PETITIONS FILED BY RECALL CANDIDATES WITH CITY AUDITOR

Character of the Movement Against Albee, Dieck and Brewster Shown.

LEGALITY IS QUESTIONED

City Attorney Believes Courts Will Hold Amendment Not Self Executing and Added Legislation Needed.

Nominating petitions of the three candidates put up by the recall committee to oppose Mayor H. R. Albee and Commissioners Brewster and Dieck were filed with the city auditor early this morning.

The petitions were filed by A. C. Allen, a member of the recall committee, and placed in nomination B. E. Kennedy as a candidate against Mayor Albee; W. A. Leet, as a candidate against Commissioner Brewster, and H. E. Abry, as a candidate against Commissioner Dieck.

The character of the recall movement may be indicated by the names on the nominating petitions. In the list are the names of L. G. Carpenter, private detective, and a member of the last legislature, who used his position to get through the legislature an appropriation of $1000 for his own detective agency; Seneca Fouts, an attorney who has attained unenviable notoriety; Joe Singer, who has been involved in various police investigations; Guy E. Fuller, discharged policeman; John C. Lane, discharged meat inspector; C. J. Rupert, discharged policeman, and others of similar ilk.

Men Who Seek Office.

Mr. Kennedy, who seeks the mayor's office, has been a resident of Portland about four years. He was defeated for the Republican nomination for secretary of state in 1912. He managed Mayor Albee's election campaign and was not appointed by the mayor to any office. Mr. Leet is an attorney, and Mr. Abry is an engineer, formerly an employe in the city engineer's office.

City Attorney La Roche expresses the opinion that while the recall amendment of the constitution has been considered self-executing and has been so used, if the question were submitted to the supreme court it would be held that additional legislation is required to make it legally operative. He points out that the supreme court has never passed on the matter.

Any Taxpayer May Enjoin.

A special recall election will cost about $20,000, according to City Auditor Barbur, and because of this expense, which would have to be borne by the taxpayers, the city attorney says any taxpayer could bring action to enjoin the city auditor from calling the election. This would bring the question of the completeness of the recall amendment before the courts.

It is thought this will be done, although the city officials now under fire say they will not turn a finger to keep the election from being held.

The recall amendment provides that officials against whom the recall is directed have five days in which to resign, if they so desire. None of the three will resign, they declare. Then the city auditor must call a special election to be held within 20 days.

The charter provides that a candidate for office must file his nominating petition not more than 40 nor less than 20 days before the day of election. This means that other candidates must file their petitions not later than the day on which the city auditor calls the election.

It is known that other candidates are considering entering the race. A. G. Rushlight, former mayor, is mentioned as a possible candidate for mayor, though it was stated this morning by some of his friends that he will not run. George J. Cameron, former district attorney and Republican county chairman, is also mentioned as a possible mayoralty candidate. George B. Thomas of South Portland is mentioned as a possible candidate for one of the commissionerships.

Grand Jury Brings Charge of Murder

Giovanni Luciano was indicted this morning by the grand jury on a charge of first degree murder. He is charged with shooting Secondino Coco two weeks ago as the result of trouble over a card game. The indictment with 20 others and six not true bills was returned by the September grand jury as the result of its work during the past month. The report today covered the entire month and was the final report of the investigating body. A new grand jury will be chosen next Monday. Two cases were referred to the coming grand jury body and 133 witnesses were examined. Seven of the indictments returned were held secret.

Other indictments returned were: W. R. Stoltz, alias W. P. Olds, uttering a forged check for $100 to the Oregon hotel and obtaining money by false pretenses on the same facts; Roy McInnis and Oscar Johnson, non-support; J. B. Ogden, uttering a forged check; David E. Bales, larceny of an automobile; Edward Williams alias E. J. Holton and William A. Murray alias William McCarty, obtaining money by false pretenses; A. M. Long and Edward White, larceny from a dwelling; Edward White, having, receiving and concealing stolen property; Andy Morck, receiving stolen property; Salvatore Jardine, assault with a dangerous weapon on Carlo Palandri; A. Smith, obtaining money by false pretenses. Smith, who was once head deputy tax collector, was indicted before on the same facts and this indictment was drawn to prevent possible technical objection. Smith is alleged to have secured $30.50 from the city off a vehicle tax refund assignment which was forged.

