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OICE AS ET FOR POPE

Ballot Has Been Ta- Without Reaching Any Result.

NDS WATCHING FOR THE SIGNAL SMOKE.

inals Who Are Ill Vote by -On First Ballot Vannutelli bbons, of America, Received otes—Martinelli Proposed as romise Candidate.

Aug. 1.—Early this morning people gathered under s of the colonnade at St. d watched the stove pipe from the roof of the Sis- el. The crowd was disap- s the pipe leads to a small he room where the conclave ress.

n unsuccessful vote is taken s are thrown in the stove med, wet straw being used. ts are taken daily. An ab- moke would be taken as an lect a pope had been

n today began removing work from the windows portico from which the new bless the people.

Rampolla Leads.

Aug. 1.—The evening Ex- legraph's Rome correspond that two cardinals are too e their cells and partici- is morning's voting. They other cardinals as proxies, ed their votes to the Sis- el.

me correspondent of the ews Bureau states that on lot Rampolla received the umber of votes, followed ni, Oreglia, Gotti and Gib- received two votes.

hoice on Second Ballot.

Aug. 1.—At 6:10 o'clock in issued from the Vatican , indicating no election of the second ballot.

Martinelli Proposed.

Aug. 1.—It is reported this as having leaked from the that Cardinal Gibbons has Martinelli, the former papal o Washington, as a compro- didate for pope. It is now that Rampolli is practically contest.

SSES WITHDRAWN.

round Placerville Greatly rmed in Consequence.

lle, Cal., Aug. 1.—The in- are in a state of frenzy from the removal of the posses t the convicts to hold up s it is known the felons are ovisions. The convict shot ht was making toward Ta-

Wallowa Wool Sale.

Aug. 1.—Part of the Wal- clip was delivered here for Eastern buyers. About ounds were shipped yester- g to Boston. It sold at the 3 and 13¼ cents.

Telephone Merger.

Aug. 1.—Samuel F. Fenton, n Telephone Co., is here or- into one system the tele- the inter-mountain region. nberg-Carlson Company is movement.

ch-Needed Vacation.

polis, Ind., Aug. 1.—Presi- Mitchell started today for vacation, the first he has e he went to work as a boy over 30 years ago. He n at home with his family.

Drug Case by State.

, Ky., Aug. 1.—Marcum's s a witness in the Jett-White y. As the trial progresses evidence against the pris- being constantly produced prosecution.

Sent Up for Life.

rancisco, Aug. 1.—Bernard who assaulted and robbed thews March 4, was sentenc- to life imprisonment at Fol-

HIDEOUS ASSAULT.

Perpetrators Will Be Lynched if They Are Apprehended.

Detroit, Aug. 1.—The 6-year-old daughter of John Brownska was taken from her bed by two unknown men who broke into the house early this morning. She was carried to a nearby field, outraged and will die. A big posse of citizens headed by the child's father, is in pursuit and threaten lynching.

Stove Moulders Arrested.

Two stove moulders have been arrested charged with the child outrage at Delzay. They deny that they were in the vicinity of Brownska's house.

Newsboys Strike.

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—Not an evening newspaper has been sold in the streets for three weeks, the newsboys being on a strike. The publishers want five cents for two papers. The boys will only consent to return to the publishers five cents for three papers. The publishers refuse to arbitrate.

Murderer Had Insurance.

Baker City, Aug. 1.—A. A. Earl, who killed Blossom Small near Durkee last week, afterward shooting himself, carried $1,000 insurance in the Modern Woodmen of America and Mrs. Earl has just received the amount as beneficiary.

Cold Summer in Alaska.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 1.—The steamer Roanoke arrived from Nome this morning with $350,000 treasure. Its officers report that the season is very cold in the North.

Knights May Build.

Walla Walla, Aug. 1.—The local lodge of the Knights of Pythias are arranging to build a two-story brick, to cost $10,000. The lodge now owns a lot valued at $6,500.

Keystone Mines Sold.

Baker City, Aug. 1.—The Keystone group of mines located near the White Swan, in this county was sold yesterday to Eastern parties for $50,000.

Twenty-Three Lives Lost.

Lowell, Mass., Aug. 1.—Another body was found in the ruins today, making a total of 23.

STAINED CANNED TOMATOES

COLORING MATTER USED TO SIMULATE RIPENESS.

The Dairy and Food Commission of Pennsylvania Examination Throws Light Upon the "Thrifty" Methods Employed by Some Easterners.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 1.—State Dairy and Food Commissioner Warren has announced that retail grocers here recently have received among the orders for canned tomatoes packages which, upon close examination, proved to be a miscellaneous assortment of vegetables, including a few green tomatoes and red paint, the whole having the appearance of ripe tomatoes.

