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A BAD DEFEAT

GROSVENOR OUSTED BY HIS OWN DISTRICT AFTER 40 YEARS SERVICE.

Got Not One Vote From His Own County—Albert Douglas Nominated on First Ballot to Succeed Him in Congress—Other News.

Lancaster, O., Feb. 21.—Albert Douglas of Chillicothe was nominated for congress on the first ballot in the republican convention held here today to nominate a candidate to succeed General Charles H. Grosvenor.

Grosvenor did not receive a single vote from his own county and did not get a solid vote in any county and only 20 votes in the entire convention.

Although Grosvenor's retirement had been predicted, the old congressman could hardly believe that he would be beaten. The defeat was plainly a crushing blow to him, although he took it with not much outward show of the emotion that shook him.

Charles Henry Grosvenor is one of the war heroes of the republican party and has stumped the country during every political campaign for 40 years. He began his political career shortly after the conclusion of the civil war; in which he served with distinction. He was a member of the Ohio legislature from 1874 to 1878, and was speaker of the house for two years of this time. He was a presidential elector in 1872 and again in 1880. He was first elected to congress in 1884 and, with the exception of one term, when he met defeat in 1890, he served continuously since.

He played a prominent part in not only state but national politics, having always been a champion of the "organization" and one of the late Senator Hanna's right-hand men. He was the father of the ship-subsidy bill and a warm advocate of protective tariff. In the last congress he served as chairman of the committee on merchant marine and fisheries and was a member of several other committees. He was famous for his ante-election statistics which got him the nickname of "the Prophet."

Albert Douglas who was nominated today to succeed Grosvenor, is a lawyer at Chillicothe, where he was born in 1852. He is a graduate of Kenyon College and Harvard Law school. He was district attorney of Ross county from 1866 to 1880. He was presidential elector at large and president of the electoral college of Ohio in 1896 and was supported by republicans of his district for the gubernatorial nomination in 1899.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—Naval officers are much interested in the possibilities of results from the use of smokeless fuel. Importance attaches to the use of such an article on account of its contribution to the secrecy of naval operations by means of invisibility. It has been an important requirement that there shall be as little attention as possible attracted to naval ships in operations in time of war, and it is for this reason that the deadeast kind of paint is used on the hulls of vessels and that smokeless powder has been adopted for the ammunition. With the dense smoke which pours from some of the funnels it is easy enough to locate a ship under way; in addition to which smoke of this kind, when ships are in fleet formation, obscures signals displayed and might lead to confusion, if not disaster. Naturally, under the circumstances, any prospect of obtaining a fuel which does not emit smoke will be of importance. The tests which have been conducted under the naval bureau of equipment have promised important results, but they have not gone far enough to lead to final conclusions.

Numerous attempts have been made in the past to find some method of doing away with the smoke from the coal used in firing, but the various flues and patent contrivances tried proved ineffective in every single case.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 20.—Charles McAtee has brought suit for \$2,000 damages against the

Modern Woodman of America because the mechanical goat upon which he was riding while being initiated into the lodge at Arrowsmith bucked and injured him.

The evidence in the case attracted a large crowd. In his statement before the jury McAtee said that after being blindfolded he was lifted on the back of the goat. It immediately commenced hopping about the lodgeroom, later bucking and throwing him to the floor and wound up by stepping upon him a few times and then falling upon him. He was rendered unconscious and still feels the effects.

The lodge denies that he was hurt seriously.

Portland, Feb. 22.—The Journal says what is believed to be the highest price ever paid for iron ore was received yesterday by the Oregon Iron & Steel Works when it sold the Willamette meteorite, found near Oregon City a number of years ago, to the Smithsonian institute for \$20,000. Its estimated weight is 15 tons, equivalent to 30,000 pounds. So the price paid is 66 2/3 cents a pound.

The Willamette meteorite has proved a mystery to scientists ever since its discovery. It was removed at great expense and placed on exhibition at the Lewis and Clark fair. That it came from beyond the clouds there is no doubt. But there is a difference of opinion as to how the great meteorite happened to be along the Willamette river. Some believe that it fell from the skies to the point where it was found, while others are confident that it was carried there from the north during the glacial period. In support of this latter theory it is pointed out that glacial marks are visible at the point where the big meteorite was uncovered.

