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JOHNSON IS SLATED FOR SECOND MOOSE

CALIFORNIA MAN IS LIKELY TO BE RUNNING MATE OF ROOSEVELT

LINDSEY DECLINES CHAIRMANSHIP

Beveridge, in Keynote Speech, Raps Bosses, and Declares New Party Will Win in November

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Governor Hiram W. Johnson, of California, seemed agreed upon tonight as the Vice-Presidential nominee of the National Progressive party to make the first fight of the new political organization with Colonel Roosevelt.

Early in the evening Judge Ben B. Lindsey, of Denver, a former Democrat, had been agreed upon as permanent chairman of the convention. Colonel Roosevelt had endorsed the recommendation of Judge Lindsey and the plan had been enthusiastically approved by the delegates.

Late tonight, however, Judge Lindsey called on the Colonel and had a long talk with him.

He said he had been suffering from asthma and did not feel physically capable of taking up the work. Under the circumstances Colonel Roosevelt agreed to release him.

While it had not been finally decided it was said to be likely that ex-Senator Beveridge, the temporary chairman, would continue as permanent presiding officer.

Colonel Roosevelt said, before he left Oyster Bay, that he favored the selection of a Southern Democrat as Vice-Presidential candidate. The field was canvassed carefully and it is understood that the Colonel's suggestion was abandoned only when it became evident that it was impossible to decide upon an available man.

It was said tonight that sentiment among the delegates in favor of Governor Johnson was so strong that his choice as Colonel Roosevelt's running mate virtually was assured and that the leaders who predicted his nomination were merely voicing the opinion of the convention.

The California delegation adopted a resolution today saying the state could not spare Governor Johnson, but it was said tonight the Governor's friends would not insist on this attitude.

In the event of Governor Johnson's nomination it is planned to have him take the stump in the East while Colonel Roosevelt is campaigning through the West. The Governor's ability as a campaigner is said to be a strong factor in his favor.

Former Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, was elected temporary chairman of the convention after Senator Dixon had called the assemblage to order and prayer had been offered. Senator Beveridge, greeted with prolonged cheers, delivered his key-note speech bristling with the most advanced ideas of Progressivism.

Beveridge was cheered all through his speech, a tumultuous interruption coming when he assailed the "bosses" of the old parties. "The rulers of the old parties," he said, "were invisible." "They are the invisible government behind our visible government," he declared. "It is this invisible government which is the real danger to American institutions."

When Beveridge mentioned President Taft in connection with the Payne tariff law, the Progressive delegates greeted the name with boos and jeers.

The floor of the big convention hall was crowded and the galleries, slow to fill at first, held but comparatively few empty seats when the convention got under way shortly before 10 o'clock.

The delegates were most enthusiastic, frequently interrupting the proceedings with cheers and applause.

The big Coliseum, transformed in a few weeks from the battleground of the Republican National convention to the meeting place of the Progressives, was thrown open shortly before 11 o'clock, but it was nearly an hour after before the first of the delegates began to arrive. They filtered in slowly, at first, in ones and twos.

Then came the big phalanx of delegates from Pennsylvania, singing, "We'll hanz Botes Penrose to a sour

STORIES IN POLICE PROBE NOT SAME

TWO WITNESSES SAY THAT STINSON CALLED GREEN A VULGAR NAME

ANOTHER CREDITS IT TO POLICEMAN

Mayor Dimick Announces That He and City Attorney Story Will Take Testimony Of Ill Woman

After hearing the testimony of two more witnesses in the case of Police Ernest Stinson, charged with striking Ernest Stinson, who conducts a fish market, Mayor Dimick announced Monday night that he would hear the testimony of Mrs. Irene Eisele, before rendering a decision. Mrs. Eisele lives in the alley north of the jail and it is understood that she will testify that she heard Stinson call Green a bad name before the policeman struck him. The following deposition of Mrs. Eisele was introduced Monday night by Gordon E. Hayes, attorney for Green, who said that the witness was too ill to appear at the hearing:

"I, Irene Eisele, being duly sworn on oath, say that I am a resident of Oregon City, Oregon. That on the 25th of July, 1912, I was sitting on the front porch of my residence which is on the north side of the alley near the city jail. That I am personally acquainted with Officer S. B. Green and that there was a man with him whose name I understand is Stinson; that said Officer Green did not use any abusive language toward said Stinson, and all that I heard was that Stinson said to Green, (a vulgar epithet is here omitted) at which time Green struck Stinson with his fist. I know that Green only struck Stinson one blow. This was in the evening of said 25th day of July, 1912. I was about twenty-five feet distant from the men at the time the blow was struck. That I have no interest in this case whatever."