Agents detailed to investigate found that red paint was used to a great extent in coloring worthless and unripe tomatoes, and that other coloring matter was also used to give a ripe appearance to worthless canned vegetables of various kinds.

LA GRANDE LAND DISTRICT.

Umatilla County the Largest in the District.

The La Grande land office district, in which Umatilla county is located, contains in round numbers, 8,843,000 acres of land, and is comprised of the counties of Umatilla, Grant, Morrow, Union, Baker and Wallowa.

Umatilla county is the largest in the district and contains 2,000,000 acres of land of all descriptions. The Umatilla Indian reservation contains 151,360 acres, in the heart of the county. There are 800,000 acres of vacant land in the county, about 200,000 acres of farming land, and nearly 1,000,000 acres of deeded mountain and pasture land.

Morrow is the smallest county in the district, containing only a total of 511,000 acres, 230,000 acres of this being vacant and 280,000 deeded land.

The district is well watered, containing the Umatilla river and tributaries, John Day river, Grande Ronde, Wallowa, Powder river, Burnt river, and numerous streams almost as large as rivers, well distributed throughout the entire district. It is said that this is the greatest number of beautiful mountain streams in any land district on the Pacific coast.

UNITED STATES COURT SUSTAINS THE MERGER

Hill Wins Unqualified Victory in Case of State of Minnesota Vs. The Northern Securities Company.

Decision Holds That Securities Company Was Not Formed to Control Majority of Stock of the Two Roads, or That Either Road Was a Party to the Formation of the Securities Company.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 1.—A decision was handed down this morning in the case of the State of Minnesota vs. The Northern Securities Company, by which the promoters of the merger gain the suit. James J. Hill's victory is comprehensive and substantial.

The decision was filed this morning by Judge William Lecron of the United States circuit court. The state loses on every point it made against the merger. The decision is a sweeping victory for the owners of the securities, and Great Northern and Northern Pacific stocks.

The court holds that the evidence fails to show that the Securities Company was formed for the purpose of holding a majority of the Great Northern as well as Northern Pacific stock. The state anti-trust act is practically a copy of the Sherman act, and relates only to railroads, and the Securities Company is not a railroad. Neither road was a party to forming the Securities Company.

Judge Lecron says: "The Securities Company is but an investment of stockholders in railways without power to consolidate them, or to interfere with their management or control. That is my judgment, and it leads me to the conclusion that none of the defendants have violated the Minnesota anti-trust act.

"The conclusion is apparently contrary to the case of the United States vs. The Northern Securities, but the right of litigants and my own sense of duty alike require this decision.

"A decree is perforce entered dismissing the state's bill of complaint."

Effect on Stocks.

New York, Aug. 1.—Northern Securities stock advanced four points—to 93¼, then reacted to 90. Forty thousand shares changed hands.

TO SET ASIDE A WILL.

Alleged That the Document Was Made by One of Unsound Mind.

John R. Morrison, Richard Morrison and Grace E. Hales have instituted proceedings to force G. M. Morrison, Robert Morrison, Eliza G. Morrison and William Morrison to show cause why the will of their father, John Morrison, should not be set aside and the property be redistributed.

The contestants allege that at the time of the death of John Morrison, he was of advanced age and was of unsound mind and not capable of making a will or of attending to business, and had been in such a condition for some time. That he was easily led, and that the respondents secured an undue influence over him and led him to make an unfair division of the property.

Morrison died February 8, 1903, on his ranch near Adams, leaving an estate valued at $40,000, and this was divided in the will in such a manner as to lead to discord in the family, and the action is the result.

The contestants ask the court to cancel the letters testamentary and to declare the will to be fraudulent and to set it aside.

The court has set September 7 as the date upon which the respondents are to appear and show cause, if any, why the prayer of the contestants should not be granted.

IMPORTANT TRANSFER.

Expected That the Golden Rule Will Be Traded for Farming Property.

There is a deal on the boards to trade the Golden Rule hotel for property in the Despain gulch. For some time the deal has been on, and it is not now settled, though it is practically so.

Conrad Koehler is the owner of the hotel, and has been offering it for sale for some little time. T. K. Beard is the man who wants the property and is willing to trade for it. He is the owner of a thousand acres of land in the gulch, and will trade 640 acres for the property here, besides giving a lot of cash.

