

FACTORY IS FEELING THE BAY CITY

Whole Population Breaks Into Music, Dancing, Exuberant Din Over Fair.

COURTS STOP INSTANTLY

Schools Dissolve Into Delighted Crowds of Youngsters - Mass Meeting Overflows Merchants Exchange, Womens' Club.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—With a gala spirit that exceeded any of the far-famed festivals ever held in this city, San Francisco today and tonight celebrated the adoption by the House of Representatives in Washington of the resolution naming the metropolis of the Pacific as the site for the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, to be held in 1915 to commemorate the opening of the Panama Canal.

The receipt of the news was greeted with a burst of enthusiasm seldom witnessed, even in the spontaneous West. The firing of bombs from the newspaper buildings announced the victory; the spontaneous shout was the signal for the streets and steam whistles of every craft in the harbor and of factories and power plants on land.

Outburst of Joy Spontaneous.

As by magic, the great steel and granite piles of the business district, raised since the fire of 1906, broke out in a riot of wreaths and pennants, and every flag that flew from the National colors. The courts adjourned in the midst of testimony and argument; unable to keep within bounds the enthusiasm of their city, the city schools closed spontaneously and gave their children a half holiday in honor of the event, while down town staid merchants throw business to the winds and dance to the music of brass bands, which suddenly appeared from various directions and paraded the streets during the afternoon and tonight.

The central telephone offices were fairly aglow with the little red lights of subscribers rings in and asking for details of the vote in Washington. The fair "cup of cheer" was the cry everywhere, and it was fully an hour before the downtown section of the city settled down to routine business again, while in the city above the theatres and the streets impromptu celebrations continued during the afternoon and tonight.

Scenes Recall New Year's Eve.

The downtown streets and cafes rival the scenes of New Year's eve tonight. To be prepared for the revel and carnival spirit, Chief of Police Seymour ordered out all the reserves for traffic duty tonight in the congested streets. The entire city is in a festive array; immense electric signs with "San Francisco 1915" have been put up, while the California bear, garlanded with the yellow poppy, the state flower, is dancing on huge posters on the billboards under the prediction, "A million population in 1915."

When the final vote was announced, a mass meeting of citizens was called on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange. So many sought admittance that, when the speakers of the occasion arrived, the police had great difficulty in forcing an entrance for them. Several women in the crowd fainted and a number suffered minor injuries from the crush. The crowd displayed good nature and the police finally succeeded in closing the doors. Thousands were left in the streets outside and were entertained by the numerous bands which had been parading the streets from the time that the first news was announced.

Huge Mass Meeting Held.

James Rolph, Jr., president of the Merchants' Exchange, presided over the mass meeting and speeches were made by ex-Governor James N. Gillett, Benjamin Ide Wheeler, ex-president of the University of California; Acting Mayor John A. Kelly, W. H. Crocker and Frank L. Brown, acting president of the exposition company. A lengthy telegram from K. B. Hale, president of the exposition company, who has been directing the fight at Washington, and a proclamation telegram from Washington by Mayor P. H. McCarthy were read. The proclamation congratulated the people of this city on the result of the fight before Congress and enjoined them to celebrate the occasion fittingly.

A resolution adopted by the mass meeting thanked President Taft, the Cabinet, the California delegation, the Representatives who voted for San Francisco and the committee sent to Washington, for the favor extended to this city by the House of Representatives. A separate resolution thanking the San Francisco boosters in Washington also was adopted.

VOTE PLEASING TO PORTLAND

Civic Bodies Telegraph Congratulations to San Francisco.

When the news of San Francisco's success in defeating New Orleans for the Pacific-Panama Exposition was received in Portland there was general rejoicing in business circles. The progress of the campaign conducted at Washington by the City on the Bay has been watched in Portland constantly, and the announcement of the vote in the lower house of Congress was eagerly looked forward to.

G. F. Johnson, chairman of the promotion committee of the Commercial Club, and C. C. Chapman, secretary of the Oregon Development League, sent a joint message last night to W. H. Mason, president of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce; H. H. Robbins, Jr., president of the Merchants' Association, and James Rolph, Jr., president of the Merchants' Exchange, which was worded as follows: "Portland and Oregon congratulate San Francisco and California. We take pride in thinking our work for the exposition has been most effectively aided by the special act recently passed by the Legislature and signed by Governor West this morning. As the assumed

LEVY MADE FOR CENTENNIAL

Clatsop County Court Authorizes 2.5 Mills for Celebration.

