

EDITOR ROOSEVELT REPEATS CHARGE

Secondary Defense in Libel Suit Will Be That Accusation Was True.

TRIAL ATTRACTS CROWDS

Thousands Expected in Marquette When Case Is Called—Editorial Also Asserted to Have Been Privileged Comment.

MARQUETTE, Mich., May 23.—Thousands of visitors will crowd into this city next Monday to attend the trial of the libel suit brought by ex-President Roosevelt against George A. Newett, an Ishpeming publisher. It is certain the courthouse will not hold those who wish to be present when Colonel Roosevelt will endeavor to show that Newett was in error when he published, last October, in his weekly paper, Iron Ore, the statement that "Roosevelt gets drunk and that not infrequently and all his intimates know it."

The suit brought by the ex-President asks damages for \$10,000 for libel. It is estimated that the trial will consume two weeks, although the large number of depositions which will be read and the number of witnesses to be examined make the length of the trial uncertain. Attorneys estimate that a jury may be obtained in four days, as the case has not been "tried in the newspapers."

Pledges of Secrecy Kept.

When the suit was filed by Plaintiff, received pledges from both parties to the suit to refrain from discussing the case with newspapermen, and to keep secret the contents of depositions and the names of witnesses. The pledges have been kept, and no outsider knows the name of a defense witness, except that of an Ohio newspaperman whose paper is said to have published his testimony.

It is thought that because of these facts, 12 intelligent and impartial jurors may be quickly obtained. The ex-President has extended here Monday. He will be the guest of a friend, George Shulrass, famous as a photographer of wild animals. His attorneys are James H. Peaslee, of Detroit, and W. S. Hill, of Marquette. Mr. Newett will be represented in court by William P. Belden, of Ishpeming, and Horace Andrews, of Cleveland.

Charge Is Political Incident.

Mr. Newett in the campaign last year received in the ranks of the Republicans and the publication of the Roosevelt editorial was an incident of that struggle. This only is known of his defense.

He will assert that publication of the article was privileged as comment on a public character running for public office, and as a secondary line of resistance, he will attempt to prove that the editorial spoke the truth.

The defendant is a man of middle age, iron gray hair, a crooked mustache and what local description calls a high, fighting face. He is comfortably equipped with the goods of the world although not rich. He has declined all contributions of money to assist in his defense, according to a statement made by his son today.

The suit is almost the sole topic of conversation in this section. Judge Houston has declined to make reservations for any except newspapermen in his courtroom and long lines of would-be spectators will form daily before the courthouse to await the opening of court.

AUTOIST DIES AT WHEEL

Twisting Hands at Instant of Death Shunt Off Power.

LOS ANGELES, May 23.—Ralph Platt Smith, a retired manufacturer, died at the steering wheel on his motor car while driving home last night, but in the instant of death his fingers, twisting against the spark lever and throttle, shut off the power and saved his wife and a friend from probable injury in an automobile smash.

Mr. Smith, who had large interests in Houston and Fort Worth, Tex., was driving up grade toward his residence on Signal Hill, when he fell forward, dead. The machine, with its engine shut off by the driver's dying hand, swung into a ditch, but remained upright. Neither Mrs. Smith nor her friend who was with her could drive and they left the body in the machine while they walked some distance to summon aid.

LAW BARS POLICEWOMEN

San Francisco Finds Sex Cannot Meet Charter Requirements.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Two provisions of the city charter which prohibit women from San Francisco to add to its force three police-women, for whom the Board of Supervisors recently voted an appropriation, the City Attorney brought out these facts today.

Candidates for the force must possess the same physical requirements demanded of volunteers for the United States Army. Any provision for additional city employees must be adopted by a two-thirds majority of the Supervisors. The vote taken was one short of the necessary two-thirds.

400 LODGEMEN ARE FETED

Roseburg Host to Oddfellows Returning From Medford.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 23.—(Special.)—Four hundred Oddfellows en route home from the grand lodge at Medford by special train, were entertained here for two hours today. Upon their arrival they were taken to local hotels where they were dined by local members of the order. Later they were treated to strawberries and cream at the lodge temple. A resolution was adopted by the visitors commending the Roseburg people for their entertainment.

MODERN SANITATION TOPIC

Dr. George B. Story Speaks at Master Plumbers' Banquet.

That the ancient Greeks and Romans had nearly as much knowledge of sanitary matters as the people of the 20th century and that the average attention to such matters today is not so much greater than in the days of Noah was declared by Dr. George B. Story, of the City Board of Health, in an address before the Oregon Master Plum-

bers' Association dinner at the Multnomah Hotel last night. Dr. Story declared for that reason the science of plumbing is the most closely allied with the general science of preventive medicine of any of the modern crafts. Dr. Story declared Portland's plumbing code is 15 years behind the times and explained the obstacles thrown in the way of making it modern. The plumbers opened a two-day convention yesterday and will elect officers and transact the other real business of the session today.

ARMED MAN GUARDS LAND

With Ax and Rifle at Hand, C. J. Cowanah Keeps Owners at Bay.

HILLSBORO, Or., May 23.—(Special.)—Charles J. Cowanah, reputed insane, armed with an ax and rifle, is holding a road leading to the Reese sawmill, ten miles northwest of this city, and threatens death to all who approach. Cowanah and a brother were discharged from the Oregon insane asylum about two years ago. In the Spring of 1910 he sold 80 acres of timber land to John Boeckel and John Langhard for \$2500, accepting \$1000 down and a note and mortgage for six years for the remaining \$1500. Boeckel and Langhard sold the timber to H. P. Reese, F. M. Hartman and Edward Preble, who established a sawmill. A short time ago Cowanah brought suit to enjoin them from cutting any more of the timber, alleging that the lumbering was impairing his security. The injunction was refused by the court, and a jury trial set for May 31. This morning Cowanah armed himself and refused to allow any teams to go upon the property.

