

EIGHTH AND LAST BISHOP IS CHOSEN

SENSATIONAL SCENE IN TODAY'S CONFERENCE OVER ANONYMOUS ATTACK IN PAPER—DR. JAMES R. DAY OF SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY ELECTED ON 14TH BALLOT.

(Journal Special Service.)
Los Angeles, May 21.—There was a most sensational scene in today's general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church in Los Angeles. The attack in the Examiner this morning said that Dr. James R. Day, president of the Syracuse university and a candidate for bishop, knocked down Prof. Alexander Harris, pastor of the San Fernando, Cal. Methodist church and called him a liar, in an argument over higher criticism. The Examiner's informant is anonymous. Dr. Day made a public refutation on the floor of the conference and a scene of confusion followed, the conference protesting their belief in Day.

Rev. J. M. Buckley read a resolution declaring the attack as made in the Examiner a disgrace to journalism, an insult to the conference and to the denomination which it represents, and a flagrant indignity to their host, the city of Los Angeles; and further recommended that the conference prohibit the privilege of the press during the remainder of the conference. This was greeted with the Chautauqua salute, shouts of approval and was unanimously carried. Rev. L. W. Munhall, the alleged opponent of Dr. Day, made a public announcement that he had nothing to do with the accusations.

On the fourteenth ballot, in the face of the "higher criticism" fight, Dr. Day, the eighth and last bishop to be elected, was chosen. The total vote cast was 698. Necessary to elect, 464. Dr. Day received 474 votes. Kerezy Charges Not Sustained.

When yesterday's session adjourned at 8 o'clock only one vacancy remained out of the eight bishoprics that will be filled by this conference. Up to the hour of adjournment the following bishops had been chosen: Joseph F. Berry of Chicago; Henry F. Spellmeyer, of Newark, N. J.; William E. McDowell of New York; James W. Bashford, of Delaware, O.; William Burt, of Rome, Italy; Luther E. Wilson of Baltimore, and Thomas B. Neely of Philadelphia.

His vote having dropped to 40, Dr. J. W. E. Bowen (colored) from Tennessee yesterday announced his withdrawal from the race for bishop.

Since the opening of the conference heavy charges have caused more or less agitation in certain circles, but these were finally disposed of in the committee on education, the charges not being sustained.

After formulating a plan to handle any charge in the future, the report concludes: "We admonish all instructors in our schools to studiously avoid, so far as possible, all occasion of misunderstanding of their doctrinal attitude, both in their oral teachings and in their publications, and that they counsel their pupils to carefully avoid statements which would disturb the faith of those to whom they minister."

FOR GEORGE WINDO.

Methodist Protestants Want to Unite With Several Other Groups.
(Journal Special Service.)
Washington, May 21.—At today's session of the general conference of the Methodist Protestant church a consolidation with the Methodist Episcopalians as well as with the United Brethren and Congregationalists was urged. A resolution was wired the Los Angeles conference asking for consideration of the proposition.

ENGLISH LAD WINS THE CHICAGO DERBY

(Journal Special Service.)
Chicago, May 21.—English Lad, 6 to 5, won the Chicago Derby today. Prince Silverwings was second and Moharib third; Flown King, fourth. Time 2:04.

TANYA WINNER OF STALLION STAKES

(Journal Special Service.)
Morris Park, May 21.—The national stallion stakes was won by Tanya at even money. Bellfleur was second and Blandly third. Time, 1:58 3/4.

COMMITTED IN TWO FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Arnold Franchiger, arrested for drunkenness by the police yesterday afternoon, was this morning convicted in French, and sentenced in German. He speaks both languages, and during the progress of his case the French interpretation was done by Attorney Charles Petrain.

"Bailiff Goltz, I find this prisoner guilty," said Judge Hogue, "and I want him to be sure and know that his fine will be \$5. Will you please inform him. He can understand both French and German."

