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East Oregonian

WEATHER FORECAST.

Tonight and Tuesday occasional rain or snow. High southerly winds Tuesday.

PENDLETON, UMATILLA COUNTY, OREGON, MONDAY, MARCH 28, 1904.

STATE OF WAR IN COLORADO

Unionists Quietly Notified They Must Not Go on President Myer's Security.

ONLY A CASH BOND CAN GET HIM OUT OF JAIL.

Continual Deportations of Labor Leaders Are in Progress and Still More Will Be Made—Some Exiles Are Returning and Hiding—Press Censorship is Strict—House to House Raids for Firearms Are Made Daily.

Telluride, Col., March 28.—At noon President Myer, of the Western Federation of Miners, was unable to secure bondsmen, and is still a prisoner in the county jail. The unionists who own property and are willing to become securities, have been quietly informed that to go on Myer's bond will make them persona non grata.

The federation will probably arrange a cash bond this afternoon. Secretary and Treasurer Forbes, of the Telluride union, was deported, but returned last night and was arrested. Three other exiles returned here thus far been able to elude the military.

More Deportations.

Telluride, Col., March 28.—Further deportations of strike leaders, national and district, it is understood, will be made tonight.

House to house raids for firearms continue in the small towns of Las Animas county. At one house the troops were refused admittance because a child lay dying of diphtheria. The doors were broken down.

The press censorship continues strict.

RESIST SEPARATE SCHOOLS.

Educational Race War in West Chester Pennsylvania.

West Chester, Pa., March 28.—A hearing was had in court today on writ of alternative mandamus obtained by the colored residents of Kennett Square to compel the school board of that place to admit colored children of that section into the schools. The board recently decided to establish a separate school for the negro children, and this has aroused much opposition among the negro population.

The case is of peculiar interest because Kennett Square was an early center of the anti-slavery movement, and in the Friends meeting house in the vicinity William Lloyd Garrison, Lucretia Mott, and many other abolitionists addressed large meetings in the exciting days before the war between the states. In few places, in fact, was the doctrine of the equality of the races preached with greater fervor than in Kennett Square.

CHICAGO MAY LOSE IT.

Must Hustle, or Republican Convention Will Go Elsewhere.

Chicago, March 28.—The sub-committee of the national republican committee met today to discuss the ultimatum delivered to the local party men that Chicago must deposit \$15,000 or lose the convention. Senator Arms Stone served this notice. It is declared by the local people that the money will be forthcoming, although it is denied that any promise of that kind has been made, this afternoon. An executive session will be held. The hotel men are aroused, as they stand a chance of losing \$50,000.

White House Clerk Suicides.

Washington, March 28.—Charles Forester, until recently a clerk at the White House, and brother of Rudolph Forester, one of the president's assistant secretaries, killed himself by shooting this morning at his home at Kensington, Md., a suburb of Washington.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, March 28.—Wheat opened 26%, closed the same; old July opened 88%, closed 89%; new opened 87%, closed 88. July corn opened 56%, closed 51%.

Expect No Trouble.

Berlin, March 28.—The foreign office has issued a denial of the report that Germany is preparing for a hostile demonstration against Venezuela. The authorities anticipate no serious trouble or protracted delay in collecting the claims.

OFF TO THE ISTHMUS.

Canal Commissioners Will Sail Tomorrow.

New York, March 28.—Admiral Walker and his colleagues of the Panama canal commission are rounding up in this city preparatory to sailing tomorrow for the isthmus. The commissioners decline to discuss their official plans other than to state their intention of making a thorough examination of the present condition of the canal property with a view to deciding upon plans for the future of the work.

The rumored legal hitch in the transfer of the property from the French company to the United States government is not expected to interfere in any way with the work of the commission. It is understood that William N. Cromwell, counsel for the Panama Canal Company, prior to his departure for France two weeks ago, sent orders to the company's agent at Panama to afford to the commissioners every facility for examination or for such action as they might desire to take, the same as though the canal was formally in possession of this government.

