p. m.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 15.—"I am deeply sensible of the honor conferred upon me. I wish to express my appreciation for the confidence reposed in me by the Republican party." Thus did Governor Hughes make the first public statement after his nomination for governor of New York this evening. Beyond that, the governor would say nothing either as to his running mates or his policies should he be elected.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 15.—The Republican state ticket: Governor—Charles E. Hughes (renominated). Lieutenant-governor—Horace White, Onondaga. Secretary of state—Samuel S. Koenig, New York. Attorney-general—Edward R. O'Malley, Erie. Comptroller—Charles H. Gaus, Albany. State treasurer—Thomas B. Dunn, Monroe.

### NOMINATION OF HUGHES.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 15.—The Republican leaders from 14 states who were assembled here today expressed gratification at the renomination of Hughes for governor of New York. Without exception the leaders declared the action of the New York convention will aid Republicans in their campaigns in all debatable states of the West. The requests that Governor Hughes be sent into the western states were received in great numbers. It is said he may be scheduled to speak in Kansas, Nebraska and other western states where his popularity is strong.

Chairman Hitchcock and Senator Dixon, the director of the speakers' bureau, left tonight for Cincinnati, where they will confer with Secretary Taft concerning Taft's itinerary for his western trip.

Representative Boutelle, of Illinois, who has just returned from campaigning in Maine, says the small Republican majority with which Maine was carried by the Republicans has no particular bearing on the national election. He thought the return of the entire congressional delegation to congress meets with the approval of the entire state. He predicted a normal Republican majority in the November election.

### ARRIVAL OF ATHLETES.

PORTLAND, Or., Sept. 14.—A. C. Gilbert, Forrest C. Smithson and D. J. Kelly, representatives of Oregon in the Olympic games at London, were tonight accorded a reception in honor of their homecoming, the like of which was never witnessed in this city. Early in the evening the procession formed at the Commercial club, headed by the Third regiment, Oregon National Guard, which acted as escort.

Following these there fell in line a great number of automobiles and civic organizations, led by the carriage in which were the three Ore-

gon champions. This carriage was drawn by some 200 boys, members of the junior class of the Multnomah Athletic club.

The procession proceeded to the grounds of the club, and as it entered the great amphitheater, which was lined on all sides with a great mass of people, there went up one great cheer, one on another.

In the middle of the grounds two huge bonfires burned, and surrounding the enclosure myriads of Chinese lanterns and electric lights. The carriage containing the victors was drawn up in front of the speakers' stand and Colonel James Jackson, U. S. A., retired, gave a welcome home to the victors in behalf of Governor Chamberlain, who was unavoidably absent. Mayor Harry Lane of Portland then addressed the athletes and told them how great was their achievement and how proud the city is of them. Loving-cups were presented each of the athletes on behalf of the Multnomah club, and in addition a cup was presented to Gilbert by the citizens of Salem, his native city.

Rev. Dr. Morrison, rector of Trinity Episcopal church and director in the club, made the presentation speech, in the course of which he announced that the men had been made life members of the club. Tomorrow night Smithson, Gilbert and Kelly will be the guests of honor at a banquet at the club.

### EUCARIST CONGRESS

LONDON, Sept. 14.—A great procession of great Catholic clergy, which brought the Eucharist congress to an end, was held Sunday afternoon and scenes such as the English churchmen who planned it never saw.

Cardinal Vannutelli, the pope's legate, walked at the head of the procession, wearing his scarlet robes and hat, but not carrying the host. He was accompanied by a bodyguard of English peers, of whom the Duke of Norfolk was the most prominent, and a concourse of cardinals, archbishops and bishops, who also were attired in unceremonial robes instead of vestments which originally it had been purposed they should wear.

No such throngs of people have been seen in London since Queen Victoria's funeral, if even then.

The route of the procession was laid through the quiet streets adjacent to the cathedral, and but for the unexpected partial strife which a discussion of this ceremony brought on, it probably would have been solemnized quietly and in a reverent atmosphere. The great majority of those who attempted to witness the spectacle, however, apparently were attracted by curiosity and a small part were openly and demonstratively hostile. The Catholic element cheered heartily while the procession passed by and through the route, but there was heard also, considerable "hooning" such as the English people use in theaters to express displeasure at any of the plays.

