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## FULTON INTIMATES MAY MAKE FIGHT FOR SENATORSHIP

### BIG DEAL INVOLVES THOUSANDS

S. E. Corner of Sixth and Washington Sts. Changes Hands for \$250,000—Ten-Story Building Will Be Constructed.

Third Highest Assessed Corner in City—Another Improvement Promised and Will Make Record for Building Permits.

The largest and most important sale of Portland realty made within a year was closed this morning when the property at the southeast corner of Sixth and Washington streets changed hands for a consideration of \$250,000.

The corner is one of the most valuable in the city and stands on the tax assessor's books as the third highest assessed corner in Portland. It has a frontage of 100 feet on Washington street and 50 feet on Sixth street, and is covered by several small frame buildings occupied as retail stores.

**Fourth Big Sale.**  
This is the fourth large deal made in the Portland retail district in the past ten days. And together with the announcements of new buildings on the other sites purchased means the immediate expenditure of nearly \$1,000,000 in new buildings on three of the sites. It is also the second sale of downtown Washington street property since the present heavy real estate movement set in four years ago. The other site sold was the Olds, Worsman & King corner, in the same block and adjoining the Lable corner on the east, which was purchased nearly ten years ago by O'Shea Brothers for \$310,000. Compared with the sale of the Olds, Worsman & King corner today's transaction shows a substantial increase in Washington street property.

**Negotiated by Henry.**  
It is understood that the sale of the Lable corner was negotiated through the agency of Charles K. Henry & Son, who decline to give out any information concerning the transaction. Mr. Henry has negotiated the sale of over \$700,000 worth of Portland business property in the past two weeks.

### GOMPERS SETTLES BRYAN CABLE BY POSITIVE DENIAL

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, July 30.—George W. Perkins, chief of the cigar makers' union, today received a letter from Samuel Gompers denying that he ever sent or caused to be sent a cable to William Randolph Hearst urging Hearst to support Bryan. The letter says:  
"The fact is, the chief merit in the statement that I authorized a cable to be sent to Hearst is that there is no truth in it."

### Was Despondent and Broke.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, July 30.—Sitting at the side of his mother-in-law in Laurillard cemetery, Al Martin, 41, said today that he was despondent and broke after losing \$100,000 through the loss of a note left to his wife explained that he was despondent and financially depressed.

### A WORD TO THE WISE!

The Sunday Morning Journal of August 2nd is a word to the wise. It will place you in a position to be satisfied.  
No newspaper on the Pacific coast puts out a better Sunday magazine than The Journal and the Sunday Journal is going to be a success.  
There will be more special features in the Sunday magazine next week. But this is not the only reason for the evolution of The Sunday Journal which has been steadily improving ever since it was inaugurated.  
Keep your eye on

**THE SUNDAY JOURNAL**  
For 11¢ it is more than worth the price.

### LIVESTOCK BUYERS ARE CALLED IN

Saturday Begins New Regime When Portland Will Supply Entire Northwest—All Buying to Be Done Through This City.

Buying and Selling Hereafter at Local Yards—Both Producer and Buyer to Receive Big Benefits by Change in Methods.

Beginning next Saturday morning Portland will have the only real union stockyards on the Pacific Coast. On that date the Portland Union Stockyards company will entirely sever its commission business from the regular yard business and hereafter all arrivals will be turned over to regular commission houses of livestock dealers.

On that date will begin the transformation of Portland into a large packing center as well as a regular livestock market. Hereafter, or as soon as the change can possibly be made, all buying of livestock for the entire Pacific northwest will be made through Portland. It is the intention of Frye-Bruhn Co. of Seattle, the Tacoma Meat company and other Puget sound buyers of note to withdraw their buyers from the field and purchase everything at Portland. The Union Meat company and Swartzchild & Sulzberger will likewise purchase everything in the livestock line in the Portland union stockyards.

Instead of paying out vast sums of money to withdraw their buyers from the field, the meat companies will save this amount by purchasing in the yards. The producer will receive the big benefit of the new order of things because it will make this a central selling market where the various buyers will be in competition with each other every day of the year.

