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PORTLAND, OREGON, SUNDAY MORNING,

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PRICE FIVE CENTS.

FOR 1905 FAIR

California Passes - Bill Giving \$20,000.

TO PUT UP A BUILDING

The St. Louis Exhibit to Be Brought Here Intact.

PARDEE SAID TO FAVOR BILL

Montana Will Also Be Represented-Popular Subscription List Started to Raise Funds for St. Louis Exposition.

The California Legislature has approprinted \$20,000 for the erection of a building at the Lewis and Clark Fair. The St. Louis exhibit is to be brought to Portland in its entirety and placed

in this building.

As this measure was passed after consultation with Governor Pardee it is midered certain that he will approve

the appropriation. Governor Toole, of Montara, has ramed a St. Louis fair commission to collect an exhibit for that exposition. As the Montana Legislature adjourned without making a fair appropriation, a project is on foot to raise \$50,000 by subscription to send that state's exhibit to St. Louis.

After the St. Louis fair it is understood that this exhibit will be Portland. ****************

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 14.-(Spe cial.)-The Legislature has passed an act for the appointment of a commissioner and appropriating \$30,000 for erecting a building for the reception of all visite and installation of the exhibits of the products of the State of California at the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition," to be held at Portland, Or., in the

The law provides that if the State of California shall, before the year 1905, provide for the installing or maintenance of an exhibit of the products of the state at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to be held at St. Louis, Mo., in 1904, the said exhibit, upon the termination of the said St. Louis Exposition shall be turned over and delivered at Portland, Or., to the com soner appointed under this act, who is hereby authorized to receive the same.

The Legislature has passed a bill making a large appropriation for the St. Louis and it is expected that the exhibit for St. Louis will be the fines ever sent from California. As the exhibit ie to be transferred to Portland this arrangement insures a eplendid represents tion of California at the Lewis and Clark

It is unofficially understood that the figures for these appropriations were fixed after consultation with Governor Pardee and therefore it is considered a sure thing that he will sign them.

MONTANA WILL BE HERE.

Money for Exhibit to Be Raised by Popular Subscription.

HELENA, Mont., March 14 .- (Special.)-Montana will be represented at both the St. Louis and Portland, Or., Expositions despite the failure of the Legislature to make any appropriation therefor. Governor Toole today appointed a com-

dission to consist of W. G. Conrad, Lee Mantie, H. L. Frank, Paul McCornrick, Martin Maginnis, B. F. White, F. A. Heinze, William Scallon, C. W. Hoffman, J. H. Rice, Conrad Kohrs, D. R. Poeler, C. J. McNamera, A. J. Davidson and T. L. Greenough to make all necessary and proper arrangements for the collection and installation of such exhibits, as to them shall seem expedient and proper as exemplifying the history and varied resources of the state at said expositions. They are to solicit and receive all subscriptions for such exhibits; to expend and disburse the same and otherwise arrange, manage and control the exhibits, it being understood, however, that the creation of the commission does not imply any authority to obligate the state to reimburse any subscriber for any sum aubscribed.

lamation, in which the Governor stated that the failure of the Legislature to make appropriations was due to the fact that the two houses could not waree as to the method of naming the commissioners. The money will be collected under the so-Minnesota plan, dividing the amount to be raised pro rata among the counties and take chances on the next Legislature reimbursing the subscribers. The St. Louis exhibit will, at the close of that affair, be transferred to Portland, Or., for the Lowis and Clark Exposition.

Raising Funds at Billings. BILLINGS, March 24-(Special.)-A movement is on foot in Billings, which, if carried out, will result in \$500 being subscribed by citizens of this city toward a \$50,000 fund for a Montana exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition. Two gentlemen have already given their pledges for that nount and three others are on the list of probable subscribers, with strong probabilities that they will come to the front.

Dewey Is Admiral "of" the Navy. WASHINGTON, March 14.-President osevelt has transmitted to the Senate the nomination of George Dowey, U.S. N., to be "Admiral of the Navy." Attention was recently called to a slight difference between the wording of Admiral Dewey's commission and the law of 1895, under

which it was provided for. The commission of the Admiral reads "the Admiral in the Navy," whereas the law has it "Admiral of the Navy," Accordingly a new commission has been made out for the Admiral in accordance with the letter of the law, and this necessitated a new nomination and confirmation by the Senate. The Senate before adjustment today confirmed Senate, before adjourning today, confirme

MAY SETTLE AT CARACAS Allies Want to Avoid Arbitration-Bowen Wants a Showdown.