The people began flocking toward the cathedral hours before the procession started. Long before the hour set for the ceremony it was impossible to get near the line of march. All the streets leading in that direction were packed and the windows overlooking the procession, which were rented at high prices, were filled. A number of persons fainted in the crush and were carried off by the ambulances.

After the procession had re-entered the cathedral, Cardinal Vannutelli appeared on the high balcony in gorgeous robes and elevated the host, while thousands of Catholics outside the building reverently knelt.

The last day of the congress opened with pontifical mass in the cathedral, which was celebrated by the papal legate and at which all the cardinals, archbishops and bishops and many others of the clergy assisted. The great edifice was crowded, the audience following with rapt attention, the sermon of Cardinal Gibbons, who preached eloquently.

### HEAD OF THE UNIVERSITY.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 14.—Through a private source it was learned here today that Dr. William Osler, formerly of Johns Hopkins university and hospital, now regius professor of medicine at Oxford university, England, will be chosen lord rector of the University of Edinburgh. This honor is said to be coming to Dr. Osler on account of the remarkable work he has done at Oxford, and is only given to men who have especially distinguished themselves in the United Kingdom for conspicuous service in the world of learning, politics or philanthropy.

The position as the head of the University of Edinburgh will not entail his leaving Oxford, but it will place him at the head of university men in England, Scotland and Ireland. The principal opponents of Dr. Osler for the place are Winston Churchill and Robert Wyndham, former chief secretary for Ireland. The prevailing opinion among Englishmen of letters, however, is that neither of the two will have a show against Dr. Osler.

The lord rector is elected by the students for three years. If Dr. Osler is elected he will fill the position which, in times past, was occupied by Gladstone, Carlyle, Lord Roseberry, Lord Goschen and Lord Beaconsfield.

Dr. Osler is now leading the fight against tuberculosis in England, and has accomplished wonders.

## AN ACTOR A BIGAMIST

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 15.—Robert W. Griffin, writer, vaudeville actor and soldier, the son of a well-to-do and prominent family in the East was returned to Oakland yesterday by Detective James Flynn from Napa, where he was arrested upon the complaint of Miss Martha Straub, a pretty girl now living in the Lansdale apartment-house, Eddy and Larkin streets, San Francisco, accusing Griffin of bigamy. The girl says she will rigorously prosecute Griffin, who is also known as Robert Waltham.

Griffin confessed in the Oakland city prison. He admitted marrying Miss Straub in Oakland last June when his wife was living in Los Angeles. He talked free, declaring he had committed the crime through ignorance. He said:

"It is true that I married Miss Straub last June. It is also true that I was married before. I married Miss Goldie May McCarron in Toledo, O., July 2, 1896. I left her almost immediately after our marriage and did not see her again until about a year ago. We were not congenial and I felt that it was better for us to live apart.

"Last January when I returned from a theatrical tour I was informed that my wife had obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce. Not knowing the laws of this state, I thought that I could legally marry again."

The capture of Griffin was effected through a decoy letter sent out by Captain Peterson. He was arrested Friday night. Miss Straub, who is a linguist and has served as a governess in the homes of a number of prominent San Francisco families, says she was married to Griffin in Oakland on June 16. She met him in San Francisco, where he was running a 10-cent vaudeville house. Griffin made a strong impression on her and after a week the marriage ceremony was performed.

A week after the marriage she learned from his parents that Griffin had a wife in Los Angeles. When she upbraided him for this he fled and she learned nothing of his whereabouts until a few days ago.

Griffin is 31 years old. During the late war he served in the Philippines and owing to an injury to his eye was placed on the pension list. He has written vaudeville skits and has done turns on the stage. According to Peterson, Griffin told him some time ago that he had been married before. He said his wife was in Los Angeles and that he had separated from her.

### Good for Biliousness.

"I took two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks, says J. J. Firestone of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for biliousness." For sale by Chas. Strang.

**A PAYING INVESTMENT.**  
Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Ave., Houlton, Maine, says: "I have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies, but the cough continued until I bought a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery; before that was half gone, the cough was gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. I am now convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best of all cough and lung remedies." Sold under guarantee at Chas. Strang's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### YIELDED TO SUGGESTION.

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 14.—As a result of mental suggestion, the physicians say, Brigadier Scott Girard, head of the State Anti-Suicide bureau of the Volunteers of America, tried to kill himself here by swallowing 50 strychnine pellets, which had been taken from a man dissuaded from suicide during the day, and turning on the gas after closing all openings.