NOTED ADVENTIST DIES Patriarch of Denomination Expires in Washington. WASHINGTON, May 23.—Today's session of the Seventh Day Adventists' world conference at Takoma Park, Md., came to an abrupt end on the announcement of the death of Elder G. A. Irwin, of Loma Linda, Cal., one of the patriarchs of the denomination and an ex-president of the general conference. Elder Irwin died suddenly today of heart trouble at a local sanitarium, where he had gone on his arrival here. The conference adjourned as a mark of respect and all business was laid aside until Sunday morning. Elder Irwin was born near Mount Vernon, Ohio, in 1844. He served through the Civil war, becoming a Colonel in the Federal Army. At the business session of the conference today several reports were presented, and Rev. John Fox, of New York, secretary of the American Bible Society, in an address, told of the remarkable increase in the circulation of the Bible in all parts of the world.

BOISE MAYOR UNDER FIRE

Hodges Declares He Is Not Aware Disorderly Houses Operate.

BOISE, Idaho, May 23.—(Special.)—Mayor Arthur Hodges, of this city, was placed on trial in the District Court here today on ouster charges preferred by J. I. Mills, a business man of Boise, who charged him with willful violation of city ordinances and laws of the state by permitting disorderly houses to operate and liquor within them without license.

The entire police force, many private detectives and citizens were placed on the stand today to testify for the plaintiff, and a jury of two of the policemen testified that it was commonly reported disorderly houses existed. Mayor Hodges denied, in answer to a desponding complaint, that he had knowledge of existence of such places and that so far as he knew they did not operate. The case is one of the most sensational in the history of the municipal government of Boise.

LIVESTOCK LEAVING STATE

California Drought Causes Movement of Large Bands Eastward.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Two years of drought in portions of Central and Northern California have brought the stockmen of the state to a point where they find on their hands 245,000 head of cattle and sheep, which they are unable to feed and which the Federal Government will not allow them to feed temporarily in Yosemite National Park.

Despairing of relief, many stockmen are moving their droves out of the state into grazing grounds east of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. Miller & Lux, generally accounted the largest owners in the state, have moved 50,000 head in one lot. Marketmen here believed today that there would be further and heavier importations of Australian beef and mutton, which can be sold here after

HIGH COST HITS "ZOO"

Firm Supplying Animals at City Park With Meat Raise Price.

The high cost of living has invaded the city "zoo." The firm that has been supplying meat for the animals for 11 years has served notice on Superintendent Mische, of the park department, that unless the price is raised from 4 1/2 cents to 6 cents a pound, they will be unable further to continue the supply. Fish has been supplied at 6 cents a pound, and the dealers will be able to continue to furnish it at that price. The monthly cost of meat is approximately \$100. Bids will be invited for the supplying of the meat.

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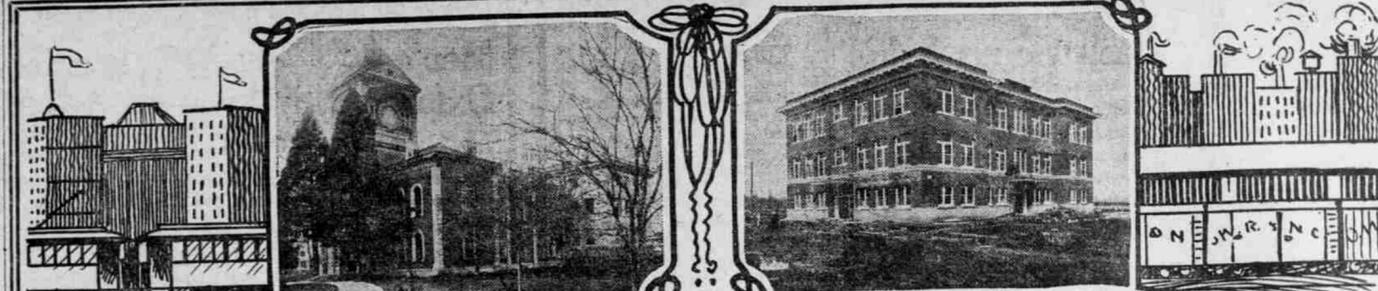
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PORTLAND DAY ARRIVES

Moose Carnival at Salem Will Continue Late Tonight.

SALEM, Or., May 23.—(Special.)—Tomorrow, "Portland day," will be the big day of the Moose carnival, which began last Monday. Several hundred Portland "howdydais" will arrive early in the morning, and the merry-making will continue from then until late at night.

This was "Salem-Dallas day," and the biggest crowd of the carnival was in attendance. The Dallas delegation was headed by its brass band of 30 members, one of the largest bands in the Willamette Valley. There were parades in the afternoon and evening, and the "kangaroo court" held continuous session from early in the morning until midnight. About 100 prominent citizens were "arrested" today and taken in the automobile cage to the

AINSBERRY IS HELD HERE

Oregon to Try Man Who Shot Striker and California Must Wait.

SALEM, Or., May 23.—(Special.)—Governor West announced today that he would not honor a requisition for Clarence Ainsberry, arrested in Oswego on a charge of shooting a striker formerly employed by the Home Telephone Company and wanted in California for breaking a parole. Deputy Sheriff Curtis, of Portland, brought

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