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hours has brought all rivers and streams in this county to their banks. Thousands of logs are coming down the smaller streams to the Chehalis river boom. The weather report shows three inches of rain in 24 hours, more than has fallen in six months.

GALE BLOWS OUT AT ASTORIA

Barometer Again Rising and Heavy Seas Are Subsiding. ASTORIA, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—The gale which struck this section at an early hour Sunday morning practically blew itself out last night. The wind shifted to the south, then to the southwest, and this morning subsided, until at noon and this evening it was blowing at the low rate of 15 miles an hour.

At 2 o'clock this morning the barometer had dropped to 29.50, since that has been going up and this evening had risen to 29.75, and indications for better weather tomorrow. The bar was very rough today, but the seas outside are gradually going down.

Aside from the swamping of a scow loaded with wood and the breaking of a few windows, no damage was done locally by the storm. This morning

Storm signals which have been firing all over the Pacific Northwest are being lowered now, as the gale which has been sweeping the Coast has apparently spent its fury and what is left of it is moving northeasterly across British Columbia and over Alberta. In the territory around Oregon there seemed to be little left other than occasional gusts of wind and more or less continued rainfalls.

But that storm, while it lasted, was by no means to be despised. The winds reached a velocity as high as 72 miles an hour at North Head and 25 miles an hour in Portland, while the gale brought with it a downpour of rain which overcame the deficiency for the month of September. When the gale was at its worst the barometer was still falling, and indications were that worse weather would ensue, when there was a sudden change for the better.

Little damage is reported. At Astoria a wood scow swamped and a number of windows were broken before the fury of the wind; in Portland there was some damage to street construction work now under way; there was some damage to the big stadium at Tacoma through a washout; on the South Bend branch of the Union Pacific two bridges went out in the floods, one at Holcomb and one at Adna; the lighthouse tender Heather went on the rocks at Warrior Rock but was not damaged appreciably.

At Astoria the wind dropped from 60 an hour to 20 yesterday and the barometer has been rising so that better weather is now expected. The Columbia River bar raised at Astoria and the heavy seas outside are reported as going down and today conditions are expected to be much better on the bar. The gale off the Heads on Sunday was reported as being the worst ever seen by the pilot of a boat coming into Astoria yesterday.

Heavy rains are reported from all over the Northwest and Mr. Weather Man says more rain will fall today. The heaviest downpour was at Marshfield where a fall of 1.50 inch was reported in 24 hours. Portland was not behind with a total precipitation of 1.38 inch in a like period, thereby doing away with the season's deficiency and placing an excess of .28 inch on the books. Reports from other parts of the coast report cold weather with .56 inch rainfall. The Weather Bureau forecast is for "showers" in Oregon and Washington with decreasing winds in Washington.

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SALEM, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—It is understood that L. H. McMahan, a local

attorney, will enter the race for State Senator in this county. McMahan has gained a state-wide reputation through his appearing in the courts against ex-Secretary of State Dunbar; in his fight against the Crater Lake road appropriation, which he won, and in his stand against issuing complimentary passes for the State Fair.

While McMahan is avowedly State No. 1 man, he is known to be bitterly opposed to Bourne, and if he enters the campaign, as it is almost certain he will do now, it promises to be one of the most sensational political fights ever witnessed in Marion County.

McMahan also made a strenuous fight against Hofer's proposal for Governor, offering startling allegations against Hofer, both through the press and in a street-corner talk in Salem.

VOTERS GIVE WRONG ADDRESS Scores of Pamphlets Delayed in Delivery in Postoffices.

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W. H. DILWORTH, WELL-KNOWN NEWSPAPER MAN, SUICIDE. Drowning of Boys Unbalances Writer's Mind and He Imagines They Want Him to Join Them.

LA GRANDE, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—Driven to suicide by pangs of sorrow, W. H. Dilworth, one of the most versatile newspaper men in the state, sent a bullet through his brain, at his home at Enterprise, at 3 o'clock this morning, after an imaginary seance with the spirits of his two sons, who were drowned at Enterprise last Spring.

Always a disciple of spiritualism, it became his mania, when after several months had elapsed from the untimely drowning of his small boys, he grew more deeply affected by his sorrow. His friends detected his falling mentally several weeks ago, but it was only in his home that he demonstrated his real dementia.

In conversation with his friends, he was continually lost in thought and was forced to sell his interest in the Enterprise News-Record, in which he became interested when he moved to Enterprise last Winter. His sorrow became so acute that he called in some neighbors, he procured a revolver and during her brief absence shot himself through the mouth.

His widow is prostrated by the shock.

PATTON REPUDIATES TALK

State Senatorial Candidate Again Disavows Views of Bourne. SALEM, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—Hal D. Patton, of this city, Statement No. 1 man and Republican nominee for the State Senate, holds to the statement which he recently made here to the effect that he repudiates assertions made by Bourne condemning the assembly nominees of the Republican party. Patton was an anti-assembly man and continues to retain his ideas on that subject, but objects to any factionalism that might arise following the direct primary.

"I am not in any way in accord with the views of Jonathan Bourne, Jr., as expressed in the Portland Journal of September 28," says Patton. "At that time Bourne issued a statement through a Democratic paper calling on Republican voters to support Democrats in the general election, rather than those men who were nominated at the primaries on an assembly platform.

