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GUGLIELMO MARCONI AND THE SITE OF HIS PROPOSED WIRELESS TELEGRAPH STATION AT ST. JOHNS, NOVA SCOTIA



GUGLIELMO MARCONI



ST. JOHN'S HARBOR

MANY WILL FIGHT DIRTY

Under Lewis Nixon's leadership hereafter.

ROBERT CROKER BEGINS HIS WORK

Policy Means End of "Graft War on Gambling and Police Blackmail."

Jan. 13.—Lewis Nixon, Hall's new leader, took his desk in headquarters this morning occupied by Richard Tambo. He announced that Tambo's policy would be honesty. He announced that Tambo's policy was an end of the graft system, the gambling combine, and the police blackmail. He

MAY SEIZE CELEBRA.

On the Island for That Purpose.

Jan. 13.—The United States Coast Guard cutter Albatross sailed this morning for the West Indies, believed, the government is maneuvering there.

Jan. 13.—Regardless of the United States agents in the West Indies, the cutter of St. Thomas, will have a coaling station located in reference to the opening of the isthmus. It will be at Culebra, the eastern point of the North Atlantic. It has been maneuvering off the coast for several weeks in anticipation of the opening of the isthmus.

Boxing Match

Jan. 13.—The six-day boxing match commences in the arena today, has attracted the interest and the event is the biggest of its kind in Philadelphia. Following the example of New York, the contest, each rider will track eight hours out of the ten. The contest is between McFarland, New York, and other will-be champions.

Fight Promised

Jan. 13.—Joe Walcott and "Fighting" Jackson are in their six-round bout. This will be the second of the two. They had a draw at Baltimore, and now it is a matter of when they will get on a match with

at New Chuag.

Jan. 13.—The navy department received a cable from the commander Barry, of the Albatross, at New York, after the recent encounter with the crew, saying: "The crew orderly."

Co-Respondent

Jan. 13.—The jury in the case of Francis Oakes, who was divorced, naming the respondent, as co-respondent this morning as counsel for defendant.

Appointed

Jan. 13.—Postmasters David Moonaw, of Pendleton, and M. T. Hart, of Astoria, were appointed.

Prince Henry

Jan. 13.—Mayor of the city official in the city, aged 105.

Plant Burned

Jan. 13.—The plant of the company burned, the loss is \$200,000.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.
New York, Jan. 13.—The weakness in wheat which prevailed Saturday, continued today and the market closed nearly a cent lower. Liverpool opened and closed 6-4. New York opened 87 1/2 and closed 86 1/2. Chicago opened 82 1/2 and closed 81 1/2. The visible supply shows a decrease for the week of 852,000. Stocks lower.
Closed Saturday, 87 1/2 @ 86 1/2.
Opened today, 87 1/2 @ 86 1/2.
Range today, 86 1/2 @ 87 1/2.
Closed today, 86 1/2 @ 87 1/2.
Sugar, 102 1/2.
Steel, 42 1/2.
St. Paul, 162 1/2.
Union Pacific, 101 1/2.
Wheat in San Francisco.
San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Wheat—111 1/4 @ 110 3/4.

GENERAL FITZHUGH LEE ON THE LECTURE PLATFORM.

Prominent figure in the Spanish War to Tell About the Great Conflict.
Washington, Jan. 13.—Mr. R. C. Caldwell, president of the Southern Lyceum Bureau, of Louisville, arrived in the city tonight, en route to New York. He is just from Charlottesville, Va., where today a contract was consummated with Major-General Fitzhugh Lee to appear upon the lecture platform, speaking upon the subject, "Peace and War in the United States and Cuba."
General Lee proposes to give from 25 to 50 lectures during the months of February, March, April, July and August. His subject is one of wide interest, and will attract attention generally throughout the country. Mr. Caldwell says that the demand for General Lee dates back to March, 1898, when he was consul-general to Cuba and negotiations have been pending between them since that period. The tour will open February 3, 1902.

OREGON GIRLS GET MONEY.

From the Duke of Manchester in a Damage Suit.
London, Jan. 13.—An agreement was reached between the Duke of Manchester and Portia Knight, the American actress of Salem, Oregon, whereby the latter's suit for damages for breach of promise will not be heard in court. The duke has paid the woman £1000 and will defray the costs of the legal proceedings.

BIG BRIGAND CAPTURED.

Babeau, Who Has Committed 520 Murders in 30 Years.
Bucharest, Jan. 13.—The police have captured the celebrated brigand, Lake Babeau, who during 30 years outlawry, committed 520 murders and 3,000 robberies. He was suspected of complicity in the abduction of Miss Stone, but this he denies.

Fire in Syracuse.

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 13.—Fire in the business section this afternoon caused a loss of \$100,000. Albert Shoulte, a prominent citizen, was killed by falling walls. Several firemen and policemen were injured.

Daniel French Dead.

