



THE LITTLE OAK NOW GROWS.

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WEATHER.
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Tonight and Sunday, showers; westerly winds.

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MUST KEEP HIS HANDS OFF MILES

President Warned not to Attempt Discipline.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, March 22.—Warning has been served on President Roosevelt by a number of Republican Senators that if he attempts to discipline General Miles because of his testimony before the Senate Military Committee in antagonism to the Root bill for the reorganization of the army, trouble will ensue. As a result, the impression prevails that the incident will be allowed to pass unnoticed. It is pointed out that it will be more easy to do this because the official report of the hearing before the committee will not contain the alleged objectionable

language of Miles, who also says the published reports of his remarks were grossly exaggerated. Thus, though it is declared the President is inclined to resent what he calls the disloyalty of General Miles, there is nothing of an official character which he could base any censure on. Senator Hawley, chairman of the Senate Military Committee, opposes the Root bill, and says he hopes and believes the committee will make an adverse report. He says all military men owe a debt of gratitude to Miles for the exhaustive exposition he made on the subject before the committee.

THE LIMIT

A City Marshal Arrested for Stealing.

(Journal Special Service.)
EUGENE, March 22.—Bert Nunn, City Marshal of Cottage Grove, was arrested there on the charge of the theft of \$12.50 from Dr. E. F. Anderson, who is very ill. He was given a preliminary examination yesterday afternoon and bound over in the sum of \$500 to appear at the next term of Circuit Court, which meets in June. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney L. T. Harris, of this city, and Attorney Why of Cottage Grove conducted the prosecution and Attorney J. S. Medley appeared for the defendant. A few months ago Nunn claimed that he was held up by masked men and robbed of considerable of the city's money, which he was carrying at the time, but it is thought his hold-up story was a fake.

PURIM FEAST DAY.

This evening the Jews all over the world will celebrate their feast day, "Purim," in commemoration of the saving of their ancestors from extermination by the time of Herod, by the intervention of a Jewish maiden, Esther, who became the wife of the king. The historical story is related in the Book of Esther. The feast is continued for 24 hours, and is held as a day of rejoicing and of sending gifts to the poor. Services will be held this evening in the congregation Neveh Zedek, Talmud Thorah and congregation Ohavay Shalom at 7:30. At Temple Beth Israel no special services will be held. A Purim entertainment will be given to the children of the Sabbath school tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

RABBI WISE

Resents Statements of the Oregonian.

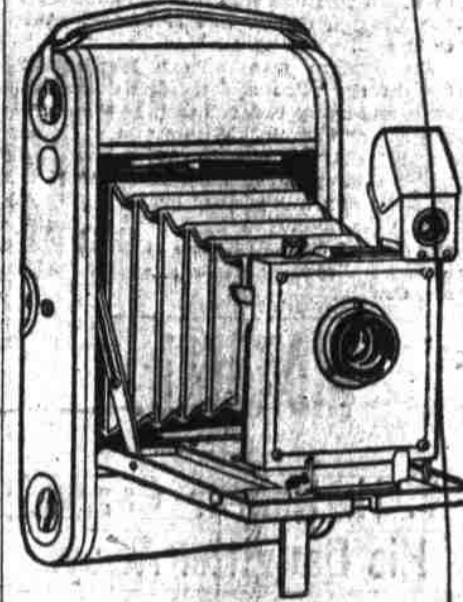
Last night Rabbi Wise, in his sermon at the Unitarian Church chapel, resented the Oregonian for its editorial attack, where the editor states that there is mutual hatred between the Jews and Catholics. The Rabbi took the Book of Esther as a basis from which he drew beautiful pictures and made striking comparisons. He said that "Mordcaiah" was needed at the present time, both in civil as well as in political affairs. "The trouble now is," the Rabbi continued, "that there are too many Mordcaiahs, i. e. people who are vindictive. He took Esther as a good example of a true Jewess, when Mordcaiah told her to let the king so that she might save her people, she asked: 'And if I perish?' and Mordcaiah answered, 'If you perish, thy name will be cherished,' and without murmuring completed her mission. Dr. Wise then said: 'Could a people with such ideals as Mordcaiah and Esther retain hatred for their fellowmen? He repudiated such people who attack a class of people without any provocation whatsoever and then would cover it up with hypocritical phrases. He also affirmed that the Jews forgive and forget, and as an example quoted Alexander III, of Russia, who during his lifetime oppressed the Jews severely and yet at his death the Jews forgive and forget his horrible services and fast days in his memory. He stated that the principles of the Catholic Church and those of the Jewish Church are always on the best of terms. He also said that he did not care to have himself or his race misrepresented, and that he was also capable of forgiving and forgetting.

