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# BRYAN DEMANDS PROOF FROM ROOSEVELT

## PRESIDENT ATTACKS HASKELL'S CHARACTER

### Made Charges Against Treasurer of Democratic National Committee in Line With Those of Hearst. Sensational Message Asking for Explanation.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Detroit, Sept. 22.—William Jennings Bryan sprung the biggest sensation of the campaign today when he sent a telegram to President Roosevelt demanding that the president prove the charges that Governor Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic national committee, was involved in any Standard Oil scandals and that the Standard Oil trust is back of Bryan in the present campaign for the presidency.

This action by Mr. Bryan was the result of a statement given out by President Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill last night, in which he referred to the allegations of W. R. Hearst against Haskell and literally made similar charges. The message was brief and sharp in its demand for proof of the allegations.

Mr. Bryan's message to Mr. Roosevelt is taken as proof that the stories circulated last night, that Haskell had been made to withdraw as national Democratic treasurer, were false and circulated for the purpose of hurting Mr. Bryan's cause.

The text of Bryan's telegram was as follows:

"In a statement given out by you, you charge the charge against Governor C. N. Haskell that he was once in the employ of the Standard Oil company and as such employed was connected with an attempt to bribe Attorney-General Monette of Ohio to dismiss suits pending against the Standard, an indorsement of the charge you attack the Democratic party and candidate, saying Governor Haskell stands high in the councils of Mr. Bryan.

You add that the publication of this correspondence not merely justifies in a striking fashion the action of the administration, but also casts a curious sidelight on the attacks upon the administration, both in the Denver convention and in Bryan's campaign.

Cannot Ignore Charges. "The charge is so serious that I cannot allow it to go unnoticed. Governor Haskell has denied that he was ever employed by the Standard in any capacity or was ever connected with it in any way.

Governor Haskell demanded an investigation at the time the charge was made, offering to appear and testify. He demands an investigation now.

## CHOLERA CASE ON STOPS RUNAWAY ARMY TRANSPORT AT RISK OF LIFE

### Vessel Puts Back to Port—Society Woman Among Those Detained. James Hickey, Longshoreman, Is Injured When Animal Falls on Him.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—Cable dispatches from Manila report that a case of cholera broke out on the transport Sheridan shortly after her departure from the port. The vessel was ordered to put back to port and is now in quarantine.

Mrs. Inez Shorb-White Buck, formerly San Francisco's society leader, is on board the Sheridan and may not be able to communicate with her friends for some time.

Mrs. Buck had considerable difficulty in getting to the Philippine islands in the first place. She applied for permission to walk on the transport on the ground that she was the fiancée of an army officer, but this was against the rules. After some controversy, a special ruling was made in her case and she went to Manila and was married.

## U. S. MAIL POUCH STOLEN

### Daring Thieves Operate on Platform of Chehalis Depot Under Eyes of Baggage Man—Authorities Suppress News of the Theft.

Chehalis, Wash., Sept. 22.—A letter mail pouch was stolen Monday morning, September 14, at the depot here, and news of the theft has been suppressed until today. The pouch was thrown off the Seattle-Portland train about 2 o'clock and while the night man at the depot was attending to his baggage the thieves made way with it. When the baggage man went to look for the pouch he could not find it, and thinking it had been carried by asked Napaivna, the first station south of here, if the pouch had been thrown off there, and was answered in the affirmative. A pouch had been thrown off at Napaivna but contained only empty sacks and it was several days before the postoffice department discovered the loss, and then the railroad authorities were put in possession of the facts and a search instituted. The pouch was found on the afternoon of September 18 south of this city near the ball park by R. M. O'Neal, but the matter was kept secret by the officials. The pouch had been rifled, there were about 100 letters for this city and 100 for distribution throughout the county in the pouch, but no registered letters or packages as far as can be learned.

A \$500 check given by Carl Motter of this city, which was taken from one of the letters, was found on the road between here and Centralia and turned over to the police there. The finder of the check was held on suspicion for a while, but as no evidence could be shown that he was implicated in the robbery he was released. Railroad detectives from Portland are working on the case.