"I believe in Republican principles and in the direct primary law," continues Patton. "I believe the place for Republicans to settle their differences is at the direct primary. I intend to support the ticket from top to bottom and shall

KELSO SEEKS COUNTY SEAT

Issue Divides Candidates for Office in Cowlitz. KALAMA, Wash., Oct. 3.—(Special).—A petition was presented to the County Commissioners, in session here today, for the removal of the county seat of this (Cowlitz) county to the city of Kelso. The petition was signed by 1202 voters, which is more than the necessary one-third required, and the issue will be put before the people at the election in November.

The various candidates for county offices have lined up for one side or the other and a warmly contested fight has started.

"I do not believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction City, Or. This remedy is also unsurpassed for colds and croup. For sale by all dealers.

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abide by the decision of Republican voters as expressed by their vote on September 24. Any attempt to disrupt the party by endeavoring to throw Republican voters to Democrats is most heartily disliked."

SOCIALISTS BUY PUBLICITY

Ticket and Platform Will Be Placed in Election Pamphlet.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—Socialists are the first party to submit matter to be contained in the corrupt practices act pamphlet for the general election. They will include a page which costs them \$50. The page will include the ticket and the party platform.

On the Socialist ticket are four names of candidates for the Supreme Court, one of whom has been admitted to the bar. In Sec. 2475 of the code it is expressly provided that no Circuit or Supreme Judge or prosecuting attorney shall be in the service of the state unless they are accredited members of the bar. The Secretary of State has been advised by the Attorney-General to publish and insert the names of these men in the pamphlet as a part of the Socialist ticket, inasmuch as the only question that could arise as a result of this section of the code would be in event of the election of any of the four mentioned.

Slipp Heads Clackamas Committee.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—At the meeting of the new Clackamas County Republican committee a lively contest ensued over the election of a chairman. Levy Slipp retaining nine votes to five for John R. Kelso, of Milwaukie. William Hammond was elected secretary, to succeed John F. Clark, and Mr. Kelso was chosen treasurer. The chairman, secretary and treasurer of the committee will constitute a managing committee for the campaign. The election of a state committee resulted in the choice of C. Schuebel on the third ballot. George C. Brownell was elected Congressional committee member, to succeed John F. Clark, and Mr. Kelso was chosen treasurer. The election of Mr. Schuebel gives Senator Bourne another supporter on the state central committee.

Expense Statements Filed.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 3.—(Special).—Further statements of expense were filed by candidates with the Secretary of State today as follows: Judge George H. Burnett, candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court, \$357.67, including cost of space in the voters' pamphlet; F. M. Benson, candidate for Superintendent of Water Division No. 2, nothing; W. A. Wood, candidate for Representative in the Sixth District, \$4.33; Hunsicker, candidate for Commissioner, \$110.05; Thomas E. McKnight, candidate for Representative from Malheur and Harney counties, cents; Judge Henry L. Benson, candidate for Circuit Judge, nothing; Justice W. T. Slater, Democratic candidate for re-election to the Supreme Court, \$436.50; Oswald West, another candidate for Governor, \$232.45.

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GOVERNMENT SEIZES TROPHY WHILE OWNER WAITS. New York Clubman Fumes at Seattle Because Uncle Sam Thinks He Violated Alaska Game Laws.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 3.—(Special).—It is one thing to kill a big moose in Alaska and it is quite another thing to have the head of a moose in the territory. The hunter has pretty near as much trouble as if he was caught, crowbar in hand, trying to open an Alaskan coal mine.

Two men are from Missouri, just ask Belden Roach, New York clubman, big-game hunter and all-around sportsman, who is now waiting patiently in Seattle for Uncle Sam to loosen his grip on such a trophy, seized more than a week ago by the customs officers at Cordova, on suspicion that Mr. Roach had violated the game law.

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MESS MAN ON STEAMSHIP IS FOUND WITH \$8000. Detectives Expect to Have Third Man in Jail in Few Hours—Vessel Being Searched at Dock.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 3.—Sixteen thousand dollars in gold bullion and a large sum in Canadian and American banknotes, estimated by the Postoffice inspectors at \$2000, formed the prize that prompted the looting of the mailroom of the steamship City of Seattle last night as she was approaching this port from Sitka, Alaska, which are investigating the theft aspect that three men were in the conspiracy to rob the steamer. Tom Buckley, alias Williams, mess man on the ship, was arrested this morning when \$8000 in gold and a large roll of bills was found in his possession. Gustaf L. Bergin, a sailor on the City of Seattle, was arrested tonight, charged with complicity in the crime, and it is expected that another arrest will be made soon.

Careful checking of the registered mail pouches show that \$15,000 in gold, shipped from Dawson, Y. T., to banks in Seattle and Vancouver, B. C., was stolen from the mailroom. Only \$8000 in gold was found on Buckley, and the inspectors are making a careful search of the steamer to find the rest of the gold, which they are confident has not been taken ashore.

The robbery was discovered at 6 o'clock this morning by Mail Clerk William Decatur, as the steamship was bearing Seattle. Decatur raised an alarm and informed Captain C. H. White, of the City of Seattle, who ordered an immediate search of the liner.

First Officer Thomas Johnson discovered the gold bullion on the mess boy, and after a search found a large number of bank notes wrapped around his legs. An examination of the mail room disclosed the fact that almost every registered parcel on board had gone through, and it has been found impossible to ascertain exactly the extent of the robbery.

When the steamship docked at Seattle the passengers were searched before being permitted to go ashore.

A representative of a packing company found himself in a dilemma in his pocket, and was obliged to send for friends to identify him. Buckley, who is in jail, is well known to San Francisco and Honolulu as a bartender and gambler. A number of passengers and members of the crew are under surveillance but at liberty.

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