Bailiff Goltz, who speaks German fluently, then told the prisoner that the court had found him guilty, and that the fine was \$5.

The prisoner replied to the court through the interpreter, that he would send for the cash.

PRIZES PUT UP FOR NEWSBOYS

Three prizes aggregating \$12 will be given to newsboys selling the largest number of tickets for the benefit performance to be given at the Marquam Grand theatre Wednesday night in aid of the Newsboys' association.

B. E. Keasey, president of the Newsboys' association, will give \$5 in cash to the boy selling the most tickets; the Journal will give \$4 in cash to the boy selling the next largest number of tickets, and will give \$3 in cash to the boy selling the third largest number of tickets.

CROWD AT FIRE HAS CLOSE CALL

That no one was killed on lower Fourth street at noon today when many pieces of fire apparatus were rushing to a fire at the corner of Burnside street was a miracle, for a farmer's team, becoming frightened at the engine at the scene of the burning, broke in a gallop and with no one to guide or to attempt to control it sped down Fourth street.

At the corner of Ankeny and Fourth streets the runaway struck a peddler's wagon. Hundreds of people were hurrying to the fire and several had narrow escapes. The team was finally stopped, but the wagon was wrecked. The fire was caused from a spark from a passing engine, and was confined only to the roof. It was quickly extinguished.

ROSA ROHSE GETS AN INJUNCTION

JUDGE FRASER ISSUES ORDER IN WHITE HOUSE ROAD CASE WHICH MAY CAUSE THE SUPREME COURT TO ESTABLISH A PRECEDENT IN SUCH CASES.

The action of Multnomah county in employing a number of workmen to improve the White House road without an official being present, thus exonerating the county from all liability in case of a damage suit, is responsible for a decision of the utmost importance relative to injunctions, delivered in the circuit court this morning by Judge Fraser. His decision will force the supreme court to take action establishing a precedent in all future cases. The county must also file a bond in the amount of \$1,000 if it proceeds with certain work.

Rosa Rohse filed a protest in the county court against the improvement of the road, declaring it would cause her to lose a large piece of property. The court decided against her, and she applied to the circuit court for a temporary restraining order. It was granted, but the argument resulted in Judge Fraser dissolving the order.

Resists the Work.

Notice of appeal to the state supreme court was then given by Mrs. Rohse. In the meantime the county court sent a number of men to begin the work of improving the road. Mrs. Rohse then applied to the circuit court for a restraining order pending the disposition of the case by the supreme court.

"There is absolutely no precedent to guide the court in this matter," said Judge Fraser. The county court decided against Mrs. Rohse, and this court affirmed its finding. She has appealed to the supreme court, but in the meantime the county officials have set men at work straightening the road. No county official is present to supervise them.

No Recovery Possible.

"This being true, in case the supreme court should reverse the lower courts, as frequently happens in this class of suits, Mrs. Rohse could not recover from the county. It is not likely that she could recover anything from the workmen, who perhaps possess little or no property. It is a peculiar situation."

"Notwithstanding the fact that this court has affirmed the decision of the county court, I think an injunction should issue. Otherwise the appeal to the supreme court would be nullified, as the damage complained of would be accomplished before the court could make a decision and nobody would be responsible for damages."

Injunction to Issue.

"It is therefore ordered that an injunction issue, provided the plaintiff files a bond for \$3,000 to indemnify the county for damages which may be caused by delay in the work. On the other hand, the county will be permitted to go ahead with the work, provided it files a bond in the same amount to indemnify Mrs. Rohse in case the supreme court reverses the lower courts. This order affects only Mrs. Rohse's property, and the county may proceed with the improvement of the remainder of the road. I think the effect of this decision will be to cause the supreme court to establish a precedent governing future cases."

LOCHINVAR NOT IN IT WITH FULLINGTON

(Journal Special Service.)
Los Angeles, May 21.—A week ago Mary Payne, aged 17 years, married Rolla Fullington. The girl's father took her away from the husband and instituted court proceedings to annul the marriage on the ground that his daughter was not of age.

