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WEATHER FORECAST.
Tonight and Friday fair, continued warm.

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DELINQUENT TAX BALKS COUNCIL

Out of 1100 Poll Taxes in the City But 80 Have Been Paid.

ANTI-MUSIC ORDINANCE PRACTICALLY DEAD.

Saloon Box Ordinance Passed Over to Next Meeting — F. X. Schempff Granted Liquor License—Report of Street Commissioner Brown Shows That the Heavy Rain Cost the City \$1.80—List of Names Suggested From Which Delegates to Portland May Be Chosen.

The only absentee from council meeting last night was Mayor Matlock, who had not returned from his business trip to the valley. The councilmen—Dickson, Murphy, Johnson, Swearingen, and Recorder Fitz Gerald, and Water Commissioner Carney, were all present, with Mr. Schempff presiding.

The ordinance relating to music in saloons and providing for its abolition was introduced. Mr. Wells moved to pass it to the second reading, but the motion was not seconded and the ordinance was passed over to the next meeting by natural lapse.

Another ordinance, to regulate the sale of liquor and abolish boxes in saloons, was introduced. On motion of Mr. Murphy, seconded by Mr. Johnson, it was passed over until the next meeting of the council.

F. X. Schempff was granted a renewal of his liquor license. The bill of M. Beummett for hauling dirt and making fills therewith was allowed. It called for \$33.80 and for hauling dirt from the O'Garra farm.

Expenses Following the Storm.

On the bill of M. Beummett to cover incidental expenses of the storm, the expense of making necessary repairs following the storm of some weeks ago, is \$112 less on account of the storm, the street commissioner states that the later work amounting to \$112 would necessarily have to be done on sewer fills. The storm made the sewer fills necessary sooner than would otherwise have been the case.

Dickson is reluctant about appointing delegates to the State Development League at Portland, August 2, holding that Mayor Matlock has the privilege, and he will make the appointments. However, Mr. Matlock's pro-vice, Mr. Dickson has a list of names of persons who would be competent representatives from which he hopes the council will select 10 to represent the city from which the council will appoint 10 in the event the bill does not return in time to select its own. Mr. Matlock is as follows: J. M. R. Forster, G. Fred Walcott, James A. Fee, G. M. Rice, Robert W. H. Jones, F. B. Lavermore, J. J. Ballenger, and Dog Taxes.

The commission brought up the subject of dog tax, urging the justice of enforcing the law on both. The point was made by councilman that it is many months before the dog tax for next year will be due. This year's tax is not yet partially enforced before the whole policy might as well be dropped for good. Others believe that to make the people pay dog tax is discrimination.

Scandal at Madrid.

July 21.—A royal decree is causing trouble at Madrid. The famous singer, who wrote her seven operas admitting their authorship, after the king's command, was granted a small pension and 19 years of age. She made a demand on the king for increased allowance. She has had addition letters which she demands to be made public. The king is in favor of granting the demand but the queen is strongly opposed.

ARBITRATION WINS THE DAY

Big Packing Plant Strike Was Brought to an Abrupt End Last Evening.

BOTH SIDES AGREE TO OUTSIDE ARBITRATION.

Pending the Report of the Arbitration Board, All Business Will Resume, Old Employes Will Return to Work—Conference Last Night Was Attended by All Leaders—Packing House Employes Rush Back to Their Old Places—Result is Hailed With Joy by All.

Chicago, July 21.—The strike of the packing house employes is at an end and all the houses resumed work today. The settlement was brought about by a conference of the leaders on both sides at which it was agreed to end the strike, resume operations, put the old employes to work and then submit the entire case to an arbitration board. Both sides unequivocally agreed to abide by the decision of this board.

All old employes are to be taken back and no complaint is to be made against non-union help until the board of arbitration makes its award. Labor leaders and packers are satisfied with the result and thousands of jubilant employes are rushing to their old headquarters to be given back their places.

NEW POSTMASTER FOR PILOT ROCK

W. L. MATHEWS MAY LAND THE PLUM.

Petitions for the Appointment of Mr. Mathews and John P. McManus Now in the Hands of the Department—Miss Lulu Richards, Now Postmistress, Has Resigned and Will Move to Pendleton.

Considerable confidence is expressed that W. L. Mathews of Pilot Rock, will succeed Miss Lulu Richards as postmaster of that place, upon the acceptance of Miss Richards' resignation, which is now in the hands of the department.

The promoters of Mr. Mathews' boom, claim that the petition for his appointment has been signed by all of the patrons of the office but a very few, and by practically all the business men of Pilot Rock, and by the politicians in the republican party whose positions and locations lead to the reasonable conclusion that they will have "inflowence" at Washington.