## NO REVERENCE FOR CHURCH LEADERS

### Morning Paper's List of 539 Persons Who Offended It by Action at Primaries Includes Two Clergymen of Highest Standing.

### Rev. Fathers Gregory and Hughes Thus Victims of Attack in Which Independent Citizens Are Denounced in Bitter Terms.

Included in the list of political "floppers" published by the Oregonian yesterday and who were designated this morning by that paper as perjurers, liars, political thimblebriegers and participants in lying, deceit, perjury, fraud, jugglery and miscellaneous dishonesty are Father J. C. Hughes, pastor of the St. Lawrence church, and Father Gregory, pastor of the Sellwood Catholic church. Neither of the reverend gentlemen look with complacency upon the attack upon their private characters and their political motives.

Yesterday morning The Oregonian published a list of 539 names gleaned from the registration books of Multnomah county and showing a change in political belief between the registration of 1906 and 1908.

These 539, according to the discovery of the Oregonian, had been registered as Democrats in 1906, and had changed their party affiliation to the Republican party at the recent registration of this year. Their purpose in doing this, the Oregonian said, was to further a dishonest, fraudulent, perjured scheme of the Democrats by which the men so changing their names were to vote for H. M. Calk, as being a weaker candidate than Senator Fulton, nominated in the primaries and then voted for Chamberlain in June. All of the 539 men given in the list did this thing, the Oregonian said, and accordingly were perjured, sworn liars, dishonest and undesirable citizens. Because of such citizens as these, the Oregonian argued, the primary law was rotten and should be abolished, and, inferentially, Governor Chamberlain should be repudiated by the legislature and not elected to the United States senate, as the people had voted in June.

That morning the Oregonian followed its attack upon the men mentioned in the list by a lengthy editorial and several shorter ones in one of which it made definite and certain the application of its unavailing designations by saying: "Print the names! Print the names!" shouted the Democrats scoffingly when there was complaint that hundreds of Democrats had registered as Republicans for the dishonest purpose of defeating the action of the Republican primaries. The names have been printed for Portland, there is the record, who can dispute it?

Father Gregory's Denial. Father Gregory for one has come forward to dispute this part of it, and although Father Hughes will not be interviewed on the subject, it is known that he has made emphatic denial of the charges made against him by the Oregonian article. Friends of both, close to them in public and private life have recently been heard in his behalf and are making heated refutation of any dishonest motive or participation in any plot on the part of either of the ministers.

Father Gregory this morning entered the primary law and said: "I am not a Democrat." (Continued on Page Three.)

