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BETWEEN ISSUES, NOT BETWEEN MEN

Dr. Lane, Mayor Elect of Portland, Elucidates the Portland Situation.

OPEN GAMBLING AND THE SALOON BOXES MUST GO.

Denies That the Recent Campaign Involved or Developed a Personal Contest—The City Demanded a Closer Regulation of Affairs—Dr. Lane Investigates Against the Professional Gambler and Shows Whosein and How He is Worthless and Dangerous—Made No Ante-Election Promises—Why Sheriff Word is Popular in Portland.

"It was simply a fight between the decent element who desired a clean administration and a proper enforcement of the laws, versus those who wished to see saloon boxes permitted and a city government that in general would favor conditions more acceptable to the saloon and gambling people," said Dr. Harry Lane, newly elected mayor of Portland, to the East Oregonian this morning.

The doctor, who is here today to attend the meeting of the state board of health, of which he is a member, was seen in the lobby of the Hotel Pendleton and spoke very interestingly of the recent election in Portland and the situation there.

"There is no question but that the people of Portland are going to demand a closer regulation of affairs in the future, and during my administration no open gambling will be allowed. The professional gambler or adherent is a man who does no good in any community, for he creates nothing and simply preys off those who are foolish enough to become his victims. I believe that the 'fishorn' with his good clothes, polished shoes and fancy shirt is a menace to the young men and girls of a city, and should be compelled to go into some other business."

According to Dr. Lane the fight against him was not by the better class of saloon men in Portland, for he says that those who run respectable houses and obey the laws were not greatly interested in the fight, though many were forced by their associations to line up against him.

"During my campaign I made no promises or pledges to anybody, or to any combination, except that I would enforce the laws and give as good an administration as was in my power," said he. "Consequently, I am now free to do as I see best."

The new mayor believes that the people like to see an official do his duty and enforce the laws. According to him Sheriff Word has made a hit by the way in which he closed gambling in Portland, after the city government had refused to do so. Now whenever the sheriff's name is mentioned at a public meeting it is greeted with instant applause.

Personally, the new mayor of Portland is a man of medium size, and in the face looks like the pictures published of him during the campaign. However, the spotted collar and the checked garb is not in evidence and is declared by him to have been an out-and-out slander by Harry Murphy, the cartoonist.

According to his own statement, the doctor is not a Puritan, and does not belong to a church. He swears like a sailor when the occasion demands such language, drinks whiskey, but has never gambled because he does not think he could win anything. He said that he has some friends among the better class of saloon men in Portland, but would rather see them in some other business. As a citizen he is in favor of a

proper regulation of affairs and believes that in a settled, civilized community there is no place for open gambling, and those who follow that business.

Dr. Lane is a native son of Oregon, and has been a resident of Portland for 40 years, consequently is entitled to be the mayor of the city. His family is an historical one in the state, his grandfather, Joe Lane, the first territorial governor of Oregon and an uncle having been a member of congress from this state. The new mayor's father was Nathan Lane of Portland.

HELD FOR MURDER.

Companion of Dudley Cully Accused of Killing Him.

Walla Walla, June 9.—Following a verdict rendered by a coroner's jury that Dudley Cully, the young man shot down at the W. & C. R. depot Tuesday night, came to his death by a gunshot wound, inflicted by unknown parties, Harry Schonleber, a companion of the dead boy, was formally charged with the crime last evening. An information filed by prosecuting attorney Wilson was served on the young man and he was placed in the county jail.

Schonleber borrowed the pistol from a saloon about 10 o'clock, and about an hour afterward returned it. He admitted being with Cully at the time of the shooting, but says Cully grabbed the gun away from him (Schonleber) and shot himself. However, there were no powder burns on Cully's face and it is thought the suicide theory is impossible.

Schonleber at first denied any knowledge of the killing, but afterward told a rambling story of Cully's suicide.

Serious Complications Foreseen.

Fez, Morocco, June 9.—British Minister Lowther had a private audience with the sultan today, and the political situation was fully threshed out. It is still hoped here an agreement between France and Germany will be reached, otherwise serious complications are foreseen.

THEY ILLEGALLY FENCED SOME GOVERNMENT LANDS

One Case Also Involved the Preventing of Legitimate Occupation by Intimidation—Penalty is \$1000 Fine, or One Year in the Penitentiary—The Prosecution of Other Cases Will Follow—First Effective Efforts to Break Up a Great Land Swindle.