Mayor Dimick asked if Mrs. Eisele's condition was such that he could question her at her home and was told that it was. He then announced that he and City Attorney Story would call upon her and obtain her testimony.

Perry Lutz, of Clackamas, who was arrested by Green the night before he had the altercation with Stinson, corroborated Green's statement that he searched him, the man Stinson, his daughter and her escort pointed to as having the gun. Stinson says they pointed to the other man, who escaped. Lutz and the other man, who was arrested, were accused of having insulted Miss Stinson and her escort. The witness testified that Green asked Stinson and the other man to aid him in taking the men to jail.

Ben Huntley, a mill worker, said that he saw Green strike Stinson. The witness was positive the policeman called the other man the bad name. He said Green first pushed Stinson against a picket fence and then struck him on the face. Green's contention is that Stinson called him a bad name before he dealt him the blow.

FRENCH PREMIER GOES TO SIGN GREAT PACT

PARIS, Aug. 5.—Raymond Poincaré, the French Premier, started today for Russia with all the ceremony that usually marks a state pilgrimage.

Aristide Briand, Minister of Justice; Leon Delors, Minister of Marine; Albert Le Rue, Minister for the Colonies; Armand Meillard, Chief of Protocol; Louis Lepine, Prefect of Police of Paris; the Secretaries and attaches of the Russian embassy and the staff of the French Foreign office were all present at the station to emphasize the occasion, while in the Premier's train traveled all the leading journalists of France, who always mobilize when questions of high politics are in the air.

Near-Easter questions and the Franco-Russian Naval convention, the signature of which M. Poincaré in St. Petersburg will bring the whole of the fighting forces of the allies within the terms of an offensive and defensive alliance, are to be the main subjects of discussion between the Emperor of Russia, Sergius Sazanoff, Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs and the French visitor.

The most prominent feature of the visit will be the Franco-Russian Naval agreement, which will claim immediate attention.

The eventual opening of the Dardanelles, and the steps necessary for its accomplishment, also are to be discussed during the fourteen days' visit of M. Poincaré.

It is pointed out here that this is likely to be the burning question in the settlement of the Turco-Italian War, for it is felt that Russia is not building \$15,000,000 dreadnoughts in the Black Sea with the intention of anchoring them in an enclosed lake, and unless the question is settled soon it is bound to cause another European upheaval at the time of the completion of the ships a couple of years hence.

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THE EFFECT OF TOO MUCH MIXING OF POLITICAL DRINKS.



YOUTH ACCUSED BY GIRL IS PAROLED

Henry Walter, convicted of contributing to the negligence of Ottilie Rambo, was fined \$50 and sentenced to serve one year in jail by County Judge Beattie Monday. Upon the payment of the fine the young man was paroled with instructions to report to Dr. T. B. Ford, pastor the Methodist church, weekly for six days and after that to report to Dr. Ford every two weeks. Mrs. C. J. Parker court matron, Monday sent the girl to the home of her brother at Gateway, Cook County. Policeman Frost arrested the young man.

GOVERNOR DENOUNCES HUNTINGTON MAYOR

SALEM, Or. Aug. 5.—Scathingly denouncing Mayor Charles A. North, of Huntington, for failure to enforce the laws of that city against gambling blind pigs, and disreputable houses, Governor West today declared that he would demand that the Mayor ask for the resignation of W. J. Wood, the police judge, and that he is also considering the advisability of having North resign as Mayor.

He declared further that he would use his influence to see to it that North or otherwise. The way Huntington has been run is a stench in the nostrils of all decent people. Everybody, honest enough, admits this. While conditions are somewhat improved, they are still bad enough to warrant radical action by this office unless the officials show a different spirit than they have in the past."

