

Fair tonight and Friday; easterly winds.

TEMPERATURES TODAY

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STOCK EXCHANGES FROM THE MAELS

Chairman of "Money Trust" Investigating Committee Says They Are Conspiracies in Restraint of Trade.

BANK CLEARING HOUSES REGARDED AS ILLEGAL

Many Exchanges Alleged to Be Carrying on Unlawful Business in Wall St.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Dec. 5.—Legislation to bar stock and produce exchanges and certain clearing houses from the use of the mails as "conspiracies in restraint of trade," is a probable outcome of the money trust investigation, according to Representative Pajo, chairman of the house committee which is conducting the probe.

In an exclusive interview with the United Press today, Chairman Pajo outlined revolutionary reforms which the committee plans to force upon stock and produce exchanges and clearing houses, and hinted at sensational facts which the preliminary investigation has disclosed. He said:

"It is clearly shown that the stock exchange and some of the produce exchanges, as well as most of the clearing houses of the country are conspiracies in restraint of trade. As such all their interstate business should be barred from the mails, and I feel certain that the committee will recommend such action.

"In limiting activities, limiting the size of the membership and by various other restrictions the stock exchange and the clearing house associations have become, in effect, gigantic trusts and monopolies which are amenable to the law. The New York stock exchange is a striking example of this business domination.

To Invoke Postal Laws. "The postal laws will be invoked to exclude exchanges, and associations of bankers and brokers from the use of the mails in interstate commerce unless a complete reorganization is made. If they are not reorganized they will be treated exactly as the Louisiana lottery was treated. If it is not believed that the federal incorporation of stock exchanges will be attempted, but federal supervision will be demanded."

Representative Pajo said the bills enforcing drastic remodeling of business would be introduced in January. The money trust inquiry, he said, would be resumed Monday to frame legislation seeking the reorganization. "The clearing houses," Pajo added, "must and will be reorganized. As a result of our investigation, I understand several clearing houses are voluntarily removing restrictions upon membership and their business methods. They must change their methods radically, however, or face prosecution under the Sherman anti-trust law. They also face the probable loss of the use of the mails.

Clearing Houses Too Arbitrary. "As now organized the clearing houses force the banks to join or refuse to clear their checks. In most cases they compel the bankers to join their organization or quit business. To my mind this condition of affairs is intolerable and unendurable.

"Prosecutions, both civil and criminal, may result from the probe. We will clear the facts, call attention to the reforms we believe are needed and urge new laws to cope with the situation."

The projected reforms, Pajo said, include a bill prohibiting limitations upon listing securities on exchanges, another prohibiting membership limitations, and a third instituting federal supervision, intended to clear the way under control of the treasury department.

LONG ROW OF BOTTLES EXPLAINS CHECKING OF OREGON CITY TYPHOID

High School Pupils Run Out Every Few Minutes to Get Their "Little Nip."

(Special to The Journal.) Oregon City, Dec. 5.—That familiar old song, "Forty-nine Blue Bottles a-Hangin' on the Wall," is vividly brought to mind when one peeps into the cloakroom of the Oregon City high school during class hours. Pending analysis of the city's water supply on account of the typhoid epidemic here, the pupils of the grade schools and the high school students were ordered by Superintendent Coors to bring their own supply of bottled water, and the drinking fountains at the various buildings were ordered left alone.

MAYOR ACCUSED BY POLICEMAN OF BEING VIOLATOR OF THE LAW

Maybe Bluecoat Did, and Maybe He Didn't Know Who A. G. Rushlight Was.

There was once upon a time a common soldier—whether he was an ancient Roman, or Greek, or German, or an Englishman matters not. But the soldier in question was a sentry and he had the nerve to forbid his emperor passing a certain street.

But this little historical incident is transcended right here in Portland by one in which an ordinary, every day policeman is the hero. The policeman's name is Thorpe.

Thorpe has a fine disregard of persons when the law is concerned. This fact is evidenced in two reports which he has just recently submitted to Chief Slover. One of these reports states that the "owner of a building on the northeast corner of Union avenue and East Morrison street has failed to comply with the law requiring that buildings in which a saloon or saloons are located must be labeled with a conspicuous sign indicating the ownership of such building. The owner in this instance is one A. G. Rushlight."

