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PLANS OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT FOR LONG TRIP GIVEN OUT

Will Leave About March 15 For Year's Hunting Trip In Africa.

WILL THEN TRAVEL THROUGH EUROPE

Will Deliver Lectures at Noted English and German Universities.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 23.—The following story of President Roosevelt's plans for the next few years was given to the Associated Press by Mr. Roosevelt.

Theodore Roosevelt, fifty years of age, having, on March 4, with his retirement as twenty-sixth President of the United States, completed over twenty-five years of public service, has decided to take rest and recreation in a two-years' trip abroad, half of which will be spent in Africa under the British flag as a faunal naturalist and the other half in Europe visiting at least three of the big capitals. At the head of a scientific expedition outfitted by the Smithsonian Institution of Washington he will, with his son, Kermit, and three American naturalists of note—Major Edgar A. Mearns, J. Loring Alden and Edmund Heller—make a collection of mammals, birds, reptiles, insects and botanical specimens of Central Africa, which will be deposited in the United States National Museum at Washington.

The party leave New York City about the middle of March, going by the Mediterranean route to Gibraltar and Naples. At Naples the members of the expedition will board a steamer of the German East African Line for Kilindini harbor, Mombasa Island. They will arrive at the East African port toward the end of April, proceed by the Uganda Railway to Nairobi, spend six months there, then continue by rail to Port Florence, Lake Victoria Nyanza, making a total distance of 584 miles by rail. The expedition will cross Uganda by caravan, and finally pass down the whole length of the Nile, reaching Khartoum about April, 1910. Much of the hunting and specimen collecting will be done in British East Africa, where the Uganda Railway will be used as a means of ready transportation from Nairobi, which will be the base of supplies.

At Khartoum, it is expected, the President and his son will be joined by Mrs. Roosevelt, who will accompany them on their trip to Europe. The naturalists of the party will proceed direct to the United States from Egypt. Mr. Roosevelt probably will remain in Continental Europe and Great Britain about one year, having accepted invitations to deliver the Romanes Lecture at Oxford University, an address at the Sorbonne in Paris and a lecture before the students of the University of Berlin.

Long has it been the desire of Mr. Roosevelt to make a hunting tour into the heart of Africa. He has made numerous trips in search of big game in every part of the United States where such animals make their abode. For years he has been an ardent hunter and a writer of hunting stories. Some of his books on the subject are "Hunting Trips of a Ranchman," written from his experiences while on a North Dakota ranch, when he spent two years raising cattle; "Ranch Life and Hunting Trail," "The Wilderness Hunter," "The Deer Family," "Outdoor Pastimes of an American Hunter." In the latter volume he refers to the sport in these words: "From the days of Nimrod to our own there have been mighty hunters before the Lord, and most warlike and masterful races have taken kindly to the chase, as chief among those rough pastimes which appeal naturally to men with plenty of red blood in their veins."

One might think Mr. Roosevelt desires to emulate the earlier among

DRY FARMING IS DISCUSSED

Six Hundred Delegates Attend Trans-Missouri Congress at Cheyenne.

(By Associated Press.) CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 23.—With more than six hundred delegates present and hundreds more to arrive on belated or snowbound trains, the third Trans-Missouri congress opened its sessions here today. They will continue three days and it is confidently expected that during that time work of the utmost importance and benefit to the semi-arid regions of the country will be accomplished. A blanket of snow a foot deep in Cheyenne greeted the delegates. Today's programme included an address of welcome by governor Brooks, president of the congress and the reading of papers by the delegates.

ALL QUIET IN OMAHA.

No More Outbreaks In Anti-Greek Uprising. (By Associated Press.) OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 23.—All was quiet last night and today in the Greek situation. A portion of the local militia was held in readiness for a sudden call during the night but the precaution was unnecessary.

MORRIS QUILTS OREGON JOB

Assistant Superintendent of Southern Pacific Lines Said to Have Resigned.

(By Associated Press.) ASHLAND, Ore., Feb. 23.—It is rumored in local railroad circles that G. C. Morris has resigned as assistant superintendent of the Southern Pacific Lines in Oregon and that he will be succeeded by Chas. W. Martin for the past four years chief train dispatcher at Roseburg. Martin is now in Portland.

the great conquering kings of Egypt and Assyria whom, he says, hunted the elephant and the wild bull, as well as the lions with which the country swarmed; and Tiglath-Pileser the First, who as overlord of Phoenicia embarked on the Mediterranean and there killed a "sea-monster" presumably a whale—a feat which, Mr. Roosevelt declares, "has been paralleled by no sport-loving sovereign of modern times, save by that stout hunter, the German Kaiser; although, I believe, the present English King, like several members of his family, has slain both elephants and tigers before he came to the throne."

