BITTER CAMPAIGN COMES TO CLOSE

Monster Meeting Last Night by Miller and Moore Factions.

INTEREST AT HIGH PITCH

Seattle's Mayoralty Contest Such a Close Fight That Little Money Is Wagered on Result—Vote Today Will Be Very Heavy.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—With the close of speechmaking in a dozen or more different places here tonight, the city campaign ends, and to one of the bitterest contests in the history of the city finis has been written. Starting out as a "gentlemanly" contest, the campaign at its close has developed into mud slinging in which both leading contestants of the highest offices in the city and their managers have indulged without stint.

That the fight will be close and has assumed a serious aspect may be counted from the fact that Governor Mead was injected into the local fight. Governor Mead was the principal speaker at a rally held Tuesday night, when there was a great gathering of state-wide prominent Republicans. Aside from the mayoralty contest, scarcely any other office is mentioned.

Monster Meetings Last Night.

Both leading candidates for Mayor, John H. Miller, Republican, and William Hickman Moore, who is the standard-bearer for the City Party, closed tonight's campaign with monster meetings. The Miller meeting at the new Moore Theater, which seats 3000 persons, was the largest-attended public meeting ever witnessed in Seattle. Only the limit of the confines at the Mayor Moore closing rally prevented that meeting also being among the list of record-breakers. The Democrats held meetings, but these were not largely attended. It is considered doubtful if General J. B. Metcalf, Democratic candidate for Mayor, will poll the full strength of his party, so bitter has become the fight between the Republican and City party. It is believed that many Democrats will ally themselves on one side or the other.

Within the last week or ten days the issue between the City party and Republican party managers has been centered on the police administration of the city. Chief Wappenstein has been the bone of contention, all other issues being sidetracked, aside from the removal of the restricted district.

Clancys Back Up Moore.

One of the features of the campaign has been the work of the Clancy saloon element in the First Ward. At the outset of the campaign, Miller practically read the Clancys out of the party and declined to permit them to serve on the working committee for the election. The Clancys have allied themselves with Mayor Moore and their influence is felt strongly in the First Ward.

Close observers of the fight which has been waged are unwilling to hazard a guess as to the final outcome. It is admitted the count will be close. There is but little betting aside from that in the poolrooms and few odds are offered on the result.

STATE'S RECEIPTS ARE HEAVY

Washington Incorporations Come to Time With License Tax.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—Receipts of the Secretary of State's office for the month of February, 1908, amounting to $9313.60, were the greatest in the history of the office, amounting to about 40 per cent more than those of February, 1907, and over 300 per cent more than the receipts for 1902.

A large number of corporations, which in the past have been neglecting to pay their annual license fee to the Secretary's office, have been called to time by Secretary of State Nichols, and made their remittances last month.

Hundreds which have failed to remit will be dropped from the books under the new law and will no longer be allowed to do business as a corporation.

A comparative table of the receipts of the office for the past seven years is as follows:

1902	$2076.05	1906	$4227.80
1903	3202.00	1907	5880.10
1904	3326.85	1908	9313.60
1905	2198.80		

SALEM TO REDUCE LICENSE

Protest of Saloon Men Wins Over Majority of Council.

SALEM, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—That the majority of the City Council favors reduction of the liquor license from $1000 and $600 was clearly demonstrated at the Council meeting tonight, though the ordinance for that purpose was not placed on final passage.

In anticipation of a prolonged fight a crowd of citizens that filled every available seat was in attendance, but the Council postponed the contest by referring the new ordinance to the license committee. Alderman Moores, who favors the $1000 license, moved that the ordinance be referred to the ordinance committee, of which he is chairman, and on this motion the test vote was taken. He lost by a vote of 7 to 5. The present ordinance, recently adopted, taxes saloons $1000, beer halls $600 and drugstores selling liquor $300. The proposed ordinance makes the tax $800, $400 and $1000 respectively.

GUESTS FLEE IN NIGHTROBES

Marcola Hotel Burns From Unknown Cause; Loss $5000.