Mayor Norther Quits HUNTINGTON, Or., Aug. 5. (Special.)—Mayor Norther resigned today but would make no comment on the statement of Governor West.

\$50,000 FUND RAISED FOR BECKER DEFENSE

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—A police fund of \$50,000 is being raised for the defense of Charles Becker, the police lieutenant charged with instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal according to information in the hands of District Attorney Whitman.

The money is being collected, it is said, by the so-called "system," which is to be investigated by the District Attorney, who believes that between the "system" and the gambling fraternity there is a corrupt alliance founded on graft and blackmail.

Information of the \$50,000 fund came to the prosecutor in connection with the arraignment today of Becker to answer the indictment against him. In the legal proceedings, which included the withdrawal by Becker of his plea of "not guilty" to offer motions to invalidate the indictment, the prisoner was represented by three lawyers, one of whom mysteriously withdrew, while the others seemed doubtful of their own status when the proceedings were over. It was said the lawyers were not satisfied with the collectors of the defense fund.

ADMINISTRATRIX NAMED FOR NOBLOTT ESTATE

County Judge Beattie Monday appointed Margaret J. Moreland administratrix of the estate of the late Charles W. Noblott. Mr. Noblott died June 5. The estate consists of realty and personality.



Theodore Roosevelt, The Greatest Bull Moose Of All.

SCHOOLS WILL HAVE MANUAL TRAINING

The schools of West Oregon City, Willamette and Bolton have joined together in an agreement to employ an instructor in manual training, agriculture and horticulture, and the appointment will probably be named some time this month. At a conference at Willamette last night there were present the members of the Boards of Directors of the West Oregon City and Willamette districts, and Principal Bowland, of Willamette; Principal Anderson, of West Oregon City; E. T. McBain, County School Superintendent Gary, Peter Forbes, manual training instructor in the Oregon City high school, Professor Compton and other interested educators.

Last year Mr. Forbes gave one day each week to the Willamette school, and the knowledge of manual training work gained through his brief instruction only whetted the appetites of the students for extension of the work, and acting in conformity with the wishes of State Superintendent Alderman, the directors of the two districts have determined to combine in securing a man who can impart the knowledge necessary for the maintenance of a complete course in agriculture and horticulture, as well as in manual training.

ACCIDENT WILL DEFER AIR MAIL SERVICE

Because of an accident in which Ernest Hammer, an amateur aviator, was injured the flight of Walter Edwards from Portland to Oregon City, planned for this week, may be postponed. Edwards was to carry United States mail.

Hammer, practicing in the lower harbor in Frederick A. Bennett's hydroaeroplane, collided with some drift wood, practically wrecked the machine, and when he attempted to climb clear of the sinking wings, received a deep wound on his right arm from the whirling propeller blades.

Hammer attempted to climb out of his seat as the machine settled into the water, without shutting off the motor, and received a glancing blow from the propeller.

Captain Barton, of the Albina ferry and A. T. Whitman, owner of a launch nearby, hastened to the rescue and the amateur aviator was taken ashore bleeding profusely from the wound in his arm, and was hurried away for medical attention.

The machine was towed ashore and as soon as the extent of the damage was ascertained, instructions were given for new parts. The pontoon is a total loss and the planes were slightly damaged by immersion in the water.

\$10 BOND FORFEITED

Clarence Ray, arrested by E. L. Shaw Saturday, on a charge of being intoxicated, failed to appear for hearing before Recorder Stipp Monday and his bond of \$10 was declared forfeited. It is believed that Ray has gone to his home at Sunnyside.

WEST SIDE PUSH CLUB IS PLANNED

The West Side Push Club, or an organization to have progress for its motto, will be formed in the parlors of the Oregon City Commercial Club Wednesday evening, August 14, by the people of West Oregon City, Bolton and Willamette. The people of that section are fast waking up to the possibilities of their expansion and all residents of the West Side are invited to be present at the meeting to be held for the purpose of effecting organization.

