

TAFT GETS WATER OF LIFE DESERT

His Touch Starts Flow of Water Through Completed Gunnison Tunnel.

SHERIFFS GET IN FIGHT

Touch of Western Realism Added to Programme When Gun Play Threatens—Executive Praises Climate, Great Resources.

(Continued From First Page.) Several miles away, to knock down the bulldozers that were holding back the water of the river. As the muddy wall of water rushed out of the concrete hole, the crowd gave a spontaneous cheer.

In all his speeches today, including the one delivered at 3 o'clock tonight to a throng in Elk Park, following an illuminated parade and a display of fireworks, the President touched briefly upon the subject of irrigation.

Assistance Is Promised. He promised at Grand Junction promptly to look into the matter of completing the Grand Valley, or high line ditch project there, which was begun a year ago by ex-Secretary of the Interior, Garfield.

Secretary Ballinger ordered the work stopped and was upheld in his action by Attorney-General Clegg, who declared the contract and the "Garfield certificate" certificates that had been issued for work performed to be illegal.

Sheriff Gets in Fight. But one little incident marred the President's visit and that was at the conclusion of the tunnel opening this afternoon when one of the 22 Colorado Sheriffs who have accompanied the President across the state, got into an altercation with H. L. Daniels, superintendent of the tunnel, when the latter was trying to shake hands with the President.

Mr. Daniels was knocked down and for a time trouble was threatened as his friends were quick to resent the action of the officer, who during the struggle drew a pistol. The President heard the quarrel and stopped for a moment as he was making his way to the train. He was told there was nothing serious and proceeded.

Secretary of the Interior Ballinger, who is accompanying the President, made a speech here tonight. He referred to the subject of reclamation in a general way and, because of a bad throat, his talk was brief.

Taft Praises Country. At Grand Junction in the early afternoon the President shook hands with several Indians, one of them being Chipella, the squaw of Ouray, one of the most famous chiefs of this country.

In his Grand Junction speech Mr. Taft said: It seems to me, as I look back upon my career since I reached Colorado, that this has been nothing but a flow of open; it is very difficult to restrain an expression of the effect of these developments upon a man who has looked at them as I have.

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Government Is Paternal. Speaking in Montrose today, the President said: I have felt thrilled today by the description of your resources in this valley. It is because this air has had the effect of champagne without the bubbles that follows. It is seen in the smiles of your people in their active step, in their enterprise, and in their confidence.

Your chairman has referred to the paternalism of the Government and it has made me think of the exact words of the Constitution which authorizes the United States Government to go into the business of "regulating the water to your benefit."

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Having in a cell in the City Jail with a delusion that he is a baseball star and practicing sliding to bases and catching imaginary fly balls, is M. C. Stanchfield, an engraver on a Minneapolis paper, who was taken from a Northern Pacific passenger train this afternoon.

He says he has a brother in Portland, whom the police are trying to locate. His condition is said to be the result of a long debauch.

Perhaps it was under the general welfare clause which has been made so much use of by each party when they are in power, that the Government has done anything which was of doubtful power under any other clause. However that may be, it is in it and the great Gunnison tunnel is built and this valley, with an unpromising name, is going to blossom like the rose.

I have been laboring under the impression for the last four or five days that I was generally known to the people of the United States so that they could not mistake me, but it was proved for a gentleman of your committee today when he and I were presented, to question my identity, and I had to get out of it. I would, I think, congratulate you on the prospect that lies before the people of this valley. There has been an exaggeration of the possibilities that are here. I believe in the doctrine of optimism. I am an optimist myself, and if you don't believe you are going to succeed, you never will. There is something about this air that makes you all optimistic. That means you hope to do better next year and the next year to increase that betterment, and the third year to go on doing better, and if you don't hope it, you won't do it, but if you do hope it, you will.

The President left here at 10 o'clock tonight for Salt Lake City. He will make brief stops at Helper and Provo, Utah, tomorrow morning.

SNAPSHOTS OF TAFT EN TOUR.



SPAIN TURNED BACK

Advance Stopped by Strong Body of Rifians.

TRIBESMEN GO TO ENEMY

Desert Spanish Columns for Men of Own Blood—Report of Disaster to White Troops Denied in Official Despatches.

SPANISH REVERSE IS DENIED

Great Importance Placed on Occupation of Souk Beni Sicar.

UNDESIRABLES MUST GO

South Bend Institutes Campaign for Civic Purity.

ENGRAVER HAS DELUSIONS

Minneapolis Man Goes Suddenly Insane in Tacoma.

FLOW OF OIL IS FOUND

Drillers at Young's River Report Considerable Flow.

HIKE SAVES GIRL'S LIFE

(Continued From First Page.) I want to come back to the tunnel. If I understand it, the figures of the investment will be about \$4,000,000, and the result in land values will be about \$15,000,000, a very fair profit, I think, from the work.

M'GANN FOUND GUILTY

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MILWAUKIE FAIR OPENS

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MILWAUKIE GRANGE DISTRICT FAIR OPENS TONIGHT

The Milwaukee Grange District Fair opened tonight with an entertainment given in the City Hall, well attended. A military comedy was re-

THE DOCTOR'S WIFE

Agrees With Him About Food.

