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Harriman Interests Distribute Anonymous Circulars Attacking Railroad Commissioner—Plan Is to Elect Their Own Man.

The hand of the Harriman railroad system has appeared in the fight to elect a new railroad commissioner...

Hamilton, the railroad choice, was for years in the saloon business, and is a member of the bartenders' union. He ran against Aitchison in the primaries...

That a vote for Hamilton is a vote for Harriman has become plain by the developments of the last few weeks.

ARRESTS IN MAY BELOW APRIL MARK

Three Murders the Features of the Month in Police Annals.

Compared with the April report the May report of the police department shows a marked decrease in crime in Portland.

WOMAN IN THE PULPIT CAUSES BIG PROTEST

Bremen, June 1.—The Bremen Kirchentag, organ of the Lutheran state church, is here today...

FOUR BOYS HELD UP THE GREAT NORTHERN

Great Falls, Mont., June 1.—The hold-up Saturday night of the Great Northern train at the stockyards near this city was the work of four boys...

BRYAN DENOUNCES CURRENCY BILL

Chadron, Neb., June 1.—In a speech here today William J. Bryan denounced the provisions of the Aldrich-Vreeland currency bill...

MILITARY POLICE TO PROTECT THE FESTIVAL

Every Train Crowded With Carnival Visitors—Thousands of Passengers From Western Washington on One Train Is the Record Thus Far.

Within a radius of 200 miles Portland is today the focusing point of the Pacific northwest. Streams of people are headed for this city, crowding every train and more will continue to come for the next 48 hours...

Among the first arrivals this morning were 35 people from the Sacramento valley, California, who came in a special train running as the second section of No. 16, Southern Pacific.

Willamette Valley Well Liked. "We enjoyed immensely the trip through the Willamette valley this morning," said Secretary Miller.

The Sacramento party spent the day in Portland, and tomorrow they will take the Columbia river trip to The Dalles by the regular train on the steamer J. N. Teal.

Trains Are Crowded. On the inland empire excursion it was suggested to Secretary Miller, by General Passenger Agent McMurray, that the Sacramento valley people should be taken care of by the regular trains.

Indications That New Portland-Vancouver Service Is Planned.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Vancouver, Wash., June 1.—After several months of dickering for the sale of the Vancouver street railway...

While the final papers have not been actually signed, there is no doubt about the fact being closed. All details have been arranged.

At this evening's meeting of the council, the new owners, representatives of the city, will ask for certain changes in the franchise, altering the route of the road.

While nothing official is given out, it has not been denied that the line is to be used in connection with a suburban service over the north bank line between Vancouver and Portland.

TREASURY IS NOT WORRIED

He Says If Missing Money Was Paid Into His Office It Will Be Found.

(United Press Lined Wire.) San Francisco, June 1.—John J. Greif, deputy county clerk in 1903, and now a deputy in City Treasurer McDonald's office, today told the finance committee of the board of supervisors...

After establishing this question of veracity between the two witnesses the committee adjourned until Wednesday, when it is expected that Greif and McDonald, now in Sacramento, will be the star witness.

If the money was paid into my office it was found there. It wasn't paid in it naturally won't be there.

This was the statement of City Treasurer John McDonald of San Francisco, who arrived in Sacramento today from the Yosemite valley, where he has been attending the natives' convention...

After the capitol, where he went for the purpose of making his annual tax settlement with the state for the city and county of San Francisco, McDonald left for the city of Sacramento.

PLASTER PORTRAITS POPULAR

London, June 1.—Plaster portraits are the fashionable form of "counterfeit presentation" in London. They are done in the form of miniature busts or busts of the face of half a guinea (12.5) apiece.

QUONG'S BULLET PROBABLY FATAL

Clyde Wilson Harried Laundryman at Forest Grove—Voters on East Side Patronize Spread Furnished by Anti-Saloon Workers.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Forest Grove, Or., June 1.—Clyde Wilson of this city was shot late Saturday night by Quong Lee while attempting to rough house the oriental laundry man and will probably die from the effects of the wounds.

Wilson was intoxicated and on his way home with Walter Devlin purchased materials for a lunch. Devlin claims that Wilson told him he was going into the wash house to treat Quong Lee to a free lunch.

Workers at the polls are not sanguine of carrying either the district or county tickets. The street to Sellwood or the one embracing the territory from East Morrison street to St. Johns street...

In precincts 52, 53 and 63 the women in charge of the free-lunch tents are making a determined struggle to win over anti-prohibition voters, and at each of the places were able to boast more than a dozen converts to the anti-saloon cause.

The electric railroads leading into Portland brought thousands of people during the day from all territory tributary to their lines.

The crowds on the opening day of the festival, while large, are no criterion of what they will be succeeding four or five days.

Quong Lee, Forest Grove Laundryman and Gun Man. Lunch and had just rung the door bell when two pistol shots were fired.

Considerable sympathy is expressed by citizens for the Chinese because gangs of boys have occasionally bombarded his washhouse, and they argue that Quong Lee was justified in protecting his own home.

Parla, June 1.—Premier Clemenceau is making great efforts to suppress the gambling habit which is rampant in Paris as fiercely as ever.

PHONE BETS BY LONG DISTANCE

Practically all the Chamberlain money on the result of the election of United States senatorship was gobbled up by men who believe Calkins will be the people's choice.

WIFE LOSES FORTUNE; ABANDONED BY COUNT

Berlin, June 1.—Because Viscountess Cicray the granddaughter of the late Duke Carl of Brunswick, who left his enormous fortune to the city of Geneva, lost her suit asking for a portion of the estate, her husband, Count Wolf von Durbach, has abandoned her.

