

VANCOUVER SPEAKS OUT

PROTESTS ATTEMPT TO TAKE AWAY DRYDOCK CONTRACT.

Merchants of That City Intend to Take Retaliatory Measures to Protect Interests of Its Laborers.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Vancouver has added its voice to the drydock clamor. It does not like the endeavor of the labor organizations of Portland to pull the drydock away. Its merchants intend to take retaliatory measures "to protect the interests and welfare of the labor organizations and mechanics and the property and growth of our community," and to use utmost endeavors to divert "our trade and patronage to a city that will appreciate our efforts, and to one that will not attempt by all possible means to deprive us of our industries."

PETITION FOR PARDON.

Portland People Ask for Release of Convicts Level and Warriner.

SALEM, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Governor Geer today received petitions for the pardon of Louis Level and H. S. Warriner, who were convicted of committing burglary in a toolhouse at Tenth and Morrison streets, in Portland, February 14, 1902. Level was sentenced to two years imprisonment and Warriner to three years in the penitentiary. It is represented in behalf of Level that he was a young man and inexperienced, that he was led into the crime by Warriner, that he has a father who is dependent upon him, and who is a veteran of the Civil War, and that he has been sufficiently punished. Judge A. L. Frazer, who presided over the case, has written a letter recommending the pardon, saying that, had he known all the facts, he would not have sentenced Level to more than one year's imprisonment. The petition in favor of Warriner represents that he is the main support of his widowed mother, that he is not a hardened criminal, but stole the tools to equip himself for work, which would secure if he could procure tools. This petition is signed by a number of prominent citizens of Portland, among them I. W. Pratt, W. D. Fenton, Joseph Simon, E. E. Malcolm, George H. Hill, J. M. Hodson, G. M. Hyland, Donald Mackay, Sig Sichel, D. M. Stuart, E. Everett, George W. Hagen, J. M. Long, Alex. Swock, M. H. Pipes, E. C. Spence, W. T. Hume, C. U. Gantenbein, C. J. Schnabel, B. M. Lomhard, J. G. Mack, C. A. Dolph, Russell E. Sewall, R. R. Giltner, R. W. Hoyt, J. Thorburn Ross, Phil Metcalf, Jacob Mayer and Solomon Hirsch.

MORGAN IN CALIFORNIA OIL.

Company With \$20,000,000 to Invest in Proven Ground.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Sept. 27.—The Californian will say: J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California, in company with wealthy associates. The syndicate, in a few days later, surveys will be put into the field and will run lines to the ocean from the Coaling, McKittrick, Sunset, Midway and Kern River fields, to determine by which route it is most profitable to transport oil to tidewater. The surveys will run over the Coast range at a number of points, and will also go down the San Joaquin Valley parallel with the line of the Standard. Upon the data so gathered will depend the location of the pipe line. A company having a capitalization of \$20,000,000 has been organized for this purpose, and this money will be devoted to the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at \$20,000,000, half of which sum will be invested in proven ground, and the other half turned into a reserve fund, not to be drawn upon until needed in the further purchase of land. The syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year of its existence, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met. The papers for the new enterprise are now being drawn in New York.

NO GAMBLING AT YAKIMA FAIR.

Horse-Racing Pools Excepted—List of Entries and Classes.

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For Harness Horse and Free-for-All Events.

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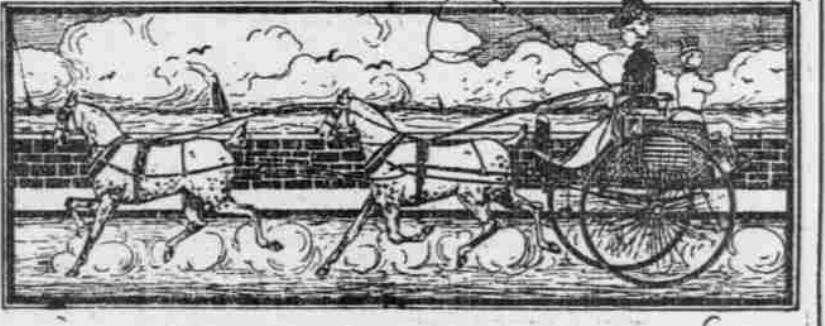
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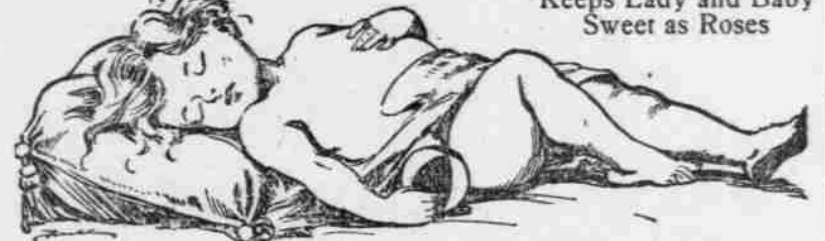
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