

STOLEN PLATFORM SURELY ADOPTED

Convention Deceived, Says McCarthy.

4 QUESTIONS ASKED DAVIS

Who Told Him to Correct Mistake? Is Interrogation.

RECORDS ARE DEMANDED

No Question Exists That Moose Convention Voted to Adopt Sentiments—Issue Is Who Had Right to Say Nay.

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 30.—The plank favoring the trusts which somebody sneaked into the Progressive platform was lifted word for word and letter for letter from the confession of faith made by Theodore Roosevelt to the people and delivered on August 8 in Chicago.

Another development was the reply to Oscar King Davis by Dr. Charles McCarthy.

"Somebody is going to be shown up a colossal liar before we are through with this thing," said Dr. McCarthy.

"Who told Davis that a mistake had been made in the adoption of the Sherman plank and that it should be removed?" Davis was not in the committee meeting.

"Who told Davis to correct the mistake?" "How did he discover the mistake?" "Has he any testimony to offset the testimony of men who were in the committee and heard the resolution read?"

"Discovery New to Colonel." "Davis' testimony in which he said that a mistake had been made is directly contrary to a letter which Colonel Roosevelt wrote me, and in which he said that he had just discovered that the plank had been cut out," said McCarthy.

"It is contrary to the testimony of Henry Merrian and a long list of others. Now, Mr. Davis must show the records or minutes which justified him in going ahead and cutting out this plank and substituting the other."

"Davis admits that William Draper Lewis read the trust plank, including the Sherman act amendments, before the convention, and that the convention adopted it. Lewis worked on this plank for at least four days. He was chairman of the committee on resolutions. He was one of the men whom Colonel Roosevelt selected to rewrite this plank for him."

"Lewis acknowledges change." "He acknowledged to the committee by his presence, the changes which had been made. He put the question of the adoption of the changes to the committee."

NEW CONSUMPTION CURE REPORTED

GERMAN SAID TO HAVE WON WHERE KOCH FAILED.

Patients Treated in Berlin With Serum Declared to Have Been Restored to Health.

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—A press correspondent this week investigated the newly announced discovery of an actual cure for tuberculosis and if the history of cases and tests of persons who say they were cured may be trusted, it seems, at least to a layman who has had much experience in the great consumption camps of Arizona and California, that Dr. Friedrich-Franz Friedman, the Berlin physician, after a decade of experimenting, has finally solved the problem, where Dr. Koch failed. He has given the world his cure. It is believed the discovery will mark one of the greatest epochs in the history of medicine.

The correspondent visited and interrogated numerous patients who had been treated for tuberculosis, including pulmonary throat trouble and glandular and knee bone tuberculosis. These patients all asserted that they had been cured after from one to three injections of serum. Several of the cases of bone tuberculosis were of long standing and showed scars. In two of the cases amputation had failed to cure.

Numerous physicians and tuberculosis specialists are on the way to Berlin from Australia, the United States, South America and other countries to study and investigate the new discovery. Australia is sending a government commission. English physicians are already here.

Dr. Friedman is deluged with letters and pathetic pleas for treatment and by telegraphic and cable requests from physicians for the serum. He will not, however, distribute the serum for the present, but will probably treat cases here. To the present he has treated 1200 cases.

STORM OF PROTEST HEARD

Spokane County Officials Dislike "Muscle Dance" as Staged.

SPOKANE, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—A storm of protest added around city and county officials of Spokane today over the performance permitted last night at the "Spokane Diggings," a miniature mining camp in a large rink, staged primarily for the entertainment of the American Mining Congress, which closed its sessions here yesterday.

Citizens declared that the open operation of gambling games and the dances of two women brought here from San Francisco for the occasion not only transgressed the city and state laws, but exceeded the wildest license of the "boom camps."

The dances in question performed before 5000 men consisted of a "muscle dance" and a dance of "the seven veils," in which the veils disappeared with lightning-like rapidity until only a smile and a string of beads remained. The latter performance later was repeated on the bar of the dancehall with only the smile remaining.

The protesters asserted today that the bringing of the dancers for the entertainment committee might come under the provisions of the Mann white slave act.

MILLIONAIRE, 80, DIVORCED

Mrs. Annie Laura Thompson Gets \$125,000 Alimony and Freedom.

