

HARD WORK TABOO  
BY E. H. HARRIMAN

Wizard Cannot Again Labor So Strenuously as He Has in Past Years.

PHYSICIAN ISSUES EDICT

Effort Now Under Way to Put Harriman in Condition to Undergo Course of Treatment to Hold Back Paralysis.

VIENNA, Austria, July 4.—(Special.)—Edward H. Harriman, the American railroad wizard, must not work again so hard or so continuously as he has done in the past. This is the edict of Dr. Adolf Struempell, the noted Vienna specialist who has diagnosed Harriman's ailment as incipient paralysis. In obedience to this edict is Harriman's only safety.

For the present, declares Professor Struempell, Mr. Harriman must have complete quiet. To this end his meals are now being served in his room, and he only emerges therefrom once a day to take the mild exercise which has been prescribed as a part of his course of treatment.

The course of treatment through which Mr. Harriman is now being put is intended to cure his nervous trouble and get him into as good physical condition as possible, after which an entirely new course of treatment will be inaugurated in an effort to relieve the paralysis which is affecting his limbs. This cannot be cured, Mr. Harriman has been informed, but its acute symptoms can be relieved and its progress stayed.

Mr. Harriman is remaining constantly by his side, and her ministrations form an important feature of the course of treatment being given him.

SHAH'S COSSACKS WIN OUT

Defeat Band of Revolutionists With Small Loss.

TEHRAN, July 4.—A skirmish occurred at Shahabad, 16 miles to the northwest of Tehran, in which revolutionists were defeated by the Shah's Cossacks.

Twelve of the revolutionists were killed while the Cossacks lost one officer and three men.

ACTION IS HELD SIGNIFICANT

Shah's Cause Not Regarded as Near Collapse.

LONDON, July 5.—A dispatch to the Times from Tehran says that 300 Cossacks took part in the fight at Shahabad with two Croat quickfitters and one Maxim. The number of revolutionists is not known.

The action, says the correspondent of the Times, is significant because it seems to dispose of the doubt as to whether the Russian officers are prepared to fight and he suggests that the Shah's cause is not so near a collapse as has been generally predicted.

FOURTH KEPT IN DENMARK

Elaborate Celebration Is Carried Through at Aarhus.

COPENHAGEN, July 4.—The Danish-American Association, the members of which are American citizens, arranged an elaborate celebration of the Fourth of the National Exposition at Aarhus and it was carried out with great success today.

Features of the celebration were addresses by the American Minister, Dr. Maurice F. Egan, and the Danish Minister at Washington, Count Carl von Moltke. Crown Prince Christian and the Crown Princess were present.

EVANS GIVES OUT ADVICE

Tells New Petty Officers to Be True to Flag and Honor Women.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 4.—"You ought to be proud to be in a profession which requires you to die, if need be, for your country," said Rear Admiral Rowley D. Evans, U. S. N., at the graduation of certificates of promotion to those of the Naval apprentice brigade who today became petty officers.

"Be true to yourself and your flag and your country and honor women."

"Be thoughtful and courteous to them and do your full duty."

RAPIER DUEL BY CUBANS

Words in House of Representatives Leads to Affair of Honor.

HAVANA, July 4.—A duel was fought today between Colonel G. Orestes Ferrera, president of the House of Representatives, and Senator Monleon, a Representative, as the outcome of sharp words exchanged on Friday between the men in the House. Rapiers were used and both Colonel Ferrera and Senator Monleon received slight injuries, whereupon honor was satisfied.

The encounter followed a challenge sent by Colonel Ferrera as a result of alleged offensive expressions used by Senator Monleon on the floor of the House, when he accused the Speaker of lack of respect to the members of the House.

CELEBRATION MORE SANE

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declare the trousseau of the bride and her other purchases which would open the way for as much trouble for the in a crowded downtown saloon by placing the freerack on the lunch counter.

As the men rushed for the door Gardner picked up the bomb and laughed. A moment later the explosion occurred and Gardner dropped to the floor fainting, with his right hand so mangled that physicians amputated it this evening.