Not true bills were returned in the cases of H. O. Wheeler and Gustav Klatt, charged with larceny by bailee of an automobile; W. S. McClain, charged with attempting to bribe Circuit Judge G. W. Phelps in a divorce action last June; Virgil Yates and John Crane, charged with larceny of an automobile; George B. Andrus, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses; John Evelyn Day and V. J. Ryan, charged with defrauding inn-keepers.

For cleansing valuable liquids there has been invented a siphon filter in which the entire operation is carried on in an airtight vessel to prevent loss by evaporation.

Astoria Official Is Under Indictment

Dan Belcher, Superintendent of Streets, Held Under Bonds on Charge of Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses

Astoria, Or., Oct. 3.—Dan P. Belcher, superintendent of streets in the city of Astoria, was indicted by the circuit court grand jury last night on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses while in the employ of the city. It had been known for several days that the grand jury has been investigating the case.

Superintendent Belcher was arrested last evening and his bail was fixed at $1000, which he gave, Charles Lankester and I. F. Morrison serving as bondsmen. While the amount which Mr. Belcher is said to be in arrears has not been made public, it is thought to be considerable. Mr. Belcher has held the office for the past four years and it is said that his accounts for the past three years have been investigated. He was a candidate for reelection, although he had not filed his petition.

GOVERNOR WEST IS HEARTILY RECEIVED BY ALBANY CROWD

Executive Declares Senator Chamberlain Has Kept Every Promise to People.

(Special to The Journal.)

Albany, Or., Oct. 3.—The first gun in the Democratic campaign was fired here last night when Governor West addressed an audience of men and women that occupied every seat in the circuit courtroom of Linn county courthouse. The governor spoke under difficulties, owing to a recent sick spell, but nevertheless held the undivided attention of his audience, and was interrupted frequently by applause. The governor made an aggressive address and pounded home some of the truths which the enemies of both Smith and Chamberlain are finding it most difficult to answer.

He pointed out how Chamberlain had saved to the state of Oregon enormous sums of money through protection of the state and school land funds at the same time that Booth was enriching himself with the system in vogue during those days.

Chamberlain Keeps Promises.

To quote the governor: "Chamberlain turned the money he earned into the school fund, while Booth stuck his money in his pocket in order that he might have enough to become a candidate for the United States senate."

The governor declared that Senator Chamberlain had kept every promise he ever made to the people of Oregon, pointing out that while Withycombe had been in office about the same length of time, that with his record of mismanagement and loss to the state, he often went before the legislature asking for appropriations to help out the management of the experimental station, which West claimed should have been self-supporting.

Governor West was earnest and forceful in his talk, and scathingly arraigned Booth for his method of acquiring his wealth in timber deadings.

He cautioned the people to be on their guard to prevent the legislature from scuttling the primary law, telling them that no matter whom they elected to fill the office of governor, to be on their guard against the scheme to do away with the direct election primary, and warning them that an attempt was to be made to go back to the old convention system.

He paid a glowing tribute to Dr. Smith's open and fearless stand before the people as to his attitude on public questions, pointing out the difference between the open stand of Smith's and the evasive policy of his opponent, Dr. Withycombe. He dealt specifically with the single item veto that Dr. Smith stands for, and pointed out the danger of a too harmonious legislature, acting with a pliant governor. He recapitulated the vicious measures and logrolled bills which he was forced as governor to veto at the last session of the legislature, thereby saving millions of dollars to the people of the state.

What Harmony Would Do.