London, Feb. 20.—Reports from various continental points say that John D. Rockefeller was seen, accompanied by detectives, in Italy. A Swiss paper declares he is in Switzerland, having been seen by American visitors. Other reports state that he is preparing to go to Brazil.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 20.—Detective James McFarland today made the following statement regarding the alleged Orchard confession: "Harry Orchard, the man first arrested for the murder of ex-governor Steunenberg, may have or may have not made a confession. I will not say whether or not he did make such confession as is attributed to him.

"I was compelled, in working up my case, to use some of his statements of others, but I did not call upon him for a confession implicating Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. Numerous efforts were made to intimidate the man into saying things about himself, but I refused to allow this.

"Thirty murders in all I charge to Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. Every one, whether it was in Colorado since the labor troubles began in Telluride less than five years ago or whether it followed in other states, was planned and executed by the fiends at the head of the organization."

Baker City, Or., Feb. 20.—Steve Adams, the Colorado miner, arrested here last night and taken to Boise today, is not wanted on any charge implicating him directly with the assassination of ex-governor Steunenberg, but he is wanted for complicity in the blowing up of the depot at Independence, Colo.

Adams was a member of the executive committee of the Western Federation at that time. His acquaintance with Orchard it is believed by the officers to be such that he can be used as a good witness for the prosecution in the murder case, after which he will be taken to Colorado in connection with two or three others who will be charged with the wrecking of the depot.

Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in His House.

"We would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is kept on hand continually in our home," says W. W. Kearney, editor of the Independent, Lowry City, Mo. That is just what every family should do. When kept at hand ready for instant use, a cold may be checked at the outset and cured in much less time than after it has become settled in the system. This remedy is also without a peer for croup in children, and will prevent the attack when given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, which can only be done when the remedy is kept at hand. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

PURE FOOD

BILL WHICH ADMITS OF NO ADULTERATION PASSES THE SENATE.

Result of Fifteen Years' Struggle For Law Against Misbranding and Doctoring—Three Persons Charged With Murder of Steunenberg.

Caldwell, Idaho, Feb. 21.—If Attorney E. T. Richardson, counsel for the officials of the Western Federation of Miners, anticipates this morning that he would force the state to show its testimony against Charles H. Moyer, William D. Heywood and George A. Pettibone, he must have been disappointed. The three prisoners were brought to Caldwell early this morning from Boise. They were strongly guarded by deputy wardens and detectives.

From some unknown reason, the officials feared that the citizens of Caldwell would give vent to their feelings, but they were mistaken. No matter what the sentiment was at the time of the assassination, it has quieted down and now the arrival and departure of the three men charged with having murdered ex-governor Steunenberg did not create a ripple among the residents here. In fact, it is doubtful whether more than a dozen knew that Moyer, Heywood and Pettibone had been brought here, so quietly was the thing accomplished.

The train which carried the defendants to Caldwell stopped at the county jail, about half a mile from the center of the town. They were taken to the jail and locked up, while the attorneys went to the city and made arrangements for the hearing. At 10 o'clock they were brought before Probate Judge Church. The information which was filed against the three men and which led to their being extradited was read by Judge Church. Pettibone was the first called upon to rise and as the words fell from the lips of the court, the prisoners heard for the first time that they were directly charged with having prepared and placed the bomb which ended the life of the former governor of Idaho.

If Pettibone were surprised at the nature of the charge against him he showed no signs. He stood in an easy position and kept his eyes glued upon the face of the court. When the last word was read he took his seat without saying a word.

Heywood was next called upon to stand up. He is a powerful-built fellow and was the only one of the defendants to show signs of the strain under which he was passing. He stood with his huge body bent toward the desk at which the judge sat, and his face blanched perceptibly as the reading went on. By the time the last word was read his limbs were trembling violently.

