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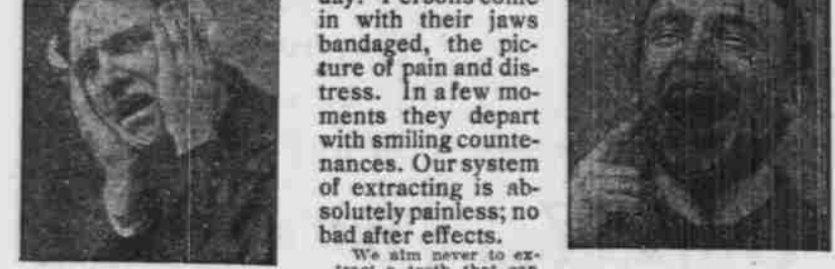
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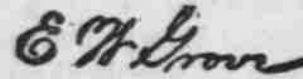
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Suspected Train Robber.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 6.—George Carson, a well-dressed stranger, was arrested at Union Star, Mo., today and is being held on the supposition that he is a member of the gang that held up the northbound Burlington train near this city Thursday last. The Burlington engineer and fireman believe Carson is one of the robbers. He declines to give an account of himself or his movements.

Army Withdraws From Cuba.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 6.—Lieutenant Brown, of the Seventh Cavalry, arrived here today and announced that the First Squadron of the regiment will reach Chickamauga Park April 15 and 25. The other squadrons will remain in Cuba to participate in the inauguration of President-elect Palma. The Seventh Cavalry is now stationed at Columbus Barracks, near Havana.

GEER'S NEW BOOM

The Governor Is in the Senatorial Race.

BUT DECLINES TO TALK OF IT

His Name May Be Placed on the Ballot at the June Election as a Candidate—Strength in Marion.

SALEM, April 6.—Governor Geer's probable candidacy for the United States Senate will soon be the chief topic for discussion in political circles in this state. It is already a subject for considerable talk in this city. When Governor Geer declined to be interviewed on the subject.

Last September Geer's opponents became quite active in their opposition to his re-nomination and it seemed as if the political storm was on. It is known that at that time Governor Geer told some of his political friends that if he should be turned down by the Republican convention he would go before the people for endorsement for United States Senator. As the agitation against Geer died out, nothing more was said on the subject. It was held Governor Geer's friends have been urging him to become a candidate to succeed Senator Simon. That he will enter the senatorial race is believed by local Republican workers who keep track of political movements.

To one looking at the present situation from the outside it would seem that the time is now favorable for the launching of the Geer boom. The only avowed candidate for Senator is C. W. Fulton. It has been Fulton's idea that the people should express their choice for a Senator, and to that end he believed the Senatorial candidate should be voted for in June. Now it happens that Geer counts his chief political strength in the ranks of the common people, far removed from the influence of politicians. It is quite in the cards, therefore, that Geer and Fulton will be opposing senatorial candidates before the people at the general election in June. By an act of the last Legislature it is provided that names of candidates for United States Senator may be placed upon the official ballot the same as the names of candidates for state offices, and that the result of the vote shall be certified to the Legislature for its information. The names may be placed upon the ballot either by nomination in convention or by petition.

If Governor Geer's friends place his name on the Republican ticket in that manner Fulton's name would almost be compelled to take a similar course, in order to prevent Geer from being the unanimous choice of the Republicans. And then there would be one of the political fights Oregon ever saw. Both Geer and Fulton are good campaigners, and they would create so much interest in their own contest that the position would lose sight of the gubernatorial battle. The one who won would claim the right to an election at the hands of the Legislature. Should the contest not take place before the next United States election, Geer and Fulton would still be in the Senatorial race when the Legislature meets in January.

There is another circumstance that leads to the belief that Geer will be a prominent factor in the Senatorial fight. It is learned upon what seems to be good authority that Senator Simon said last Fall that he would either be re-elected United States Senator or his friends would name the man. The course of political events during the last two months leads to once to the conclusion that the man who will succeed that man will be T. T. Geer. In the recent Republican County Convention in Marion County the Geer people were in control and several candidates nominated for the Legislature all are personal friends of Geer and six are supposed to be political friends to the extent that they would favor him for United States Senator. At the state convention the Geer people refused to nominate Dave Looney for Joint Senator with Linn County, because Looney refused to promise to vote for Geer for Senator. W. H. Furnish was given the nomination. While it is not believed that Hebron made any kind of a promise, he is known to be a friend of Geer and the Geer people doubtless thought they could count on him.

It is often remarked that if Geer is playing in the Senatorial game he made a mistake in failing to play a trump card at the state convention. The Republican said today that if Geer had gone upon the floor of the convention and moved to make the nomination of Furnish unanimous and then stumped the state in support of the ticket, the Senatorial chances would have been decidedly in the ascendancy.

PLEASED WITH STATE TICKET.

Marion County Republicans Generally Are Satisfied.

