GOVERNOR GOES AFOOT

Auto Sticks and He Trudges in Rain and Mud to Keep Schedule—Rousing Welcome in Yamhill—His Dates for Today.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

McMinnville, Or., May 16.—Speaking in a warehouse, mired in the mud, tramping several miles through a driving rain, and reaching his destination in a farm wagon, are a few of the events that made up the most strenuous day of Governor Chamberlain's campaign.

Governor Chamberlain was to tour this part of the state in the 90-horsepower auto belonging to Bob Inman of Portland. On reaching Dilley yesterday, just before coming into Yamhill county, he found a large crowd awaiting him in the rain, and the governor and audience took possession of a warehouse, where he spoke briefly on the issues of the campaign.

On leaving Dilley the party, consisting of the governor, Mr. Inman and Judge William Galloway, started for North Yamhill, the first stop in this county.

On passing through Laughlin's gap, several miles north of that place, the great machine sank into the mud and defied all efforts of the party to pry it out.

The Governor Walks.

After working for some time with the machine, the governor, fearing he would miss his date at North Yamhill, started for that place on foot.

After plodding some distance through the mud he was picked up by a farmer and managed to keep his appointment.

From there he went to Carlton and addressed the citizens this afternoon. He arrived in McMinnville on the 6:30 train and addressed a packed house at the Empire theatre tonight.

Mr. Inman and Judge Galloway finally abandoned the auto and took the train into McMinnville, where the judge lent Mr. Inman a suit of clothes in order that he might put up a suitable appearance.

In his address here last night the governor again set forth the principles he has been advocating all through the campaign. In referring to his opponent, Mr. Cake, he said that Mr. Cake was trying to get on neutral ground and avoid committing himself on Statement No. 1.

Mr. Cake's Neutral Attitude.

"Before the primaries," said the governor, "Mr. Cake took a strong stand for Statement No. 1 and it was largely due to his efforts that the issue was carried; but since then he has been getting weaker and weaker in his stand, until he has reached the non-committal stage of Senator Fulton and says that he does not care to dictate to the people what kind of men they shall elect to the legislature. It was this policy that caused the defeat of Mr. Fulton in the primaries and it will cause the defeat of Mr. Cake in June."

The Locks Decision.

He then spoke briefly of his work in securing for the state the money due it from the locks at Oregon City, which will add thousands of dollars to the state school fund. He advocated improved waterways, a more extended reclamation service, stricter regulation of railroad rates and an amendment to the constitution making possible an income tax. He advocated the exclusion of Japanese, Chinese, Hindus and other races that cannot mingle and harmonize with the American people.

In conclusion the governor said:

"No matter who may be the man in the presidential chair, whether Roosevelt, Bryan, Taft, Hughes, Johnson or La Follette, so long as he advocates those measures calculated to serve the interests of the people you will find me marching along in his procession regardless of political parties."

McMinnville, Or., May 16.—Governor Chamberlain spoke here last night at the Imperial theatre in the interests of his senatorial campaign. An audience that completely filled the house greeted the governor last night. Dr. J. D. Baker presided at the meeting and the McMinnville college boys' glee club furnished music. The audience was very responsive and cheered lustily several times during the governor's speech.

His speech was along the same lines as at other places. He said Oregon needed deeper harbors, improved rivers and the domination of the people, not the machine.

Governor Chamberlain's schedule yesterday called for speeches at North Yamhill, Carlton, Sheridan and Amity, besides McMinnville, but owing to the severe rainstorm he spoke only at North Yamhill and Carlton, with an extra and impromptu date at Dilley. His auto got stuck in the mud and caused the break in the schedule.

Today the governor spoke at Sheridan and Amity and if the weather permitted he was to also to speak at La Fayette and Dundee in the afternoon. Tonight he will speak at Newberg.

Governor Chamberlain's schedule calls for from three to five speeches a day and large crowds are greeting him everywhere as truly "the people's governor."

PLATFORM IGNORED

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No. 1. He is urging it without equivocation upon the voters as a measure of safety to the people and the solution of legislative corruption. In consequence, Cake's silence on the issue when he again visits these districts will be seriously questioned.

On the other hand, in not urging the election of Statement No. 1 candidates for the legislature, as he did before the primary election, Cake is following out the plan said to have been laid down by his adherents to secure his election even if Chamberlain defeats him June 1.

Unpledged Men His Hope.