The hotel is valued at $26,000, and the section of land is held at $14,000, so that Mr. Beard will have to put up $12,000 in addition to the land. This he has done, or will do, for the papers are all drawn up and the transfer is practically made.

Mr. Beard will make additions to the place and have it overhauled, making it one of the best hotels in the eastern part of the state. New furniture will be put in and the interior thoroughly overhauled and remodeled and all the details of the work will be attended to so that when the place is opened it will be able to attract and hold the best trade on the road.

Representatives of a South African railway are in British Columbia trying to purchase 3,000,000 hemlock ties.

NATIVE OREGON PRODUCTS.

Beautiful Easel of Native Wood Presented to Information Bureau.

A huge easel, over eight feet in height, containing one of the most beautiful collections of Oregon woods ever displayed in Portland, has just been received from Coos Bay by the Oregon Information Bureau, says the Oregon Daily Journal. The collection consists of 16 specimens, all beautifully polished, and was presented to the bureau by the Marshfield board of trade.

The woods are for the most part knotty specimens, much prized for veneering purposes. The pieces are horizontal cuts from the stumps and the coloring and grain is well brought out by the polishing. The most striking piece in the collection is a huge myrtle slab, irregular in shape, of a deep, rich mottled brown and black color and over six feet broad. A specimen of maple burl is a very beautiful part of the huge easel.

The woods mounted on the easel are: Maple burl, curly white maple, chittim wood, alder, myrtle slab, curly red fir, vertical grain fir, curly red maple, curly white cedar, slash grain spruce, vertical grain red cedar, white cedar burl, white cedar and black myrtle, curly myrtle, slash grain fir.

Minerals From Baker County.

Office Secretary George G. Birrel has received a cabinet of minerals from the White Swan and Virtue mining district in Baker county. The collection consists of ores from 25 different properties, each labeled and reposing in a bed of cotton. A box of unlabeled ores from Baker county was also received.

Among the recent vegetable additions to the bureau's rapidly growing exhibits is a huge white radish from Clackamas county. The monster root is 19 inches in length and with its top, extends over a yard along the table. It is 18½ inches in circumference at the largest part.

TO "THE BREAKERS."

Contest for the Free Vacation Creating Great Interest.

In anticipation of spending two weeks of the hot weather at the seaside the guest of the East Oregonian and the choice of many admiring friends, the young lady clerks are greatly enjoying the friendly contest now in progress for this vacation.

"The Breakers" is one of the most delightful places on the beach and offers so many enjoyable features for a seaside outing, that the trip is worth the effort. Series "D" of the coupons must be voted by noon next Wednesday. Following is the vote to date:

Effie Jean Frazier, People's Warehouse, 293.
Bessie Hulse, Fair Store, 119.
Dora Myrick, St. Joe Store, 22.
Ruby Whittemore, The Delta, 21.
Anna Kennedy, Lee Teutsch, 20.
Miss Newquist, Fair Store, 6.

DELEGATES TO OGDEN.

Mayor Thomas G. Hailey Appoints G. A. Hartman and E. J. Sommerville.

Mayor Thomas G. Hailey has appointed G. A. Hartman and E. J. Sommerville as delegates to the fourteenth annual convention of the National Irrigation Association, which meets in Ogden from the 15th to the 18th of September.

It is provided that the mayor will appoint two delegates, the county court two, the president of the Commercial Association two, the president of the County Irrigation Association two, and the president of the Woolgrowers' Association two. The other men who have the appointing power have as yet not made up their minds whom they would name as delegates, but will do so in the near future.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Will Commence August 12—Examining Board Not Appointed.

The teachers' examinations for state and county papers will be held in the circuit court room of the court house beginning August 12, and lasting until the 15th. The examinations for the state papers will commence on the 12th and will continue until the 15th, while the trials for county papers will continue from the 13th to the 15th.

At this time all of the teachers in the county who are desirous of taking the examinations will be expected to appear and take their trials with the rest. It is expected that there will be quite a number here when the papers are given out.

The examining board has not as yet been decided upon, but will be in the next few days.

Hoboes Get Free Ride.

An O. R. & N. labor contractor who was in the city yesterday hiring men to go to Weatherby to work on the railroad, related an instance of the dishonesty of a gang that he engaged in Portland. There were 15 of them and they claimed to have bedding. They showed up at the depot next morning on time with what appeared to be their bedding, but which turned out to be old straw in side of gunny sacks. They were passed over the road, but not a single man of them ever landed at Weatherby, most of them getting off at Pendleton and Baker City.—Baker City Democrat.

