

WESTERN UNION'S ACTION RESCUE

Brokers Given Back Wires as Mysteriously as They Were Taken Away.

NO EXPLANATIONS GIVEN

It Is Supposed That Investigation Showed Business of Firms Cut Off Was Such That Company Was Willing to Accept It.

NEW YORK, July 8.—As suddenly as the wire service to various broker offices in New York State cities was suspended yesterday, so suddenly was it resumed today and with no more explanation by the Western Union Telegraph Company for the second change than for the first.

Wall street has long held that the telegraph companies ought to exercise the same supervision over their customers that representative newspapers exercise over the business they accept for their advertising columns.

If it is now the policy of the Western Union to exercise the same supervision established brokers and bankers believe it will result in protection for the investing public and in a greater volume of orders for the bona fide stock exchanges of the country.

GIRL DROWNS AT RESORT

Heroic Youth Saves One, Nearly Dies Trying to Rescue Friend.

CAMP MEKKER, Cal., July 8.—Edith Johnson, a recent high school graduate of San Francisco, aged 16, was drowned in the river here yesterday afternoon after a heroic attempt at rescue by Roy Slatery, a San Francisco boy, who had already rescued Elsie Sellinger after she had twice disappeared under the surface. The tragedy was enacted in full view of the 2,000 persons sunning at this resort.

Shortly after the two girls had dived into the lake, Miss Sellinger with a shriek suddenly sank, clutching Miss Johnson as she attempted to help her. Miss Sellinger was dragged to the surface and pushed her to shore. Then she dived for Miss Johnson who clung to him. He tried to fight her off beneath the surface, but the girl held tight until her life was lost. Slatery, who dived as Slatery was drowning but for the heroic efforts of Phillips to save him.

AIM MAY BE AT AMERICA

Closing of Door in China Seen in Russo-Japanese Compact.

BERLIN, July 8.—The liveliest interest is felt in official circles regarding the Russo-Japanese agreement, the text of which has not yet been forwarded to the German government. The maintenance of the status quo, which the agreement is ostensibly intended to secure, is considered by many as the most delicate point in the agreement refers, according to the semi-official Frankfurter Zeitung, to the understanding between the two nations, which was reached in Manchuria, which was to be maintained as a Russo-Japanese sphere of influence. If so, the agreement is taken to mean the closing of the open door.

STEEL FRAMES BLOWN UP

Strike Sympathizers Do Damage at McCormick Plant.

CHICAGO, July 8.—Sympathizers with union sheet metal workers were believed by the police to be responsible for a dynamite explosion that wrecked several tons of steel window frames yesterday on the premises of the McCormick works of the International Harvester Company at West Thirty-first and Rockwell streets.

MOTIVES NOT QUESTIONED

Bullinger Gives T. R. Clean Bill in Poinexter Episode.

CHICAGO, July 8.—Secretary of the Interior Bullinger, who arrived here today on a tour of inspection of public lands, was asked if he credited the report that Theodore Roosevelt would support the Senatorial candidacy of Congressman Poinexter of Washington.

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TWO NEW SNAPSHOTS OF RICHEST MAN, WHO CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY YESTERDAY.



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JOHN D. IS CHIPPER

Oil King Receives Birthday Greetings of Friends.

HAS COMPLETED 71 YEARS

Rockefeller Says Life Still Sweet and Proves Enjoyment by Riding in Auto and Playing Golf Till Sweat Pours Out.

CLEVELAND, O., July 8.—(Special)—Chipper as a boy and with a smile and a real handshake for all well-wishers, John D. Rockefeller today celebrated his 71st birthday at Forest Hill, his splendid summer home in this city. At the request of Mr. Rockefeller and his wife, no special arrangements had been made for the event, as they agreed it was purely a family matter and not of special interest to the public.

"Perhaps I have lived too long already," said Mr. Rockefeller, with a shy smile, "but the world is good and life is sweet to all of us."

In the afternoon the oil king drove slowly around the country roads in his big touring car, greeting many friends, and in the afternoon he played golf, despite the intense heat, buckling down to the game with great vigor. He was perspiring and his pink as a baby when he came off the links.

PINGHOT PLAYS POLITICS

Partisan Speeches on Conservation Congress List.

Pinchot Side of Bullinger Controversy Exploited on Programme, Thinks Local Board.

ST. PAUL, July 8.—The programme of the National Conservation Congress to be held here September 6 to 8, which, it was hoped would soon be ready for announcement, is being held up pending a conference to be held in Chicago early next week between Governor Eberhart and Gifford Pinchot.