## CHOLERA MOWS RUSSIANS DOWN

### Five Hundred New Cases in 24 Hours Ending With Last Nightfall.

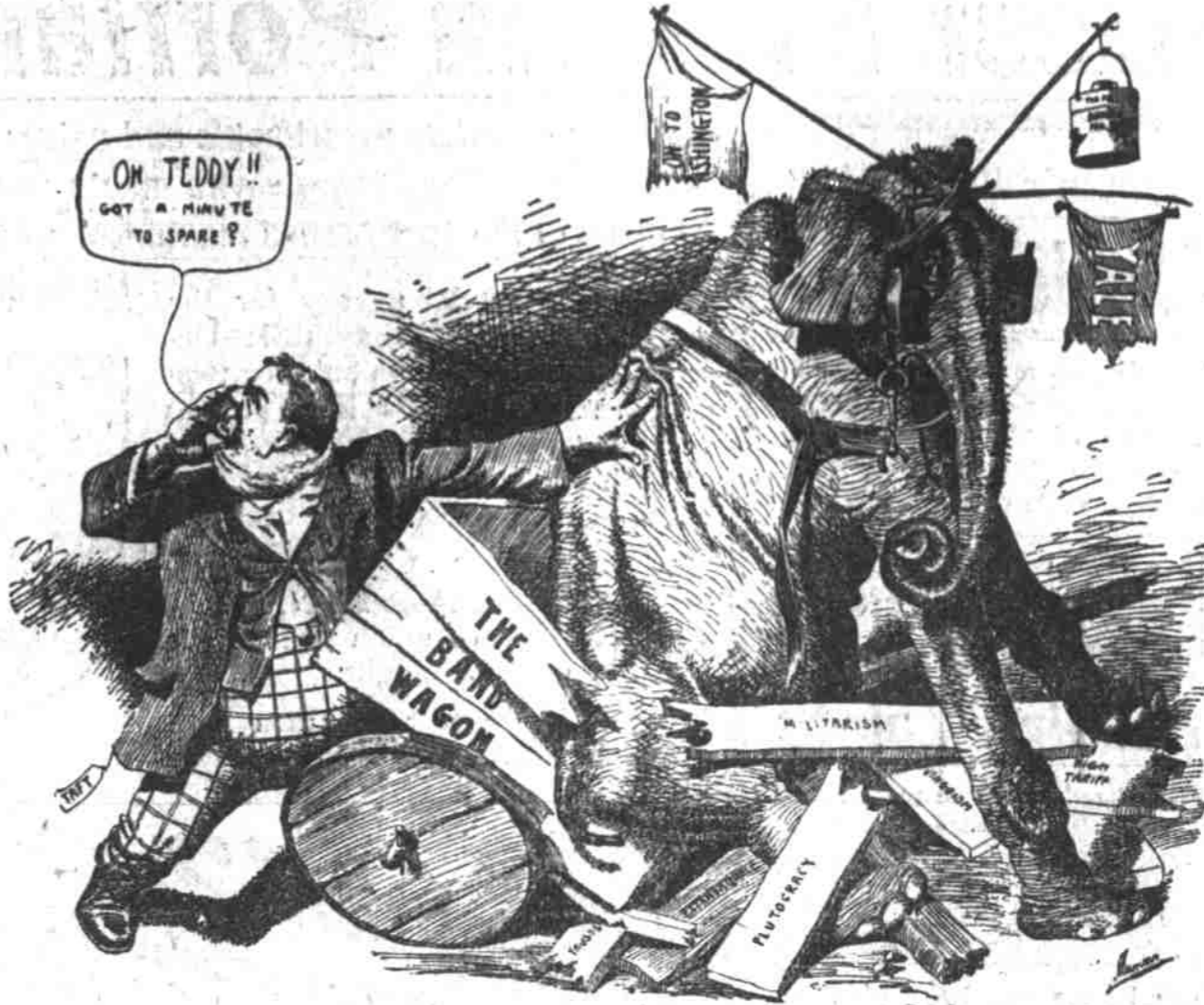
(United Press Leased Wire.)

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—It was announced here tonight that in the 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock September 22, over 500 new cases of cholera have been reported. Many of the new cases reported were in the advanced stages and the death rate is as high as 80 per cent.

## FATAL FIGHT OVER AN AUTO TRADE

(United Press Leased Wire.) El Paso, Texas, Sept. 22.—C. M. Barber, an automobile agent, was arrested today on the charge of murder following the death of R. C. Loomis, who was injured recently in a fight with Barber. The dispute which led to the fatal encounter, was caused by a difference of opinion in an automobile deal.

## COLLAPSING



## TWO ROBBERS TRUSTS BLED A. Y. P. TRAIN HOLD UP BY MAKERS OF LAWS LEAVES FOR PORTLAND

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Auburn, Cal., Sept. 22.—The sheriff and a posse are today scouring the hills of Placer county in search of two masked men who last night held up and robbed George C. Ischburn and 15 persons at a country store at Applegate, a small station 10 miles north of here.

The robbery was committed just after the departure of a local train for Sacramento. Nearly every inhabitant of the village had gathered at the small store and postoffice to get mail when the masked robbers suddenly appeared from behind the building and commanded all of them to hold up their hands. There were several women and children in the crowd and there was little show of resistance.

The whole affair seems to have been carefully planned and the men were cool and collected. There was no chance for any one to give an alarm.

When the Sacramento train stopped at Auburn a short time after the robbery two young men sent their grips to San Francisco by express. They are thought to have been the robbers. Their description tallies with that given by the victims.