It appears that Mr. Mathews and his friends were on to the resignation of Miss Richards early and set their wires in motion before possible other aspirants for the position got wise. Mr. Mathews is a farmer who lives about three miles out of town.

JEROME IS UPHOLD.

New York's District Attorney Will Now Reach the Big Gamblers.

New York, July 21.—District Attorney Jerome has scored another point in his persistent fight against the gamblers, and it will not be his fault if he does not, finally, succeed in bringing the dangerous clique to justice.

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Strikers Rejoicing.

Chicago, July 21.—There is much joy today in the stockyards district over the settlement of the strike. Many men applied for work in advance of the time set for a general return. Donnelly received replies from a majority of the members of the executive board indicating endorsement of his action. A special meeting of the packing trades council has been called for tonight, to ratify the agreement.

Strike Ends at Kansas City.

Kansas City, July 21.—Hundreds of strikers have returned to work this morning and are working side by side with the non-unionists without trouble.

OREGON CITY WILL WIN.

Secretary of the Treasury Says the Land Office Cannot Be Accommodated at Portland.

Davis Favors Gorman.

New York, July 21.—Davis left today for Bedford Springs, Pa., where he will pass the next few days preparing his letter of acceptance. He thinks Gorman should have the national committee chairmanship.

Mrs. Maybrick in France.

Have, July 21.—Mrs. Maybrick arrived here this morning and proceeded to Rouen.

JINGOISM IS NOW RAMPANT

War Party in England Sees All Kinds of Trouble Ahead of the Nation.

CONSERVATIVES SAY RUSSIAN ACTS WERE JUSTIFIED.

Russian Commander Had a Tip That the Malacca Carried a Steam Cargo for a Japanese Port—Uneasiness Felt on Pacific Coast on Account of the Threatened Raid of the Vladivostok Fleet—English Vessels Mobilizing Near Suez Canal—Russia Has Quit Searching English Vessels.

London, July 21.—A Lloyd's dispatch states that the British steamship Packing, Captain Lewis, which sailed from Middlesboro on June 18, for Yokohama with a general cargo and several passengers, has been captured by the Russians. The Packing sailed from Gibraltar on July 7, and is supposed to have been taken in the Red Sea near the point where the Malacca was held up. It is an extremely valuable prize. The news has created a sensation here. War risks today are quoted at Lloyd's at 10 guineas.

Jingoism is Rampant.

London, July 21.—Jingoism is rampant throughout Great Britain today and the Balfour ministry faces a situation which requires the exercising of the most careful diplomacy if the nation is not plunged into a war involving all the European nations.

An enormous demand for drastic action over the Russians' seizing of British ships in the Red sea is made by the press and the people. A majority of the people want the steamer Malacca taken by force from the Russian prize crew, if she is not instantly released.

On the other hand continental circles appear to believe that Russia is entirely within her rights in the taking of the Malacca to a Russian port for trial by a prize court. A prominent French diplomat is authority for the statement that Russia became possessed of information that the Malacca had aboard, besides ammunition, an immense steam crane, intended for the Japanese naval dock at Jokohama.

Business Shaky at Frisco.

San Francisco, July 21.—War risks on merchant vessels of all nations bound for Japanese ports advanced all along the line this morning, as a result of reports that the Vladivostok squadron had started on another raid. Local agencies, while admitting a decided advance, refuse to give figures.

Russians Offer Less Interference.

Aden, July 21.—A Russian volunteer fleet continues to patrol hereabouts. The Peninsular and Oriental steamer Palawan, passed this morning without interference. French liners passing were not interfered with.

Russians Lose a Battle.

St. Petersburg, July 21.—It is rumored here that a Russian reconnaissance in force in the direction of Matourinski has been disastrously defeated by Japs. The Russian losses are reported to be very heavy.

MURDERER WILLIAMS TO BE HANGED

Salem, Or., July 21.—The execution of Norman Williams, which is scheduled to take place here tomorrow, will be the climax of one of the most sensational and unusual murder cases in the criminal annals of the Northwest. It will culminate the revenge of a brother and a son for the murder of his sister and mother.

DEPRESSION IN LONDON

London, July 21.—There is a serious feeling of depression on the Stock Exchange today owing to the admitted nervousness over the Malacca incident. Consols showed a further decline ranging from 1/4 to 5/16. The cabinet met this afternoon to consider the Malacca incident.

British Fleet Mobilized.

Alexandria, July 21.—The British cruisers Furious and Venus have arrived here.

British Vessels Active.