GOV. GEER

Expects to Win on the Third Ballot.

Already Claims Nearly Enough Votes.

The managers of the campaign for the nomination of Governor Geer are very hopeful of the result of the state convention. They believe he will receive the nomination on the third and perhaps on the second ballot. It is conceded that in the casting of the first ballot local pride and personal friendships will be important factors. Favorite sons and local spellbinders will have their innings. Complimentary votes galore will be given to party workers, for sectional reasons, and many ambitious will be considered. "When the third ballot shall have been taken it is expected that it will be Geer against the field. This is what the Governor's friends are counting on and are preparing to meet. The convention will be made up of 34 delegates, and it will require 17 to elect. Of these, Governor Geer's friends claim the following: Marion, 22; Tammill, 11; Wasco, 11; Washington, 12; Union, 10; Baker, 12; Josephine, 7; Jackson, 11; Coos and Curry, 10; Lincoln, 4; Klamath and Lake, 8; Gilliam, 4; Benton, 7; Sherman, 4; Wallowa, 5; Malheur, 4; Grant, 7; Harney, 3; Linn, 14; Wheeler, 4. Total, 131. Besides these it is known that a part of the Multnomah delegation is favorable to the Governor and will vote for him if the unit rule is not enforced on them. It is said, too, that Governor Geer is sure of one or two delegates from Douglas County. In addition to this several delegations have no particular choice and will be glad to cast their vote for the strongest man. In any event, the Governor's friends say that it looks like Geer—this regardless of what the Multnomah delegates may do. The 12 Multnomah delegates will vote for Judge Carey on the first ballot, but without considerable and material aid from the rural districts, this will avail nothing. The Democratic delegates to the county convention from the Tenth Ward held a meeting last night. No attempt was made to formulate a slate. The only thing of importance that was done was the unanimous adoption of a resolution to oppose fusion or coalition in any form in the county convention. Nothing but a straight Democratic ticket will satisfy the Tenth Ward. C. K. Henry will probably be chairman of the Democratic mass meeting in Eagle's Hall tonight. Senator Mulkey, of Polk County, is in Portland today, shaking hands with himself and other friends, over the result of the Polk County primaries. Dr. J. N. Smith, member of the legislature from Marion County, was in the city today. Frank Wrightman, of Salem, a prominent candidate for Attorney-General, is in the city. Mr. Wrightman led the losing fight against Governor Geer in Marion County last Friday. A. J. Smith, a well known lawyer and prominent Democratic politician, of Clatsop County, is in the city.



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SMELTER

To Be Established by Local Capital.

The formation of a large smelter company, which has been under way by Portland capitalists and outside individuals for nearly a year, culminated today in the filing of articles of incorporation of the Portland Smelting & Refining Corporation, Limited. The capital stock is \$2,000,000. The incorporators are G. M. Rosendale, Frank F. Seagart, A. Castle Sandford, and Ernest Barthol. A number of other Portland people are said to be interested in the enterprise. The smelter, it is said, will be located at Portland, and it is said by one who has seen the plans, to have a capacity of 400 tons a day. The promoters are launching the corporation as a strictly business proposition. There has long been need of a smelter at Portland, to handle the ore from the many mines tributary to this section. A large number of men will be employed in the reducing work and a great quantity of materials will be used.

ANOTHER GORGE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
SIOUX CITY, March 22.—It is officially reported this morning that the ice gorge at Little Bend went out on Thursday night. The result was a ten-foot rise at Chamberlain, South Dakota, yesterday, but another gorge has been formed above the city, and the river is again falling. The lowlands were swept by the flood, causing heavy damage.

BIG ELK EVENT.

(Journal Special Service.)
MISQUOLA, Mont., March 22.—The prospects for a brilliant season promised the Missoula people by Bull Gate Ridge of Elks continue to grow brighter. Instead of a school of fifty fawns to be inducted into the mysteries of the antlered herd, applications from over 100 candidates were considered at a special meeting of the lodge tonight.

WOOD ARRIVED.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, March 22.—Governor General Wood of Cuba arrived in Washington this morning, and was immediately driven to the White House. During the day he had a long conference with the President on the Cuban problem, the chief feature of which is the evacuation of that country by the American authorities, May 1.

