

PRESIDENT ON WAY TO RESUME LABORS

Vacation Over and Work on Message to Congress Is Soon to Be Begun.

ADDRESS MADE TO POLES

Mr. Taft Points Out Necessity of Labor in Developing Nation, and Has Abiding Faith in Future of Those Who Come.

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, Pa., Oct. 26.—President Taft left here tonight for Washington, his vacation over, his last engagement being a message to the Winter's work. The President traveled from Boston more than 500 miles to speak today at the opening of the National Polish Alliance College here.

In all these speeches he avoided politics, dwelt on prosperity and peace and urged his former audiences to press their state legislation to the Administration plan of co-operative banks for farmers.

Work on Message to Be Begun. The President is due in Washington early Sunday and has only two possible engagements in the next two weeks, one at New York October 30, when the battle-ship USS Oregon is to be launched, the other in Newark, N. J., November 2, at the dedication of a monument to George Washington. Beginning Monday he expects to take up the work of writing his annual message to Congress and pick up the threads of department routine.

In his address at the Polish College dedication here the President used the "sturdy peasantry" and "the better educated classes" who had come to the United States from Europe. He said:

"This expression on the part of the Poles of the United States of a desire to perpetuate in this, the land of their adoption, a higher institution of learning, to furnish to their educated youth an opportunity for the study of the language, the literature and the history of Poland, presents an interesting phase of the settlement of this country by immigrants from the European countries.

Immigration Helps American. "If such an institution were to have the effect of separating into an isolated community the Poles who come to this country, then it might be questioned how far those of us whose first interest is that of the country at large should encourage this effort; but fortunately no such narrow limiting motive actuates the movement.

"I am one of those who believe that America is greatly better in her present condition because of the infusion into our body politic and social of the sturdy peasantry and of the better educated classes who have come to us from the nations of Europe.

Labor Needed to Develop Country. "We have a right and ought to have immigration laws that shall prevent our having thrown upon us undesirable members of other countries, like criminals, imbeciles, the insane and the permanently disabled, but we have a vast territory here which needs the development of which we need manual labor of a constant and persistent kind.

"I have an abiding faith in the influence of our institutions upon all who come here. The second generation of a sturdy, but uneducated peasant, brought to this country and raised in an atmosphere of thrift and hard work, and forced by their parents into school to obtain an instrument of self-elevation, has always contributed to the strength of our people."

SUFFRAGISTS BUSY TO END

Medford Women Keep Up Fight to Last Hour Before Ballot.

MEDFORD, Or., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—The Women's Equal Suffrage Association of Medford plans a whirlwind campaign Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday preceding the election. Nightly meetings will be held at the market square. There will be suffrage songs by the "Votes-for-Women" quartet and speeches by Prosecuting Attorney Mulkey, Judge E. E. Kelly, Judge W. E. Crews and Gus Newberry.

A rally will be held at Woodville the afternoon and night of October 26, including a banquet in the town hall. "Amendment No. 1 will be carried in Jackson County by a large majority," said Mrs. F. R. Bady, president of the association, today, confidently believe it will sweep the state. Of course a number of men who say they will support us at the polls will vote against us when they find in the booth, but, discounting the traitors to the cause, there will be more than enough to give women equal rights with men in the state."

JUDGE AND JURORS FEAR

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characterized his conviction, in a talk with newspaper reporters today. From his cell in "murderers' row" in the Tombs, Becker spoke bitterly of the fate, declaring he had been "railroaded" and that he could have taken the witness stand he would have explained away the public impression that he had acquired a fortune through levying graft upon gambling houses. The ex-policeman talked in the presence of his brother, John Becker, a police lieutenant.

"This case was legal butchery," he said. "You can't emphasize that too much. Some of the accounts of my trial, I notice, say that I paid out \$25,000 for my defense. Twenty-five thousand dollars! Why that's \$60,000 in excess of any sum I ever possessed or ever hoped to possess. According to the newspapers, the public believe, I am worth \$100,000. I cannot understand the purpose of this statement. All of this could have been explained if I had been allowed to go on the stand—every cent.

