# ALDRICH PLANS TO KILL INCOME TAX

Autocrat Ready for Any Means to Win.

### WOULD RETIRE WITH VICTORY

Hopes to Lure Timid Senators to Pigeonhole It.

### WILL MAKE VEILED THREAT

Tell Protected Interests Income Tax Would Require Slashing of Duties-Bluff to Be Tried by Income Taxers.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 4.—Although Aldrich has indicated the tactics he intends to pursue to kill the income tax amendment to the tariff bill in the Senate, and although he has demonstrated his ability to get votes enough to accomplish his purpose, those Senators who sincerely believe in income tax legislation and who have had the courage to stand by their convictions still hope against hope that at the critical time they will juster enough strength to secure the adoption of their pet measure. This is

optimism in the extreme degree. The income tax amendment, in the judgment of experienced men, is dead. To defeat this one amendment Aldrich would go to any length. His reputaiax amendment should be adopted by House and would become the law of the land. Aldrich has decreed that this performs the ceremony. amendment shall not be adopted by the Senate. In face of that declaration, its adoption would be the severest defeat has ever sustained, and he is not willing, at this late day in his career, to accept defeat such as this. He ex-pects soon to retire from the Senate. he wants to retire with victory not defeat, written across his standard.

# Pigeonhole or Postpone.

Aldrich will defeat the income tax amendment either by having it referred te a committee which he knows will not report it or by a motion to post-pone its consideration until Congress is more fully advised as to the necessity for such legislation. The former course is the more likely to be followed. Such a motion as that will get the support of all Senators who are opposed to an income tax and it will also get the votes of perhaps half a dozen Senators who do not like the income tax, but who would be scared into voting for it were put squarely before

he Senate for adoption or rejection.

The only way the income tax amendment can be adopted is by voting down Aldrich's motion to refer it to a com-This probably cannot be done though the friends of the amendment seem to believe it will be possible. They will strain every effort to defeat this motion, and if, by any chance, they should be successful, they could at once secure the adoption of the amendment.

### Try to Bluff Timid Ones.

To this end the income tax Sena discussed, to announce publicly on the vote to refer the amendment to a comit, and they will proclaim to the coun try that all Senators who so vote are heart opposed to income tax legis lation. In other words, they will endeavor to bluff the timid ones into vot-

But such a bluff is not likely to be successful. Aldrich and those who stand with him insist that the new tariff bill will produce ample revenue; if does not, it will be ample time to take up the income tax next session. Moreover, they contend that if the income tax were adopted, some of the protective schedules of the tariff bill Summer, according to a telegram reuld have to be cut beyond the protective figure, else there would be too much revenue, and they maintain that arrangements for the Gunnison cele such a move would not be wise. timid Senators will take refuge behind the declarations of Aldrich and will ote to refer, taking a chance on going back to their constituents with the de fense that their action was entirely consistent and proper.

The Senate is so evenly divided on New York Syndicate Buys Defunct the income tax that half a dozen doubtful Senators swinging to Aldrich will defeat the amendment in spite of the efforts of the enthusiasts to hold them in line.

## ANGRY WORDS ABOUT COTTON

### La Follette Digs at Penrose, Aldrich

Answers His Arguments. WASHINGTON, June 4 .- Through foreon, afternoon and evening sessions the Senate today labored on the cotton sched La Follette completed his long speech, attacking changes in the Dingley rates recommended by the Senate finance committee, and replied to Penrose's charge last night that he was shamming sickness as an excuse for his absence from the night session. He said he was not ill, but very tired and was session.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT FIGHTS FUZZY BUGS

VICTORIA'S DEVOURING ELE-MENT IS CATERPILLARS.

Millions of Pests Gather on Trees in Canadian City and Must Be

VICTORIA, B. C., June 4 .- (Special.) A plague of caterpillars has developed such serious proportions that the Victoria Fire Department is engaged with chemical engines in the work of extermina tion, sulphuric acid not being counted in the list of health foods for caterpillars. So popular is Victoria as a caterpillar Summer resort that every year the flat goes forth to destroy them while in the larvae, and legislation exists calling upon all householders and property-owners to

attend to their destruction The city, too, must do its share, and in this particular case, in which Fire Chief Davis commands as chief exterminator, the devouring element is occupying a strategic position in the trees on the oulevards. Millions of the caterpillars are in evidence, remaining along the branches and leaves.

