

TRY TO BEAT HUMES

Republican War in Seattle On in Earnest

FRANK PAUL OUT FOR MAYOR

Backed by the Wilson Element, the City Controller Will Enter the Fight—What the Democrats Will Do.

SEATTLE, Jan. 25.—The activity preliminary to the Seattle municipal campaign in this city has been increasing and it is evidenced most by the formation of ward clubs, the appearance of workers upon the streets and mention of probable and prospective candidates to be voted for on March 4 next. This condition is not by any means confined to any one party—Republicans and Democrats are alike active in the matter.

On the Republican side the fight is between Mayor Humes and City Controller Frank Paul for the head of the ticket. Humes has openly announced his candidacy to succeed himself, and Paul is more than a receptive candidate for the same place. This latter statement appears to be true, notwithstanding Mr. Paul publicly stated a few days ago that he desired to be renominated for City Controller.

Wilson Behind Paul

Behind Paul, openly, are the followers of John L. Wilson. It has lately been discovered that George Stevenson, manager for Levi Anderson, has been making visits to Seattle and holding conferences with J. H. Dawes, ex-Senator Guile and other parties whose affiliations with the railroads are well known, and who are also known to be behind Paul in his Mayorial ambition.

On This Both Sides Agree

On this point there is no division of sentiment in either party. Two years ago J. W. Gowdin was elected Mayor on a campaign, prior to that time, he was loyal in his opposition to Mayor Humes' policy. Now many Democrats are pushing Steve S. Ballou forward as their candidate for the office.

Opposition to Gowdin

While J. W. Gowdin has openly announced his candidacy for Mayor on the Democratic ticket, it does not appear as present as if he would be successful in landing it. Mr. Bailey seems to be the choice of the party workers, and the prediction is freely made by Democrats generally that when the convention meets it will be very largely for Bailey. Gowdin two years ago pulled out of the Mayorial contest at the eleventh hour, and the party was compelled to place in nomination George Cortright, who stood for everything in opposition to Mayor Humes, and Mr. Gowdin's move at that time has not been forgotten.

Chairman Gilson of the County Commissioners, was sprung, but the effort was short lived. It was then that the Paul movement was given birth. During the several weeks that a compromise was being talked there were no efforts to force the Humes candidacy by the friends of the Mayor. It was felt that if a man satisfactory to both sides could be found, it would be better for the party. The pretense of the Wilson people in bringing out Paul was that all could unite upon him, but "Big Bill" Morris, who was leading Paul's fight, was told that the Humes forces could not favor Paul under any circumstances.

Campaign Opens in Earnest

The campaign attracted no particular attention until last week, when the city committee, which was controlled by Humes' friends, called together to make the appointment for delegates to the convention. It was then found that the Wilson men had been wide awake, and the Humes forces advised. The meeting before it was realized what was being done, it was ascertained that the appointment had been made on the McKinley vote in the city for 1900. The representation was that in those precincts and wards where the vote was on strictly partisan lines for President—principally the First Ward and its precincts—representation was greatly reduced, while in other wards where Humes in 1900 had carried his party strength, representation was considerably reduced.

THUGS HEADED FOR ASTORIA

Men Suspected of Killing San Francisco Officer on a Steamer. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The police are following every possible clue which may lead to the capture of the two men known as "Kid" Goucher and "Brownie," who were associated with Wado, alias Henderson, alias Daily, in the murder of Officer Robinson. Two men answering their description are known to have left the city on the Sunset limited train yesterday evening. They were seen on the stairs under the trapdoor located in each end of a Pullman car, and with their bodies doubled up like jackknives they rode safely out of town.

Oregon Mining Stock Exchange

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Alaska M & M Co., Astoria-Melloune (Gtd.), Bronco Monarch, etc.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 25.—The closing bids for mining stocks today were as follows:

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NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Mining stocks today closed as follows:

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Adams Con., Alice, Brunswick Con., Com. Tunnel, etc.

BOSTON, Jan. 25.—Closing quotations:

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Adventure, Allouez, Amalgamated, Bingham, etc.

BUILDING CARRIED TO SEA

THREE MEN AT THE MERCY OF THE WAVES FOR SOME TIME. Finally Rescued by a Tug—Storm Does \$20,000 Damage to Tacoma Water Front.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 25.—During the 48-mile wind last night a section of wharf in Old Tacoma was washed from its piling and floated away. On the pier stands a small grocery store, owned by a man named Johnson. The proprietor and two customers were in the store at the time the dock floated away, taking the building with it. For the grocerman and his customers were at the mercy of the waves, but the dock did not overturn, and finally was captured by a tug, brought to shore and safely moored.