Seemingly it is the hope of the Republican candidate that enough unpledged and Republican choice men will be elected to the legislature to form a majority. Uncontrolled by the people the legislators so elected may be expected to disregard the result of the June election and the expressed will of the people if Chamberlain receives the larger vote. Hence, Cake's silence on Statement No. 1 candidates, his repudiation of the principle and his own platform and his earnest wish now that the measure he has urged upon the voters and advocated before the primary election will be defeated.

Weston's Teaching Corps.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Weston, Or., May 16.—The Weston public school directors have elected the following teachers for next year: Superintendent, James P. Neil; Mrs. Amy McDaniel, Miss Stella O'Harra, Miss Pearl Edwards. Professor Neil is a graduate of De Pauw university and had two years at Harvard.

REPUBLICANS SLAP DIRECT PRIMARY LAW

Convention Respectfully Declines to Indorse Statement No. 1, Despite the Fact That the Voters of the State Have Just Declared Strongly in Its Favor.

The Republican party of the state of Oregon, through the action of its convention, expressed by its platform of principles, worked out carefully and with much and bitter discussion in committee, has slapped the direct primary law in the face, refused to countenance it and, in fact, has repudiated and disowned it. Asked by friends of the law to indorse the statute and incorporate the indorsement in the party declaration of principles, the committee on platform refused to take the action, discarded the amendment offered to the slated document, saying through G. C. Fulton, the whip of the committee, "The platform is all right as it is and needs no amendment. Adopt it." It was adopted.

The repudiation of the primary law by the organization in control of the late harmonious state convention was not due to oversight, or negligence, or carelessness. It was deliberate, well considered and intentional. The primary law had few friends in the late state convention.

Framing the Platform.

Thursday noon last, the committee on platform, composed of one delegate from each county in the state, met to draft the document of principles which is to stand as the index of the Republican party's attitude on public questions for the next two years. It went at once to the work of selecting the platform, which had already been drafted, and shaped and molded to suit the desires of the Fulton and the Beach-Mulkey factions.

S. M. Yoran of Lane county was the chairman of the committee. He read the platform as it had been shaped up and the document contained no reference to the primary law, nor to Statement No. 1, great issues of the present campaign.

C. M. Idleman, the member of the committee from Multnomah county, who had by some hook or crook broken the slate of the Fulton forces and defeated S. C. Beach for membership on the committee, called attention to the fact that the primary law had been overlooked by the framers of the platform. He contended that the primary law was an issue in the present campaign, that it was something that the people of the state had adopted, had fathered and had passed by an overwhelming vote. He contended that the people had a right to know where the party stood on the issues of the day, and that the primary law being an issue, it was right that the attitude of the party be derined. Mr. Idleman in pursuance of this argument, offered the following resolution as an amendment or an addition to the platform drafted by Senator Beach and others prominent in the Fulton and the Beach-Mulkey camps:

"Resolved, That we indorse the primary law now upon the statute books of this state in all of its application."

Idleman Made to Consent.

At once the warhorses sprang into the collar. Oratory swelled forth in opposition to the amendment, it being contended that the latter clause "in all of its application," made inclusive Statement No. 1. The resolution was buffeted about until it was demanded of Idleman that he cut off the obnoxious appendage, leaving the resolution to read, "Resolved, That we indorse the primary law now upon the statute books of the state."

Mr. Idleman consented to the curtailment of his amendment and it was on the verge of passing, when Clyde Fulton put the whole thing to sleep by making a little index talk, in which he said that the platform as adopted was all right, that it praised the principles of the Republican party, that the party had passed the primary law, therefore the platform praised the primary law.

Statement No. 1 Ignored.

Bruce Dennis of Baker county, made a determined fight against the action of the committee. He contended that the state had set its approval upon the primary law and upon the principles of Statement No. 1. He argued that the result of the recent primaries showed that the people indorsed the primary law and Statement No. 1 and he called upon the committee to reflect the sentiment of the party members of the state by indorsing the law and the statement. He argued that it was not enough to indorse the law as a whole, but that the indorsement of Statement No. 1 should be made specific, definite and certain.

The argument of Dennis met with a cold reception, however, and the suggestions of G. C. Fulton were carried out by the adoption of the cut-and-dried platform already prepared, which ignores the primary law, and the repudiation of Mr. Idleman's amendment, which sought to place the party on record regarding the one chief issue before the people of the present campaign.

