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WANT ADVERTISING in The TIMES Will Put Your Real Estate "in the Market" Effectively!

WANT ADVERTISING in The TIMES Will Keep your Income from Furnished Rooms Steady.

LIFE SAVING STATION WILL BE MOVED TO COOS HEAD

Congressman Hawley Wires That He Is Informed by General Kimball.

WILL OCCUPY THE MILITARY RESERVE

People Made a Strong Campaign for Change After North Star Disaster.

The Coos Bay Life Saving station will be changed from its present location to the government reserve at Coos Head on the south side of the bay.

The following telegram from Congressman Hawley at Salem explains the change:

Marshfield, Oregon. General Kimball, general superintendent of the life saving service, telephone me as follows: "New site for life saving station selected on north side bay. War Department has asked for permission to occupy same."

W. C. HAWLEY.

After the wrecking of the launch North Star, No. 1, when six lives were lost, the matter of changing the location of the station was taken up.

The life savers were unable to reach North Star on the bar in time to save her.

The present station is about two miles or more from the bar.

Petitions signed by hundreds of persons asking that the station be changed to a point where it would be of more service were circulated with the result that an official was sent here several months ago to look over the situation.

The result is the changing of the station.

NEGRO LYNCHED BY CONVICTS

Behind Bars for Safe Keeping and Is Punished by Prisoners.

Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.

LAWLINS, Wyo., Oct. 2.—The Wyoming state penitentiary today lynched Frank Wignall, a negro and ex-convict, who was put in the state institution last week for safe keeping.

Wignall was arrested yesterday on the charge of assaulting Mrs. Esther Higgins, 78 years old, last Sunday.

Wignall was placed in a cell on the second floor. This morning as the other convicts passed Wignall's cell on the way to breakfast, the negro laughed and boasted about his deed.

This incensed the prisoners and after breakfast 150 convicts in the cell block started for the cell house. They overpowered the keeper, who had charge of the negro, and locked the door in the cell.

One of the convicts produced a rope. A half hitch was made around the negro's neck and he was dropped from the cell balcony, a distance of 30 feet.

The back was broken. The time consumed in the lynching was less than ten minutes and so quietly done that no one in the cell block was aware of the use of the cell keeper, who was overpowered, knew what had happened.

Warden Alston at noon was unable to identify positively any one participating. "Granny" Higgins is a widow among the prisoners here for her kindness to the sick and afflicted. The aged woman is said to be recovering.

DE PALMA WINS. (By Associated Press.) MILWAUKEE, Oct. 2.—Walter De Palma, driving a Mercedes car, won the Vanderbilt race, making 299 miles in four hours and 54 seconds.

TEN CHILDREN DIE. (By Associated Press.) BERNARD, Quebec, Oct. 2.—The children of Alexander Grant, ranging in age from 18 months to 15 years, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home during the absence of the parents.

EAGLES NOTICE. Regular meeting Wednesday evening, October 2. Something doing. Don't miss being present.

By order of M. J. OSTROW, Worthy president.

FEMINE PHILOSOPHY. The wild oats crop is never a failure.

A conceited chap thrives best in the limelight.

Many a man's shoulders are not as broad as they are padded.

205 MEN DIE IN BIG BATTLE

Mexican Federals and Rebels Have Engagement Monday at Aura Pass.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) EAGLE PASS, Texas, Oct. 2.—Two hundred and five men were killed in a battle between the rebels and federals at Aura Pass, Mexico, Monday evening, according to reports here today.

About 500 men were on each side. The rebels retreated in the face of the federal's reinforcements.

CORBETT ILL. (By Associated Press.) PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—James J. Corbett, former pugilist, was operated on for appendicitis at a hospital here. He had a fairly good night. It was reported last night that he might die.

LEADERS ARE TO TESTIFY

Details of Progressive Party Funds Are Given Before the Committee.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—When the Clapp committee on the investigation of campaign funds met today to examine Senator Joseph M. Dixon of Montana, Roosevelt's political manager, its members were discussing the senator's announcement last night that he would ask the committee to call Chairman Hillis of the Republican national committee and Chairman McCombs of the Democratic national committee.

