

ELECTION FACES LEGAL TANGLE

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the enemies of that institution should the people approve the measure.

Drys Also Interested.

The fact that in many precincts the home-rule amendment will also be invoked to get a "wet or dry" vote, adds interest to the possibility of legal conflict following the election.

In fact, if the question is raised, the result of the election on any measure on the ballot would be held up.

Won't Cross Bridges

"I am not going to cross any bridges until I come to them," said the county clerk.

LOCAL MAN IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION IN CALIFORNIA

Information has been received in the city that L. B. Talley, former Oregon City resident, had broken his leg while at work in California.

TRADE IS SLOW IN ALL CATTLE MARKETS

Receipts for the week at Portland stock yards have been: Cattle 1271, calves 26, hogs 2120, sheep 1478.

Market for shelled swine has been a degree firmer this week, and \$5.50 to \$5.60 was bid freely for this class.

FIRM TONE GENERAL THROUGH MARKETS

The general tone of the potato market is better than it has been for several days and conditions are reported to be materially improved.

Steady prices and firm tone in celery were noted yesterday in the markets with arrivals rather free for the day.

The trade was not at all brisk in country killed meats and veal showed itself particularly slow through the day.

MEATS SHOW SLUMP IN PRICE AND TONE

There is a rather weak tone in the market for country killed meats and prices are again sharply lower.

The market for country killed hogs has been holding fairly well the last few days with extreme tops bringing as high as 30c.

PEOPLE SHOULD GUARD AGAINST APPENDICITIS

Oregon City people who have stomach and bowel trouble should guard against appendicitis by taking simple laxative.

COUNCIL WANTS CHARTER FIXED

BELIEVES IT SHOULD HAVE THE POWER TO DETERMINE ALL OF THE CITY SALARIES

PAY HAS BEEN FAR BEYOND LIMIT

Claim Made That Fathers Had no Right to Raise Remuneration Above Amount Settled By Present Law

Amendments to the charter of the city are proposed that will make the salaries of most of the city officers legal.

The city council has determined to submit to the voters of the city at a special election the question of whether or not the charter should be so amended as to enable the council to give such salaries as in its judgment, the services of the officers are actually worth.

The salaries of the chief of police, the city attorney, and the city recorder, as well as the other officials under the supervision of the council have for several years, it is said, been beyond the legal limit as allowed by the present city charter.

The plan originally was to have the question voted upon next month at the regular election but the council found that the time in which referendum matters could be submitted had passed and that there was no other alternative but to wait for another election or call a special one.

The council also believes in making the denominations small enough so the average householder can place his money in city bonds and can make his investments in securities for municipal works.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

OREGON CITY, Ore., Oct. 2, 1913.

(Editor of The Enterprise)—A one-sided campaign of publicity, advertising, and misrepresentation has been carried on in your columns in regard to the deadlock between the county judge and the physicians of the county.

There are about eighteen well-educated and thoroughly competent regular physicians in the county, all graduates of regular medical colleges.

It is certainly not arrogating too much to assume that they are better qualified to recommend a competent physician for health officer than a county judge, three ministers and a lawyer or two.

The county judge in his wisdom chose to ignore both these indispensable qualifications, and for the first time in the history of the United States, appointed a party not only disqualified by law, from the use of drugs, disinfectants, anti-toxin, vaccination, and the numerous other remedies which scientific medicine has blessed the human race, but also distinctly "persona non grata" to every regular physician in the county.

The ministers too, have a "ministerial association," from which every person not strictly "orthodox" is rigidly excluded; no Unitarian, Universalist, Jew, Holy Roller nor Liberal "need apply."

Strangers that they refuse the same privilege to physicians to exclude all irregulars from their "communion."

EFFORT.

If any misanthrope were to put in my presence the question, "Why were we born?" I should reply, "To make an effort."

SULZER CLOSES HIS CASE IN COURT

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The defense in the Sulzer impeachment case rested this afternoon without calling the governor to the stand.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Governor Sulzer showed signs of extreme nervousness today and his friends were worried by fears of a complete breakdown.

Under cross-examination today, Louis Sarcey, Sulzer's campaign manager and stenographer, was forced to further somewhat damaging admissions.

NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE WILL BE TAUGHT

PENDLETON, Ore., Oct. 8.—Pendleton is to have a school wherein the Nez Perce Indian language will be taught.