WASHINGTON, March 14.-By the proocole which were signed February 13 freat Britain received a cash payment of 72,500; Germany was promised an ad-vance payment of \$340,000 in five monthly installments beginning one month from the date of the signing, and Italy was to be paid \$2,500 two months from that date. Minister Bowen handed to the British Embussy a check the night the protocol was signed and it was arranged that Germany and Italy were to receive their money at Caracas. What steps President Castro has taken to meet the obligations is not

Bome concern is felt here at the silence of the allied powers regarding the draft of The Hague protocol, which was malled to them some weeks ago and the someone of any representation on the subject may mean that a plan is under consideration looking to the settlement at Caracas of the preferential question by President Castro and the representatives of the allied powers there. There is no indica-tion that the Venezuelan President will onsent to such a compromise, but it is elleved that he will be approached in

Mr. Bowen is strongly opposed to per-mitting the allied powers to escape from appearance at The Hague, but inasmuch as the cost of a case at the tribunal would probably exceed the amount involved, the powers may seek some other mode of settlement.

Mexico Pays Promptly.

WASHINGTON, March 16-The State WASHINGTON, March 16.—The State Department has received from the Mexican government \$43,000, being the first installment of interest which is to be paid in perpetuity on account of the Pious Fund claims under the arrangement made by The Hague arbitration board in October last. On July 8 there will be due the sum of \$1,400,682, representing the interest which has accrued from the date of the Mexican Claims Commission down to the Mexican Claims Com date of the award.

Only a Drunken Soldiers' Mutiny. NEW ORLEANS, La., March 14.-The

om says:
"The statement is made today by a member of a party from Honduras which arrived in New Orleans yesterday that Ceiba was not captured by the Bonillaitea The affair which occurred on March 6 was nothing more than a mutiny of 15e sol-diers, who were drinking, and had no connection with the revolution led by the

Exiled Rebel Is Pardoned.

CARACAS, March 14.—President Castro eff here today for La Victoria, It is his surpose to rest for six days and then pre-are his message for Congress. Celestino eraza, a prominent political leader, who revision a prominent political reader, who two years ago started a revolution against President Castro, and who has been in exile at Curacao, has asked President Castro for permission to return to Ven-exuela. His request has been granted.

La Soufriere More Active

KINGSTON, St. Vincent, March 14 .-Professor Hovey, assistant curator of the American Museum of Natural History, left here yesterday after having spent several days in the volcanto district. He says the present activity of La Soufriere is greater than that observed by him from May 23 to June 6 last year.

Mexico Sighs for Gold Standard. CITY OF MEXICO, March 14.-Interior banks are declaring good dividends and the financial companies generally are prosperous. Raliways are doing a large siness, but their net carnings, when turned into gold, are shriveling and their condition will be serious if some plan is not devised soon for improvement.

New Railroad in Colombia. PANAMA, March 14.—The Colombian government has granted permission to a British mining company to build a railroad 2 miles long from Cana, where the Espir-ita Santo mines are located, to the river

Cardinal for Mexico. MEXICO CITY, March 14.-It is reported that Archbishop Alarion, of this diocese, one of the six archbishops in Mexico, is to

Spooner Replies to Morgan's Criticisms.

SAYS THE TITLE IS CLEAR

No Need to Worry About Colombian Politics.

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY ASSURED

Author of Bill Under Which Trenty Was Negotiated Champions It-Proposed New Clause Providing for Guard of Canal.

After taking the usual fruitless prens to enforce secrecy regarding its proceedings in executive session the Senate yesterday heard Spooner defend the canal treaty.

Depew followed with a denial that the railroads were opposed to a canal.

Bacon offered a substitute for the article relating to armed protec the canal and ships passing through it.

WASHINGTON, March 14.-Without the ransaction of any business in open session the Senate today went into executive session. Previous to the closing of the doors the official stenographers and all the employes of the official reporter's office were sworn to secrecy and when the doors were closed one of the reporters was invited into the chamber to make a detailed report of the proceedings, with the understanding that it should be published after the vote on Tuesday next.

