

TAFT AIDES MAKE BRIBERY CHARGE

MCKINLEY SAYS ROOSEVELT MEN ARE TRYING TO WIN BY FORCE

TALK OF COLONEL BOLTING GROWS

Leaders Anxious For Compromise Candidate To Cement Differences Between Two Factions In Party

CHICAGO, June 12.—Differences between Taft and Roosevelt leaders borne on a tide of charges of bribery, theft and other accusations, threatened tonight to precipitate decisive developments before the opening of the Republican National convention next Tuesday.

Charges of corruption were made in a statement to the press given out tonight by Director McKinley, of the Taft bureau, which accuses Roosevelt managers of an effort to capture the convention by force.

PRESIDENT ASKED TO AID VOLCANO VICTIMS

CORDOVA, Alaska, June 12.—It is thought that nearly 200 persons are homeless in the volcanic district.

At a mass meeting held here this morning a request was received and acted upon from Seward to join in a petition to President Taft for funds for the sufferers.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 12.—Cables received here indicate that Kodiak on Kodiak island has suffered severely by the eruption of Mount Katmai.

SHUBEL TEAM WINS 2 GAMES IN ONE DAY

The Shubel baseball team, which has not lost a game this year, won two games Sunday. The team defeated Union Hall Sunday morning 14 to 2.

JACK LEWIS, HURT, IS COMING HOME

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200,000 WITNESS BIG AUTO PARADE

PROCESSION MORE THAN SIX MILES LONG IS CHEERED BY THROGS

ELECTRICAL PAGEANT POSTPONED

Stirring Music Rendered As Decorated Cars Pass—Floral Caravan Is Most Attractive Ever Given

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That Portland has more automobiles considering population, than any other American city, was easy to believe after seeing the vivid pageantry of this afternoon.

At Thirteenth and Burnside streets the automobiles in all their glowing magnificence of decoration began congregating even before noon.

By 1 o'clock the streets leading to the point of formation were congested. Only the careful planning perfected weeks ago by Oliver K. Jeffery, chairman of the parade committee, made it possible for one painting machine after another to bear its burden of beauty into the line of march and through the great crowds—the greatest ever assembled in the Rose City.

The cheering, in fact, became a prominent feature of the parade. It was a murmur of approval at the beginning of the parade. It increased in volume as the streets farther down town were reached.

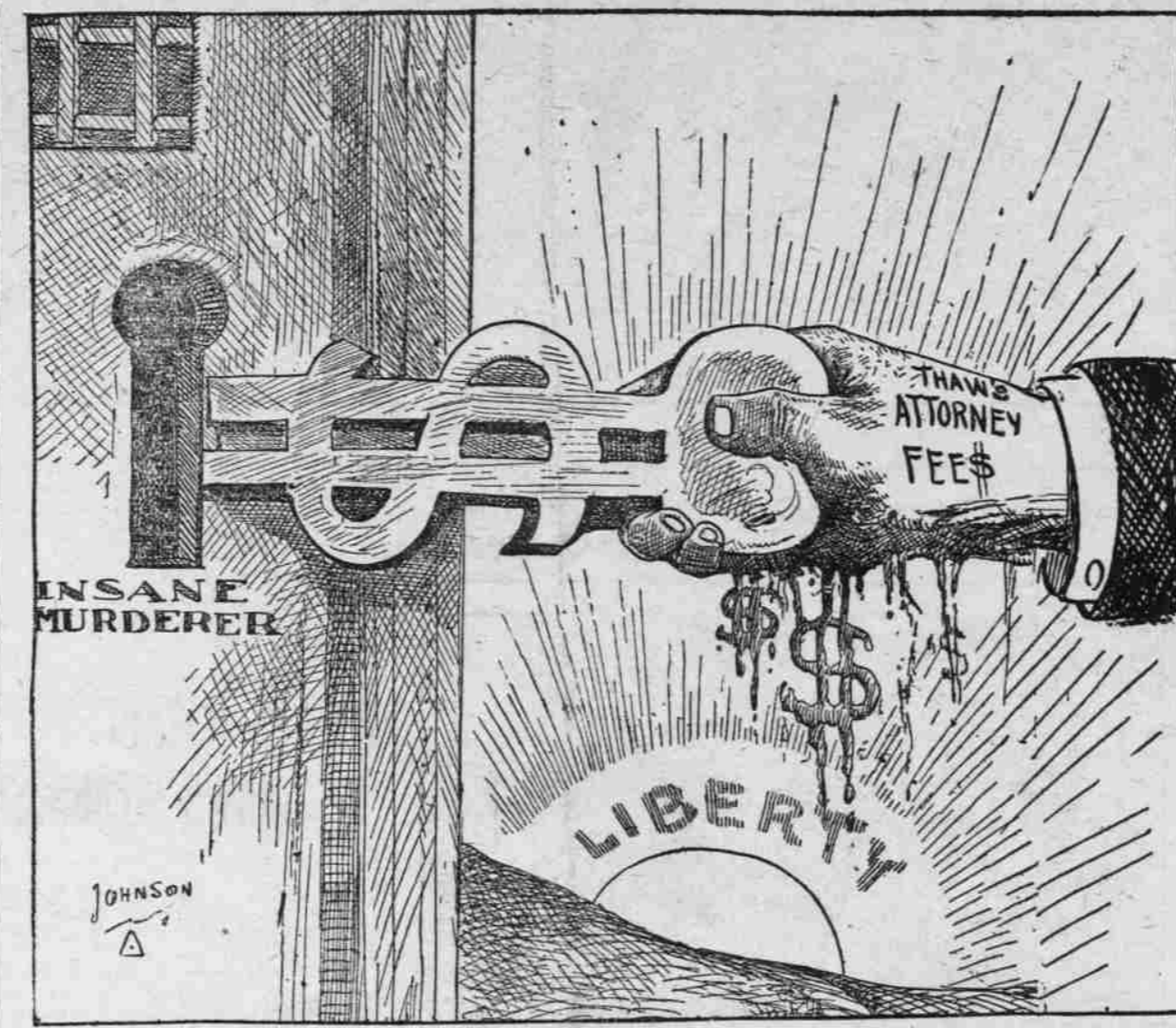
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JUSTICE VERSUS CASH.