Fullington instituted habeas corpus proceedings to get his bride.

The father then secured an injunction to prevent the young husband from living with his newly acquired wife.

ACCUSED OF THEFT ASK TIME TO PLEAD

When arraigned in the circuit court before Presiding Judge George this morning on the charge of stealing furs valued at \$1,277, from P. Ruminin Son, John McCarthy and James Coleman asked for time in which to secure counsel and enter pleas. They were granted until Wednesday.

Kindi Ohama, accused of libeling Goshu Ito in Japanese publicating called the Portland Shimpo, was also given until Wednesday to plead. He will be represented by the law firm of Paxton, Beach & Simon.

Canemah Park and Return 25 Cents.

Sunday baseball game, music and dancing in the pavilion, refreshments on the ground, a 40-acre park for picnics and others looking for a Sunday outing. Tickets, 25c. First and elder and corner Grand and Hawthorne avenues.

AMBASSADOR IS RECALLED.

(Journal Special Service.)
Paris, May 21.—French Ambassador Nisard leaves Rome for Paris tonight. It is supposed that he has been recalled on important business connected with proposed treaties.

Oregon Day at the Fair.

June 7 has been named as the selling date for World's Fair tickets to St. Louis and Chicago, account dedication of the Oregon building at the exposition. Get tickets at the O. R. & N. office, Third and Washington streets.

THWARTS PLOT TO BREAK JAIL

JAILER JACKSON PREVENTS A WHOLESALE ESCAPE OF MEN CONFINED IN THE COUNTY JAIL

Through the vigilance of D. D. Jackson, the county jailer, who promised to be a successful plan to break jail has been nipped in the bud. Tools for cutting bars were to have been smuggled into the prison by one of the inmates after his release, and at the proper time all the county's tenants in one of the corridors, it was expected, would secure their liberty under cover of darkness.

The plan miscarried, through one of the men in the plot talking too freely. When his term expired he went to a number of men with criminal records in the north end, and endeavored to secure their cooperation. One of them, a police "stool pigeon," informed a detective of the details of the scheme, and the latter notified Jailer Jackson.

Frank Wilson, one of the prisoners said to have been concerned in the plot, was given his freedom this morning, his term of 100 days for carrying a concealed weapon having expired. When Wilson was released from his cell he was ushered into a room, where Jackson was waiting, to receive his freedom papers.

"Now, Wilson," said Jackson, "I understand that you have been pretty busy while you were in jail. You have been in on a number of plans, of which I shall speak to you later in private. What I wish to say now is, that as a kind of side issue I understand you have a complaint written up to hand to the Journal. I don't believe in this thing of stabbing somebody in the back, and I want you to tell your grievance in the presence of these officials and newspaper men, and let me afterward give my version."

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After the officials had gone, Jackson took Wilson aside and let him know that he was acquainted with the details of the plan to smuggle tools into the prison, to be used by the inmates in an attempt to get their way to liberty.

"I wish you well, Wilson, and hope you will leave the city and not try to cause trouble, because you can't spring that kind of game here without getting into serious trouble," he asserted.

Wilson thanked Jackson for the advice and said he intended leaving town and trying hereafter to lead a honest life. He has given the authorities considerable trouble, and while in confinement wore a ball and chain because of an attempt he made to escape. When a gate was opened to permit a team to cross a dash for liberty, but the gate was closed so quickly that he collided with it and was knocked down.

A censer watch that ever will be kept hereafter to keep tools out of the jail, and the prisoners who hope to be released sooner than would otherwise be the case, on account of good behavior, are incensed with the conspirator. These tractable inmates declare that the discovery of such a plot tends to prejudice the county court against showing them leniency.