While a letter to his wife in Chicago lay sealed before him, he began to write of his feelings as death crept over him, and continued the morbid study in death until he became unconscious. He was rescued only when a wedding party of friends came for him two hours afterward and was taken to a hospital. The doctors have little hope of his recovery.

Brigadier Girard was found in his chair, fully dressed, evidently prepared to go with the wedding party that found him, when the insane suggestion of killing himself as the hundreds he has convinced of the folly of such a thing have told him they thought of doing. About him were the poisons, knives, revolvers and suicide clippings that form the "vicarious cabinet," as Girard had labeled his case of death instruments taken from other would-be suicides.

Girard is 25 years old. He came here to establish his anti-suicide hotel, which has been remarkably successful. Dr. Morris, the city assistant assigned to the suicide bureau for emergency calls, who had helped restore hundreds of would-be suicides, was the doctor called to work on the man he had so often seen fighting death for others. Girard

was happy in his marriage and had no troubles whatever, so far as is known, and the physicians say that his suicide work had become an obsession and had fascinated him until he succumbed to the mental suggestion.

### NORTH DAKOTA PEOPLE MEET.

Without any blare of trumpets or noise of any kind about 25 citizens of Medford who came here from North Dakota left the city this morning with their families and went to Central Point. There they were joined by many others from the same state, and all proceeded to have a good time. And they had it, too. The following comprised the party:

F. E. Merrick, Grand Harbor; D. McKillop, Lillian A. McKillop, Frank Tompkins, Niagara; Mrs. F. E. Merrick, Miss Stella M. Merrick, Ruth M. Merrick, Grand Harbor; Mrs. W. N. Campbell, W. N. Campbell, Charles Campbell, Mrs. S. A. Nye and baby, Stephen G. Nye, Ruth T. Nye, Valley City; Mrs. F. Newman and children, F. J. Newman, Miss Minnie Lundgren, Mrs. H. C. Cook, Carrington; J. E. Watt, Devil's Lake; Harry H. Tuttle and wife, J. D. Buchanan, Grand Forks; H. S. Hull, Niagara; F. H. Cook, Grand Harbor; H. J. Japling, Inkster; J. S. Ferguson, wife and baby, Battineau; Wells Lounsberry, Bismarck; Mrs. J. F. Morrison, Westhope; Mrs. J. E. Watt, Devil's Lake; Mrs. M. J. Alsford, Inkster; Helen Watt, Devil's Lake; Nellie F. McNeill, Grand Forks; O. B. Nash and wife, Perth; Mrs. F. H. Cook, Grand Harbor; Mrs. W. W. Glasgow, Niagara; W. H. Watt, Bathgate; Miss L. Hatfield, Niagara; Mrs. M. W. Tuttle, Grand Forks; Mrs. H. Jopling, Marguerite J. Jopling, Inkster; Donald O. Nash, Perth; L. Hatfield, Niagara; Clifford O. Hatfield, Elizabeth Tompkins, Niagara; M. W. Tuttle, Medford, N. D.; John H. Caskin, Grand Forks; Mrs. W. Lounsberry.

One of the features was a splendid dinner which was prepared by the ladies of the party in the true North Dakota style, and all partook of it and enjoyed it in the same spirit.

The business part of the affair consisted of the formation of a society to be known as the North Dakota Society of the Rogue River Valley, and the following were the officers elected for the ensuing year: H. T. Hull, president, and Harry Tuttle, secretary and treasurer. It was decided to have two meetings each year, one to be held in Medford during the full moon in February and the other in the country during the watermelon season.

The program consisted of speeches by Wells Lounsberry, the oldest North Dakota man in the valley; H. T. Hull, J. E. Watt, F. E. Merrick and Harry Tuttle. Mr. Merrick made a hit by singing "Little Old Sod Shanty on the Claim."

The old soldiers have invited the North Dakota people to meet with them next summer, wherever their meeting will be, and it is likely that they will do so.

### A Sure Enough Knocker.

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. 25c at Chas. Strang's drug store.

### HONEYMOON ENDS IN TRAGEDY.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 12.—Mrs. John Davis, wife of one of the leading real estate dealers of this city, committed suicide last night by taking carbolic acid. She was 23 years old; Mr. Davis is 48, and they had been married only since March 15 last. They returned from their wedding tour in Europe two weeks ago, and were staying at one of the leading hotels.