FARMHAND HELD FOR MENTAL OBSERVATION

J. G. N. Benedict, who has been laboring under the hallucination that two men have been trying to kill him, was brought to the county jail Monday by Sheriff Mass from the Slocan ranch near New Era. Benedict began acting strangely several days ago, and Mr. Slocan, who conducts a restaurant in this city was notified. When Sheriff Mass went to the ranch Benedict said that the men who wanted to kill him had objected to a salve he used for a skin disease. After being brought here Benedict declared he no longer feared the men, and apparently returned to a sane condition. He will be held, however, for several days pending an examination by alienists.

REALTY BROKERS ARE FINED FOR FIGHTING

Cyrus Powell and S. Stewart, real estate brokers, who engaged in an altercation on Main street near Sixth were fined by Recorder Stipp Monday morning. Stewart, who was accused of striking and pushing the other man down, was fined \$10 and Powell \$5. Recorder Stipp gave both of them a severe lecture. He declared that there might be some excuse for boys engaging in a fistfight on the street, but there could be none for men past fifty year of age each.

PRESIDENT ACCEPTS HANFORD RESIGNATION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Acting upon recommendations of the subcommittee of the house judiciary committee, President Taft (this afternoon formally) accepted the resignation of United States Federal Judge C. H. Hanford for the western district of Washington.

Hanford sent his resignation to the president while the sub-committee was in the midst of an investigation in Seattle of charges against Hanford on which impeachment proceedings were intended.

Upon receipt of Hanford's resignation President Taft notified the house judiciary committee and the members to return to Washington from Seattle. President Taft refused to act on Hanford's resignation until he could consult with members of the sub-committee.

The members of the sub-committee arrived here last week, and while they declared that the charges against Hanford had been virtually substantiated, and that "the mass of evidence uncovered forced Hanford's resignation," it recommended that it be accepted, declaring the expense of impeachment proceedings unnecessary.

COUNTY CHARGE DIES

W. R. Hargrave, a county charge, died Saturday, aged seventy-five years. He was a native of England, and had no known relatives. The interment took place Sunday.

BARCLAY BUILDING TO BE IMPROVED

GYMNASIUM WILL BE MOVED TO NORTH SIDE AND USED FOR SCHOOL ROOMS

NEW WALLS ALSO ARE NECESSARY

Board Decides To Build Wall On J. Q. Adams Street—Last Vacancy In Corps Of Teachers Filled

Extensive improvements to the Barclay building were decided upon Monday night at a special meeting of the Board of Education of the Oregon City schools, and they embrace the excavation under the building, construction of walls, raising a corner of the building where it has settled, constructing a cement floor in the basement, roughing in plumbing and installing modern and sanitary comforts. This work will be followed by the removal of the gymnasium building to the North side of the property and placing it in condition for use as a school room, relieving the congestion in the high school building, where it was found necessary last year to maintain a combination third and fourth grade.

The Board also concluded to build a wall on J. Q. Adams street, and plans to have all the work done, if possible, before the opening of the Fall term of school, September 23.

The last vacancy in the corps of teachers was filled last night, and the following will be the instructors in the city school during the coming school year:

City Superintendent—F. S. J. Toole.
Principals—Barclay, A. O. Frel; Eastham, N. W. Bowland; High School, H. F. Pfingsten.
High School Instructors—English, Mrs. Pearl G. Cartledge; mathematics, Evelyn Todd; languages, Gertrude Holmes; sciences, E. Earl Felke; commercial, Maybelle Hunstock; Miss Alice Larsen (unassigned).

Grades—Mrs. Estella Salisbury, Mrs. Gussie L. Hull, Nieta Harding, Ola Mickey, Katherine Montgomery, Queenie Adams—Marjorie Casfield, Emma Wilke, Mrs. Meta G. Watson, Adelaide Beebe, Beatrice Weeks, Hilda Toole, Lillian Anderson, Beulah E. Stewart, Miss H. E. Ramber, Margaret Gilman Jessie Bowland.

Manual Training—Peter D. Forbes, Domestic Science and Art—Lulu Porter.

Drawing—Mildred Burley.
Music—Maude Curtis.
The Board of Education Monday night authorized the abolishment of the Sloan Reader as a text book in the grades where it has been in use, substituting books for supplementary reading furnished by the State Library Commission.