He showed that if the governor was in full harmony with the legislature an enormous amount of taxes would have had to be assessed, even in addition to the high tax rate which has caused so much dissatisfaction this year. He dealt with the state printing graft, and Representative Abbott of Multnomah county came in for a scoring for his bad faith in connection therewith.

The governor called attention to President Wilson's indorsement of Senator Chamberlain, and commended him for remaining at his post of duty and upholding the administration in these troublesome times.

He laid particular stress on Senator Chamberlain's accomplishments as regards the Alaskan bill, and scored the Oregonian for failure to give him credit for meritorious service.

Company to Accept Blanket Franchise

President Franklin T. Griffith of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, stated today that his company will accept the new blanket franchise, which covers the operation of streetcar traffic over the several bridges. He said the only thing that has been holding up the matter was the difference of opinion between the city officials and the railroad officials as to the amount of money due the city from the company. He said this difference was slight, probably not more than $1000.

Italian Vessel Is Reported Blown Up

Indirect Rumor From Venice Says It Struck Mine Near Trieste and Was Sunk with 50 Lives Lost.

Paris, Oct. 3.—Another Italian vessel was reported here today to have been blown up by a mine near Trieste with the loss of about 50 lives. The rumor came indirectly from Venice.

HARBORS BILL IS SIGNED

Washington, Oct. 3.—President Wilson signed yesterday the rivers and harbors bill appropriating $20,000,000 to be expended by the war department in completing improvement projects already begun.

CITY'S BUDGET AIMS TO KEEP EXPENSE OF DEPARTMENTS DOWN

Big Saving Counted on in Running of City During the Coming Year.

FIRE NEEDS INCREASED

Budget Estimates Have to Be in Hands of Commissioner Bigelow by Monday for Work.

Following out the plan of C. A. Bigelow, commissioner of finance and chairman of the budget committee, to hold the tax levy for the city next year to 7 mills or less, the various city departments in their estimates to be filed Monday are holding all estimated expenditures to the minimum. Practically all departments now have their budget estimates completed.

The suggestions given by the mayor to the heads of divisions in his department that "economy" was to be watchword are having their effect, as noticed in the estimates of the health and other bureaus.

Last year the health bureau asked for an appropriation of nearly $100,000, but the budget committee reduced the amount to $56,622.12. City Health Officer Marcellus had asked for numerous inspectors and employes, but only a few were allowed. This year he is asking for no new help except another office clerk.

Plans Are Abandoned.

Plans he had to increase the number of school inspectors and nurses have been abandoned. For 1915 he asks a total of $66,927.08, this increase being due to the raises in salaries as provided for the efficiency system. Practically all in the bureau are scheduled for raises December 1.

All of the increases which will be seen in the personal services items of the budget will be due to the efficiency system. Practically all of the 1900 odd employes are to get raises in salary ranging from $60 a year to $240 a year.

The budget estimates have to be in the hands of Commissioner Bigelow by Monday and then the budget committee will start to work. Every item possible will be dispensed with before the budgets are presentable for the city council. On or before the third Monday in November the council shall act on the budget and determine the tax levy for the ensuing year.

Big Cut Made.

Perhaps the largest cut in estimates as compared to last year's appropriations from the water funds is noticeable in the budget of the water bureau completed this noon by Commissioner Daly. This shows a tremendous saving is being effected in the water bureau. Last year the council appropriated $1,729,796, this amount including both personal service and supplies and maintenance. For 1915 the department is asking only $1,271,262, or $458,594 less than was appropriated for the same period in 1914.

The estimates for the fire bureau are increased, as it is deemed necessary to reconstruct several engine houses now in a dilapidated condition. New apparatus is also asked for. The total amount sought is $778,831.35 as compared to $622,183.70, which was appropriated for 1914.

Budgets for the departments of public works will not be ready for filing until late today, but Commissioner Dieck says that the amount sought will be much less than secured for 1914.

Commissioner Daly expects to effect a saving of about $45,000 in the cost of running the street cleaning bureau for 1914. Figures on the other bureas and city departments are incomplete.

