TAFT WILL SPEAK IN EAST AND WEST

Result of Conference With Hitchcock on Plans for Campaign.

BIG DEMAND TO HEAR HIM

West Especially Anxious to Hear Him, but Will Also Extend His Tour Through East—To Start by October 1.

MIDDLE BASS, O., Sept. 5.—William H. Taft will make a traveling campaign during the month of October, devoting his time principally to those states which the National committee may consider doubtful, if the ideas of both the candidate and his National chairman, Frank Hitchcock, as expressed today, are carried out.

Mr. Taft indicated that although the greatest demand for his presence had come from the West, this would not preclude his appearance in Eastern states and that, when the tour was decided on, it would undoubtedly reach both East and West.

"I had a very fine talk with Judge Taft for a long time about the demand that he go on a speechmaking tour," said Mr. Hitchcock, who is on his way to New York. "There is a great demand for him in the West; in fact all over the country, a demand that is so strong, so overwhelming, that I do not know whether it is possible to refuse it. Party leaders thought it best that he should not go personally into the campaign, but the situation is different now from what it was then. Party organizations want him; want to see him. That trip that Judge Taft made through Ohio has convinced all that he has made good as a campaigner. It is possible, therefore, that by October 1, he will go out to make some speeches.

"I also went over with Judge Taft the situation, state by state, telling him of the reports I have received and what the party leaders have said. There is no doubt that he will win if we make the right kind of a campaign and keep at it."

Begin College Campaign for Taft.

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Alfred E. Lunt, president of the National Republican College League, arrived at National Republican headquarters today and conferred with Secretary Hayward and began the college campaign for Taft and Sherman.

ATTACKS JOHNSON'S PET

Cleveland Taxpayer Moves to Annul Car Franchise.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 5.—Suit was filed in Common Pleas Court today by James K. Farasey, taxpayer, asking that the security grant of the Cleveland Railway Company be declared null and void and the lease of the property to the Municipal Traction Company be set aside. Fraud and financial interest by city officials is named as basis for the suit.

The petition declares that the Municipal Traction Company is a fraud upon the city and its taxpayers, without legal or financial responsibility and was wholly and solely controlled and dominated by Tom L. Johnson, Mayor of Cleveland. It is further declared that the franchise grant is a fraud because it provided a higher rate of fare than had been offered by the Cleveland Electric Railway Company of seven tickets for 25 cents with universal transfers.

It is alleged that the public funds of the city were used to promote the interests of the 3-cent fare lines. Five hundred thousand dollars is named as the sum so used.

POLICE NOW SEEKING RICE

Husband of Omaha Woman May Explain Rustin Murder.

OMAHA, Sept. 5.—The arrival in Omaha today of A. F. M. Clary, father of Mrs. A. Rice, who is detained in connection with the Dr. Frederick Rustin murder mystery, did not shed any light upon the shooting of the physician Tuesday night. Mr. Clary went to the City Jail, where he spent an hour talking with his daughter, but after the interview would not talk. He later visited the Chief of Police, with whom he had an extended conference, but that official declined to say what had developed as a result.

At the police station it was stated that the detective force is now looking for Mrs. Rice's husband. They are anxious to learn whether or not he was in the city the night of the murder, although they have no reason to believe he is in this part of the country. Rice was a volunteer in the Spanish-American War.

The funeral of Dr. Rustin occurred this afternoon.

HOLLAND PREFERS PEACE

Note to Castro Shows Desire to Settle Quarrel.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 5.—In the second note dispatched September 4 to Venezuela, Holland made reply to the communication received from Caracas under date of August 26. The Netherlands government in this last note, while maintaining its point of view, shows considerable anxiety not to place any obstacle in the way of peaceful settlement of the matters standing between the two governments. The text of this correspondence will not be published until after the opening of the Netherlands Parliament.

BANK SITUATION BETTER

Comparison for Washington State With Last Year Shows Well.

SEATTLE, Sept. 5.—(Special.)—Steady improvement has been the most conspicuous feature of the banking situation in Washington State since the first of the year. That this is continuing is shown in the summaries of the banks' condition on July 15 and comparisons with previous calls presented in Royer's Financial Record, published by Edgar Royer, of Seattle, which will make its appearance today or tomorrow.

Between May 14 and July 15 the National and state banks of Washington gained $1,207,748 in deposits, making a total gain of $6,262,498 since the call of February 14. The total July 15 was $141,666,721. Comparisons made with the high water mark of deposits in the state on August 22 of last year show that the deposits on July 15 were only 10 per cent behind the figures of 11 months preceding. This is accounted for, in the opinion of bankers, by the suspension of the lumber industry during the rate mixup.

Loans July 15 amounted to $91,854,542, an increase of $533,963 in the two months between May 14 and July 15, and $6,377,537 in the five months following February 14. Bills payable July 15 were $905,529, a decrease of about half a million dollars since the preceding August. Bank circulation July 15 was $4,706,845, an increase of $1,419,400 since August, 1907.