Omaha, Neb., June 9.—John and Herman Krause, charged with illegally fencing seven acres of government land in Nebraska, were found guilty in the federal court this morning on five of 14 counts.

John Krause was also found guilty on two other counts for preventing legitimate occupation of the lands by intimidation. This is the first conviction of the big cattle barons.

The penalty is \$1000 fine, or a year in the penitentiary. The prosecution of other cases will follow.

PERFUNCTORY AFFAIR.

Crowd Small and Paid Little Attention to the Exercises.

From accounts given by those who returned last evening from Portland after having attended the exercises on "Pendleton Day," the occasion was not the gorgeous affair indicated by the accounts given in the Portland papers, and, in fact, was very perfunctory. According to Mr. Rader the speeches and recitations given were very creditable, but the majority of those who heard them did not understand the occasion.

The exercises were held at the Oregon building, and music was furnished by a band. Addresses were made by President Myers, Judge Ayers of Heppner, Judge Bean of this city, and by Cecil Wade. Also an original poem was delivered by Miss Neva Lane. A small crowd was present, and people continued to go in and out of the entrance during the exercises. The ladies are said to have remained upstairs during the affair.

Of the hundred who went down from Pendleton on the excursion train, only a half dozen were at the program, judging from the number of badges in evidence.

Another Date Selected.

Owing to the poor turnout at the fair on June 7 and the few Pendleton people present, Mr. Rader stated that the fair management desires to have another date set for this place at a later day, and another celebration held when more people may attend from here. This matter is said to have been taken up by President Myers of the state commission, and it is possible that this city will be allowed to suggest the date.

Italy is threatening Turkey for the murder of Italian subjects in Arabia, for which the Turkish government refuses to make amends, because it cannot.

WAVELLE CUNNINGHAM SUICIDES.

Portland, June 9.—(Special.)—Wavelle Cunningham of Pendleton, daughter of Mrs. B. Cunningham, suicided at a lodging house here last night by gas. She was a student at Stanford university. She left a note saying "This is a plain case of suicide. No use to make any investigation."

Possible Motive for Murder. Portland, June 9, 3:20 p. m.—(Special.)—The police says there was a motive for murder, and refuse to accept the suicide theory.

(Mrs. Cunningham, the mother of Wavelle, lives in this city. Miss Cunningham has lived in Pendleton for some time, and was a very bright and popular young woman. A week or two ago she bought some jewelry in Portland, giving her check for the same. The funds which were in the bank were in her mother's name, and Wavelle in giving the check signed her own name, and the bank notified the jeweler that she had no funds there. The firm which had sold her the jewelry had her arrested in San Francisco. When the matter was explained they ordered her release, but it is supposed that the fact of having been arrested preyed upon her mind and led her to take the unfortunate and much to be regretted step of self-destruction.)

ANTAGONISTS CONFER AGAIN RUSSIAN SHIPS INTERNED TODAY

President Shea Will Stay Put Under Guard of American Vessels to Prevent Flight. Enquist Gives Parole.

ACTION WOULD REDUCE TENDENCY TO DISCORD. ARMISTICE IS PROBABLE. PENDING NEGOTIATIONS.

There is Disharmony in the Ranks of the Federal Trust Busters at Chicago—District Attorney Morrison Wants to Be the Whole Thing or He Will Resign—He Claims Not to Be Satisfied With the Attitude of the Washington Authorities Toward the Beef Trust Investigation Now Drawing to a Conclusion.

Chicago, June 9.—Arrangements were made this morning for a conference between the teamsters' committee and several State street merchants with a view to finding a solution of the strike difficulty. It is announced President Shea will not be present. Shea has offered to withdraw from all peace negotiations provided Attorney Meyer for the employers will do likewise.

Morrison is Dissatisfied. Chicago, June 9.—A sensational report is current in federal circles today to the effect that United States District Attorney Morrison, who, with Assistant Attorney General Paquin, has been prosecuting the beef trust cases, intends to resign. Morrison is in Washington, where he went to confer with the department of justice in regard to the work of the grand jury.

It is reported Morrison asked a free hand in the matter of returning indictments, and in further investigation of the alleged trust, and is not satisfied with the attitude of the Washington authorities.

IN HONOR OF DR. LANE.