WANTS ALL MEDIUMS BARRED

License Inspector Believes Fees Charged for Private Readings.

Believing that fees are being charged for private readings by fortune tellers, healers, spiritualists, mediums and students of the occult, steps are being taken by City License Inspector Hutchinson to have them barred from practicing in the city. At present those who are holding public affairs are licensed in some instances, and where no charge is made the ordinance allows them to teach and demonstrate, but Mr. Hutchinson says the only way to prevent violations is to prevent them from holding private sessions.

Will Advertise for Bids.

Bids for reconstructing the permanent sheds for the home of the public market are to be advertised next week and the work started as soon as the contract is let. The city council has already appropriated $6000 to be used for the construction of the umbrella sheds.

Many Buy Tags to Aid Little Children

Albertina Kerr Nursery and Louise Home to Have Proceeds From Sales to Cover Expenses.

As the day continued fair and the Saturday crowd increased on the streets, a gratifying number of fluttering white tags proclaimed the Tag Day for the Albertina Kerr nursery and Louise home to be in full swing. By far the greatest interest in the day was displayed at Fifth and Alder streets where headquarters were maintained and where several little wards of the nursery were established in the window.

The room for the headquarters was donated by J. B. Yeon, the telephone companies installed telephones, the electric light company connected the lights and a number of the merchants and sign companies further assisted. E. C. Jehu is chairman of the Tag Day and Le Grand Baldwin is acting as treasurer with the help of B. S. Cook.

At least 150 helpers were selling tags by noon. If there are any who wish to render assistance they may do so by calling at headquarters or telephoning Main 5023 or A-2921. The purpose of today's tag sale is to provide winter expense money for the two institutions.

In addition to those selling on the streets, tag sales station were established at the Portland hotel, Journal building, Ben Selling store, Mohawk building, Olds, Wortman & King's, Selling building, Meier & Frank company, Honeyman Hardware company, Morgan building, Oregonian building, Lipman, Wolfe & Co., Yeon building, Gill's book store, Dekum building, Failing building, Owl Drug store, Imperial hotel, Title & Trust building, Rothchild building, Oregon hotel, Benson hotel, Wells-Fargo building, Lumbermens building, Henry building, Board of Trade building, Chamber of Commerce, Commercial Club building, Lewis building, Multnomah hotel, and O. W. P. waiting room.

Senator Is Touched By Autos' Plight

William Alden Smith of Michigan Says Democrats Would Raid Industries Still Prosperous.

Washington, Oct. 3. — Denunciation of the proposed automobile horsepower war tax was voiced in the senate today by Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan. He referred to the pending bill as "a deficiency raid on those industries which are still prosperous despite the Democratic administration."

Smith demanded that the automobile manufacturers be given a hearing, asserting that the tax would take $14,000,000 from one Michigan city alone. He denounced Democratic members of the finance committee for meeting secretly, and presented telgrams from a dozen Michigan automobile manufacturers protesting against the tax.

Most of the country's large automobile plants are in the territory which Senator Smith represents.

HIBERNIANS' HOME IS FORMALLY OPENED AT BIG DEDICATION BALL

Affair One of Most Successful Given in Catholic Circles for Many Years.

The new building on Russell street near Albina, which is to serve as the permanent home of division No. 1 and two women's auxiliaries of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, was formally thrown open last night by a dedication ball.

Beautifully decorated with greens and autumn leaves, brilliantly lighted with myriad lights, thronged with dancers, the ball was one of the gayest and most successful given in Catholic circles in years. Rudd's orchestra furnished the music.

Patronesses for the ball included: Mesdames J. O'Hara, W. F. Graham, P. Douglas, W. P. Lillis, P. Ryan, Charles Duggan, Ellen Halley, Agnes Sullivan, E. Chambers, W. A. Eivers, T. S. Hogan, P. E. Sullivan, John Farrell, Mary Kenan, T. J. Murphy, R. J. Smyth, J. J. Murphy, J. Foley, A. Leary, J. George, M. Lemerick, J. S. McDavitt, W. J. Smith, M. J. Driscoll, T. Maloney, T. J. Hogan and E. Johnson.