The Dalles, Jan. 13.—Daniel French, a local capitalist, died suddenly.

"LET THE PEOPLE DECIDE IT"

EX-MAYOR VINCENT PROPOSES PLAN TO SETTLE THE DISPUTE OVER MARSHALSHIP MATTER.

Both Sides Are Determined, and There Seems to Be No Disposition to Compromise—Injunction Suits Filed Against the Newly-Elected Officials—Heathman Still Wears His Star, Badge of Authority.

Dr. F. W. Vincent, who on January 1 closed his term of service as mayor of Pendleton, while discussing the existing troubles in the city government, said today:
"Were the matter handled according to my idea, it would be submitted to a vote of the people of Pendleton. Let the parties to the controversy, in the interest of harmony and the good of the city, agree to allow the voters to act as arbiters, and let an election be held, that the citizens may express their views. This would be fair, and is the right manner to settle the troublesome dispute that has arisen."

THE COUNCIL MEETING ON SATURDAY EVENING.

When the Fight Took Tangible Form and the Contestants Lined Up in Public for the First Time.
Unexpected to everybody else, the committee appointed by Mayor T. G. Halley to report on the charges made of irregularities in the police department as to the collecting and disposition of fines from gambling houses, women of ill-fame and slot machines, got together Saturday evening in special called meeting, and made public what they had found out by earnest investigation.
Mayor Halley, City Attorney Carter, Recorder Beam, Marshal Heathman and the eight councilmen, beside a few outsiders, who had got wind that a meeting was to be, were present. The hottest council meeting that has been held here for years followed the reading of the report, which follows in full:

Committee's Report.
To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Pendleton:
Your committee appointed at a regular meeting on January 2, 1902, to investigate the police department, beg leave to report as follows:
There have appeared before your committee a number of witnesses. The principal subjects under investigation have been the fines paid by gambling houses, by prostitutes, slot machines and by pretexts.
The findings of the committee show that three gambling houses have each paid a monthly sum of \$5.50 to the marshal; of which sum, \$12.50—the city's assessed fine—has been paid to the recorder and has been entered in the fine docket, and \$20 has been retained by the marshal.
It is shown that three gambling houses, in addition to the three first mentioned, have paid a monthly sum of \$12.50 to the city and have paid various sums of money to the marshal.
The owners of slot machines have paid a monthly sum of \$2.50 for each machine operated. From the several amounts collected by the marshal from owners of slot machines there have been retained by the marshal the receipts from two and a part of the time from three such owners, and said sums so retained have been spent in treating at various places. The marshal test-

MARSHALSHIP FIGHT TAKEN INTO COURT.

Injunction Writ Issued Against Lane—Also a Writ Against Frazier, as Recorder of the City.
Sunday afternoon Marshal Heathman got a new lock and put on the city jail so that no one could put a prisoner in or take one out, without it being done under his direct supervision.
This morning the question was still hanging fire, and Heathman and Beam have filed papers with the county clerk enjoining Lane and Frazier from acting as marshal and recorder.
The title of the case in the first action is John M. Heathman vs. William Lane, Frank B. Clopton, H. F. Johnson, T. G. Halley, J. R. Dickson and T. B. Wells, in which plaintiff prays a writ of injunction prohibiting William Lane from claiming to have or hold the office of city marshal, or to be possessed of any of its powers, or entitled to receive or have any of the salary therefrom, or from in any way interfering with the plaintiff in his conduct of the office of marshal of the city of Pendleton. He also asks that defendants be prohibited from proceeding any further in the said matter of appointing William Lane marshal, or attempting to have any bond filed by said William Lane as the official bond of marshal of Pendleton, until further orders from the court, and that at the final termination of the suit said injunction be made perpetual, and plaintiff have such other and further relief as equity may seem meet, besides judgment against defendants for his costs and disbursements of this action.

The suit of Beam vs. L. G. Frazier, Frank B. Clopton, H. F. Johnson, T. G. Halley, J. R. Dickson and T. B. Wells is practically the same in its allegations and desires as the above. It asks that L. G. Frazier be constrained from acting as city recorder or in any way interfering with J. E. Beam in his duties as city recorder.
Stillman & Pierce are attorneys for plaintiffs.

Lane is Out.

It is not yet decided what the anti-Heathman men will do, but one thing has developed, and that is that William Lane cannot serve as city marshal because he owns a homestead in the Potts country, which, according to the city charter, bars any one from holding the office of marshal, as he does not claim Pendleton as his home. Another man will have to be selected, if they put in another to take Heath-

man's place. Lane has taken off his star and will make no effort to serve in the capacity appointed to Saturday night.

The time for hearing of the injunction suit has not yet been set, but those it was served upon will have to file their answer within 10 days from this morning.

The Complaint of Heathman.

