



TOKIO FAIR POSTPONED

Decision to Postpone Reached in Spite of the Protests of Business Men.

FINANCIAL STRINGENCY IS THE CAUSE.

Roosevelt Commends Action in Letter to Secretary Root Which Causes Comment — Is Japan Working Against Wu?

Tokio, Sept. 2.—In an effort to placate the business men, and commercial bodies of Japan, who threatened to refrain from participating in the exposition because it had been postponed, the cabinet today prevailed upon President Kanke to resign. The decision to postpone was reached after a stormy session and over the written protest of the Tokio business men, who fought against the postponement. The business men threatened to have an exposition of their own in 1912. Financial stringency was given in the official announcement today as a reason for postponement.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Diplomats today are discussing the letter sent to Secretary of State Root by President Roosevelt commending the action of the Japanese in postponing the Tokio exposition, and taking occasion to state that the American people were friendly toward the Japanese. The letter was made public from Oyster Bay tonight, and is considered to be written for the purpose of ending the sensation created last week when Baron Takahira visited the president behind closed doors. It is also reported that Chinese Minister Wu is to be recalled because Japan does not like him. After the conference Baron Takahira sent a long telegram to Japan, costing \$95.

CATHOLIC PARADE ABANDONED.

Police Discovered Plot to Interrupt by Protestants.

London, Sept. 2.—Fearing an anti-Catholic demonstration and possibly bloodshed would result from the proposed grand procession of Catholic clergy here at the opening of the Eucharistic congress September 9, the churchmen abandoned the parade at the urgent request of the police. The plans called for the greatest parade in the history of the church. It is understood the police were informed of a plot to interrupt the parade. The Catholics blame the council of Protestant alliances for agitation. The alliance men declare arrangements for the congress are in violation of the constitution and the bill of rights. It would be an "disgrace to England."

Veterans in Parade.

Toledo, Sept. 2.—An army of 30,000 "boys in blue," some hardly able to hobble along, paraded today and were cheered by 150,000 people. The Taft party was given prominent seats on the reviewing stand. The veterans applauded the candidates. There will be a grand electrical display tonight.

Death From Heart Failure.

Tokio, Sept. 2.—General Marquis Inouye, one of the foremost of Japanese statesmen, died today in Villa Okitsu. He was stricken with heart failure.

CLOSE CALL FOR DEPUTY BERT WILSON

Deputy Sheriff Bert Wilson had an experience Monday that he does not want to have repeated for it is only by chance that he is alive to tell the tale.

Monday afternoon the deputy went down on train No. 1 to the Umatilla Central junction and as he stepped from the train to the ground his automatic revolver dropped from his pocket to the ground. As the weapon struck the ground it was discharged and the bullet went upward. It passed through the rim of the officers hat, leaving a small hole about

PITCH FUMES KILL. FOUR IN BOSTON.

Boston, Sept. 2.—Four men are dead today as a result of breathing the fumes of burning pitch in the forepeak of the Puritan here. The men were sent to the forepeak yesterday to store away salt. In the meantime a fire started from spontaneous combustion. The men never came out again.

HIGHWAYMAN ROBS AUTO.

Beats Victim Into Insensibility and Takes \$800 and Jewelry.

Aberdeen, Wash., Sept. 1.—P. McDonald and two women and Robert Kenyon, a chauffeur reported to the police of Aberdeen and Hoquiam today that while enroute from Aberdeen to Hoquiam in an automobile this morning they were held up by three masked robbers and robbed of \$800 in cash, a gold watch and several diamonds.

McDonald resisted the demands of the highwaymen and was beaten into insensibility. He is said to have lost \$600 in cash. Mabel Montell lost \$200 in money and diamonds and the driver \$20 and a gold watch.

According to the report given the police McDonald and the two women were going to Hoquiam. Kenyon noticed a small white flag waving in the road. He took it as a signal of trouble and stopped the machine. The man who waved the flag was accompanied by two others, all wearing handkerchiefs over their faces. One of the men pointed a revolver in the faces of the occupants of the car and demanded their money and valuables. When McDonald resisted he was attacked by the men with clubs and beaten into insensibility.