### MARRIAGES TO BE COSTLY

After June 12 Lovelorn Swains of Washington Must Pay \$13 to \$53.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 4 .- (Spedal.)-On and after June 12 it will be exceedingly costly to get married in this county, hence during the next eight days the County Auditor expects a run on the marriage license market. Such licenses are good 30 days after they are

issued. On June 12 the new marriage law goes into effect, which provides no marriage license shall be issued save to those who have a physician's certificate declaring they are free of certain diseases, are not feeble-minded, insane etc. The members of the Clark County Medical Association have decided that they will charge from \$5 to \$25 for such examination and certificate. addition to this charge, there is the license fee of \$3. Hence the mere legal fees will amount to between \$13 and \$53, besides the fee to the

# WASHTUB PUTS OUT BLAZE

Blazing Auto Quenched by Tub Full of Family Wash.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 4 .- (Special.)—Finding the rear end of his au comobile on fire while on the road between Hoquiam and Aberdeen and no water within a mile, Charles Arm strong, observing a woman washing a her home near the roadside, ran to her side, grabbed up the tub, clothes and all, and with the contents put out the The woman ran shricking. thinking it was a hold-up, but Armstrong explained the situation after the fire was out and pacified the woman by settling the damage

### MILLIONAIRE FACES

in Contempt.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4 .- Henry Miller, 65 years of age and many times a millionaire, and four other directors of the Miller & Lux Corporation, were adjudged guilty of contempt of court today by Superior Judge Sewall for refusal to pay Mrs. M. Potter and her orporation.

Miller, who is president of the cortors propose, when next the subject is poration, and his fellow-directors, were given 48 hours in which to pay the floor of the Senate that Senators who dividends or go to jail. The controversy between Mrs. Potter and the corpormittee will knewingly vote to defeat ation arose over the transfer of shares.

# TAFT NOT TO VISIT WEST

President Does Not Want to Leave Wife During Illness.

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., June 4 .-President Taft will not attend the exerclaes incident to the opening of the Gunnison irrigation tunnel early in August, and probably will not t his contemplated trip to the West this ceived today. This information was received by the committee in charge of bration, and stated that President Taft probably would not make the trip on

### DOMINION COPPER CO. SOLD

Concern for \$261,500.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 4 .- (Special.) A syndicate of New York capitalists today bought the insolvent Dominion Copper Company at an auction sale of the property held here by order of the Chief

The price paid was \$261,500. Charles Hayden, a New York banker, is at the head of the new company, which will ommence operations immediately.

# RAILROADS PLEAD GUILTY

Fine of \$15,000 Assessed by Court as Penalty for Rebating.

from the night session. He said he was not fill, but very tired and was resting to be in better shape to continue his speech today. He declared Penrose might perform a greater service for the country and his state if he would account for his own time when not in the Senate.

At the night session Chairman Aldrich for making illegal rebates, and were form the session to the said of the session to the said of the session to the said of the session that the might session that the might session that the said to the said that the might session that that the might

# **COLUMBIA RISES** INCH EVERY HOUR

**High Water Conditions** Prevail on River.

### BEACH FLOODED AT THE DALLES

Northern Pacific Dock Covered Three Inches at Vancouver.