Senator Spooner began his speech on the Panama canal treaty in reply to Senator Mergan as soon as the doors ere closed. Departing somewhat from his usual directness, Mr. Spooner introluced his remarks with a series of comlimentary allusions to Senator Morgan, in which he touched upon Mr. Morgan's great familiarity with all questions pertaining to an inter-oceanic canal as well as his generally acknowledged interest in that subject. He spoke of the magnitude of the work in constructing a canal across the isthmus, which he expressed the opinion the United States would soon enter upon, and which he said he believed met with the approval of a vast majority of the people of the United States

Much of his speech was legal in character and was devoted to sustaining the point of view presented by Attorney-General Knox in his report upon the title which the Panama Canal Company is capable of making to the canal property and franchises. He expressed the view that there could be no doubt that this company has come legitimately into possession of the canal concession and he said that, having so acquired the property, it has an undoubted right to transfer it in turn to the United States or any other purchaser,

Can't Question Credentials.

Senator Spooner took Issue with Senator Morgan as to the necessity of making inquiry into the credentials of Senor Herran, who was Colombia's representative in the negotiation of the treaty with this country, saying that such a proceeding on the part of one country in negotiation with another would be most extraordinary and that it would certainly be resented. He contended that one country, in making ······

EDWIN L. BURDICK

WHALTHY BUFFALO MANUFACTURER, WHO WAS MYSTERI-

SOUGHT IN VAIN FOR A SOLUTION OF THE MYSTERY.

OUSLY SLAIN IN HIS HOME. THE BUFFALO POLICE HAVE

a treaty with another, must recognize the de facto government of the other, and that it could not enter upon inquiry as to the origin or constitutionality of the other government. He also made reply to Senator Morgan's references to the religious amiliations of the Colombian government. Senator Morgan had contended that the United States had practically al-lied itself with the church party in Colombia, and that it had in effect committed itself to the terms of the concordat between Pope Leo and the Colombian government. This view Mr. Spooner charac terized as entirely contrary to the facts. He said that under the treaty there would be no pretext for interference by the Co-lombian authorities with the religious

party or the party not in power, with which the agreement was made, and said that if a stricture of that kind was applicable in the present case, it would ap-ply to our relations with many other

Considers Title Good. In his discussion of the title of the Panama Canal Company, Senator Spooner traced the history of the proceedings concerning the canal concession in the French courts. Beginning with the transference of original concession to De Lesseps in 1879, he showed how in 1888, when the company opposed to De Lesseps had been involved, the courts intervened, and, after appointing a liquidator, had authorized the negotiation of a new company, which is the company from which the United States secures its title. Spooner contended for the regularity of every step taken, and therefore urged that the claim of title was perfectly good.

conduct or affiliations of Americans in the

canal zone. He ridiculed the idea that

by making a treaty with the government

the United States could thus be accused

countries whose people are adherents of the Catholic faith.

Spooner claimed that the United States would have an indisputable right to fortify the canal, under the general provision of the treaty authorizing its defense.

Toward the close of his address Senator Spooner was questioned by a number of Democratic Senators, particularly by Morgan. In reply to these questions, and dso of his own accord, Spooner said that there were some features of the treaty which he would prefer to have otherwise, but that the terms were the best it had been possible to secure, and in view of the popular desire for an interoceanic canal he believed that expediency demanded that the treaty should be accepted as it had been sent to the Senate by the President.

Spooner closed at 5:05 o'clock, after speaking for just five hours. He was followed by Depew, who read a written speech supporting the treaty as in the interest of the people of the entire country. He referred to the criticism that the canal would be injurious to the railroad interests of the country, and said, as a rail-road man, and making claim to special knowledge on that subject, he was thoroughly convinced that such would not be

Amendment as to Protection. Bacon offered the following amendment

to the treaty, being a substitute for article 23, to which the Democratic Senators took exception:

"The Government of the United States shall have and exercise the exclusive (Concluded on Third Page.)

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DELEGATION NAMES THEM

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THE CHANGE IS BADLY NEEDED

Present Officials Doubly Unsatisfactory Because They Quarrel-Daty's Name Sent to Senate, but Dresser's Held Back.

The Oregon delegation has united in recommending John W. Knowles, of La Grande, for Register, and Asa B. Thompson, of Pendleton, for Receiver of the La Grande Land Office.

The only delay to new appointments has been the inability of the delegation to agree on them.