**Establish More Offices.**  
S. E. Gould, two years assistant manager of the local stockyards, has covered his own ground by installing a new system of buying and selling at the yards and within a few days the new system will be in vogue here for the first time.

The new order of things Portland's supremacy in the livestock business will be revealed much better returns and buyers will be able to secure their supplies at less prices because of the elimination of the heavy charges for buyers with their traveling expenses.

The situation of the livestock market will be held at the old yards on Southeastern and Vaughn streets and by the new yards on the new site. The new arrangement will be working smoothly. This new arrangement says M. Plummer, president of the stockyards company, "is going to be a big thing for Portland as well as the livestock business. It will center the entire livestock industry of the Pacific northwest at Portland, thus making it the only place where the buyer will only send their stock direct if it will enable the new system to be put into operation with practically no delay."

### NIGHT RIDERS MAKE THREATS

Declare They Will Blow Up Trains Unless Troops Vacate Railroad Property.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Louisville, July 30.—Officers of the Illinois Central railroad today took precautions to prevent the execution of threats made by night riders to wreck trains unless military troops were vacated from railroad property to be ordered to vacate immediately.

### Independence League Choice



John Temple Graves of Georgia, has been nominated for vice president of the United States by the Independence party. He was backed by the Washington delegation from the district of Columbia, who were instructed to vote for William Randolph Hearst for president.

Mr. Graves is an orator of marked ability, a lecturer and writer. He attended the Independence convention for an all-time democrat of the party, and it is stated that a strong movement has been on foot at various places to secure Mr. Graves a seat in the United States senate by his democratic friends, but as he has refused to run.

### DIRECT FREIGHTS NOT AFFECTED

Manager Schwerin Says San Francisco and Portland Will Have Orient Boats

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
San Francisco, July 30.—General Manager R. P. Schwerin of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, which concerns operates the Portland & Astoria Steamship company between the orient, San Francisco and Portland, this morning answered to a question whether the Portland and Astoria steamers would be withdrawn as a result of the proposed commerce raising of trans-Pacific freights.

### DECLARATIONS ARE FILED BY DEMS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Omaha, Wash., July 30.—The results of Monday's conference of Democrats in Tacoma are shown by the filing today of the declarations of candidacy of A. J. Spohn of North Yakima for governor, and Harry H. Collier of Tacoma for lieutenant-governor. The Democrats now have two candidates for governor, two for lieutenant-governor, one for congressman from the third district and one for United States senator. It is expected that a full list will be filed before the time expires August 3.

### SALOON HOLDUP LANDS IN JAIL

Customer and Barkeep Are Game, and Tie Mr. Bad Man Up Hand and Foot.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, July 30.—William Gomez, the man with the white mask, is in jail today after being overpowered and held hand and foot while attempting to hold up the saloon of C. Haslagen, where he met his match in Matthew J. Gould, a mill hand.

### CORVALLIS PLEDGE IN BACKGROUND

Question Whether He Will Again Be Senatorial Candidate Not Important, Fulton Declares, but No Democrat Should Go.

Promise Not to Again Go Before Legislature, He Says, Would Not Preclude Him From Again Becoming a Candidate.

Senator Fulton's statement:

"The question as I view it as to whether or not I will become a candidate before the legislature for reelection is not important and I am giving it no consideration whatever. The question is—shall a state with a large Republican majority thoroughly committed to and believing in Republican principles and policies, be represented in the United States senate by a Democrat? So far as I am concerned I do not hesitate to say that I think it should be represented by a Republican, by one who will represent the political convictions of a large majority of the voters of this state.

"As far as my Corvallis speech is concerned in thing that I have said then or that I have said at any time would preclude me from being a candidate if I saw fit to become one, but I am not now considering that matter at all, nor do I choose at the present time to give any expression concerning it."