ETHEL LEVY WEDS "WHIP"

Cohan's Former Wife Marries French Equestrian.

NEW YORK, July 8.—A letter received from Paris yesterday announced the marriage of Ethel Levy, former wife of George M. Cohan, to Pierre Crepin, a well-known professional whip of the French capital. They were married in a province outside of London last October and lived at the Hotel Carlton for several months following the ceremony, but managed to keep the marriage a secret until recently. Mr. Crepin is 24 years old, tall and athletic, and is a most expert equestrian of the continent and holds records for his high jumping.

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CHALLENGE FOR OREGON PROJECT

State May Get Slice of Reclamation Fund Through Aid of Secretary.

SENATORS ARE INACTIVE

Application for Allotment Comes Only From House Members—Demands of All States Total Four Times Bond Issue.

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His Senators today left at the mercy of the President and in competition with states represented by live, energetic and fighting Senators; Senators who appreciated the full purpose of the bond bill, and who worked for it in the hope that their state would receive a proportionate benefit when the bill became a law. Those Senators, not satisfied with passing the bill, are now working for allotments, and will get them. This is the competition Oregon faces, and it must rely largely upon the good graces of Secretary Bullinger, backed by the two Congressmen. The House members have filed requests for allotment recommendations; Secretary Bullinger has assured them of his disposition to do the right thing for Oregon, and there finally, the question of allotment. Senators are aware that their state is clamoring for any portion of this big fund, that fact is not apparent from any visible evidence in the hands of the President at Beverly, or in the office of the Secretary of the Interior.

Under the terms of the \$20,000,000 bill, none of the money therein provided can be allotted or expended upon new projects; all must go to the completion or the extension of projects already authorized. The only projects in Oregon which are eligible to receive any part of this money, the Klamath and the Umatilla. It is not possible to allot from the \$20,000,000 to be set apart for the Klamath project, for that is under the ban, and only recently was greatly diminished with the passing of a bill considered good and sufficient reasons. That part of the Klamath project now in an unfinished state will be completed when the money is available. Umatilla has a chance.

Because of this situation the Umatilla project is the only one in Oregon likely to receive an allotment out of the new fund, and that allotment, if made, will be for the west side extension. The project is now practically complete; a very small additional expenditure, out of moneys already allotted, will put on the Umatilla head race, and a small amount on any drain upon the \$20,000,000 fund.

To build this west side addition will cost an expenditure of \$2,500,000, or an average of \$40,000 per acre. The project is \$30 less than the cost of the east side project, which is one of the most expensive yet made by the Government. Privately-owned land under that project has sold within the past month for \$200,000 per acre. The project of water right, and if this land can command such a price and pay \$45 for water, Secretary Bullinger believes that the Umatilla project, as it stands across the Umatilla River, can certainly pay \$45 for water. Therefore, he regards this extension as a good and a safe investment for the Government.

Roughly speaking, half of this west side tract is in Government ownership and half is held by various private interests. The tract is subdivided into two parts. In private ownership must be subdivided and sold under the terms of the reclamation act, if the extension is built, and the Government land must be held by the Government until the irrigation system is completed and water is ready for distribution. It is possible for settlers in the future to go on any Government project until everything is in readiness.

Other States Exert Pressure. The allotment of the full \$20,000,000 would not give to Oregon all it would have been legally entitled to had section 9 not been repealed, and this fact may weigh heavy with the President. But on the other hand, he is being subjected to terrific pressure from influential Senators from other states—Senators who deserve great credit for the passage of the bond bill, and he may be forced to compromise in order to meet these demands.

HAVENS WILLING, HE SAYS. Democratic Nomination for Governor of New York, Is Honor.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 8.—James H. Havens, the Democrat who defeated H. W. Aldridge, of the Thirty-fourth Congressional District, for the seat left vacant by the death of Representative James Brock Perkins, has been repeatedly urged to reconsider his determination not to run for Congress again this Fall, but he still firmly refuses to allow his name to be considered.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Secretary of the Treasury Tracewell has rendered a decision holding in effect that in the future he will not allow expenses of office deputies in serving John Doe warrants. The issue came before him on an appeal by Marshal P. M. Long, of the northern district of Alabama, from a ruling by the auditor of the State and other departments in disallowing traveling expenses incurred in endeavoring to serve such warrants in interstate revenue cases where the effort to arrest was unsuccessful. The Controller treats the present instances as emergency cases, and has overruled the auditor and allowed the account, but makes it clear that he will not do so in the future. The departure will work a hardship to Government officers in some of the prohibition states, where the John Doe warrants are resorted to freely.