WIFE OF DENTIST CALLS HIM CRUEL

Alleging that her husband threatened her life, Ollie M. Doak Monday filed suit for a divorce against John L. Doak, formerly a dentist of Portland. The plaintiff says they were married September 20, 1909 in Salem, and soon thereafter he went to Los Angeles to practice. He avers that he became intoxicated in that city December 23, 1909 and spent a large sum of money. The plaintiff further avers that July 16, 1909 she found her husband in a saloon with three women; that he put his hand over her mouth and drew a knife. In trying to protect herself, she asserts, she cut her hand on the knife. The plaintiff asks the custody of their child.

Jane Sager seeks a divorce from Frank Sager, alleging abandonment. They were married in Portland March 15, 1897. She asks the custody of their three children and \$50 a month alimony. Kate Hunter asks a decree from J. E. Hunter. They were married in Portland Feb. 8, 1912. Desertion is alleged. The plaintiff asserts that she worked in a laundry after her marriage in order to assist in providing money with which to buy household goods.

THREE MEN INJURED AT MILL NEAR BORING

Three accidents occurred at the Tie Company's mill, one mile west of Haley and near Boring Friday. The more serious was that of Oscar H. McClung, a carriage tender, who was seriously injured about 6 o'clock Friday evening. McClung was employed on the carriage, and a large log was being turned when the overturn hook came loose and was sent flying through the air, striking McClung's arm as he threw it up and crushing it below the elbow. He also suffered a large gash on the top of his head. McClung was taken to Gresham, where his wounds were dressed.

A second accident was that of Ole Oleson, who while cutting wood struck himself in the knee with an ax, cutting a gash, and several stitches were required to close the wound. The third was that of a man splicing the logging cable in the woods. A piece of the cable broke lodging in his hand, causing a painful but not serious wound.

ANOTHER EXPRESS SERVICE TO START

AMERICAN COMPANY TO COMPETE WITH WELLS-FARGO IN THIS TERRITORY

CONTRACT MADE WITH P. R. L. & P.

O. W. P., Mount Hood and Cazadero Lines To Provide Service—R. L. Shepherd To Be Local Agent

The American Express Company Monday signed an agreement with the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company to furnish an express service over the O. W. P., Mount Hood and Cazadero lines of the railway. The new service, which will be in competition with the Wells-Fargo Express Company, will be started August 15. The agent for the American Express Company here, R. L. Shepherd announced that a general business meeting would be conducted, including a money order department, etc.

The Portland Railway, Light & Power Company has heretofore conducted its own express service, and while it was satisfactory, it is believed that the new arrangement will mean a large increase in the business. Mr. Shepherd said the office in this city would be in the building on Main street which has been used by the railroad for express and baggage.

Several days ago the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company opened an additional office for its lighting department in the Beaver Building, and the arrangement with the express company is in line with a decision made sometime ago to increase the business of the company. The company announces that it will send express to all points in the United States.

"Negotiations have been pending between the express company and the railway for some time," said Mr. Shepherd Monday, "but it was not until today that they had progressed sufficiently to make the announcement."

CONVALESCENT WOMAN INJURED BY FALLING

Mrs. W. M. Rader, of Douglass County, was seriously injured while visiting at the home of Cyrus Powell in Parkplace Monday. Mrs. Rader had undergone treatment at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland for several weeks, and had been told she could go home. She was sent to the home of Mr. Powell to visit several days and while descending a flight of stairs fell. Her face and head were cut and her right wrist was fractured. After being attended by Dr. Stuart of this city, she was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital where she will be compelled to remain for some time. It is supposed that she suffered from dizziness when she fell.

SUIT INVOLVING TIMBER TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

Circuit Judge Campbell Monday heard the evidence and took under advisement the case of Grant E. Barney against H. L. and J. S. Goodwin, doing business under the firm name of the Forest Products Company. The plaintiff, through his attorneys Brownell & Stone asked for the cancellation of a contract for timber on eighty acres at Bigelow's sawmill. Dimick & Dimick represented the defendant.

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