



ALL IS READY FOR THE FAIR

Doors Will Be Thrown Open Monday at 2 on Greatest in History.

EXHIBITS ARE RAPIDLY BEING PUT IN SHAPE

Homecoming Day Promises to See Large Crowd Present—Congressman Ellis and Judge Lowell Will Speak in Afternoon—Journal Carriers' Band Will Give Concert—Moorhouse's and Woolen Mills Exhibit Unusually Fine.

At 2 o'clock Monday afternoon the doors of the district fair pavilion will be thrown open to the public and they will open upon the best fair that has yet been held. Upon the official program for the fair Monday is down as Homecoming Day. During the afternoon a program will be rendered and the two speakers of the occasion will be Congressman W. R. Ellis and Judge S. A. Lowell. A concert will be given by the Journal Carriers' band. Regarding the popular musical organization which is to furnish the concerts during fair week this year the Oregon Daily Journal had the following Friday evening:

The Journal Carriers' band will play its first engagement in eastern Oregon next week. Sunday morning at 8 the organization will leave in a special car for Pendleton, going over the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company's line. The eastern Oregon fair and Roundup will be the attraction at Pendleton, opening Monday and continuing throughout the week.

In competition with seven or eight other bands the Journal Carriers' band won the Pendleton engagement because of its excellence as a musical organization and because it is an all-Oregon band. News of the splendid success achieved at the Alaska-Yukon Pacific exposition, at the Willamette Valley Chautauqua and at the Oregon state fair, had no little influence in bringing the directors of the Pendleton fair to the conclusion that the star attraction of the big exposition would be the Journal band.

A concert every afternoon will be the feature of the fair for the country people, who come from distances of 25 and 30 miles in many instances, to get evidence of the splendid progress of Umatilla and Morrow counties. The city folk will be favored with a concert every evening during the fair.

Pavilion Is Busy. Within the big pavilion today all is hustle and bustle because of the preparations for the opening day. The various booths are being given the finishing touches by decorators and filled with the exhibits. This work will be continued this evening, all day tomorrow and Monday forenoon. By 2 o'clock Monday it is anticipated that every exhibit will be in place and all ready for the opening.

Two interesting booths now being fitted up are those of Major Lee Moorhouse and the Pendleton Woolen Mills. Major Moorhouse has the same space he used last year and today Glenn Bushee has been busy arranging the major's large collection of photographs and Indian curios. The woolen mill has a large booth at the northeast corner of the pavilion and it is being filled with robes and other products of the mill. In fitting up their display Bishop brothers are being given valuable assistance by their mother, Mrs. C. P. Bishop.

At the Umatilla county exhibit today a large display of fruit from the Oliver ranch west of the city was placed on exhibition. The display consists of 30 boxes of apples and pears and made a very creditable appearance.

Entries for the fair are now being received rapidly and in order to accommodate exhibitors the office will be kept open all day tomorrow. All entries must be made by Monday noon.

CHORUS GIRLS ON JOY RIDE KILLED.

New Orleans, Sept. 24.—Three members of the Queen Moulou Rouge company chorus, Thomas Butler, owner of the machine, and Joseph Freedman, a perfumery salesman, were killed today when the automobile plunged into a canal. Later reports say another unidentified man was also killed. The girls' names are unknown. They were out joy riding when in rounding a curve Butler lost control of his machine which turned turtle and tumbled in a canal fifteen feet away. The police are trying to recover the bodies.

CATHOLIC CHARITY "TRUST" MAY FORM

Washington, Sept. 24.—A national Catholic charity "trust" may result from the National Conference of Catholic Charities which opens in the national capital tomorrow for a session of four days. The meeting will mark an epoch in the history of the church in the United States, since for the first time an effort will be made to co-relate the various forms of charitable activity carried on by the church, on national lines, to discover the weak spots in the church's philanthropic work and how the problem of poverty in this industrial age may best be solved.

Dependent families, the care of children, juvenile courts, probation, and social settlements are some of the topics that will occupy the convention, but the principal session of the congress will be given up to a discussion of social reform. At the latter meeting, the speakers will grapple with the problems of underpaid labor and employers' liability laws.

United States Commissioner of Labor Nell will read a paper on "Industrial Accidents and Diseases as Related to Poverty." Many women will take part in the conference, and it is likely that a national organization of women engaged in charity work will be effected. Mrs. Carter, wife of the Montana senator, and an active charity worker, will preside at one of the sessions.

Pope Pius X has sent his blessing to all who take part in the conference.

FALLEN BIRD MAN WILL RECOVER FROM INJURIES

Domodossola, Italy, Sept. 24.—Aviator George Chavez will live, though badly broken up as a result of yesterday's fall. He passed a fair night and was able to see visitors today to whom he told the story of his accident.