Now, whether Patrolman Thorpe knows that the A. G. Rushlight he mentions is the mayor of the city and his superior officer the report does not state. The other report submitted by Thorpe charges one A. G. Rushlight with having neglected to put in doors in his building in conformity with the state law requiring that doors of certain buildings be hinged so as to swing outward.

Mayor Rushlight, when notified that he had been charged with two violations, smiled broadly, but hastened to assure the chief of police that he would take steps to obey the law at once.

PLUNGING HORSE KILLS SON OF REV. WM. ELY

(Special to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Dec. 5.—After lingering in unconsciousness since Sunday when a horse fell upon him, Edward Ely, son of Rev. and Mrs. William Ely of this city, died yesterday on his twelfth birthday. In company with several other young men, young Ely went for a ride Sunday and chose as his mount a horse that had never been ridden. He mastered the animal during its plunging but later when he had mounted again after letting down some bars, the horse reared and fell backward, pinning its rider beneath. When the young man's companions reached him, he was unconscious and an examination by physicians showed that he had suffered a fracture of the skull, his head probably striking a rock in the fall.

GIRLS' ELECTION BOARD DOES ERRORLESS WORK

(Special to The Journal.) Gladstone, Or., Dec. 5.—That the now famous women election board of Gladstone conducted an errorless administration at the municipal election at that town Monday was brought out at a meeting of the Gladstone city council last night, when the votes were canvassed. Not a single error in even the smallest detail was found in the work of the women, and as it was the first election ever held here without mistakes, the councilmen, who originally appointed the women in a spirit of fun, were almost dumbfounded. The writing of the women was clearer and much easier to read than that of former election clerks and judges.

JACK HAMLIN, NOTED FORGER, DYING IN JAIL

(Special to The Journal.) St. Helens, Or., Dec. 5.—Every effort is being made to rush the trial of Jack Hamlin, charged with forgery, before he dies, as he is considered dangerously ill and has been falling rapidly of late. His bonds have been lowered from \$2000 to \$500, but he has not given bond. He has been in jail 16 months. When he was tried first the jury disagreed. The second trial will be called December 16. Hamlin is an old man without family. He has had a checkered career as a forger.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN TO BE FAVORED FOR ELECTION OFFICIALS

Democratic women will be favored for judges and clerks of election at future elections in the state, according to Frank Lee, secretary of the Democratic city committee. He says this is the sentiment of different members of the executive committee with whom he has talked.

A DIFFICULT PROPOSITION



Woman Jury Splits on Rock of Moral Guilt

Eve, to Eve Erring, Is Still True to Tradition

Marcelle Bortell of Portland's Underworld Could Not Face Judgment of Her Sisters and Fled From Court Room Before the Trial Began—Five of Jurors Held for Conviction but, Still Womanlike, Asked Leniency.

That old wolf cry of the anti-suffrage fold that giving the ballot to women would masculinize the sex and that no more would women be womanly, received its death blow here yesterday. For Oregon's first woman jury, put for the first time in the setting of a police court and hearing for the first time the woman and brutally frank testimony of a police court, did the typically feminine thing of being unable to agree.

- Oregon's First Woman Jury. Mrs. Henry Waldo Coe, 841 Loveloy street, forewoman. Mrs. A. C. Newell, 774 Hoyt street. Miss Leone Cass Baer, Bowers hotel. Mrs. W. T. Pangie, Oregon hotel. Mrs. Laura Vinson, 1024 Holgate street. Mrs. Paul C. Bates, 493 Has-salo street. Mrs. Ida M. Kayser, Palatine Hill. Mrs. A. E. Clark, 819 Johnson street. Mrs. L. W. Therkelsen, 819 Eleventh street.