RACING BALLOON HAS CLOSE CALL

OCCUPANTS NEARLY THROWN INTO RAPIDS

Ville de Dieppe Almost Destroyed—Dives Down and Shoots Up in the Air and Finally Bumps Into A Barn Near Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Fearing a storm on Lake Ontario, the crew on board the racing balloon Ville de Dieppe, tried to descend at Niagara Falls yesterday. The rip cord failed to work properly, resulting in a poor landing. The three men in the basket got a bad shaking up and narrowly escaped death in the whirlpool rapids. Captain A. F. Mueller, in charge of the balloon, was taken to a hospital tonight, and may be internally injured. With Captain Mueller were Perry Gregory, 16 years old and Gerald Gregory of Chicago, secretary of the American Federation of Aerial Clubs.

The Ville de Dieppe left Columbus, Ohio, at 8:30 o'clock last night. The journey through the air was uneventful until 9 o'clock this morning when it ran into trouble air currents over Lake Erie and dropped to within 250 feet of the lake's surface. Balloon was thrown out, and the big bag shot up to 8000 feet. It was young

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STORM AND FLOOD

Loss of Life and Property From Wind and Waters Will Be Enormous.

ENGLAND AND SWITZERLAND BOTH SUFFER

Sailing Schooners and Fishing Boats Go Down—English Tourists Also Missing—Storm Raging Since Monday.

London, Sept. 2.—Reports today show one hundred and forty lives lost in the storm which has been sweeping the coast of England since Monday. It is feared the number will be still greater.

A great number of schooners and fishing boats have been swamped. Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 2.—A heavy loss of life and the total destruction of several villages in the Swiss tyrols is reported as a result of an avalanche and floods caused by an unexpected thaw in the mountains. Forty are known to be dead. A party of eight English tourists have been missing since Monday.

BIG TREES THREATENED.

Hundreds of Men Working to Save Valuable Timber.

Stockton, Sept. 2.—According to special dispatches to the Record this morning from Murphy camp, Calaveras county, a big forest fire broke out Monday and is now burning on the edge of the big trees. Last night the fire burned within 200 yards of the famous Big Trees Hotel, which was saved by back firing. An area of 10 miles square was burned over. Considerable heavy timber was burned. Hundreds of men under the forest rangers are fighting the flames. A month ago fires raged in the vicinity of the big trees for two weeks.

ANOTHER CRANK CALLS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Washington, Sept. 2.—Miss Katherine M. Roosevelt Cronin, who called at the White House last night, and demanded admission because she was the long lost daughter of the president, was sent to the asylum today. The woman appeared at the big front door of the White House, and told the policeman she wanted Mrs. Roosevelt to vacate the room immediately. She came from San Francisco.

TRAIN STRIKES WORKMEN.

Get in Way While Avoiding Another Train.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—One man was killed and two fatally hurt today when a Northwestern elevated train struck a gang of workmen who stepped in front of one train to escape another. John Soshne was hurled 50 feet in the air and instantly killed.

Sage Securities Worthless.

New York, Sept. 2.—Further probing into the affairs of the Russell Sage estate revealed a large assortment of worthless securities. Executors are today making an inventory of all bonds and stocks upon which they are unable to realize. The total value of these holdings as shown by Sage's financial register was \$1,071,000. They are now not worth the paper they are written on and the executors expect to realize but little money on many of Sage's open accounts. The two railroads he owned have been sold at a loss.

Mystery Still Unsolved.

Seattle, Sept. 2.—Mystery still surrounds the discovery of a woman's body yesterday on the shore of Lake Washington near Juanita. Identification is impossible on account of the decomposition. The only marks are four gold teeth and hair streaked with gray.

Cowboy Mayor Claims Victory.

Omaha, Sept. 2.—Mayor Dahlman of this city today claims a victory over his opponents, George W. Bergs and former Congressman Schallenberger in yesterday's primaries with a plurality of 3000 in Douglas county.

REPUBLICANS WIN

Vermont Returns Show Entire State Ticket Elected by Over 20,000.