President Moyer was the last to hear the reading of the information against himself. Moyer is a tall, angular man, with a decided stoop to his shoulders. During the reading of the stilted legal language of the charge to the other two men Moyer appeared ill at ease, but when it came to his turn he stood up without a tremor. He is the stoic of the three men, and before the court finished his face bore a bored expression. No plea was entered by any one of the defendants.

Attorney Richardson rose quickly after the reading and announced that he was ready to proceed with the preliminary hearing. He argued that his clients demand this. County Attorney Van Duyen stated that he was not ready to go on with the hearing, and asked for a continuance.

Washington, Feb. 21.—After 15 years of more or less serious consideration of the subjects, the senate today passed the Heyburn pure food bill by the decisive vote of 63 to 4.

The bill makes it a misdemeanor to manufacture or sell adulterated or misbranded foods, medicines or liquors in the District of Columbia, the territories and in the insular possessions of the United States and prohibits the shipment of such goods from one state to another or to a foreign country. It also pro-

hibits the receipt of such goods. Punishment by fine of \$500 or by imprisonment for one year or both is prescribed. In the case of corporations, officials in charge are made responsible. The treasury department and the departments of Agriculture and of commerce and labor are required to agree upon regulations for collection and examination of the articles covered by the bill, but no specific provision is made for investigation except by the department of agriculture. The investigations by that department are placed in the hands of the chief of the bureau of chemistry and if he finds that the law has been violated, the secretary of agriculture is required to report the facts to the United States district attorney, who in return is required to institute proceedings in the Federal courts. The bill also defines foods, drugs, medicines and liquors and also defines the standards for them. There is an exemption for dealers who furnish guarantees against adulteration and misbranding.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 21.—Evidence that David H. Moffatt, president of the First National Bank of Denver and president of the Denver, Northwestern and Pacific road was slated for assassination at hands of plotters is said to be held by James McParland of the Pinkerton agency. A bomb of the pattern used in Russia was to be thrown at Moffatt, as he walked along the street. The plotter lost his nerve at the time scheduled for the assassination, as it would have been practically impossible for him to escape destruction with his victim.

Moffatt was held responsible for the defeat of the strike at Leadville in 1896, and it is said that he was slated for death immediately thereafter.

Dennis Sheedy, president of the Colorado National Bank, of Denver was also slated for destruction at the same time Moffatt was. He has large smelter interests in the state and is an inveterate enemy of the federation. Sheedy is taken precautions for his safety, and has given the Pinkerton's all the assistance in his power.

William G. Evans, head of the tramway system, is in Denver. He is a partner of Moffatt. It is said that he was also marked but luckily escaped.

Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and may be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm two or three times a day and rubbing the parts vigorously at each application. If it does not afford relief bind on a piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to follow. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

WITH THE OREGON.

In Her Long Journey—and Shells from High-Power Guns—a Display.

In the show window at Horning's grocery store is a display of more than ordinary interest. It comprises a number of curios from the United States Navy, picked up by Frank Groves during his connection with the Bremerton navy yard. Among them are four cutlasses from the battleship Oregon, which were in the vessel in her long trip around Cape Horn and her final arrival at Santiago in time to be chief destroyer of the Spanish fleet. The cutlasses are now out of use because late naval battles have shown him to be valueless. They are for use in boarding another ship, and high power guns have made the old fashioned boarding tactics impracticable—one ship always sinks the other or kills off all the fighting men before they get near enough together for boarding purposes.

Besides the cutlasses there are shells from the cartridge of four inch guns, six-pounders, four-pounder and three-pounder rapid-fire machine guns.

Common Colds are the Cause of Many Serious Diseases.

Physicians who have gained a national reputation as analysts of the cause of various diseases, claim that if catching cold could be avoided a long list of dangerous ailments would never be heard of. Everyone knows that pneumonia and consumption originate from a cold, and chronic catarrh, bronchitis, and all throat and lung trouble are aggravated and rendered more serious by each fresh attack. Do not risk your life or take chances when you have a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it before these diseases develop. This remedy contains no opium, morphine or other harmful drug, and has thirty years of reputation back of it, gained by its cures under every condition. For sale by Graham & Wortham.