THREE GIRLS ARE INJURED BY RUNAWAY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Independence, Or., May 21.—At the Rieckrell picnic today two girls at this place, Miss Hodge and Miss Kramer, were run over by a panic-stricken horse drawing a buggy. Miss Burk, a teacher, in attempting to restrain the animal, received a bad injury.

The runaway horse belonged to pleasure seekers from Falls City.

TROUBLE WITH LONGSHOREMEN.

Captain Erickson of the steam schooner Aurelia reports that he is not coming back to Portland again until he has a thorough understanding with the longshoremen's union. The vessel will sail tonight for San Francisco with grain in her hold, and a deckload of lumber. He states that he experienced the same difficulty with the longshoremen and grainhandlers in getting the Aurelia's cargo loaded this time as was had a short time ago by the owners of the Nome City.

"Contrary to the wishes of the longshoremen," said the captain, "the grainhandlers are allowed to truck the grain from the dock to the ship. The exporters or shippers have a contract with the grainhandlers to do that work, but notwithstanding this, the longshoremen claimed it. When they failed to get the work they refused to take the job of putting the lumber cargo on the deck unless they were paid at the rate of 55 cents an hour. The regular rates now in force are 40 cents an hour. Finally they came down to 50 cents an hour, and rather than remain here longer, it was decided to pay them that amount. Upon my return to San Francisco I intend to have this matter thoroughly inquired into, and definitely settled one way or the other before I bring the Aurelia back to Portland."

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

In tow of the Oklahoma the schooner Manilla left for the mouth of the river this morning with 805,956 feet of lumber aboard. Her destination is San Francisco.

The tugboat Harvest Queen will be hauled out on the ways today and be given her annual overhauling. She will be out of commission about two weeks, and during this time the Oklahoma will do double service.

Yesterday afternoon the British ship Elera shifted from the coal wharves to Columbia dock No. 1, where she will finish discharging her cargo.

LEWIS AND CLARK DIARY MAY 21, 1804

May 21.—Being joined by Captain Lewis, who had been detained by business at St. Lewis, we set sail on Monday, May 21, in the afternoon (4 p. m.), but were prevented by wind and rain from going more than about three miles, when we camped on the upper point of an island, nearly opposite a creek which falls in on the south side.

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JURY DISAGREES IN GAMBLING CASE

(Journal Special Service.)
St. Petersburg, May 21.—The jury in the case of Robertson vs. Robertson, a gambling case, is unable to reach a verdict. The jury was asked to be taken before Judge Sears for further instruction at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The court was asked if it would be lawful to bring in a verdict for a smaller amount than claimed for by Robertson and an affirmative answer was given.

Attorney Bernstein, representing Robertson, states that his client will insist on another hearing at the June term of court. Peter Grant declares the case will be fought to a finish, and if necessary will be carried to the state supreme court. At the first hearing the jury returned a verdict in favor of the Portland club. It was set aside and a motion for a new trial allowed by Judge Sears.

SANTA FE STRIKE MAY END IN TIE-UP

(Journal Special Service.)
Topeka, May 21.—A member of the bolliemakers' union, who is high in the councils of the Federation of Labor, believes that the bolliemakers of the Santa Fe railway will strike within 30 days and that the engineers may follow.

In the latter event the entire system may be tied up until the fight becomes a prolonged one. There has been much dissatisfaction in previous strikes where non-union bolliemakers and machinists have been employed, and the engineers in all cases have been protestants. Hence it is regarded as very probable that they would vote to join the strike in case the bolliemakers also step out.

MURDERER'S HAIR MAY CAUSE CONVICTION

(Journal Special Service.)
Bedford, Ind., May 21.—In the Schaefer murder trial yesterday Dr. Joseph Gardner, a noted microscopist, testified that the hair found in the hand of the dead woman was approximately of the same size and texture as the hair taken from the head of James McDonald, the defendant.

