

WEATHER FORECAST. Fair tonight; Sunday fair and warmer.



TO ADVERTISERS. Don't sit down in the meadow and wait for the cow to back up and be milked—go after the cow.

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GOVERNOR GUEST AT DISTRICT FAIR

Senator Fulton and Attorney General Crawford to Attend on Political Day.

PROGRAM NOW ASSUMING DEFINITE OUTLINES.

Pioneers Will Take Charge of the Program on Pioneers' Day, Tuesday September 29—Morrow County Will Take Part—Superintendent Ackerman for School Day, Friday, October 2—Socialists Will Have a Speaker on Political Day—Looks Like a Banner Fair.

Governor George E. Chamberlain is to be a guest at the district fair on Thursday, "Oregon Day." With Senator Fulton and others he will be upon the program for the afternoon and the presence of those two men will lend much interest to that day.

Aside from the governor and senator, many others prominent throughout the state will also be here during the week. For Political day, Tuesday, the program is not yet made up, both the large political parties, and also the smaller ones, have agreed to send speakers for the occasion.

Thus far the socialists are the only ones to send the name of their speaker. He is E. F. Lewis of Spokane. For Education day, Friday, a host of strong men will be on hand. Superintendent Ackerman has written that he will attend and President W. J. Kerr of the Oregon Agricultural college, has written Secretary Fitz Gerald that he will come if possible.

S. E. Notson, county superintendent for Morrow county, is also to attend the fair and will be here several days. W. S. Duniway, state printer, and one of the most popular office holders of the state, is coming and will probably be here upon Oregon day. Congressman W. R. Ellis will likely be here all during the fair and will be upon the program at least once.

S. A. Barnes, president of the county pioneer association, has written that the pioneers will gladly take charge of the program for Pioneer day, Tuesday.

AUSTRALIAN GOOD CHEER FOR THE ATLANTIC FLEET.

Melbourne, Aug. 29.—The fleet arrived at 3 this morning and was accorded the usual welcome. From Port Phillips' head to the anchorage in Port Phillips bay, 30 miles, was one long ovation. The official landing will be on Monday.

The British cruiser Psyche beamed 13 guns and dipped her flag to the harbor and the salute was returned. Admiral Sperry and staff came ashore and paid a visit to Hon. Sir Reginald Talbot, governor of Victoria, who entertained them. Later they returned the official call on the Connecticut. The newspapers are filled with expressions of welcome and the city is jammed. The celebration is one of the biggest in the history of Australia.

Poison Was Effective.

Thursday afternoon August Miller, a blacksmith of Portland, Ore., drank three bottles of carbolic acid and died before help could be secured. The cause was that he feared his wife no longer cared for him.

PENDLETON MAY HAVE LIGHTS TONIGHT

Though no promises are made the electrical people say that they expect the current to be on between now and darkness this evening. From advices received from the power plant this afternoon they are expecting to see the service resumed within a few hours.

The power has now been off entirely since a week ago Sunday night. At that time the power plant was put

"IN GOD WE TRUST" REPLACED ON COINS.

San Francisco, Aug. 29.—"In God We Trust," taken from the \$20 gold pieces by the order of President Roosevelt, and replaced by an order of congress, is on the coins being turned out of the San Francisco mint today. The coin also lacks the eagle and trousers invented by St. Guadans. The bird looks more like an eagle now. The mint will make these pieces for the next few days.

TOWN OF FOLSOM IS SWEEPED AWAY

NUMBER OF DEAD NOW ESTIMATED AT FORTY.

Cloudburst Swept Down at Midnight Carrying Everything Before a Wall of Water 15 Feet High—Entire Valley for 15 Miles Is Strawn With Wreckage, Bodies and Debris—Many Left Entirely Homeless and Destitute.

El Paso, Aug. 29.—Eight more victims of the cloudburst at Folsom, N. M., were recovered today, making the total known dead 23. It is estimated the number may reach 40. Five traveling men were asleep in the hotel when the wall of water 15 feet high, swept down through the town. The hotel was destroyed and swept away. The clothes of the guests are scattered over the valley. Practically the whole town of 500 inhabitants is destroyed. The survivors are in distress. The disaster happened at midnight when the town was asleep. It is believed many were drowned in their beds, and their bodies remain in the flooded houses. Wreckage and bodies are scattered over the valley for 15 miles below the town.

