

TAFT MEETS ROOSEVELT AT GAINS RECORDED

Chairman Moores Thinks Campaign of Education Only Needed to Fight T. R.

BULL MOOSE HOPES WANE

With Collapse of Roosevelt Boom, Following Disappointment Attending Colonel's Visit Is Growing More Keen.

Reviewing the developments of the week politically throughout the country, including the lack of enthusiasm and general disappointment that attended Roosevelt's visit to Oregon...

Perkins Statement Cited. "If the interests could afford to send out as much as \$500 in a single remittance last Spring to carry the activities of the campaign...

Boom's Collapse Rolls T. R. "It was not the local 'frost' alone that put Teddy in such bad humor last Wednesday. It was the evidence of the boom all along the line...

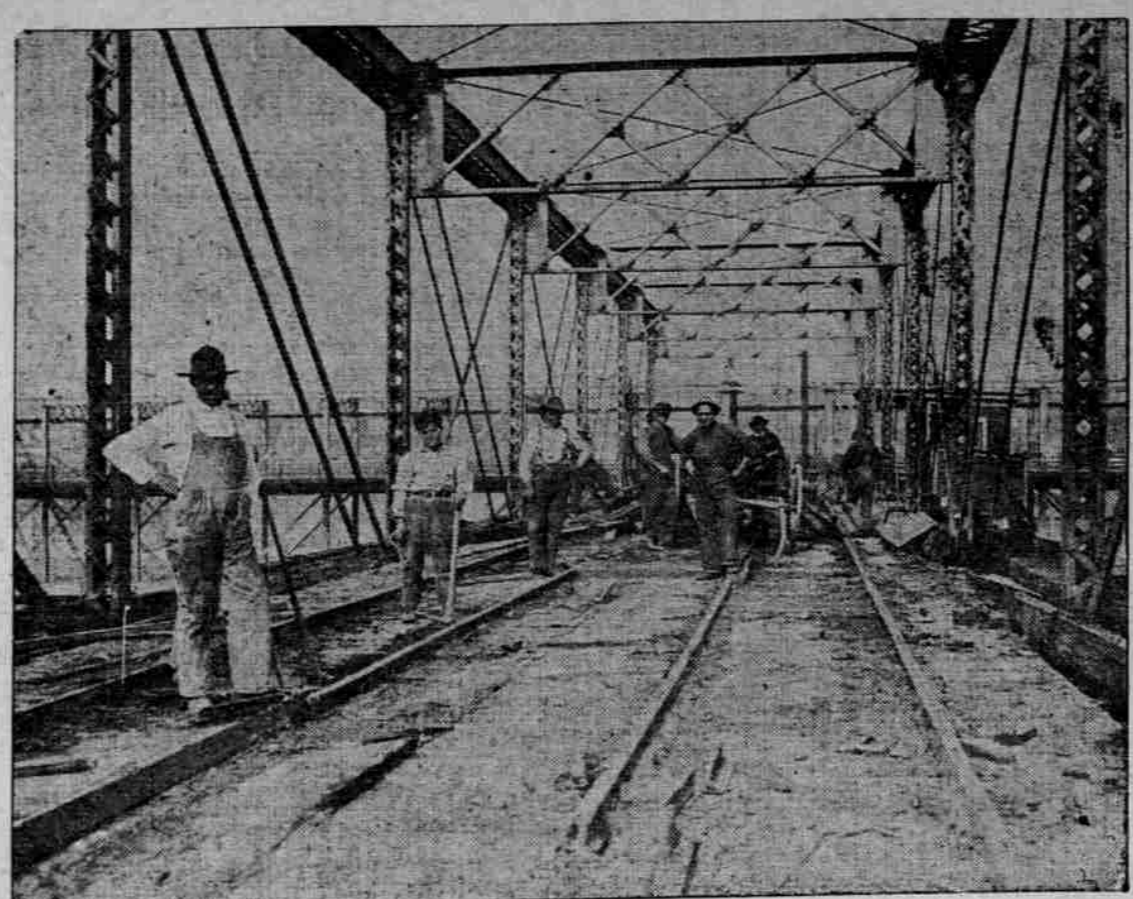
Gloom Among Bull Moose. "Since the fiasco of last Wednesday, the Bull Moose headquarters in the Oregon Hotel have been a veritable cave of gloom...

Vermont Election Work Falls. "In the recent Vermont primaries, Roosevelt himself and Senator Clapp, Beveridge, Judge and other members of his biggest gang appeared and made absolutely frantic appeals for every Bull Mooseer to support the Bull Moose candidate for Governor...

Loss Seen in California. "In California last Spring Roosevelt polled 138,000 votes as against 113,000 cast for Taft and La Follette. In the primaries held last week, according to figures given by both The Oregonian and the Journal, the Taft candidates for Congress polled 53,000 votes, while the Bull Moose candidates polled 58,000. This is a clear loss for Roosevelt of 40,000 votes since the Spring primaries, and gives him less than 10 per cent of the total registered vote, which is more than 1,000,000.

Roosevelt's Campaign in California. "In this state last Spring Roosevelt lacked 14,000 votes of getting a majority in the Republican primaries. In those primaries more than 15,000 more votes were cast than were cast in the general election two years before in the Republican candidates for Congress. It means that large numbers of Democrats invaded our primaries and Democrats who ought to know have openly declared that these men had instructions to support Roosevelt in the Republican primaries and that the method of demoralizing the Republican party. The

HISTORIC VIADUCT OVER WILLAMETTE IS BEING DEMOLISHED.



