



CALIFORNIA VOTE IS BADLY MIXED

Direct Primary Branded as Failure.

GOVERNOR RACE INTERESTING

Republican Ranks Cut by Democratic Votes Today.

ANDERSON IS FAVORITE

Johnson, Insurgent Candidate, Will Cut Into Regular Vote—Curry Has Saloon Following—Workings of Law Tend to "Bossism."

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—On the eve of the first direct primary election of this state, all the usual political prophets are at sea.

There are no precedents to go by and good authorities are diametrically opposed in their estimates.

Anderson, the regular Republican candidate for Governor, is confident he will be nominated.

But the Republican vote is cut up between five candidates. Hiram Johnson is the idol of the insurgents.

Estimates Are Worthless.

Among all these candidates it is impossible to tell who will get the largest vote.

Over half of the Democrats of the state, according to reliable authority, are registered as Republicans under the primary law.

Old line politicians, who are used to the old order of things, are openly charging that the primary election law is a flat failure.

Liquor Candidate Strong.

This is where the old-time boss steps into the game.

Warehouses Is Planned

Astoria Firm to Replace Building Destroyed by Fire.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—Rosa Higgins & Co. are having plans and specifications prepared for a new warehouse to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

GOLDEN GATE NOW FLOODED WITH GOLD

SAN FRANCISCO MINT WORKING OVERTIME ON COINAGE.

Yellow Metal From Orient, Mexico, Alaska and United States Pours Into South in Millions.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—(Special.)—Gold is pouring in upon San Francisco in a manner to rival the homelands of the Spanish galleons of old.

Enough to pave Market street from end to end is Treasurer Lee McClung's estimate of the quantity.

Because most of the gold finds its way to San Francisco, the mint there is soon to devote all its facilities to coinage of the yellow metal.

Gold certificates cannot be issued until the gold is actually coined and it is in anticipation of some new issues that the mint is to be rushed.

Rescue Proves Futile

Saved From Water After Bad Fall, Bridgeworker Dies of Hurts.

SHANIKO, Or., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—A. L. Weaver, a bridge worker, employed on the Clarno ferry bridge 25 miles southeast of Shaniko, fell from the top of the steel work on the bridge at 8:30 this morning, receiving wounds from which he died this evening.

He struck a steel beam on a scow moored beneath the bridge and rebounded into the river and was rescued from drowning by his fellow workmen.

CARS CRASH IN GORGE

Nine Hurt in Collision at Edge of Niagara Whirlpool.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 15.—In a head-on collision between two trolley cars in the gorge this evening nine persons were injured, one seriously.

Both cars were shattered by the terrific force of the collision but neither left the rails.

HINDUS SAIL FOR BAY CITY

Exclusion League Protests, but Government Can't Debar Them.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Four hundred Punjabis and Hindus have sailed from San Francisco for Bay City, according to advices which have reached the Department of Commerce and Labor.

One hundred others sailed a week ago for the same port. Officials of the Department are puzzled.

Protests have been received from the Asiatic Exclusion Leagues of the Pacific Coast. It is said that if the immigrants pass the immigration tests and pay the head tax of \$4 each they cannot be debarred.

LIND IS STILL REFUSING

In Coy Message, Insists He Will Not Run for Governor.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 15.—In a letter received today by F. A. Day, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, John A. Lind, of Minneapolis, who is in Seattle, and who was named for Governor by the Democratic state convention in July, says:

"I cling to my original decision to refuse to be the Democratic candidate for Governor, though I am without a full knowledge of the situation."

PASTOR DOES DOUBLE DUTY

While Guarding Grand Jury Room, He Marries Couple.

MONTESSANO, Wash., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—The Rev. R. L. Shelley did double duty this morning while acting as bailiff for the Chehalis County grand jury, when he married Antone Pedro and Mrs. Hattie Dougherty, of Cosmopolis.

The wedding took place in the corridor on the second floor and as the minister stood guard over the portals to the jury-room, he pronounced the words which made the happy couple husband and wife.

HARMON ORDERS TROOPS TO SCENE

Governor Takes Rein at Columbus.