The following constituted the committee on arrangements: Misses Marie Chambers, Katherine Gaffney, Margaret Smith, Cecilia McMahon, Ann Dunn, Mary Frances McCarthy, Isabelle Concannon, Esther Hogan, Anna Donovan, Katherine Madigan and Henrietta Wascher and Messrs. A. Campbell, J. D. Doyle, Dan Smith, T. L. Maloney, V. O'Hara, P. J. Pryor, J. J. Kenny, Dan Hogan, A. B. Cain, J. D. Walsh, W. P. Lillis, Frank Riordan, W. Scammon, D. W. Lane and John McGuire.

The building was put under the direction of an executive committee composed of the following: John O'Hare, president; D. W. Lane, vice president; E. H. Deery, secretary; John Farrell, treasurer; P. E. Sullivan, John Keating, Patrick Ryan, the Rev. J. M. O'Farrell and Mrs. W. A. Eivers representing the women's auxiliary. The structure cost $20,000.

GERMANS' ATTEMPTS ON ALLIES' LINES ARE REPULSED AT NIGHT

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forced by fresh troops from the center of their line.

"At the center there is nothing to report from Rheims to the Argonne regions.

"In the Argonne district the sixteenth corps of the crown prince's army attempted to slip by in the forest of Grurie but was repulsed. This corps lost heavily.

"In the Woevre region and on the heights of the Meuse our advances have been slight but they are steady.

Bombarding Antwerp.

"In Belgium the Germans are continuing their bombardment of the southeast fortresses protecting Antwerp, but without making any considerable impression. Several infantry attacks on these forts have been repulsed.

"In Russia a German army which invaded Suwalki province has had its left wing thrown back upon the town of Suwalki, its center driven back sufficiently to enable the Russians to reoccupy Augustówo and is still fighting on its right, between Bialystock and Lyck.

"In Galicia the Austrian rear guards are retreating in disorder beyond the Vistula.

"In Bosnia the Montenegrins and Servians continue their advance."

There was no break last night in the fighting northeast of Paris and today the battle still raged as fiercely as ever.

Battle Can't Be Decisive.

One admission the allies made at last—that the battle of Aisne cannot, under any circumstances, be really decisive. A slow, orderly German retirement to new positions was all they expected, experts said.

That either army would be destroyed or even seriously crippled, they declared was impossible.

The German right made a tremendous effort Friday night to break through the allies' line between Roye and Lassingny. This attempt was savagely repulsed.

At St. Mihiel the kaiser's forces, now on the east bank of the Meuse, tried again to recross the stream. This attempt also was repulsed and the Germans resumed shelling the French defenses.

The forces of Generals von Buelow, von Kluck and von Boehm, partly amalgamated, were reported today to be holding a line swinging out from Ribecourt toward Douai and Hapaume and back to Mons. The Aisne line, formerly held by von Buelow's army, was said to have been occupied by German troops brought from the Alsace-Lorraine and Rhone forts.

These forces were trying to isolate the allies north of Arras and Amiens, but it was declared at headquarters here that they had failed. The experts asserted that the best the Germans could do was to hold their present line a little longer before retiring.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

COMPLETE SUCCESS CROWNS MEETING OF THE WOMAN VOTERS

Praise for President Wilson Marks Democratic Spirit of Jackson Club Guests.

CHAMBERLAIN IS HONORED

Dr. C. J. Smith, Candidate for Governor, A. F. Flegel, Dr. Pohl-Lovejoy, Milton A. Miller, Tom Word Speak.

A good attendance and a thoroughly democratic spirit made the first reception given by the women of the Jackson club to the women voters of Multnomah county at the Commercial club last night a complete success.