The physicians at the Germantown hospital and Peter's shoulder blade are old acquaintances. A short time ago the ambulance was called to take him to the hospital.

FESTIVAL EVENTS OF THE WEEK

The program for the festival is as follows: Evening—Feast of lanterns and general illumination; Coast Admen's rose banquet.

10 A. M.—Monster prize parade of floral decorated automobiles. Evening—Venetian water carnival, procession of illuminated public and private craft.

10 A. M.—Magnificent street parade of floral decorated vehicles, competitive floats, equestrian clubs, etc., including the marvelous Japanese "Cherry Blossom" procession.

Morning—Business houses' receptions to Portland visitors. Evening—Allegorical and historical parade of electric floats, including "Chinese Dragon"; grand ball at Armory.

Morning—Regatta on the river; crews from Victoria, Vancouver and the University of Washington will compete. Noon—Grand parade of Woodmen of the World.

ASQUITH FINDS HIMSELF IN AWKWARD POSITION WITH PENSIONERS

Asquith Finds Himself in Awkward Position With Pensioners—Inherits the Problem From Other Premiers—News Notes.

With a large number of delegates present from all parts of the Pacific northwest and British Columbia, the semi-annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's association was called to order in the convention hall of the Commercial club this morning.

Seattle was chosen as the convention city for 1908, and the chief order of business this morning was the consideration of a scheme for the reorganization of the association allowing members of the state branches to become members of the association by taking out a membership in the state associations, and the enactment of legislation in the various states to exclude fake advertising.

What "Made in Oregon" Did. The meeting was purely business except for the address of Tom Richardson of the Commercial club, who addressed the delegates on "Municipal Legislation."

Mayor Lane welcomed the ad men in behalf of the city, and was followed by C. W. Hodson, president of the Commercial club, who extended the courtesies of the club to the visitors.

Mr. Asquith inherited the problem along with his premiership. Naval retrenchment was his first program, and the little Englanders applauded. But a scheme to reduce the navy was opposed by a number of disreputable politicians—disclosed that the Little Englanders were in a position to win majority and that if the government were to continue in office it must meet Germany's program of naval aggrandizement.

This left only the alternative of some sort of a compromise in the matter of old age pensions. Therefore Mr. Asquith, coming to the aid of the old age pension bill which he invites the working classes to accept as fulfillment of a promise made in 1905.

Workmen's Compensation. The new workmen's compensation act—or, as it would be called in the United States, a "workmen's law"—is having some curious twists and turns. Nothing more novel has come up, however, than what has recently tried in the Preston county court.

St. Helena, the famous island prison of the great Napoleon, is in dire straits. After a long and arduous struggle, prisoners were sent there and for a time there was prosperity, but now the prisoners are gone and the troops guarding the island have been transferred to other duties.

Sells Warships. Most everything in the world, even a kingdom it is said has been sold under the hammer. The other day, the British government sold at auction at Portsmouth the obsolescent fleet of the Royal Navy.

When John Bull does a thing he does it thoroughly, no matter whether he is the John Bull of the "Right Little Island" or the John Bull of the world.

Five More Deaths in Big Texas Flood. Dallas, Tex., June 1.—Five more deaths were added today to the large number caused by the overflowing of the Trinity river, which continues to do damage property.

Many deaths occurred among people who risked their lives obtaining a bearing on the losses. They were caught by the rushing water and drowned. Many are still missing, and it is thought that an accurate list of the victims may never be known.

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CLEVELAND HAS THEATRE PANIC

Cleveland, Ohio, June 1.—Fire broke out this afternoon in the Keith vaudeville theatre while it was crowded with a matinee audience of women and children.

By wonderful work on the part of the attendants the crowd was kept in order and left the theatre without any stampede.

The fire was caused by crossed wires behind the stage. At first it seemed that it would spread quickly and there were sudden visions in the minds of everyone about the place of another Iroquois disaster.

Jeppson was in his dressing room when he heard the alarm and he hurriedly made his heart fall him. He fell forward, striking his head on a table and died in a few minutes.

AT EMERYVILLE TRACK TODAY

Emeryville, Cal., June 1.—First race, four and a half furlongs; purse, two-twenty-five dollars. 107, 16, 3, 2, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

HIS SHOULDER BLADE OUT FOR 100TH TIME

Sauer Kraut Lane Man Has the Habit—Does It Tying His Shoe. Philadelphia, June 1.—Peter Stroup, who lives at Sauer Kraut lane and Ritzenhouse street, Germantown, has an inconvenient shoulder blade. This week he threw it out of joint for the hundredth time.

The sensitive bones reached its century anniversary while its owner tried to tie his shoes. But Peter does not need an excuse for an excuse to play hide and seek with that shoulder blade.

SIR ERNEST CASSEL TO GIVE HOUSE WARMING

London, June 1.—The palatial Park Lane mansion of Sir Ernest Cassel, the multi-millionaire, will be opened during the present season, and the "house-warming" will be one of the smartest functions of the season.

Sir Ernest's new house was formerly the town house of Lord Tweedmouth, and some years ago was rented for a season by the Whiteley Reids before being purchased by Sir Ernest.

Circus Indians in Fatal Row at Cards. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., June 4.—As the result of a drunken row in Pendleton early yesterday morning Harry Chas. Eagle, a member of the band of Sioux Indians who the Sells-Flores circus which showed here Saturday in Dead, and Black Eagle, his comrade, is at the point of death at a Walla Walla hospital.

After the show here he went to a good time with a number of Umatilla braves. A card game ended in a row. As soon as Walla Walla was reached by the circus, which is showing there today, a physician was summoned, but too late to save the wounded man.