ONE PERSON DEAD AT ST. LOUIS

Five Fatally Injured and 30 Seriously in Celebration.

ST. LOUIS, July 4.—One person dead, five fatally and 30 seriously injured and close to two the recipients of minor hurts, was the independence day record here at midnight.

Boy Killed at Denver.

DENVER, Colo., July 4.—George Reshman, aged 10, was killed today in a Fourth of July celebration.

LATEST PORTRAIT OF WIZARD OF RAILROAD WORLD, WHOSE LIMBS ARE PARTLY PARALYZED, AND SNAPSHOT OF HIS WIFE, WHO IS WITH HIM ABROAD.



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TEACHERS QUIT FIELD

EDUCATIONAL CRISIS LOOMS IN ORANGE FREE STATE.

New Law, Requiring Instruction Given in Both Dutch and English Causes Trouble.

JOHANNESBURG, July 4.—(Special.)—An educational crisis threatened in Orange. As was predicted, a great deal of friction has been created, and general dissatisfaction has been aroused among the British section of the population over the working of General Hertzog's act, which provides that instruction must be given partly in Dutch and partly in English, and that teachers must be proficient in both languages. Rigid insistence upon the letter of the law has brought the Education Department into collision with various local authorities, and so strong is the feeling that it has been suggested that the interests of the children of the English colonists should be protected by their own. The situation is thus summed up by a Cape Journal:

The act has not been in force five months, and already it is fulfilling the gloomiest predictions. Expiring racialism is being fed into flame; some of the best teachers are quitting the service in disgust, and poor substitutes are taking their place; confusion has been introduced into school classes, and the children are suffering; the work of the teachers, the school committee and the Director of Education has been rendered extraordinarily difficult, and both Dutch and English-speaking parents have been forced into a condition of discontent which threatens to bring about just such another school disruption as retarded educational progress for some time under the Crown Colony government.

It is added that at present there are not nearly enough certified teachers offering themselves for vacancies in the colony, and that the average standard of attainment of the staff is falling instead of improving year by year. The imported teachers, mostly English and Scottish, who were the backbone of the service, are gradually being lost. In five years their numbers fell from 30 to 90. Resignations are constantly occurring, and in one year, according to the last report of the Director of Education, 100 teachers, one-fourth of the entire staff left the service.

SUBSTITUTE FOR DIABOLO

German Invents New Game Much Less Dangerous to Play.

PARIS, July 4.—(Special.)—A new game of the diabolo type springing into favor here, and as the American patients have been taken out, "la funda" will no doubt be seen before long in America. The funda is a new form, of sling, as its name shows. A little ball, on a framework is fixed on a swivel into a sort of tennis racket without strings or top. The bottom of the bag is open, and two strong india-rubber bands, one under the ball, a tennis ball, from falling through. The game is to sling the ball and stab it into the netting, and the air to be caught by the same player at will.

It needs a certain amount of skill and is certainly less dangerous and just as healthy as diabolo. The inventor is a young German named Seeger, who in a demonstration which he gave the other afternoon threw a tennis ball higher than the chimneys of a seven-story house and caught it again without apparent effort.

Montesano 6; Hoquiam 2.

MONTESANO, Wash., July 4.—(Special.)—The first day of Montesano's big three days' celebration dawned auspiciously, and the parade which was over one mile long was one of the finest ever seen in Chehalis County. The local ball team defeated Hoquiam by a score of 6 to 2.

GOING TO SUNDAY DIRECT PRIMARY

New York Legislature Sends Junket Party to Learn of Oregon Idea.

RABBI WISE HELPS HUGHES

Governor and Supporters Begin Educational Campaign, but Party Leaders Give Little Serious Heed to Reformers.

BY LLOYD F. LONERGAN. NEW YORK, July 4.—(Special.)—A state-wide campaign is on, designed to bring the question of direct primaries to the front, but up to the present time it has failed to arouse the enthusiasm of the rank and file of the voters.

Governor Hughes has taken a strong position in favor of the "reform." Much to his surprise he has found that many of his former friends have declined to follow him in his crusade.

