

PARKER SOUGHT CAMPAIGN FUNDS

McCall Speaks Out on Contributions.

NEVER REFUSED DOLLAR

Insurance Man's Footsteps Are Dogged by Democrats.

EXPENSES ON LOBBYING

President of New York Life Reveals Large Amounts Spent on Legislatures, for Which No Account Was Made.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Political contributions of the New York Life Insurance Company and the connection of Andrew A. Hamilton, with the alleged political activity of the company, were the points around which the hearing before the legislative insurance committee turned today.

Parker Never Rejected Dollar.

"My life was made weary by the Democratic candidates chasing me for money in that campaign. Some of the very men who today are being interviewed in the papers and denouncing men who contribute to campaigns were crossing my path every step I took looking for money. One—the candidate himself, Parker, if he would show up his books when he was chairman of the Democratic state committee, it would give you a fit. He never rejected a dollar in the world. He would take every dollar that was paid to him."

Money Given Hamilton, Lobbyist.

With great care the account of Andrew A. Hamilton, with the company was analyzed by Mr. Hughes, who asked Mr. McCall about every item and made it clear that a search was being made for political contributions.

Spent \$235,000 Without Audit.

Mr. McCall said that the various sums making up the \$235,000 paid to Hamilton had been given him in connection with different real estate deals, but Mr. Hughes, after considerable questioning, developed the fact that none of the money had been actually applied to such deals.

Accounts Verbally for Money.

Mr. Hughes was insistent that the report made by Hamilton as to the disposition of the \$235,000 be produced.

Gave to Sound Money Campaign.

On the subject of the New York Life Insurance Company's campaign contributions in recent Presidential years, Mr. McCall said they were given for the purpose of defeating the silver standard, and for the support of the gold standard, rather than for the Republican party.

As to the contribution to the Republican campaign fund in 1904, Mr. McCall said he did not care how many of the policy-

RIGHT-OF-WAY FIGHT IS ON

Columbia Valley Company Now Locks Horns With Portland & Seattle.

IN HARRIMAN'S BEHALF

Cape Horn Is Scene of First Struggle in Contest of Hill and Harriman Interests for Supremacy.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 20.—(Special.)

The Columbia Valley Railway Company, which was incorporated in 1899 for the purpose of building a road down the north bank of the Columbia from Wallula to Vancouver, today applied for a right of way easement over state lands on the north bank of the Columbia directly south of Goldendale in Klickitat County.

Jerome Wins Proceedings.

District Attorney Jerome was an interested spectator of the proceedings today for the first time. He said he expected to have a public session of the committee of the investigation in a few days.

Hamilton, Company's Lobbyist.

He said he had known Andrew Hamilton since he was 10 years old. He was no relative either by blood or by marriage, but he connected with the company since 1892, when he represented the company in the defense of the Pierce pension case.

Concealment is no longer possible of the intentions of the Hill and Harriman interests to wage the bitterest warfare of recent years in railroad history of the Pacific coast.

The Columbia Valley Railroad Company was incorporated in 1899 by some of the men who have since incorporated the Wallula and Pacific supposed to be in the Harriman interests.

Behind the organization of the Wallula & Pacific the Harriman forces were first concealed in the personnel of incorporators of this new company.

Up to this time the men identified with the Harriman companies holding right of way along the north bank have denied their connection with the Union Pacific interests, but the action now taken reveals beyond any question the connection.

PRINTERS WINNING STRIKE

Eight-Hour Day Conceded in Great Majority of Cities.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 20.—At the headquarters of the Typographical Union tonight the following statement was issued:

Strikes for the eight-hour day are on in 33 cities and in most of these many of the employing printers have "given up." In 216 cities we have the eight-hour day now or to become effective January 1, 1906.

Printers Enjoyed at Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Sept. 20.—An invitation was granted the Crowell Printing Company here today to prevent union printers stopping strikebreakers as they entered the company's plant.

NEW POWER RISES IN NEW JERSEY

Young Colby Smashes Corporation Ring of Mother of Trusts.

IS FOR PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

Defies Boss of Essex, Most Populous County, and Is Nominated for State Senator—May Control the Legislature.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—(Special.)—A political revolution, of the kind that has broken old traditions in Missouri, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin, is well under way in New Jersey.

Decision of Labor Federation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—At today's meeting of the executive committee of the American Federation of Labor a joint report was received from the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Amalgamated Society of Carpenters & Joiners that they have entered into an arrangement with the Essex County Ring.

The Weather.

YESTERDAY.—Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum, 58. Precipitation, 0.11 of an inch.

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Local wheat market active and higher.

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ALBANY SIDES WITH PRINTERS' UNION.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 20.—After a week's duration, the strike of the union printers here for an eight-hour day has entered its eighth day.

DESERTS OTHER SLUGGERS

Meller Pleads Guilty and Causes Consternation in Ranks.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—With sensational suddenness today, President George Meller, of the Carriage and Wagonworkers' Union No. 4, who is being tried with 12 other union officials and members on a charge of criminal conspiracy, withdrew a plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty.

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FIVE AFLOAT ON FRAIL LIFE-RAFT

Woman and Four Men Are Sighted Off Shore South of Bandon.

DO NOT REPLY TO SIGNALS

Life-Savers From the Government Station Start on a Long Pull as Sea to Save Lives in Peril.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special.)

Afloat on what appeared to be a life raft, standing on their frail craft and gazing earnestly toward shore, but evidently not seeing the signals waved to them, four men and a woman were sighted a little way off shore, about 14 miles down the coast from Bandon, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

What Kind of Man Colby Is.

In appearance, Everett Colby is much on the folk order of architecture, so to speak. He is above medium height, smooth-shaven, with thin, black hair.

Too Young for 1908 Candidate.

The older politicians are panic-stricken at the rise of this young man, who in a few months has become one of the biggest political figures in the state, and looks now as if he might dominate the Republican camp.

Man Who Defies the Ring.

New Jersey consists of 12 counties, each of which elects one member of the State Senate. There are 60 Assemblymen apportioned according to population.

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TREATED LIKE A PRINCESS

MISS ROOSEVELT ENTERTAINED AT BANQUET IN SEOUL.

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HAS BECOME A CANNIBAL

Renegade Negro Missionary Accused of Eating Human Flesh.

HUNTINGTON, Ind., Sept. 20.—Definite information contradicting the reported death of Daniel Flickenger Wilburforce, the African missionary, who after being educated in the country several months ago, renounced the Christian faith and returned to heathenism, has been received here.

Father of Swedish Riksdag.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Sept. 20.—Adolph Heiden, a parliamentary veteran, known as the father of the Riksdag, is dead. He represented Stockholm as a Liberal during 36 sessions.

Vandals Demolish Tombstones.

ESCANABA, Mich., Sept. 20.—Vandals last night went through St. Joseph and St. Ann's Catholic cemeteries here and demolished the crosses on over 200 monuments.

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