Danger Over at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, March 28.—The flood situation this morning shows the danger has passed. Urban transportation lines are entirely flooded. The total loss in the city is upwards of \$1,000,000.

SEVEN INDICTED FOR CONSPIRACY

CUNNINGHAM AND HIS "DUMMIES" ARE HELD.

Federal Grand Jury Finds Sufficient Evidence to Hold Umatilla County People Charged With Defrauding the Government in Land Filings—Government Will Make Strong Effort to Convict, in View of the Brazen Corruption in Oregon Land Matters.

On Saturday evening at the close of one of the busiest days of the session, the federal grand jury at Portland returned indictments against Charles Cunningham, Mark Shackelford, Asa Rayburn, Dallas O'Hara, Glen Saling, Shelly Jones and Kate James, all of this county, for conspiracy to defraud the government in the land fraud cases which were developed at the A. B. Thomson trial in December.

Judge George A. Hartman and Joe Parks, who witnessed some of the filing papers for those indicted, were completely exonerated, they being in no possible way connected with the cases, except as notaries, who by chance witnessed a portion of the papers.

The evidence against those indicted was practically the same as was introduced in the Thomson trial, the defendants then acknowledging that they did not know the nature of the affidavits they made when filing. The indictments cause no surprise to those who were familiar with the evidence in the Thomson case, and owing to the brazen and bold land frauds, in and out of the land office in Oregon, the government will make a strong effort to convict all those indicted.

SEED POTATOES GO SOUTH.

Northern Grown Spuds Find Ready Market Now.

Seed potatoes are being shipped from Walla Walla to the southern states in carload lots, and the demand is strong with prices considerably higher than they have been heretofore, and nearly double the figure offered a year ago.

Each year potatoes are shipped from the Northwest to southern points, but last year the crop there was very small, and an extra strong demand is being made for the northern grown seed. Southern planters prefer the foreign grown for planting and always buy them in preference to seed grown in the south.

GOVERNOR PASSES THROUGH.

State Fish Commission Goes to Ontario to Inspect the Hatcheries There.

Governor Chamberlain, Secretary of State F. I. Dunbar, State Treasurer Moore and Master Fish Warden Baker, passed through Pendleton yesterday morning en route to Ontario, where they went to inspect the state fish hatchery at that place.

The hatchery at Ontario is one of the largest on the coast and is especially thrifty and successful. The board will also look over the irrigation propositions near Ontario, while in that vicinity.

Appraisers Appointed.

Upon the petition of Arthur Haskell, administrator of the estate of Alfred B. Palmer deceased, Bernard O'Garra, John McCourt and S. A. Newberry were appointed appraisers to estimate its value.

SENATOR BURTON IS FOUND GUILTY

Alas for "the Silver-Tongued" Redeemer of the Fair Fame of the Jayhawker State.

TERMS OF PENALTY WHICH MAY FOLLOW.

Motion Made at Once for a New Trial—Burton Cannot Succeed Himself, as Conviction Not Only Vacates the Office, But Disqualifies From Holding Office—A Swarm of Candidates Already After the Job of United States Senator.

St. Louis, March 28.—The jury in the Burton case at 12:30 returned a verdict of guilty.

The senator was found guilty on six counts, several being dismissed during the trial. A motion for a new trial was immediately filed.

The senator spent a sleepless night at his hotel, and was nervously twirling his moustache when he appeared in court when notified of the agreement of the jury. Upon the announcement of the verdict, he trembled slightly and spoke to his attorney in a whisper, sank back in his chair and buried his face in his hands.

Terms of Legal Penalty.

The maximum penalty is a fine of \$10,000 and two years in the penitentiary and perpetual disqualification from holding public office. The sentence will be fixed by Judge Adams.

Figuring on Burton's Successor.

Topeka, Kan., March 28.—Pending confirmation of the Burton conviction, it is not probable Governor Bailey will take any action toward either appointing his successor or convening the legislature in special session to fill the vacancy. The conviction makes Burton an impossibility to succeed himself, hence there are now talked of to take his seat in the senate: Congressman Bowersock, Curtis and Calderhead, ex-Governor Stanley, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Bristow and Cyrus Leland. There is much excitement throughout the state.