ALSO GET SENATE AND THE HOUSE

Independence League Polls 1000 Votes on First Appearance—Drew Its Strength from the Democrats—Great Interest Throughout the Country in the Size of the Republican Plurality.

White River Junction, Vermont, Sept. 2.—The republicans defeated the democrats in the state election by over 25,000. Lieutenant Governor George Prouty of Newport, who led the former ticket, received 41,432 votes, while James E. Burke, of Burlington, his democratic opponent, had 14,536 votes with 23 small towns missing. These towns in 1904 gave a republican plurality of 1789.

The next legislature will stand as follows:

Senate—republicans 29, democrats 1.

House—Republicans 210, democrats 30, independence league 6.

At a late hour tonight Prouty claims his election over Burke by 30,000 votes.

The republican plurality of 28,000 was about 2000 below the average for the September elections on presidential years, except in 1888 and in 1892. In those years, when it was less than 25,000, the election was followed by a democratic national victory. Whether the 1000 or more votes cast for the independence league candidates came from democrats or the republican ranks can only be conjectured although last night it looked as if the democrats had been the sufferers.

Independents Poll 1000.

The independence league appeared for the first time and polled about 1000 votes, while the prohibition and socialist vote remained about the same. An unusually large number of local candidates for membership of the legislature, although bringing out a heavy vote and resulting in democratic gains in the lower branch of the legislature, apparently had no bearing on the gubernatorial fight.

As Vermont is the first state to vote during the presidential campaign there was much interest throughout the country in the size of the republican plurality.

The republicans retained complete control of the legislative and executive branches of the government of Vermont. They elected to congress from the first district, David J. Foster of Burlington, for another term, and from the second district Frank Plumley of Northfield for the first time, and elected a majority of the state legislature, which will select a successor to the late Senator Redfield Proctor.

ADMIRAL GLASS DEAD.

He Was at One Time Commander of the Pacific Squadron.

Paso Robles, Calif., Sept. 2.—Rear Admiral Henry Glass, U. S. N. (retired), died late yesterday afternoon at a health resort here of heart failure, following an operation performed several days ago at his home in Berkeley. Admiral Glass, who was 64 years of age, had been ill for over two months, and his condition had been regarded as critical for some time.

Rear Admiral Glass was born in Kentucky in 1844 and was appointed to the military academy in 1860. As an ensign he participated in all the general engagements with forts and batteries in Charlestown harbor in 1863 and in the capture of Georgetown, S. C., in 1865. As commander of the cruiser Charlestown he conveyed the first troops to the Philippines and captured the Ladrones islands. He was commander in chief of the Pacific squadron from 1903 to 1904 and was later commandant of the Pacific naval district.

Seattle has 641 manufacturing plants. The number of wage earners, 12,980; annual wages paid, \$9,036,160; value of products, \$51,813,148.

BRYAN WON'T ADMIT VERMONT FORECAST.

St. Paul, Sept. 2.—W. J. Bryan said today that he did not know how the republican victory in Vermont yesterday could be considered as a barometer of the coming election. He said: "Personally I am unable to see how it has any effect, as the campaign has just opened." He declined to discuss the showing made by the independence league and left for Sioux City, where he speaks tonight.

IDAHO REPUBLICANS ARE IN SESSION

Boise, Sept. 2.—The second day's session of the republican state convention opened today with much uncertainty regarding the nominees for state offices. A movement to defeat Congressman French was started last night. State Senator Heyburn threw consternation into the convention by declaring against the direct primary and election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

WISCONSIN ELECTION RETURNS.

Jenkins Defeated by Leuroot and Stephenson Renominated.

Milwaukee, Sept. 2.—Partially complete returns indicate that Congressman J. J. Jenkins, chairman of the judiciary committee of the house of representatives, is defeated for re-nomination by Irvine L. Leuroot, former speaker of the state assembly. Returns confirm earlier figures that State Senator Stephenson received the endorsement of the republican party for re-election over three opponents. Governor Davidson received the nomination for re-election.