The senators pointed out today that they already had announced that they will call those two men as well as financial managers of Underwood and Clark.

MAY GO ON REGULAR RUN

Steamer Aberdeen Here for Lumber May Prepare for Passengers.

The steam schooner Aberdeen, Captain Maloney, is in port to take a cargo of lumber from the Coquille Mill and Mercantile Co. Capt. Maloney says that there appears to be so much business here that the owners of the vessel, Curtis & Linderman, may put the Aberdeen on a regular run from Coos Bay to California points.

The vessel has accommodations for carrying 35 passengers she does not now carry a passenger license. If she is put on this run she will also go into the passenger business.

Capt. Maloney was in Coos Bay four years ago on the steamer Ful-

City Council Goes Through the Formality and Transacts Other Business.

At the meeting of the city council last night the returns of the special election were canvassed. The figures as already printed were confirmed.

Lyman Noble appeared before the council and asked permission to build a private sewer from his property near the corner of First and Front. The city had taken steps for the building of a sewer for that district and there were protests from the Baines estate and from the Southern Pacific. These property owners have property which is not improved and they would not be benefitted by the sewer. These three property owners together with Al Hall are the only ones effected in the district.

Mr. Noble had started to build a sewer himself, from his houses to the bay, but he was made to stop because he had no permission for building across the street. Last night he asked for permission to go on with the work. The whole matter was referred to the city engineer and the city attorney with power to act.

Pavements laid by J. A. Dowling on Market avenue between Second and Fourth, on Third street between Commercial and Highland and on Fourth between Commercial and Market were accepted by the council. Current bills and the band and library were ordered paid by the council.

Two ordinances were passed for

BALKAN STATES READY FOR WAR

All Available Soldiers Are Being Mobilized to March Against Turkey.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) LONDON, Oct. 2.—The whole Balkan peninsula is being rapidly transferred into an armed camp.

According to dispatches from the capitals of the various states, upward of a million men have been obtained to decide once for all in a trial by combat the question of changing the conditions of the inhabitants of the European provinces of Turkey. An effort at a demonstration of the military force of the Balkan states is

first to be tried and for this purpose Bulgaria, Serbia, Greece and Montenegro have ordered a mobilization of their entire available armies and if this open threat does not secure what they demand from the Ottoman government, the next few hours may see further steps taken.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) LONDON, Oct. 2.—Fifty Turkish soldiers fired several times today in the direction of the Serbian town of Hashka, according to a special dispatch from Belgrade. The United States Serbian minister has received reports that the inhabitants are leaving the town to fight.

REBELS KILL AN AMERICAN

Manager of Ranch Near Durango, Mexico, Reported to Be Murdered.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) MEXICO CITY, Mexico, Oct. 2.—Hubert L. Russell, manager of the San Juan Miches ranch at Durango, the property of Allen C. McCaughan, American vice consul to that place, was murdered Sunday night by rebels.

NO DEMOCRAT IN THE FIELD

Hugh McLain Will Run for Elector Instead of State Senator.

Hugh McLain, who was nominated on the Democratic ticket for state senator from this district, will run for presidential elector, for which office he was also named.

While Mr. McLain would prefer to run for senator, the decision of the secretary of state is that Mr. McLain must run for elector, he having petitioned for that nomination while for state senator his name was written on the ballot.

There was talk on the part of the Democrats of having the county central committee name an candidate for state senator, but the committee has found that this cannot be done, so the only opposition that the Democrats might put in the field against J. S. Smith, the Republican candidate, would be someone who would run as an independent candidate.

CANVASS VOTE FOR ELECTION

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PRESS CLAIMS AGAINST CHINA

Powers Plan of Pushing Fifty Million Dollar Boxer Indemnity.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The six powers which have failed in the proposed international loan to China, have upon the invitation of Russia joined a conference to press the payment of the \$50,000,000 Boxer indemnities. The course the United States will take is not indicated.