EUGENE, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—The Marcola Hotel, at Marcola, was destroyed by fire last night, the loss being about $5000 to the owner and guests. The cause of the fire is unknown. Flames were discovered about midnight, but they made such rapid progress that the inmates were compelled to rush out into the open in their night clothes. Marcola has no fire protection, but a citizens' bucket brigade succeded in keeping the fire confined to the hotel, though neighboring buildings caught fire several times.

CARRIES BY A 2-TO-1 VOTE

Incorporation Move Popular With People of Willamette.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—By a vote of 26 to 13, the Town of Willamette, three miles from Oregon City, on the west side of the Willamette River, was incorporated today at a special election ordered by the County Court upon petition of a majority of the residents of that town. The reason for incorporating was to prevent the water system from passing from the control of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company to private parties. The new city government will be organized at once, with the following officers, who were chosen today:

Mayor, James Downey; Recorder, G. L. Snidow; Treasurer, J. F. Sanders; Marshal, Joseph Painter; Councilmen, James C. Edmunds, John Ream, H. T. Shipley, E. P. Berdine, J. F. Lymp and Frank Olivet.

HARRIMAN GETS FRANCHISE

Seattle Council Grants Entrance for Opposition Road.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—All of the Union Pacific franchise ordinances and the ordinances vacating portions of streets in both the southern and northern portions of the city as requested by the Harriman road passed the City Council last night by a unanimous vote of those present. Councilmen Crichton and Armstrong were absent when the bills were taken up.

The ordinances passed cover every detail asked by the Union Pacific in connection with its entrance to this city, providing for the construction of a tunnel to parallel the Hill tunnel and consolidating the Harriman lands to be used

John F. Miller, Republican Nominee for Mayor of Seattle.

for dockage, sidings and switching purposes.

WOULD LIKE JONES' SEAT

W. W. Tolman, Democrat, Enters Race for Congressman.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—W. W. Tolman, who was a Democratic member of the State Senate in the sessions of 1901 and 1903, today announced his candidacy of the Democratic Congressional nomination from the Third district. In announcing his platform he says that he favors an immediate change in the banking and currency laws, favors postal banks, an income and inheritance tax, election of United States Senators by direct vote and employer's liability, fellow servant and child labor laws. He favors the immediate revision of the tariff so as to admit coal and lumber free of duty. He believes in the appropriation for the improvement of the interior waterways, the reclamation of the arid lands and the exclusion of Oriental labor.

GRAIN FARMERS INTERESTED

Large Attendance Expected at Summer Fallow Lectures.

GARFIELD, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—Senator R. C. McCroskey said tonight great preparations are being made to have a large crowd of farmers in Garfield to meet the wheat train that is to arrive here on next Thursday at 11:35 A. M. After inspecting the exhibit from the state college that will be on the cars, the crowd will repair to the opera-house, where prominent speakers will talk on the subject of Summer-fallowing, rotation of crops and various other matters interesting to the Palouse wheat-growers, after which the citizens of Garfield will serve a free lunch to their guests. The college people will leave here about 1 o'clock for Farmington, Tekoa and other points along the O. R. & N., where lectures will be given.

BUTTON FUND FOR CITY PARK

Walla Walla's Unique Scheme Raises $1000 First Day.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—Walla Walla's Park Commission today inaugurated a scheme to raise $10,000 for immediate improvement of the city's parks. Buttons are being sold at $1 each, and 1000 were sold today. It is believed the full amount will be raised in this manner. The city has made allowance for $100 a month for a park superintendent, an expert from Tacoma having been engaged.

Hillsboro, Or.—Registration of voters at the close of last week, amounted to over 1700, which is up to the average.

Eye glasses $1.00 at Metzger's.

FULTON'S BILL PUZZLES BOARD

Provision Regarding Lieu Land Selections Not Understood by Members.

OF NO BENEFIT TO STATE

Board Believes It Should Have Been Consulted in the Matter—Progress of Bill Will Be Watched With Great Interest.

SALEM, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—Members of the State Land Board are unable to understand the language of a bill recently introduced by Senator Fulton authorizing states to select lands in lieu of lands included within forest reserves. The Board was not consulted on the subject and the first intimation the members had that any such step was to be taken was the announcement in news dispatches that the bill had been introduced. As this was a matter of great importance to the state the Board immediately telegraphed to Senator Fulton for a copy of the bill. It arrived today and is as follows:

Main Point Not Lucid.

