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## HENRY CAMPBELL BANNERMAN DIES

Death of England's Ex-premier Casts a Pall of Gloom Over British Isles.

### SACRIFICED LIFE TO DEMANDS OF COUNTRY

Though His Sympathies Were With the Boers in Their Struggle He Was Universally Loved by the English People—Death Will Be Followed By Split in Liberal Party and Triumph of Conservatives—Was England's Henry Clay.

London, April 22.—Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman died this morning. The ex-premier passed away peacefully. A pall of gloom is over the islands.

Sir Henry sacrificed his life to the demands of his countrymen. Instead of taking care of his physical condition he continued to perform the strenuous duties of his office until he was compelled to take to his bed.

His death will probably be followed by a split in the liberal party, such as occurred in the democratic party in 1896 when Bryan was first nominated. The severance of the liberals into a radical and conservative wing will mean the return of the conservatives into power. Campbell Bannerman had the great gift of conciliation and his personality has kept the divergent elements in his party together.

Sir Henry entered parliament in 1868 and three years later became a member of Gladstone's first administration. He held office subsequently in every liberal cabinet. In Gladstone's second administration he acted as secretary to Ireland and is the only statesman of note in English politics who held that position and retired not ruined either in reputation or ruined in health. Upon the resignation of Balfour in 1905 he became premier.

Herbert H. Asquith was appointed his successor when he was compelled to resign because of illness and will probably continue to hold the office.

**Sketch of His Life.**  
The Right Honorable Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who had been British premier since 1905, had a long and distinguished political career. His command of the liberal parliamentary party, with all its diverse elements, was a marvel in personal prowess. He did not rule by any direct diplomacy, but almost wholly by the confidence that all the different sections had in the essential sincerity of his attitude. It has been truthfully remarked that few public men have ever earned a place so near to the hearts of their political supporters as Sir Henry, in whose absolute honesty of purpose there was entire confidence.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman was the second son of the late Sir James Campbell of Strathcathro, Forfarshire, and was born in 1836. He was educated at the University of Glasgow, and at Trinity college, Cambridge. In 1872 he assumed the additional surname of Bannerman, under the will of his uncle, Mr. Henry Bannerman. Sir Henry owed his wealth to the great drapery firm of J. W. Campbell & Co., of Glasgow, of which his father was the founder.

He entered parliament in 1868, and continued to represent the Strirling district until his death. He served in turn as financial secretary of the war department, secretary of the admiralty, chief secretary for Ireland, and twice secretary of state for war. He was elected liberal leader in February, 1898, after the death of Gladstone. During the South African war his sentiments were of a decided pro-Boer character, with the result that he split his party on the question.

Sir Henry bore the brunt of the fight for several years in the house of commons. He bore, too, the obloquy that sprang from public anger over his pro-Boer attitude. But he was never seriously accused of disloyalty, and his line of pro-Boerism was long ago forgiven by the public. While Sir Henry was universally

### PILE DRIVER FALLS FROM ASTORIA JETTY.

Astoria, Ore., April 22.—One man was killed and seven injured when the pile driver toppled over at the end of the jetty on the north end pier this morning. The dead man is Jack Lehman. The seriously injured are Martin Johnson and Martin Carlson. The driver went over in shallow water and the Point Adams life-saving station and tug Samson rescued the men.

### ONE OF STRONGEST MEN IN THE COLLEGE

His Attitude That of Majority of Student Body—Editor of College Daily Nearly Shares Same Fate—Letter Published from President Stanford Temperance Society Saying Drunkenness Was Not to Blame for Trouble.

Stanford, April 22.—Because the editor of the Stanford Sequoia editorially criticized the student affairs committee for the harshness in suspending 41 students of Stanford recently he was forbidden the right to register as a student in Stanford again, practically suspending him.

The announcement has caused another wave of resentment to go over the students. E. N. Smith, the editor, is one of the strongest men in college, is a son of the publisher of the Honolulu Advertiser, and his attitude was the attitude of the majority of the students in college.

The editor of the college daily was in danger of being treated in a like manner because he printed a letter from the president of the Stanford temperance society which declared that drunkenness had nothing to do with the suspension of the 41 men and that the course taken by the committee was narrow, ambiguous and wrong and that it has done the cause of temperance among the students in California colleges almost irreparable injury.

## TO MAKE MANILA A REAL GIBRALTAR

### INVINCIBLE FORTRESS IS PART OF THE PLAN.

Bay Will Be Made to Bristle With 14-Inch Guns—All the Navies on Earth Could Not Pass Them—Building Up of Power That Would Be Supreme in Orient Is Policy of the Government.