APPLE-TREE, BABY, ROCKS AND BOY IN POLICE COURT TALE

Spectators in Judge Cameron's court were this morning edified with an amplified version of "Under the Old Apple Tree." The story related around the baby girl of R. B. Jones, 964 Vancouver street, the defendant, who was the innocent cause of Lloyd Miller, the 10-year-old son of W. L. Miller, the complainant, receiving a "Paddling" at the hands of the defendant.

Evidence brought out that the baby was enjoying the sunshine under the protection of the tree in Mr. Jones' yard when her person was put in danger by rocks batted by Lloyd Miller and some other boys. Mr. Jones warned the boys to stop, which they did. Lloyd, however, it is alleged, made a few disparaging remarks and ended by saying that Mr. Jones wasn't big enough to whip him. Mr. Jones, then and there, it is averred, "showed" Lloyd, to the latter's pain.

The case was continued for sentence by Judge Cameron.

FOLLOW LEAD OF EUROPEANS

Socialist Party Pledges Itself to Constructive Program of Democrats.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, May 16.—The Socialist party today pledged itself to the "constructive program" of the European democrats by a vote of 145 to 43, which was cabled to Europe.

The resolutions on which the vote was taken by the delegates in convention practically commit the party to a policy of inaction until it is "in power." In the meantime the Socialists will advocate municipal ownership, shorter hours and the abolition of child labor. The convention overwhelmingly adopted the platform as a whole. Morris Hilquit was re-elected international secretary.

IDAHO PROHIS TO RUN STATE TICKET

Boise, Ida., May 16.—The Idaho Prohibitionists have arranged to hold a state convention at Pierce park, near this city, September 2, at which full state and congressional tickets will be named. The meeting is to last for several days. An extensive program will be prepared. It is expected this will be the largest temperance convention ever held in Idaho. Speakers of national reputation will deliver addresses. The temperance sentiment that has been spreading over many other states of the Union seems to have struck Idaho, and the workers in that cause are unusually active.

PRESIDENT'S RIGHT TO DISMISS SOLDIER

New York, May 16.—That the president of the United States has the right to summarily dismiss a soldier was the inference drawn from a decision rendered today by Justice Hough in the case of Oscar W. Reid, a soldier, who sued to recover $122 as wages from the date of his dismissal to the expiration of his enlistment.

Reid was one of the men whom President Roosevelt dismissed in Brownsville, Texas. District Attorney Stimson insisted that the president had the right to dismiss Reid, and Justice Hough evidently thought the contention was well taken, for he gave judgment in favor of the government.

CAPTAIN TAUSSIG TO BE REAR ADMIRAL

Washington, May 16.—The president today sent the following nominations to the senate:

To be rear admiral, Captain Edward D. Taussig; to be major general of the marine corps, Brigadier General George F. Elliott.

MOSQUITO FLEET AT SACRAMENTO

California Capital City Extends Warm Welcome to Officers and Men.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Sacramento, May 16.—Sacramento is having a fleet celebration all her own. Following the example of her sister cities of the coast the capital is showing her appreciation of the American navy and the tremendous feat of the Atlantic fleet by royally entertaining officers and men of the fourth torpedo flotilla which arrived here last night.

As the mosquito fleet shoved its nose around the last bend of the river below the city a salute of 21 guns was fired and every whistle in town expressed a welcome. The motor boats of the Sacramento Boat club formed an escort of honor and Mayor White and city officials and committeemen boarded the Preble. A street parade followed.

The officers will be wined and dined and tendered receptions and balls for a week, while Jackie will be the recepient of every possible attention. A sailor's uniform is a free pass to theatres, streetcars and suburban electric lines, ball games, etc. Next Tuesday there will be aquatic events with races between crews of the little vessels and a big boxing contest at night. Automobile trips and other features are also planned.

This morning the men of the flotilla went to the American river range with the national guard of this city to practice with small arms. This afternoon officers and men will attend the Stockton-Sacramento State league baseball game. Tonight the enlisted men will be entertained by the national guardsmen at a ball at Turner hall, while the officers will occupy boxes at the Clunie theatre. Tomorrow morning special services for officers and men will be conducted at the Catholic cathedral and at one of the Protestant churches. In the afternoon baseball will again claim attention and in the evening there will be a sacred concert on the Plaza.

FAVOR CHURCH UNION; OPPOSE REDDY BILL

Salem, Or., May 16.—The state convention of the young people's branch union of the Oregon conference of the United Brethren in Christ closed its state convention here last evening. A resolution favoring the proposed union of the churches of the Evangelical association, the Methodist Protestant and the United Brethren denominations was adopted. The convention also went on record as opposed to the "home rule" bill which will be upon the June ballot, declaring it a measure in favor of saloons.

