

CARTER CONDEMNS KLAMATH PROJECT

Private Ownership Is Bar to Government Work, Senator Declares.

FRAUD WRAITHS SEEN

Hearings Disclose Accusations, He Says, That Call in Question Good Faith, if Not Integrity, of Reclamation Chiefs.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash., Jan. 14.—The Klamath irrigation project is given a black eye in a report drafted by Senator Carter, chairman of the Senate Irrigation committee. The report covers the observations of his committee when it inspected the Government projects a year ago last Summer.

The report has not been approved by the full committee, of which Senator Chamberlain is a member, but if it goes out in its present shape it will be extremely difficult for Representative Hawley or any one else to secure sufficient funds to complete this project.

It alleges, in substance, that the Klamath project should never have been undertaken by the Government, as most of the lands in private ownership. Moreover, without specifically so charging, the report intimates there was gross fraud in the purchase of the lands which have since been incorporated in the Government project.

The Reclamation Service is condemned for selling to the committee for \$25,000 a perpetual power privilege on the Link River on the Government canal. The privilege is declared by the committee to be worth \$400,000.

The report also holds it unconstitutional to drain Tule Swamps as contemplated by the Government plans.

The record of hearings held by the committee at Klamath Falls disclose accusations which call in question the good faith, if not the integrity, of those charged with the management of the Reclamation Service, says Carter.

He says his committee did not have to sift these charges, but turned them over to Secretary Ballinger for investigation.

If this portion of Carter's report is not altered it may be impossible to secure further allotments for the completion of the Klamath project.

BRIDE-TO-BE SAVES MAN

Prospective Benedict Loses Nerve When Signing License to Wed.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—"Don't get cold feet, kid," said Mildred Fletcher, of this city, what Alvin Giesy, of Olympia, as he hesitated about signing the marriage register when the pair applied for a license to be wed today.

When the Auditor handed over the pen and pointed out where he was to sign his name, the bridegroom-to-be was trembling so violently that he could not write his name. Then the bride-to-be came to his rescue with the remark: "The other members of the party laughed and the young fellow was on the verge of collapsing when he finally pulled himself together, signed his name, took the bride by the arm, and with a laugh, departed in search of a minister."

GARMENT STRIKE WAR END

Agreement Reached With Firm Which Began Conflict.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The garment workers' strike reached its greatest impetus toward collapse when the beginning of the strike when the joint strike conference reached an agreement tonight with Hart-Schaffner & Marx Company, by which the strike had been most determined.

By the terms all former employees will be taken back within ten days and there will be no discrimination against members of the United Garment Workers of America.

The question of wages was not taken up at the conference, but preparation was made for the adjustment of all points in controversy.

PYTHIANS AT PENDLETON

Seventh Annual District Convention Is in Assembly.

PENDLETON, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—With the grand chancellor of Oregon, the vice-grand chancellor and the grand keeper of records and seal and other distinguished officials in attendance at the seventh annual district convention of the Knights of Pythias was convened in this city this evening.

No regular delegates were chosen for this assembly, but, instead, every knight who could possibly get away from his home is here from the different lodges of the country.

The response to the address of welcome was made by members of Hermiton Lodge, the youngest in the district, which was installed Thursday night.

WIFE DESERTION CHARGED

Former Portland Fireman Is Taken to Montezano.

CANDIDATE FOR DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENCY, WHOSE BOOM TERRIFIES RIVALS.



JUDSON HARMON, GOVERNOR OF OHIO.

HARMONY LACKING

Democrats Look Forward to Lovefeast With Fear.

TOO MUCH HARMON TALK

Friends of Other Candidates Dread Stampede and Force Harmon Men to Curb Enthusiasm, Lest Party Prospects Suffer.

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and of Wilson and Marshall, at a distance, to say nothing of Bryan.

With W. J. Bryan holding off in the fear that he might by attending the celebration be tacitly committed to a movement which he suspects of being controlled by the reactionary element and with Wilson, of New Jersey, and Marshall, of Indiana, adopting a similarly cautious attitude, the Baltimore banquet is in danger of degenerating into an affair representing only one faction of Democracy.

While Wilson is lambasting the New Jersey machine and the New York Democracy is openly split between progressives and standard-bearers, West Virginia's Legislature is deadlocked over organization as a preliminary to the election of two Democratic Senators, Montana is deadlocked as to Senator and the progressive wing threatens to hold up the election of a Senator in Colorado until its demands for "progressive" laws are granted.