A decrease of $165,000 in surplus and undivided profits is due to the large number of banks that declared dividends between May and July 15. The surplus and undivided profits July 15 aggregated $8,794,589. Capital stock on the same date amounted to $19,110,645. The combined capital stock, surplus and undivided profits on July 15 was $1,511,000 in excess of the same items in August of last year.

COLLEGE GRANTS UNSOLD

LARGE ACREAGE REMAINS FOR USE OF INSTITUTIONS.

Of Total Grant of 190,000 Acres, Only 24,797 Acres Have Been Disposed Of.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 5.—(Special.)—E. W. Ross, Commissioner of Public Lands, has just furnished a statement to the State College of Washington, at Pullman, showing the total acreage of the lands remaining unsold, both in the Scientific and Agricultural College grants, also the amount of funds as shown by the records of the State Treasurer.

Of the 90,000 acres granted for the support and maintenance of the Agricultural College, only 9375.49 acres have been sold since the grant was approved by the Department of the Interior, leaving a balance of 80,062.71 acres remaining in this grant approved and 561.80 acres yet to be selected.

The permanent fund has bonds invested to the amount of $113,600 which, on an average, draws 5 per cent interest annually. In addition to this, there has been turned into the State Treasury $1279.99 to the credit of the permanent fund and $11,932.21 to the credit of the current fund. To this must be added 23 contracts of sale now in force, on which there is a balance due of $53,553.84, which draws interest annually at the rate of 6 per cent.

Of the scientific school grants, for which 100,000 acres was allowed only 15,422.45 acres have been sold and that 19.07 acres remain yet to be selected.

Bonds to the amount of $86,800 have been issued to the credit of the permanent fund, and $14,512 remains on hand now in the State Treasury. This grant alone has $10,083.33 that has been turned in to the credit of the current fund. Ninety contracts of sale are now in force for scientific school land, on which there is a balance due of $247,463.43, which bears interest at the rate of 6 per cent annually. This leaves 84,558.45 acres remaining unsold.

SAYS JAPAN WILL CONTROL

Okuma Disputes American Claim to Supremacy in Pacific.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 5.—According to advices received by the steamer Glenfarg, Count Okuma has been interviewed with regard to a statement alleged to have been made by President Roosevelt that the United States would in future control the Pacific. Count Okuma, writing in the Nochi Shibbun, says that it is Japan, not the United States, which will control and he enlarges at length on the possibilities in the Pacific for Japanese mercantile marine.

DEFEATED BY TWO FEET

Clark, Australian, Beaten in Cycle Race by Kramer.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—A. J. Clark, the crack Australian cyclist and holder of several world's records, made his initial appearance in New York tonight, when he was defeated by Frank L. Kramer, the American champion, in the National Cycling Association races at Madison-Square Garden. The foreigner was less than two feet behind Kramer at the finish of one of the most exciting five-mile races seen this season.

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PORTLAND HORSES WIN

CAPTURE NUMEROUS RIBBONS AT SEATTLE'S THIRD SHOW.

T. B. Wilcox, Mrs. Lewis and Clayton Fallas Among Successful Exhibitors.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 5.—(Special.)—The third annual show of the Seattle Horse Show Association came to a close tonight. The consensus of opinion is that it was the most successful of the three the association has given. Since last year a large number of high class horses have been brought to the city and as a consequence the entries were better than at previous shows. The exhibits of H. W. Treat, president of the association, were a feature. John W. Considine, although he had sold a number of his horses, was well represented and carried off a number of ribbons. Charles F. Manning, of Everett, was a new exhibitor and his entries in the pony classes attracted a great deal of attention and favorable comment.

Another feature of the show was the driving of several ladies, notably Miss Dorothy Stimson and Miss Alma Stewart, of Seattle, Miss Bernice Baker, of Tacoma, and Miss Laidlaw, of Spokane. A feature of this afternoon's programme was the changing of two of H. W. Treat's coaching fours against time, one four being unhitched and another substituted in one minute and 20 seconds. The troop of the Fourteenth cavalry was a feature of the show, the cavalrymen giving a fine exhibition of fancy riding. The Portland entries were few in number, but took their share of the honors. T. B. Wilcox took three firsts and one second in different classes for pairs, with Black Chief and Hindoo Prince, Black Prince also taking a first in a class for mares or geldings. Mrs. Lewis took three seconds with Citizen and Civilian. Clayton Fallas with Lady Zombro was the only entry in three classes, taking the three ribbons. Lady Zombro was considered by many the best horse in the show.

Otis Rests Before Operation.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 5.—General Harrison Gray Otis, publisher of the Los Angeles (Cal.) Times, who is a patient at Johns Hopkins Hospital, was reported today to be doing well. The surgical operation, which he came to Baltimore to undergo, has been postponed for a few days in order to permit him to get thoroughly rested from his trip.