No Consideration Expected. "Neither Mrs. Becker nor myself has had any consideration at all since this case began. What's more, I don't expect any. I would not be disappointed if Sheriff Harburger rushed me off from the courtroom direct to Sing Sing after Justice Goff has sentenced me next Wednesday. That will be the final stage of the railroad of Becker."

The strain of waiting for the outcome of his trial and the uncertainty he still faces pending a decision by a higher court on the appeal his lawyers will make are telling on Becker's

PHYSICAL CONDITION, ACCORDING TO HIS FRIENDS. BECKER WAS VISITED BY HIS WIFE TODAY.

"Mrs. Becker is bearing up as well as one could expect under such circumstances," said the convicted man. "Her condition troubles me much more than my own."

McIntyre Predicts Reversal. John F. McIntyre, Becker's counsel, said he was confident of a new trial for his client.

"There can't be anything else but a reversal," he declared. "Becker is innocent. He was convicted upon the testimony of a lot of unbelievable creatures and was found guilty after a trial in which legal errors beyond number were committed, in my opinion.

"I am going to see the Attorney-General of the state within a few days. I believe that District Attorney Whitman had no right to offer immunity to witnesses who might be—and were, in my belief—principals in the murder. I will ask the Attorney-General for a ruling, and I believe I will prove my contention."

Immunity Agreements Attacked. Mr. McIntyre mentioned "Bridget" Webber and Harry Vallon as the two witnesses he had in mind. He said that immunity agreements which the county prosecutor made with them were not approved by Judge Malqueen, who signed those made with Sam Schepps and "Bald Jack" Rose.

Regarding a report that some of the four "gunmen"—"Gyp the Blood," "Lefty Lewis," "Whitey" Lewis and "Dago Frank"—were prepared to turn state's evidence through terror at Becker's

PRESIDENT ADDED BY RICH BROTHER

Party Statement Shows That Charles P. Taft Is Largest Contributor.

F. L. LELAND GIVES \$50,000

Andrew Carnegie, Third Largest Contributor, Credited With \$35,000—Total Cost of Republican Campaign \$558,311.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Contributions totaling \$591,030.29 and expenditures of \$563,311.25 in the Republican

ONE OF TYPICAL SCENES IN SERBIAN TOWN SINCE BEGINNING OF WAR AGAINST TURKEY



GROUP OF SERBIAN PEASANTS RECEIVING NEWS FROM FRONT.

conviction, District Attorney Whitman, before leaving town for a rest tonight, said the four prisoners had an opportunity before Becker's trial to confess, and that now none of them could hope to escape trial by telling what he knew. Mr. Whitman said there was no doubt that some of the four had made immunity agreements with Webber and Vallon.

FARMERS TURN BANKERS

PALOUSE GROWERS PLAN TO CO-OPERATE IN FUTURE.

Chain of Eight Stores to Be Established in Effort to Oust Modern Middleman.

COLFAX, Wash., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—A movement that promises to revolutionize business conditions in the Palouse country is well under way and farmers hope by next fall to place the mercantile business of the Palouse country largely in the hands of the producers.

The middlemen are to be dispensed with in mercantile work, as well as in the handling of grain and the farmers' products. The plan of inaugurating a co-operative association, composed of members of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union and the Grange, to establish co-operative stores to be owned and managed by the farmers, has been under consideration nearly two years.

P. W. Cox, known as "the sheep king," who is one of the directors of the National organization of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union; G. W. Perrine, secretary of the County Union; B. T. Manchester, a prominent member of both farmers' organizations; P. B. Stravens, president of the Farmers' State Bank; W. R. Anderson, cashier of the Farmers' State Bank, and the stockholders and directors of that institution, with other men prominent in the farmers' organizations, are at the head of the movement.

The plan is to organize a company with \$500,000 to establish stores in Colfax, Pullman, Palouse, Garfield, Oakesdale, St. John and Rosalia. The Farmers' State Bank, one of the strongest institutions in the country, is to underwrite the stock and finance the proposition.

WILSON SEES TEAM WIN

CANDIDATE, HOWEVER, SAVES VOICE FOR SPEECH.