That in lieu of sections 16 and 36 of the public domain, which have been granted to states or territories for educational purposes, and which may be included within forest reserves, whenever the public lands available for lieu selections shall not represent a cash value equal to the minimum price at which lands so granted shall be sold according to the provisions of the law authorizing the grant, then and thereupon the several states and territories shall be authorized to make lieu selections from forest reserves of such lands as may be agreed upon by the Department of Forestry and the state or territory to which the land grants may have been made; provided, however, that no state or territory shall select lands not located within its own domain.

The portion of this bill which members of the State Land Board are entirely unable to understand is that clause reading "whenever the public lands available for lieu selections shall not represent a cash value equal to the minimum price at which lands so granted shall be sold according to the provisions of the law authorizing the grant."

Oregon Has No Minimum Price.

So far as members of the Board know there is no minimum price fixed by the law authorizing the grant of school lands. But if there were a minimum price fixed at $1.25 or $2.50 per acre, as in the case of railroad grant lands, this bill would be of no use to the state, for the state is now getting $8.75 an acre for lieu lands selected upon forest reserve base. Since this bill could be of no benefit to the state and has provisions the purpose of which are shrouded in mystery, the Board is at a loss to understand why it was introduced.

Board Members Slighted.

Several years ago the Governor recommended the passage of an act which would permit the state to exchange its scattered school section in reserves for other lands in a block, also within reserves. Such an exchange would be advantageous to both the state and the Forestry Bureau. While the members of the Board do not see anything wrong with the bill they cannot see what good it can do. As it affects this state, however, they will watch for any amendments that may be inserted either in the Senate or the House. They think the Board should have been consulted in a matter in which they are the representatives of the state.

Fire Department Officers.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—Interest was lacking in the annual election of the volunteer fire department held here today, and with 190 members of the department only 119 votes were cast. Charles E. Burns, Jr., of Columbia Hook and Ladder Company, being elected chief of the department, receiving 68 votes to 48 for Clarence Bruner, of Hill Hose Company, No. 3. Al Cannon, of Fountain Hose Company, was elected assistant chief by a majority of three votes over Edward Rechner, of Cataract Hose Company. There were four nominees for commissioner, three receiving the highest vote being elected, as follows: John Gleason, Columbia Hook and Ladder Company, 102; Henry W. Stratton, Cataract Hose Company, 86; David Williams, Hill Hose Company, No. 3, 63; G. M. Caldwell, Green Point Hose Company, 47.

New Light on Fuel Scheme.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—The promoters of the scheme to supply fuel and illuminating gas to Oregon City will visit the city in a few weeks, when a meeting of the city officials and people interested will be called to listen to the plans of the company, which desires a franchise.

Court-Martial at Boise.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—Major William P. Burnham, Major H. L. Hawthorne and Captains Charles H. Martin, Maury Nichols, LeRoy S. Lyons and John J. Bradley, Judge Advocate, left the post today for Boise Barracks, Idaho, where they will join other officers there assembled to constitute a court-martial for the trial of Captain Clark Dudley, Fourteenth Cavalry. It is understood that Captain Dudley is to be tried for insubordination.

Light Docket at Colfax.

COLFAX, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—The Superior Court docket for March was called today with only one criminal and four civil cases, the lightest docket in three years. William Maxwell, charged with forging a check on the Potlach Lumber Company for $45, was released on account of an error in the filing of information. Judge Chadwick instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty.

Will Shift Burden on to City.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—For months a proposition to fill the tide lands, upon which two-thirds of the city is built, has been before the Council. It was proposed to saddle the entire cost of the work, $300,000, on the property owners, but a mass meeting of interested citizens was held last night and the scheme was so strongly objected to that the Council will not likely carry out its intention.

Daniel H. Weston.

BUTTE, Mont., March 2.—A Helena special to the Miner says: Daniel H. Weston, Montana pioneer, twice Territorial Treasurer of Montana, for years secretary of the Montana Club, newspaper man, former capitalist and for the last three years chief bailiff in Judge Hunt's court here, was found dead in his room this morning.

INDIANS PROVE RARE SIGHT

WASHINGTON STARES IN OPEN-MOUTHED WONDER.