DENVER, Nov. 30.—A divorce was granted to Mrs. Annie Laura Thompson today from her aged and wealthy husband, Alonzo Thompson, by District Judge Allen, on charges of desertion and non-support. The decree carried with it an allowance of \$125,000 permanent alimony and \$10,000 attorneys' fees.

Today's decree was the culmination of half a dozen suits and cross suits filed in the last six months. Thompson, who is an octogenarian, declares he has accumulated a fortune estimated at more than \$1,000,000 in the last 20 years by following the advice given by his father's spirit. Last July he left Denver, saying he had learned through his father's spirit that his wife's son sought to have him placed in an insane asylum because of his spiritualistic beliefs.

ARMISTICE WILL BE SIGNED TODAY

Powers Now Count On Permanent Peace.

CHIEF FOES AT DEADLOCK

Bulgaria at End of Resources, Turks Are Hemmed In.

ALBANIANS NEW FACTOR

Raising of Flag by People Heretofore Opposed to Paying Taxes to Anyone Complicates Delicate Situation.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The second month of the shortest great European war in history closes under brighter auspices than the statesmen who have been handling the tangled skein of conflicting national interests dared predict.

An armistice will be signed Sunday afternoon in the Sultan's palace car by the delegates of the belligerent states who have been conferring there in apparent conciliatory attitude and apparently consuming luxurious lunches prepared by Constantinople's foremost French chefs.

Permanent Peace Is Hope.

The hope that permanent peace will result from the terms that will avoid a clash against Austria is strong in all the capitals and assuming the strength of conviction. From Constantinople, Sofia and Belgrade the press agencies, which speak with the voices of their governments, predict a settlement and portray a general desire to end the war.

The terms of the armistice have not been announced. Chief interest centers in Adrianople, where the Turkish garrison, with diminishing ammunition and short rations, still makes historic resistance against the Servians and Bulgarians with their cordons of artillery steadily crowding closer around the citadel.

Powers' Commission Favored.

The project for establishing a diplomatic clearing-house composed of the ambassadors of the powers in some capital to exchange views on the Balkan question in the period of upheaval gains strength. The Pall Mall Gazette declares the Government predicts a settlement and the proposed road would be entirely in Marion County and that for \$1 contributed by this court \$5 would come from other sources. He had planned, declares the Governor, his states that in that section and rush the road work through.

MRS. ASTOR FELICITATES

Congratulations Sent to Widow of Titanic Victim on Son's Birth.

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Last Survivor of Marshal Party Passes in Nevada at 82.

RENO, Nev., Nov. 30.—James Burke, partner of James Marshall, who first discovered gold in California, and said to be the last of the party that was with Marshall, died today at his home near Reno.

ACTRESS SUED BY SINGER FOR \$50,000

MISS GLASER SAID TO HAVE WON MARRIED MAN.

Mrs. Bertha Richards, Wife of Actor, Alleges Spouse Was Supported by Vaudeville Star.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 30.—Lulu Glaser Herz, the actress, was arrested on a capias warrant today in a \$50,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Bertha Richards, wife of Thomas Richards, for alienation of the plaintiff's husband's affections. Richards is appearing with Miss Glaser in a vaudeville act here this week.

Miss Glaser's bail was fixed at \$2000 and she was taken to the Sheriff's office until bond was arranged. The plaintiff until recently was a soprano in the choir of the Pittsburgh First Presbyterian Church, taught music and had a studio in Fifth avenue. Recently she went to Denver to visit friends and is there at present.

In the Sheriff's office Miss Glaser was asked: "What have you to say about the suit?" "Really I am in the dark about it," she replied, "I don't know what it is all about and probably do not know as much about it as you do."

"Mrs. Richards wants \$50,000," it was suggested. "Well, she will have a hard time getting it."

The wife charges that Richards and Miss Glaser left the show in Chicago late in 1910, went to the home of the defendants' mother in Mount Vernon, N. Y., and remained until the Fall of 1911. She avers that Richards was supported by Miss Glaser during that period. They are now on the road with a vaudeville sketch.

MARION FOILS ROAD WORK

State and Federal Aid Lost When County Refuses to Give Funds.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Failure on the part of the Marion County Board to respond to a request for a contribution for the construction of a wagon road in this county between Niagara and Detroit is given by Governor West as the reason for this county losing many thousands of dollars of state and Federal aid and the state losing considerable Federal aid in road building.

