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## WASHINGTON GOES STRONG FOR MOOSE

STATE TO NORTH WILL PUT FULL THIRD TERM TICKET IN FIELD

## CONVENTION TO BE SEPTEMBER 10

Progressives Are Told To Abandon Republican Party And At Same Time Big Stick Looms

SEATTLE, Aug. 13.—A third party ticket with candidates for all Congressional, state and county officers will be put in the field by the Progressive party in Washington.

This was decided today at the conference of Progressive leaders attended by delegates to the National convention, members of the Aberdeen Roosevelt committee and leaders of the third party movement.

The conference decided to call a convention to meet September 10 to make nominations. Delegates to this convention will be chosen at a Progressive primary, the date for which has not been set, but which probably will be about the first of September.

A preferential vote on candidates will be taken at the primary. The date of the primary and the place for holding the convention will be chosen by a committee, headed by W. T. Beeks, which was appointed to issue the call for the convention and for the primary. The committee will hold its first meeting tomorrow morning.

The conference decided that all Progressive candidates, who have already filed for place on the ballot in the Republican primary September 10, must withdraw their filing if they wish the support of the Progressives.

## STORK EXPECTED AT ASTOR MANSION

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—When it was reported here today that the expected heir to the Astor millions was due to arrive any minute considerable excitement was created among the curious crowds that have besieged the Astor mansion where Mrs. Astor, widow of the Titanic disaster victim, Colonel John Jacob Astor, is confined.

Dr. Cragin, the physician attending Mrs. Astor, declined to make any statement.

Mrs. Astor requested the reporters to refer to her as Mrs. John Jacob Astor and not as Mrs. Madeline Astor.

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## WEST SIDE R. R. DEAL CONFIRMED

COUNTY COURT AIDS SOUTHERN PACIFIC IN MAKING ROAD CROSSINGS

## LINE CONNECTS PORTLAND AND SALEM

Road Completed From West Oregon City To Bolton—Big Force Working On Extension To Oswego

The announcement in the Morning Enterprise several days ago that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company had purchased the west side route of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company was confirmed Tuesday. The branch is called the Portland, Eugene & Eastern Railway and will extend from Portland to Salem.

The county court and representatives of the railroad Tuesday traversed the route between Oswego and Willamette and arranged for the crossings at the county roads. The court will see that the crossings are to the interest of the people before granting the franchise. The road was surveyed and partially built by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. It will be used only as an electric line and principally for passenger service. Among the railway representatives who made the tour with the members of the county court were Chief Engineer Gupp, Right of Way Official Woods and Locating Engineer Hollinbeck. County Engineer Meldrum represented the county court.

The road has been completed from West Oregon City to Bolton and will be finished to Oswego before December 1. More than 100 men are employed on the work. The Southern Pacific Company had surveyed a route on the west side, and it was thought for a time that there would be two lines in that territory. However, the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company agreed to sell its right of way and partially built line, and the Harriman Company decided its purchase would be more advantageous than the building of another line.

## 3,000 KILLED BY QUAKE IN TURKEY

BERLIN, Aug. 13.—Three thousand persons are known to have been killed in an earthquake which rocked southeastern Turkey, according to a message, just received here by the Tagblatt, from its correspondent at Constantinople.

More than 50,000 persons are homeless and starving. An active crater is also reported to have appeared on the Asiatic side of the Sea of Marmora.

Later dispatches received here indicate that conditions are much worse in the disturbed region of Turkey than the earlier advices stated. Supplementary messages received tonight say that scores caught under the tottering walls are still alive but slowly starving to death. The Turkish government is said to be doing its utmost for the relief of the sufferers, but officials admit their inability to cope with the situation.

Unless outside aid is extended at once, it is feared thousands will perish from exposure and lack of food.

**SOWERS HOME IS ROBBED**

The home of Mike Sowers, on Sixth street near Main, was robbed late Tuesday afternoon. The thieves gained an entrance through a rear window. Several valuable articles were stolen.