Praise for President Woodrow Wilson and his great constructive program was on every lip. And led by Dr. C. J. Smith, candidate for governor, nearly every speaker enthusiastically praised the work of Senator George E. Chamberlain, who, because of the prolonged session of congress, where he has remanied steadfastly at his post of duty, was unable to be present and speak for himself.

F. C. Whitten, president of the club, presided. Dr. Esther Pohl-Lovejoy delivered an address of welcome. Besides by Dr. Smith, addresses were made by A. F. Flegel, candidate for congress; Milton A. Miller, speaking as a representative of Senator Chamberlain, and Tom Word, candidate for re-election as sheriff.

"Let me speak a word in behalf of the man who honors me with his friendship," said Dr. Smith, "and who is also a candidate for your suffrage, George E. Chamberlain, who is being subjected to unjust attacks and he is not here to defend himself.

Pays Chamberlain Tribute.

"I knew Senator Chamberlain intimately when he was governor. As a member of the state senate I was honored with his confidence. I believe I know his innermost feelings on all questions affecting the public interest. As governor he was always on the side of the people. His first message to the legislature of 1903 contained stirring language defending the right of labor to organize. The fight for popular government could not have been won without him. He is wise, strong and faithful to a cause or a friend. He is truly representative of Oregon, the Oregon spirit and the Oregon system.

"I have campaigned most of the counties of the state and I am certain that he will be reelected. He ought to be reelected. He must be reelected."

This prediction was greeted with enthusiastic applause.

Dr. Smith reviewed incidents of his campaign and declared that the women throughout the state were taking interest in politics and were always courteous when approached on political matters by a candidate.

"In the course of my campaign I have met many women and discussed with them affairs of public interest," he said. "The home and the school, the two great institutions of the state, are their chifest concern. I have told them that I will as governor live as I have lived in my private life; that I will act as I have acted in the previous public positions with which I have been intrusted, for the cleaner and better things in politics, and the social system."

President Wilson Honored.

Paying beautiful tribute to President Wilson's policies, and particularly to his stand for peace, Dr. Smith struck a responsive chord in the hearts of those present, as was shown by the rousing applause given his utterances.

"Many a prayer," he said, "goes up tonight that we live in freedom's land, under freedom's flag and guided by the laws of freed men, and while we thus give thanks, may we not lack in appreciation of the master leadership of that peace-loving man, who has made it possible for us to enjoy the secure happiness which is ours, Woodrow Wilson, the new Lincoln."

Dr. Pohl-Lovejoy denounced the methods and purposes of Mrs. Jessie Hardy Stubbs, who has come to Oregon from Illinois to instruct the Oregon women how to vote so as to "cripple the Wilson administration." She reminded the women present that Mrs. Stubbs and her associates are discredited by the head of the suffrage organization in the United States, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw.

She said their propaganda was "direct action" and evidently they have been so active in Washington that they have turned many of suffrage's friends into enemies. She spoke of the seven visits made to the president by women delegations, which are so dramatically described by Mrs. Stubbs, and said she marveled at the patience of the president to stand for seven such visits.

Seven Women Present.

She provoked laughter by her description of Mrs. Stubbs' "school," at her headquarters, for the education of Oregon women voters. She described Mrs. Stubbs' use of the blackboard, in trying to make the few women who attend her school to see "the point." She said she attended the school Thursday night and seven women were present.

"They are not here for suffrage," declared Dr. Lovejoy, "because according to that woman's own statement we are bound to get a suffrage plank in the platform of every political party in 1916 anyway. This woman's argument was that if they could defeat the Democratic candidates they could make the remainder of the Wilson administration a failure. What good would that be to the women of this country?

"In the last 50 years the United States has been very fortunate in having two great presidents — Abraham Lincoln, the great war president, and Woodrow Wilson, the great peace president."