RUSSIA PLAYING HER HAND

ADOPTS CLOSED POLICY IN RELATION TO MANCHURIA.

Announces That the Doors Will Be Open in Six Years—Fleet of War Vessels Ordered to Corean Waters Is it a Bluff?

Berlin, Aug. 1.—The Cologne Gazette today reports that Russia has a tight grip upon Manchuria and has ordered all foreigners to remain out of the country for the present.

The Gazette adds that at the end of six years, when Russia expects to have restored order in Manchuria the country will be opened to free commerce. Russia has formally notified China of orders to this effect.

Preparing to Back it Up.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 1.—That Russia is preparing to meet any trouble regarding Corea was manifested today when it was announced that the two biggest battleships, two cruisers and four torpedo boats have been ordered to proceed immediately to the Far East.

Administratrix Appointed.

Delilah Hill, of Athena, appeared before the probate court this morning with a petition in which she asked for the appointment of an administratrix for the estate of William T. Hill, deceased. She represented that William Hill had died at Athena, June 7, 1903, leaving an estate of the reasonable value of $12,500, and asked that she be appointed to administer the estate. The prayer of the petitioner was granted, and it was ordered that papers be issued to her upon her taking the oath and furnishing bonds in the sum of $25,000.

Putting in Ten-Inch Piping.

The O. R. & N. are putting larger pipe in the yards at the depot in order that the trains can take water more quickly when they come to the station. The new pipe is 10 inches in diameter, and when it is in place one of the big tanks can be filled in half the time that it takes at the present time with the smaller piping. The work is tedious, as all of the excavation has to be made under the tracks without disturbing the ties or rails or interfering with the traffic on the main line or the work of the yards.

BRIDGE FALLS AT PORTLAND

Main Structure Uninjured, But Footpath Laden With People Went Down.

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-ONE WERE INJURED.

Six Persons Are Missing, All of Whom Are Believed to Be Drowned—Fifty Were Seriously Injured, of Whom Some Will Die—Seven Unconscious at Hospital.

L. B. Reeder returned from Portland this morning, where he has been for the last week attending the state meeting of the Red Men. Mr. Reeder was selected one of the delegates for the state to attend the national meeting which will be held in Atlantic City the latter part of September. There are two delegates from the state, and they are elected for a term of two years. Mr. Reeder was elected for the two year term, and therefore will have two trips to the East instead of one. The order is strongest in the East, and the conventions never get very far West. This gives the Western men a good chance to have an Eastern trip.

Mr. Reeder was an eye-witness of the collapse of the Morrison street bridge at Portland yesterday afternoon, and says that the reports published in the papers of that city were exaggerated as to the numbers that went down with the section that fell. He was standing on the runway at one of the wharves on the west side watching the swimmer make his way across the river, when all at once the structure gave way and hurled the people into the river below.

The bridge was crowded, and the walk along the side was filled with men, women and children all attempting to get near enough to the railing to see into the water below, and as they stood a section of the eastern end of the walk, without warning, literally dropped from the bridge, as cleanly broken as though it had been cut out with a saw. At the point where the structure gave way it was about 15 or 20 feet above the water, and directly underneath was a boat house upon which the wreckage fell.

About 50 people were on the walk when it went down, and most of those were not fatally hurt, though a great many were painfully and some seriously injured. If the walk had fallen in the river instead of on the boat house, fewer people would have received injuries, for as it was they were mixed up in all kinds of shapes in the double wreck of the bridge and the house.

Four people were known to be dead last night when Mr. Reeder left for home.

Mr. Reeder was one of the first on the scene, and was there before any of the people had been taken from the place, and it was his opinion that all of those who had fallen had been recovered, though it was very likely that some of them had fallen between some of the houses and boats under the bridge at that place, and had drowned.

The Morrison street bridge has long been considered to be in an unsafe condition, and such crowds should have been kept off the structure by the authorities, for the whole thing is rotten, and that was the cause of the accident. This happening will, in all probability, have some effect in causing the city to take measures to have the bridge rebuilt, as has been urged for some years past.

Earliest Reports Confirmed.

Portland, Aug. 1.—Six persons are still missing and all are believed to be drowned. The only names of those who actually met death are Kd Shanks, aged 13, and Lottie Cameron, aged 16.

One hundred and twenty-one were more or less seriously injured. Of this number 50 must be regarded as "serious" cases, of whom several will undoubtedly die. At St. Vincent's hospital seven now lie unconscious.

The patients are scattered all about the city, at hospitals and private houses.

The sacred college at Rome has audited the bills for medical attendance upon Leo XIII and allowed $10,000.