The machine leaders have made the Governor's fight an excuse for a junket. A joint legislative committee has been appointed to investigate the entire subject of direct nominations. Now that the weather is warm they are "investigating" in New England. Later they are going to Seattle, and in the course of their summer incident. They will probably visit Yellowstone Park en route, and may drift in at Portland and Eugene.

Anyway they have planned a most interesting and expensive itinerary, and will undoubtedly absorb much valuable information concerning the United States before they return to Albany. All that the taxpayers are sure of is that they will have big bills to pay, and that the report of the committee will be based on the decision of Herbert Parsons, Timothy L. Woodruff and United States Senator Elihu Root—particularly Root.

Pressure Used on Candidates. The Governor does not expect any assistance from the Legislative committee, but plans to keep the engaged in the "State Direct Primary Association" which was brought into being in the closing days of the legislative session. Its members then advocated the direct nomination plan, having the general features of the defeated Hinman-Cree bill. Since the law-makers went home the "S. D. P. A." has been preparing for its "state-wide campaign."

William H. Wadhams, a former Judge of the Court, is president of the association. Judge Wadhams was named to fill a vacancy on the bench, due to death. He was nominated for a full term, but he had even failed to make an impressive run.

Judge Wadhams, in his new sphere of activity, believes the best thing to do is to bring influence to bear upon candidates for the Legislature who will be named this Fall. He declares that all the influence of the organization will be swung against those who do not want to pledge themselves to support a direct nomination bill.

It is not a partisan movement, nor is it an organization, Judge Wadhams explains. "It is the regulars of the machine call us soreheads and kickers, but we can stand for the party of the people. We are a organization men of both the political parties, and we believe in responsible party government and in organization. We are not in the least interested in having primary laws which will assure each citizen, of whatever party, that he may vote as he pleases, and without having his vote discounted by machine manipulation in the primary election. We are interested in the primary election, and we believe in the intervention of middle men, who may or may not carry out our directions."

Judge Wadhams explains that already his association has been organized in the following counties, New York, Kings, Queens, Richmond (these being in New York), and Westchester, Erie, Oneida, Ontario, Oswego, and Monroe. In the last named county there is an organization in each of the five townships.

The work of organization is progressing in the other counties, and before September it is expected that each nomination of officers in the primary will be in charge of an "advisory council" which in the course of time will include men from every section of the county. The bulk of the members are from Greater New York. It cannot be denied that there are some mighty good men in the advisory council.

Rabbi Wise Active Leader.

For example, there is Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, well known in Portland, and now rapidly becoming prominent here; Oscar Straus, who has a record as a diplomat; William Chivers, Republican Hamilton Hill, editor of the Independent; Norman Haggood, of Colfax, Weekly; and James B. Reynolds, Roosevelt's great friend.

Brooklyn contributes County Register W. H. Prendergast, ex-Congressman; George Waldo and Darwin R. James, president of the Young Republican Club.

Among the upstate representatives are E. N. Godfrey, master of the State in the rural districts; President Stryker of Hamilton College; Mayor Ross of Geneva; John Lord O'Brien, United States District Attorney at Buffalo; and Stephen C. Clark of Cooperstown. W. Mott, a former superintendent of Banks; Frederick R. Hazard, one of the important manufacturers in Syracuse; and Stephen C. Clark of Cooperstown, a son-in-law of the late Bishop Potter.

"It is a class committee," said a Republican district leader today, "but the trouble is that it is too classy. It is not able to reach the rank and file of the voters, and it never will."

And this seems to be the general opinion. The party is too well public sentiment in favor of the latest of the Governor's reforms.

The general sentiment is one of indifference. Voters believe that the present election laws are good, and do not need improvement. Consequently they are not falling over themselves to join the State Direct Primary Association, and they really lack interest in the movements of ex-Judge Wadhams and his associates.

While legislators are not anxious to go on record as yet, in private they declare that they do not give a hoot for the work of the new organization. And they have the vote that they will be effectually to spike the reformers' guns.

"The regular candidates this Fall," said one Republican assemblyman who has served four years at Albany, "will be named by the two big party organizations. Suppose in my district that I subscribe to the new party. Then, of course, my opponent would be endorsed in the natural course of events."