The couple had some trouble last Sunday, so guests at the hotel say, and it culminated in another quarrel last night, when Mrs. Davis sent the bellboy with a written order to the druggist in the hotel building for carbolic acid. The order was dated Sunday, indicating that she had intended committing suicide then, but faltered until after the second quarrel.

### COINS ARE DEFECTIVE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—Activity at the San Francisco mint in the coining of the St. Gaudens' gold pieces has been suspended. The first few days' output amounted to \$430,000, but the double eagles, it has been discovered, will not "attack" with the old coins of the same denomination. In a stack of \$400 the new coins are half the thickness of a piece short. While the double eagles again bear the legend "In God We Trust," it has been learned that the trust is not of 110 dimensions. Superintendent Sweeney received a telegram from Washington saying, "Coin eagles with 'In God We Trust.'" In due time a letter was received by him from Washington authorities which read, "We wired you as follows: 'Coin no eagles with 'In God We Trust.'" This we beg leave to confirm."

The coining of the eagles stopped and the money presses are idle, awaiting instructions.

## A BAND OF ROBBERS

RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 12.—Mrs. H. P. Lindsay, the dashing widow, who after her arrest here yesterday confessed she had been the financial support of a band of confidence men, baggage robbers and jewel thieves, of which Horace R. Courtland was the head, made another astounding confession here today.

She admitted she is none other than the widow of Theodore Hagaman, the New York stockbroker and millionaire, who died mysteriously about six years ago at the Waldorf-Astoria, and whose death and the subsequent contest over his will between his brother and his widow furnished one of the greatest sensations of the day.

Through her confession the police learned that Courtland, for whom a reward of \$5000 is offered, is the notorious Dr. R. C. Flower, ex-cleptomaniac, healer and mining promoter, who is wanted in almost all the big cities of the United States for obtaining millions of dollars by fake financial schemes.

From the possessor of a fortune of a million dollars, Mrs. Hagaman says she has been reduced to the condition of a pauper through the deceit and trickery of Courtland or Flower, who she adds has obtained personally more than half a million in cash alone from her.

Intensifying the interest in this remarkable case, which bids fair to develop into one of the most amazing stories that has ever been recorded in the annals of crime in the world, are the appearance in it of two other mysterious characters, a Mrs. Courtland, who says she is the wife of Horace Courtland, and Chas. Edward Courtland, who claims to be a brother of Horace.

As told in the police court, the collapse of the latest gigantic swindling scheme with which Dr. Flower was connected and which brought him again into the clutches of the police, from which he has so often escaped, was caused by a foolish mistake of one of his associates in neglecting to pay a board bill.

Mrs. Pearl McKenzie, a boarding-house keeper, caused the arrest of the woman called Mrs. Courtland. Immediately the railroad detectives who had been trailing stolen baggage to this city and whose suspicions of Mrs. Courtland had been aroused, swooped down on her.

But for their efforts she would have escaped, for as soon as the case was called it was learned that Mrs. McKenzie's bill had been paid in full. The magistrate was about to dismiss the woman when the railroad detectives and the local police, with whom they had been working, made a protest that almost took the breath away from all who heard it.

"This woman has in her possession jewelry valued at thousands of dollars," shouted Chief of Police Werner. "If she goes free all is lost. The jewelry belongs to a Mrs. Lindsay and this woman has no right to it."

In astonishment the magistrate asked:

"Who is Mrs. Lindsay?"  
The chief explained she was a woman living in the Colonial boarding-house in this city, who had admitted she had been the financial support of a band of thieves, of which Mrs. Courtland and Horace R. Courtland were the leaders.

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### INSANE OVER PEACH CROP.

OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 12.—Going mad in a frenzy over a banner crop of peaches is the fate of Fred C. Breithaupt, son of H. Breithaupt, a well-known Damascus farmer. The boy is about 19 years of age and has been taken to the state insane asylum. On the Breithaupt place five acres were set out in peach trees, and this year they bore so plentifully that a \$2500 crop was taken off the small tract. Breithaupt and his sons worked early and late to pick the fruit and ship it to market, in order to supply the demand. The boy thought, talked and dreamed of peaches until his enthusiasm unbalanced his mind, but it is expected that treatment in the state hospital will bring about a return of his reason.

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