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PLOT TO DEFEAT PEOPLE'S CHOICE FAILS

ANYTHING TO BREAK AN OATH

Wily Politicians Would Have Pledged Members Betray Their Constituents—Machine Press and Fulton Help Opposition.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Salem, Or., Jan. 13.—New developments in the Oregon senatorial situation reveal a deep laid plan to defeat the people's choice and deadlock the legislature...

Two Schemes. Two lines are pursued by those who want to defeat Governor Chamberlain, as fully revealed today. A systematic plan of inducements is held out to members who pledged themselves to vote for the popular choice...

Misleading Argument. The argument is brought to bear that what they really were pledged to by Statement No. 1 was to support an amendment to the constitution of the United States...

Benson Brought In. The other line of approach is to persuade members that it is their duty not to vote for Chamberlain unless he will agree in advance to appoint a Republican successor...

Machine Press Helps. The Republican organization at Portland, headed by the Oregonian and Senator Fulton, seems to have worked out this plan of withholding support from the people's choice...

House members have decided to take up the governor's veto messages, held over from the last session, next Monday, two days in advance of the vote on senator, and will try to weaken the statement...

One Weak Kneed Member. One member, Applegate, of Douglas county, who subscribed to the statement to insure his election, now says he meant by it only to endorse the principle of amending the federal constitution...

HARRIMAN'S PILE IS A QUARTER BILLION (United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Jan. 13.—Figures made public in Wall street show that Harriman owns stocks in the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific amounting to over \$116,000,000...

Here is the Story of Pledges Broken by Oregon Legislators

In some past senatorial elections in Oregon, members of the legislature violated their pledges. In 1895 two members of the Multnomah delegation, pledged before their nomination and election to vote for J. N. Dolph for senator, did not keep this pledge...

Two Men Who Stand For the People



Representative James D. Abbott (on left) and Representative W. J. Clemens (right).

WORD "GRAFT" TOO COARSE

Senator Abraham of Douglas Substitutes "Waste"—Last Blow Knocks Out Fake Investigation Scheme—Beach Gives In to Kay.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., Jan. 13.—"Graft" is too coarse a word to be used in an official senate document. This was shown this morning when Senator Abraham of Douglas county moved to strike it out of a resolution reported by Senator Kay from the committee on resolutions...

HUSBANDS FOR ORPHAN GIRLS

Young Italian Workingmen Offer Protection to the Quake Victims.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Naples, Jan. 13.—While the Italian government and those of foreign countries are pouring in money and supplies for the relief of the Sicilian and Calabrian earthquake sufferers, the workmen of this and other cities by hundreds are marrying young girls orphaned by the disaster...

MRS. BROWNING ALSO FELT HYPNOTIC EYES

(United Press Leased Wire.) Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 13.—Mrs. Gideon Browning, widow of the Adair carpenter who was murdered by Rev. John H. Carmichael in the little Methodist church at Columbus, Mich., said today that she believed her husband controlled others besides the minister by hypnotic influence...

FULTON'S MEN ARE LOSING HOPE

See No Chance to Defeat Chamberlain—Try to Get Him to Resign Governorship—Statement Men Are Standing Pat.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., Jan. 13.—The senate has adjourned until 1 o'clock and the house until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Salem, Or., Jan. 13.—Oregon's senatorial game is now open to those on the inside. In order to acquaint those on the outside, but who have votes, an educational committee sometimes vulgarly called a steering committee has been selected by the inner circle to line up the anti-Chamberlain forces...

Senator Fulton's friends want Governor Chamberlain to promise to resign as soon as he is elected senator. By asking such action on his part they virtually admit there is no hope to defeat him, and this lack of hope is caused by their inability to find any statement No. 1 man who will violate the pledge...