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 31.—(Special)—At its adjourned session this morning the County Court made a special levy of 2 1/2 mills on all the taxable property in Clatsop County for the benefit of the Centennial fund in accordance with the special act recently passed by the Legislature and signed by Governor West this morning. As the assumed

WAR GOVERNOR OF RHODE ISLAND IS SERIOUSLY ILL.



WILLIAM SPRAGUE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—(Special)—The health of William Sprague, one-time Governor of Rhode Island, is such that his death would not be a surprise at any time. The "War Governor" is in his 81st year. He is now in Paris, where he went last year after the burning of his beautiful home near Narragansett. R. I. Mr. Sprague was born in Cranston, R. I., September 12, 1831. He was active in raising troops for the Civil War and participated in the first battle of Bull Run. He served throughout the Peninsula campaign. He served two terms in the United States Senate and was Governor of Rhode Island from 1869 to 1871.

CLERKS TOO FEW

value of the property in Clatsop County is \$9,522,234 this levy will raise a total of \$23,908.81 to aid in carrying on the Centennial celebration. The court also took up the matter of a special levy of two mills for the construction of an armory, and decided not to make the levy for the announced reason that according to the written opinion obtained from the best state authorities neither the city nor the county would have any equity in the building or site, notwithstanding that they would be compelled to provide the funds for half the cost.

OREGON TO SHARE BENEFITS

Governor West Glad Exposition Is Coming to Pacific Coast.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 31.—(Special)—Governor Oswald West in commenting on the selection of San Francisco for the Panama-Pacific Exposition and the coming of the Panama Exposition to San Francisco will result in great good, not only to that city and the State of California, but to the whole Pacific Coast. The whole West will be extensively advertised, cheap rates will prevail and travel will be enormous and most of all will inure to the benefit of the state for the reason that at least three-fourths of the tourists will come or return via Oregon and a trip through our state will mean a return at a later date for the purpose of permanent location and investment.

SAN FRANCISCO WINNER

(Continued from First Page.) He closed with a dramatic tribute to the people of the South, which called out applause and congratulations from both sides of the chamber. Kahn closed for San Francisco.

California to Raise \$15,000,000.

After the test vote had been taken the Kahn resolution came up for consideration. It provided that the President should invite foreign nations to participate in the exposition when satisfied that \$15,000,000 had been raised for the fair. Kahn asked that the amount be raised to \$15,000,000 and the amendment was agreed to.

Tawney then sought to amend the resolution by providing for the appointment of a commission by the President to supervise matters relating to foreign participation. The amendment provided that all the expense of the commission should be borne by the exposition company and that a deposit should be made in the treasury to cover promised awards. It also abolished the United States from all liabilities whatsoever growing out of the exposition.

Gardiner made a point of order against the amendment, and it was lost.

Oriental Will Be Welcome.

Gillette of Massachusetts, declaring he was naturally opposed to all exposition propositions, took the floor to ask Kahn if San Francisco would guarantee courteous treatment of the Japanese visitors to the exposition in that city. Kahn declared that visiting Japanese and other Asiatics always had been accorded the most courteous treatment in San Francisco; that there was the friendliest possible feeling between the citizens of the state and Japan and he predicted that the exhibits from Japan and China at San Francisco would exceed anything previously seen.

GRAIN COMPANY FORMED

Eastern Capitalists to Build Elevators in Washington.

SEATTLE, Jan. 31.—Announcement was made today of the organization of a grain company by Eastern capitalists, who will build a chain of elevators in Eastern Washington. Among the stockholders are J. B. White, of Kansas City, and G. M. Dunaway, of Hannibal, Mo. J. A. Pease, of Fort Dodge, Ia., has been made manager of the company, which will establish general offices in Seattle. The first elevators will be built along the Warden branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railway.

Eugene May Get Convention.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 31.—(Special)—Rev. Charles A. Phelps of Portland was in Eugene Monday interviewing local people regarding holding of a State Sunday School convention here some time in April.

MEXICAN REBELS FIGHT IN TWO TOWNS

Residents of Galaneo and San Buena Ventura Abandon Their Homes.

