

OREGON'S GOVERNOR ON MORAL CRUSADE

Chief Executive Declares War on Vice Conditions in City of Portland.

Portland.—"I'm prepared to go down the line on the enforcement of the law in Portland and I am here to ask your co-operation. If I don't get that, I will go it alone, and from now on I will be on the job every minute as long as I am in office. I will clean up Portland if it takes me until January 3, 1915."

With this declaration, Governor West announced his crusade against vice in Portland, at a meeting with the mayor, chief of police, district attorney and members of the municipal association and vice commission at the office of the mayor. Sheriff Stevens did not attend the meeting, sending word that he was too busy.

During the whole session the air was charged with tension. Governor West sweepingly declared that none of the city or county authorities had been doing their duty.

Governor West announced the appointment of Walter H. Evans as special deputy in District Attorney Cameron's office to handle vice cases, and declared his intention of appointing Tom Word, W. H. Fitzgerald and other candidates for election as sheriff as deputies to aid in law enforcement.

Sheriff Robert L. Stevens takes the position that he has been performing the duties of his office according to the requirements of law, and will not recognize the governor's right to interfere with him in that work.

District Attorney Cameron issued a formal statement in which he attacked the governor's activity in Portland and assumed an attitude of defiance toward the governor's declaration of intention to place special deputies in his office to prosecute the vice cases.

ROOSEVELT MUST WAIT

Senate Committee Unable to Arrange Early Hearing.

Washington.—Colonel Roosevelt will not have an opportunity to answer John D. Archbold's statements before the senate in committee investigating campaign expenditures until late in September.

Senator Clapp, chairman of the committee before which Mr. Archbold told his story of having contributed \$100,000 to the Roosevelt fund in 1904, telegraphed Colonel Roosevelt that the committee would not be able to hear him, as the colonel desired.

COLONEL TO WRITE FULL STATEMENT

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—Having failed to obtain a hearing before the senate committee investigating campaign contributions because of the inability of the committee to get together, Colonel Roosevelt plans to write the committee a letter, embodying some of the things to which he would have testified.

He reiterated his declaration that he knew nothing of a contribution by Mr. Archbold, of the Standard Oil company, to the republican campaign of 1904.

Mr. Archbold testified that he understood Colonel Roosevelt knew about and endorsed the Standard Oil contributions which came through the late Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the republican national committee.

Four in Auto Rob Bank.

Vancouver, B. C.—Four masked robbers entered the Cedar Cottage branch of the Bank of Hamilton at 9 o'clock Saturday night and while three of them held up the officials, the fourth man rifled the cash drawer, besides taking about \$400 lying on the teller's desk.

T. R. MEN PLAN TO FIGHT

Eastern Washington Convention Endorses Full County Tickets.

Spokane.—Roosevelt progressives representing the 11 eastern counties of Washington met here and discussed the question of putting county tickets in the field. All were agreed on the proposal to support an entire state ticket, but representatives from Pend d'Oreille, Franklin and Adams counties protested vehemently against nominating county tickets.

A vote on this proposal was strongly in favor of the new party county tickets, but it was expressly stipulated that this decision was not binding on the individual counties.

Tobacco Used Liberally in California.

San Francisco.—California consumes more high grade cigars and tobacco per capita than any other section of the United States, according to Percival S. Hill, president of the American Tobacco company, who is in this city on a visit.

GOVERNOR WEST



Governor West, of Oregon, who has announced a crusade against vice in Portland, declaring local officials have not been doing their duty.

Brief News of the Week

Petitions to abolish hanging in California have so far failed, and Governor Johnson refuses longer to grant reprieves.

Bids will be opened September 3 at Portland, Seattle and San Francisco for 10,000 tons of hay and 8000 tons of oats for shipment to the Philippines.

Japan's building at the Panama Pacific exposition will cost \$1,000,000, will occupy four acres, filled with rare plants and flowers, and will be a permanent gift to the people of the United States.

To accommodate travelers of moderate means, the Southern Pacific has put into operation a "lunch counter car" between San Francisco and Los Angeles, the first ever put into service on an American railroad.

Affairs in Nicaragua are growing worse daily. It is now apparent that more American bluejackets and marines must be landed on Nicaraguan soil if the safety of American life and property are to be assured.

The United States fuel ship Jupiter, the first electrically driven sea-going vessel ever built and the largest ship of every description ever laid down on the Pacific coast, has been launched at Mare Island navy yard.

People in the News

Orville Wright, flying a hydroplane in an experimental flight at Dayton, Ohio, took an unexpected plunge into the Miami river when making a turn, and was only saved from death by the shallowness of the stream.

A plea to negroes to cease depending on uncertain jobs as a means of livelihood and to enter farming and commercial lines was made by Dr. Booker T. Washington in an address before the National Negro Business league.

Miss Dora Keen, of Philadelphia, who led an expedition up Mount Blackburn, reaching the summit May 19 and removing it from the list of Alaska's unsealed peaks, has arrived in Seattle on her way home from the north. Miss Keen says the mountain is 17,500 feet high, instead of 16,140 as shown on the maps.

Political News Bits

Speaker Clark will stump Maine for Governor Wilson this week.

Women's departments have been opened in New York for each of the political parties.

A Roosevelt progressive candidate will contest the re-election of Representative Longworth, a son-in-law of Colonel Roosevelt.

With the idea that the country is tired of stumping tours, Governor Wilson has announced that his present plans call for few campaign speeches.