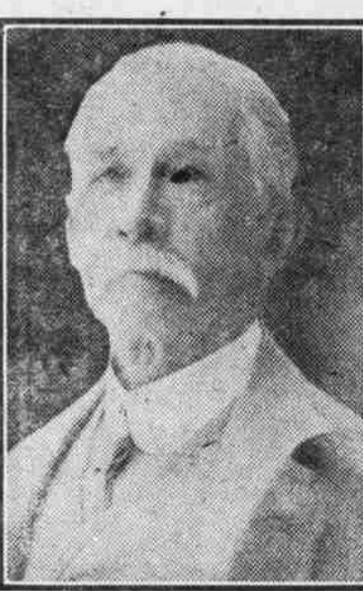
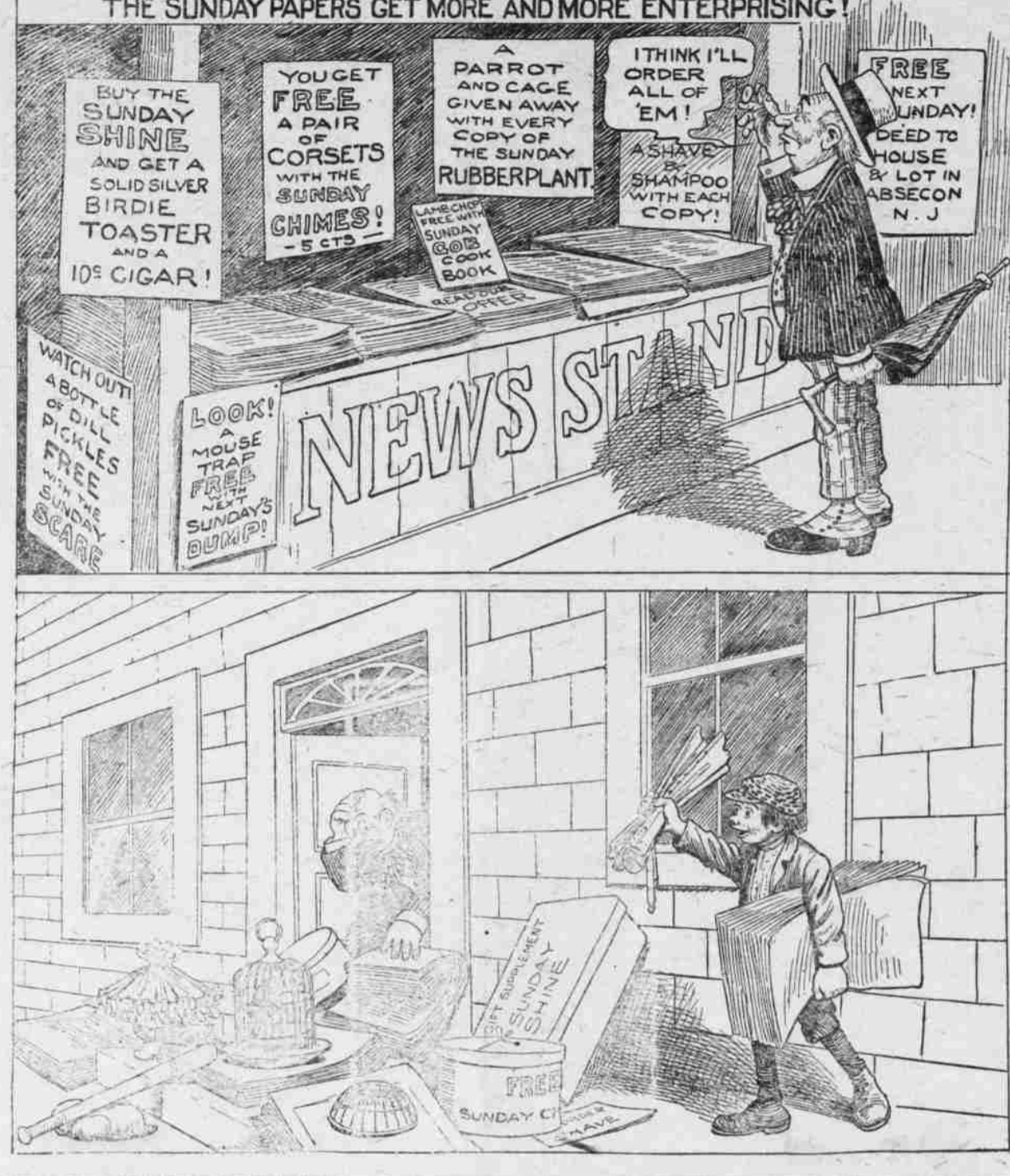
**MISS ALICE DUNN, OPERATED UPON, IN SERIOUS CONDITION**

Miss Alice Dunn, sister of M. E. Dunn, the confectioner, who was operated upon for appendicitis in Portland several days ago is in a serious condition. Another operation probably will be necessary.