FEDERALS EXPECT SIEGE

Government Officials Fortify and Gather Provisions for Casas Grandes—Insurrectos Victors in Three Battles.

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 31.—Galaneo and San Buena Ventura are held by the insurrectos, according to dispatches from Casas Grandes tonight. Colonel Rabago reached Casas Grandes early today with 150 of the 500 men with whom he entered upon his campaign on January 8.

Four battles have been fought in three of which the insurrectos were successful. Colonel Rabago losing the two rapid fire guns and four pieces of light artillery with which he invaded the Galaneo district.

San Buena Ventura was abandoned by the insurrectos Monday and Galaneo deserted last night. Today Federal officials were busy preparing Casas Grandes for a long siege, gathering provisions and fortifying the town.

Today United States Consul Edwards made formal demand on the Mexican authorities at Juena for an immediate hearing in the case of William Boykin, the American negro porter arrested Saturday night for complicity in smuggling into Mexico ammunition found on a southbound train. The hearing will be concluded tomorrow.

WHISKY INSPIRITS REBELS

Bolstered by 50 Bottles They Face Rain With Impunity.

CALEXICO, Cal., Jan. 31.—Sheriff Meadows, of Imperial County, received a message late today stating that a detachment of United States soldiers from San Diego would arrive here tonight.

The insurrectos made no move upon Mexicali, just across the border, today. They still maintain their camp about seven miles southwest of Mexicali, and have recruited a number of Cocopah Indians.

Rain has been falling all day, but, secure in the contents of 50 bottles of whisky and as many bottles of other liquor, taken when they sacked Mexicali Sunday, the insurrectos do not seem to mind the weather.

The members of the band had been up two nights, and their leaders, El General Levea, Simon Bernhard, the Los Angeles Socialist, allowed them to rest and sleep all day.

TIA JUANA FEARS ATTACK

Bull Ring Is Made Defensible by Officials of Town.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 31.—In anticipation of an attack upon Tia Juana, Mexican officials of that town are making the bull ring defensible. It is believed that 50 troopers are on the way from Ensenada to Tia Juana and will arrive there tomorrow afternoon.

Extra men are being employed by the San Diego and Arizona Railway Company to guard its property on the Mexican side of the line.

In San Diego this afternoon the Governor of Lower California was quoted as saying that 2500 Mexican soldiers are on the way from Manzanillo to Ensenada, but this statement is not generally believed here.

COURT ORDER ATTACKED

WEBB SAYS TWO JUDGES DID NOT SIGN RUFEE DECREE.

One California Supreme Judge Out of State, Other Sick, When Hearing Given Graft.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—(Special)—Attorney-General Webb, of California, today gave notice to the Supreme Court that on February 1 he would make a motion to vacate the recent order of court, granting Abraham Ruef a rehearing before the District Court of Appeals against Ruef.

Webb makes affidavit that he has examined this order of the Supreme Court and is positive that Justice Henshaw, whose signature is appended to the order, was out of the state at the time the decision was rendered and that Justice Melvin was sick in bed, yet the names of both were signed to this order. Webb says he has good evidence that this order was signed first by Justice Larrison and on the day following by Chief Justice Henshaw, but there was never any session or conference as the law provides, and that Melvin and Henshaw never saw the document to which their signatures were affixed.

This is the first time in the history of the state or perhaps in the country that an Attorney-General has called upon the Justices of the State Supreme Court to defend their action in giving a decision.

DEATH ENDS HONEYMOON

Wrestler Has Fatal Contest While Traveling With Bride.

DENVER, Jan. 31.—Stanley Lake, the wrestler, who died at Amarillo, Texas, last night, as the result of injuries received in a wrestling bout with Joe Mayes Saturday night, is believed to have been added to the list of heavyweights of Longmont, Colorado, by Billy Edwards, of that state, with whom McCray has appeared in wrestling matches.

McCray was married January 17, and he and his bride were on their honeymoon.

DOUBLE HARRIMAN TRACKS

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a point five miles west of The Dalles to The Dalles, leaving only a 40-mile piece that is not double-tracked. Then we will put in the second track from The Dalles to Deschutes early this year and complete the line from Deschutes to Blalock before the end of the year.