Wall Street Not Making His Plans, Is Reply to Rumor Extra Session Will Not Be Held.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 26.—Governor Wilson saw Princeton defeat Dartmouth at football today and joined in the general enthusiasm of Princeton graduates. The governor took day off and went to the university field, where thousands of men and women rose and cheered as he took a seat in the Princeton section.

The governor said he enjoyed the game. As an old football coach himself, he remarked that the teams were evenly matched, despite the result, and that he had no prediction about the approaching Princeton-Yale game. "I couldn't do much rooting," he said, "on account of my voice. I'm saving that for the speeches next week."

Henrietta Anderson Dies. Henrietta Frances Anderson died last night at her residence, 494 East Fourteenth street. The funeral will be arranged later. The body is at J. P. Finley & Son's chapel.

financial fund were disclosed in the presidential statement of the Republican National committee filed today with the Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Charles P. Taft, brother of the President, and reported wealthy, appeared as the largest contributor. The report shows that he gave \$50,000 in two \$25,000 contributions to the New York headquarters, and \$6000 to the Chicago headquarters, making a total of \$56,000.

Francis L. Leland, of New York, was second with one \$20,000 contribution and another of \$30,000, both to the New York headquarters. The third largest contributor was Andrew Carnegie, with one \$25,000 contribution and an additional one of \$10,000.

Morgan & Co. Dova for \$25,000. J. P. Morgan & Co. are credited with contributing \$25,000; George F. Baker, of New York, \$10,000; William Nelson Cromwell, \$10,000; and Harry M. Moore, of Chicago, \$10,000.

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Nash Company of New York, \$3750 for theatrical advertising, and three advertising agencies \$40,000 each.

The report shows that \$15,000 was paid on a loan from the Mechanics & Metals National Bank of New York for transportation the Southern Pacific Company was paid \$5020 and the New York Central \$2100. One photographer in New York received \$7600 for professional work.

The report shows that \$1500 was sent to Kansas to defray the expenses of the litigation over the electors. Another \$1500 was paid to the Prosperity League of Cincinnati. The Republican state committee of Florida received \$500 and the Massachusetts committee \$1000.

To the Republican state committee of New York, \$10,000 was given; to H. B. French, of the Taft and Spearman Club in Philadelphia, \$2000.

There were many printing bills, among them \$7000 to the Globe Printing Company of St. Louis. The New York Times Company received \$5000 for rent.

The great bulk of the report was made up of hundreds of items of less than \$500 for traveling expenses, printing, literary work and the like.

GOVERNOR TAKES A HAND

Mayor of Klamath Falls Asked for Attitude in Peace Preservation

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Governor Oswald West tel-

graphed to Mayor Nicholas, of this city: "Salem, Or., Oct. 25.—This office is advised through the columns of the press and otherwise that a citizen of your city was assaulted by one of your police officers and that other officials charged with the enforcement of the law stood by and permitted the assault; that the assaulting officer has since pleaded guilty and that the City Council is demanding suspension of the guilty officials. In view of the charges we wish to be fully advised as to what steps you, as Mayor, will take toward bringing about a better enforcement of the law in your city. Otherwise it will be the duty of this office to take such steps, in order that your citizens may be given protection."

To this the Mayor replied by telegram and letter today, but he declined to give out the text of these before the attack was made on the Mayor. In an interview the Mayor said that the city is as law-abiding and well policed as any in the state and that the charges of misrepresentation and fake stories circulated by the North-western newspaper began before his election and is continued solely for the purpose of driving him from office.

It is not believed that Governor West will take any action until he receives Mayor Nicholas' letter.

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Advertisement for Salem Woolen Mills Clothing Co. with text: 'Salem Woolen Mills Clothing Co. Fourth and Alder Streets. Grant Phegley, Manager'.

MINISTER MUST DIE. Rev. Thurston V. Vaughn Admits Attacking Girls.

JUDGE AND JURY WEEP. South Carolina Clergyman Pleads for Life on Account of Family, but is Sentenced to Death on December 20.