Manila, April 22.—The erection of a fortress that cannot be broken and the building up of a power that will be supreme in the east is declared to be the policy of the United States in the far east.

The powers are just waking up to this fact and for that reason they believe the plan for moving their naval base from Olongapo to Manila bay is in line with the plan to make the bay bristle with 14-inch guns that all the navies of the earth cannot pass them.

A recent article in the Novoe Vremya points out that Uncle Sam is constructing a naval base at Cavite of such strength that he can command and insist on an open door in China.

### For Thaw's Release.

White Plains, N. Y., April 22.—The fight to secure the release of Harry Thaw will begin this afternoon when his attorney will appear before Justice Morschauser in Newburg and make a motion for the prisoner's release from Matteawan. If the writ is granted it will be directed against the superintendent of the asylum calling upon him to show cause why Harry Thaw should not be released. The proceedings will be plainly formal.

### California Drought Breaks.

San Francisco, April 22.—The drought which has been prevalent all over the state was broken last night by a rain which came in the nick of time for farmers. More rain is predicted for today and night.

## STANFORD AGAIN IN A TURMOIL

Editor of College Monthly is Suspended Because He Criticized Committee.

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### Killed by Acid Fumes.

Tacoma, Wash., April 22.—Lieutenant John G. Cover, aged 48 years, one of the firemen injured by inhaling fumes of nitric acid in the fire at the Crown Drug company's store last week, died this morning. He has been in the service since 1889, with the exception of three or four years in the commissary department and government fire department at Manila. He also served in the Boxer war in China. He leaves a mother and brother in Malden, Mo.

### Bacon for Taft's Place.

Washington, April 21.—Robert Bacon, assistant secretary of state and formerly associated with J. Pierpont Morgan, is the man who is generally picked out to be the next secretary of war if Taft is nominated at the Chicago republican convention. Bacon is known as one of the coterie of government chiefs who assemble each sunny afternoon back of the White House to play tennis with the chief executive.

### Fleet Will Parade.

Los Angeles, April 22.—Admiral Thomas, commanding the Atlantic fleet, has announced that the entire fleet will maneuver in Santa Monica bay next Saturday morning, prior to departing for Santa Barbara. The ships will describe two large circles, moving up and down the bay, giving an opportunity for the thousands to see the fleet in a naval parade.

### Alaska Lawyer Goes Blind.

Seattle, April 22.—A cable to the Post-Intelligencer from Skagway says: While on his way to this city to examine title of the waterworks plant, J. A. Hellenenthal, a well known attorney of Juneau, was stricken blind. He has been in hospital for several days and will return to Juneau. Fears are felt that he will not recover his sight.

### Hobson on Secret Errand.

Washington, April 22.—Leaving Washington on a secret errand, representative Hobson is thought to be speeding westward towards San Francisco to gather data in support of Roosevelt's four battleship measure. He left Washington Saturday and is expected in San Francisco today or tomorrow.

### San Diego Ready.

San Diego, April 22.—The torpedo flotilla will reach here next Friday. The little fighting ships leave Magdalena bay this afternoon. A big dance will be given the officers at Coronado next Saturday night and a basket picnic next day.

### Baseball Scores.

At Spokane—Aberdeen, 6; Spokane, 0.  
At Tacoma—No game; wet grounds.  
At Seattle—No game; raining.  
At Los Angeles—Los Angeles, 2; San Francisco, 1.

A movement is on foot in Seattle to divide King county, making the city of Seattle a county by itself. It is stated that a bill to that effect will be presented at the next legislature.

## TOM RICHARDSON GETS PERSONAL

Monster Booster Meeting is Being Planned for Pendleton in the Near Future.

### PORTLAND BOOSTER SAYS PENDLETON IS SELFISH.

Declares Hub of Eastern Oregon is Not Advertised and That Holdings in Wheat Lands Are Being Doubled to Detriment of the Country—City Well Located—Conditions Must Change.

Last night some hot shots were fired at a meeting in the Commercial association rooms by Tom Richardson of Portland, who criticized the people of Pendleton for not being more active in the work of advertising the city and attracting immigrants.

Early in the evening it was feared a meeting could not be held for Mr. Richardson. However, a band of 20 or 25 representative men were finally gathered by President Alexander and others and the meeting was held.

When called upon to speak Mr. Richardson went after those present for Pendleton's lethargy upon the subject of town advertising and in the course of his remarks said:

"We have furnished you with several hundred letters inquiring about the conditions in your city for the benefit of eastern settlers. We never received one reply. We can not rely upon you people here to entertain men if we send them here. You give us not the least encouragement. Portland is boasting for Oregon, not for Portland. The people of Portland have invested one million dollars in Hood River lands during the past three years. They have invested \$100,000 within the past three months. This is because Portland gets the advantage of the intensive farming there.