MANY CALLED FOR TRIAL

Government Will Have Large Number of Witnesses in Dynamite Case.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 2.—Staff agents scattered in Boston and Los Angeles, it was learned today, are at work securing witnesses to appear in the prosecution of the trial of the men accused of complicity in the dynamiting conspiracy. Fragmentary evidence from all of these people, the government contends, will fit in a complete story and the government expects to prove conspiracy in which at least 46 men other than the McNamara's are equally guilty.

It is understood that the witnesses from the most remote sections are to be called first. Many are to come from the Pacific coast.

UNITED STATES CONSUL KILLED

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) MEXICO CITY, Oct. 2.—Mexican rebels Sunday murdered the American vice consul at Durango, Allen MacCaghan, as well as Herbert L. Russell and Mr. Cliff, manager and owner of the San Juan Tavich ranch.

The sale of improvement bonds. One ordinance provided for the sale of bonds aggregating \$2,527.27 for the west end of Market and the north end of Fourth. The other ordinance provided for the sale of bonds aggregating \$17,641.59 for Market, Third, Fourth and Front streets paving and the Front street sewer.

The council passed an ordinance granting a rebate of \$405.35 on the Anderson avenue pavement.

FAVOR GOVERNOR WEST. Socialists of Bandon Pass Resolution Endorsing His Work.

The Socialists of Bandon have taken a stand favoring the vice crusade work which has been done by Governor West. At a recent meeting the following resolution was passed:

"Be it resolved that the Bandon Local Socialist party of America express to Governor West and to the citizens of the State of Oregon, that we heartily endorse his stand with reference to the criminal element. Especially do we endorse the Governor's determination to punish officials and interests responsible for

SENATE COMMITTEE HEARS OF BIG CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS

WOMEN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Thrown Out of Vehicle in a Collision on Front Street This Afternoon.

Two ladies and three children had a narrow escape from being hurt this afternoon when two buggies collided at the corner of Broadway and Central. Mrs. James Forty was in one buggy and in the other was Mrs. George Richardson, her three little children, and Mrs. Maggie Haydon.

Mrs. Richardson was driving toward a hitching post when she was caught between a wagon and the other buggy. Mrs. Forty's vehicle struck Mrs. Richardson's buggy and the latter was turned over and all five of the occupants dumped out. They escaped injury and the buggy was not badly hurt.

3,000 NEVADA MINERS STRIKE

Recognition of Miners' Union Is Chief Object of the Movement.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) ELY, Nevada, Oct. 2.—Three thousand employees of the mines of the Nevada Consolidated Copper Co. went on strike today executing as complete a tie up as that of Bingham, Utah. The Ely miners are striking for an increase of 50 cents a day for shovelmens. The machinists said they had no grievance, but are merely supporting the demands of the miners. Recognition of the Miners' Union, however, is the chief object. The strike may spread to Santa Rita, N. M., and Ray, Arizona. Nearly all the foreigners are armed and some stray shots were fired today.

WILL IMPROVE IN CURRY CO.

Brookings Lumber Co. to Make Extensive Improvements in Curry County.

J. E. Brookings, president of the Brookings Lumber and Box Co., of Highland, Cal., is quoted by the Del Norte Triplet as follows:

"After a continuous run of 13 years, our saw mill at Highland has closed down permanently, we having exhausted our timber holdings in the San Bernardino mountains. We are now planning to commence at once our installation of a lumbering plant on the coast, about two miles northwest of Harbor, in Curry county, Oregon. This means a dock in deep water, in a thoroughly protected harbor, where vessels will load direct from the cars, an up-to-date electric two-sided saw mill with electric cranes and mono-rail for handling the lumber, a 60-foot dam providing a 50-acre log pond, a modern town, to be called Brookings, located on the most picturesque site along the coast and a logging railroad will be constructed into our extensive timber holdings.

"With these initial installations there will come all the industries that inevitably follow lumbering in a fertile country and in all my travels I have never seen a more fertile country than that of Curry county. I am greatly pleased over the fact that a large number of our old employees will follow us into Oregon."

crime, rather than the victims thereof, and we hope his future years may reserve to him the unwavering confidence of the citizens of the State of Oregon, and that his indefatigable labors shall not cease, to the intent that his future years shall be the unfolding of the eternal purposes, which by divine appointment shall serve to bless his age and generation.