CANADA IS IN DISTRESS

Interior British Columbia Streams Swollen to Dangerous Volumes and Traffic on Parts of Canadian Pacific Demoralized

### CONDITIONS IN THE DISTRICTS FLOODED.

Dalles-Columbia River rises even feet in 30 hours. Whole beach

Lewiston-Water highest known in Kootenai District—Railroad traffic emoralized, tracks and bridges tracks and bridges

Woodland-Farmers move away rom river bottom, expecting flood Prince Rupert—Skeena River high-ist ever known. Kamloops—Thompson River raing

ich an hour. Settlers flee to hills THE DALLES, Or., June 4 .- (Special.)-The Columbia River rose more than seven

feet at this point during the past 30 hours and continues gradually to rise The beach is flooded up to the Umatilla House and the Chinese truck gardens are nder water. The Open River and Regu lator lines wharf boats have been moved on account of the high water and the ferryboat now lands at the foot of Washington street, two blocks from its regu-

### VANCOUVER DOCKS FLOODED River Reaches 16 Feet 6 Inches

Above Low Water. VANCOUVER, Wash., June 4 .- (Special.)-The Columbia River is 16 feet 6 inches tonight above low water. It has risen three inches since noon, and during the six hours previous to that time it rose just about an inch an hour Northern Pacific dock is covered with three inchesh of water, and the upper deck of the dock, only used during high water, is now being used. The current is swift, but as yet there is

Miller & Lux Directors All Declared RECORD MADE AT LEWISTON

Snake River Reaches 18.9 Feet, the Highest in Fifteen Years.

LEWISTON, Idaho, June 4 .- (Special.)-The Snake River recorded a rise of nearly a foot today, the mark at 5 o'clock this evening being 18.9 feet. The Clearwater came up about one and one-half feet. son \$90,000 dividends on stock in the Both streams are falling tonight, but wind is prevailing and a further rise is

Last night the gauge stood at 17.8 feet, the highest known for 15 years. Tonight that mark is passed. The railroad dykes (Concluded on Page 3.) 

## WEDDING BELLS TO RING FOR FAMILY

MOTHER, DAUGHTER AND TWO SONS WILL MARRY.

San Diego Family Keeps License Clerk Busy; and All Four Will Wed Simultaneously.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 4 .- (Special.) The Mendelson family, of this city, claims the record for June weddings. Within the next 24 hours mother, daughter and two sons will each have en barked upon the sea of matrimony.

This afternoon Mrs. Carmen La Madrid lendelson took out a license to become the bride of James Wallace. The ceremony will be performed Sunday. Later in the day Mrs. Mendelson appeared at the Courthouse and signed the permit giving her 16-year-old daughter. Mira, the right to wed John F. Daughtery, the man

Mrs. Mendelson had License Clerk Bert McLees trembling in every limb by this time, and he nearly collapsed when she announced further that tomorrow her sons, Thomas and Marcus, would be around for their marriage licenses. She stated that the four nuptial knots would probably be tied simultaneously under the

# PORK PRICE GOES SOARING

Almost Highest Price Since Civil War Is Recorded in Chicago.

OHICAGO, June 4 .- (Special.) -- Pork for September delivery sold today at \$20.07%. With the exception of a brief period in 1906, when cash pork sold for one day at \$20 per barrel, this figure has not been seen in this market since the Cudahy corner in 1898, when it sold at \$23. It sold during the Armour corner, in 1887, at \$34; and the highest price on record in this market was during the Civil War,

when it sold at \$43 per barrel. With the exception of the manipulated markets of 1893 and 1887, therefore, the price reached today was practically the highest since the Civil War. No manipation of the provision markets is now charged, but the high prices are due to the disappointing receipts of hogs during the month of May, and thus far during the present month.

## **NEW WHEAT BRINGS \$1.35**

Texan Farmers Also Get Advance Clause in Contracts.

FORT WORTH, Tex., June 4.-Reports from Denton, Northern Texas, show that the first of this season's wheat in the United States is being contracted for at \$1.35 and upwards. In some instances farmers are securing contracts that they will receive any advance that may occur In the market at the time the wheat is

### JUNE WEDDING FOR SINGER Geraldine Farrar and Scotti to Marry in Paris.

PARIS, June 4.-In a dispatch from Berlin the correspondent of the Temps 1209, to be 22 cents an hour. says he has been informed that Geraldina Farrar, American opera singer, will be married in June in Paris to Antonio

# JURY FINDS GLICK GUILTY reply accepting the suggestions.

Funds From Federal Workers.