The promoters of the celebration of the victory may succeed in creating an outward appearance of harmony at Baltimore for one night, but harmony is decidedly absent among the victorious forces which captured Republican strongholds in November. Nor are they at any pains to hide their dissent.

HYDE FOUND AND SPEAKS

New York's Missing Official Says Delmonico Dinner Is Dream.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Jan. 14.—Charles H. Hyde, chamberlain of New York City and missing for nearly two months, this evening boarded a train here for New York, having decided to return and straighten out matters connecting him with the race-track investigation in progress there, and in which his testimony is sought. Hyde was located here by newspapermen. He said:

"I have not been well for some time and was advised to take a complete rest. It is impossible for me to discuss anything now, as I understand that charges have been preferred against me and I must deal with them officially."

When asked about the Delmonico dinner which he said to have attended and at which \$500,000 is said to have been raised to fight the Hart-Agnew anti-racing bill, Hyde laughed and said:

"Oh, that story was so utterly false and unfounded that I never bothered about it. I did not know the people with whom I was supposed to have dined. I did not subscribe for any such fund for my client or anyone else, and every newspaperman at Albany knew the rest of it was untrue."

PORTUGUESE STRIKE ENDS

Employees of Railroads, Out Three Days, Win Their Point.

LISBON, Jan. 14.—The strike of railroad employes of Portugal which began on January 11, ended today. This probably will result in a peaceful settlement of the commercial disturbance occasioned by the walkout of thousands of men in all departments of labor in sympathy with the railroads.

The railroad men have been granted an increase of 11 cents a day, twenty days' leave of absence annually on full pay and a working day of nine hours.

Riots occurred today at gas works in Belem, a suburb of Lisbon. Firemen replaced the regular workmen and soldiers have been stationed to guard the property.

Stenographers' Fees Probed. Complaint was made by lawyers of the bills rendered by the court reporters,

ers, before the Multnomah Bar Association held last night for services rendered. In one case the reporter's charge for appearance in a case lasting one day and one hour was \$25. It was claimed that the court reporter at the same time served in another case and charged \$10 for that. A committee of three consisting of E. E. Clark, George S. Shepherd and John C. McCue was appointed to prepare a bill for the Legislature regulating the whole question of the fees and duties of court stenographers.

EYES MUST STAND TEST

MURPHY INSISTS, THOUGH LYNCH SAYS NOT NECESSARY.

Opticians' Report on Empires' Sight Not Enough and Murphy Will Ask Directors to Act.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—"Empires of the National Baseball League must undergo an examination of their eyes before they start the season this year."

President Murphy, of the Chicago club team, made the assertion today in face of the report from New York that President Lynch, of the league, declares the indicator-handlers would not be compelled to submit to any examination, as they have sent in certificates from opticians showing their sight to be normal.

Lynch had no right to say that the umpires will not have to submit to an examination," said Murphy. "It was at his own suggestion at the last meeting that it was decided to make it compulsory. It was thought by the managers, but not mentioned until Lynch put it before the members for discussion. All approved of the suggestion. He cannot repudiate it now. If he does, we undoubtedly will bring the subject up at the next meeting in February, when the schedule will be adopted."

PEARY HAS FIGHT AHEAD

Macon Will Oppose Promotion, Denying Pole Discovery.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—Congressman R. R. Macon, of Arkansas, who was here today, says he will carry his opposition to the bill making Peary a Rear-Admiral and increasing his pay to the House floor.

"There is no reason why Congress should place the stamp of legitimacy upon Peary's alleged discovery," said Mr. Macon. "He admitted before the committee under cross-examination that his compass was pointing toward the magnetic pole, which is 100 miles away from the supposed location of the North Pole. He also admitted that he took no longitudinal observations during the last 300 miles of his journey."

MEDFORD GETS MATERIAL

Three Carloads Arrive, to Be Used in Electric Road Building.

MEDFORD, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—A Welch, a Portland railroad contractor, who recently acquired a franchise for the construction of an electric railroad through the Rogue River Valley, today sent three carloads of material here. The wording of the franchise states that work must commence upon the road by January 18. Construction crews have been ordered assembled here and the work started next week. While Welch is nominally at the head of the new project, it is understood that he is representing the Hill interests. The latter are reported to have recently acquired all the other Welch interests in Oregon.