WILL THE KEY FIT?



Photo by American Press Association. WILLIAM BARNES, JR.

OREGON CITY ROCK BEST FOR STREETS

That there is excellent rock in Oregon City with which to build Macadam streets was the announcement made Wednesday by Professor Parks, head of the Department of Mining of the Oregon Agricultural college.

HUSBAND ALLEGES WIFE STRUCK HIM

Alleging that his wife frequently struck him and finally deserted him Carden Smith, a well-to-do farmer, through Attorneys Brownell & Stone, Wednesday filed suit for divorce against Cora E. Smith.

MRS. JAMES BURROWS DIES IN SELLWOOD

Mrs. James Burrows, formerly of this city but recently of Sellwood died at the Sellwood Hospital Wednesday morning, after an illness of several months.

AGRICULTURAL YEAR BOOK TO BE SENT TO FARMERS

The Department of Agriculture at Washington has issued its 1911 Agricultural Year Book, a bound volume of several hundred pages containing much interesting and instructive information regarding agriculture, horticulture, stock raising, etc.

Oregon City Is Given Just Praise

(Morning Oregonian) Oregon City, not to be outdone—as indeed it should not be by Portland, on a scale commensurate with size—had a rose show, a baby exhibition, an automobile parade and a children's pageant Saturday, in which the historic city fairly outdid itself in its grand display of roses, of babies, of automobiles and of children.

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NAVAL MILITIA IS TO BE DISBANDED

GOVERNOR PLANS DRASTIC ACTION TO PUT END TO SHEPHERD AFFAIR

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD TODAY

Controversy Over Cruiser Boston Is Cause Of Agreement—Agreement Provides For Returning Of Ship

SALEM, Or., June 12.—Governor West will issue orders tomorrow or Friday disbanding the Oregon Naval Militia according to information which leaked out here today.

Disbanding of the Militia probably will mean that automatically under the terms of agreement with the Government the cruiser Boston will be returned to the Government Navy-yard at Bremerton.

The incident yesterday when Geo. S. Shepherd, claiming his right as Captain under the court decision, attempted to take charge of the cruiser Boston against the wishes of Commander Simpson, is the actuating cause of the Governor's decision to take speedy action in the matter.

MRS. A. H. HARVEY IS TWILIGHT CLUB HEAD

The Twilight Community Club met at Twilight hall Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. H. Harvey; vice-president, C. M. Dodds; secretary, M. J. Lazelle; treasurer, Miss Lizzie McDonald; sergeant-at-arms, L. A. Bullard.

It was decided to hold the next meeting of the club the second Saturday in October and to invite the friends of the club to the next meeting. The president appointed the following to arrange for the program: Z. M. Lazelle and B. L. Harvey.

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TAX EXPERT HERE FOR SIGNATURES

C. L. STARR, OF STATE COMMISSION, WORKING FOR "RATIONAL REFORM"

COUNTY ASSESSOR HAS PETITIONS

Measures Provide For Taxing Of Incomes, Exemption Of Household Furniture And Mortgage Notes

C. L. Starr, secretary of the State Tax Commission, is in Oregon City obtaining signatures to petitions for "Rational Tax Reform." The proposed measures were prepared by a committee appointed at the last session of the Legislature, and the State Tax Commission, composed of Governor West, Secretary of State Olcott, State Treasurer Kay, J. B. Easton and Charles V. Galloway.

A law to exempt from taxation household furniture, wearing apparel and similar non-productive personalty.

A revision of the inheritance tax law, following the model law recommended by the National Tax Association.

Names of signers on each sheet are to be plainly written by the circulator in affidavit on back thereof.

Each of the four petitions herein should be signed by each petitioner, and each petition is to be verified in the same manner by affidavit of the circulator.

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TODAY

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THE COMEDY COUPLE

Australian Vaudeville Entertainers

Of Europe, American and African Fame

In a Screaming Sketch Entitled

The Tables Turned

Introducing good singing, funny dialogue and pretty Colonial dresses

THE GRAND

N. B.—If you haven't seen Dalton and Travelle you are certainly missing a treat. They are a riot. Positively the best vaudeville act ever seen in this City.—San Francisco Press.