SOUTHERN STORM.

Damage Will Aggregate \$250,000 in Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., March 28.—It is believed the damage throughout the South due to the storm now raging, will aggregate \$1,000,000. Here the property loss is \$250,000. Fifty residences were unroofed and churches and distilleries damaged.

TURKS MOBILIZING.

Movement Made Necessary by the Balkan Revolt.

Constantinople, March 28.—Orders have been issued for the immediate mobilization in Syria of eight classes of reserves, destination not known, but they are believed to be destined for the concentration movement proceeding in the Balkans.

WANTED IN NEBRASKA.

W. R. Herrick Taken in Custody on the Charge of Burglary.

Upon a description sent from Sheriff Logan Sammons, of Kearney, Nebraska, a man by the name of W. R. Herrick, was arrested in this city this morning and is now in the county jail awaiting the arrival of the sheriff from Nebraska. The man is wanted in Kearney for the crime of burglary committed there some time ago. He has been in Pendleton but a short time, and was engaged in selling trees for a nursery company.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Got \$50 Each for Illegally Entering House at Helix.

William Alsopch and Frank Stanton were arraigned this morning in the circuit court and asked to plead to the charge of larceny. The men were accused of having entered the house of Harlow Richmond at Helix. Both pleaded guilty and were fined \$50 each by the court, which they paid.

Ehrhart-Moon.

Mrs. Doris E. Ehrhart and George A. Moon were married on Saturday evening at the parsonage of the Methodist church, by Rev. Robert Warner. Both of the parties are residents of this city and will make their home on Union street.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued on Saturday evening to Henry I. Wright and Miss Mary A. La Brache.

EYE-WITNESS PORT ARTHUR

American Steamer Pleiades Was Near to the Great Battle Throughout.

JAPANESE MAKE ANOTHER TRY AT BOTTLING HARBOR.

The Czar Practicing Economy for the Benefit of the Red Cross—Russian Papers Say Interest in the War is Flagging—Hustling and Baiting Russian Jews—Two Jap Steamers Ashore in Yellow Sea—Russians Build Drydock.

Port Townsend, March 28.—The American steamer Pleiades was the only American ship to witness the bombardment of Port Arthur. She arrived here this morning.

The Pleiades arrived at Port Arthur the morning of February 7 and the torpedo attack which marked the beginning of hostilities was made at 11 o'clock the night of the 9th.

The populace was first warned by the firing from the Russian fleet endeavoring to repel the advance of the Japanese torpedo boats, which sneaked in and damaged the Russian ships, causing three to run ashore to prevent sinking. The Russian squadron then drew back.

There were no further hostilities until 11 the morning of the 9th. The bombardment was then opened by the Japanese and continued 45 minutes. The Russians made a good stand, but did not get the proper range, and did no damage. Shells dropped all over the city, wounding many non-combatants and damaging houses. The populace was panic stricken.

Shells dropped all about the Pleiades. None did damage, but one burst close and hundreds of fragments dropped on the deck. The officers learned that 23 were killed, and 50 wounded in the city, aside from the non-combatants, none of whom were killed. The distance of the Japanese fleet from the fort at the time of the bombardment was four to eight miles.

There was slight firing three nights after the main fight, but no damage was done.

Arrived in Manchuria.

Rome, March 28.—The Agenzia Libera reports General Kourapatkin's arrival at Liao Yang, Manchuria.

Czar's Self-Denial.

St. Petersburg, March 28.—The czar, following the example of the Russian workmen, most of whom contributed 7 per cent of their wages to the war fund, has ordered household expenses cut at least 40 roubles daily, the proceeds to go to the Red Cross. He has denied himself liquors and side dishes, such as caviare, sardines, which are more expensive than meat in Russia, and curtailed his daily supply of cigars. Fruit is served only on state occasions.