The road would have been practically an entrance to the new state forest reserve. Between Detroit and Niagara there is now little better than a trail. People in that vicinity raised \$1500 for a road and the Governor obtained a promise from the Government to help \$2500 to become available at once and more later.

The State Board of Forestry agreed to make a contribution and so did the Linn County Board. It was a condition of the state and county help but the Marion County Board refused, and now the money will go into some other channel. The state will establish convict camps in that section and rush the road work through.

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NOVEMBER TRADE SHOWS NO LET UP

Business of Portland Gains in All Lines.

WHEAT MOVEMENT IS MARKED

Eleventh Month Indicates 1912 to Be Banner Year.

MUCH BUILDING IN SIGHT

Livestock and Grain Markets Take On New Activity, Banks Reflect Prosperity and No Ill Effects of Election Recorded.

With marked gains in virtually every important branch of business in November, Portland begins the last month of the year with the solid assurance that 1912 will prove the banner year in its history. From month to month there have been noteworthy increases in bank clearings, postal receipts and flour, grain and lumber shipments. Commercially and industrially, the city has maintained a steady advancement, and yet at no time has there been the least hint that the city has overgrown. Fortified with its tremendous resources, the city was enabled to withstand the disturbing influences of the National and state election and emerge from the campaign in an unprecedented degree of prosperity.

Continued operations of the railroads in constructing new connecting lines and extensions, establishment of industrial enterprises of various kinds, the prospective investment of immense sums of Eastern and foreign capital in land projects and timber lands, and a general constructive forward movement in the state are factors that contribute to the increasing prosperity of Portland.

Banks Reflect Prosperity. In bank clearings a new mark was reached for November, the total clearances for the month amounting to \$53,668,619.34, as compared with \$49,457,551.80 for the corresponding month last year, and \$45,076,561.83 for November, 1910. This is a gain of \$3,170,967 over November last year, and \$8,582,067 over the corresponding month two years ago. For the past three months Portland bank clearings have exceeded the \$50,000,000 mark. A corresponding increase in bank deposits has been made, with the result that the financial institutions of Portland are in a stronger condition than ever before.

Another Portland institution that has been making steady gains throughout the year is the local Postoffice. Receipts from the sale of stamps in November reached the big total of \$86,505.09, according to an estimate submitted by Acting Postmaster Williamson last night. The month's record amounts to \$5094.12 in excess of the total receipts for November last year, the gain being 6.26 per cent.

Portland's export business for November also set a new record, the total value of shipments exceeding that of November, 1911, by nearly \$500,000. One of the gratifying features of the month's activity was the great increase in lumber exports, there having been dispatched from Portland 12,937,827 feet as compared with 6,289,990 feet during November, 1911. Coastwise lumber shipping exceeded all former November records by reaching the big total of 15,225,000 feet. This is a gain of more than 3,000,000 feet over November shipments last year.

Wheat Movement Grows.

Wheat shipped during November surpassed the business for the same period last year.

POLAR AIR ROUTE DECLARED SAFEST

PEARY'S COMPANION GIVES HINT TO AVIATORS.

Ideal Trip Declared to Be From Cape Morris K. Jesup to Siberia, Thousand Miles.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—"The safest and easiest way to reach the North Pole and an entirely feasible way is by aeroplane," said Captain Robert A. Bartlett, of the Peary North Pole party, to the members of the Aero Club of New England, at its annual dinner tonight. Captain Bartlett said an aeroplane could be taken by land to Cape Morris K. Jesup, which is only 181 miles from the pole. With the latest machines this would mean only a four hours' flight to the pole, he said. "The ice would furnish suitable landing places all along the route, but all necessary supplies would have to be carried for the trip to and from the pole."

"The ideal trip," said the speaker, "would be to go from Cape Jesup directly over the pole and land at Cape Sheluskin, in Siberia, the latter point, however, being 725 miles beyond the pole. In the summer months of August and July the conditions are perfect for flying and I can see no serious difficulties which might not be guarded against."

YOUNG MEN ABSORB CLUB

Christian Association to Replace Alco Society at Albany.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—As the result of action taken at the annual meeting of the Alco Club last evening, a Young Men's Christian Association will be formed in Albany at once, and the Alco Club property will be turned over to the new association. The new organization will thus be established in this city with a fully equipped club rooms and gymnasium.

Last night's action is the result of plans which have been under development here for several weeks. The Alco Club, a social and athletic organization organized about ten years ago, has lost many members during the past two or three years because of the formation of other clubs and organizations in this city.