Bishop N. Castle, D. D., of Portland, was among the speakers last evening.

FESTIVAL SOUVENIR BOOK BY MISS COOK

Miss Marion Cook, a Portland author, is bringing out a little souvenir book, "A Week of Roses," for the Rose Festival, which is unique in its idea. The little book has views of Portland done in sepia, quotations of poetic verse concerning roses, with decorations by Miss Cook, and memorandum leaves in which the visitor may jot down the happenings of Festival week. The brochure should be a pleasant souvenir of the time and occasion in Portland, and also a dainty remembrance to send to eastern friends. Miss Cook's former book, "Where Rolls Hood River," which was brought out just before Christmas, has had a large sale. The first edition is nearly exhausted.

STABS SOLDIER AND BLUEJACKET

Mystery Surrounds Fatal Wounding of Sailor From U. S. S. Minnesota.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, May 16.—In an early morning saloon row William Nagle, a sailor from the United States ship Minnesota, received knife wounds that will probably prove fatal, and F. T. Burns, a soldier from the Presidio was stabbed in the left groin. Edward T. Reilly is held on suspicion of having stabbed the men.

Reilly came into the Central Emergency hospital at 3 o'clock this morning with blood streaming from a scalp wound. To the hospital attendant he stated that he had fallen on the sidewalk, striking his head. About the same hour Nagle and Burns were picked up by a policemen and taken to the Central Emergency hospital, where Reilly was being treated.

Seeing a look of recognition pass between the two men the officer questioned Nagle and Burns as to who stabbed them and whether it was Reilly. This the sailor and soldier at first denied, but later identified Reilly as being the man who had stabbed them. Reilly was under the influence of liquor but the soldier and sailor were sober. The police are of the opinion that the men are attempting to conceal the motive of the stabbing.

GOBBLED LAND

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tion a larger tract in the foothills of the Blue mountains for grazing.

This allotment was made and a large tract of land was left without Indian owners. Accordingly it was provided by act of congress that the lands left without holders, being public lands, should be sold at public sale in Pendleton. This sale was held in 1891 and at that time a great many tracts were disposed of, most of the available agricultural land being picked up at the government prices by purchasers.

Acreage Left Unsold.

After this sale, however, there were remaining some 25,000 acres of land, mostly grazing land and unfit for cultivation under conditions prevailing at that time. This land remained without owners until 1902 and in the meantime squatters had taken up much of the remaining agricultural land and had made improvements upon it.

The conditions of things was explained to the Oregon delegation in congress and in 1902 an act was passed authorizing the sale of the lands which had not been sold at the first sale. It was provided in the act that the lands should be sold in the order of the filings made, provision being made that bonafide settlers with improvements on land should be given an opportunity to file on the tracts upon which they had squatted.

It was here that the fraud began, so it is said. Colonel Raley procured maps and plats of the lands, and valuations of each tract, and charged the squatters for making their filings at La Grande for them. When the time for filing came Colonel Raley represented close to nine tenths of all the filings made. This fact was not of itself unlawful, as Colonel Raley appeared as the attorney for the applicants. It has developed through the investigation of the land office, however, that many of the claims med upon were not filed according to the law and in this illegal filing it is said that a number of prominent residents of Pendleton, Umatilla county and eastern Oregon are implicated.

Clause Stricken From Law.

In order to make the task of securing the lands more easy, those who had their eyes upon the most valuable tracts conceived the idea of having the residence clause removed from the law. For this purpose Senator Fulton was invited to Pendleton by those in the deal and was driven over a portion of the country, being shown the lands. It was demonstrated to him, from the route taken that the lands were barren and good for nothing but grazing and he had the residence and cultivation clause stricken from the law.

The district attorney's office will not discuss the details of the case nor what the investigations have disclosed. The announcement, however, that the matter is to be submitted to the grand jury leads to the conclusion that the federal authorities consider that they have evidence sufficient to secure an indictment of all those connected with the frauds.

Southern Oregon Cases.

In regard to the cases near Roseburg an investigation has been made by agents of the land department and the evidence they collected will be laid before the grand jury.