Plates Laid for Twelve at the Hotel Pendleton. In honor of Dr. Harry Lane, newly elected mayor of Portland, a luncheon was served at the Hotel Pendleton at 12:30 today and plates were laid for 12. Besides Dr. Lane, the following visiting physicians were present: Dr. A. Kinney, Dr. Young, Dr. Andrew C. Smith, Dr. E. A. Pierce, Dr. E. B. Pickle, Dr. R. L. Gillespie, and the following local men: Dr. C. J. Smith, T. G. Halley, A. D. Stillman, Bert Buffman, J. H. Raley and Will M. Peterson.

New Bridge at Riparia.

The first shipment of material to enter into the construction of the road to Lewiston has reached here and is now being unloaded on the north bank of the river. The material consists of bridge timbers for the bridge across the gulch lying between the present O. R. & N. tracks and the flat lying east of here.—Lewiston Tribune (Riparia Cor.)

Lays It All to God.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—The czar sent a telegram to Rojstvensky thanking him and the squadron under his command for their services to the country and to himself. He says: "It was God's will not to give you success, but the country is proud of your courage." It concluded: "May God console all of us."

Armistice Probable.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—The belief is expressed in well informed circles that Japan has already instructed Oyama to stay his hand, pending the

Parliament Meets June 26.

Stockholm, June 9.—Crown Prince Gustav arrived this morning from Berlin and was received with great enthusiasm by the people. The Swedish parliament is called for June 26.

Sweden Will Take Steps.

Stockholm, June 9.—At a meeting of the council of state today King Oscar decided to summon the riksdag in extraordinary session June 30th. The premier denounced the action of Norway in severing the union as revolutionary, and a great and profound violation of the rights of Sweden.

The resignations of the ministers of Sweden and Norway at Copenhagen, Rome and Madrid were tendered by telegram, and accepted.

result of the present tentative negotiations, and Linevitch has also been confidentially advised of the situation.

Delegates Are Arriving.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—It is authoritatively stated today the czar has ordered the council of ministers to immediately examine and report on the scheme of Interior Minister Bulyguine for a representative assembly.

The delegates from the zemstvos of some provinces arrived at the capital this morning. They intend going to Tsarkoe Selo to present an address to the czar requesting the immediate calling of a representative assembly to decide the question of peace or war.

Desultory Fighting.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—Linevitch reports the Japanese yesterday attacked the Russian vanguard. The Russians have occupied Sant Ziamol, Tannong, and driven the Japanese from Nansharjenzha.

Troops and Jews Fight.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—Troops and Jews were in collision at Minsk today. Two were killed and 19 injured.

Message From Kaiser Wilhelm.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—A council of ministers presided over by the czar was held at Tsarkoe Selo this afternoon to discuss the situation. The grand duke, Michael, has arrived from Berlin. It is believed he bears a personal message from the emperor, William, advising the conclusion of peace.

Message From Washington.

St. Petersburg, June 9.—Ambassador Meyer is in constant communication with Washington this morning. He received a long cipher dispatch and soon afterward hurried to the foreign office, where he had a conference with Lamsdorff. It is believed here the first announcement of progress in peace moves will be made from Washington.

Off for Week's Vacation Trip

Roosevelt's Vitality Being Sadly Depleted.

Worn Out Carrying the Burden of Russian and Japanese Responsibilities of Late—Will Recuperate on a Virginia Farm, Accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt—Will Remain Until the Surgeings of the World's Destinies Imperatively Claim for His Return to Washington.

Washington, June 9.—The president left Washington at 11:15 over the Southern railway for a week, and will visit the home of Joseph Wilmer, near Rapidan, Va. Mrs. Roosevelt preceded him there yesterday. The intention of the president is to remain until Sunday or Monday. He will visit the farm recently purchased by Mrs. Roosevelt in the vicinity of Rapidan.

The principal reason for the trip is to secure relaxation from the trying experiences of last week in connection with the efforts to bring about an understanding between Russia and Japan. He has done all he can and now merely awaits developments as they may be worked out at St. Petersburg and Tokio.

Denied Writ of Error.

Last Chance for Mrs. Rogers Has Slipped Away. Albany, June 9.—Justice Peckham of the United States supreme court today denied the application for a writ of error in the case of Mrs. Mary Rogers of Vermont, convicted of the murder of her husband. The writ was applied for that an appeal might be made to the United States supreme court.

Light Day at Circuit Court.

Guenettes Sentenced—Examining Witnesses in Martin Case. This has been a light day at the court house, as far as circuit court is concerned. During the forenoon nothing was done except to receive the verdict in the Guenette case, which was guilty in both instances. J. J. Guenette was given 30 days in the county jail, and the same term was imposed on Mrs. Guenette, but in the latter case the sentence was suspended.