Fifty Are Drowned.

Trinidad, Col., Aug. 29.—Reports received here this afternoon indicate that 50 were killed in the flood at Folsom yesterday. Survivors reaching here tell how buildings were swept away. Twenty-three bodies had been found and more are being taken from the wreckage hourly. Scores of people are missing.

Suffering Is Terrible.

Las Vegas, Aug. 29.—The latest reports describe horrible suffering. It is impossible to learn the exact number of dead. It is feared many bodies will be found in a canyon below Folsom when the water subsides. All searchers are proceeding with their work. Hailstones as big as a quarter are falling at Las Vegas. Railroad bridges are down near Des Moines, N. M. Two houses are washed away at Springer and the wagon roads are destroyed at Caton.

Minister-Editor Gets Divorce.

Los Angeles, Aug. 29.—Alleging that his wife deserted him when he entered the ministry and that his marital woes wrecked his health, Rev. L. K. Knight, a famous lecturer, divine and former associate editor of the Atlanta Constitution, today secured a divorce. His wife lives in Atlanta, Ga.

Be careful to give as much as you expect before you make your complaint of neglect.

AMERICA GIVES GLAD WELCOME

Athletes Are Honored Beyond Power of Tongue to Express by Their Countrymen.

NEW YORK CITY THRONGED BY THOUSANDS.

Triumphal Entry of the Winners of the Olympic Contests Greatest Event of the Year—Parade Led by Military Is Miles Long—Athletic Clubs Out in Force—Young Vanderbilt at the Head of 500 Clubmen Greeted the Returning Heroes.

New York, Aug. 29.—America today extended a formal welcome and expressed her pride of stalwart athletes who carried the stars and stripes to victory in the great Olympic games. New York is given over to the reception. A parade of soldiers, sailors, brass bands and decorated automobiles passed down Broadway through tremendous throngs.

The objective point was the city hall square where the exercises were held and a formal welcome extended. The committee headed by Adfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, was composed of 500 New Yorkers. Each athlete received gold medals. A silver cup also was given John Hayes, winner of the Marathon race. The crowd sang the national anthem.

Flags waved a welcome from the skyscrapers. Grand Marshal George Wingate and staff were at the head of the parade, the former in advance of the first division. Then came the regulars from Governor's island, followed by the marines, the second division of the New York national guard, the naval militia and the third Irish volunteers.

The fourth main section included the heroes of the various athletic clubs.

Acting Mayor Gives Prizes.

Hayes received the prizes from Acting Mayor McGowan. Hayes' sister, Mary, rushed through the crowd and climbed upon the stand and threw her arms around her brother and kissed him with tears running down her cheeks. The mother and an aunt followed her example amid the cheers of the crowd.

Eloping Pair Arrested.

Seattle, Aug. 29.—Joseph A. Bloch, a rich Pacific coast banker and real estate broker, wanted in Portland on a charge of deserting his wife, who is destitute, and Mrs. Y. Weiss, an attractive brunette of his own race, with whom he eloped, was arrested in Seattle today as he was about to board a steamer for San Francisco. He admitted his guilt. He has been in Seattle for two months.

New County Filled With Children.

Hood River county's school year will commence next Monday and preparations are now being made by County School Superintendent E. E. Cond to take care of a larger number of pupils than has ever before received instruction in the section comprising the new county, says a Hood River item. In proportion to its population Hood River county is said to contain more children of school age than any county in the state. In the outlying districts several new school houses have been erected and a \$30,000 high school is also in course of erection in Hood River city, where the increase in school population necessitates the employment of two more teachers this year.

More Trouble for Porter.

Fred C. Porter, who is serving a term in the county jail at Wallace for obtaining money under false pretenses, is wanted in Palouse for cashing a check drawn on the Northwest Distilling company of Spokane for \$18, which was refused payment.

Grasshoppers Plenty.

Grasshoppers have invaded the Lapwai and Tom Beall creek regions in Idaho and are doing an immense amount of damage to the gardens and grain fields.

