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APPROVAL IS GIVEN TO MOVE FOR NEW STATE

Tribune's Suggestion That New State Be Carved Out of Southern Oregon and Northern California Approved.

TELEGRAM DEVOTES COLUMN TO HISTORY OF MOVEMENT

Reasons for Secession Presented—Residents of Sections Seem Unanimous in Desire for New State.

The suggestion recently made in the Tribune that a new state be carved out of southern Oregon and northern California, bearing the name Siskiyou, is meeting with instantaneous approval by the people of the two sections, who are tired of being hampered in their desire for progress by other sections of the state. Several papers have come out and endorsed the plan, and now the Evening Telegram devotes a full column to the movement for secession and draws up in full the reasons for the movement. The movement is growing in favor and the people of the two sections are beginning to cry: "Better reside in a territory for a while, than in a state which is hampering us in every instance."

Tired of Being Slighted.

The Evening Telegram in summing up the reasons for the movement says among other things:

"Disgusted with being handicapped held back and harassed by Willamette valley people in general and Salem citizens in particular, secession from Oregon and the creation of a new state is being advocated in southern Oregon. Declaring that the southern part of Oregon is being neglected and that the northern part of California is similarly treated, the suggestion is made that southern Oregon and northern California pool their interests and carve out a state of their own, and the name offered is the state of Siskiyou."

"Agitation for the secession has already made its appearance in print in the territory affected, and the campaign will continue unless the people of southern Oregon are convinced that their interests can be better subserved by clinging to Oregon rather than in establishing a new commonwealth. The idea of a new state is meeting with favor in the extreme southern part of the Beaver state, and the people across the line in northern California are even now discussing the prospect."

The Reasons Why.

After noting at length from the Tribune's editorial, the Telegram goes on to say:

In such manner do they advocate divorce down Medford way, where large crops of first-class fruit have made the citizenry prosperous and anxious to be up-to-date. They complain of taxation without representation, and say that southern Oregon has no representation at the national capital, and has no state institutions and that when an appropriation is secured to make accessible its great natural wonders, like Crater Lake, and to secure the expenditure of millions of dollars by the federal government, the aid of the courts of the Willamette valley is secured to defeat the plan.

Hit at Portland.

Not only Salem, but Portland, too, is included in the kick. The capitalists of Portland are charged with neglecting southern Oregon, although that section pays commercial tribute to the Rose City, and that the Portlanders seeking investment ignore southern Oregon for the east. In short, southern Oregon says it

START WORK TO IMPROVE PARK SEPTEMBER 1ST

Ladies of Greater Medford Club Plan to Improve Block Near West School as Soon as Possible.

WATER TANK, OLD LAND MARK, SOON TO COME DOWN

Block Will All Be Parked and Will Contain Carnegie Library When Awarded to This City.

On or about September 1 the ladies of the Greater Medford club plan to commence work of improving the block between the West school and the present city park. The old water tank, which has been a landmark for many years, is to be torn down, the block parked and a new bandstand erected. As soon as the Carnegie library is awarded Medford it will be constructed in the center of the block.

It was planned to improve the park ere this time, but the club was forced to await such time as water was supplied from the gravity system so that the tank could be torn down. Now that the summer has taken many members of the club from the city, they will wait until September before undertaking the work.

PULLMANS ARE TO USE COAST LUMBER

Order 26,000,000 Feet From Pacific States for New Harriman Cars.

The Pullman company for the first time in its history has directly purchased lumber in California, Oregon and Washington, all of which is to be used in the construction of new passenger and freight cars for the Harriman roads.

The purchase amounts to 26,000,000 feet, the price being \$500,000.

When proposals were issued by the Chicago office of the Pullman company for the large lumber order, representatives of the Harriman system asked the Pullman people to favor Pacific coast lumbermen, conditions being equal.

This was done, and it developed that the successful bidders for 90 per cent of the material owned lumber mills on the lines of the Southern Pacific and the Oregon railway, two Harriman properties and the Astoria and Columbia, a Hill road. Their offers range all the way from 1,000,000 to 5,000,000 feet.

cannot realize on its assets, while claiming to be the richest in natural resources of any section of the state. In addition, the statement is made that the commercial interests are centered too far north to be of benefit to southern Oregon.

With this condition of affairs prevailing in Oregon, and a like situation prevalent in northern California, the cry has gone forth to carve out a new state, to be composed of the southern section of Oregon and the northern part of California.

And the Salem politicians are charged with the chief responsibility for the desire for a new commonwealth.