It is claimed by the actual settlers in that section that when lands lately opened for settlement were filed on they had 60 days' preference because of actual residence on the land. But when these actual settlers came to file on their homes they found men in line who, it is claimed, were filing on the land as timber, stone and lieu land in the interests of other parties, which is against the law. Seeing that another tract of land will soon be opened there this matter will be investigated by the grand jury and such action taken as the jury may direct.

Some other causes of complaint have arisen in regard to the settling of the railroad land grant lands. About 3,500 entries have been made through certain parties who claimed to be able to give settlers working through them special advantages. This will probably come under violation of the postal laws.

Many of these cases originated some years ago but have been kept alive in the eye of the law by later acts within the past three years. The calling of the grand jury at this time is necessary because many of these cases would soon run out under the statute of limitations.

CATHOLIC CLUB'S FAIR POSTPONED

Owing to the heavy rain of the past three days the Catholic Young Men's club thought it advisable to postpone the opening of the proposed street fair on Morris street between Williams avenue and Stanton street, until next Monday, or perhaps until next Saturday, if the council will extend its permit for the use of the street.

The street fair, which is being projected by the club to raise funds for the furnishing of the handsome new clubhouse, is mainly a local talent affair.

Most of the concessions are being run by the different societies. The vaudeville performers called the "Plantation Singers," include some of the best vocalists in Portland. This attraction will give daily performances.

O. R. & N. PLANS 700-FOOT TUBE

New Tunnel at Corbett Part of Improvements Now Almost Finished.

A new tunnel 700 feet long at Corbeet, on the rebuilt main line of the O. R. & N. company between Troutdale and Bopneville, will be completed and trains running through it in about 25 days. The entire 17 miles between these two points, now nearly rebuilt, will be ready for operation by the middle of June. The work has cost considerably in excess of $600,000, the original estimate.

It is said the new trackage will embrace fully 12 miles of the total distance, and about that much track will be abandoned. Tunnel No. 1, so long in service, will be abandoned on account of the curvature at that point, and the new tunnel will be an important change for the reason that it will enable the company to run trains with more speed and safety.

A vast amount of improvements have been put on the O. R. & N. main line in the last two or three years, in addition to the construction of the Umatilla Central, the Arlington-Condon branch, and the Riparia-Lewiston line. All these extensions and improvements, including many steel bridges, have been of the most massive and substantial character.

There is no intimation as to when other Harriman railroad extensions in Oregon will be undertaken. General Manager J. P. O'Brien, who has been for the last two weeks in southern California, will return home tomorrow. He has been on a trip for rest and recreation.

Contractors in charge of the construction of the Pacific Railway & Navigation company's line to Tillamook have not received instructions to resume work, neither has there been any sign or resumption of work on the Drain-Coos Bay line.

BINGHAM SPRINGS HENCEFORTH WENAHA

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Or., May 16.—The name of Bingham Springs, the famous summer resort and sanitarium 30 miles east of this city in the Blue mountains, has been changed to Wenaha Springs, by J. A. Borle, the new proprietor, and hereafter all the literature and advertising matter from the springs will bear the name of Wenaha Springs. Bingham Springs was named for Dr. J. E. Bingham of Walla Walla, who located the place and established the resort there.

Wenaha is a Nez Perce Indian word, and means a place "just beyond," "over there," or "a little further on," and is pronounced with the accent on the second syllable.

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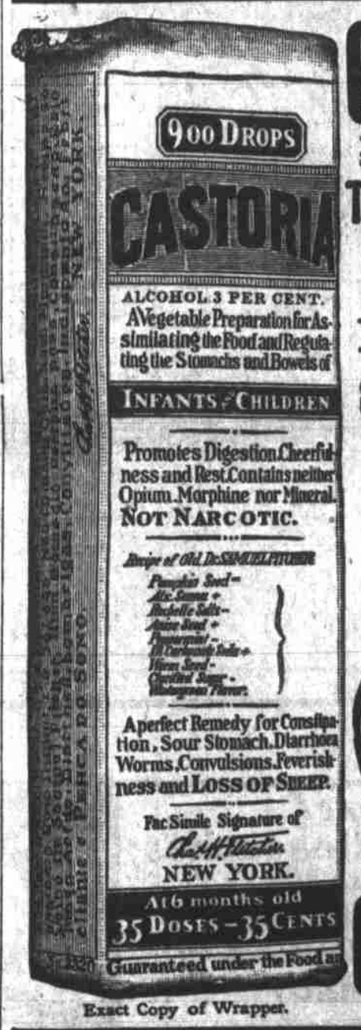

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