be considered under the bond bill, and for that project alone asks \$8,000,000. The Government has built the great Pathfinder dam in Wyoming, and behind it stored enough water of the North Platte River to irrigate not only 130,000 acres in Nebraska (which land is now receiving water) but enough water to irrigate 100,000 acres in the Goshute Hole country in Wyoming. Here is a project where the reservoir is built and the water is available, and the expenditure of \$6,000,000 will irrigate this additional 100,000 acres in Wyoming with water that is now stored, and it is waste to let it go, because there is no distributing system to get it on the land. There is no question but that a large store of the \$20,000,000 will be given to this project, especially as Senator Warren, of Wyoming, is chairman of the military committee, and the project is to be examined and reported upon by board of Army engineers. In addition the Shoshone project in Wyoming, which has already cost nearly \$4,000,000, asking \$4,000,000 more for extensions, so as to irrigate 10,000 acres not included in present project. The Shoshone project, however, is being built more rapidly than it is being irrigated; there is today much land under water that is not under cultivation, and Wyoming may have to be content with \$6,000,000 for the Pathfinder or Shoshone. The larger project, the Governor Warren, an active man, will never be content with a single allotment when he was asked for two.

Idaho Requests Large.

Then take Idaho. If this \$20,000,000 should be apportioned according to the desires of the Senators from the various states, Idaho would get a larger allotment than any other states, for Senator Borah not only conceived the idea of a bond issue, but did more than any other three Senators to pass the bill, and all this while his colleague stood ready to back him up. Idaho, however, is not asking as much as Montana or Wyoming. On the Minidoka project the Government has spent approximately \$3,500,000 and irrigated 100,000 acres. But \$1,000,000 is asked to build the south side pumping system which will irrigate an additional 20,000 acres or with an allotment of \$6,000,000 additional, 100,000 on the north side can be irrigated by pumping and by storage. The larger project is not likely to be undertaken at this time.

The Boise-Payette project in Southwestern Idaho has cost about \$3,750,000 to date. It is on this project that the bulk of Idaho's allotment will be expended, for it will require about \$5,000,000 to complete the unit now under way, which embraces 244,000 acres, of which inside Idaho wants three or four millions out of the fund, and as stated, from the standpoint of merits and deserts is entitled to all that, and a more. Then there is Texas with its Grande project, to which the Government is committed under its treaty with Mexico. That project calls for more than \$8,000,000, and something must be contributed for that, though not all, out of the \$20,000,000. The Grand Valley project in Colorado is another to which the Government is morally committed, and that is \$4,000,000; Washington, with its limitless irrigation resources in the Yakima Valley, only \$4,000,000 to complete the vast system now in course of construction, and at that, the Benton unit is not included. Of course, Washington does not expect to get \$4,000,000 out of the \$20,000,000, but with Senator Jones and Secretary Bullinger both working for the Yakima Valley, that section of the Evergreen State will not be neglected.

Need Is for \$80,000,000.

To go through the official estimates one is staggered at the amounts necessary to complete possible extensions of existing projects, and all of which are eligible to receive allotments out of the \$20,000,000 fund. The following table shows the amounts estimated to be necessary for this purpose:

Table with columns: State and Project, Amount. Lists projects like Arizona, Arkansas, California, etc.

In other words, the President is called upon to spread out \$20,000,000 where he could readily use four times that amount and come within the requirements of the bond issue law. For it is shown that existing projects may be extended to the extent of \$80,000,000 in round numbers and all this would be in accordance with the statute.

If Oregon got all that it is estimated could be used on both projects, it would receive less than \$7,000,000 out of a possible \$80,000,000, but when there is only \$20,000,000 to go round, its quota must necessarily be cut, especially since the President is no longer bound by law to give to Oregon at least 51 per cent of the money it has already contributed to the reclamation fund, or 51 per cent of \$7,860,000.

State Must Get Busy.

The total expenditure in Oregon, according to the latest reports, or rather the total allotment to date, is \$1,200,000 for the Umatilla project and \$2,334,000 for the Klamath, or \$3,534,000 in all. Not all the benefits of the Klamath allotment accrue to Oregon, part being California, so that any equitable basis Oregon, to get a square deal, should receive out of the \$20,000,000 at least enough to



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Postal Receipts Increase. VANCOUVER, Wash., July 8.—(Special)—For the quarter ending June 30, the postal receipts of the local postoffice were \$1832, nearly \$150 larger than for June, 1909. The quarter ending June 30 showed that the receipts were \$3564, or 122 larger than the corresponding quarter last year.

Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help. That few of these women have been disappointed in their expectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent of all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-million women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal, and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first of specialists in the treatment of women's diseases.

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