ANGRY MAYOR LOOSEN TONGUE

Called to Account, He Denies He Ever Said It.

RIOTING RESUMES IN CITY

Citizens Incensed at Weak Policy of Mayor Marshall—Excitement Grows Apace When Soldiers Are Told to Return.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—Governor Harmon, out of patience with the policy of Mayor Marshall in temporizing with the streetcar strike, which is demoralizing business of all kinds, has taken the reins in his own hands and ordered the First Regiment, Ohio National Guard, from Cincinnati to come to the capital and preserve order.

Friends and advisers of Governor Harmon were greatly perturbed by a remark attributed to Mayor Marshall when informed that the Governor had gone over his head and summoned troops, whom he purposed to direct in quelling riots without consulting the Mayor.

Mayor Marshall was reported as having said the Governor and his general staff could go to hades so far as he cared.

Mayor Called to Explain.

The Mayor promptly was called upon to explain. He declared that the remark was not made by him. He said he merely had declared that he did not care a rap what his many critics said.

The Builders & Traders Exchange today adopted resolutions calling upon the Governor to suspend the Mayor.

The strikebreakers are now under the direction of the head of a Cleveland detective agency as a result of the disappearance of John F. Brady, the former leader, who is being sought by the police for shooting two women and a little girl.

Mayor Would Stop Night aCrs.

Mayor Marshall tonight called upon the Columbus Railway & Light Company to keep its cars in the barns at night until peace is restored.

Despite the request, cars ridden by police were operated during the early hours tonight. The police rode the cars, as they have been doing for four nights.

Remarks are heard that the public (Concluded on Page 2.)

FOUR MILLIONAIRE BROTHERS CONFER

GRAY-HAIRED QUARTET STARTED WITH \$700 EACH.

Each Capitalist Tells How He Made Original Pile Swell Into Millions of Dollars.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—Four grey-haired brothers whose aggregate ages reach nearly 300 years, who more than half a century ago started life with \$700 apiece, gathered here yesterday at the home of Frank Miller, one of the four and compared notes on how they had each made millions from their original capital.

The four are sons of the late Thomas Miller, a frugal farmer of Middletown, Conn., who gave each boy \$700 as he attained his majority. Their combined wealth is estimated at more than \$20,000,000 now.

Nathan G. Miller, aged 77, New York City, turned his attention to transportation and was once the principal owner of the Nickel Plate Railroad.

Charles Miller, of Waterbury, aged 73, is unloading his business cares, for on New Year's he made a present of his big dry goods business in Waterbury to his faithful clerk.

Frank Miller, the host at yesterday's gathering, is president of the City National Bank of this city, a director of several other banks and commercial enterprises, and a retired coal and lumber merchant.

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ROOSEVELT HOLDS BACK APPROVAL

Will Not Indorse Taft, for Time, at Least.

GRISCOM'S MISSION ABORTIVE

New York Chairman Fails to Change Colonel's Views.

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GERMANY TO BUILD 4 DREADNOUGHTS

TEUTONS OUTSTRIPPING BRITAIN IN NAVAL RACE.

Government Naval Bill Also Provides for Replacing Two Old Battleships With New Ones.

BERLIN, Aug. 15.—The government naval bill to be laid before the Reichstag this Autumn will ask for an appropriation to build three battleships and one battleship-cruiser, according to an article published today by Count Reventlow, the German expert and naval editor of the Deutsche Tages Zeitung.

Included with these four superb dreadnaughts will be appropriations to replace the two old battleships Weissenburg and Kuesenow, Friedrich Wilhelm, just sold to Turkey, which, under the regular naval programme, would not be asked for before the Autumn of 1911.

Germany will thereby gain a lap in the race with England for supremacy in dreadnaught construction, having two of the latest developed types of modern battleships laid down and consequently constructed one year sooner than the original published programme contemplated.

The German naval budget for this year also will authorize the construction of two small cruisers to replace the See Adler and Gefion, and six torpedo boats, and will contain an appropriation of \$3,750,000 for submarine boats.