Work will be rushed on the Echo-Coyote cutoff so as to make this complete before the beginning of 1912, which will give us a system of double-trackage over this portion of the line, as the old road can be used as a second track. That will leave only 25 miles between Blalock and the end of the cutoff not double-tracked.

"I don't know just how much money the directors have allowed us, but that they have authorized the completion of the system is sufficient information to warrant us to proceed with our plans."

No immediate provision has been made for the continuation of the double-track system east of Echo, but the extension from that point to Huntington, the end of the Oregon-Washington system, likely is intended by the Harriman officials.

Local officials understand that a complete double-track system from Grays to Portland is desired by the directors. Yesterday's action is almost sufficient to carry these plans into effect.

Extension of the line into Central Oregon also may have some bearing upon the plans in this connection. The construction of an extension of the Ontario-Vale road, as outlined in The Oregonian yesterday, which is believed, will have a bearing upon further arrangements.

LONG NOW CANDIDATE

LAWYER FROM PORTLAND WILL RUN FOR CARTER'S SEAT.

Walsh's Friends Call Bryan to Help in Montana Senatorial Fight. Deadline Is Tight.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 31.—The candidacy of ex-State Senator Thomas D. Long of Flathead County, for United States Senator will be announced this week, and it is reported that several other new aspirants will enter the field.

It is also reported that one of Walsh's supporters has gone to Lincoln, Neb., to get W. J. Bryan to come here in the interests of Walsh. The Walsh men think that with the state committee and Bryan lined up in his behalf he will win the coveted post.

Long moved from Kellsport, Mont., to Portland a few months ago, began the practice of law and bought a home in Irvington. Within the last month he sold his house to C. M. Bair, the Montana sheepowner, and returned to Montana. His candidacy for Senator is the sequel to this move.

DEPOSITORS SEEK RELIEF

Vancouverites to Make Effort to Get Funds From Bank.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 31.—(Special)—A meeting of a number of depositors of the Commercial Bank of Vancouver, which failed to open its doors December 13, 1910, will be held in Eichenlaub's Hall at 10 o'clock, February 16. G. M. Spencer, who has deposited amounting to \$200 in the bank, has started the movement, and signers having \$40,000 in the bank have signified a willingness to attend such a meeting.

The officers in the garrison who were depositors in the bank have held a meeting and appointed a committee of three to investigate conditions and decide what shall be done in their interests.

Officers of the bank refuse to say anything about the condition of the bank's affairs.

WAREHOUSES SHOW PROFIT

Walla Walla Valley Farmers Find Earnings Are Big.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 31.—(Special)—Farmers' warehouses in the Walla Walla Valley have shown profitable and last year the dividends on the investments made by the stockholders ranged from 15 to 23 per cent. This

\$8 to \$15 Trimmed Hats at \$2.95 Silverfield's 3 c Fast Black Hosiery for Women 21c

\$6 Cowhide Leather Suitcases are selling today for... \$3.95 First Floor

Another Timely Bargain in Finely Tailored Suits Regular \$25 Values \$9.75 On Sale Today. Worsteds, Serges and Fine Broadcloths in grays, browns, navies and blacks; styles built to give perfect service in a broad range of sensible weaves and fabrics that good dressers will surely appreciate.

FURS AT REDUCTION so great that prices will do their own selling.

GOOD GLOVES Which Usher in the New Season AT INTERESTING PRICES ALL UNDER REGULAR Our Dent's make of good Gloves fitted to hand at \$1.00 per pair. Our Glove Section is undergoing interesting changes. Bright, new lines are being added, which include such celebrated makes as Dent, Kayser, Unique and Silverfield's.

SEE OUR GLOVE DISPLAY—CENTER WINDOW.

BULLETIN No. 24-A (Continued) The Public Side of Street Railroading By PATRICK CALHOUN President United Railroads of San Francisco, Cal.

Lenses Replaced ELEVEN YEARS IN PORTLAND, AND THE LARGEST PRACTICE IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST You Save the Pieces; We'll Do the Rest. We do all our own grinding, and can replace almost any lens while you wait, no matter who prescribed it. In order to prevent possible delay, drop in and let us see your glasses, and we will keep a pair for your convenience until you may need them. It costs you nothing extra. WE TAKE CARE OF YOUR EYES IN THE WAY OF LENS CHANGES FOR ONE YEAR FROM DATE OF PURCHASE THOMPSON Eyesight Specialist