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WALTER WELLMAN AND PARTY RETURN FROM ILL-FATED TRIP

Why Baloon Trip Across Atlantic Failed to Succeed.

SHIP WAS NOT POWERFUL ENOUGH

Declares That He Believes Feat May Yet Be Accomplished.

Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Walter Wellman and the members of the party on the balloon "America," who were rescued at sea, 360 miles off Cape Hattaras yesterday, are on board the steamer Trent, ninety miles east of Sandy Hook and are proceeding slowly in a heavy fog. The "America" established a new record for sustained flight. In 12 hours it covered a distance estimated at one thousand miles. A wireless message from the Trent reports all aboard are well.

Wellman says that after working well to sea Sunday, the "America" was caught in a thirty-mile north-west blow which carried the airship out of its course. When night came, the equilibrator jerked and bumped over the waves, threatening the "America" with destruction. The crew were calm but greatly exhausted and one after another went to sleep, expecting to wake up in the sea. Every effort was centered on keeping the "America" afloat, the gasoline being tossed into the sea.

The course laid was for the Azores but the veering wind made it impossible to reach the islands with the reduced gasoline.

Bermuda was the next hope, but Monday night more gasoline and some damaged machinery were jettisoned to keep the "America" afloat. Early Tuesday morning the rescue came. The Trent was sighted two hours away and signalled. The life boat was successfully launched, but not until after it was almost capsized by a blow from the equilibrator. The weight of the life boat and party removed from the airship, the "America" shot up into the air and quickly disappeared.

Wellman believes the feat of crossing the Atlantic with a bag may be accomplished in a larger and stronger air raft. The equilibrator was the fault and mistake of the expedition, he says.

MAY REACH EUROPE.

Winds May Carry Wellman's Baloon Across Ocean.

Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—While the majority of the aeronauts believe the "America" will never be seen again, others would not be surprised if the airship as a plaything of the winds may be wated across to Europe, though this is generally regarded as unlikely as the dirigible weakened and was loosing gas when abandoned.

WOMAN HELD FOR OUTRAGE

Mrs. Belle Lovin of San Francisco, Arrested For Los Angeles Dynamiting.

Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 19.—Mrs. Belle Lovin, proprietor of a rooming house at 2410 Mission street, San Francisco, who was arrested yesterday in that city charged with murder in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times, arrived in Los Angeles today in custody of two officers and was locked in the County Jail.

KENTUCKY MAN IS SHOT DOWN SEVERAL VESSELS WRECKED BY SOUTHERN COAST STORM

Matt Crawford of Jackson, Politician and Business Man, Victim of Bold Murder—Assassins Unknown.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

JACKSON, Ky., Oct. 19.—Matt Crawford, a politician, distiller and

business man, was shot and instantly killed from ambush early today by four assassins whose identity is not learned. Excitement runs high and threats of lynching are being made. Crawford was called out of his home by three men and a woman. His body was riddled with bullets when he appeared in the doorway. The cause has not been ascertained. Two suspects were arrested.

THANKS CITY COUNCIL !!!

Members Almost Dumbfounded By Unexpected Occurrence—Other Business.

For the first time in a long while the Marshfield city council last evening received a vote of thanks for their work. It rather dumbfounded the council and Mayor Straw was so shocked that he scarcely knew what to say. It all came about from Duncan Ferguson appearing before the council and said that he was requested by the citizens of Ferndale to thank the council for the electric lights that had been put in there recently. Finally Mayor Straw told him he should thank Chairman Albrecht of the lighting committee, and the latter in turn thanked the rest of the council for authorizing the lights.

Levi Heisner wanted to know about the recent "fly ordinance." He wanted to be permitted to haul the refuse from his livery barn twice instead of having to build a fly tight box to keep flies away. He was referred to City Health Officer Mingus.

Councilman Tom Coke protested against the proposed milk inspection, declaring that the greatest need of it was for the larger dairies outside of the city instead of for families who kept only one cow. He said that the milk inspectors didn't know how to tell whether cows were diseased and that in the past, the milk inspector merely made a trip around and collected \$2.50 for the inspection. Mayor Straw said that Mr. Coke was wrong and that he had requested Mrs. Yoakam, former inspector to secure the details of the inspection law for the council and that she had promised to do so.

The city attorney was instructed to ascertain what could be done about condemning various old buildings around town.

The question of repairing the old Ferndale bridge was brought up but nothing was done, the council not deciding whether they or the county commissioners should attend to it. Councilman Albrecht wanted a teamster's license ordinance adopted so that money could be raised for the repair of streets. In the discussion that followed, it was lost sight of and no action taken. Councilman Nelson said they were charging twice as much. Councilman Powers said that hay, oats, etc., were costing the owners of horses more and that consequently they had to charge more for their services.

A number of bills were allowed. Councilman Hennessey who was expected to resume his seat in the council was not present last night.



COAST LEAGUE SCORES.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 19.—The scores in the Coast League yesterday were as follows: At San Francisco— R H Portland 2 5 San Francisco 0 5 At Sacramento— R H Oakland 1 7 Sacramento 6 14 Vernon and Los Angeles open their series at Los Angeles today.

