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BRYAN ASKS PERTINENT QUESTIONS

Charges Tammany With Either Impotency or a Failure to Work for Success of Democracy

LINCOLN, N.Y., Nov. 20.—That Tammany has either become impotent or did not work for the success of the democratic party are charges made by William J. Bryan in an article made public today, to appear in the forthcoming issue of the Commoner.

SUFFRAGETTES PLAN FUTURE CAMPAIGNS

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Active plans were begun today for the formation of a troop of women cavalry for the purpose of aiding in the breaking of police lines during the suffragette demonstrations.

At Christian Tabernacle

The great White-Langman meeting goes on with increasing interest and power. Every night witnesses splendid audiences at the Christian tabernacle.

French Cruiser Goes Ashore

PARIS, Nov. 20.—The French cruiser Conde was grounded off Jaccio, Corsica, today during the naval maneuvers.

COMPANY HAS UNTIL NOV. 21 TO COMPLETE PAVING

The contract with the Warren Construction company was signed on July 6, 1908. The contract specifies "the work shall commence within ten days..."

MANY WILL AID TO PROTECT FISH

Rogue River Fish Protective Association Receiving Much Support

Despite the rain, an enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the Rogue River Fish Protective Association was held Thursday evening in the rooms of the Medford Commercial club.

President Eynart stated that he was in receipt of letters from all parts of southern Oregon from anglers and fishermen, who applauded the efforts of the association and promised co-operation in their various localities.

The secretary was instructed to write to Senator Bourne and enlist his support, and to make formal application for trout fry for the various streams.

LATE LOCAL NEWS

Charles Turpin spent Thursday in Medford. He has just shipped two carloads of fancy apples 1250 boxes, from the Renshaw orchard, of which he is superintendent.

Miss Mildred Clemens, who conducted the Portland Journal's educational contest here last summer, won the Doremore gold medal for oratory at Portland last Friday evening.

Engineer Roberts, Superintendent Victor McCray of the Fish Lake company and Shirley Baker of the Redwood Pipe company are making an examination of the route of the proposed pipeline.

Robert G. Smith, the Grants Pass attorney, spent Friday in Medford on business.

J. E. Martin, manager of the Hillcrest orchard, has returned from a trip to Seattle.

Will H. Barry of Portland paid a flying visit to Medford Thursday and was much surprised to learn of his death. The Portland papers were authority for the demise, but it was the wrong Barry, the dead man being a Tacoma traveling man.

Joe Bamn, the representative at Medford of Fleishner & Company, the Portland dry goods jobbers, left Friday for a visit in California.

P. H. Holden, and wife of Portland are guests at the Nash.

John A. Albert of Portland spent Friday in Medford.

J. C. Pendleton and wife of Table Rock spent Friday in Medford.

G. E. Haight and wife of Yreka visit. G. E. Haight and wife of Yreka visit. G. E. Haight and wife of Yreka visit.

Will G. Steel of the Crater Lake company left Thursday evening for Portland.

A. Randall and Wes Green are planning a bear hunt in the Big Butte section.

William Brown of Talent spent Friday in Medford. He leaves Sunday for Myrtle Creek.

Ladies of the Greater Medford club give a social dance tonight in the Angle opera house.

John A. Karling, the noted cornet player of Jacksonville, was a recent Medford visitor.

Central Point is planning to have a band in the near future.

Stephen E. Jones of Big Butte was in Medford on business Thursday.

SESSION IS A BAD ONE FOR EX-BOSS

Attorney Ach Repeatedly Rebuked by Court for Attempting to Pin Witness Gallagher Down

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 20.—Repeated rebukes administered by Judge Lawlor to Attorney Henry Ach, who is appearing for ex-Boss Abe Ruef in the trial of the indicted boss on a charge of bribery, marked the entire morning session of the trial today.

The examination of James L. Gallagher, the prosecution's chief witness, was continued by Ach and it was because of Ruef's attorneys' attempt to impeach the witness by trying to pin him down to minute points of time and circumstances surrounding the matters testified to in direct examination that Judge Lawlor rebuked him.

Ach attempted to prove by Gallagher that Henry had asked him to go to Ruef after the supervisors had confessed and offer immunity if Ruef would testify against the "higher-ups."

"I went to Ruef on my own volition and not at the request of anyone," declared Gallagher stoutly.

The entire session was disastrous for Ruef. Gallagher remained unshaken in his story told on direct examination.