Daly's nomination for Surveyor-General was sent to the Senate, but Drees er's for Register of the Oregon City Land Office is withheld.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washgton, March 14.-The Oregon delegation today united in recommending the ap pointment of John W. Knowles, of La Grande, as Register, and Asa B. Thompson, of Pendleton, as Receiver of the Land Office at La Grande, to succeed Edward W. Bartlett and Samuel O. Swackhamer, whose terms have long since ex-Efforts have been made for nearly

year to secure a change at this office, Government inspections having shown it to be in a most unsatisfactory condition. Bartlett has rested under charges similar to those brought against Meldrem, and Swackhamer has proved incompetent. To add to the confusion in the office, it

is reported to the department that Swackhamer and Bartlett have long been personal enemies and never speak to each other. Heretofore the delegation has been unable to agree upon new officers; hence the appointments have been delayed. The President has not yet sent in the

omination of Dresser as Register of the Oregon City Land Office, as recently recsended by the delegation. President Roosevelt today sent to the

Senate the nomination of John D. Daly, to be Surveyor-General of Commerce. Oregon. No action was taken, however, ably be given next week.

IRBY'S CASE HELD UP. Ankeny Will Oppose Confirmation-

Blights Stewart's Hopes Also. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 14.-At the request of Senator Ankeny, no action has been taken by the Senate on the nomination of John F. Irby to be Postmaster at Ritzville. The case will be taken up when Senator Ankeny has been sworn in and is able to present the case of his candidate, Kennedy.

It has been mutually agreed between Senator Ankeny and Representative Humphrey that no action shall be taken structures in the city. It is eight stories until next Fall looking to the selection high and admirably adapted to the needs of a Postmaster at Seattle to succeed G, of the new department.

his claim for reappointment, but will not be accepted by the Senator. Ankeny is man, but he must not be obnoxious

WILL APPROVE REPORT.

Jetty Work This Week.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ngton, March-14.—Senator Fulton called at the War Department today to inquire about the Board of Engineers' report on the mouth of the Columbia improvement, Assistant Secretary Sanger told him the case had been made out all ready for the

ecretary's signature. Secretary Root will return tomorrow, and the report will be laid before him the first thing Monday morning. Senator Pulton says there is no reason to doubt that the report will be approved and Cap tain Langfitt authorized to proceed with the work.

NOT POPULAR IN NEBRASKA.

Mercer Said to Be Only a Colonist in That State.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ngton, March 14.-If ex-Representative Mercer, of Nebraska, is appointed Director of the Census, as now expected, it will be through no assistance be has received from the Nebraska delegation While the Nebraskans are not opposing Mercer, only one Congressman from that state has asked for his appointment, the two Senators remaining silent. Mercer, however, has the indorsement of leading Congressmen from all parts of the coun try, and a great mass of recommendations

It is charged in Nebraska that Mercer is not properly a citizen of that state but of the District of Columbia, and that he visits it only at times when the political situation needs his attention.

Hawaiians Meet the President. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 14.-Senator Foster, of Washington, presented two Hawaiians to the President today-E. P. Dole, a relative of Governor Dole, and Arthur C. Gear, of Hilo. Dole is here on a case fore the Supreme Court,

HARRISON RULES CHICAGO Captures All Delegates to Democratic City Convention.

CHICAGO, March 14.-In the Dem tratic primaries which were held today, Mayor Carter H. Harrison, who is a candidate for renomination, secured pracdeally all the delegates to the city convention, and will without doubt he the

The Aldermanic contest in the Twenty-first Ward excited the chief interest of the day. This is the ward of the Mayor and Robert E. Burke, the prominent Dem-ocratic leader. The Mayor desired the nomination of Honore Palmer and Burke supported John C. Dalton. Both factions worked hard, but Palmer won by a decisive majority, carrying the 11 primary districts, including that in which Burke resides. The Mayoralty convention will be held next Monday.

Goulder for Mayor of Cleveland. CLEVELAND, O., March 14.—The Republican city convention today nominated Harvey N. Goulder for Mayor. He is president of the Cleveland Chamber of the Cleveland Chamber of

ooking to confirmation, which will prob- Naval Commanders on French Shore. ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 14.—Commodore Count de Montferrands has been reappointed to the command of the French squadron in Newfoundland waters. This appointment is believed to presage diplo-matic developments in the French shore question, Commodore Montgomery, R. N., who was until recently in command of the allied fleet in Venezuelan waters, contin

ron in Newfoundland waters.