**Sues To Quiet Title**

John Zurbruchen, Jr., Tuesday filed suit against the unknown heirs of Catherine Marie Arthur, William T. Harper and others to quiet title to a plat in the Robert Arthur donation land claim.

## THE OUTLET PERPETRATED BY WALT McDOUGALL

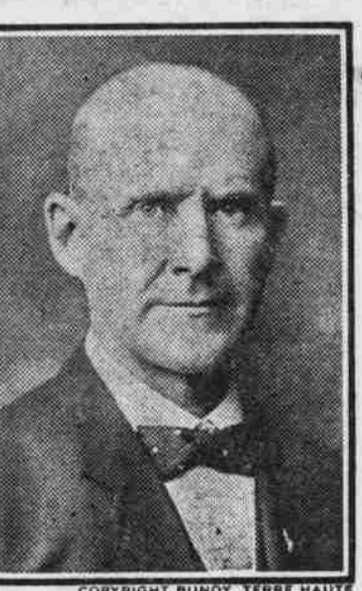


Frank A. Munsey, the publisher, one of Roosevelt's hardest workers. When Taft's nomination was assured beyond the shadow of a doubt, he said: "Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated for President by a new party. He refuses to have anything more to do with the Republican Convention."

## MISS LYDIA BUOL TO BECOME BRIDE

The engagement of Miss Lydia Buol and Mr. William George Krueger, of this city, is announced, the marriage to be solemnized at the Zion Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. William Kraxberger officiating. After the marriage ceremony a reception will be held at the home of Mr. Krueger's aunt, Mrs. John Vigelius.

Miss Buol is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buol, well known residents of Clackamas County, who live near Beaver Creek, and Mr. Krueger is one of the well known contractors of Oregon City, having come to this city from Athens, Wis., four years ago. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. August Krueger, of Athens. Their honeymoon will be spent in Seattle and Spokane.



Eugene V. Debs, Socialist Candidate for President of the United States.

## LOOKING FOR WORK? HERE'S A FINE CHANCE

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a male typewriter examination will be held at Portland, Oregon, August 27, 1912, to fill several vacancies in the position of male typewriter entrance salary \$850 per annum at the Puget Sound Navy Yard, Bremerton, Washington. A knowledge of stenography is not required for the typewriter examination. As considerable difficulty has been experienced in securing sufficient eligible qualified men are urged to take this examination. For application plan and full information address the Secretary of the Eleventh Civil Service District, Post Office Building, Seattle, Washington.

## DREDGES ARE CUTTING AWAY CLACKAMAS BAR

Augmenting work being done by the Government dredge companies near the mouth of the Clackamas River, in conformity to Major McIndoe's project for a six-foot channel from Portland to Oregon City, which was favorably acted on at Washington, private dredges are being operated above the bridges by sand and gravel concerns that will help to remove lumps that bother launchmen on both sides of the channel.

Derrick Barge No. 2 of the Diamond O fleet, working off Inman-Poulsen's, while the Titan, of the Pacific Bridge Company, is dredging in front of the Jones Lumber Company's plant, on the west shore, opposite Ross Island, and the Columbia Digger Company has a rig engaged in raising sand and gravel on the island side. Above and close to the channel a large digger of the Star Sand Company is anchored.

## CLAUDE BABCOCK HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was tendered Claude Babcock Monday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Babcock, of Canemah. The afternoon was devoted to games, the young host proving a most delightful one. The table was prettily decorated for the occasion, and the youngsters feasted on good things. The table was centered with a birthday cake upon which were five candles, and bearing the little fellow's name. Flowers were used among the decorations of the dining room.

Present were Lloyd Babcock, Bert Babcock, Harold Babcock, Nora Ross, of Oregon City; Albert Robinson, Irene Robinson, Claude Babcock, Jesse Babcock, Canemah.

## REV. LANDSBOROUGH TO LEAD SCHOOL PRAYER

Rev. J. R. Landsborough, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, has been chosen to conduct prayer in this city September 8, when prayer will be offered in every hamlet in every civilized country in behalf of the free schools. The National Reform Association has organized a simultaneous prayer in which 2500 American clergymen will lead. In the mission schools and churches throughout the world similar prayer will be offered and in many of the Sunday schools the children will participate. No such simultaneous service has ever before been attempted and the event marks an epoch in the organization of the great Second World's Christian Citizenship Conference to be held in Portland beginning June 29, 1912.