Senator Dixon denies the charge of Senator Penrose that \$3,000,000 had been raised by George W. Perkins to secure Roosevelt's nomination as the republican candidate for president. Dixon says the amount spent did not exceed \$160,000.

It is reported that Rudolph Spreckels, of California, and John J. Blaine, of Wisconsin, both supporters of United States Senator La Follette in his campaign for the republican presidential nomination, have agreed to head an organization to work for Woodrow Wilson in the presidential campaign.

Official count of the Kansas primary gives Colonel Roosevelt a majority of 34,000 over President Taft. Governor Stubbs was nominated for United States senator, although Senator Curtis received a popular majority of 1050, the nomination being made by legislative districts.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Union county will have no progressive ticket.

Work will soon begin on the \$10,000 hospital to be built at Dallas.

Albany's first industrial school fair which closed Saturday proved an unqualified success.

The management of the Harney county fair expects the best fair ever held, because of the unusual support offered.

The sundry civil appropriation bill, as finally agreed to by both houses, gives \$33,000 for roads and bridges in Crater Lake Park.

Many of the business places in Portland voluntarily closed Monday during the funeral of the late Postmaster Charles R. Merriek.

Walter Waltonen, a fisherman, was drowned in the Columbia river, a short distance below Tongue Point, near Astoria, Friday.

H. E. Roberts, sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Donald Stewart, was reprieved by Governor West until Friday, December 13.

Twelve hundred men, regulars and guardsmen, are playing the war game at Fort Stevens, and day and night the camp is prepared for action.

Mill No. 1 of the Falls City Lumber company, located two miles from Falls City, was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$80,000 and throwing 125 men out of work.

The Indian bill, as finally adopted, carries \$55,000 to settle Chinook and Tillamook Indian claims, and \$199,500 for maintaining Indian agencies and schools in Oregon.

A serious accident occurred on the jetty trestle at the mouth of the river when two locomotives, Nos. 14 and 15, collided at the jetty sands, and three men were injured.

The salmon season closed Sunday along the Columbia river and reports indicate that a big shortage is shown as compared with last season. Estimates of the loss range from 30 to 40 per cent.

The state board has appointed Dr. Wilson McNary of Portland as superintendent of the eastern Oregon insane asylum. For 18 years Dr. McNary was engaged at the state asylum at Salem.

The general deficiency appropriation bill reported to the senate carried the Chamberlain amendment appropriating \$193,543 to pay the war claim of the state of Oregon against the federal government.

Senator Chamberlain has made the following nominations of candidates for admission to the United States Naval academy in 1915: Irvine French, Enterprise, principal; Conrad L. Jackson, Portland, first alternate.

Major McIndoe, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., has issued specifications for the delivery of 350,000 tons of rock at Fort Stevens for use on the south jetty at the mouth of the Columbia. Bids will be opened September 25.

The gasoline schooner Welhelmina, which struck on the Siuslaw bar while attempting to cross in Thursday afternoon, broke her rudder and went on the beach half a mile to the north of the entrance, will probably be saved.

The voters of Milwaukie turned down both amendments to the town charter as prepared by the city council to condemn property for street and sewer purposes. The vote on this amendment was 50 for and 95 against.

During the past few weeks there has been unusual activity in timber lands in Oregon. It is estimated that between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 has been invested in Oregon timber, the larger part of which being eastern capital.

A \$100,000,000 corporation has been organized at Los Angeles to develop the potash deposits of Oregon. A 40 year lease has been secured on Sumner and Albert lakes which hold, according to estimates, 3,500,000 tons of potash salts in a soluble state.

Finding himself unable to collect small credits aggregating the sum of \$85, which he has extended to the public during the past year in the filing of papers in his department, Corporation Clerk Babcock has declared that he will abolish the credit system.

The bill confirming title of all innocent purchasers who acquired lands from the Oregon & California railroad company is now a law, it having been signed by the president. The bill confirms every action thus far taken by the department of justice against the railroad company.

Joseph Johnson, a brakeman on one of the Chapman Timber company's trains, was killed at the camp, 10 miles west of Scappoose. Johnson was helping to load a donkey engine onto a flat car when the heavy skid of the moving donkey truck struck him, crushing him against the front of the locomotive.

To tap a stand of 12,000,000 feet of the finest Douglas fir in existence, the Silver Falls Lumber company will begin immediate construction of a 25 mile logging road, built on main line standards, southeasterly from Silverton, at a cost of \$500,000. Contracts for grading, ballasting and tracklaying have been let to Flagg & Standifer of Portland.

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S. R. COOPER, Agent

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$29,835 03	Capital Stock, paid in	\$50,000 00
United States Bonds	12,500 00	Surplus fund, earned	50,000 00
Bank & remittance, etc.	12,540 12	Undivided profits, earned	37,724 56
Cash & Due from banks	210,924 04	Circulation	8,800 00
		Deposits	385,099 63
	\$331,424 19		\$331,424 19

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W. A. BOOTH, Pres.

D. F. STEWART, Vice-Pres.

C. M. ELKINS, Cashier

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PRINEVILLE, OREGON

Assets		Liabilities	
Loans and Discounts	\$129,870 26	Capital paid in full	\$50,000 00
Overdrafts	2,511 88	Surplus	10,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	2,292 44	Undivided profits	2,860 29
Real estate	6,706 00	Deposits	140,140 75
Cash on hand and due from banks	\$47,809 95		
	\$188,990 53		\$188,990 53

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