Rev. J. M. Cornelison, for 13 years a missionary among the three tribes on the Umatilla reservation, will open the school in response to a demand from merchants, lawyers, bankers, and clerks who have daily dealings with the Indians.

Rev. Cornelison plans to open his school Friday, October 17, and to hold classes weekly, or oftener if the students desire, through the winter.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL IS AN EPOCH MAKING EVENT

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 3.—"There will never be another impeachment trial in this country," said Governor Sulzer.

The central figure in the most important impeachment trial since that of Andrew Johnson—some good lawyers hold that in its bearing on constitutional law this Sulzer case is even greater—stopped in pacing up and down the floor of his office in the executive mansion to shake an emphatic forefinger at his caller.

DOMINGO MUST USE EMERGENCY BRAKES

SANTO DOMINGO, Oct. 8.—The American Minister to the Dominican Republic, James M. Sullivan, has issued the warning that in this country to sign a peace pact and the resolution headed by General Horatio Vasquez against the government of the provisional President, Jose Berdas Valdez, is at an end.

THE AMERICAN MINISTER'S ACTION IS THE FIRST SUCCESSFUL APPLICATION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S NEW LATIN AMERICAN POLICY WITH REGARD TO THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, WHICH IS TO THE EFFECT THAT FORCE OF ARMS NEVER AGAIN CAN SETTLE ANY QUESTION IN THIS COUNTRY.

Mr. Sullivan has made it known that the last civil war in this republic has been fought. In the future any uprising, he says, will be stamped out as criminal without a conference between the opposing factions, the United States government supporting the constitutional authority against force, regardless of the merits of the issue.

EIGHT COUNTIES JOIN FOR GREAT DISPLAY

Preliminary plans have been made, the first meeting has been held, and a conference is being arranged for uniting the eight Willamette valley counties of Clackamas, Lane, Linn, Benton, Marion, Polk, Yamhill and Washington, for the purpose of making an all-Willamette valley exhibit at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco in 1915.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Senator Cummins outlined today in part the reform plans of the so-called "conciliation committee" of republicans and progressives which hopes to bring about the holding of a National republican convention early in 1914.

MINERS FIGHT MILITIA IN THE TRINIDAD DISTRICT

TRINIDAD, Colo., Oct. 8.—Militiamen, deputized as sheriffs, were patrolling the miners' colony at Ludlow today as a result of yesterday afternoon's pistol and rifle battle between deputies and strike sympathizers.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

WISDOM OF THE BEAR. Young Lady—Will the young man I am engaged to make a good husband? Fortune Teller—It's up to you to make a good husband of him. All had husbands, my dear, are self-made.—New York World.

CHILDLESS WOMEN

These women cure children, now happy and physically well with healthy children will tell how Julia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made all the difference.

"Our first baby is strong and healthy and we attribute this to the timely use of your Compound."

"I have three children and look your Compound each time."

"I have a lovely baby boy and you can tell every day that he is a 'Pinkham' baby."

"I have one of the finest baby girls you ever saw."

"I have a fine strong baby daughter now."

"I have a big, fat, healthy boy."

SHRINERS MASS AT THE STATE FAIR IN SALEM

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—The largest bunch of Shriners ever in Salem is here today attending the state fair.

TEN FEET OF COAL HOLDS MINER PRISONER IN SHAFT

CENTRALIA, Pa., Oct. 3.—With only 10 feet of coal separating him from freedom, Thomas Toshiyky, confined since last Friday in the Continental coal mine here, will be released this afternoon, according to the announcement of the officials.

FATHER TAKES POISON WHEN SON KNOCKS HIM DOWN

UNION, Ore., Oct. 8.—Knocked down by his young son while attempting to beat the boy's mother yesterday afternoon, John T. Rich brooded over the incident for a few moments and then took a large dose of bichloride of mercury.

MASKED MEN ENTER SALOON AND PISTOL DUEL FOLLOWS

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 3.—Two masked men entered the saloon of J. L. Muldoon last night and commanded him to throw up his hands.

GOLDEN-HAIRED BABY IS DEAD AND MAN HELD

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—An unidentified golden haired baby lies dead in the morgue with a bruise on the side of the head.

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ZULU PRINCE TAKES YEAR AT HARVARD

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 6.—A Zulu Prince, an ex-president's son, an Indian and several millionaires make the entering freshman class at Harvard more interesting if not larger than classes of former years.