SURVEYORS AT WORK ON PERMANENT SURVEY

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Nov. 20.—Southern Pacific surveyors are now at work on the permanent survey for the railroad north from this city. About two years ago a preliminary survey was made and the fact that permanent lines are now being established gives positive assurance that the Klamath Falls-Natron road is to be built, and that the main line of the Southern Pacific between Portland and Sacramento will pass through Klamath Falls.

CHRONOLOGY OF PAVING SEVENTH STREET

- January 15, 1907—Mayor and new city council take office after being elected on a platform containing a pledge to have Seventh street paved.
May 23, 1907—Petition signed by property owners received by the council asking for paving of Seventh street.
January 1, 1908—Mayor's report filed in which is noted "The paving of Seventh street has been provided for and only awaits the arrival and laying of the water mains upon that street."
January 30, 1908—Committee consisting of Benjamin M. Trowbridge and P. C. Page sent to Portland to decide upon a pavement.
February 10, 1908—Committee reports. Recorder instructed to ask for bids on hard surface pavement. These bids provide for doing the work in 90 days, to be completed by October 1, 1908.
February 18, 1908—Road issue authorized for paving street inter-secting.
March 1, 1908—Time for receiving bids under first instructions expires.
March 25, 1908—Specifications providing for the manner in which Seventh street was to be paved presented and adopted, and ordinance passed.
May 5, 1908—Petition of property owners on Central avenue asking for paving of that street read by council. Received. Accepted and so ordered.
May 6, 1908—City purchases quarry at Jacksonville and a steam roller.
May 11, 1908—City enters into contract with R. R. V. Railroad company for hauling of rock.
June 9, 1908—Bids opened for paving. Warren Construction company given contract.
June 24, 1908—Work of laying water mains referred to in mayor's yearly report finished.
June 29, 1908—City attorney instructed to draw up legal papers for contract with Warren Construction company. Ordinance declaring cost and manner of assessment passed.
July 6, 1908—Contract with Warren Construction company signed. Contract allowing company use of quarry signed. Provides work should be completed within 120 days.
July 31, 1908—Curb completed to extent of 2162 lineal feet.
August 31, 1908—Work of putting in curb completed.
September 19, 1908—City quarry turned over to Warren Construction company after machinery had been put in and rock crushed.
October 5, 1908—Rock crushers at quarry first placed in operation by construction company.
October 6, 1908—City notified that company was loading plant for shipment to this city.
November 5, 1908—Plant is put in operation and material is first put on street.
November 21, 1908—Time limit specified under contract runs out. Penalty begins to run.
1908 12-15-1908—Work completed and mud on Seventh street thing of the past.

BENEFIT DANCE AT ANGLE HOUSE THIS EVENING

The ladies of the Greater Medford club has planned their second social dance of the season at the Angle opera house this evening. These dances should be come very popular, if the standard set by the first one is maintained.

PRaise FOR OREGON STONE

San Francisco Sculptor Sees Great Future for Oregon Quarries

That southern Oregon granite and marble will one day be of great commercial value on the Pacific coast and be famed for its quality is the opinion advanced by Arthur Putnam, the San Francisco sculptor, who has been visiting Medford for some days.

Mr. Putnam was shown specimens of black marble quarried over on the Applegate on some 300 acres of land controlled by Mr. Hicks, which he pronounced of great commercial value, inasmuch as the black marble used in building work at the present time is obtained in Belgium and shipped to the United States.

"This marble will some day prove of great commercial value," said Mr. Putnam, "owing to its accessibility and its scarcity in the United States. It is to be hoped that it may be quarried in quantities.

"The granite which is being worked by the local company is a splendid stone, being darker than the usual run of granite found on this coast, thus allowing a contrast to be shown between the polished and cut work. The stone industry will some day amount to a great deal to southern Oregon."

BILL AGAIN GIVES OUT INTERVIEW

Emperor Creates Sensation by Another Talk on the Yellow Peril—Has Understanding With Ted

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Another sensation has been created here by the publication of a story purporting to be an exact interview by Bayard Hall, the distinguished clergyman, traveler and writer, with Kaiser Wilhelm, on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, at Briga, Norway, July 19, and which was announced to appear in the December number of the Century magazine, but was later suppressed through the efforts of the German government.

The story printed says that the emperor talked with Dr. Hall several hours and he was very bitter against England and full of the "yellow peril."

The synopsis of the interview printed here says that the Kaiser declared that the English were traitors to the white man's cause.