ECHO STIRRED BY LIQUOR CASES

Five Violators of Prohibition Law on Trial Before Justice Scholl Today.

ASA B. THOMSON AND J. C. HOSKINS COMPLAINANTS

Warrants Issued for Joe Morrison, Mel Morman, Frank Neace, M. H. Gillett and H. B. Gillett—Idle Hour and Hotel Echo Bars Searched and Liquor Found in Both Places—Over 30 Witnesses Called—Deputies Busy All Day Serving Papers.

The first gun in the enforcement of the prohibition law in Umatilla county was fired at Echo today when half a dozen alleged violators of the law were arrested for selling liquor in prohibition territory. Those for whom the warrants were issued were Joe Morrison, Mel Morman, Frank Neace, M. H. Gillett and H. B. Gillett, all of whom are charged with having violated the prohibition law.

Complaints were sworn to by Asa B. Thomson and J. C. Hoskins.

The Idle Hour, formerly a saloon, but now a "soft drink" resort and the bar of the Echo hotel, were searched and liquor was found in both places. Five deputy constables have been busy all forenoon in securing witnesses, searching the places charged and in serving the warrants. Half of the town is interested in the cases in one way and another.

The case is being heard at time of going to press before Justice of the Peace Louis Scholl, District Attorney G. W. Phelps appearing for the state and Judge James A. Fee for the defendants.

There has been considerable drunkenness in Echo for the past several weeks, the resorts being extremely bold, it is declared, in dispensing stuff that does not come within the prohibition law, according to accounts from Echo, and the friends of prohibition and the officials of the little town have joined together in an effort to put a stop to the illicit traffic.

FIVE MASKED ROBBERS CARRY AWAY \$12,000.

Montreal, Aug. 29.—Five masked men robbed the Provincial bank at St. Eustache, 10 miles distant from here in broad daylight today. While two armed robbers held the posse back with revolvers and rifles three robbed the vaults, taking \$12,000 and escaped. The country is excited. Poses are in hot pursuit.

They overpowered the night watchman and gained entrance by tampering with the vault, which set off the burglar alarms in the sheriff's office. They waited for the officers, whom they told the first one who made an attempt to enter would be killed. They worked calmly and rode away.

Says Mine Was Salted.

That someone "salted" the Coal Creek mines in Clackamas county appears from the record of the suit of E. M. Swift against the Hydraulic Gravity Separator company, though both Swift and the separator company disclaim responsibility, says a Portland item. Swift brought suit against the company for \$2000 damages, alleging that the company had "salted" samples of dirt to sell to Swift a separator for \$4500.

Break of Lightning.

At Port Gamble, Saturday a flash of lightning struck a tree near a tent occupied by George Miller and family of Ballard, and tore the shoe off the foot of Mr. Miller's baby and sundered a number of people in the tent.

The Indians of Salmon Arms, south of Kamloops, are preparing to go on the warpaths, on the fear that they are to have their fishing rights taken away from them. Wednesday two chiefs were sentenced to jail for illegally setting fish traps and a band of 50 Indians swooped down on the town and rescued them.

BLACK HAND MURDERS WEALTHY ITALIAN.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—The Black Hand claimed another victim in this city today when Michael Dispunto, a wealthy Italian, was shot and killed in his barber shop. The victim had received threatening letters, saying he was marked for death unless he contributed to the Black Hand. He was standing in his barber shop when a stranger opened the door and fired without a word.

DIPPING PONIES SOON TO BEGIN

UMATILLA INDIAN HORSES TREATED FOR MANGE.

Work of Dipping Several Hundred Ponies Under the Direction of Dr. S. W. McClure of the Bureau of Animal Industry to Begin October 1 Near the Old Agency—Work Postponed During Hot Weather.

That he will commence the dipping of reservation horses October 1 is stated by Dr. S. W. McClure, head of the animal industry work in this section.

The Indians have been notified to have their ponies on hand at that time and it is the intention to dip every pony whether affected with the mange or not. Work horses will not be dipped unless actually affected with the disease.

It was originally intended to dip the reservation horses last spring, but for various reasons the work became delayed until it was too hot for the horses to be rounded up. Accordingly the dipping was deferred until fall.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Portland 5, Oakland 4; San Francisco 1, Los Angeles 3.