OLD STEEL BRIDGE, WITH PIERS SUNK FORTY FEET IN BOTTOM OF RIVER, WHICH WILL BE REMOVED. Work of tearing down the old Steel bridge over the Willamette River was begun Friday by a large force of workmen. Within a few weeks it is expected the entire steel upper structure will be ripped apart and moved away and the huge concrete piers torn out.

MAHAFFEY IN RACE

Popular Conductor Would Be Railroad Commissioner.

ASSOCIATION INDORSES HIM

Candidate Is Native of Oregon and Has Had 12 Years' Practical Experience in Office and "On the Road."

Urged by railroad employees with whom he has been associated for the last 12 years, E. P. ("Pat") Mahaffey, candidate for Railroad Commissioner...

DICKENS READING HEARD

DR. RICHARD E. BURTON ENTERTAINS LARGE AUDIENCE.

NEW BRIDGE AIDS TRAFFIC

Average Time of Draw Being Open Is Only 16 Minutes Daily.

A report prepared yesterday by General Manager O'Brien, of the O.-W. R. & N. relative to the operations of the new railroad bridge shows that from August 9 to 20 the upper deck of the bridge was open 26 minutes out of 24 hours each day. This record was broken between September 1 and 9, when the average time of opening per day was 16.3 minutes.

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E. P. ("Pat") Mahaffey, ex-Railroad Conductor, Becomes Candidate for Railroad Commissioner From Second Congressional District.

ex-conductor for the O.-W. R. & N. Company, residing at 440 Goring street, yesterday announced that he would be a candidate for Railroad Commissioner from the Second Congressional District.

OAK GROVE BOY WINS FIRST PRIZE IN EUGENIC CONTEST FOR CLACKAMAS COUNTY.



George H. Clark. In the eugenic contest, held at the Oregon State Fair, George H. Clark, 10-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil L. Clark, of Oak Grove, was declared the best specimen of baby between six months and one year of age in Clackamas County.

APPEALS COURT ON

September Term Will Convene at 10 A. M. Tomorrow.

EIGHT CASES ON CALENDAR

Jurisdiction Is Most Extensive in Country, Embracing Seven States, Two Territories and American Courts in China.

The September term of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the ninth circuit will convene at 10 A. M. tomorrow in the Federal building. Circuit Judges William B. Gilbert, of Portland; Erskine M. Ross, of Los Angeles; and William W. Morrow, of San Francisco, together with Charles E. Wolverton, district judge, of Portland, will constitute the court. Senior Circuit Judge Gilbert presiding.

Eight Cases to Be Heard. The Lane & Lane Timber Company, et al. vs. the United States and the United States vs. C. A. Smith, et al. Oregon (appeal). Jessie M. Anderson, now Jessie M. Wright, and William Night vs. the United States, Oregon (appeal). Thomas Evans vs. Southern Pacific Company, Oregon (error). Stewart Rooney vs. the United States, Oregon (error). California-Atlantic Steamship Company vs. Central Door & Lumber Company, Oregon (appeal). Charles A. Patterson vs. the United States, Oregon (error). Pacific Hardware & Steel Company vs. Alonso L. Montiel, Oregon (error). Otis Elevator Company vs. Christian Lock, Oregon (error).

The jurisdiction of the Circuit Court of Appeals for this circuit is the most extensive in the United States including the states of California, Nevada, Arizona, Washington, Montana, Idaho, Arizona and the territories of Alaska and Hawaii, as well as the United States Court for China, created by the act of June 20, 1906, under which act United States courts are now held in the empire at Shanghai, Canton, Tientsin and Hankow.

Judges Have Large Powers. Under the new judicial code, as recently amended by Congress, the three Circuit Judges, Gilbert, Ross and Morrow, are designated the permanent judges of the Circuit Court of Appeals, and in addition thereto they still retain the power, with which they were originally invested, to sit as Judges with the Circuit Court judges throughout the Ninth Circuit, and are also given the power to hold the new District Court, whenever the business of that court or the public interest requires. Under the new law, the three circuit judges can now devote their time almost exclusively to the judicial labors devolving upon them in the Circuit Court of Appeals as appellate judges, thus serving to expedite the transaction of the constantly increasing business of the court.

Following the present term, the court will convene at San Francisco, October 7, where an extensive calendar awaits its attention.

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One of the regular quarterly banquets given by the members of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity was attended by 32 fratres at the Portland Hotel last night. Several of the collegians from the recently installed chapter at Eugene were present on route to the Lane County campus, where they will resume their studies this week.

H. H. Ward presided as toastmaster, and called upon Frank C. Passi, consul agent at Portland. Dr. Candiani died in Italy about a month ago and was buried there. The services today will be under the auspices of the Italian Colony of Portland.

The first ceremony is to be held at Arion Hall, Second and Oak streets, at 7 P. M., when Frank C. Passi, consul agent at Portland, Dr. Candiani, close friends of Dr. Candiani, will speak. At the conclusion of these services the Italian society will march from the Arion Hall to the Italian Catholic Church at Fourth and Mill streets, where additional services will be conducted. A delegation of the Portland Lodge

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War Hero's Widow Dead. Mrs. Delleah Sutherland Prather, the wife of a Civil War hero, who lost his life at the Battle of Shiloh, died on September 6 and was buried at the Forest Grove Cemetery, September 8. She was 85 years old and left four daughters: Mrs. L. A. Bowen, Mrs. M. E. Wallingford, Mrs. M. E. Storm and Mrs. L. L. Calkins. She was born in Kentucky. She was married to Lorenzo Dow Prather in 1843, and when the husband enlisted in the Army she was left to take care of their eight children. She had been a member of the Women's Relief Corps almost since the inception of that organization.

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