BANK ROBBED AT BURBANK

California Cracksmen Use Powder and Haul Plunder Away in Wagon.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Burbank, Cal., Jan. 12.—Robbers dynamited the vaults of the Burbank State bank early today and carried off a large quantity of loot in a wagon. The cracksmen secured between \$300 and \$400 in silver from the outer vaults but officials of the bank have been unable to determine the amount stolen from the inner vaults...

LOUIS GLASS CASE CONTINUED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Louis Glass, vice-president of the Pacific States Telephone company, charged with offering bribes, was represented by his attorneys today as being too ill to appear in court to answer several indictments pending against him...

COAST VESSEL WRECKED, 2 DEAD

The Lumber Laden Steam Schooner Sybil Marston From Grays Harbor for San Pedro Goes Ashore at Southern California.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Surf, Cal., Jan. 13.—Flipping a line from the beach to the wrecked steam schooner Sybil Marston this afternoon, lifesavers rescued the captain and members of the crew who remained aboard the doomed vessel after two sailors lost their lives trying to swim through the surf...

San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Word was received here today that the steamer wrecked near Rocky Point, north of Point Conception, last night was the vessel Sybil Marston, lumber laden from Grays Harbor for San Pedro. Two men were drowned. One body has been recovered...

OCTOGENARIAN A FIRE VICTIM

Railway Magnate's Family Leap From Windows—Mother Is Killed.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 13.—Fire which completely destroyed the handsome residence of Samuel Higgins, general manager of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, caused the death of his mother, Mrs. Isabella H. Moore, aged 84, and the probably fatal injury of his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. E. Higgins...

SEATTLE MAYOR FILES HIS REPORT FOR 1908

Reviews Work of All Municipal Departments for Past Year and Suggests Various Important Reforms—Optimistic Over Future.

In his annual report to the city council, in which he reviews at considerable length the work of the municipal government for the year 1908, Mayor Lane takes a most optimistic view regarding the city's growth and progress and makes a number of recommendations designed to further the interests of the city...

COUNCILMAN-ELECT H. A. HEPPNER AND THE FUTURE MAYOR OF PORTLAND

H. A. Heppner, president of the H. A. Heppner Sales company, was this morning elected by the city council to succeed ex-councilman Dan Kellaher. Three ballots, mainly perfunctory, were taken before the election was announced. Other names voted on were those of W. Y. Masters, L. R. Dane and F. E. Holbrook...

H. A. HEPPNER ELECTED TO COUNCIL

Reviews Work of All Municipal Departments for Past Year and Suggests Various Important Reforms—Optimistic Over Future.



Councilman-elect H. A. Heppner and the future mayor of Portland.

"I see by one of the papers," said he, "that a majority of this council has already agreed upon H. A. Heppner. I have no objection to Mr. Heppner, who is a good man. I have no doubt, but I do object to the present method of selection. I think the choosing of Mr. Kellaher's successor should be open and the people have a right to have a chance to express their choice of the new councilman."

ALASKANS FELT JAR BUT LITTLE

Only Nome and Ketchikan Shaken Monday—Cable Ship Goes Out.