He predicted that she would ultimately lose some of her colonies through her treaty with Japan.

The invitation to the American fleet of battleships to visit New Zealand was intended to serve notice on England that those colonies were with the white man and not with the renegade mother country.

There is a complete understanding between Emperor William and President Roosevelt on this point, the Kaiser said. They intend to divide the east against itself by becoming the recognized friends of China.

Every statesman now realizes the emperor declares, that Russia in her great struggle with Japan was really fighting the white man's cause—fighting it miserably.

Merchants plan great celebration on New Year's

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 20.—Leading retail merchants of this city began preparing today for the greatest New Year's celebration ever held in San Francisco.

WELLS-FARGO MAKE INCREASE IN RATES

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 20.—An advance of 9 per cent on rates on merchandise shipped between eastern and Pacific coast points in lots of 500 pounds or more by Wells, Fargo & Company is announced in notices of the express company.

Manager Bonnie of the Nash stables has purchased the Pierce residence on North Central avenue

THREE-QUARTERS OF AN INCH OF RAIN SO FAR

During the present rainstorm up until 6 o'clock Friday morning 75-100 of an inch of rain had fallen. Of this 39-100 fell during Thursday night.

TURNED OUT DITCH LIGHTS

Some Miscreant Tampered With Red Lights Marking Danger Spots

With a beautiful disregard of human life, some miscreant has been turning out the lights placed on trenches left open by Robert King, the plumber, who has the contract for tapping the water mains of the city for property owners.

The first time the lights were turned out Mr. King was at a loss to account for it, and thought some irresponsible boy had done the work.

The police have been notified and are keeping a watch on the lights. The man who thus endangers human life is justly entitled to be punished, which will be the result if he is caught.

Man and Wife Mix

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis, who have been seen during the past week at the popular playhouse, the Bijou, on West Seventh street, have furnished citizens of Medford extra diversion by engaging in a family quarrel.

Mr. Willard was well known as one of our best leading men, but this season he is playing a character part in a way to make the dramatic reviewers sit up and take notice.

FIRE BREAK OUT AFTER SLUMBERING FOR 18 YEARS

BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 20.—After slumbering for 18 years in the depths of the Never-Sweet mine of the Amalgamated Copper company, fires have taken a fresh start and are keeping miners from work.

Mrs. H. F. Foster of this city is enjoying the visit of her sisters, Mrs. S. C. Moore of Klamath Falls and Mrs. W. C. Hale of Grants Pass.

Messrs. Ed Skewis and George Hill singer of the Talent Orchard company have returned to their eastern home after a month's visit at Medford.

Cut this out and mail it with one dollar to Dr. Louis Bundy, treasurer, Medford, Or.

1908. Louis Bundy, Treasurer, Medford, Or. Enclosed find one dollar, one year's dues, for membership in the Rogue River Fish Protective Association, organized to protect fish in the Rogue river and its tributaries, secure needed legislation and restock the streams.

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BEGINS SUIT FOR \$20,000 AGAINST S P

Hazel Asks That Amount of Damage for Being Struck by a Locomotive Near Local Depot

Suit has been commenced by D. W. Hazel, by his attorneys, Robert G. Smith and E. E. Kelly, against the Southern Pacific Railroad company for \$20,000, as damages suffered by Hazel when struck by a freight engine just north of the local depot of the company on October 5.

A freight train drawn by engine 2513, was running north as an extra on the passing track eight cars north of the Southern Pacific depot, when it struck Hazel, who was on his way to work.

Spectators rushed to the aid of the unfortunate man, who was taken to his home in West Medford by Van Gilbert in an automobile.

AGED WOMAN SEEKS DIVORCE FROM SPOUSE

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Nov. 20.—With her golden wedding less than a year off, Mrs. Martha Winkler, 70 years of age, seeks a legal separation from her husband, David Winkler, 80 years of age, whom she married more than 49 years ago.

A Poor Relation at the Medford Theater Tonight

So! Smith Russell's famous old comedy, "A Poor Relation," is the attraction at the Medford Theater tonight and will doubtless draw a good house, despite the other counter attractions.

As to the piece itself, everybody knows that it served Sol Smith Russell for years as a starring vehicle and Russell shared with Joe Jefferson the honor of being America's premier comedian.

Mr. Willard was well known as one of our best leading men, but this season he is playing a character part in a way to make the dramatic reviewers sit up and take notice.

Prices for tonight's engagement are 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1. Curtain at 8:15 sharp and no one seated during the first act.

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