One Virginia Youth Concludes That Fort Hall Braves With Senator Borah Are Foreigners.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 2.—"I'll bet dem Injuns raises merry hell befo' dey gits out o' town." This remark fell on the ear of Senator Borah, of Idaho, the other day as he was parading down Pennsylvania avenue with three braves from the Fort Hall reservation. Turning about, he saw three old-time negroes, huddled together on the curb, gazing with intense interest at the red men. They stared not in admiration, but in awe, an awe much akin to fear. Each one displayed a vast expanse of white in his eyes; those three pairs of eyes literally stuck clear out of their sockets.

The negro does not show fear in the same way as the white man; the negro's hair cannot stand on end. But his eyes have a way of expanding that is still a mystery to the best of oculists. Each one of that little group was scared through and through, for the Eastern and Southern negro has not yet learned that the denatured reservation Indian of the present day is very different from his death-dealing ancestor who in times past rode the Western plains.

Nor were the negroes the only natives interested in Senator Borah's little band. The Senator had been absorbed in the conversation of the Indians, carried on through their interpreter, and had failed to notice the interest that centered in his party. But on the rest of his walk to the Capitol he was made painfully aware of the fact that a real live Indian is a rare curiosity in the National capital and attracts as much attention among the white population as among the dusky citizens of African parentage.

The fact is that in these days very few Indians come to Washington. In years past it was a more or less common thing for delegations of red men to come down for a pow-wow with the Great Father, but the present administration has discouraged these pilgrimages, and instead has sent its representatives to confer with the Indians on their reservations. This saves the Indians money and enables the Government to get an unbiased view of the various Indian troubles. When Grover Cleveland was in the White House, many Indians found their way here; some came in blankets, some bedecked in feathers and other paraphernalia of the past decade and still others wore the civilized dress of the white man. The few who have been here in recent years have laid aside the blanket and feathers and have little to identify them besides their stoic countenances, copper color and broad-brimmed "cowboy" hats, as Washington styles them.

This was the garb of the Fort Hall Indians, but the absence of characteristic Indian dress did not lessen public curiosity. When he got to his committee-room Senator Borah, in relating his experience, said he thought everybody had seen an Indian, but he was forced to change his mind; he was satisfied after his walk that 90 per cent of the people of Washington had never gazed on one of the "original American citizens."

Which remark recalls a comment made on this same group of Fort Hall Indians as they were walking through the Capitol building one day. A callow youth from the wilds of Virginia (and the wilds of Virginia can make the wild West look tame) passed the red men and, turning to his companion, called attention to the dark-skinned visitors, "I guess them's foreigners," he said.

Paris has added to its automobile regulations a law requiring automobiles to stop after causing an accident, and imposing both imprisonment and fine as the penalty of an attempt to escape.

ENGLISH HOPMEN DEMAND TARIFF

Worcester Growers Alarmed at Movement for Combine on Pacific Coast.

SUBJECT OF AN INQUIRY

Government Promises to Appoint Committee to Look After Interests of English Hopgrowers. Labor Element Affected.

SALEM, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—That the efforts of the Pacific Coast Hopgrowers to perfect an organization will result in the establishment of an import duty on hops by Great Britain, is the opinion of some of the hopdealers in Salem, and they find support for this view in a recent article in the Kentish Observer, the leading authority on hops in England. The Observer quotes at length a recent letter by M. H. Durst, in which Mr. Durst asserts that the Pacific Coast can raise hops so much cheaper than the English grower can that eventually this country will supply the British market.

The Durst letter is published in full by the Observer for the purpose of letting the English growers know what is going on across the Atlantic. As showing the demand among growers in England that their industry be given protection against the American hops, the Observer publishes an account of proceedings of the Herefordshire and Worcestershire Hopgrowers' Association at Worcester. The report of the meeting follows:

View Situation With Alarm.