\$40,000 DAMAGE AT SEATTLE

Large Steamer E. D. Smith a Total Loss as Result of Storm. SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25.—Yesterday's storm damaged the water front aggregate at least \$30,000. Accidents and disasters were numerous, and of a varying character, including everything from the smashing of a small rowboat to the total loss of large steamers by the E. D. Smith. And there were many mishaps to buildings and wharves that, in the excitement of the gale and general disturbance, caused by the whirly billows, were not brought to light until the storm passed. Today, wharves, steamboat officials and others, who had property on the front, made a careful inventory of the losses suffered, and the figures as a result of the loss of large steamers by the E. D. Smith. And there were many mishaps to buildings and wharves that, in the excitement of the gale and general disturbance, caused by the whirly billows, were not brought to light until the storm passed.

Hitland in Wyoming

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 25.—A severe snow and wind storm is in progress in the Hitland region of Wyoming. The wind is increasing in velocity. The temperature is falling rapidly, and from all appearances, the storm will soon assume the character of a blizzard. Traffic has not yet been delayed on the railroads.

Best Policy for Hopgrowers

One of Their Fellows in England Advises Quality, Not Quantity. SALEM, Jan. 25.—Two years ago the great crop among hopgrowers was a reduction of the hop crop, and thus to prevent an oversupply, and thus maintain prices. This year's hops will use them in the manufacture of beer, and next year's crop will be put upon a reducing the hop area, but on the other hand, three people fatally injured by other means, is the list of fatalities reported from Alaska by the steamer Al-Ki.

Late Alaska Fatalities

SEATTLE, Jan. 25.—Two assaults by robbers, three accidental deaths, the passing of a prominent Dawson resident and three people fatally injured by other means, is the list of fatalities reported from Alaska by the steamer Al-Ki. James Murphy, of Wrangell, fell over a cliff on Trader's Island, and plunged to his death 100 feet down a rocky chasm. Charles Nelson was killed in a mine on Cheaco Hill, Dawson, December 23. Andrew Forsberg was killed in the Mexican mine, on Douglas Island, on January 11, and Harry Gilbert was seriously injured at the same mine on January 9.

Charged with Petty Thefts

PENDELTON, Or., Jan. 25.—A man giving the name of Frank Cantonwine was arrested here today and lodged in jail on a charge of stealing a kodak from a local drug store, and an overcoat from a hotel. He is a man of men into Astoria, where he lived for some time. Inquiries there revealed the fact that the only man of that name, a son of W. J. Cantonwine, who was killed a month ago in a railway accident at North Yakima, has lived there recently.

Thanks Judge for Sentence

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 25.—L. Welch, formerly of Albany, who was found guilty of the crime of criminal assault, was sentenced today by Judge Bose to three years in the penitentiary. The sentence was acknowledged by a "Thank you" from the culprit. His attorney gave notice that a case would be appealed to the Supreme Court. J. A. Boylan, found guilty of larceny, was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

Gray Hair

Ayer's Hair Vigor doesn't suddenly restore color to your gray hair; but gradually the old color comes back—all the dark, rich color it used to have. It stops falling of the hair, too, and will often make the hair grow to be very long and heavy.

Ayer's Hair Vigor is certainly wonderful. It has restored the natural color to my gray hair and has made it splendid new growth.—Miss Emma Calder, New York City.

Record-Breaker at Hillsboro. HILLSBORO, Jan. 25.—Last night was a record-breaker, being the coldest night for some years. This morning the mercury stood but 10 degrees above zero.

Mercury Going Up at Salem. SALEM, Or., Jan. 25.—The temperature at Salem reached 15 degrees above zero this evening, but toward midnight the mercury went up again.

Way Below Zero in Montana. HELENA, Mont., Jan. 25.—The cold wave that struck Montana yesterday is general throughout the Northwest. There was the coldest place in the state, it being 21 degrees below there this morning. The thermometer here was 22 degrees below this morning, but it has been growing colder.

Cold Wave Reaches California. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The cold wave predicted by Forecaster McAdell arrived in California today with its strength unimpaired, and tonight the residents were trying to keep comfortable in a temperature but a few degrees above freezing point. The mercury fell lower than at any time during last winter. The fruitgrowers all over the state have been warned of frost. Strong winds swept the coast all night and the waters in the bay are very rough.