TWO ARRESTS IN RED LIGHT DISTRICT

A tour of inspection of houses of questionable reputation was made last night by Chief of Police Cox and Captain Moore, of the first night relief. Two persons were arrested, charged with conducting their places in a disorderly manner. One of these, Louis Oleson, at 824 North Second street, has made her place notorious of late by violating the "unwritten" police law. The charge is she permitted women in her house to practice "gripping." John Koukoris, at Third and Everett, was the other one caught in the inspection. Both posted \$100 bail for appearance in the Municipal Court this morning.

SCIENTISTS DEMAND RECORDS

General Hubbard Says Both Explorers Must Produce Data.

PEARY BEGINS COMED HOWIE BY FRIENDS

Neighbors Greet Explorer on Native Soil—Crowds Along Route.

SILENT ON CONTROVERSY

Commander Keeping His Own Counsel Regarding Cook Dispute. Maine Countryfolk Gather at Stations to See Polchunter.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 23.—From the moment Commander Peary crossed the international boundary line at Vanceboro, the eastern terminus of the Maine Central Railroad, shortly after 10 o'clock this morning, until he arrived at Portland tonight, his reception amounted to a continuous ovation.

At every station where the train stopped between Vanceboro and Old Town there was a crowd of cheering countryfolk, who seemed to appreciate the fact that it was the first few hours that the commander was enjoying in his own land.

At Bangor the explorer was welcomed at the station by thousands. John F. Woodman, the Mayor, escorted him to a carriage and he was driven rapidly to the Bangor House, where the representative men of the town entertained him at an informal luncheon.

The Peary party passed through St. John, N. B., early today, and in the few minutes between trains several hundred persons gathered around the explorer and congratulated him on his success. The Commander, it is said, will refrain from making any speeches. Commander Peary is keeping his own counsel, with regard to the information he has obtained on the main question.

"Did Dr. Cook find the Pole?" The explorer, probably will remain at Eagle Bay several days, and during that time will assemble the records he has made on the trip to the Pole.

Commander Peary said: "You know, as I do, that today has been a white-letter day for me. This splendid demonstration in this city, every foot of which I knew in my boyhood days, has touched my heart.

"It is too big a thing for any egotism and, irrespective of any individualism, it is the nation of the Stars and Stripes of all its lands, for with the top of the earth that has been accomplished.

"I have been asked what is the scientific value of the discovery of the North Pole. There are some things about it that are a great deal greater than the gathering of additional data about the earth. As long as the earth is being explored and the earth is being explored, it is a step on humanity and a challenge to civilization. Another thing, it has added to the United States another milestone in history.

"Another fact is the satisfaction that at least a man, in spite of every obstacle, has made good."

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BAR HARBOR, Sept. 23.—General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic Club, talked today at Bangor with Commander Peary, near here at 10 o'clock last night, and with some of the data and records which are to be used to maintain the position of the explorer in the Cook controversy.

These records will be carefully considered within the next few days, and General Hubbard and Commander Peary will confer here either Sunday or Monday. This consultation may result in an announcement making public any information in the possession of Commander Peary concerning Dr. Cook's party, Dr. Cook, said General Hubbard, tonight, "I would say, let him submit his records and data to some competent authority and let that authority draw its own conclusions from the notes and records taken in the field.

It is for the scientific tribunal—whether the Royal Geographical Society of Denmark or any other society—to say what conclusions have been reached by consideration of the records. All that is wanted is the data and the records made in the Arctic. Competent authority will determine from them where Dr. Cook has been.

"I may say that Commander Peary also will be expected to turn over his data and observations for the same purpose. What proof Peary has that Dr. Cook was not at the Pole may be submitted later."

PREPARING COOK INDICTMENT

Commander Peary Says He Has His Rival on 30 Counts.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—With Commander R. E. Peary seeking indeterminate seclusion at his home in Maine and with Dr. Frederick A. Cook fully answering the most difficult questions of his doubters, it was expected that the North



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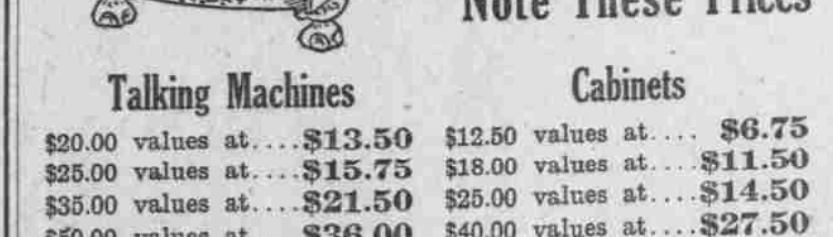
CONSCIENCE COSTS MAN \$2

Returns Bounty Money to County After Professing Faith.

HILLSBORO, Or., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Chris Luthie, of Holbrook, recently sent County Treasurer Jackson a remittance of \$2, which was sent in as conscience money. Luthie wrote saying that when he was a boy his family lived in Washington County, and he, with other boys, were in the habit of catching gophers for the 20 cent bounty.

He says that he caught 15 or 20 gophers in Multnomah County and secured the money from the officials here, and as he had experienced religion, he felt that God

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