"I suppose, and it is a supposition that will probably become a reality, suppose we both ignore the reformers? What are they going to do about it? They are not strong enough in any district to elect an independent candidate. No matter what they do they lose."

"This is the answer to the direct primary fight, for this year at least. 'No matter what they (the reformers) do, they lose.'"

"For we do not want any Oregon experiences down here, thank you."

CUSHMAN IS STILL LOW

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Interests that might do him some good in a campaign. He is principal owner of one of the largest shingle mills in the West, located at Kelso, but makes his home in Tacoma.

A. S. Ruth, of Olympia, president of the State Senate, is also an aspirant for Cushman's job. It is said that Ruth has been laying his wires for some time in anticipation that Cushman would run for the Senate.

If anything would cause Governor Hay to take an active part in a congressional election in favoring one candidate above another, it would be the fact that Ruth was seeking the election. Ruth is the leader and brains of the anti-administration faction in the Washington Legislature, and does not hesitate to express his opinion of Hay in uncomplimentary terms. Ruth is one of the backers of an anti-administration weekly newspaper which made its initial appearance in Olympia last week. The object of this newspaper, it is believed, is not only to represent the forces in the Southwest opposed to the policies of Governor Hay, but to boost Ruth for Congress.

Claypool Would Oppose Ruth. Ruth, however, it is promised, would have opposition in his own county. Charles E. Claypool, of Olympia, it is said, has been planning to try for Cushman's position, if for any reason, Cushman is out of the running. Claypool is one of the best known political stump-speakers in the Southwest. In recent years he has been engaged in the same practice in Fairbanks, Alaska, coming to Washington for the Winters and campaigning for the Republican ticket when an election is on. For the purpose of running for Congress, it is said, that Claypool has given up his Alaska real-estate and already claims Olympia as his home in fact.

Should a special election be called, the Grays Harbor county might also be figured in. Aberdeen and Hoquiam have been growing some during the past few years, and in George Emerson, of Aberdeen, is another likely candidate. Mr. Emerson has a fine timber tract, and he has reached the point of believing it.

Emerson is the head of a big lumbering concern, which operates in the Grays Harbor county, and will likely be noticed somewhat, should a special election be called.

The men mentioned are the only ones so far as known here who have been watching Cushman's course with the view to succeeding him, but if death should remove the congressman at this point, it is practically certain that others would immediately enter the contest.

If a vacancy should occur and Governor Hay should call a special election, it would likely find itself embroiled in an administration and anti-administration fight. It is hard to see how Hay could keep out of the fight, for he is waged in view of the fact that the nominations would be made by the old Congressmen, and the primary election law of this state does not apply to special elections held for the purpose of filling unexpired terms.

Presently, however, would not be obligatory upon the Governor to call a special election, but if he did not the state would lose part of its representation in Congress during the remainder of the present special session of Congress and during the next regular session. Pressure would undoubtedly be too strong for the Governor to resist calling the election, and the result is Cushman's illness.

Scramble on Next Election.

But in the event either of Cushman's demise or retirement at the end of his present term there would be a scramble for the office in the next regular election. It is believed that the result would be similar to that which occurred in the Eastern Washington district in the last primary campaign. There undoubtedly would be more than four candidates in the field, making necessary a voting for a second choice candidate. So long as Cushman is alive and retains his present popularity in his district he will not have much opposition in selecting re-election. He is too strong with the voters and too good a campaigner for any new leader to oust him.

Mr. Cushman's health has been so poor during the unexpired term that he could not gain Cushman's popularity and would have opposition in the regular election.

Four years ago B. W. Colner, of Lewis County, was an active candidate for the office in opposition to Cushman. For many years he has figured it out that they should have a representative in Congress for the United States Senator and a Congressman came from Tacoma. The division of the spoils did not seem altogether right, and Colner received much encouragement, but the Southwest, which has always had a chance to be represented in a Republican convention, failed at the last minute, and Colner lost.