There were several ballots at five to five and then the pendulum swung the other way. This time it was Mrs. Pangie and Mrs. Bates who blocked conviction as hard as Mrs. Clark and Miss Baer had opposed acquittal. So, in their final ballot with disagreement certain, all the women swung back to their original vote of 5 to 5 and that was how it was reported to Judge Taxwell.

CHIEF SLOVER TO QUIT POLICE JOB FOR REAL SIMPLE LIFE ON FARM

"Me for the Plow Within Two Years," Says Chief Who Buys Place in Country.

Chief of Police Slover is planning to abandon the star, club revolver and handcuffs of a peace officer and take up the reins of a team of farm horses, the handles of a plow, the rake and the hoe. To that end he has purchased a 55-acre farm seven miles this side of Salem, where he intends to settle down soon as a country gentleman.

SAYS SHE'S PATRICK'S, LONG LOST SISTER

(United Press Leased Wire.) Atchison, Kansas, Dec. 5.—Declaration that she intended to claim the millions left by William Maxwell Rice of Texas, who alleged murder in Albert T. Patrick was recently pardoned from Sing Sing by Governor Dix of New York, is made by Mrs. Anna Rice Partlow. She asserts that Rice was her brother, that he left home after a quarrel with their father, and that she never heard of him again.

WILL THROW 50,000 SACKS OF ONIONS IN RIVER; PRICE TOO LOW

Stockton Growers to Throw Away Culls; Many Potatoes Will be Left Undug.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Stockton, Cal., Dec. 5.—Fully 50,000 sacks of onions grown in San Joaquin county will be thrown into the river this year, largely on account of the present low prices. Local growers and commission men defend this action by declaring that the yield has been exceptionally heavy, and that there is an unusual amount of culls. Growers are offered from 30 to 40 cents per sack, according to quality. They state that it costs 10 cents a sack to dig them and that when rent and cost of production is charged against the crop they lose money at 30 cents. Only the culls or unmarketable portion, they declare, is being thrown overboard.

MASONIC TEMPLE, 12 STORIES HIGH, MAY BE ERECTED

Meeting of the Masonic Building Association Will Be Held Next Monday to Consider Definite Plans.

PURCHASE OF A SITE WILL BE DISCUSSED

Present Building, Put Up in 1907, Said to Be Inadequate Now.

In all probability two years from today will see the Masonic organizations of Portland that now meet in the Masonic temple at Yamhill and West Park streets installed in a new 12-story home. A meeting of the Masonic Building association is to be held next Monday morning, at which time it is expected that definite official action in the matter will be taken. The matter has been under consideration for several years, and while yet it is only semi-official information on the subject that has been given, every Mason in Portland knows of the move and is confident that the new structure will be undertaken in a short time.

The present Masonic temple was erected in 1907 and since its dedication has been devoted almost entirely to Masonic purposes. The building is of five stories and four are occupied by the various bodies of the fraternity. Since moving in, the Masons have recognized the fact that the building is inadequate in every way.

More Room Needed. In the Masonic temple, beside the offices of the grand lodge, there is an auditorium and three available lodge rooms. Meeting at the Masonic temple, at least once a week and sometimes oftener, there are seven lodges of Master Masons, one chapter of Royal Arch Masons, one Commandery of Knights Templar and El Kader temple of the Mystical Shrine. In addition the five chapters of the Eastern Star meet there. All of these meetings are held at night. Any social events are held in the auditorium, and often outside organizations rent this room. This means that every available room is taken every night and there are times when requests for a meeting room have to be refused.

It is reported that every inch of the space in the new building, including the first floor, will be devoted to the affiliated bodies and the Shrine.

To Meet Next Monday. The Masonic Building association will meet at 10 o'clock next Monday morning in the offices of the grand secretary. This association will also take up the question of buying property for the erection of the new building. The term, "A new building within the next two years," has become a slogan.

The Masonic Building association controls the J. K. Gill property at Third and Alder streets, the Masonic temple at West Park and Yamhill streets, and a portion of the Scottish Rite cathedral at Morrison and Lowndale streets.