STEAMER ASHORE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
VANCOUVER, B. C., March 22.—The steamer City of Seattle, bound from Skagway to Seattle, went ashore this morning in this harbor. Her engines would not reverse. It is expected she will be floated tonight, as far as can be ascertained no damage was done to the big steamer.

GREAT MORTALITY.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
LONDON, March 22.—A Lahore dispatch says the bubonic plague mortality has reached 2000 a day.

ELKS CONFER.

Dr. E. B. McDaniel, a leading physician; George B. Small, business manager of the Morning Democrat; Ross Fuchs, merchant and broker, and William Polman, the Pierpont Morgan of Eastern Oregon, all officers of the Baker City lodge of Elks, and Richard Smith, of Perry, representing the Elks of Union county, are in Portland, conferring with the members of that order here regarding an excursion to Salt Lake City next August, on the occasion of the Elks' big carnival at that place.

RACE WON BY CAMBRIDGE

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
LONDON, March 22.—The annual boat race of the Oxford-Cambridge crews today was won by Cambridge by eight lengths. Cambridge won by five lengths in 19 minutes and 9 seconds. The result was not a surprise, and betting before the race was 3 to 1 in favor of Cambridge. The usual crowd lined the banks. Although it was cold and windy, it was a Cambridge race from the start. After crossing the finishing line the Oxford crew collapsed and fell to the bottom of the boat.

JURY STILL OUT.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., March 22.—The jury in the trial of James Wilcox, accused of the murder of Nell Cropper, a former sweetheart, is still out. Wilcox was charged with rendering the girl unconscious with blow on the head and throwing the body in the river. The dead girl was the daughter of a wealthy planter.

THE FIELD OF SPORT

The High School Girls' Basketball team defeated the Seattle team last night at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, by a score of 28 to 7. The game was a fast one and the playing was good, despite the fact that time was called very often on account of slight injuries to players. The individual work of the Seattle team was clever, but the team work of the High School girls out-classed the visitors from the start. Previous to the girls' game, the Nob Hill Juniors played the Y. M. C. A. Junior Basketball team and lost on a score of 23 to 7. The playing was fast but the Y. M. C. A. team work was too much for the Nob Hill.

THE VERY LATEST.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
COLUMBUS, March 22.—The supreme body of the United Order of Baseball Rosters was incorporated here today, with Columbus as its National headquarters.

WINNIPEG FIRE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WINNIPEG, March 22.—A fire, early this morning in the freight sheds of the Canadian Pacific caused \$10,000 damage. It was feared at one time that the fire would destroy the entire plant and spread beyond the railroad's property. A lively breeze was blowing across the vast prairie, and it was feared the fire department would be unable to cope with the flames. It didn't amount to much.

VICTORIOUS REBELS

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
HONG KONG, March 22.—Rebels have captured Kamchou, Kwangtung province, and have seized the armaments and granaries. The mandarins of the garrison fled and appealed to Canton for reinforcements, but were informed that the Canton garrison could not be further depleted.

SALEM ROBBERY.

(Journal Special Service.)
SALEM, March 22.—County Judge Scott says Experts Clark and Buchanan, of Portland, will return to Salem early next week and resume their work of examining the books of Marion county officers. The records of the Sheriff and Recorder have been practically destroyed, and the books of the Clerk and Treasurer are to be examined. It will require the month of April to complete the work. A report of the experts' findings will be presented to the County Court at its May meeting.

QUEER DECISION.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
DETROIT, March 22.—The Circuit Court today handed down a decision in effect that subscribers of a telephone company, which is absorbed by a rival, are entitled to the service of both companies for one rate.

TURN FOR WORSE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CAPE TOWN, March 22.—Cecil Rhodes began the day resting earlier, but a sudden turn for the worse soon followed and the patient is sinking. The end appears to be approaching.

ARRANGING SLATE.

(Journal Special Service.)
SALEM, March 22.—A number of caucuses, preliminary to the work of the Republican County Convention, were held in this city last night between delegates to the convention and the party leaders. While those who attended the conferences would divulge nothing of the proceedings, it is shown that the matter of arranging a list of legislative candidates and county officers was the important work in hand. The Republican County Convention will be convened in this city next Wednesday. A solid Geer delegation will probably be sent to the state convention, and the legislative ticket will be composed of Simon Geer, etc. The personnel of the county ticket is difficult of prediction, no definite slates having yet been fixed.

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