PLAN TO START 'SEEING MEDFORD' AUTO LINE SOON

Large Automobile to Be Ordered and Visitors Taken on Trip Through the Valley so They Can See the Sights.

WILL TAKE VISITORS TO BIG ORCHARDS OF VALLEY

All Historic Spots in Neighborhood of City to Be Visited—Should Be Encouraged by Local People.

Plans are now on foot for the inauguration of a "seeing Medford" auto line, which, if they do not miscarry, should result in great good. The plans of a recent arrival from the east, who for the present desires that his identity be not disclosed, are to purchase a huge bus automobile and take strangers in the city on an auto ride to all points of interest in the city and valley. One trip is to be made each day.

Among places of interest in the valley will be the various orchards, the summit of hills about the city, from which a view of the valley can be obtained, and places of historic interest, such as Jacksonville and other places. A man thoroughly informed will be placed in charge of each party.

Such a line would be of benefit to the valley in every way, for it will result in many, who would not otherwise do so, visiting and inspecting the resources of the city and valley.

PULLIAM SUCCEEDS IN ENDING LIFE

Baseball Magnate Passed Away From Self-Inflicted Pistol Wound.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Harry C. Pulliam, president of the National Baseball league, died at 7:30 this morning from a self-inflicted pistol wound in his room at the New York Athletic club. He shot himself last night. The ball entered his left temple and exited on the right side of his head.

Pulliam was the most prominent baseball official in years. It was known that he has been worried recently and was extremely nervous.

MONTGOMERY IMPROVES HIS LADIES' EMPORIUM

H. L. Montgomery, proprietor of the Montgomery's Ladies' Emporium, has just completed a number of improvements in his establishment which not only gives considerably more floor space, but adds materially to the appearance of the establishment and the facility to handle his largely increasing trade.

Among the improvements is a plate glass case 6x40 feet, designed for the purpose of displaying his line of ladies' suits. In addition to this a balcony has been constructed extending the full length, and across the rear of the building, which will be used as a millinery department and alteration rooms.

A rare treat for you tonight at the opera house—"The Mikado," with a cast of 20 people. Price 50c. Splendid features between acts by Professor Anton Rameroff, the great Hungarian violinist.

WAR CLOUDS HANG LOW AND DARK O'ER SPAIN

Government Now Fears Civil War More Than Defeat by Moors in Morocco—Troops Are Ordered Home.

SERIOUS UNREST SHOWN THROUGHOUT CAPITAL

King Alfonso Endeavors to Address Mob, but Is Greeted With Hoots and Jeers.

MADRID, July 29.—(Bulletin via Frontier)—It is indicated that the government fears a civil war more than defeat in Morocco by the strong forces and several warships which have been ordered to proceed at once to Barcelona. The uprising is becoming general throughout the province of Catalonia.

Spanish Troops Defeated.

GIBRALTAR, July 29.—Official advices from Melville show that the Spanish troops were overwhelmingly defeated by the Moors, who forced them to retreat and abandon their position.

A Spanish gunboat today captured a blockade runner containing 130 tribesmen.

Crowd Jeers King.

MADRID, July 29.—A large mob before the palace today shouted "Down with the king." Alfonso appeared in the balcony and was greeted with jeers and hoots, drowning his efforts to speak. He was forced to retire.

There is a serious unrest throughout the city.

'T WAS A DEER--A DEAR JERSEY CALF

Grants Pass Sherlock Holmes and Nick Carter Camp on Trail of Naughty Hunters.

The officers of the law in Grants Pass got on a hot trail last Monday morning and a bunch of warrants were issued for John Doe and Richard Roe and a general harvest of lawbreakers was anticipated. Word was brought to this city by a trainman that he had seen a deer hanging in the camp of some Italians that are working west of town in the granite pits, and the officers immediately got busy and had the warrants issued and in the boiling hot sun hotfooted it to the camp about three miles and all uphill. It was decided that if they could not find out who killed the deer that the whole bunch would be brought down. When the officers arrived at the camp they surrounded the same so that none of the Italians could get away, and one of them was detailed to search for the deer and when he found it to bring it back. Constable Cheshire was detailed to find the deer and he shortly returned and informed his brother officers that all he found was a Jersey calf. And the officers walked back, and now wonder whether Andy played a joke on them or not.

The only way to make money is to save it, and the best way to save it is to buy your teas, coffee and spices of the Southern Oregon Tea and Coffee Co. Phone 3303.

DR. LANE HERE ON TRIP TO CRATER LAKE

Ex-Mayor of Portland Will Spend Three Months on Camping Trip Throughout Southern Oregon.

