

LIVESTOCK FAIR OPENS GATES

PRETTY GIRL ENDS LIFE; TWO FAIL IN ATTEMPT

WORRY OVER DEBT LEADS TO SUICIDE OF GRACE REED

Swallows Strychnine at Home;
Another Girl Takes Same
Poison but Lives; Married
Woman Also Seeks Death.

Believing death better than worry, which mingling with the gay theatre crowd could not relieve, Miss Grace Reed, 25 years old and attractive, swallowed strychnine at her home, 823 Multnomah avenue, last night. She was dead by the time Dr. J. G. Grim, who was called, arrived.



Miss Grace Reed, who committed suicide at her home.

When search was made after her death a vial that had contained strychnine was found in her purse. So far as is known the young woman had never had a love affair. Some years ago she attempted to conduct a boarding house in San Francisco. When this failed she nearly became insane. Miss Reed was very popular among her friends, who assert that she always bore a good name. She is survived by her father and mother, one sister and three brothers.

PORTLAND'S ARMY OF TOILERS OBSERVE LABOR'S HOLIDAY IN MANNER THAT IS FITTING

Today the nation is honoring its toilers. In Portland alone more than 13,000 union men and women are observing the Day of Labor.

TAFT SPEAKS OF CONSERVATION AND INTER-STATE DWELLS UPON RIGHT OF STATES TO MAKE LAWS GOVERNING INTER- NAL BUSINESS AFFAIRS OF THE COUNTRY.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5.—President Taft, who came to St. Paul today to speak before the conservation congress, is likely to remember this as one of the busiest days he ever spent in the city.

20 PRINCE RUPERT SAILORS POISONED SHIP SAILS WITH ONE-FIFTH CREW IN HOSPITALS—CAUSE OF POISONING UNKNOWN.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Sept. 5.—Twenty members of the crew of the steamship Prince Rupert are in local hospitals suffering from ptomaine poisoning, and several are still in danger, although heroic measures were taken by attending physicians yesterday afternoon as soon as the men were stricken.

THROWS JOURNEY OUT TO GROUNDS TO SEE FEATURES

Opening of Six-Day Exposition
Marked by Long Street Pa-
geant in Which Prominent
Men Figure; Races Next.

J. J. HILL'S ADDRESS
READ BY DR. DRAKE

Children, Admitted Free, Find
Much to Amuse Them—Fair
Great Success.

Take Ross City Cars.
For the information of those who will go to the race meet and live stock on street cars the Portland Railway, Light & Power Co. announces that the new Ross City car service has been put into effect today.

With the representative citizens of the city, county and state in attendance, the annual Portland livestock exposition and harvest festival opened this morning with a gala automobile parade through the principal streets of the city.

BURNING WEEDS ON LOT THREATEN TO DESTROY HOME

Quick Work of Policeman in
Extinguishing Flames Saves
Property—Other Fires Keep
Firemen on Run.

One incendiary fire in a hotel, a blaze in a church building and three others in the city yesterday and last evening. In addition another incendiary fire was extinguished by two boys and a policeman put out a fire in a lot which had become overgrown with weeds.

MORE PICTURES OF STRENUOUS T. R.



LOS ANGELES WINS MORNING GAME SIX TO THREE

Recreation Park, Sept. 5.—The Angels defeated the Beavers this morning in a great hitting game by the score of 6 to 3. A triple play by the Angels was the feature.



Colonel Roosevelt and Governor Brooks of Wyoming (upper). Colonel Roosevelt and General Smith, U. S. A., saluting the flag. Pictures taken during parade at Cheyenne, Wyo.

HOW T. R. SAVED OFFICIAL SCALP OF F. H. NEWELL

After Secretary Ballinger In-
duces Taft to Dismiss Direc-
tor of Reclamation Service,
Roosevelt Pleads for Him.

F. H. Newell, director of the United States reclamation service, with the army board of engineers, will be in Oregon tomorrow. With the board he will inspect the Umatilla project in the eastern part of the state and he will send in a report of the inspection to Secretary Richard A. Ballinger of the interior department.

ROOSEVELT JOINS IN LARGE LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

Lays Cornerstone of Library of
College and Makes Speech
—Openly Advocated for
President in 1912.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Fargo, N. D., Sept. 4.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt was the principal feature of today's Labor day celebration here. The city was crowded to the limit and the people were enthusiastic over the distinguished visitor.

KEENE'S CONDITION IS NOT IMPROVED

Millionaire Turfman Suffering
From Pneumonia at Lex-
ington, Ky.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 5.—Bulletins early today from the bedside of James R. Keene, millionaire turfman and stock broker, who is suffering from pneumo-
nia, stated that he is not improved and that his condition is causing much anxiety.

SPALDING WINS OVER JOHN WORKS

Receives Less Votes but Cap-
tures More Senatorial Dis-
tricts Than Opponent.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Sept. 5.—Though A. G. Spalding received 1500 votes less than John D. Works, his opponent in the race for the nomination for United States senator, Spalding has captured more senatorial districts and will therefore be given the nomination by the legislature.