Malta, July 21.—The British cruisers Leander and Lancaster and three torpedo boat destroyers, have sailed to join the Mediterranean fleet at Alexandria.

British Boat Torpedoed.

Tien Tsin, July 21.—A New Chwang message states that the commander of a Russian torpedo boat reports that he accidentally torpedoed a British steamer in Spill Gulf. The vessel is believed to have been the Hinshang.

Russia Tries to Crawlfish.

St. Petersburg, July 21.—It is reported here that the government ordered the release of the Malacca after the search of her cargo and holds showed no contraband of war on board.

Packing Not Seized.

London, July 21.—Much relief is felt this afternoon by a correction from the Lloyd's stating that their correspondent at Perim had cabled that the steamer Packing has passed that port apparently all right. It is believed she was merely stopped by the Russians to have her papers examined and then proceeded, no contraband being found.

HARVEST NOW AT ITS HEIGHT

LARGEST ACREAGE CUT FOR HAY NEAR HELIX.

Frost Nipped the Grain Hay So There is No Grain in the Heads, But the Hay Averages Two Tons Per Acre—Prominent Farmer Says No Field in Umatilla County Ever Yielded 45 Bushels Per Acre, Throughout.

Around Helix the amount of wheat being cut for hay is considerably larger than usual—perhaps twice as much, the increased proportion over last year, or any average year, being due to the acreage which was frost-bitten.

A heavy grain raiser of Helix says: "The early reports of the amount of acreage of wheat damaged by the late frosts were exaggerated; the later reports to the effect that but little if any, damage had been done by the frosts were not true, and between them you have the facts in the case."

As a matter of fact, the large increase in the acreage of wheat cut for hay is wholly due to the frosts, and the amount being cut for hay will average 20 acres at least, out of every quarter section. The farmers are cutting from 10 to 40 acres to the quarter for hay and the average cannot be disputed.

New Safe Demolished.

East Moline, July 21.—Two robbers early this morning placed a pint of nitro-glycerine in the doors of the safe of the new state bank, and blew the building to pieces. They got away from the posse without securing any booty. The safe was just installed.

FOLK WINS OUT BY HEAVY ODDS

Boodlers' Force is Completely Annihilated in the Missouri Convention.

FOLK NAMED ON FIRST BALLOT WITHOUT EFFORT

Vote Stood Folk 549, Hawes 114, Reed 46—Reed Was Boodle Candidate and Was Deserted by All Except the Chief Boodlers—Nomination of Folk is Celebrated by Republicans and Democrats Alike—Is a Triumph for Good Government in Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 21.—Last night's session of the democratic state convention will be a historical milestone in politics. Two thousand people jammed the hall, and several women fainted. At 12:30 this morning permanent organization was effected and at 3:40 the first ballot was taken with the following result: Folk, 549; Hawes, 114; Reed, 46. Folk's nomination was made unanimous. Folk's ovation was extraordinary. Adjournment was then taken until 10 o'clock today.

The complete annihilation of the Reed forces destroys the hope of the boodle gang as Reed was their chosen representative and was backed by none of the rank and file. It is a day of rejoicing throughout Missouri and the Folk people are holding demonstrations everywhere. The majority for Folk is greater than was candidly expected, as it was thought Reed's forces would make some show of strength. The dwindling of their force to 46 votes from the boasted strength of at least 200 votes, fell like a wet blanket on the faction.

Republicans and democrats alike are rejoicing, as the strong indorsement of Folk means the triumph of good government and the repudiation of bribery, boodling and kindred crimes that have cast a stigma on state politics for several years.

Other State Nominations.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 21.—Thos. Rubey was nominated for lieutenant governor, Judge James Cowgill treasurer, Elliott W. Major attorney general, and A. O. Allen auditor.

RIOT IN THE GHETTO.

Policeman Fatally Hurt in a Scrap Over a Worthless Cur.

TOWN RULED BY THUGS.

Bonesteel Surrenders to the Grafters and Gamblers.

Boy Held for Murder.

Marysville, July 21.—The inquest over the body of George Moses killed by a 14-year-old boy, Claude Hankins, near here Tuesday, resulted in the boy being held. He will be charged with murder this afternoon.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, July 21.—Old July wheat opened 94, closed 96 1/2; new July opened 93 1/2, closed 95 1/2. July corn opened 49 1/2, closed 49 1/2.

Lowes World's Record.

Brussels, July 21.—In the open races for heavy auto cars today, M. Baras, in James G. Bont's big Darracq, covered a mile from a standing start in 48 3-15 seconds, clipping eight seconds from the best previous world's record.