WILMINGTON, Del., June 4.- The jury the case of A. G. Glick, tried for er tering upon Government property and soliciting contributions from Federal em-ployes for campaign purposes, returned a verdict of gullty today. Glick was fined

# STREETCAR STRKIE

Philadelphia Car Men Gain Many Points.

### POLITICIANS AS MEDIATORS

Mayor Suggests Agreement, Both Sides Accept.

VIOLENCE EARLY IN DAY

Streetcar Employes to Be Paid 22 Cents an Hour, Get Ten-Hour Day, and Privilege of Buying Uniforms.

PHILADELPHIA, June 4-"The strike has been settled. The men will receive 22 cents an hour beginning tomorrow morning, and 10 hours will constitute a

This statement tonight from C. O. Pratt, chairman of the executive committee of the Amalgamated Association Street Railway Employes, followed by the deportation of the 450 non-union workmen, marked the end of the strike of employes of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. The trouble began last Saturday.

The settlement was brought about pri marily by State Senator James P. Mc-Nichol, Republican leader of this city, at conferences yesterday with the traction officials and labor representatives. These conferences were followed by others today.

### Company Makes Concessions.

After being in ecceion nearly all day the men agreed to accept 22 cents an hour. The old "swing system" has been abolished, 10 hours will constitute a day's work, all employes will be permitted to purchase their uniforms in the open mar-ket, all future difficulties are to be adjusted between the company and a grievance committee chosen by the employes. After a conference in City Hall which lasted until early today, Mayor Rey-burn made public a letter addressed to John B. Parsons, president of the transit company, in which he offered the terms for a settlement of the strike. He suggested among other things, the fol-

"All former employes will be restored to their former positions. "Your employes to form a representa-tive body which shall from time to time

be accorded full opportunity to take up with the proper officers of the company any and all questions affecting the "The rate of wages beginning July 1,

### "These conditions to continue for one, two or three years, as may be agreed

Compromise Is Accepted. President Parsons made an immediate

### Fined \$800 for Soliciting Campaign Some dissatisfaction is expressed by the strikers, who do not regard the rate of wages named as a concession. However, the agreement gives them shorter

hours and concedes them the right to purchase uniforms from whom they please. If after an investigation by the city

### controller of the books of the company it (Concluded on Page 4.)

# "COME ON, NOW; LET'S FIX THINGS UP!"



## BRITISH PRIDE IS SAVED BY YANKEE

DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH RESCUES FINE PAINTING.

Anonymously Gives \$200,000 and Prevents Sale of Holbein Masterpiece, According to Report.

LONDON, June 4-(Special.)-It is reported in the London colony of artists his afternoon that the woman who gave £40,000 (\$200,000) to save Holbein's "Duchess of Milan" for the British naion was the Duchess of Marlborough formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt. The motive of the Duchess is said to have been to fortify her social position in England, though the act may have been in part due to her real personal love of art. Since gossip of the troubles between the Duke and Duchess, the atmosphere of high society in London is said to have been less favorable than formerly, and Her Grace has been anxious to establish a position for herself quite independent

of that of her husband.
The name of the donor of the £40,000 s still withheld, but it is expected that in the course of time the fact will bene generally known that the Duchess of Mariborough was the one who inter vened at the critical moment and saved Holbein's masterpiece for the National Gallery.

## SAYS GOLF BEATS FINANCE

Rockefeller Enthusiastic About His Favorite Game.

NEW YORK, June 4-Declaring the financial situation is not half as inter-esting as golf, John D. Rockefeller returned today from Hot Springs, Va., where he took Mrs. Rockefeller five months ago for her health.
"We have had a splendid time," he

said, "and Mrs. Rockefeller is much Mr. Rockefeller was asked if he cared o say anything regarding the financial situation

"What do I know about the financial situation?" he replied. "Why, finance cannot be compared to golf. I hope some day to be able to play good golf. I have played a good deal of it in my life."