She said she was a Democrat, but before being a Democrat she was a suffragist, and before being a suffragist she was a human being, with all the powers of appreciation for the blessings of peace and the general welfare that have come through the policies of President Wilson. She spoke of the consequences of war, and then said that the "women of this land are blessed in Woodrow Wilson."

A. F. Flegel exposed the records of Congressman A. W. Lafferty and C. N. McArthur, his two opponents in the congressional race. He gave in detail the history of the suits against the Oregon & California railroad involving the millions of acres included in the land grant to that company. He pointed out that Lafferty's suit, for which he takes great credit, was brought for private clients, while the suit brought by the government was for the cancellation of the grant for the benefit of the entire public.

"We now have a congressman, sworn by his oath of office to uphold the law, in a suit against the United States," he said. "If Lafferty wins the United States will not. If the United States wins Lafferty cannot.

"No member of congress can fairly represent the people and bring what is equivalent to a suit against the United States. A congressman should not occupy both positions."

He spoke of Lafferty's prolonged absence from congress. Then he discussed the record of Mr. McArthur, whom he showed up as a machine politician representing interests opposed to the interests of the people.

Mr. Miller, speaking for Senator Chamberlain, reviewed the history of the Democratic party down to the record of the present administration. He predicted that Senator Chamberlain will carry nearly every county in the state and will receive one of the largest majorities ever given him by the electorate of Oregon. He praised the senator for supporting the 21 peace treaties prepared and submitted to the senate by Secretary of State Bryan.

Tom Word, in a brief talk, promised a continuance of strict law enforcement if he is reelected.

CARNIVAL SPIRIT IS LOOSED AS RODEO AT THE DALLES CLOSES

Portland Business Men Who Visit the Show Entertained by a Special Committee.

The Dalles, Or., Oct. 3.—After trying all of yesterday morning to spoil the most successful Rodeo and fair ever staged in The Dalles, the "rain maker" gave up the attempt shortly before noon. The sun was out all afternoon and the morning's moisture came far from preventing the attendance from being the largest in the history of the Rodeo and fair.

Yesterday was the last day of the big affair and more than 10,000 people were packed at the park to witness the attractions. Sherman county residents came to the city yesterday en masse in 75 automobiles. They were met at the edge of the city by a delegation of local citizens and the band and escorted through the streets at the end of the Rodeo parade. Banners bosting Sherman county were displayed in profusion.

The champion bucking horse rider of The Dalles Rodeo is Mack Gaunt, a 16-year-old boy of Toppenish, Wash., he being awarded first by the judges in the finals yesterday. R. S. Hall of Independence was second and John McCoy of the North Yakima Indian reservation third.

A large delegation of Portland business men, representing the Commercial club, were in the city yesterday to see the show. A special committee was appointed to entertain the Rose City visitors. The city was noisy with carnival revelry last night. The free street dance was the main attraction. Second street from Washington to Federal was cleaned for the affair and bran spread on the pavement. The band furnished music from a stand in the middle of the street.

County May Sell But $125,000 Bonds

Interstate Commission's Committee Suggests Disposal of Only Enough to Meet Present Needs at This Time.

Should the county commisioners follow recommendations made by the interstate bridge commission's bond committee following a meeting yesterday afternoon, advertisements will be made offering for sale either $125,000 or $250,000 of the $1,250,000 bonds authorized by Multnomah county for its share of the bridge. It is suggested that the bonds be sold November 1. The committee suggested that the bidders be allowed to name the rate of interest each is willing to accept up to 6 per cent and that the bonds be sold to the bidder offering to accept the least interest. The engineers of the bridge have estimated that $125,000 will be necessary for the first six months, but the larger amount was named that the commissioners might have opportunity to use discretion in the amount to be issued. The committee is composed of District Attorney Evans, Henry Teal and C. K. Williams.

Addresses Made By Candidates

A. F. Flegel, C. N. McArthur, Arthur I. Moulton and R. L. Merrick for A. W. Lafferty, Democratic, Republican, Progressive and Independent candidates, respectively, for congress, addressed the Oregon Civic league this afternoon, each telling why in his opinion, he should be elected. R. L. Sabin presided.