Enormous Amounts Were Given by Prominent Men, According to Testimony.

DIXON AND POMERENE NEARLY HAVE FIGHT

Former Is Invited Outside But Affair Passes Off Without Conflict.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The financial operations of the Roosevelt forces in pre-convention campaign this year, and the finances of the Progressive party, were subjects of inquiry by the Senate campaign contributions committee yesterday.

Flynn of Pittsburg testified he personally contributed 90 per cent of the money for the Roosevelt primary campaign in Pennsylvania. He gave \$102,000 to the fund, of which \$28,000 was spent in Pittsburg. Elen E. Hooker, national treasurer of the Progressive party, placed in evidence a statement of all of the receipts and expenditures of the Roosevelt primary campaign in New York city. It showed \$59,126 had been contributed and \$52,606 spent in the primary campaign in New York. The balance was turned over to the national campaign fund. Hooker also filed a statement of receipts and expenditures of the national primary campaign conducted by Senator Dixon. The statement showed that George W. Perkins contributed \$15,000 for the New York campaign and \$25,500 for the national campaign and Frank A. Munsey about the same. Pomerene observed that the primary expenditure was at the rate of "about \$2 a vote" in New York. In the national campaign prior to the Chicago convention \$145,999 was spent, of which \$52,000 was spent in Massachusetts. Hooker said Charles R. Crane had contributed \$70,000 to the LaFollette campaign fund and that he gave the same amount to Wilson's fund. Clapp called Flynn's attention to Penrose's charge in the Senate that Flynn offered one to two millions to Penrose and Israel Dunham to secure a seat for former Senator Quay. "Under oath I will say if Penrose made such a statement he lied," snapped Flynn.

Dixon told the committee he had been reliably informed that Thomas F. Ryan and A. H. Plant, member of the Southern Railroad, contributed heavily to Underwood's campaign, that Joseph E. Davis spent \$25,000 in Wilson's pre-convention campaign, that Charles P. Taft spent \$200,000 for his brother for president and that leading financiers of New York spent large sums for Harrison.

J. G. Cannon testified that he audited the only accounts of the expenditures of the late Charles Bliss, and had no knowledge of the contributions to the fund. Specifically he said he knew nothing of the \$100,000 contribution John D. Archibald has said was made by the Standard Oil Co. to Roosevelt's 1904 campaign. Dixon's demand that the managers of the campaign for all other presidential candidates be called, brought forth a sharp reprimand from Clapp, who stated that all the men named had been summoned and he demanded Dixon to answer the questions.

Wants Fair Play. "The country wants fair play," returned Dixon. "It wants those other men examined within the next few days before the election."

"Senator Dixon," exclaimed Clapp, "the suggestion that there has not been fair play here is a reflection on the one man of this committee who is friendly to Roosevelt."

Dixon had intimated strongly that Roosevelt was the only candidate to be examined. Clapp told Dixon he could tell what he knew about other candidates later.

"I would send him to jail," declared Pomerene, as Dixon closed his remarks. Dixon testified that William Eno, a relative of Clifford Pinchot, Frank Munsey, Geo. W. Perkins, Mrs. Antonette West, 80 aunt of Pinchot's, and Dan R. Hays contributed heavily to the Roosevelt campaign. In all Dixon personally spent \$95,000 or \$96,000. "I didn't keep any books," he said. "I spent the money as fast as I rent it." Dixon said he knew nothing about the efforts about efforts to change the votes of the southern delegates.

Used Less Than Others. Later there was a clash between Senator Oliver and Dixon. The latter said the Roosevelt people had less money in proportion to the results accomplished than any other pre-convention candidate. He declared more money was spent for Taft, Underwood, Clapp and Wilson. He charged that the members of the committee were opposed to Roosevelt and that the entire investigation appeared to be directed against the Colonel. He said he had seen Oliver

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