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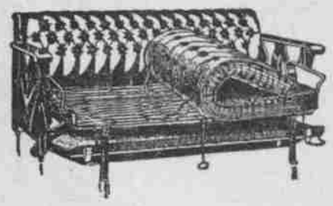

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Result in Flatbush Stakes Shows Horsemen That Question of Best 2-Year-Old Is Still Unsettled.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Under nearly equal conditions, John E. Madden's colt, Sir Martin, and James R. Keene's futurity winner, Maskette, met this afternoon in the rich Flatbush stakes at Sheepshead Bay, and Sir Martin won. As in the futurity, Sir Martin ran well, while giving the Keene filly nine pounds, shouldering 127 to her 118. It was thought today, with the handicap removed, he might take her measure, and he did not disappoint his admirers.

The result has given rise to a belief in some quarters that, after all, the question of the best 2-year-old of the season is not yet settled and perhaps is one altogether of weight if not of distatnce also, the Flatbush stakes which Sir Martin won today being seven furlongs to the futurity's six.

In the race today Wedding Bells jumped into the lead at the start by a length and a half with Maskette and Sir Martin in close attendance. At the bend into the stretch Maskette took the lead by half a length, with Sir Martin second. Schilling put Sir Martin under a drive, and, catching the Keene filly at the furlong pole, took the lead and won easily by four lengths. Maskette was a length and half before Fayette.

J. R. Keene's Ballot won the Century stakes, 1½ miles, and in doing so a new track record of 2:30 3-5 was made. This time is very close to the world's record for the distance, which is 2:30½, made by Goodrich at Chicago several years ago.

Results:

Six and one-half furlongs—Roseben won, Tom McGrath second, Demund, third; time, 1:19 2-5.

About two miles and a half—Sametus won, Ironsides second, Malacca third; time, 5:09 2-5.

Seven furlongs—Sir Martin won, Maskette second, Fayette third; time, 1:27 2-5.

Mile and a half—Ballot won, King James second, Dorante third; time, 2:30 3-5.

One mile and three-sixteenths—Miss Crawford won, Monfort second, Dark Night third; time, 2:00 4-5.

Five and one-half furlongs—Summer Night won, Rosslare second, Lasata third; time, 1:07 3-5.

DERBY WINNER IS DEFEATED

Stanley Fay Finishes Last in Four-Horse Race at Meadows.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 5.—(Special.)—Before one of the largest Saturday crowds of the season at The Meadows today Stanley Fay disgraced himself by running last in a four-horse race. Stanley Fay won the Seattle Derby and the 1909 Exposition handicap, the stellar attractions of the season. The gyrations his price took in the ring indicated that there was nothing doing on the Derby winner and he and his rider, Harris, were hissed when they returned to the stand.

Kerry, too, made a complete somersault of a reversal when he took the day's feature, the selling stake, with Silver Stocking, a rank outsider, running third over the favorite, Toupee. Results:

Six furlongs—Blondy won, Nagasan second, Anna May third; time, 1:12 3-5.

Mile and sixteenth—Peggy O'Neal won, Tonic second, Liberto third; time, 1:47 3-5.

Mile and 50 yards—Port Townsend handicap—Vox Populi won, Cadichon second, Tony Faust third; time, 1:40 4-5.

Six and half furlongs, King County selling stakes—Kerry won, Silver Stocking second, Toupee third; time, 1:18 3-5.

Mile and sixteenth—Margaret Randolph won, King of the Mist second, St. Kilda third; time 1:46.

Mile and 70 yards—Hig Gun won, Harry Scott second, Harmakis third; time, 1:42 4-5.

Emily W.'s Sensational Finishes.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 5.—Four good races drew a big crowd today in the final day of the State Fair harness meet. The feature was the 2:20-class trot, which was valued at $2000 and which brought forth good time. Emily W, owned by Fred E. Ward, won the event in straight heats in the most sensational finishes of the meet. The summary:

Roadsters, mile heats, best two in three.				
Headlight (M. Henry)	1	5	7	1
Black Beauty (M. Frieberger)	3	7	1	2
John S. (John Silva)	2	1	2	3
Billy Dobs (Wheeler)	4	3	3	dr
Billy George (George Vice)	5	2	4	dr
Genevieve (J. Gribsby)	6	6	6	dr
Fly Away (Frank Silva)	7	4	2	dr
Best time, 2:21.				
2:20 trot, purse $2000—				
Emily W (F. Ward)	1	1	1	
May T. (J. Twohig)	2	2	2	
Wenja (G. A. Pounder)	3	3	3	
Lady Inez (Cuicello)	4	4	4	
Lady McKinney (D. Ables)	5	5	dr	
Best time, 2:18½.				
2:12 trot, best three in five—				
Delia Derby (C. Whitehead)	2	2	1	1
Alexandria (T. Hayes)	1	1	2	2

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