RUMBLE CONVICTED OF MISUSING MAILS

(San Francisco Bureau of The Journal.)
San Francisco, May 21.—George W. Rumble was found guilty yesterday in the United States district court yesterday of having used the United States mails for fraudulent purposes. Rumble organized a corporation known

YOUNG ACTRESS DIES SUDDENLY

MISS EFFELINA BLAIR, POPULAR MEMBER OF BAKER COMPANY, EXPIRES SUDDENLY AFTER BRISK ILLNESS—BORN IN OREGON AND WELL-KNOWN.

Miss Effelina Blair, a popular member of the Baker Stock company, and widely known in Portland, died suddenly this morning at 7 o'clock at the home of George Baker, manager of the company, 117 Tenth street. She caught a severe cold in Seattle two weeks ago and complications resulting from it proved fatal.

According to the plans of Miss Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Baker, they were to start today for San Francisco and Los Angeles, where Miss Blair was to fill a summer engagement in theatricals in the latter city. Both women up to two days ago were eagerly waiting for a modiste to finish some costumes which they were to take south-although Miss Blair was confined to her bed in the Baker residence, but was believed to be satisfactorily recovering from her malady.

Early last evening Miss Blair complained of feeling worse and Dr. James Wiley, who had been attending her, was hurriedly summoned. He at once saw that she was suffering from extreme weakness—was in a precarious condition.

Miss Blair was the daughter of F. M. Blair of 144 North Twelfth street, for about seven years an actor in the Baker theatre. Her mother is prostrated by her daughter's death.

She was born in Eugene 31 years ago, attended the public schools of that city and came to Portland with her parents about seven years ago. Since then she has devoted her time to preparing herself for a theatrical career.

Her first engagement was in the part of "Lettie" in a western road company playing "The Christian." At the finish of her season with "The Christian," in Alabama, she was immediately engaged by Mr. Baker, who had noticed her talent, to come home and play in the stock company. Last season she did acceptable work in minor roles; and during the season just finished played in nearly every production put on, finishing the season in Seattle at the time she was taken ill.

The funeral arrangements are to be made this evening.

STEAM TO ENTRANCE

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steadily more violent. Many of the more intelligent Koreans are now offering their services to the Japanese army.

JAPANESE GAIN VICTORIES

Defeat Russian Cavalry—Capture Commanding Officer, also Seine Kachow.
(Journal Special Service.)
Tokio, May 21.—A force of Japanese which landed at Takushan May 19, defeated a body of Russian cavalry in the neighborhood of Wang Chi Tung yesterday. The Japanese sustained no losses while the Russian loss was considerable and included the capture of the Russian commanding officer.

The Japanese have captured Kachow, 80 miles southeast of Nuchwang, driving the Russians back.

KUROPATKIN IN AGGRESSIVE

Has Reinforced Liaoyang and Awaits Japanese Onslaught.
(Journal Special Service.)
St. Petersburg, May 21.—A Liaoyang dispatch states that General Kuropatkin has strongly reinforced that place and intends to await the Japanese and engage them in battle here. This is in line with the aggressive policy recommended by the general when he took personal command of the situation at the front. He is endeavoring to gather at this point the most seasoned soldiers.

It is reported today that a detachment of Japanese is approaching Mukden, and it is promised that operations there may become active at any time. The troops consist of a comparatively small column, however, and battle may be deferred until operations further south prove more decisive.

GENERAL TAK ENGAGES JAPANESE

Russian Casualties Seven Officers Wounded, 150 Men Killed and Wounded.
(Journal Special Service.)
St. Petersburg, May 21.—It is reported that the troops under the command of General Tak have engaged two Japanese divisions near Chow today. The Russian casualties are seven officers, including General Nadyayin, wounded, and 150 men killed and wounded.

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as the Sunset Mining company and ascertained that there were 18 mines belonging to the promoters. During four years Rumble took in \$255,000. Postal Inspector O'Connell asserts that Rumble cleared up \$250,000 from the deal. The case will be appealed. In the