EAST SIDE TERMINAL WILL RELIEVE CONGESTION, SAYS HARRIMAN CHIEF

Construction of New Passenger Depot and Other Improvements Will Solve Question, Declares J. D. Farrell; Millions to Be Spent in Oregon and Washington in the Next Fiscal Year; President Returns from the East.

President J. D. Farrell of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., said this morning that during the next fiscal year the Harriman expenditures for betterments and improvements of the O.-W. R. & N. system in Oregon and Washington will aggregate several million dollars. Several hundred thousand dollars included in this amount will be devoted to the east side terminals and a first class passenger depot.

President Farrell and Mrs. Farrell have just returned from New York, where they attended the annual horse show. En route home, they passed two days in Chicago and made a short stop at Omaha. While the trip was ostensibly to attend New York's fashionable social affair, President Farrell also conferred with Judge Robert S. Lovett and other prominent Harriman officials there.

THORBURN ROSS APPEAL TO BE SETTLED DEC. 9

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Dec. 5.—Attorney General Crawford received advice today from the clerk of the United States supreme court that the case of J. Thorburn Ross, Portland banker, sentenced to serve five years in the state penitentiary, would come before the court December 9. Ross was convicted of misapplying the state funds on deposit with the Title Guaranty & Trust company. M. L. Pipes of Portland will go to represent the state at the hearing.

SIX ARE INJURED WHEN CARS CRASH IN MORNING FOG

Motorman on Woodlawn Line Did Not See Union Avenue Car in Time to Prevent a Rear-End Collision.

THREE VICTIMS ARE TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Accident Occurred at Union Avenue and Tillamook Street at 7:35.

Shock of collision and flying glass injured six persons, five men and one woman, in a rear-end smashup of street cars at 7:35 o'clock this morning at Union avenue and Tillamook street. Three of the injured, who were taken to Good Samaritan hospital, suffering from lacerations and bruises, are:

- B. Burback, 365 East Twelfth street, North. David Bield, 465 East Tenth street, North. M. Alder, 381 Klitchkat street. Two other victims, taken to their homes, are Mrs. Edna Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Olson, 829 Grand avenue, North, and William King, 347 Halsey street. S. M. Porterfield, motorman on the Woodlawn car, had his hand cut in the crash, but was able to continue his work.

Shock Kurlis Passengers. Both cars were crowded with men and women going to work. Union avenue car No. 107, C. B. Orton, conductor, A. G. Kregness, motorman, was standing at the corner of Tillamook street and Union avenue taking on passengers. Woodlawn car No. 514, A. B. Klier, conductor, M. Porterfield, motorman, southbound down Union avenue, approached it too closely because of the fog and then failed to respond to the brakes in time to prevent a collision. The grade at the Tillamook street crossing is somewhat steeper than at other points on the line, and this gave the southbound car added momentum.

The persons injured most severely were those standing in the vestibules of the two cars. The passengers were thrown together violently and flying glass and splinters cut them about the face and hands. Others were slightly injured by being knocked down and crammed up against the car ends and the platform division rods.

The injured were taken into a drug store on the corner and were given emergency treatment. Physicians were summoned and upon the arrival of ambulances the victims were taken to the hospital and their homes.

Luck Played Her Trick. Mr. Burback and Mr. Bield were able to go to their homes after being given treatment at the hospital. Mr. Alder is suffering from more severe bruises and a strain and is still at the institution.

A perverse fate seemed to doom Miss (Continued on Page Fourteen.)

MAGAZINE FEATURES

The following illustrated articles of special merit will appear in THE JOURNAL MAGAZINE FOR DECEMBER 8.

CHRISTMAS CHEER FOR THE HORSE—Significance of Portland's "Shop Early" campaign to faithful animals that do your hauling.

PEACHES AND PROSPERITY—How Ashland man turned \$3000 into \$30,000 by careful cultivation.

AMONG AMERICAN SAV-AGES—A bride's experiences among the Eskimos of Alaska.

THEIR WORK FOR ART AND HUMANITY—How the Misses Eleanor and Jessie Wilson, daughters of the president-elect, find happiness in serious vocations.

MANY OTHER WORTHWHILE FEATURES. NEXT SUNDAY