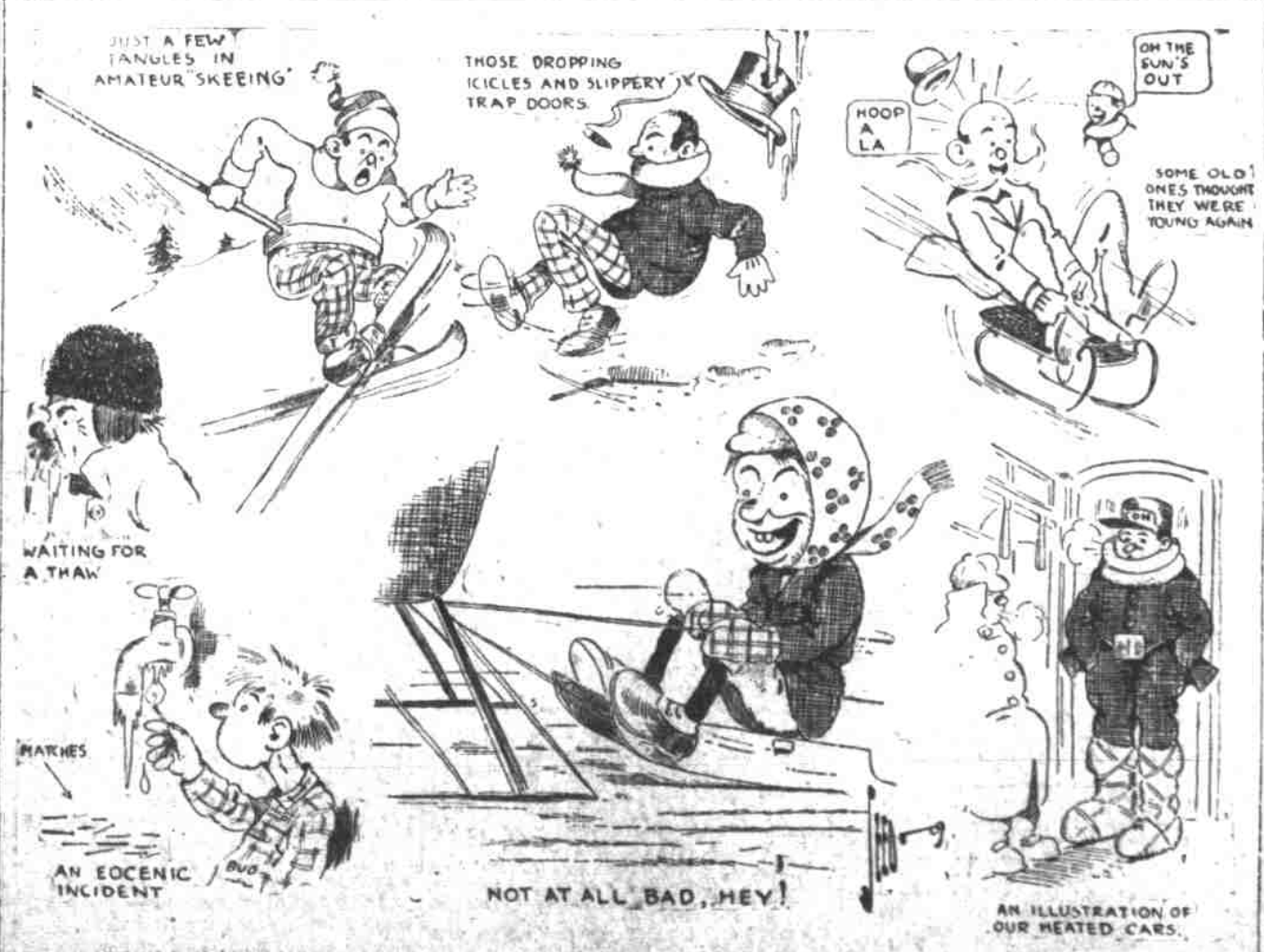
(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Jan. 13.—According to dispatches from Alaska cities received by the United Press today only two northern towns felt the earthquake shock of Monday afternoon. A wireless received at Nome from St. Michael stated that at 2 o'clock a shock lasting 15 seconds was followed by one of seven seconds' duration. The movement appeared to be from west to east. No damage was reported.

IN IRON BUSINESS

In 1890 Mr. Heppner became engaged in the steel and iron business and formed the firm of H. A. Heppner & Co., 555 Sherlock building, in which he is interested at the present time. In 1897 Mr. Heppner was married in California and from the union have come three children, one of whom is living. Mr. Heppner's present residence is at the Ninth ward, is a member of the East Side Improvement association, and an advocate of the Broadway bridge plan.

Sou'easter at Rainier.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Rainier, Or., Jan. 13.—With a minimum of 10 above today there seems little prospect of a change here. The east wind is blowing. The river is very low.



Seed gives a few black and white sketches of the pleasures and displeasures of the storm.