WHAT'S THE USE?

Weep and you're called a baby, Laugh and you're called a fool, Yield and you're called a coward, Stand and you're called a mule, Smile and they'll call you silly, Frown and they'll call you gruff, Put on a front like a millionaire— And some guy calls you bluff! W. B. KERR.

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STREET WORK IS TAKEN UP

Council Rejects Bid On Anderson Ave.—North Front Street Delayed.

Last night's session of the city council developed into considerable of a "talk fest" and while considerable business was attended to, the session was prolonged.

The high cost of paving and high cost of living and work on Coos Bay were some of the matters under discussion and resulted in the bid for the paving of Anderson avenue from Broadway to Third street being rejected and that improvement going over indefinitely. The Coos Bay Paving and Construction Company bid \$7,461.55 for the job and the engineer's estimate was \$7,215.40. L. S. Kaufman protested against the job being let at a cost exceeding the engineer's estimate which he said was very liberal. Anyhow, he said, there was no urgent need of the street this fall and the property owners wanted it to go over until spring when they would have more money to pay for it. Contractor Whitmore requested that he be given the city engineer's figures on the work, but Mr. Sandberg objected. Then Mr. Whitmore wanted to know of the city attorney if the engineer's figures were not public. The latter said he didn't think his computation was.

Finally Mayor Straw gave Mr. Whitmore the engineer's figures on the job. Mr. Kaufman again arose and said that he wanted to call the council's attention to the fact that the hard paving was costing considerably more than McCann did it here for and also that it was costing more than was paid at other places. He said Roseburg was getting good paving put in for \$1.75 per yard. Furthermore he said that if Bennett avenue was to be paved 100 feet wide and Mill Slough filled up as was proposed by J. M. Blake and C. A. Smith, it might be desirable to change the Anderson avenue improvement to conform with it. This lead Councilman Coke to rap the Bennett avenue widening project as a scheme to sell real estate and Councilman Savage to intimate that it would not be widened.

Finally Councilman Coke made a motion to reject the bid of the Coos Bay Paving and Construction Company because it would cause a deficit assessment and also because it was too high. Councilman Albrecht said he thought the bid was too high—that Marshfield was paying thirty or thirty-five cents per yard more for its paving than any other city on the coast. He said that the Market avenue improvement had been turned down because property owners had protested against paying forty-five cents per yard for their fill while on Anderson avenue the fill was figured at fifty cents per yard. He said that the council had the engineer increase his estimates to avoid deficit assessments, but that the contractors were apparently raising every time the council did. He said this was strange as labor was thirty per cent higher when McCann was here than it is now.

Councilman Powers disagreed with the latter claim, saying he was paying fifteen per cent higher wages now.

Contractor Whitmore then arose and gave some explanation of the high cost of paving here. He said that Hugh McLain had increased the price of sandstone on them from \$1.75 to \$2.00 per yard and that in consequence they found Myrtle Point gravel at \$2.50 per yard cheaper than the sandstone. He said that in San Francisco and Spokane, rock and gravel could be obtained for \$1 per yard. He said that while in Portland and San Francisco, cement could be obtained at \$2.05, it costs \$3.15 on Coos Bay. He said that they paid their laborers from \$3.00 to \$4.50 per day while in the cities

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MRS. S. W. NOAH DIED TO-DAY

Well-Known Woman Passes Away Suddenly at A. L. Foster Home in Marshfield.

Mrs. S. W. Noah, a well-known Coos River woman, died suddenly at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Foster, in South Marshfield this morning. She had been unwell for several years, suffering from asthma, heart trouble and other complications.

Her demise was very sudden and unexpected, she passing away in her sleep without a struggle. Mr. Noah who had been sitting up with his wife laid down beside her on the bed and as she was apparently resting easy dropped asleep. He awoke at about 3 o'clock and found that she had died while he was taking the nap.

Stacy E. Watson was born in Linn county, Missouri, July 7, 1866, and came to Coos county about thirty years ago. Soon after the family's arrival here, she was married to S. W. Noah. Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Don McKay of Daniels Creek, a son, Wesley Noah, at home, Mrs. A. L. Foster, a sister, and Dave Bunch, a brother. Mr. Noah has many relatives in this section.

The funeral will be Thursday, interment at the Coos River cemetery where the services will be held. The alert will leave here at 12:30 with the funeral party.

Roseburg papers please copy.

LEAVE TODAY ON REDONDO

Steamship Sails for San Francisco With Large Passenger List.

The Redondo sailed at noon today for San Francisco and Bay Point. She had about a capacity list of passengers and was laden mainly with lumber from the Smith mill.

Among those sailing on the Redondo were the following:

Mrs. J. A. Tourtellott, Mrs. M. A. Tourtellott, Grace Tourtellott, Wm. Wright, W. H. Bennett, E. J. Eddy, Miss E. Trainor, Miss R. Cameron, Miss O. McClay, Mrs. Sarah Baines, Mrs. Flanagan, Mrs. Max Lee Kelly, Miss Genevieve Tellefson, Mrs. J. F. Lee, Gus Stemmler, C. M. Quimby, P. D. Dresser, Jack Bullard, Burt McCulloch, Chas. E. McCoy and family, H. A. Phillips, B. D. Pierce, Edgar Simpson, A. Hammer, Wm. Nippe, E. C. Peterson, Fred Gaylor, Peter Reamm and five steerage.