SAYS HE IS OUT OF POLITICS; OUT FOR FUN

Buying Team and Complete Camping Outfit—Accompanied by His Wife and Family.

Dr. Harry Lane, ex-mayor of Portland, and a prospective candidate for governor, arrived in Medford on Thursday, accompanied by his wife and daughter, and spent the day preparing for a three months' camping trip to Crater Lake and the mountains. He busied himself in buying a team and wagon, camping outfit and supplies, and spent the afternoon at Jacksonville on business.

Thursday evening Dr. Lane and family will be the guests at dinner of W. M. Colvig. It will be a day or two before his camping outfit is completed.

"I am here only for recreation," said Dr. Lane. "My trip has no political significance. I am out of politics. I am worn out and want to get away for a rest and we could think of no more delightful place to visit than Crater Lake."

SHOW ATTACHED WHILE IN CHICO

Murray and Mack Forced to Close Season in Chico Owing to Unpaid Bills.

A dispatch from Chico to the Sacramento Bee under date of July 27 tells the following tale regarding Murray and Mack's show which failed to appear to fill its date in this city:

Murray & Mack's show suffered a periodical attachment in this city at midnight last night. Between acts at the performance before a good house Manager E. E. Foote announced the company would close the season in Chico.

At 11 o'clock unsatisfied claims for salary caused the members to arouse Justice M. H. Strout and at 12 o'clock attachments calling for about \$400 were issued and served. It is stated a preliminary settlement was \$2 each and fare to San Francisco. The amounts varied from \$27 to \$57.

MAY ESTABLISH A PRE-COOLING PLANT

LODI, July 29.—Professor Powell, head of the United States Transfer and Storage experimental bureau, accompanied by Professor Stubbs, arrived in Lodi yesterday. Mr. Stubbs conducted the experimental station here last year. It is the intention of the government officials to establish a pre-cooling apparatus in connection with the experimental station. This pre-cooling arrangement was designed by the department at Washington and is similar to the Southern Pacific's plant at Rocklin. A number of tests will be made during the coming season and a great deal of valuable data will be gathered for the benefit of the growers.

GREAT TIME IS PROMISED TO CRACK SHOTS

Committee Appointed to Take Charge of Every Detail of Big Shoot in September.

VISITORS WILL BE SHOWN THE TIME OF THEIR LIVES

Medford Rod and Gun Club Will Have General Charge of Entertainment.

At an enthusiastic meeting held in the Commercial club room Wednesday evening, committees were appointed to begin work preparatory to entertaining the crack shots of America at the meeting of the Pacific Indians in Medford next September.

The Medford Rod and Gun club will have general charge of the entertainment and act as a committee of reception. The officers of the club are T. E. Daniels, president; Dr. Seely, vice-president; J. C. Bigham, manager; J. R. Wright, secretary and treasurer, the latter being elected to fill the vacancy caused by the departure of B. M. Collins.

Auto owners of Medford will be asked to furnish autos to give the visitors a sight-seeing trip of the valley, and ladies of the Greater Medford club will be asked to assist in special entertainments.

A burlesque parade is among the features scheduled for entertainment and arrangements are under way to secure Indians from the Klamath reservation to give war dances and special features.

The following committees were named:

Accommodations—Johnson and Rau.
Grounds—Bordeaux, Heard, Bigham, Minard, Hellman and Peyton.
Fruit—Whisler, Perry, Olwell, Tiers, Parsons, Hopkins, Barkdull.
Refreshments—Wilson, Wright, Conroy, Patterson, Pickel.
Parade—Withington, C. L. Reames, Jacobs.

Amusements—Colvig, Hazelrigg, Orth, Hammersley, Bartlett, Root, Connor, Miller, Hough.

Printing—Tribune, Mail.
Decorations—Daniels, Dr. Ray, Bordeaux, Johnson, Van Dyke, Weeks & McGowan, Medford Furniture Co., Toggery Bill, Richardson, Montgomery.

Executive—Wright, Hager, Heard, Seely, Enyart.

"MIKADO" ADVANCE SALES ARE GOOD

Many People Taking Advantage of Popular Prices to See Presentation of the Opera.

The advance sale for "The Mikado" which is on tonight at the Medford, is exceptionally heavy, many evidently wishing to take advantage of the excellent entertainment offered by Manager Walters this evening. In the first place, James Stevens and Mrs. Clayton will get their first chance with a Medford audience and between acts Professor Anton Rameroff will render several selections on the violin. In consequence a large audience will result.

Tonight's performance will probably be the best as yet put on by the Boston Ideals.