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THE GREAT DUMP SALE

DRAWING TO A CLOSE. GLANCE OVER THIS LIST OF BARGAINS AND REMEMBER THIS SALE LASTS ONLY SIX DAYS MORE.

- Boys' Knee Pants 50c values 25c
75c values 50c
\$1 values 85c
Boys' Union Suits at ONE-HALF PRICE
50c Union Suits 25c
\$1 Union Suits 50c
Boys' Reefers
Oxford Gray Reefers \$1.50 values, 3 to 8 95c
\$2.95 values \$1.85
Men's Underwear
At prices way below any Clearance Sale in town.
Natural Gray Sanitary Wool Underwear, best 75c value, DUMP SALE PRICE... 59c
Men's Fine Natural Wool Underwear, great \$1.00 value, DUMP SALE PRICE... 79c
Men's Derby - Ribbed Wool Underwear, \$1.00 values, DUMP SALE PRICE... 79c
Wright's Genuine Health Underwear, fleece-lined, DUMP SALE PRICE... 79c
Men's French Ribbed Wool Underwear, colors, pink, blue and natural, \$1.50 values, DUMP SALE PRICE \$1.19

Ben Sewing LEADING CLOTHIER S. E. cor. Fourth and Morrison sts.

Reward of Merit

A New Catarrh Cure Secures National Popularity in Less Than One Year. Throughout a great nation of eighty million, it is necessary in the first instance to bring the remedy to the attention of the public, but every one familiar with the subject knows that advertising alone never made any article permanently successful. It must have, in addition, absolute, undeniable, and indisputable proof that the catarrh cure certainly possesses in a marked degree.

Physicians, who formerly depended upon inhalers, sprays and local washes or ointments, now use Stuart's Catarrh Tablets because, as one of the most prominent states, these tablets contain in pleasant, convenient form all the really efficient catarrh remedies, such as red gum, blood-root and similar antiseptics. They are given to little children with entire safety and benefit.

Dr. J. H. Baker, of Covington, Ky., says: "I suffered from catarrh in my head and throat very full, with stoppage of the nose, and the throat was sore, affecting my voice, and often extending to the stomach, causing catarrh of the stomach. I used Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, carried them in my pocket and used them constantly, and in a few days the catarrh cleared my head and throat was certainly remarkable. I had no catarrh last winter and spring, and consider myself entirely free from any catarrhal trouble."

Mrs. Jerome Ellison, of Wheeling, W. Va., writes: "I suffered from catarrh in my whole life, and last winter my two children also suffered from catarrhal colds. I used Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and a large portion of the winter, my brother, who was cured of catarrhal colds by using Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, urged me to try them so much that I did so, and am truly thankful for what they have done for myself and my children. I always keep a box of the tablets in the house, and at the first appearance of a cold or sore throat we slip it in the bud and catarrh is no longer a household affliction, with us."

Full-sized packages of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold for 50 cents at all drug-stores. Send for book on cause and cure of catarrh, mailed free. Address, F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

GRIP MUNYON'S INHALER CURES CATARRH Colds, Coughs, Influenza, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

Cloids of medicated vapor are inhaled through the mouth and emitted from the nostrils, cleansing and vaporizing all the inflamed and diseased parts which cannot be reached by medicine taken into the stomach.

Resolves these spots—keeps the face clean—goes to the source of disease—acts as a stimulant to the whole system. \$1.00 at drug-stores or by mail, Munyon, New York and Philadelphia.

Use care in your dress, avoid exposure, carry and take "SEVENTY-SEVEN" (77). Dr. Humphrey's Famous Specific. It stops a Cold at the start and "breaks up" Colds that hang on.

A lighter shade at night, a high-neck flannel set aside—just for once to wear an evening gown—arrests fraught with danger.

A change from a thick business suit to evening dress makes many a sore chest.

Going out of a superheated house, hall, church or theater, is a frequent cause of colds.

To avoid taking Cold, keep the feet dry and wear warm clothing.

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Articles Filed at Salem During the Past Week. SALEM, Or., Jan. 25.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the Secretary of State this week as follows: May Park Water Company, Island City, Union County; \$1000; M. S. Carroll, C. M. Riddle, J. L. Caviness; object, irrigation of a place in the English market, Grande Ronde River, at section 22, township 7 south, range 8 east.