He spoke feelingly of the recent death of H. H. Rogers, saying: "It is sad,

## SEEDS UP IN FOUR DAYS

Planted on Monday and Show Above Ground Friday in Albany. ALBANY, Or., June 4.—(Special.)— County Clerk J. W. Miller planted some adish and lettuce seeds in the garden

at his residence in this city last Monday and the plants are above ground today. This breaks all known records for quick The warm weather the past few days, following the heavy rains of last Saturday and Sunday, have made conditions ideal

all crops are growing rapidly ughout the Central Willamette Valley. This is particularly true of gardens, INDEX OF TODAY'S NEWS plants have been growing an ome local gardens the last few

### DEAD MAN FOR SHIPMATE

California Fisherman Ends Hideous Voyage With Corpse.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 4.-(Special.)-Faithfully carrying out the request of his dying partner, Albert Graff in the fishing sloop Fying Dutchman arrived in port this morning with the body of Martin Edwards, who died six days ago while the little vessel was at sea on an ex-cursion to the fishing banks off the coast of Lower California. Exhausted and almost a nervous wreck from the ordeal of staying awake almost contincously since his comrade's death, with a fast decomposing corpse as his sole companion, Graff clambered ashore today nearer dead than alive.

### FISH TOO MUCH FOR HER Woman Falls in Twice Making Record Catch.

SPOKANE, Wash., June 4 .- (Special.)-Mrs. C. E. Clements has proved herself the champion fisherwoman of the season among the anglers of Wallace. At Lake Medimont, near Harrison, Idaho, she pulled in 22 black bass, none of which weighed less than three pounds, the whole catch totaling % pounds. Twice Mrs. Clements became so excited while trying to land a big one that she fell into

### THAW TO STAY IN ASYLUM Appeal Seeking Release on Habeas Corpus Denied by Court.

NEW YORK, June 4.-Harry Kendall Thaw must remain in the State Asylum for the Criminal Insane at Matteawan by a decision rendered today by the Appellate division of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn. Thaw's application for a writ of habeas corpus releasing him from the asylum was denied by a Justice of the Supreme Court several months ago. He then appealed to the Appellate division.

### ABANDON MISSION WORK Evangelical Lutheran Church to Drop Efforts in South America.

RICHMOND, Ind., June 4.-The general Evangelical Church of the United States today took a stand against further missionary effort in South America. No formal action was taken, but the matter went back to the committee on missions.

# IMMENSE STOCK **BOOM IS STARTED**

Sales in Wall Street of Great Volume.

### STEEL COMMON IS UNLOADED

Declines in Face of Advance in Railroad Stocks.

### MONEY POURS FROM WEST

Leaders of Movement Start to Bull Other Stocks in Order to Get Rid of Load of Steel They Are Carrying.

NEW YORK, June 4 .- (Special.)-In a stock market greater in size than that of yesterday, one in which nearly 1,700,000 shares changed hands. Atchison advanced 41/4 points, Baltimore & Ohio 3% points, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 3% points, St. Paul common 3 points and St. Paul preferred 4 points, New York Central 1 points, Texas Pacific % point and Republic Iron & Steel preferred 4% points. Other advances of a point or more were many. United States Steel common and preferred were the reactionaries.

### Unloading Stocks Wholesale.

It was one of the phases of a "bull rement" conducted under the auspices of daring and wealthy capitalists. The load of securities carried on borrowed money by the instigators of the present Stock Exchange commotion had undoubtedly grown to enormous proportions before today's market opened and it must naturally have been "Steel which made up the greater part of such accumulations. At some moment in a situation of the sort a familiar expedient is adopted; it is to stir up wild excitement in some stock not hitherto equally conspicuous, while fairly shaking the hag which holds the other acquisitions.

### Steel Flung on Market.

This was why Northern Pacific, New York Central, St. Paul and Atchison were bid up furiously, while Steel common was flung on the market at the declining prices in rapidly succeeding blocks of 2000 and 3000 shares aplece. At the open ing no less an amount than 30,000 shares of that stock changed hands simultane ously. From the opening figure of 69, the (Concluded on Page 3.)

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