Home for Commerce Department. WASHINGTON, March 14.—Secretary ortelyou today concluded negotiations by which he secured a lease of the Willard building on Fourteenth street, between Pennsylvania avenue and F street, for the Department of Commerce and Labor. The building is one of the handsomest office

ARTHUR PENNELL.



BUFFALO MAN WHO WAS NAMED AS CO-RESPONDENT IN BUR. DICK'S SUIT FOR DIVORCE AND WHO WAS KILLED IN AUTO-MOBILE ACCIDENT.

The President Outlines Plans to Foster.

SEE MUCH IN SHORT TIME

Will Spend Three Days and Nights in Washington.

GOING NORTH FROM PORTLAND

From Tacoma He Will Start on Steamer Tour of Sound, Ending at Scattle-Stops at North Yakima. Walla Walla and Spokane,

***************** President Roosevelt yesterday outfined to Senator Foster his itinerary of

he State of Washington. He expects to leave Portland on the raing of May 14, will make a tour of Puget Sound on a steamer, beginning at Tacoma and ending at Seattle, and then go through Eastern Washington. He will visit Senator Ankeny at Walla Walla, and spend a night each in Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane The Washington Congressional delega-

tion will accompany him through the

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OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washngton, March 14.-Senator Foster saw the President this morning and talked over the coming trip to the Pacific Coast, eapecially the tour of the State of Washington. The President said his plans had not been definitely agreed upon, but that he expected to leave Portland on the morning of May 14, going north by the Northern Pacific, stopping first at Chehalis, and then at Tacoma, reaching the latter point at 3 or 4 o'clock in the afternoon. That afternoon he will spend in seeing the city, and in the evening he will

hold a public reception. Senator Foster invited the President to e his guest on the night of his stay in Tacoma, but the President will not decide this far in advance whether he will stay at the Senator's residence, at the

hotel or remain in his private car. On the morning of May 15, the Prestdent will take a steamer at Tacoma and make a tour of Puget Sound, probably visiting the Bremerton navy-yard, and definite arrangements for the south trip cannot yet be made. That evening the President expects to reach Seattle, where he will spend the evening and night, before crossing the mountains and making

a half-hour stop at North Yakima Later, on May 16, he will make a brief visit to Walla Walla, the home of Senator Ankeny, before going to Spokane, where he expects to spend his third night in the state.

President Roosevelt explained that this visit must necessarily be short and he must omit visits at many points he would like to stop. He will be glad to see the people at his stopping places and is counting upon holding public receptions at Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane. He will leave the arrangements for his visits in the several cities to the local committees, but has asked that they make known their programmes as early as possible.

It is the intention of all members of the Washington delegation to escort the President through the state, meeting him at Portland and leaving him at Spokane.

WILL START ABOUT APRIL 1. Most of That Month to Be Spent fu

WASHINGTON, March 14.-It is reasonably certain that President Roosevelt will start from Washington on his Western tour on April 1. Several Senators discussed the subject with him today, all of them being anxious to induce him to make stops in their states. The itinerary of the journey, which will occupy at least two months, and perhaps a little longer, is being prepared; indeed, many of the details have already been worked out on the

basis of starting on the first of April. The greater part of the month of April will be spent by the President in Yellowstone Park in rest and recreation. Several important stops will be made by the President en route to the park. He will go from Washington to Chicago. Thence he will go to Milwaukee, La Crosse and Madison, Wis.; Minneapolis and St. Paul. Minn.; Yankton, S. D., and perhaps to some other points east of the Yellowstone. In the latter part of April he will start for St. Louis in time to participate in the dedication of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition on April 39. From St. Louis the President will go to the Pacific Coast, making many stope, both going out and on the return trip. During his sojourn in California the President will visit the Yosemite Valley. The trip includes a journey to and numerous stops in the Northwestern States.
It will be a long and arduous trip, but

promises to be one of the most memorable ever made by a President.

Will Visit Utab Cities.

SALT LAKE CITY, March 14.-A special to the News from Washington says that President Roosevelt today told Senators Smoot and Kearns that he would accept the invitation to visit Utah on his coming Western trip. On his return east from the Yellowstone Park, the President will stop an hour at Ogden and four hours in Balt Lake. May IS was fixed as the probable

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