Have You Heard the Harp? "If You have, you've heard Carusi" Dining here, Madam Carusi will delight your ears with the unrivalled melody of the harp while our chef tickles your palate with some rare dish.

ALLIES ARE CLOSING IN. (Continued From First Page.) strength in able bodied men already in action. Defense of Capital Big Issue. Even if this, which is the first stage of the war, is entirely successful for the small states, the second stage will be more interesting. The great question then will be whether Turkey can defend Constantinople. It is generally believed she can, unless unexpected conditions develop in the army or revolution and bankrupt strike from behind. Politically, there is one outstanding fact; that is, if the armies of the Balkan kings are able to hold even what they have gained thus far—and the entire European press seems to take it for granted that they can—there is a great feeling in Europe. Instead of four feeble kingdoms to which the great powers have given orders from time to time, there is a coherent power. A fortnight ago the great powers served notice in the form of a joint note on the belligerents that whatever the result of the fighting, there could be no change in the boundary. The Balkan states are saying today: "What we have held" the British press at least, is accepting that as a fact. The Balkan states, united and flushed with victory and under arms, will be a bright new world which the great powers will hesitate to take hold of. The chief interest in the war, purely from a technical standpoint, is that it is largely a test of the German army against the French. The Turkish army has been trained by General Von der Goitz and his assistants, and is equipped with German weapons. The Greek, Bulgarian and Serbian armies had French instructors. All reports from the armies of the allies described the Turkish prisoners as ill-fed and poorly clothed; but soldiers know that prisoners are always dejected and hungry and do not attach much importance to that. Both sides have been proceeding all today at the south of Kirk-Kiliseh. The Bulgarians have been attempting a turning movement in the neighborhood of Viza to the southeast of Kirk-Kiliseh.

ALLEGEDLY. Vaughn was formerly assistant superintendent of the First Baptist Church Sunday school, one of the largest in this city. He was a ministerial student and frequently occupied pulpits of churches in and around Greenville. He owns considerable property. Electricity has been adopted as the cleanest and safest for four mills and grain elevators.

Advertisement for Madam Carusi: 'Madam Carusi Plays in the Grill Week-days 3:30 to 5:30; 6:30 to 8:30. Remember the week-day 50-cent Noon Lunch, served in the main dining-room, 12 to 2. The Portland Hotel G. J. KAUFMANN, Manager. N. K. CLARKE, Ass't Manager'.

Advertisement for Laue-Davis Drug Co. featuring a woman in a corset and text: 'Laue-Davis Drug Co. THIRD AND YAMHILL. CARRY THE BEST QUALITY OF Elastic Hosiery. ANKLETS, KNEE CAPS AND ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS. Send for Measuring Blank and Prices'.

Advertisement for The American Government: 'The American Government By FREDERIC J. HASKIN. The Book That Shows Uncle Sam at Work. OCTOBER 27'.

Advertisement for OXTEAM JELLY DESSERT: 'Attention—Suburban Home Builder. Complete Gas Plant. Low Cost Light for You. Including Chandeliers and Stove, \$50 and up. Come and see them demonstrated. Store open Saturday 10 P. M. H. W. MANNING Lighting & Supply 625 6th St., Portland, Or. OXTEAM JELLY DESSERT YOUR GROCER (USES IT AT HOME)'.

Advertisement for The American Government: 'HOW TO GET THIS BOOK. Desiring to render a great educational service to its readers, The Oregonian has arranged with Mr. Haskin to handle, WITHOUT PROFIT TO ITSELF, the exclusive output of his valuable book for Portland. Cut the above coupon from six consecutive issues of The Oregonian and present them with 50 cents to cover the bare cost of manufacture, freight and handling, and a copy will be presented to you without additional cost. Bear in mind that this book has been most carefully written; that every chapter is it is vouchsafed for by an authority; that it is illustrated from photographs taken especially for it; that it is written in large, clear type on fine book paper and bound in heavy cloth in an attractive, durable manner. A \$2 VALUE FOR 60 CENTS. Save six consecutive coupons and present them at The Oregonian office, Sixth and Alder streets. Each Book by Mail 15c Extra for Postage and Wrapping'.