T. Lawson Walker (Worcestershire) moved a resolution calling the attention of the government to the serious position of the hop industry, and pointing out that during the past 15 years 23,000 acres of hop-growing land had gone out of cultivation, the reduction for the past season being estimated at 5000 acres, causing loss of employment to 3000 permanent hands and 260,000 pickers, the cause being foreign competition. The resolution was carried unanimously. Mr. Parry said: "That meeting views with alarm the attempt made in America to form a combination with the express object of capturing the British market by sending surplus produce on to the British market at the beginning of each season, and thereby glutting it when the English growth is just coming forward." Mr. Parry said the Americans claimed that their proposals would enable them to send to the English market, in five years, more than double their present export to that market. It was a ridiculous policy for English growers to go on reducing their acreage. The only remedy was an import duty upon foreign hops. It was true that the present government was not a tariff-reform government, but they had promised to make a general inquiry into the industry, so in fairness hop-growers must give them a chance. Brewers must see that if the present state of things continued they would eventually be absolutely dependent upon the foreigner for hops, and then the price would rise. The recent by-elections, including the wonderful victory of the tariff reformers at Worcester, led them to hope that before long they would be able to present their case to a government in sympathy therewith. Other speakers followed in the same strain, only one hopgrower, W. Mitchell, opposing the motion. He argued that hopgrowers were a small minority of agriculturists, generally speaking, and that an import duty upon hops would be a selfish policy. The industry only encouraged migratory labor. The resolution was carried with one dissentient, and another one thanking the Chancellor of the Exchequer for his promise to appoint a select committee to inquire into the hop industry, and expressing a hope that it would be appointed forthwith, and report as early as possible, was carried unanimously.

Government Inquiry Promised.

The Observer says further:

In the House of Commons on Thursday night Laurence Hardy (Ashford Division) moved as an amendment, to add to the address: "But we humbly represent to Your Majesty that the critical condition of the hop industry, which involves so great a diminution in rural employment, requires urgent and remedial consideration from your majesty's government." The hop industry, he said, gave a larger amount of employment than any other agricultural industry, and the class that was most seriously affected by its present condition was the class of laborers. The cultivation of the crop was gradually decreasing.

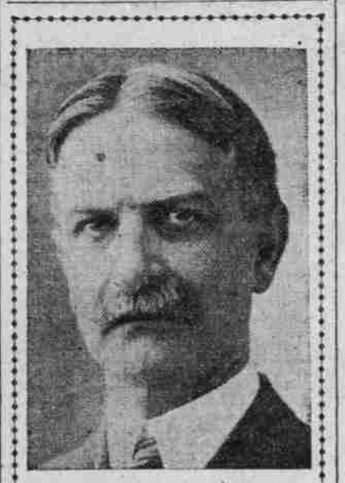
Mr. Courthope (Rye Division) seconded.

Mr. Asquith (Chancellor of the Exchequer) said the amendment had the full sympathy of the government. He did not conceive it possible that an effective remedy would be afforded by the imposition of a protective duty, but at the same time he felt that the matter was one which was ripe for further investigation. He would suggest, therefore, that the amendment should be withdrawn, in which case the government would consent to the appointment at the earliest possible moment of a select committee to inquire into the present condition of the industry and to see if a remedy could be found for the evils of which complaint had been made. (Cheers.)

The amendment was withdrawn.

Refuses Ball Franchise.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—H. L. Bleecker, of the Washington Water Power Company, which owns and controls the Natatorium Park grounds, the grandstand of which was built two years ago for the benefit of the Spokane City League only, announced tonight that the company knew absolutely nothing about the proposal of the Northwestern League magnates to play ball at Natatorium Park this year instead of at Recreation Park. Asked whether or not the water Power company would consider accepting a franchise in the Northwestern League, were it offered them, Mr. Bleecker tersely replied: "We would not."



William Hickman Moore, City Party Nominee for Mayor of Seattle.

LABOR AGAINST PROHIS

New York Federation Acts—Brewers Oppose Disreputable Saloons.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Opposing New York state's most recent proposed participation in the movement against the liquor traffic, the Central Federated Union yesterday adopted resolutions against the local option bills now before the Legislature, declaring the bills, in the event of their passage to be the forerunners of prohibition. The federation's resolution asserts that local option or prohibition laws would throw hundreds of thousands of people out of work including brewers and bartenders, carpenters, butchers, blacksmiths and workers in about 20 other callings. It was decided to send copies of the resolutions to every labor organization throughout the state and to Governor Hughes and the Board of Aldermen. It was also decided to appoint a committee of three to attend the hearings of all such bills and oppose them.