Northwest League. Seattle 0, Aberdeen 0.

American League. At New York—First game—Chicago 0, New York 1. Second game—Chicago 2, New York 1.

At Philadelphia—First game—Detroit 1, Philadelphia 0. Second game—Detroit 2, Philadelphia 11.

At Boston—Boston 3, St. Louis 1. At Washington—First game—Washington 2, Cleveland 0. Second game—Washington 8, Cleveland 0.

National League. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 1, Philadelphia 0.

Taft on His Native Soil.

Athens, O., Aug. 29.—Taft arrived at noon en route to Middle Bass island. He was greeted at the depot and made a 10 minute non-political speech. He was the guest of honor at a small luncheon at the home of former Congressman Grosvenor and left for Toledo on his way to the island.

New Line to Nevada.

Surveying parties have been placed in the field by William Ashton, chief engineer of the Oregon Short Line, to run a line for a railroad between Twin Falls and Wells, Nev., says a Salt Lake item. The proposed line will be about 90 miles long, and will be built for the purpose of giving the districts around Twin Falls an outlet to Nevada and California.

Brakeman Killed.

Samuel T. Freeman of North Yakima, Wash., was killed near Portland, Ore., Thursday by being thrown from the top of a freight car.

NEW SERVICE ON NORTH BANK SEPT. 1

If the opening of passenger service on the North Bank road is going to have any effect on the N. P. branch line to Pendleton the "effect" has not yet appeared.

Up to the present it has been generally supposed that when the North Bank was ready for operation a good passenger service would be established between here and Kennewick so that

ALL THE COURTS READY FOR WORK

Circuit Judge Bean is Home From Summer Vacation in the Mountains.

CIVIL BUSINESS WILL LAST UNTIL THE JURY SESSION

Tuesday, September 8, Will Be Motion Day in Circuit Court—Jury Session Does Not Begin Until September 21—Several Unimportant Cases for the Civil Session Which Will Begin September 1—All the Judges and Courts Are Now Ready for the Fall Business.

Circuit Judge H. J. Bean arrived home last evening from his Hidayaw creek ranch, where he passed the hot weather days, and he is now once more in his office at the court house. According to the judge he enjoyed the vacation immensely and his tanned features indicate that he "roughed it" more or less while on his outing.

Though the jury session of court does not commence until the third Monday in September, there is enough civil business to occupy much of the court's time between now and that date.

Tuesday, September 8, will be motion day as the first Monday in the month will be a legal holiday, Labor day.

For September 1 the case of I. A. Duniap versus G. W. Proebstel, is set for trial. For September 3 the case of the Buffalo-Pitts company versus Alva Balcom et al, is set. Other cases to be taken up following those but for which definite days have not been set are as follows:

Nellie M. Davis versus Ida Cherry et al; David G. Smith versus Frank Hanel and Anna Griffin; Rose A. Call versus James W. Call; and the First National Bank of Athena versus William J. Wilkinson.

With the return of Judge Bean Pendleton's full complement of judges become once more on duty. Justice of the Peace Joe Parkes returned from Meacham several days ago and County Judge Gilliland is also home from his ranch.

RAIN PUTS AN END TO THE MIMIC WARFARE

Tacoma, Aug. 29.—Rain today put to rout all of the armed forces in camps and made a fiasco of the closing day of the American Lake maneuvers.

Three times the troops sallied forth to field of action and three times they were driven back to cover while the North Dakota national guard captured completely and hastened on their way to the wheatfields 12 hours before the time scheduled.

The national guard camps are deserted and the first of the regulars' camps will be vacated before sunrise tomorrow morning.

All day tomorrow and Monday camps will be broken and Monday night will find the prairies and forests deserted.

The last batch of staff and field officers will complete the Roosevelt 90-mile endurance test ride tomorrow and brigade headquarters will be deserted at sundown. Brigadier General Brush will depart Sunday morning for Vancouver barracks.

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Portland-bound passengers could go over the N. P. if they so desired.

But up to this time Walter Adams, local agent, has received no information whatever concerning a change in the present branch line service.

September 1 is set for installing the new passenger train on the North Bank and after that time two daily trains will be run each way.