CHANLER TO LOSE HIMSELF IN WEST

DODGING NEWSPAPER MEN AND PROCESS SERVERS

Millionaire Artist Who Signed Away Fortune to Lina Cavallieri Headed This Way—Wife Attempting to Force Him to Pay.

New York, Sept. 24.—Robert Chanler is today en route to the west, it is reported, while Lina Cavallieri, his wife is taking steps to collect the fortune which he signed over to her before the couple married. Attorneys for the Diva are busily planning a suit to force Chanler to live up to the agreement which probably will be filed within a couple of days.

Chanler, according to rumor, will attempt to conceal himself from New York reporters and process servers. In her suit, the singer asserts that Chanler made a pre-nuptial agreement with her in the presence of a lawyer and that he cannot now set it aside without showing extraordinary cause.

MAN AND WOMAN KILLED IN MYSTERIOUS MANNER

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 24.—As a result of the mysterious shooting in the home of Lawrence Distel, Mrs. Martha Distel, aged 42, and Paul Mueller, a mail carrier are dead. Their bodies were found in the woman's bedroom, both shot through the heart. The police were summoned by the woman's husband. Distel was closely questioned but not arrested. A revolver was found in the same room, with all of the chambers empty. Distel was sleeping in another part of the house. He said he heard the shots and ran to the room where he found the dead bodies. His son and daughter say they heard some one running down the hall while they called their father. A suicide compact is scouted as foolish by Distel.

INSPECTOR OF CHINESE IS GIVEN HIS DISCHARGE

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 24.—J. W. Bowell, a son of Sir MacKenzie Bowell, controller of Chinese immigration at this port, was suspended today by the minister of trade and commerce for alleged irregularities reported in connection with the arrival and admittance of orientals to Vancouver. The minister has given as a reason for the suspension that Bowell reinstated the Chinese interpreter who had been discharged by the government after an investigation. It is understood the government is investigating to ascertain whether Chinese have been smuggled into Canada.

Taft Leaves For Capitol

Cincinnati, Sept. 24.—President Taft spent a quiet day visiting his old friends today. Secretary Norton announced that E. F. Griswold of New York, has been chosen secretary of the railroad securities commission which was recently created. Taft left this afternoon for Washington.

Miss Grace Crockett and Miss Eva Belts left last night for San Francisco from which city they will embark for Honolulu where they are to spend the winter.

BODY OF LOST GIRL IS FOUND

Mutilated Remains of Eva Swan, Paso Robles School-teacher, Are Unearthed.

FRISCO PHYSICIAN AND NURSE HELD IN DETINUE

Failure to Pay Small Debt Results in Exposure of Crime—Ben Gordon Tells Police that Doctor James Grant Assisted by Man Named Saachs Performed Operation on Girl Which Resulted in Death on the Table—Reared House and Buried Her.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 24.—To prove that the acid eaten, mutilated body found in a shallow grave by detectives under the cement basement of a little house on Eureka street is that of Eva Swan, the Paso Robles school teacher who disappeared on June 2, was the task the police applied themselves today. Friends were asked to come to the coroner's office to examine the body, the acid-burned clothing and blankets in which the body was wrapped.

The discovery was made after Ben Gordon told the police that Dr. James Grant assisted by Willis Saachs had performed an operation in June, and that the girl had died on the table, and that the physician and Saachs, who has since disappeared, cut the body up, stuffed it in a trunk, rented a house, and buried the body. Gordon says Saachs told him of the affair and he told the police because Grant refused to pay him a debt of \$18. Grant is under arrest pending an investigation.

Miss Swan came from Paso Robles in December and secured a position as a stenographer. Suddenly she dropped from sight leaving all her belongings and all search since then has been fruitless until Gordon told his tale.

During the five months that the girl has been missing several attempts have been made to find her. The day she left her boarding house for the last time a young man called several times to see her and finally left a letter for her. The girl had dropped out of sight completely, leaving all her belongings in her room. Two months ago a family named Craighton moved into the Eureka street house. They found an old trunk there with red stains on it. The trunk smelled badly and the health department was notified. The city chemist examined the trunk and reported that the stains were made by paint.

Shortly after the family moved away and nothing more was thought of this matter.

CASE AGAINST CARROLL MUST GO TO JURY

Des Moines, Sept. 24.—A motion to take the libel suit against Governor Carroll out of the hands of the jury and instruct for a verdict of acquittal was denied today by Judge Howland. The case was brought against Carroll by John Cowrie, former chairman of the state board of control, whom Carroll dismissed.