Speaking of the great hunting grounds of the world, Mr. Roosevelt says that there remain only three in the present century. South Africa is the true hunter's paradise, in his opinion. Having been in public life almost continually since he was graduated from Harvard University in 1880—serving the people in the capacity of Assemblyman in New York State, Civil Service Commissioner of the United States, President of the Police Board in New York City, Assistant Secretary of the Navy of the United States, Colonel of the First United States Volunteer Cavalry in the Spanish War, Governor of the State of New York, Vice-president of the United States, and finally as President of the nation, the highest gift

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN WASHINGTON

LEGISLATURE AT OLYMPIA PASSES BILL PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION OF QUESTION AT NEXT GENERAL ELECTION.

(By Associated Press.) OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 23.—The legislature has passed the woman suffrage bill, the Senate adopting the measure today without debate. The bill provides for the submission of the constitutional amendment at the next general election. In the House today, bills were introduced providing for a bank deposit guarantee act; a "no seat, no fare" street car bill; bill repealing the present law prohibiting the sale of cigarettes. A bill was introduced in the Senate today repealing Sunday closing except boisterous places.

MISS BRAINARD IS MRS. DEMPSY

Well-Known Marshfield Girl Was Quietly Married In Portland, Feb. 14.

Mrs. Hirschel Riggs of North Bend, announced today that her sister, Miss Edna Brainard, and P. F. Dempsey had been quietly married in Portland February 14. The news came as a surprise to the young lady's many friends here as a rumor a couple of months ago of her approaching marriage was strenuously denied by her. She was then in Idaho visiting. However, her numerous friends will forgive her for keeping it secret and will hasten to extend congratulations.

Miss Brainard or rather Mrs. Dempsey resided in Marshfield for years and graduated in the class of 1905. For some time prior to her trip to Idaho, she was bookkeeper at the Pioneer Hardware Store. The groom is a nephew of Mrs. L. M. Noble of Marshfield. The young couple will reside in Marshfield.

KEPT MARRIAGE SECRET.

North Bend Couple Keeps News From Friends Several Days.

It became known in North Bend today that Fred Sassman, a well-known North Bend barber, and Miss Mabel Waybright were quietly married at the home of E. E. Riggs on the evening of February 17. Justice Shuster officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Emil Nelson of Haynes Inlet. The young couple will reside in North Bend.

TEN MILE MAN IS STRICKEN

Luther O. Lighthall Succumbs to Heart Disease at Mercy Hospital.

Luther O. Lighthall, a laborer 74 years of age, and a resident of Ten Mile for the past 16 years, was brought to Marshfield yesterday afternoon in a dying condition. He was taken to Mercy hospital at North Bend where he died at a late hour last night. Heart failure and general debility, due to his advanced age were the cause of death. The aged man had been practically blind since childhood. J. B. Hibbard, connected with the Pettijohn-Nicols Company of this city, is a nephew of the deceased and a daughter, Mrs. Hattie Goodin, resides in Cairo, Mich. The body will be held until the daughter is heard from.

YOUNG GETS PLUM.

Senator Bourne's Secretary Is Portland's Postmaster. (By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 23.—The nomination of John C. Young as postmaster at Portland, Ore., held up since December 8, today was favorably reported by the Senate Committee on postoffices. Young is Senator Bourne's secretary.

TODAY: FRESH Ling, Cod-Sea Trout, Flounders and Crabs—EMPIRE FISH MARKET.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY ON TRIAL ON REBATE CHARGES

NO SERVICES HERE TOMORROW

Usual Observance of Ash Wednesday In Catholic Churches Called Off.

The usual observance of Ash Wednesday in the Catholic churches on Coos Bay will have to be dispensed with tomorrow owing to the unexpected absence of the Rev. Father Curley and also of the Rev. Father E. Donnelly. The distribution of the Blessed Ashes on Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, will not take place.

The Rev. Father Curley who had planned for the usual Ash Wednesday services, early morning mass at North Bend when the ashes could be blessed and the distribution of them at the Catholic church in Marshfield at 9 o'clock, was called to Bandon today by the critical illness of Mr. Devereaux, one of the best known preachers of that section. In consequence, he will not be able to reach Coos Bay until late tomorrow.