"You people here are selfish. You are doubling your holdings in your wheat farms. You are discouraging growth. It is impossible for a community to grow under such unfavorable conditions. Your town is not growing, because it isn't advertised. There is nothing to advertise it. There is no activity.

### Advertising a Necessity.

"The Willamette valley cities are all advertising. Eugene secured a California man, paying him \$5000 per year to advertise the city. Within one year, the deposits in one bank had increased \$200,000 and the institution doubled its floor space. They have dinners. They invite visitors. They instruct the people, even the school children in regard to the attractions of the city. Each letter that goes out contains a slip for the eastern people to read. We had 300 inquiries regarding Eugene in one week recently. We haven't had an inquiry regarding the resources of Pendleton in six months. You refuse to answer. Baker City is waking up and intends to be a jobbing point. They will be one, too, simply because they have made up their minds to it. The dairy products in Oregon have jumped from \$5,000,000 to \$17,000,000 in five years. Isn't that worth advertising? And they will be \$75,000,000 within 10 years, greater than the timber wealth.

### Pendleton Favorably Located.

"Your city here is favorably located. There is no reason why you shouldn't be the biggest town in eastern Oregon. The country is rich, but you must cut up these great ranches. Encourage intensive farming. The small farmer is the man that helps the town."

### Will Hold Booster Meeting.

Owing to the fact that a small crowd was out for the Commercial association meeting last night it has been decided to have another meeting in the near future. At that time Mr. Richardson will be here again and will deliver an address upon the benefits to be derived from publicity work.

Just when the future meeting will be held has not been decided and according to R. Alexander, president of the association, the matter will rest entirely with Mr. Richardson.

### Roosevelt Will Sign.

Washington, April 21.—President Roosevelt has decided to sign the Sterling employers' liability law, according to an unofficial statement made by a member of the cabinet. The measure was framed to sidestep the objections of the supreme court to the first liability law.

### Sacramento Has Fire.

Sacramento, April 22.—Fire in the business district this morning caused a loss of \$25,000. The Dreamland theater and several saloons were the heaviest losers.

### Fire in Car of Oil.

The Walla Walla local light train was leaving this morning when a fire was discovered. Freight car containing several tanks of gasoline and nitric acid. The car was immediately backed into the yards and the fire extinguished. A large crowd gathered in the ward to witness the efforts to extinguish the flames and great excitement prevailed when it was discovered that the car contained the large quantity of oil and acid. The O. R. & N. force turned the yard hose on the fire and the flames were held in check until the fire department company reached the scene. The fire was quickly extinguished and the car was not seriously damaged.

### ROOSEVELT WON'T QUIT.

Begins Active Campaign in Behalf of Pet Measure.

Washington, April 22.—President Roosevelt began today on his campaign to have the construction of four battleships authorized by the senate. He is exerting his personal influence not only to whip the republican senators in line, but is also to bring in a few democratic votes as well.

Senator Piles of Washington, has been selected to offer an amendment, inserting the word "four" instead of "two." Coming from the Pacific coast, Piles is expected to swing some new western senators.

The present indications are that his effort will be defeated although the vote will be closer than thought hitherto.

### CONGRESSMEN INJURED.

Washington, April 22.—Congressman Tawney of Minnesota, and John Hane of Indiana, were injured today in a street car collision. Tawney wrenched his back and Hane was injured in the hip.

## STATEMENT NO. 1 IS A LIVE ISSUE

### MANY INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES APPEAR.

Supreme Effort to Be Made to Control Legislature—Primary Law Providing for Independents to Be Taken Advantage of—Benton, Washington, Yamhill and Many Eastern Oregon Counties in Line.

Portland, April 22.—Independent tickets, backed by statement No. 1 men, will be placed in the field for the general election in June in Benton, Washington, Yamhill and several eastern Oregon counties in an effort to elect additional statement No. 1 representatives to the legislature.

The primary law in Oregon allows the launching of an independent ticket, which is given a position on the regular ballot after the regular party primaries are over. The ticket is placed on the ballot by petition.

Statement No. 1 men who did not succeed in nominating a statement man in the party primaries last week, will unite in an attempt to elect a statement man on an independent ticket in June.

### A. G. Mills Was Married.

Arthur G. Mills, former office man in the O. R. & N. construction department here and member of the Bachelors' club, was married April 7 to Miss Eva Winnifred Howe. The ceremony occurred in St. Alban's church, Streatham, S. W., London, England. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Mills left for a trip to Ireland and they will come west to live, expecting to reach Seattle May 1.

