

NATIONAL FORCES ARE TAKING HAND

Hitchcock Sends McHarg to Oregon.

IS FOR REPUBLICAN SENATOR

Denied That Money Will Be Used for Purpose.

ACTIVE IN STATE BEFORE

McHarg Was Here Last Fall to Harmonize Discord and Factions of Republicans—Fulton Said to Be Behind the Move.

Has Been Here Before.

This is not Mr. McHarg's first visit to the Pacific Coast...

Conference to Be Held.

Sensors Coffey and Miller, of Ilna, and Representatives McCue and Mahoney, representing the anti-Chamberlain forces in the Legislature...

LOW RATES FROM EAST TO PACIFIC

SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED WILL MEAN HEAVY TRAVEL.

Transcontinental Lines Agree on Colossal Tariffs That Assure a Great Influx of People.

Colonist rates that mean much for Portland and the whole Pacific Northwest have been agreed upon by the transcontinental railroads entering this territory. The rates are very low west-bound and correspond closely with those in effect two years ago in this section of the country...

SNOW HOLDS TRAIN FAST

Passengers and Livestock Suffer for Two Days.

LOYALTON, Cal., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—The Boca and Loyalton Railroad train that left Loyalton Friday evening, with 23 passengers, three carloads of livestock and several carloads of lumber, was stalled on the summit of that line between here and Boca until Sunday noon in the heaviest snow storm of the winter...

PREDICTS TREE FAMINE

Secretary Wilson Sees No Hope for Country in Future Days.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The time is coming in this country when trees will be scarce as diamonds, unless immediate steps are taken to preserve our forests...

WILL ROOT OUT DEAD BEAT

Western Hotel Men Create Secret Service for Protection.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 13.—Before adjourning sine die today the Hotelmen of the West changed the name of their organization to the Western Hotelmen's Protective Association...

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Oregon Land Cases Develop Annex in Pittsburg Courts.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 13.—Testimony to be used in five United States land cases now pending in Oregon will be taken here tomorrow before United States Commissioner William T. Lindsey...

RUSSIA TO BORROW AGAIN

Closes Deal with European Syndicate for \$240,000,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 13.—The Russian Finance Ministry has closed an arrangement with a syndicate, including the principal banking houses of Paris, for a loan of 1,200,000,000 francs (\$240,000,000) at 4 1/2 per cent...

SHIVELY NAMED AFTER LONG FIGHT

Will Be New Senator From Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 14, 2 A. M.—(Special.)—Benjamin A. Shively, of South Bend, has just been chosen as the Democratic candidate for the United States Senate to succeed James Hemenway...

KERN JUST MISSES PRIZE

Leads for Fourteen Ballots, Then Falls Behind.

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OPPOSE YOUNG TO FINISH

Fulton Confident Populist Postmaster Can't Be Confirmed.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 13.—Senator Fulton announced this evening that he had decided to oppose actively confirmation of the nomination of John C. Young as postmaster of Portland for the remainder of the session...

RESIGNS FOR BETTER JOB

Man Governor Hughes Could Not Oust Leaves Insurance Office.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 13.—Otto Kelley, State Superintendent of Insurance, whom Governor Hughes twice unsuccessfully tried to remove from office, sent his formal resignation to the Governor tonight, and will assume the duties of First Deputy State Controller, tomorrow.

EXTRA

GUESTS RUSH OUT AS HOTEL BURNS

SEVERAL LEGISLATORS HURT IN TOPEKA FIRE.

TOPEKA, Kans., Jan. 14.—Fire broke out in the Copeland Hotel about 4 o'clock this morning. The structure is burning to the ground. Every room is occupied by members of the Legislature, their families and other prominent out of town persons here to watch the Legislature open. Most of them escaped. Many are still unaccounted for.

INVADERS BANQUET HALL

Suffragette Disturbs Churchill's Dinner With Her Arguments.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Jan. 13.—The constantly varying tactics of the woman suffragists developed an extraordinary scene at the political banquet given here tonight to Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the Board of Trade...

SUGGESTIONS FROM SALEM

NEVERMORE REPORTERS. SEE THINGS.

THE DELUGE

RESULT OF THE COLLEGE CONJUNCTION WITH THE MESSAGE.

PASSING ON THE MERITS OF CANDIDATES FOR CLERKSHIPS IS DEEMED AN INVARIABLE TASK.

TRACK BILL KEPT FROM COMMITTEE

Filibusters at Olympia Get Into Action.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—By enforcing a technical interpretation of the rules, the filibusters in the Senate have succeeded in keeping the racetrack gambling bill, which was introduced there today, from the public morals committee...

HANSON IS OUT OF SPOTLIGHT

Allen's Racetrack Bill Takes Precedence in Printing.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—The bill introduced by Senator Hanson, which was to be introduced today, has been given out in advance, and which will be strongly in favor of moral legislation.

HEALTH TRIP WORTH COST

Michigan Man Makes Life Income From Oregon.

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—G. A. Brigham, of Buckley, today closed a deal with the Consolidated Timber Company, of Portland, Or., Brigham selling 1000 acres of Oregon timber land for \$60 an acre...

MILKMAN SWEEPED TO SEA

Flooded River Carries Away Both Driver and Team.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., Jan. 13.—Massimo Mossi, an Italian milkdealer, attempted to cross the flooded San Lorenzo River today and, with his wagon and horses, was carried out into the ocean...

NO PRODIGALS ADMITTED

Man Who Squanders Earnings Denied American Citizenship.

REDDING, Cal., Jan. 13.—Because an applicant for citizenship papers who has lived in Modoc County six years and earned \$35 a month during that time admitted to the court that he had saved nothing, but wasted his substance in riotous living, Judge Raker, of Alturas, has refused to grant him the right to become an American...

TWO DIE IN GOLDEN GATE

Bay City Duck Hunters Drown in Outer Harbor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—It is believed that Harry Doble and Charles Smith, young men of this city, who started in a small boat on a duck hunting trip on the bay early this morning, have lost their lives in the rough waters...

TURKISH HEIR TO VOYAGE ON FLEET

SULTAN'S SON WILL RETURN WITH BATTLESHIPS.

Thirty Naval Officers Will Sail With Him as Guests of Uncle Sam.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Turkey, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—Great excitement prevails among Turks on account of the visit of the American fleet to Turkish waters. Four battleships are now at Smyrna, and four more are coming to remain until January 24. Admiral Schroeder, second in command, is coming to Constantinople in the battleship Louisiana. One of the Sultan's sons probably will go with the squadron to America, and it is regarded as certain that 30 Turkish officers will go.

COSGROVE TO COME NORTH

May Attempt to Start Friday—Orders Car Ready.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—(Special.)—It is possible that Governor-elect Cosgrove will make an attempt to leave for Washington on Friday. The operating department of the Southern Pacific is said to be in receipt of orders to be ready to move the private car California on that date, but nothing has been received officially from Paso Robles...

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ROOSEVELT RIDES TO PROVE THEORY

Ninety Miles on Horseback in 17 Hours.

RETURNS COATED WITH ICE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—President Roosevelt rode 98 miles on horseback today and, when he dismounted tonight at the White House door, more than 11 hours after having departed therefrom, he did not show any marked signs of weariness. The object of his long day in the saddle, he said to a representative of the Associated Press, after his return, was "to prove to the critics who have found fault with the recent order requiring all Army and Navy officers to make a physical test, that if a President who is not in training can ride 98 miles in one day without being laid up in bed thereby, it should not be too much to ask the men who are supposed to be in the best physical training all the time to ride 90 miles in three days."

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