Another phase of the liquor question was dealt with in an announcement last night by the New York State Lager Beer Brewers' Association that the brewers of this state have inaugurated a campaign to force the closing of undesirable saloons and disreputable resorts by making it impossible for their proprietors to obtain bonds from reputable bonding companies. The association purposes to compel a saloon or cafe proprietor to present positive evidence that his place is reputable to a committee of the brewers, a committee of the bonding companies and a committee of reputable citizens before he can secure the bond required by the excise laws.

Noted Evangelist Near Death.

LOS ANGELES, March 2.—Major George R. Hilton, well-known throughout the country as an evangelist, suffered a cerebral hemorrhage at his home in Alhambra yesterday and today is reported as near death. Major Hilton began his career in Washington 25 years ago and was an associate of the late Dwight L. Moody.

Bryan Has Cold, Cancels Dates.

CHICAGO, March 2.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Memphis, Tenn., says:

Suffering with a severe cold and what he termed a "busting" headache, W. J. Bryan announced here last night that he would make a bee line for his home in Lincoln, Neb., cancelling dates in St. Louis on Monday.

AT THE HOTELS.

The Portland—B. H. Burton and wife, Colusa; F. A. Baggs, John E. Plummer, New York; J. A. Connell, San Francisco; Frank Schowreck, New York; Charles E. Edwards, E. C. Mosley, San Francisco; Robert B. Crawford and wife, Houston; Cecil Graham, S. L. Blumauer, San Francisco; E. W. Wells and wife, Chicago; William J. Davison, San Francisco; Henry M. Evans, New York; S. I. Henry, C. H. Taylor, Chicago; Charles A. Bailey, Rome, N. Y.; T. E. King and wife, Chicago; W. S. Thomas, San Francisco; W. A. Lamb, Chicago; Chas. E. Stratton and wife, Denver; O. F. Allen, New York; H. Leesge and wife, Omaha; W. H. Young, New York; Charles A. Barnes and wife, Jacksonville; A. D. Parker, Rochester; R. P. Priest, Tacoma; W. H. Tomlinson, Seattle; H. Anderson, Chicago; A. C. Churchill, Albert Richter, John E. Serwe, Newberg; A. Cameron, Chicago; F. D. Bacon, San Francisco; E. S. Collins, Ostrander; F. H. Finley, Spokane; A. Aronson, J. H. Cloyes, New York; J. W. Folker and son, Ogden; W. F. Mullen, Indianapolis; Henry J. Neville, Mansinique; N. W. Thompson, Boise; C. E. Rogers, Detroit; J. C. Feige, San Francisco.

Hotel Oregon—J. G. Wegner and wife, Oshkosh, Wis.; J. M. Thurston, American Forks; John Hunter, American Forks; O. P. Smith, L. R. Rutherford, Rainier; Peter Cormacher, Yacolt; C. W. Keene, Silverton, Or.; O. Gordan, Ottawa, Can.; A. W. Walter, New York; T. W. Emas, city; W. J. Campbell, Denver; W. H. Eccles, Hood River; B. F. Hall, Denver; H. F. Mills, New York; R. H. Goddard, San Francisco; R. W. Chick, Seattle; C. C. Brooks, San Francisco; G. W. Lippman, W. L. Lynn, J. W. Turner, Seattle; A. E. Johnson, San Francisco; A. F. Dishman, Spokane; George Burgur, Clairmont; W. K. Merrill, Albany; Thomas P. Sigmany, Ben S. Bingham, Chicago; R. Portegueas, city; Ide Davis, Seattle; C. K. Lugin, Spokane; Miss Celeste Barman, Colville; Theo. C. Bartholmar, Cincinnati; John G. Brath, Rockford, Ill.; Ken Hyslop, Grand Forks; John A. Paul and wife, Pendleton; C. H. Leland, Chicago; J. H. Krueger, city; J. K. Suthoff, Seattle; Fred Merriman, Seattle; A. S. Ewing, Geneava, O.; James J. Moller and wife, Chicago; J. M. Hopkins, New York; G. H. Carrier, Elma; A. E. Albert, Walla Walla; C. D. Gabrielson, Salem; J. W. Bell, Seattle; L. S. Klein, city.