Senator Charles W. Fulton, who is a Portland voter today, is to be a candidate before the next session of the legislature to succeed himself as United States senator and by so doing he attempts to break down the absolute pledge given to the people by a majority of the members of the assembly. Not that the senator has said that he is to become a candidate, but the fact is plain from the efforts of his friends and from his own answers to questions that have been put to him regarding the matter.

### THEY SAY HEE HAW DER KAISER

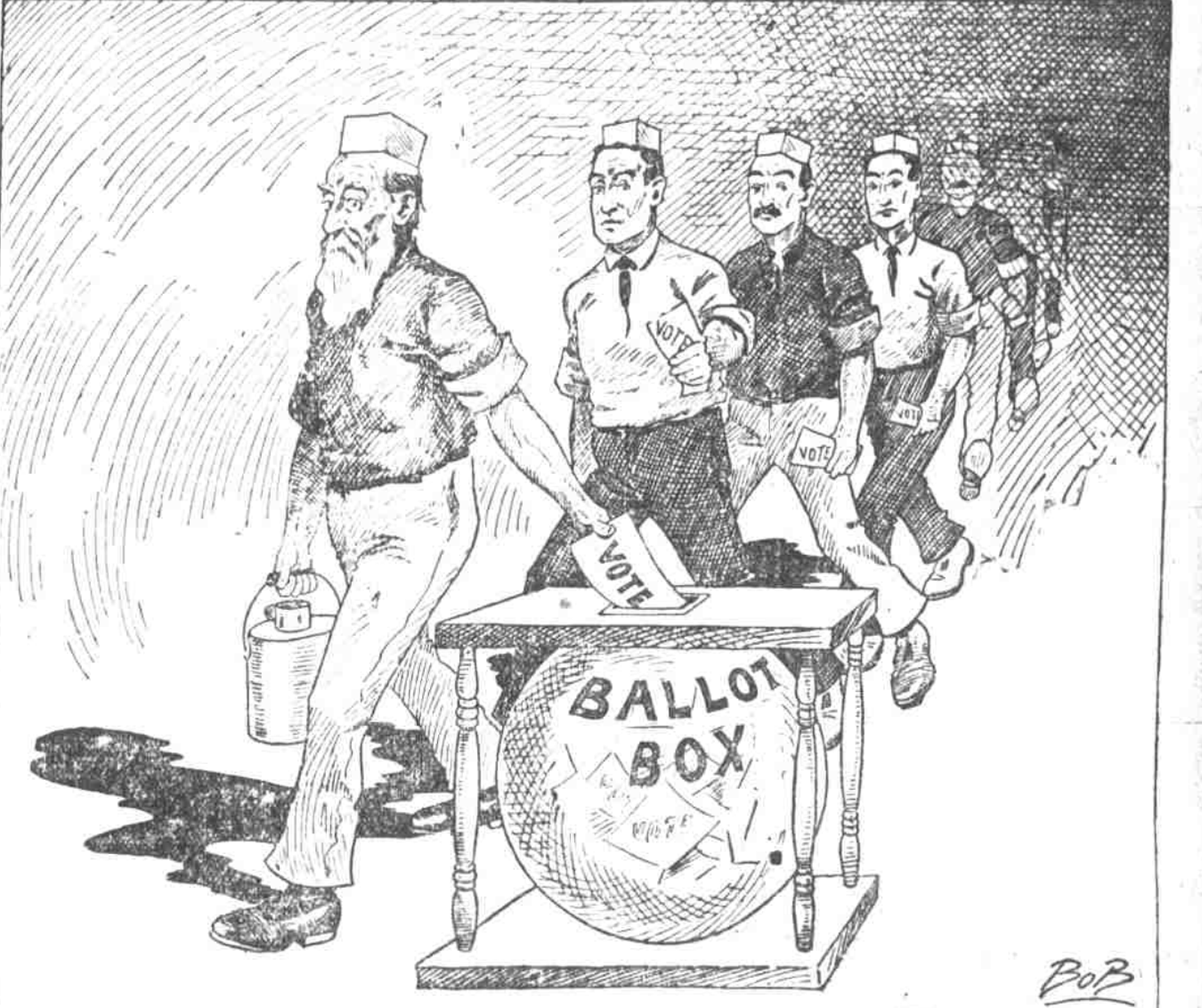
German Prince and Dance Lady Make Funny Jokes Mit Him.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Berlin, July 30.—Kaiser Wilhelm learned today that he had been outwitted and defeated by a girl and was forced to admit the victory of the little girl of love in the face of the imperial man date of the great emperor, for Marie Suizer, the former dancer queen, has been the wife of the Kaiser. Following the marriage since August 15 of last year. The marriage was made known this afternoon from the first time and the news came as a great shock to society and society in general in Berlin.