The newspaper Novosti, however, complains that public interest in the war is flagging, particularly noticeable in diminished contributions to the Red Cross funds.

Niu Chwang in War Zone.

Washington, March 28.—A St. Petersburg report is that Niu Chwang is declared within the zone of war interpreted by the state department. Another was received by it some days ago in which it was said the Russians had served notice to consult that the mouth of Lio river was being mined.

Bottling Works in Operation.

Tokio, March 28.—According to Japanese accounts Admiral Togo made a successful attempt to bottle Port Arthur Sunday. Four steamers were sunk across the mouth of the harbor. Later in the day the Japanese battleships began another bombardment.

Dry Dock for Port Arthur.

St. Petersburg, March 28.—Orders are about to be given the workshops at Sornovo for the construction of an immense dry dock for Port Arthur, to be completed in four months.

A Port Arthur dispatch this morning states the damage done, the torpedo boat Sini, was in the steering gear of the steamship connection.

A Japanese named Skeda was arrested for taking photographs of the town of Chata, near the Manchurian frontier, and compromising papers were found upon him.

Persecuting the Jews.

London, March 28.—The Central News at Vienna, quotes a Kishineff dispatch stating that Prince Usuroff, governor of Bessarabia, declined a

petition that deportation of the Jews be postponed until after the Passover. All Jews within a radius of 50 versts of the western frontier, must remove to the interior, adding to the congestion within the pale.

Two Steamers Ashore.

Yokohama, March 28.—The Japanese steamer Lan Yu Maru is ashore near the island of Quelpaert, at the entrance to the Yellow Sea. The steamer Aki Maru also struck a rock, but was able to make port Hamilton in a leaking condition.

SINGLE STATEHOOD.

Indian Territory-Oklahoma and Arizona-New Mexico.

Washington, March 28.—Favorable report was made today by the senate committee on judiciary on Hoar's bill, providing death penalty for presidential protection.

The states of Oklahoma and Arizona are created in the bill completed by the republican members of the subcommittee of the house committee on territories, composed of Oklahoma and Indian territory, and Arizona and New Mexico.

Five Deaths in Nine Weeks.

Boston, Mass., March 28.—Timothy Daly, a brother of the comedian, Dan Daly, who died Sunday, died this morning. There have been five deaths in the family in nine weeks.

CHANGES AT THE INDIAN SCHOOL

MRS. OLIVE S. RISING WILL BE THE NEW MATRON.

Institution Will Be Under the Personal Direction of John H. Wilson, Formerly of the Chemawa School—Miss Spear Has Resigned and Goes to Carlisle—Agent Wilkinson Will Perform the Duties of Assistant Superintendent.

Mrs. Olive S. Rising has been appointed to the position of matron at the Umatilla agency, and has arrived to take charge of her work. Mrs. Rising has been in the Indian service for several years, and comes to this city from the central part of Illinois, where she occupied a prominent position in a government school.

John H. Wilson, for some time a teacher in the Chemawa Indian school, has also been transferred to this school and will have charge of it in the future. Mr. Wilson has been in the employ of the government for several years and is recognized as a very successful teacher among the officials of the government service.

Mrs. Rising takes the place left vacant by Miss Spear, who has resigned and gone to the Carlisle school.

The position of assistant superintendent, formerly held by Miss Gathers, who is now in the East on sick leave, will be abolished on the first of June, and in the future the agent at the reservation will attend to the duties of that office.

ORANGE WAR IS ON.

Small Boy Eats Juicy California Fruit at 10 Cents Per Dozen.

The grocers have declared war, not upon the citizens, but upon one another. Some time ago, as every one knows, the grocers met and organized, and now they are beginning to find out that it is not true in all cases that in union there is strength. The prices were to be regulated by the association, and the interest of the people and of the grocers as well. It was the intention of the order that everything should be sold as cheaply as possible, and at an uniform rate.