## H. H. HUGHES GETS LICENSE TO MARRY

Miss E. Agnes Harrison, of Oregon City, and Henry Howell Hughes, of Gladstone, obtained a license to marry Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Hughes formerly was the owner of a greenhouse in Gladstone, and is one of the most prominent men in the county. A license to marry also was obtained by Elsie Weddler and John De Young. Mr. DeYoung lives in Boring.

If you saw it in the Enterprise it's so.

**NOTICE**

The Journal's local office is now with the Portland Railway, Light & Power Co. in the Beaver Building. All subscriptions, collections and advertising matter will be taken care of by the local agent.

**J. D. Olson**

## W. P. KIRCHEM IS HURT IN RUNAWAY

PROMINENT GRANGER THROWN FROM BUGGY AS HORSE GOES THROUGH FENCE

## HEAD AND SHOULDER BADLY CUT

Victim Unconscious Several Minutes, But Dr. Mount Says Condition Is Not Dangerous Is Creamery Head

W. P. Kirchem, president of the Clear Creek Creamery, and a prominent granger, was seriously injured Tuesday afternoon in a runaway at his home near Logan. Mr. Kirchem was driving a young horse which became frightened at an automobile and bolted through a fence. The shafts were torn from the vehicle and Mr. Kirchem was found in an unconscious condition at the side of the fence. The automobile was immediately stopped and the passengers placed Mr. Kirchem in the machine and carried him to his home. He regained consciousness before reaching there, and it became evident that his injuries were not fatal.

Dr. Guy Mount dressed Mr. Kirchem's injuries, which consisted of serious cuts and bruises on his head and left shoulder. Dr. Mount said upon his return to Oregon City that Mr. Kirchem, while seriously hurt, would be able to be out in a few days.

"He had a narrow escape," said Dr. Mount, "and if the shafts had not become separated from the buggy the injury might have been fatal."

Mr. Kirchem, in addition to being a prominent granger is one of the best known men who comes to Oregon City and is president of the Clear Creek Telephone Company. He is the owner of an automobile and frequently comes to this city in his machine.

## TREASURE OF DEAD GOES TO COUNTY

OLD PURSES FALLING TO PIECES ARE OPENED BY COUNTY TREASURER

## \$50.62 GOES TO GENERAL FUND

Corroded Gold Coin Found With Skeleton—Some Of Money May Be Redeemed If Heirs Are Found

County Treasurer Tufts Tuesday ransacked a compartment of a vault in his office in which had been kept the money of dead men for ten years. Pocketbooks, grimy and falling to pieces, were opened and gold and silver coins were tumbled out of them. The money belonged to men who committed suicide or were accidentally killed. Many were never identified and those that were had no heirs to call for their small estate. The money, which amounted to \$50.62 was credited to the general fund.



COUNTY TREASURER TUFTS.

looked to the general fund. That received more than six years ago can never be collected by the heirs, but the balance may be upon application to the county court.

"County Clerk Mulvey and myself looked up the law on the subject," said Mr. Tufts, "and found that money found on dead persons when heirs did not put in an appearance belonged to the county. So I decided to investigate the financial standing of men dead long ago for the benefit of the county. One pocketbook found beside a skeleton eight years ago dropped to pieces when I picked it up and a \$2.50 gold piece rolled out. It was corroded to such an extent that it was almost black and was encrusted with moss leaves. I didn't like the work very much, for it seemed that I was prying into secrets that should have been buried with the dead. Letters and notes found in several of the books were not legible and many of them crumbled to pieces when handled. I was almost glad we could not read them, and consigned them to a waste basket."

## GRAIN SAVED FROM 2 FIRES TO BE EXHIBITED

A jar of mixed grain which has survived two fires and has been admired by agriculturists of all parts of the country is attracting much attention at the promotion office of the Oregon City Commercial Club. The grain was grown in Missouri, and was first placed on exhibition at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. When the Missouri Building burned the last day of the exposition the grain was saved from the fire and was brought to the Lewis and Clark Exposition in Portland and placed in the Missouri Building there. This building burned the last day of the fair and F. A. Miles, a deputy sheriff of Clackamas County, saved the grain. It will be exhibited at the county and state fairs.

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