When it became known a week ago that the prince intended to marry the dancer who then was the Baroness Hohenberg, the Kaiser's advisers were to discourage the match. Failing to convince the love-mad prince that he was making a mistake, he issued an order banishing Joachim to Africa. His father believed that a year on the southern continent would ruin his ardor and make him listen to reason.

### TAFT'S MANAGERS TRY TO APPEASE ELEMENT WHICH OPPOSES HIS VIEWS



The Sort of Campaign Contributions Mr. Taft Looks for and Mr. Bryan Will Receive.

### SUIT TO BLOCK LUMBER MERGER

Hadley of Missouri Opens in Federal Court Upon Yellow Pine Combine.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
St. Louis, Mo., July 30.—A suit to restrain a proposed merger of lumber companies throughout the United States into a government combine to control the yellow pine industry was brought today in the circuit court by Attorney-General Hadley of Missouri.

### COSTLY FIRE AT ABERDEEN.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Aberdeen, Wash., July 30.—Fire which started about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon on the lower part of the block between Heron and 1st streets, destroyed about \$100,000 worth of property.

### SOME LEADERS ARE HELPING HIM

Political Bosses Seem to Think an Issue Has Been Created.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Chicago, July 30.—Noticeably strong efforts on the part of Republican campaign managers to overcome the feeling among union labor men against the candidacy of William H. Taft have shown results in campaign literature widely distributed showing that Taft is not the enemy of labor he is accredited with being. The Republican managers are doing all in their power, with the aid of the Republican press, to turn the tide in Mr. Taft's favor, but thus far they have not succeeded very well.

### DRYING WHILE BATHING.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Seattle, July 30.—A 25-year-old proprietor of the Superior amusements near Green Lake was drowned last night in that lake while bathing. He is supposed to have been seized with cramps. The body has been recovered.

### LEPERS DESIRE DEATH TOGETHER

Pathetic Case of Brigadier-General Wardwell and His Wife.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Los Angeles, July 30.—Determined to spend the remaining years of their lives in each other's company, Brigadier-General David K. Wardwell, retired, hero of two wars, and his wife, who is dying of leprosy, are today in hiding in Mexico.

### SEMMES WRIGHT FIGHTS IN DARK

War Secretary's Son Takes on Man Who Bumps Him—Gets Leg Broken.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Memphis, July 30.—Semmes Wright, youngest son of Secretary of War Luke Wright, is suffering from a fracture of the leg in a hospital here as the result of a mysterious fight in a dark alley with an unknown opponent.

### CALIFORNIA'S GAIN IN TAXABLE VALUE

San Francisco, July 30.—The California promotion committee's Bulletin of Statistics, dated July 31, will say: "Evidence of the development of the state is given in the reports for the fiscal year of the county assessors to the state controller. Impressive gains are recorded in most counties over the figures of a year ago and the sum total will show a gain of many millions in the taxable property of the state."

### No Cruise for the Charleston.

Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash., July 30.—The cruiser Charleston will not go to the south seas this fall with the Pacific fleet, but will remain here until October 1, according to advices received today. From this it appears that the Alaska, ordered to Honduras, will make a lengthy stay there.

Another Sign of Progress: It Makes the Public Feet Happy: Get all the Late Sporting and General News in the 8:30 o'clock Edition of The Journal.