OFFICIALS GET TOGETHER

Efforts Made to Secure Harmony in Federal Service.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—In order to promote harmony and co-operation between the field officials of the General Land Office and the Forest Service in the settlement of homestead claims within the National forests, representatives of the Interior and Agricultural Departments will leave Washington Thursday for the West to confer with field agents of these two branches of the Government.

The task has been delegated to James M. Sheridan, chief of the field division of the General Land Office; D. D. Bronson, of the Forest Service, and R. W. Williams, Jr., assistant to the solicitor of the Department of Agriculture.

Posse Hunts Murderers

New Mexican Fastnesses Refuge for Montenegrin Fugitives.

RATON, N. M., Aug. 15.—A Sheriff's posse is still scouring the wild, rocky sections of the west of here in search of the two supposed Montenegrins who yesterday killed Tony Tomich, a countryman, in this city and fled.

PASTOR'S HOME IS ROBBED

Burglars Operate While Minister Preaches Next Door.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—While Rev. William Park, of the First Methodist Church, was preaching last night, and the audience was singing hymns, a burglar was roaming about the minister's residence, on an adjoining lot.

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MORRIS SEES PLOT TO SILENCE WEST

Views Not Wanted on Conservation.

WARDS STACKED AT ST. PAUL?

Montana's Executive Believer Effort Is Deliberate.

WARNING NOTE SOUNDED

Programme Arranged So That There Can Be No Presentation at Conservation Congress of "Northwestern Idea" of Subject.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 15.—That there has been a studied effort to prevent the presentation of the attitude of the Northwest at the coming Conservation Congress at St. Paul is the opinion firmly expressed today by Governor Norris. The Governor took this occasion to express his views because the presence in Montana of the board of Army engineers appointed to inspect the reclamation projects at the time of the Salt Lake City conference of the Western executives, would prevent him from attending the conference of Governors at Salt Lake.

The States of the Northwest have by far the greater portion of the country's natural resources that are to be conserved, and this section of the United States is therefore vitally interested in every plan that tends to conserve these resources.

It has been expected that the executives of the Northwest would have an opportunity at the St. Paul Conservation Congress to present what has come to be known as the "Northwestern Idea," which epitomizes the view of all of the Northwestern Governors, as expressed in the conferences of Governors heretofore held at Washington, D. C., in which it is believed that the natural resources in very large measure belong to the states rather than to the Federal Government, and their administration should be in the hands of the states themselves.

However, it seems that the programme for the Conservation Congress has been so arranged that there is no provision for the presentation of the Northwestern Idea. In fact it looks almost as if there has been a studied effort to prevent the presentation of the attitude of the Northwest on this most important question. Under the circumstances it may well be doubted whether the Conservation Congress to be held at St. Paul will result in any great good to the states in the Northwest group.

MARTHUR GOING TO UTAH

Governor's Secretary to Attend Salt Lake Conference.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—C. N. McArthur, Speaker of the House of Representatives and secretary to the Governor, will leave Portland at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning for Salt Lake City, where he will represent Acting Governor Jay Bowerman and the State of Oregon at a conference of the Western Governors, held August 18, at the suggestion of Governor Hay, of Washington.

Secretary McArthur has been delegated by Acting Governor Bowerman to participate in this conference, as it will be impossible for the Acting Governor to leave the state. Such a move on the part of Bowerman would leave Oregon without an executive and without anyone in line for the position.

It would be ill-advised at this time for me to make any statement as to what I will advocate at Salt Lake City," stated Secretary McArthur.

Hay Starts for Salt Lake.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—Governor Hay left this evening for Salt Lake, to be absent probably a week, to attend the meeting of Northwestern executives he has called to consider the naming of delegates to the National conservation congress.

FOOTBALL HERO STABBED

Quarter-Back at Michigan Chopped by Watchman.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 15.—W. A. Amund, quarter-back of last year's Michigan football team, is in a hospital here suffering from a score of knife wounds inflicted by B. Barnes, a night watchman, Saturday night.

He will recover. Both are employed by a construction company.

C. A. SMITH DENIES SALES

Timberman Says He Has Not Sold Lane County Holdings.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—C. A. Smith has telegraphed from Minneapolis that there is absolutely no foundation for the report that he has sold his timber holdings in Lane and other counties.