LAW HAD NOT FORGOTTEN HIM

VIRGIL WADE WILL BE BROUGHT BACK FOR TRIAL

Many Months Ago Was Charged With Assaulting Man But Released on Bail—Failed to Return for Trial—Had Been in Mexico and Southwest—Caught at Heppner.

That it takes a long time for the writing of an indictment to fade away has again been proven and the latest to learn of this truth is Virgil Wade.

Over a year ago Wade was arrested here for assaulting a man near Pilot Rock and he was brought to the county jail and was subsequently indicted for assault and battery. Later he was released on \$250 bail and Joe Sullivan, the ex-saloonman, was his bondsman. Wade then departed.

When the time for trial arrived Wade did not appear and he could not be found by the sheriff until a few days ago when he was located at Heppner. By order of Sheriff Taylor he was placed under arrest and he is now being held to await the arrival of the Umatilla county officer who left here for Heppner on the 8 o'clock train this morning.

Since his disappearance Wade is said to have been in Mexico and in several of the territories of the southwest. He had evidently gone there to evade the charge that stood against him, and remained away until he thought the trouble had blown over. But upon his return he finds that the indictment against him still stands.

FORDIE J. TAYLOR DIED THIS MORNING

Fordie J. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Taylor, died this morning at the Taylor ranch north of the city. Death was due to tuberculosis, with which the deceased had been suffering for some time. In hopes of successfully fighting the dread disease the young man had been sent to the southwest, but the trip was in vain and young Taylor came home in June.

"SCHOOL DAYS" ARE HERE AGAIN

Superintendent Landers Assigns Teachers for Coming Year.

FIRST TEACHERS' MEETING SATURDAY MORNING AT 10.

Three New Grade Teachers and Five New Members High School Faculty—No Changes in Principals—Superintendent Landers Will Conduct Normal Work in High School—Juniors Are Also Assigned.

"School days" will soon be on in Pendleton again. The opening of fall school work is set for next Monday and at 10 o'clock Saturday forenoon all the teachers will meet with Superintendent Landers for discussion and instruction.

When the schools open Monday there will be but three new teachers in grades while the high school faculty will show five new faces. There are no changes whatever in school principals this year.

Superintendent Landers has made the following assignments of teachers:

Field School.
Rozene Epple, principal, first grade.
Edith Epple, second grade.
Alma Harris, third B, fourth B.
Lincoln School.
Celestine Moorhouse, first B, first A.
Mrs. Augusta Moule, second B, third B.
Mary Quick, principal, fourth B, fifth B.

Washington School.
Neva Lane, first B, first A.
Matel Elder, second B, third B.
Stella Marple, third A, fourth B.
Sadie Baum, fifth B, fifth A.
Lulu Keller, sixth B, sixth A.
Flora Walker, seventh B, seventh A.
Grace Miller, principal, eighth B, eighth A.

Hawthorne School.
Robert Rippey, first B, first A.
Hazel Weller, second B, second A, third B.
Carrie Sharp, third A, fourth B, fourth A.
Sarah B. Gray, fifth B, fifth A.
Florence Harris, sixth B, sixth A.
Maude Cooke, seventh B, seventh A.

High School.
Katherine Kahley, German and history.
Florence Schroeder, English.
Lauretta Conklin, Latin.
Frank D. Carruth, commercial department.
E. W. Allen, science.
J. B. Potter, assistant science.
A. C. Hampton, principal, mathematics.

J. S. Landers, superintendent, normal department.
Assignment of Janitors.
Elmer Reager, Field and Lincoln schools.
Guy Cook, Washington school.
Robert Patton, Hawthorne school.
B. F. Hanlon, high school.

Suicide in Seattle.
Seattle, Sept. 2.—S. A. Kegley, proprietor of the Bee Hive store in Georgetown, suicided early today by shooting himself in the head. Family trouble is supposed to have been the cause.

The deceased was 21 years of age and was born and raised in this vicinity. Having attended school here he had many acquaintances and there is much regret over his untimely death.

The funeral will be held from the Taylor farm home at 10 o'clock tomorrow forenoon. The service will be conducted by Rev. W. T. Euster, pastor of the Methodist church.