SALEM, Or., April 6.—After taking three days to think it over, Marion County Republicans are quite well pleased with the ticket put up at the state convention. When the news was received in Salem Wednesday evening that W. H. Furnish had been nominated for Governor, there were many warm friends of Governor Geer who complained bitterly. But the adverse comment has grown rapidly less, and Republicans generally declare their intention to support the ticket loyally from top to bottom. In fact, there is no Republican who openly says he will scratch the ticket. Those who were in Portland during the convention and met Mr. Furnish express themselves as well pleased with his appearance, and say they are confident he will make a good Governor. Furnish is not well known in the county, but wherever he has made an acquaintance he has also made a friend. In the heat of the preliminary campaign the Pendleton candidate was pictured out as a man whose only power in politics was the influence of his wealth. But not one of those who attended the state convention believes that Furnish used, or would have used, a single dollar in questionable manner. The heat of the battle over, the campaign extravaganzas have ceased, and Republicans are ready to vote their convention by the remarkable vote of 28 to 20 over so popular a man as Henry E. Ankeny.

It is doubtless true that there will be some quiet ballot-scratching in Marion County on election day—this is always the case. There are a very few who were personally interested in Geer's nomination who cannot be expected to forget their disappointment, but the number of the disgruntled will not exceed the usual number. No difference that had been the Republican nominee for Governor, there would have been some scratching done in this county. But all influential members of the party have fallen in line with the

HART'S RIVER FIGHT

Boers Repeatedly Attacked the British Camp.

EXHORTED BY THEIR LEADERS

Canadians Gallantly Repelled Every Attempt Made by the Dutch to Break Through—The Casualties.

KLERSKOP, Transvaal, April 6.—Details received of the battle at Hart's River, March 31, in which the British had three officers and 24 men killed and 16 officers and 121 men wounded, while the

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES FOR REPRESENTATIVE FROM WASHINGTON COUNTY.

They are D. M. C. Gault, of Hillsboro, B. F. Purdy, of Gaston, and Dr. Charles Hines, of Forest Grove.

Mr. Gault is editor of a newspaper in this city. Mr. Purdy is the owner of a flouring mill at Gaston, and Dr. Hines is a very successful physician at Forest Grove. An aggressive campaign will be made in their behalf, and the Republicans are confident of their election in June. The entire Republican ticket is considered one of the strongest ever nominated in the county.

While the luggage in charge of the Canadian front was sent for the British, the shelling of the Boers stampeded the mules and caused confusion, but otherwise it was not very effective, as many shells fell in the water, and the Canadian front was attacked in strong numbers, but they gallantly repelled every attempt made by the Boers to break through. One party of the Canadians fought until all were killed or wounded and the last man of this party, although mortally wounded, emptied two bandoliers of cartridges at the enemy and then broke his rifle.

OTTAWA, April 6.—A cablegram from Bock Neck, South Africa, to Lord Minto gives the following incomplete list of casualties among the Canadian troops in the engagements at Hart's River:



D.M.C. GAULT.



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DR. CHAS. HINES.

ASK FOR MORE TIME

St. Louis Fair May Be Postponed Until 1904.

ACCORDING TO JOHN BARRETT

Foreign Governments Say They Cannot Make Creditable Exhibits on Such Short Notice—Japan's Request.

CHICAGO, April 6.—John Barrett, Commissioner-General to Asia for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, left Chicago tonight for San Francisco, en route to the Orient. As Mr. Barrett has just returned from Washington where he had access to the Diplomatic Corps of foreign governments on world's fair matters, and as he has also been in recent conference with the fair officials at St. Louis, the following statement may be his tonight in reference to the reports of a possible postponement of the St. Louis exposition has a special significance:

"The world's fair management in St. Louis has been bending every energy to have the exposition open promptly in 1902, but a grave condition has arisen which it cannot control, and which it is not responsible. Nearly all of the foreign governments have unofficially notified the United States Government or the world's fair management that it is a physical impossibility for them to be creditably represented at St. Louis in 1902. On the other hand, while the majority of them have accepted for 1902, and will do the best possible, they have informally intimated that if the exposition is postponed they will endeavor to surpass even what they did at Chicago and Paris. As the success of the world's fair as a great international exposition must depend largely on foreign participation, it can be seen that this is a most serious consideration, which neither Congress nor the exposition officials can overlook. In short, if the world's fair at St. Louis is postponed, it will be done largely in deference to the wishes of foreign nations. For instance, the Japanese Government has informally notified me that Japan will welcome postponement and will participate accordingly, because in 1903 the great exposition is to be held at Osaka, which will interfere with the world's fair at St. Louis, but in 1904 the best of the Osaka exhibits could be brought to St. Louis."

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The wreck occurred when a switch on which a freight train was standing, the first seven cars of No. 6 crossed the switch safely, but as the last coach was passing over, the switch points caught in such a way as to throw it and the Pullman car following off the track and over on to the engine of the freight train. The two cars and the engine were thrown into the ditch. It is said that the switch had been tampered with. The injured were taken to Detroit.

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