It was expected that the Rev. Father E. Donnelly would return on the M. F. Plant from San Francisco but a letter received Saturday stated that he would probably not be able to reach home until the latter part of this week or the first of next.

BOND ISSUE IS ORDERED

Southern Pacific Directors Arrange For \$82,000,000 For New Lines.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Directors of the Southern Pacific Company, which controls and operates the Southern Pacific Railroad, authorized an issue of \$82,000,000 20-year 4 per cent bonds, which are convertible into common stock at \$130 per share.

At the same time the directors increased the common stock of the Southern Pacific Company by \$100,000,000 to provide for the conversion of the bonds.

It was announced that \$45,500,000 of this bond issue will be offered to the shareholders and the same amount has been underwritten by the banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Company. Holders of common or preferred stock will be allowed to subscribe for the new bonds on or before April 20, 1909, at 96, with adjustment of interest. The bonds will be convertible until June 1, 1909, at \$130, or will be redeemable at 1.05 upon any semi-annual interest date after March 1, 1914.

It is understood that the proceeds of the bond issue will be used to cover the Southern Pacific's expenditures for the extension of subsidiary lines amounting to \$103,000,000.

POND IS CAPTAIN.

Light-House Inspector of This District Promoted. PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 23.—Bearing the signature of President Theodore Roosevelt, Charles F. Pond, inspector of the lighthouse district comprising the Oregon, Washington and Alaska coasts, received from Washington, D. C., a commission making him a captain in the United States Navy. One more step and he will become a Rear-Admiral, making the highest round on the naval ladder. Dawey holds the position of Admiral, but the title in this country will die when he passes away.

Rehearing of Noted Action In Which Company Was Once Convicted Opens.

IMPORT INDIANA JUDGE FOR IT

Defense Declares That Venire of 150 Jurors Was Improperly Drawn.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The second trial of the Standard Oil Company as Indiana on the charge of rebating in connection with shipments of oil from Whiting, Ind., to East St. Louis opened in the federal district court today before Judge Anderson of Indianapolis who was imported to hear the case upon the refusal of Judge Landis and Judge Bethen to have anything to do with it. This is the case in which Judge Landis imposed a fine of \$29,240,000 upon the first conviction. The fine was reversed by the court of appeals and the case remanded for a new trial. It is expected to take several days to fill the jury. The veniremen are mostly farmers.

Judge Anderson was on the bench a few minutes when John S. Miller, one of the attorneys for the defense, filed a motion to quash the venire of 150 men on the ground that it was improperly drawn. Sixty per cent of the venire are farmers. Only three are residents of Chicago and but sixty live in Cook county which contains two-thirds of the population within the court's jurisdiction. District Attorney Sims was greatly surprised but sharply opposed the motion.

WEDDED IN PORTLAND.

M. C. Maloney and Miss Alice B. McCormac Married Sunday. Miss Alice McCormac and M. C. Maloney of Marshfield, were married at the residence of Archbishop Christie in Portland, Ore., at 3 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, February 21, 1909, the Right Rev. Archbishop Christie of the Catholic archdiocese of Portland, officiating. Dr. Andrew C. Smith of Portland, was groomsmen, Miss Marlon Chase of Portland, bridesmaid and Mrs. J. T. McCormac, mother of the bride, attendant. They will leave at once on a trip to various eastern and southern points.

MORE ABOUT THE "ORDER OF FIFTEEN"

Mystic College Society Causes a Philadelphia Husband to Seek Divorce. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 23.—By the suit of the poet, William E. Mountain, against his wife for divorce on the grounds of desertion, caused by the teachings of the mystic college society, "The Order of Fifteen," the investigation by the faculty committee into that organization received a sudden impetus today.

Vice-president Ovsterst of the University of Pennsylvania, said that the commission would at once begin to call witnesses to testify as to certain doctrines and that he understood the secret investigation by the faculty of middle west colleges into the same order is now well under way. Dr. Charlotte Abbey, who brought the first charges against the organization, ripped into it again. Dr. Abbey said right out that the order teaches race suicide and that the Mountain divorce case shows its evil results.

Many at Social.—The social evening given by the Chamaine Club to the associate members and a few friends at the Planish ball last evening was one of the most enjoyable events of the season. A musical program followed by dancing and refreshments made the evening a most delightful one. The event will be told in detail in the social department of The Times Saturday.

Milk Can Brushes at MILNER'S. Calf Muzzles at MILNER'S.