ANOTHER THOUSAND SEATS FOR CROWD AT ROUND-UP

At last night's meeting of the Round-up committee it was decided to provide 1,000 additional bleacher seats. This will make seating accommodations for 4,000 people and there will be plenty of room for those who prefer to stand up just outside the track. Space is also being provided for those who wish to view proceedings on horseback.

With these arrangements now made it is evident that from five to ten thousand spectators can view the entire event without any inconvenience. It was also decided at last night's meeting to allow any kind of clinch to be used in the men's and women's relay races. This action was decided upon after much discussion, it finally being agreed that the quicker the change of saddles the more spectacular will be the races.

TWELVE DIE IN R. I. WRECK

Latest Estimates Place Death Roll in Passenger Disaster at That Number.

CLOUDBURST WASHES OUT LONG STRETCH OF TRACK

Rock Island Passenger Running at Full Speed Plunges Into Gap—Twelve are Killed and Many Injured—Victims all in smoker—Engineer Stays at Post and Goes to Death—Occupants of Pullmans Unhurt.

Denver, Sept. 24.—Twelve or 13 persons lost their lives and 11 others sustained more or less severe injuries in the wreck two miles east of Clayton, Kansas, early yesterday morning, on west bound Rock Island passenger train No. 27, which was due in Denver at 8:25 from Kansas City.

The known dead: F. PICKENBAUGH, Goodland, Kas., engineer. A. V. HUFFMAN, Kansas City, baggage man. J. W. USHER, Denver, conductor. WILLIAM MILLER, fireman. HERMAN MUELLER, Smith Center, Kansas. JOHN SLOOP, Boyle, Kans. W. E. SHIVLEY, Agra, Kas. GILBERT M. YAMS, Fullerton, Nebraska.

UNKNOWN MAN AND WOMAN. SEVEN UNIDENTIFIED. The injured: G. D. Brackton, lineman, Goodland, Kas., arm injured. Mrs. H. F. Scott, Jennings, Kans., right arm broken. Victor Engle, Birmingham, Ala., bruised and cut; not serious. Mrs. T. H. Evans, Langton, Kas., head cut. John Cigler, Stratton, Colo., head and foot cut. D. Duges, no address, side cut. A. H. Avins, Blue Rapids, Kas., left leg broken. Mrs. Anna Smith, Colorado Springs, Colo., hand and wrist cut. Henry Aiders, Meata, Mo., slightly. Helen Benton, Colorado Springs, Colo., slightly.

Most of the dead and injured were in the smoker and one of the day coaches. The wreck was the result of a cloud burst, which carried out a large fill, turning the draw into a torrent many yards wide and 20 feet deep, and washing out nearly 1,000 feet of track in the vicinity of the wreck. Passengers in the Pullman and other day coaches, hurled from their berths and chairs by the shock, hurried out into the storm and rendered what aid they could to the injured and in extricating the mangled bodies of the dead. Others hurried to Clayton, where news of the accident was wired to division headquarters, and within half an hour physicians and nurses and a wreck train was being hurried to the scene from Norton, Colby, Goodland and Phillipsburg. It was not until late in the afternoon, however that the last body was recovered from the wreck.

Members of the Topeka baseball team of the Western league, on their way to Denver, escaped without injury.

The train was proceeding on a straight stretch of track. Evidently the first intimation that the engineer had of any danger came when he realized that the forward portion of the train was running in water which had spread out over the tracks near the fill. Reversing his engine, the speed of the train was checked, but not enough to prevent the engine, baggage car and smoker going over into the depression.

The rear end of the smoker remained tilted on the earth bank and the chair car ripped its way into the smoker, smashing it to pieces and killing and injuring many of the passengers. As near as can be learned here all of the passengers killed were occupants of the smoker. It is certain that Engineer Richenbaugh could have jumped and saved himself, but he remained at his post and did everything possible to prevent the train running into the ditch. The three Pullmans remained on the track and the occupants of these cars were unhurt. The dead and injured were taken to Norton, Kas. None of the injured are in serious condition. The washout was repaired late last evening and traffic resumed.

SAILORS ARE ROBBED BY BAY CITY THUGS

San Francisco, Sept. 24.—William Sahlgren, a sailor, was attacked by two thugs, robbed and thrown into the bay from which he was rescued and a few minutes later, Kenneth Smith also a sailor, was robbed of \$250 near the same spot. It is believed the same thugs are responsible. The occurrences happened just before sunrise.

SECRET PROBING OF LAND FRAUDS

Spokane, Sept. 24.—Wholesale inquiry into the alleged land frauds in the northwest and Alaska is believed to have been quietly started before a federal grand jury in session here. It is understood the interior department and department of justice ordered the probing. Special agents have been active in Spokane and also in other cities during the last few days, following Secretary Ballinger's recent visit here. It is said the inquiry will cover some 400 entries of coal, mineral, grazing and timber lands and that many prominent citizens be called upon to explain. It is believed by many that the investigation is part of a plan to vindicate Ballinger before the congressional committee reports.