PRISONERS PUT TO WORK

Salem Chief of Police Decides Men Must Earn Their Board.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—For the first time in the history of Salem the prisoners in the City Jail were put to work on the streets today scattering sawdust on the frozen portions.

This is a policy inaugurated by Chief of Police Hamilton in order to receive

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value for the money expended for the prisoners' feed and lodging. When the warm weather begins the Chief intends to put them to work cleaning the alleys and other portions of the city.

EDDY WILL FIGHT PENDS

CHURCH HEADS RESOLVE TO WAGE LEGAL BATTLE.

Closed Conference Is Held at Boston and Court Campaign Is Mapped.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—A conference which lasted several hours was held between the Rev. Mr. McCallum, Stephen A. Chase, A. V. Stewart, John V. Dittmore and Adam H. Dickey, directors of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston. The Rev. Mr. Frank Streeter, William A. Morse and Samuel J. Elder, with reference to the question raised in New Hampshire as to the legality of the bequest in Mary Baker Eddy's will of the principal part of her estate to the Christian Science Church.

At the close of the conference those who participated refused to say what had been done, but it is known that three lawyers and the directors talked the whole situation over thoroughly, and that it was decided to stand solidly by the will and all its provisions in any and all courts to which the matter may be carried.

It is also known that another conference of the attorneys in the case will be held in Concord, N. H., Monday night, when the defensive campaign will be further mapped out.

Mrs. Eddy's will, probated in common form in Concord December 14, comes before the same court on Tuesday to be probated in what is known as solemn form.

Mrs. Eddy's will was drawn nearly 10 years ago by General Streeter, of Concord, and he also drew the two codicils to it.

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TRACKS CLEAR, SEARCH ON

Great Northern Puts Divers to Work to Find Bodies.

KALISPELL, Mont., Jan. 14.—The Great Northern cleared its tracks of snow near the summit today and sent westward one passenger and two fast mail trains at the same time. Trains are running tonight as usual, although some of them are a little late.

The Great Northern is preparing to use divers in seeking the bodies of the lost engineer and fireman of the light engine which jumped the track east of Spokane yesterday, going into a deep hole in the Kootenai River, where engine and crew are under 30 feet of water. The engine was coming from Spokane to the rescue of snowbound trains.

Bank Note Bears 36 Pounds. London Daily News.

About the year 1819 a great outcry was raised against the Bank of England for not adopting a style of note that could not be imitated, at the same time preventing the sacrifice of life which at that period was all to common. The subject at last became so pressing that the government appointed commissioners to investigate the cause of the numerous forgeries, and whether a mode could be devised whereby the forging of bank notes might be prevented. The result was the bank note of today. The color of the paper is peculiar and cannot be imitated exactly by counterfeiters except at great expense. The combined thickness and strength of the paper are also unique. It is made in sheets large enough for two notes. Each note, before it is sized, weighs about 18 grains, and if then doubled, it is strong enough to suspend a weight of 36 pounds.

Former Jockey Killed. EUREKA, Utah, Jan. 14.—W. H. Palmer, photographer and former race horse man, was shot and killed today by H. Gustaidi, saloonkeeper. The shooting took place on the platform of the Rio Grande depot. Gustaidi claims that Palmer was going to Salt Lake to meet Mrs. Gustaidi. The dead man was formerly a jockey and retained a half interest in a string of horses entered in various Western meetings.

County Offices Change Hours. VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The County Treasurer's and County Auditor's offices, which have been closed during the noon hour, will be kept open from 8:30 o'clock until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, except Saturday, when the offices will close at 4:30 o'clock. Increase in business demands the change.

Vancouver Commercial Club Elects. VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The Vancouver Commercial Club held its annual meeting here tonight and elected the following board of governors: A. L. Albertson, L. L. DuBois, George B. Simpson, O. B. Agard, C. B. Turley, J. A. Munday, Guy Bennett, C. D. Hayes and J. G. S. Longsdorf.

Spaniards Go to Havana. SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 14.—The Waterhouse-Weir liner Orter, just

Call for Work of Indians.

New York Press. Lo, the poor Indian, is profiting by a movement started by Mrs. James E. Pinchot, mother of Gifford Pinchot, former United States Forester. She advises American women to use bags, caps and belts made of silk, beads and feathers. The American Indians excel in this work. Mrs. Pinchot has been collecting needle and bead work of the Redskins for the department of lace in the National Museum, and she has studied much about the textile arts of the Indians. She says American women could as easily patronize the home industries as to rush to Europe for bead and feather work not so artistic.

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