The officers think the robbers sent empty grips to San Francisco to throw the pursuers off the track and that they went the other way.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Sept. 22.—John D. Archbold, vice-president and active head of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, today gave out a statement in which he denied that the Standard Oil company is participating in any way in the presidential campaign. He also refers bitterly to business men being "held up by alleged lawmakers."

Archbold, usually reticent and unwilling to talk on any subject for the press, was moved to declare finally that the law violated probably is a dead letter, attention will be drawn to the action of the big merchant by the press and matters go along all right for a time, but only until another politician gets hungry.

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(United Press Leased Wire.)

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The words "Seattle Chamber of Commerce 1908 Excursion" also appear on the medal with the chamber's motto. Aside from the four Pullman coaches and the observation car there will be two diners and two baggage cars in

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## MISSING GIRL MYSTERY DEEPENS

### Heart-Broken Parents of Pearl Haviland Exhaust Resources in Fruitless Effort to Find Daughter—May Be Kidnap Case.

### Disappeared From Home Last Wednesday—Drops From Sight Completely—Father Declares His Belief Relatives to Blame.

Where is Ruby Pearl Haviland? Who can account for the sudden inexplicable and mystifying disappearance? Who can tell now, after her six days' absence, whether the pretty 14-year-old girl is dead, in the hands of kidnapers or wandering aimlessly about, the victim of a sudden mental derangement?

At 749 Roosevelt street a mother's heart is breaking. She starts nervously at the sound of phone or doorbell. On her face are the lines left by nights spent in hopeless worry. In broken words she tells the circumstances of the mystery, published in Sunday's Journal, which have cast a deep shadow of gloom over the pretty home and its inmates. The nervous tension and un-fathomable mystery have nearly prostrated the father, George K. Haviland, an electrical engineer, who in the past week has exhausted his financial resources in a futile effort to gain some inkling which will solve the baffling circumstances of his daughter's disappearance.

Since last Wednesday morning, when Miss Haviland bade her parents goodbye and started for the Chapman school, she has been lost as completely from view as if the earth had opened and engulfed her. Every effort which distracted minds could put forward, and every theory and suspicion of her anxious parents, have been carried out to a futile termination. City detectives have stumped up the case.

"I guess your daughter has left the city. We can do no more," was the laconic and indefinite information which the father received when the phone this morning from police headquarters.

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## CANADIANS SEAL POACHERS

### Captain of Revenue Cutter Bear Turns in Report Alleging That Schooner Thomas H. Bayard Is in the Business.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Sept. 22.—That Canadian fishermen have been engaged during the past summer in seal poaching in Alaskan water in violation of the agreement between the United States and Great Britain, in the substance of a report of Captain Berthoff of the United States revenue cutter Bear to the treasury department today, Captain Berthoff mentions the schooner Thomas H. Bayard as the alleged offender in this report, and an investigation has been started.

## RESULTS WHAT THEY ALL SAY

The experience of unprejudiced advertisers as to the value of the advertising media of Portland, is that The Journal gives far greater results than any other medium. Especially is this true of real estate advertising. It is a well known fact that it is very difficult to sell real estate to people at a distance. The main thing is to get prospective buyers to see the property for sale. The fact that The Journal's circulation is in Portland and Oregon—not in Idaho, California, Texas and the Dakotas—is the secret of the superior results that The Journal yields. The Journal reaches more Oregon and Portland homes than any other medium, and the results prove it. Below is printed an unsolicited testimonial from Arthur Langguth, attorney and counselor at law, whose experience is only that of thousands of other Journal advertisers who are continued of the merits of The Journal.

Portland, September 22, 1908. Oregon Daily Journal: Gentlemen—Unquestionably "Journal" advertising pays. About 10 days ago I sent your office a small "liner ad" offering for sale 400 acres of land in Clatsop county, Wash. The ad appeared twice and brought me a buyer for my land. Enclosed find copy for another "liner ad" to run to and including the issue of the 27th. Yours truly, ARTHUR LANGGUTH, 605-606 McKay building.