Ballinger Denies

Washington, Sept. 24.—Secretary Ballinger, good humored and confident arrived here today ready for the cabinet meeting Monday. He denied the stories emanating from Spokane that he was pushing the big land fraud cases against prominent Washington citizens.

THOUSANDS ASK FOR PARDON OF BANKER WALSH

Washington, Sept. 24.—A move on the part of attorneys to secure the release of John B. Walsh, the 73-year-old banker now serving a term in the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, was made today when a monster petition was filed with the department of justice asking for the president to pardon Walsh. Accompanying the petitions are thousands of letters bound in volumes seeking Taft's clemency. The petition says the banker is suffering from an incurable malady.

ANOTHER FATAL COLLISION

Tipton, Ind., Sept. 24.—Six were killed in a head-on collision between two electric cars of the Indiana Union Traction line near this city. The dead are: Dr. H. Hoshchauser, a Brooklyn, N. Y., W. H. Hoshchauser, a brother; Motorman Baker, Verne Hallback of Hymera, Ind.; Louis Broc of Kokomo, Ind., and B. T. Walsh of Fort Wayne. Dr. Hoshchauser was en route to Tipton to marry Nellie Coxen. It is believed a misunderstanding of orders caused the disaster.

\$750,000 IN GOLD BULLION COMING FROM ALASKA

Seattle, Sept. 24.—More than \$750,000 in gold bullion is en route to Seattle from Alaska, according to today's advices. It is mostly from Tanana and Fairbanks.

LIGHT VOTE IS BEING POLLED

Though Ideal Weather Prevails Voters Are Not Turning Out Very Well.

SOME PREVENTED FROM VOTING BY DELAY

Indications are That Light Vote Will Be Cast at Primaries in This County—Farmers are Not Coming in—Failure of Election Clerk to Appear Delays Opening of Polls at Court House—Light Vote in West End Also.

More ideal election weather could not have been had if made to order than is prevailing throughout eastern Oregon today. Notwithstanding this fact several things are combining to produce a light vote in Umatilla county. From indications at time of going to press the vote in this county would be heavy but many farmers who are busy with their fall work absolutely refuse to lay off long enough to go to the polls with the result that the vote in the country precincts will probably be light. Then in the east end of the county, many residents took this day to go to the Walla Walla fair and it is believed that most of them went over before the polls opened at 12 o'clock.

REPORTED INQUIRY IN PROGRESS IN SPOKANE

Believed Wholesale Investigation of Entries to Lands in Northwest and Alaska is Being Made in Effort to Exonerate Ballinger.

The voting is also heavy in the other precincts. All the interest, however, is in the republican primary as up to 2 o'clock but one democrat had voted in Pendleton precinct. The one member of the "un-terrified" band was Sheriff T. D. Taylor who is again to be nominated and elected without opposition. The day is being observed as a holiday though the offices of sheriff and clerk are being kept open at the court house and most other offices throughout the city are doing business as usual. The near beer saloons were allowed to remain open. District Attorney Phelps having ruled that if they are allowed to keep open at all they are allowed to keep open on election day.

Reports from precincts outside of pendleton indicate that a light vote is to be polled unless the farmers decide late in the afternoon to come in. Hermlston reports an especially light vote with but very few voters coming in. L. L. Mann and J. T. Hinkle are thought to be the favorites there in the race for representative. Apparently no effort is being made in Pendleton to ascertain how the vote is going and it is probable that all effort along this line would be in vain.

Light Vote Over State

Portland, Sept. 24.—It is predicted the primary vote today will be light owing to the fact that the polls open at noon and close at seven. Politicians declare the political aspect is unchanged since yesterday, and that the assembly will nominate the governor, secretary of state, treasurer and divide the state legislature with the insurgents. The direct primary proponents will not concede either the election of Congressmen Ellis or Hawley, standpatters, despite the fact that the insurgents have several candidates in the field for the same offices and will likely split the vote. The principal fight will be in Multnomah county where practically a third of the voters are registered. Insurgency there is rampant and it is predicted they will capture the county.

BLOODY VENGEANCE OVERTAKES SLAYERS.

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 24.—After a sharp pistol battle on the steps of the post office today while a crowd was passing, Bogos Matsukian, an Armenian, slew one of his countrymen and wounded another. He told the police it was vengeance. He killed Mohammed Ahmad and fatally wounded Ahmad and Noory. Matsukian said the couple fled to America after slaying his wife in Armenia. He followed and traced them here. He said the law could do what it wanted to now, as his honor was avenged.