At a banquet given by A. C. Schmitt at the St. Francis Hotel two weeks ago several local men agreed to form the association, provided the Alco Club property could be secured and submitted a proposition which was taken up by the club at its annual meeting last evening and acceptance made last evening. The arrangement made last evening the Young Men's Christian Association must be organized and ready to close the deal for the property on January 2, 1913. Plans for the organization of the new association will go forward at once.

The annual election of officers of the Alco Club occurred last evening, and as the present officers are familiar with the club's conditions, they were re-elected and instructed to close up the business for turning over the property. The officers are G. A. Flood, president; F. P. Nutting, vice-president; Neil M. Balm, secretary; H. B. Cusick, treasurer; C. H. Cusick, F. C. Stellmacher, Frank G. Will and W. L. Marks were re-elected directors, and D. O. Woodworth was elected on the board of directors to succeed H. A. Stoltenberg, who has left the city.

O'NEILL JURY DISCHARGED

Unable to Reach Verdict, Banker's Tricars Are Dismissed.

COEUR D'ALENE, Idaho, Nov. 30.—After being out since yesterday afternoon, the jury in the case of B. F. O'Neill, ex-banker of Wallace, charged with making a false report of the condition of the State Bank of Commerce of Wallace, informed the court today it was unable to reach a verdict.

The jury was discharged by Judge Flynn. There are five other indictments in connection with the management of the bank still pending against O'Neill. O'Neill will be retried on the charge of making a false statement of the condition of the Wallace State Bank of Commerce, April 28, 1903, at the first session of the District Court after January 1, 1913.

Attorneys for the state asked today that O'Neill's retrial begin next Monday, but Judge Flynn, of the District Court, set the trial for the January term.

FIRST WOMEN JURY HAS WOMAN'S CASE

Underworld Character to Go On Trial.

MANY BALK AT COURT DUTY

Others Eager to Take Responsibilities of Ballot Right.

HUSBAND'S CONSENT VITAL

Some Ask "Who Else Will Serve" as Panel Unlike Any Ever Drawn in Oregon Is Summoned Over Phone by Judge's Order.

WOMEN WHO ARE FIRST TO BE SUMMONED FOR JURY DUTY IN OREGON.

Mrs. W. T. Pangle, Oregon Hotel. Mrs. O. K. Jeffery, 694 Overton street. Mrs. L. W. Therkelsen, 325 Eleventh street. Miss Leone Cass Bar, Bowers Hotel. Mrs. A. C. Newell, 774 Hoyt street. Mrs. Henry Waldo Coe, 841 Lovejoy street. Mrs. Paul C. Bates, 405 Hassall street. Mrs. O. C. Bortmeyer, 704 East Ankeny street. Mrs. H. L. Chapin, 623 Wasco street. Mrs. A. E. Clark, 819 Johnson street.

To the first jury of women ever summoned in Oregon, Marcella Bortell, notorious woman of the North End, will make her appeal Wednesday afternoon in Municipal Court, when she appears to answer to a charge of keeping a disorderly house.

Starting half in banter, the revolutionary proposal, when made to the court yesterday morning, met with hearty response, and in a moment all the legal impediments to the action were brushed aside by stipulation of the parties. Immediately the court instructed for the calling of a special venire of women and the list given above represents those who will be summoned for service.

To arrive at this end some queer things had to be done to the laws of the land, but Attorney Farrell for the defense and Deputy City Attorney Cahalan for the prosecution agreed to offer no objection, the court holding that they had the right to waive the legal guarantees in their favor.

Patrolman Suggests Women.

From over a saloon at Fourth and Burnside street, managed by Al Wollers, the woman defendant was arrested Friday night. Attorney Farrell appeared for her yesterday morning and demanded a jury.

"We want a full jury of six men," said Sergeant Klennen. "Why not six women?" asked Patrolman Niles. "You're on," said Attorney Farrell. "It's much faster having women than men."

Then it was objected that while the constitution has been amended to allow women to vote, nothing has been done to change the statute requiring that only male citizens shall be jurors.

"Who is to object, if we don't?" asked Farrell.

The dilemma was then suggested that women cannot be forced to attend, but this was brushed aside with the remark that plenty of women could be

CARTOONIST REYNOLDS FINDS A HUMOROUS PHASE TO SOME OF THE PAST WEEK'S EVENTS.