The Imperial—Mrs. Frank Smith, Albany; David Stewart, Chehalis; Ed Judd, Salem; J. G. Kellogg, R. Everett, Seattle; J. M. Keep, Pasadena; T. Mahoney, city; Charles L. Mone, M. A. Coy, Corvallis; L. N. Peck, J. L. Hughes, Los Angeles; L. L. Hunter, Lee Leonard, Eugene; Ben T. Atherton, city; H. A. Webster, Estacada; Charles Longart, Tacoma; W. H. Brunner, Seattle; Emil Winkler, Troy, N. Y.; H. Freudenthal, Albany; C. S. Mount, Salmon, Idaho; M. A. Baker, McMinnville; George Nelson, Tacoma; J. Ware and wife, Eugene; M. T. Hall and wife, Arthur D. Baird and wife, Seattle; W. T. Coulter, Colorado; J. Anderson, G. H. Selple, R. W. Hallnen and wife, city, Paul Brenzel, Condon; A. B. Manley, city; J. L. Kincaid, Ione; F. T. Rose, Spokane; E. H. Bartholf, Alaska; W. L. Paul, Sheridan; J. S. Hunter, Woodland; J. B. Rable, T. Walsh, Spokane; H. J. Kemple, Seattle; E. T. Prouty, city; Mrs. V. Johnston, Clatskanie; T. N. Kennedy, Woodburn; L. W. Harkins, Pasco; W. J. Esharbaugh, city; W. B. Higgins, Eugene; W. B. Morse, Salem; H. J. Lupton, Spokane; J. M. Smith, San Francisco; W. F. Butcher, Baker City; James A. Lee, Pendleton; M. K. Wert, La Grande; M. O. Landers, La Grande; H. C. Mahon, Eugene; S. E. Heath, Racine, Wis.; John Adam, Warrenton; W. P. Ely, Kelso; G. P. Henderson and wife, Heppner; Mrs. J. L. Roberts, San Francisco; Carl P. Staeger, Chehalis; Mrs. James Staeger, Chehalis; E. P. Ash, Stevenson; W. L. Bradshaw, The Dalles; T. L. Holmes, city; T. B. Montgomery, Roosevelt; A. Ward, Seattle; Bird Rose and wife, Eugene; Hal McClintock, Dufur; Dick Cantrell, A. Karner, Astoria; W. A. Athern and wife, Medford; Bert Mason, Ione; S. M. Yoran, Eugene; Owen Eppely, Sacramento; T. R. Anderson and wife, Sacramento; D. M. Eartinill, R. V. Toney, Haines; Mrs. A. Fleischaur, Stevenson; S. R. Cummings, Andrew Jackson and family, Canby; Harry Nute and wife, Spokane; D. S. Burns, Columbia City.

Hotel Perkins—G. F. Lichtentheler, Ruyan, Wash.; L. B. Lafollett, R. F. Jonss, Prineville; J. M. Carr, D. E. Carr, Everett; J. G. Heath, Rockford, Ill.; J. O. Wallace, British Columbia; E. L. Wiley, L. C. Wiley, Wallowa; G. W. Chandler, Elgin; E. L. Smalley, F. E. McJonnler, Walla Walla; E. T. Bushnell, Eugene; R. Newton and wife, Damascus; J. W. Maloney, Pendleton; M. P. Davis, Union; L. B. Thomas, Dufur; W. H. Staats and wife, Bend; L. M. Curl, Albany; Peter Jali, Phil Lutz, Everts, S. D.; R. W. Gibson, Seaside; W. H. Burghardt, Salem; Barney May, Harrisburg; Jessie Crook, Siletz; J. G. Murphy, San Francisco; Mrs. Pearl Bogue, Rowland; W. H. Kingsley, Condon; Mrs. L. A. Broshaw, Eugene; F. M. Sexton, The Dalles; W. A. Reynolds, Chehalis; L. S. Alger, Tacoma; L. S. Park and wife, Spokane; Dan Drake, Holme; E. H. Cox, Athena; Frank Davenport and wife, Hood River; Earl Devenport, Hood River; C. L. Hubbard, Dallas.

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