Stillman & Pierce, counsel for Heathman, prepared and filed the following complaint in the injunction suit:

Plaintiff complains of the above named defendants and for cause of suit, alleges:

That the city of Pendleton, in Umatilla county, state of Oregon, is a municipal corporation, organized, existing and having corporate power, under and by virtue of a special statute of the state of Oregon, entitled: "An act to incorporate the city of Pendleton, in Umatilla county, and to define the powers thereof, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Pendleton, in Umatilla county, and to define the powers thereof, approved October 25, 1880, and an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the town of Pendleton, in Umatilla county, and to define the powers thereof, approved February 5, 1885, and an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the town of Pendleton, in Umatilla county, and to define the powers thereof, approved February 21, 1887, filed in the office of the secretary of state, February 20, 1889," and all acts amendatory thereof.

That said special statute has passed the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon and was approved by the governor February 15, 1899; that said special act has never been revised or amended, and, except by reason of virtue of said special statute, the said city of Pendleton does not have or possess any corporate powers whatsoever, and, except as authorized and provided in and by said act, no officers, or councilmen, or otherwise, of the city of Pendleton can have or possess any powers, rights or prerogatives.

That at a general election of officers held on the first Monday in December, 1901, the plaintiffs were elected to the offices of marshal and recorder and thereafter qualified by filing their oaths of office and official bonds, and ever since said date have been and are the only duly elected city marshal and recorder, and pursuant to said special act incorporating the city of Pendleton, shall hold and enjoy said office until their successors are elected and qualified pursuant to the provisions of said special statute.

That since said election no persons have been elected as city marshal and recorder, nor have the plaintiffs been removed from said offices, nor have they resigned, but are at this time the duly elected, qualified and acting marshal and recorder for the city of Pendleton, and have the right to continue to hold said offices until their successors are elected and qualified, conformably with law.

That defendants T. G. Halley, Frank B. Clopton, J. R. Dickson and T. B. Wells claim to be duly elected mayor and councilmen for the city of Pendleton and to have the right to exercise the powers of mayor and common council, but in truth and fact neither of the said defendants were ever legally elected or at all in the manner prescribed by law, and therefore have

HELP OUR RIVER IN WASHINGTON

Foster, Turner, Cushman and Jones in Congress.

FROM OREGON'S SISTER STATE TO THE NORTH.

Plead for Improvement of the Columbia Both Above and Below Portland, While Speaking for Seattle Canal.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The house committee on rivers and harbors today considered the proposition to build a ship canal from Seattle to Lake Washington. Senators Turner and Foster, and Congressmen Jones and Cushman appeared before the committee and advocated, in addition to the canal, improvements of the Columbia river at its mouth and at The Dalles, at a total cost of \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000.

CANAL BILL IN SENATE.

Also Measure for Regulation for Cuba Matters.

Washington, Jan. 13.—In the senate today, the Hepburn isthmian canal bill was reported from the house. Mason, of Illinois, introduced a bill providing for regulation of duties imposed on articles from Cuba imported into the United States; also a resolution providing in brief that the United States should give Cuba a board of commerce reciprocal trade, which upon his motion was laid upon the table.

Will Hear Cases on 27th.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The United States supreme court today announced it would hear attorneys in the case of Minnesota against the Northern Securities company on the 27th on the matter of their application for leave to bring the bill of complaint formally to the attention of the court.

Wrecks in Mexico.

City of Mexico, Jan. 13.—Two serious railway wrecks occurred yesterday, one on the Mexican Grand canal, another on the National near Ricon. There are no details except that many were killed. The loss is variously estimated at from \$20,000 to \$80,000.

Pueblo Riot at Bullfight.

City of Mexico, Jan. 13.—There was a riot yesterday at a Pueblo bullfight. The bulls were bad and the populace becoming enraged drove the matadors out of the ring and burned the place to the ground.

Collision in Oklahoma.

Wichita, Kan., Jan. 13.—Passengers and construction trains on the Rock Island collided near Okene, O. T., this morning, killing two and injuring eight. The dead are: K. H. Baer, of Wichita; E. A. Coffey, of Galve, Kan.

Crane at the White House.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Governor Crane, of Massachusetts, had a conference with President Roosevelt this morning. The latter saw Secretary Long, in consequence of which the rumor is revived that Crane is to succeed Long in the cabinet.

Business of the District.

Washington, Jan. 13.—District of Columbia matters claimed the attention of the house today after the opening preliminaries were disposed of.

For Poor Editors.

New York, Jan. 13.—Henry Watterson, aided by Alex. McClure and others, has organized a movement for the establishment of a home for indigent newspaper men. Carnegie was applied to for the first contribution.

Election of Senators by People.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Dubois, of Idaho, introduced a joint resolution providing for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

Pension Bill Up.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The pension appropriation bill was taken up after the district bills had been reported and passed upon.

Ranch eggs, guaranteed absolutely fresh, 25 cents per dozen, at the Standard Grocery, Court street.

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