Cushman in the last primary election polled 19,812 votes in his district, his nearest and only competitor, B. D. Brown, Democrat, polling 1704. In the general election following the primary Cushman received 29,850 and Brown 12,006. Of course, Tacoma could not wish to relinquish its hold in the event of a change of factory death, and aside from Senator Metcalf and George T. Reid, Senator Paulhaus is regarded as Congressional timber.

Both Cushman and Humphrey had a walkaway in the last elections, but as Republican politics have developed in the state within the last few months following the scandals that have been brought to light, there is no sure thing that matters will stand as they are presented. As a matter of fact, it is pointed out the election of two new members of the Legislature, Democrats from Republican strongholds, has set politicians guessing. The future of the party's progress depends greatly, so it is declared, upon the consequences of political housecleaning, which is now under way in the State of Washington.

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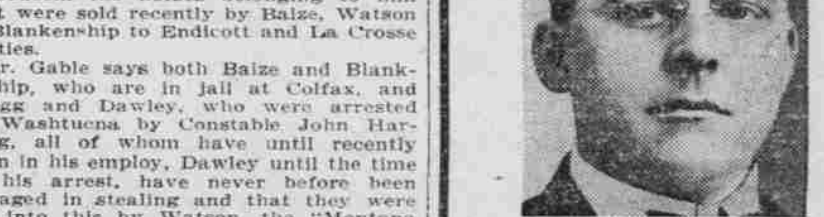
HOT AFTER HORSETHIEVES Franklin County Farmer Insists He Has Evidence Which Will Break Up an Organized Gang Operating in Palouse.

SPokane, Wash., July 4.—(Special.)—Henry Gable, the chief Franklin County horseman, who has figured prominently in connection with the arrest of several men in Whitman County and two in Franklin County, charged with stealing his horses from the ranges in the vicinity of Connelly and Eagle Lake, and the subsequent excitement created by his sudden disappearance under conditions that gave rise to the belief that he had been murdered, was in Colfax today making arrangements to redeem the horses belonging to him that were sold recently by Balise, Watson & Blankenship to Endicott and La Cross parties.

Mr. Gable says both Balise and Blankenship, who are in jail at Colfax, and Gregg and Dawley, who were arrested at Washtucna by Constable John Hartung, all of whom have until recently been in his employ, Dawley until the time of his arrest, have never before been engaged in stealing and that they were led into this by Watson, the "Montana Kid," arrested with Balise and Blankenship.

"When I left Pasco yesterday morning to come to Colfax," he said, "they were then expecting the Sheriff of Grant County to come in at any time with Press Connors, for whom a warrant had been issued on complaint of Ben Hutchinson, a neighbor of mine who claims that Connors and his gang stole some of his horses. Press Connors is, in my opinion, the whole and front of the horse stealing business in the central part of the state. I have been watching him and his followers for years and I just collected evidence in the last three years to justify me in taking action. As soon as I return home, I will lay his cases before Prosecutor George Baker of Grant County. There are other alleged horsemen in that region who often have had a breeding animal in their possession. I intend getting some of them before a judge and jury and have them explain how they raise their horses."

THOMPSON'S ABILITY HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY THE HIGHEST AUTHORITIES IN THE FOREMOST EUROPEAN AUTHORITIES



The London Daily Mail; The New York Times; The Chicago Tribune; May 14, '08, says: "R. A. Thompson, an American optician, was called upon while in Berlin to deliver several lectures on the eye to students of both German and American nationality. Eminent German authorities have declared his system of eye testing a great aid to science."

The British Optician, London, May 29, '08, says: "By the Thompson system of fitting glasses a mistake is impossible."

The London Science Sitings (the Scientific American of Europe), June 8, '08, says: "A number of prominent oculists were greatly astonished last evening at the remarkable skill of R. A. Thompson as an American optician."

LEWISTON, Idaho, July 4.—(Special.)—Mayor Henry Heitfeld will resign the reins to his successor, Ben F. Tweedy, tomorrow night, and three new councilmen, Charles Baker, Daniel Caffery and Dr. O. C. Carsow, will take office.

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TWEEDY IN CHAIR TONIGHT Lewiston Expects to Have Entire New Set of City Officers.

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