RUMOR TIDE FLAT SALE.

Report That North Bend Parties Have Sold 100 acres for Large Sum

According to a report in circulation at North Bend today, C. S. Winsor, Carl Albrecht, George Boale, Geo. W. Temple and others have disposed of 100 acres of tideland across the Bay from North Bend to a syndicate for \$100 per acre. The deal could not be confirmed, nor could the name of the buyers be learned.

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WRITES THAT SHE IS WED

Stelia Culbertson Sends Postal Card With Meager Message to Friend.

"We're married. Wish you all good luck. Stella."

This was the message on a postal card that Mrs. Hatch, a friend of fourteen-year-old Stella Culbertson whose absence from her home at Bangor since a week ago Monday, has caused much apprehension and the officers much work, received from her daughter. The card was not dated and the postmark was so blurred that they could not make it out. While Stella did not give the name of her husband, the Culbertson family take it for granted that it is Sherman Stage.

Mrs. Culbertson expects to hear more details from her daughter soon.

Various rumors have been started about the case and evidently someone started a "foul play" story out of whole cloth. A Portland paper wired here to know if it was true that "Stage killed Culbertson girl whom he eloped with." Of course, there was no foundation for this, and word was sent the Portland paper to that effect.

Sheriff Gage, who was in the city today, said that he had not been able to find any trace of the Culbertson girl and Stage after they reached Roseburg. He said that if they were married, someone was liable to prosecution for perjury for making affidavit that the girl was of marriageable age.

THIRD GAME ON THURSDAY

Philadelphia and Chicago Will Play In Windy City Tomorrow.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 19.—The third game of the World's championship series between Philadelphia and Chicago will be played here tomorrow. The teams are en route from Philadelphia today. Plans are being made for a record breaking crowd tomorrow.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Wheat closed as follows: December 93 1/2c; May, \$1.00; July, 96c.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 19.—Track wheat prices—Club, 82c; Bluestem, 86c; Red Russian, 80c; Valley, 85c; Fortyfold, 84c.

TACOMA, Oct. 19.—Milling wheat—Bluestem, 98c; Red Russian, 82c; Club, 84c. Export wheat Blue, 89c; Fortyfold, 87c; Club, 85c; Russian, 83c.

LONGWORTH RUN FOR SENATE?

Roosevelt's Son-in-Law Announces Candidacy if Dick Loses in Fight

TOLEDO, Ohio, Oct. 19.—Announcement was made here today that Nicholas Longworth, son-in-law of Theodore Roosevelt, would be a candidate for the United States senate should it appear that Senator Dick will lose out in his fight. Longworth is now making a stumping tour of Ohio.

Crews Off Three of Them Are Brought Into Key West, Florida.

GREAT DAMAGE WAS DONE BY HIGH WATER

Considerable Loss of Life and Property Loss Will Reach Millions.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

KEY WEST, Fla., Oct. 18.—Further news of the damage wrought by the tropical storm which swept Southern Florida, was received today. The Norwegian steamer Foa is ashore off Boca Grande Island. The crew of 18 arrived here. The American steamer, Herman Frash is disabled off the Alligator Key lighthouse. The British steamer Inventor rescued ten sailors from the Spanish bark Hugo and six from the "American" schooner Martha.

Great damage was done in towns along the coast and far inland. In coast towns visited by high water during the height of the storm, the destruction was great. It is believed there was considerable loss of life. The storm passed.

RUNS INTO MILLIONS.

Cuba Suffers Heavy Loss From Tropical Storm.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

HAVANA, Cuba, Oct. 19.—It is believed from reports from the wrecked sections that the storm's loss will be well into the millions. The loss of life is much less than was feared.

POTHIER GETS THIRD TERM

Rhode Island Governor Renominated By Acclamation By Republicans.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 19.—Governor Pothier was renominated for a third term by acclamation by the Republican state convention today.

FOSS IS CANDIDATE.

Factional Row Among Massachusetts Democrats Is Settled.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

BOSTON, Oct. 19.—Harmony was restored in the Democratic ranks today when Eugene N. Foss, member congress from the fourteenth district, became the candidate for governor by the withdrawal of Frederick W. Mansfield who was named in the convention under the agreement that he withdraw.

EFFECTIVE IN FEBRUARY

Long and Short Haul Freight Order Issued.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—By an order issued today the Interstate Commerce Commission directs the long and short haul provision of the recent Interstate Commerce act shall become effective February 17, 1911.

The commission again holds that a through rate that is higher than the combination of the local rates is prima facie unreasonable evidence that it is its intention to enforce this principle and to grant exceptions only in extreme cases was announced.

Fresh BEAR MEAT from Coos River killed by Frank Rogers at the UNION MARKET. PHONE 58.

DECOY DUCKS at the GUNNERY.