There is Archie Roosevelt, second son of the colonel, living on the Gold Coast, in Clavery Hall, where his older brother, Kermit, lived.

PRINCE G. H. WOLO, of Zululand, has not come here with a pension from his royal government, but is to earn money as other Harvard students have earned it—waiting at table in Foxcroft Hall.

W. T. Junna, of Southern India, represents Asia in this class. He is an Indian, studying here, and is rooming in the most democratic of the college dormitories.

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MANUFACTURERS MUST PUT BUSINESS ON BETTER BASIS

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 7.—Declaring that he had become "weary" of reading about American enterprise, William Whitman, a New York cotton merchant, expatriated the cotton manufacturers of the United States in a speech before the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers.

The theme of Mr. Whitman's address was "The New Tariff and Foreign Competition." He declared that the American manufacturer would be forced into foreign competition whether they liked it or not, and that unless they eliminated their "siphoned methods" figure in the markets of the great fields in the markets of the world.

After citing several cases tending to show that British manufacturers are more alert to business opportunities than are their American brothers, the speaker affirmed that the American manufacturer, instead of possessing the bold enterprise for which he is famous, is, in reality, so timid and over-cautious that opportunities are continually passing him by.

Mr. Whitman said there was nothing in the new tariff to be afraid of if the manufacturers would wake up and thoroughly prepare themselves to meet the foreign competition which the new tariff will greatly increase.

One of the prime causes for the great waste in the manufacture and marketing of cotton in this country he thought was due to the scattered condition of the factories. They stretch from Maine to Texas, said he, and the only way to offset this tremendous disadvantage is to establish an exchange in New York similar to the Royal Cotton Exchange at Manchester, England, and run along the same lines.

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TARIFF WONT CUT THE COST OF LIVING

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The Daily Mail, in an editorial this morning, thinks that both the American people, who anticipate a reduction in the cost of living from the new tariff and British manufacturers who imagine that it will open fresh and profitable markets for their goods, are alike destined to be disappointed because customs duties are only one of the complex factors affecting prices and the duties still will be generally high enough to preserve the bulk of the home market to American manufacturers.

"The passage of the bill, however," adds the paper, "has renewed the national fiscal policy from the grip of privilege and proves that at times the people really do rule."

The morning papers, commenting on the signing of the tariff bill, take pains to explain as the Morning Post phrases it, "that it is absurd to pretend that the democratic policy has any connection with the tenets of Cobdenism," but are in full agreement with the liberal organs in ascribing the success of the passage of the bill to the skill of President Wilson.

The Post expresses apprehension that President Wilson's very scheme may be dangerous for the democrat for America since 1865, and in President Wilson's America has produced the most courageous as well as the most constructive statesman in the world today.

PROSECUTION ASKS CHANGE TO REOPEN SULZER CASE

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 6.—The prosecution in the impeachment trial of Governor Sulzer asked permission this afternoon to reopen their case and call Allan A. Ryan, D. V. McGlone and two other witnesses.

WEST'S LAWYERS DECLARE NO STATUTES WERE BROKEN

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—Declaring there was no violation of law or misappropriation of funds by the members of the state board, Attorneys Claude McCulloch and John McNary, representing Governor West, Secretary of State Olcott and State Treasurer Kay, today vigorously attacked the complaint filed by Attorney J. M. Crawford on behalf of the state to recover practically \$118,000 alleged to have been unlawfully expended from the penitentiary, "revolving fund."

SUPREME COURT PASSES ON EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY ACT

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 7.—The extent to which an employer is required under the employer's liability law to assume the responsibility for the condition and character of the equipment furnished employees with which to work, is pointedly set out in an opinion of the supreme court handed down today in the case of Arthur Ashtakis vs. Melanis & Reed company, appellant.

CUSTOM OFFICERS NOW UP AGAINST NEW TARIFF

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Custom officers throughout the country today grappled with the task of administering the new tariff bill. It was predicted it would be running smoothly within ten days.

TECHNICALLY THE STATUTE BECOMES EFFECTIVE TODAY, but collectors were advised to assess temporarily under the act the immediate importation of merchandise. The new rates will be figured out later.

MERCHANDISE WORTH \$75,000,000 in 1913 is held in bonded warehouses awaiting the new law. It will not be released until the collectors receive copies of the new measure.