One item, however, was not put on the schedule, and that was oranges. It was the general supposition that the fruit sold at 30 cents a dozen, but no agreement was made. One of the main street firms thought it saw a good chance for an investment and ordered a large shipment of oranges, cutting the price on them, and for some days they have been doing a big business in the orange trade.

The other grocers tumbled, and a war is now on. All of the grocers have cut the price to 10 cents a dozen and are trying to force the orange corner out. The man who started the cutting has a large stock on hand, for which he paid about \$1.50 a box, and at 10 cents a dozen he will receive about \$1.60 for each box. Out of the 10 cents profit he will have to pay the freight and cartage, so that he will lose about 50 cents a box on his cargo.

In the meantime the grocers for once pay the freight, while the citizens eat large, juicy oranges at five-sixths of a cent per, and watch the fun.

Reservation Lots Sold.

Thomas Boyd, of San Francisco, has sold to James W. Maloney lots 7 and 8 in block 224, of the reservation addition. The price paid was \$2,500, and the lots are on the hill in the vicinity of the J. R. Dickson home.

MOODY FORCES ARE GAINING

Four Counties Show Surprising Strength for Popular Ex-Congressman.

PRINEVILLE, WILLIAMSON'S HOME, IS DIVIDED.

Wheeler Nominates Full Set of County Officials From Moody Faction—Gilliam and Sherman Will Send Moody Delegations to State Convention and Crook Will Not Be Solid for Williamson, From Present Indications.

The Dalles, March 28.—At the primaries held on Saturday, in the interior counties in the second congressional district, Wheeler, Sherman and Gilliam counties went for Malcolm A. Moody for congress and Crook county, Williamson's home, showed a decided gain in Moody strength.

In Prineville, the home of Williamson, where it was expected that he would have a clean sweep, the delegation is divided and part of it will cast its ballots for Moody in the congressional convention.

Wheeler county nominated a full county ticket (Moody to the backbone) and Sherman county elected Moody delegates to the county convention, which will nominate Moody men to all county offices.

In northern Crook county the Moody faction carried the day with ease while the southern portion of the county was divided.

The returns so far are highly encouraging to the Moody forces, who now hope to be able to nominate Mr. Moody for congress, with the help to be added at the county primaries yet to be held in the district.

OFF TO CONVENTION.

Local Delegates to Portland to Nominate a State Ticket.

G. W. Rigby, H. A. Frick, Rev. R. A. Coppel, Thomas Chandler, Rev. Robert Warner, Rev. M. V. Howard and M. B. Scott will leave in the morning for Portland, where they will attend the state convention of the prohibition party as delegates from this county. The convention will be held in Portland on Tuesday and Wednesday, and a large and enthusiastic gathering is expected from all over the state. The party will put a full ticket in the field and will ask the people to support it, for the character of the men nominated, as well as the principles noted in their platform.

The chief contention of the party throughout the state, however, will be more toward the carrying of the local option law, which is to come before the people in June, than any effort to elect their ticket either in whole or in part.

SECOND DIPPING.

Wade Cattle Will Be Subjected to It Tomorrow at the Foundry.

The Wade cattle will be dipped for the second time tomorrow, after which they will be permitted to be shipped out of the state. All of the stock that is to be hauled over the railroad must be dipped the second time, as the railroad companies are not permitted to handle them after the first dipping. Those which have been bought by local parties can be taken to their destinations overland, and will not require the second dipping.

All of the herd came out of the ordeal the first time in good shape, and are much improved, both in looks and general condition.

RETURNING FROM ALBANY.

E. J. Sommerville's Mother Recovering From Illness.

E. J. Sommerville and daughter have returned from a visit to Albany, where Mr. Sommerville was called by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sommerville, who is 75 years of age and one of the oldest pioneers in the state. Mrs. Sommerville has been suffering with bronchial trouble for some time, and owing to her advanced age the illness was quite serious. She is now better and on the road to recovery.

Gen. Payne Very Ill.

Washington, March 28.—The friends of Postmaster General Payne are alarmed at the condition of his health. He has been confined to his room for a month with a bad case of grip and nervous indigestion.