'WETS' ARE SUED ON CONSPIRACY CHARGE BY DR. CORA TALBOTT

Accusations Made by Clubwoman and Democratic Candidate Sensational.

$20,000 IS AMOUNT ASKED

Plot to Put Her Under Influence of Liquor, to Induce Mispractice, to Defame Character Asserted.

Alleging conspiracy to bring her good name into disrepute, Dr. Cora C. Talbott, physician, clubwoman and Democratic candidate for the lower house of the state legislature, filed suit this morning in the circuit court against A. M. Eppstein and O. D. Forte for $20,000 damages.

Eppstein is manager of the "wet" campaign now being waged in Oregon in opposition to the statewide prohibition movement, and Forte is at the head of the Oregon Liberal league.

In her complaint, Mrs. Talbott implies that Eppstein and Forte have conspired against her in the furtherance of the "wet" propaganda now being made.

Allegations Sensational.

She alleges that on August 21 she was asked to come to the Imperial hotel to hold a consultation in regard to the "political and press campaign," and that the men named as defendants tried to intoxicate her in order to damage her reputation.

On another occasion she charges that they undertook to have her perform a criminal operation, sending a young girl whom she had never seen before to her office and procuring a detective.

Her third charge is that the alleged conspirators told it about "that she was keeping a man at her house and home, conveying the idea that this said person was staying at her home for immoral purposes."

Her fourth and final allegation is that her name has been forged to numerous letters sent broadcast over the state and city and that by reason of these letters Eppstein and Forte have received large sums of money. Dr. Talbott states she knew nothing of the letters until her friends inquired about them.

Clashed With Mrs. Duniway.

She asks $10,000 damages by reason of the professional profits lost through having her character damaged and $10,000 for the mental and physical suffering and distress she has been compelled to undergo.

W. A. Leet and L. D. Mahone are her attorneys.

Dr. Talbott recently clashed with Abigail Scott Duniway in regard to the operation of the Taxpayers' and Wageearners' league of which she was secretary and Mrs. Duniway president, charging at that time that the league was obtaining money through the use of her name for the furtherance of the campaign against statewide prohibition.

Agreements Led to Dismissal of Suits

Threatened Litigation Following Divorce of A. E. Clark and Wife Avoided by Circuit Court.

Agreement between Attorney A. E. Clark and his divorced wife, Mrs. Marcella Clark, led to the dismissal of suits arising out of their domestic difficulties and the denial of motions made by each. Circuit Judge Cleeton cleaned up the case yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Clark's motion to reopen the divorce case was denied. Mr. Clark's motion to reduce the alimony agreed upon suffered a like fate; and Mrs. Clark's suits against Mr. Clark for the making void of the divorce against his brother, Malcolm H. Clark, for damages for alleged alienation of affections, and against Mr. Clark, Sheriff Word, District Attorney Evans, Deputy District Attorney Ryan and Patrolman Sherwood for $125,000 damages, as the result of insanity proceedings against Mrs. Clark, were all dismissed.

Germans Bombard Papeete.

Bordeaux, Oct. 3.—Some fretfulness was discreetly expressed here today over the fact that Great Britain's and France's sea strength, greatly as it has German's naval power outmatched, seems inadequate to prevent such incidents as the bombardment of Papeete, metropolis of the Society Islands, French possessions in the Pacific.

Though the bombardment, in which the kaiser's cruiser's Scharnhorst and Gneisenau took part, occurred September 2, the colonial ministry was not notified of it until Friday night. Papeete, it was stated, was half destroyed.

Santa Fe Train Derailed.

Los Angeles, Oct. 3.—Two coaches of westbound Santa Fe passenger train No. 3 were derailed near Ludlow, Cal., early today by a washout. A mail clerk sustained a broken collar bone.

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Los Angeles vs Portland
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Week Days at 3. p. m.
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