This afternoon the case of M. V. Turley and R. D. Cashatt for assault and battery committed on Dr. J. A. Best, was set for trial, but at 2 o'clock had not been called owing to the absence of some of the witnesses.

In the grand jury room work has been progressing, and it is known that Marshall Williams and one other witness from Milton were examined in the Martin case. However, up to 3 o'clock no indictments had been returned by the jury, nor were any returned last evening.

Weston Has 823 Inhabitants.

Charles Pinkerton of Weston, deputy assessor for that district, is in town today. According to his report the population of Weston is 823.

CITY WILL BUY ROCK CRUSHER

Council Crosses the Rubicon With Only One Member Lying Upon His Oar.

INTENTION IS TO HAVE THE CRUSHER HERE BY SEPT. 1.

The Council Also Appropriated \$100 to Help Defray the Expense of the Good Roads Convention of Monday Next, There Being But One Dissenting Vote—Petition to Make Marie Street Available Across the O. R. & N. Tracks—Petition by Machinists for Privileges Was Referred—Appropriation to Pay Interest Charges.

At its adjourned meeting held last evening the city council was a good roads league, and showed its interest in the subject by voting to pay its portion of the expense of the coming convention, and also authorized the purchase of a rock crusher.

The matter of appropriating \$100 for the city's share of next Monday's expenses was brought before the council by Chairman Dickson, who recommended that the amount be voted. A resolution to that effect was then presented by Councilman Murphy and was adopted with only one dissenting vote, that of Councilman Ferguson.

Will Buy Rock Crusher.

The street committee reported their conference with the county commissioners, and that the latter had ordered a roller with the understanding that the city would purchase a crusher, the two to be used in co-operation. Upon motion a committee consisting of H. E. Johnson, J. M. Ferguson, B. F. Renn and W. S. Welles was appointed by the mayor to advertise for bids for a crusher, and to have general charge in the matter. The roller ordered by the county is to be delivered here by September 1, and it is the intention to have the crusher here by that time also. It is estimated that the machine will cost about \$2000.

A petition from the property owners of Marie street, asking for the construction of a crossing over the O. R. & N. track in order to open that street for continuous travel, was presented and referred to the street committee.

A petition from some of the leading blacksmiths and machinists of the town was read, asking to be allowed to leave wagons and machines for repair in the streets adjoining their shops for the length of 48 hours, while being repaired. The matter was referred to the police committee. There was considerable discussion on the subject, and the feeling seemed to be opposed to granting the request.

Upon motion the sum of \$4925.75 was voted to pay the semi-annual interest charges that will become due one the bonds July 1.

The bills for the month of May were read and ordered paid, and the monthly reports of the recorder and marshal were presented. That of the recorder showed the receipts for May to have been as follows: From fines, \$578.50; cemetery lots, \$37.50; street liens, \$14; licenses, \$2594.23; total, \$3224.23.

Baptists at The Dalles.

Commencing tomorrow and continuing over Sunday the Middle Oregon Baptists Association, from 60 to 75 strong, will meet with Calvary Baptist church, which has provided entertainment for its guests. The public is invited to attend the sessions. Tonight's service will be preached by Rev. Sale.—The Dalles Chronicle.

Sentenced for Burglary.

In the district court this morning, George Williams, the colored clothing thief, who pleaded guilty yesterday to the crime of burglary, was sentenced by Judge Smith to serve a term of three years in the penitentiary.—Boise Capital News.

Body Will Arrive Tonight.

The body of Mrs. Steve Hampton will reach here tonight on the 5:30 train, coming from Tucson, Ariz. The funeral will probably occur tomorrow afternoon, but definite arrangements have not been made, pending Mr. Hampton's arrival.

Odd Fellows Day.

Portland, June 9.—Today was Odd Fellows day at the exposition. Members of the order from all parts of Oregon and Washington participated in the parade through the city to the grounds, where appropriate ceremonies were held. Tomorrow is the commercial travelers' day. Seven hundred visiting travelers are expected in the city tomorrow.

Flood Losses \$500,000. Detroit, June 9.—The conditions in Michigan are improved today. Western Michigan suffered \$500,000 loss by the recent cloudburst. At Grand Rapids the Grand river has backed up, flooding an additional area of 60 square blocks, closing several schools and the Per Marquette shops. The dike still holds, and the danger is past.