### T. E. Wilson Died at Irrigon.

T. E. Wilson, a carpenter who formerly lived here, died at Irrigon yesterday morning. Yesterday the body was embalmed by Messrs. Baker & Folsom and the remains have been shipped to Garfield, Wash., for burial. The deceased was a member of the carpenters' union of this city.

## BASEBALL EXCURSION TO WALLA WALLA

For the ball game at Walla Walla Sunday an excursion train will be run from this city and those who wish to see the Pendleton team play Walla Walla for the first time this season may do so at but little expense. Going from Pendleton the excursion will leave here at 9 o'clock and will reach Walla Walla shortly before noon. On the return the train will leave Walla Walla at 7 o'clock. When excursion trains are run from Walla Walla to this place during the summer the same hours will be observed.

## BOURNE AGENT WORKS SECRETLY

Private Secretary Appears at Medford in Interest of Third Term Boom.

### WOULD HAVE OREGON DELEGATES INSTRUCTED.

John C. Young Declares Next Ticket Will Be Roosevelt and Fairbanks—Says Taft Cannot Win and That Teddy Will Not Be Able to Resist the Pressure That Will Be Brought to Bear Upon Him—Indiana Is Slated to Lead the Bolters.

Medford, Ore., April 22.—John C. Young, of Baker City, private secretary to Senator Bourne, is in Medford today on a secret political mission. He is holding various conferences with politicians and is evidently making an effort to get control of the Oregon delegation in the hopes of being able to send it back to Chicago, instructed for Roosevelt.

"The next republican ticket will be Roosevelt and Fairbanks," declared Young. "Taft cannot win out. Indiana will lead the break for Roosevelt. Nebraska will follow and then there will be a stampede.

"Indiana will lead because Fairbanks is willing to remain vice-president. Senator Hemmaway cannot remain in the senate unless Fairbanks continues to be vice president. Beveridge is willing to accept this arrangement and the Indiana delegation is primed to jump.

"Neither Roosevelt nor any other man will be able to resist the pressure which will be brought to bear upon the president to run, should the delegates nominate him and if a break occurs in the ranks and the president's name is mentioned as a nominee, a landslide is sure to occur."

**Leaps From Steamer's Deck.**  
Vancouver, B. C., April 22.—Charles Best, clerk, committed suicide last night by leaping off the deck of the steamer Queen City as she was crossing the Gulf of Georgia from Vancouver to Nanaimo.

### DEAL CASE FINISHED.

Union County Horsethief Case Goes to Jury This Evening.

This forenoon the taking of testimony in the trial of W. Deal, accused of horsetealing in Union county, was brought to a climax and the case will go to the jury this evening. At 3 o'clock the attorneys were still arguing the case.

The Deal case was brought here from La Grande upon a change of venue.

### SHERIFF GETS ONE.

T. D. Taylor Picks Up Man Wanted for Stealing Shearing Machine.

Louis Riggs, charged with stealing a sheep shearing machine from Hovey, Wash., was arrested here at noon today by Sheriff T. D. Taylor. He is now being held for the sheriff of Benton county, Wash., who is to send a deputy here from Prosser.

Riggs was found in town today by the sheriff, who had heard of the crime and who learned that Riggs was here from a man who knew the latter.

### Senator Fulton to Washington.

Senator Charles W. Fulton passed through the city last evening on his return to his post of duty at Washington after having made a campaign for re-election in the primary contest in Oregon. Senator Fulton accepts his defeat philosophically and declares that he believes the large number of democrats registered as republicans are responsible for his failure to capture the senatorial prize again.

### Back from Hanford.

J. W. Fox, representing the Hanford irrigated land, arrived this afternoon from Walla Walla. He has conducted several parties of purchasers to Hanford, all of whom are well satisfied.

## LAST SAD RITES FOR E. H. CLARKE

In the presence of many friends and with flowers in abundance, the funeral service over the remains of E. H. Clarke was held at the Church of the Redeemer this afternoon and the body of the dead wool buyer is now at rest in Olney cemetery.

The service at the church was held at 2 o'clock and the house was filled with Elks, Woodmen and other friends who gathered to pay honor to the memory of one who was liked by all who knew him.

Among the floral offerings were

many large pieces sent by the lodges and wool buyer friends, while there were smaller bouquets galore. The church service was conducted by Rev. Charles Quimby, rector of the church.

At the cemetery the service was in accordance to the ritual of the Elks and many people in carriages followed the body to the burial ground. The pallbearers were T. C. Taylor, R. Forster, F. E. Judd, Leon Strauss, Tom Thompson and T. J. Tweedy. These men represented the Elks and Woodmen lodges of this city.