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FEED YARD AND 11 HORSES BURN

Friday, Thirteenth Closes With Fire, Entailing Damage of \$13,000.

RINK ALSO DESTROYED

Horses, Living With Heads Baked and Eyes Eaten Out by Flames, Humanely Shot—Bartender Narrowly Escapes Death Saving Animals.

Just three minutes before Friday the thirteenth had passed into the yesterdays, fire broke out in the skating rink on West Webb street and before its ravaging career was checked had completely destroyed that building and its contents, had consumed the Oregon Feed Yard, twelve horses many vehicles and a large quantity of feed, threatening many adjoining buildings and done damage amounting to approximately \$13,000. It was the largest fire the city has experienced for a number of years and but for the heroic efforts of the volunteer fire department, might have been much more disastrous. The origin of the flames is unknown.

The loss was partly covered by insurance. George Haw, owner of the skating rink carrying \$1500 on the building, and \$1450 on the contents with Bentley & Leffingwell, while Charles P. Barnett, owner of the feed yard, carried \$2400 on his building, \$1200 each with Bentley & Leffingwell and Mark Moorhouse. Luther Rich, who had just leased the yard six weeks ago from J. C. McConnell, carried \$375 insurance on the contents.

Alarm Rouses City.

It was just a minute or so before the midnight hour that the flames were discovered and hardly had the tolling of the clock in the courthouse tower stopped before the clanging alarm of the firebells and the shrieks of a switch engine whistle told the city that a conflagration was raging. Within a space of five minutes, the flames had spread with such incredible rapidity that by the time the fire companies had arrived on the scene, the whole block was enveloped in a sea of fiercely burning flames.

Man Saves Eight Horses.

Carl Churchill, night bartender at the Hotel Pendleton, was one of the first to reach the scene of the conflagration and although the fire had by that time completely enveloped the feed yard, he rushed to where he saw a row of horses tied to blazing mangers. Unheeding of the peril to himself, he rushed from one to another to release them and in a few moments had turned eight of the animals loose. All but one of these dashed out of the burning building but many were badly burned or scorched and one with its eyes gone and its whole head burned was humanely shot by Officer Kearney. After liberating the eight, Churchill was struck by a live wire and so badly burned about the neck and hands that he was forced to retreat.

Eleven other horses, all belonging to farmers spending the night in the city, perished in the fire and their carcasses burned to a crisp, were found in the ruins this morning. One large white mule, which had been liberated by Churchill dashed out of the flames at one entrance, then wheeled and ran back, finally emerging out of another entrance, badly scorched.

Fully a dozen barges, hacks and drays were consumed in the feed yard as well as considerable hay and grain and a carload of potatoes which had just been stored there during the past few days by D. Bowman. With the skating rink, several hundred pairs of skates and a \$1700 automatic piano and a \$700 hardwood floor were destroyed.

Fire Laddies Work Hard.

Much credit is due to the volunteer firemen for their splendid work in preventing the spread of the flames beyond the one block. The fire had gained such great headway by the time they arrived that it was seen at once that the rink and feed yard could not be saved and the different companies began playing their streams on the houses and other buildings in the immediate vicinity.

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MEXICAN STORM DEATH LIST GROWS

Mexico City, Mex., Oct. 14.—Confirmation has been received here of the report of the loss of from three hundred to five hundred lives along the western coast in the hurricane and tidal wave which practically destroyed the port of Guaymas last week. The authorities are finding it extremely difficult to reach the stricken country with supplies to relieve the suffering, as bands of bandits are seizing all supplies that are not heavily guarded.

TURK PARLIAMENT BEGINS SESSION.

London, Oct. 14.—The continuance of the Turko-Italian war depends on the outcome of the struggle that started today between the Young Turks party and the conservatives when parliament opened. Both sides are waging a bitter fight for control and if the Young Turks are victorious they will continue the war.

JUSTICE HARLAN, SUPREME COURT, DIES

Attack of Bronchitis Ends Career

Disappointed Over Failure of Taft to Make Him Supreme Justice Hastens End.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 14.—Associate Justice John M. Harlan, of the United States supreme court, succumbed at his home in this city at 7:15 o'clock this morning to an illness of only a few days, due to acute bronchitis, which began only last Monday with a slight cold.

Only Justice John Marshall, exceeded the term of service of Justice Harlan, who, had he lived until next spring, would have established a new record.

Justice Harlan's life ambition was to be chief justice of the United States supreme bench and when President Taft appointed Justice White to the chief justiceship, Justice Harlan's health immediately began to fail and he weakened and aged rapidly.

Owing to his advanced age, 78 years, Justice Harlan's death was not unexpected by his family and friends and members of his family were at his bedside when he breathed his last.

Justice Harlan was the dean of United States justices, his term being the longest in the history of the country with one exception—His term was thirty-four years.

By the death of Justice Harlan, it is necessary for President Taft to make an appointment to the supreme court bench, which will be the fifth selection for the president chief executive, and will make President Taft's selection a majority of the supreme bench.

Justice Harlan came into the limelight only a few weeks ago when he raised the one dissenting voice against the supreme court ruling in the case of the Standard Oil and Tobacco trust, in which a word was inserted into the Sherman anti-trust law.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 14.—Symbolical of the scope and magnificence of the Panama-Pacific exposition ground at the Stadium, President Taft this afternoon broke the ground for the structure with elaborate ceremony.

Flanked by hundreds of representative citizens from every part of California and under the glittering glare of the army and naval displays, the president drove a silver spade into the ground and turned the first grain of dirt as a bugle sounded and the United States flag rose to the top of a mast as a battery of artillery boomed. A brass band played national anthems and the crowd cheered itself hoarse.

Preceding the speech of the president, Governor Johnson, Mayor McCarthy and President Moore of the exposition, delivered brief addresses.

FORMAL PAROLE FOR WALSH IS RECEIVED

Leavenworth, Kas., Oct. 14.—A formal order paroling Bankrupteer Walsh, was received at the federal penitentiary here today. Walsh will spend his declining years with his son and other relatives, reporting from time to time to Federal Judge North.

Cutter Run Down.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.—Run down by a gasoline launch last night, a cutter from the flagship California of the Pacific fleet which was returning to the ship with the 35 members of the band aboard, was upset in the bay and B. R. Charlie, one of the bandmen, was drowned. Launches from the fleet rescued the other men, but their instruments valued at several thousand dollars, were lost.

Monarchists Returning.

Lisbon, Oct. 14.—(via frontier)—It is reported here that part of the monarchist command left Zerra da Norda and retreated into Spain, where they were reinforced and again entered Portuguese territory near Sergeral, about 12 miles from Chaves. The reinforced column aggregates about 2500 men.

CAPTURE OF PEKING FEARED

Fall of Chinese Capitol Into Hands of Rebels Is Probability.

CITIES ARE BURNING

Chinese of American Pacific Coast Country are Contributing Funds—Real Leader and Prospective President is in American West.

Tokio, Japan, Oct. 14.—With the Han rebellion against the Chinese government, rapidly spreading through many provinces of China, dispatches received in this city today from Peking, say the capitol's fall into the hands of the advancing rebels is hourly imminent and the situation is acknowledgedly serious. It is generally believed in Peking that the Manchu dynasty is about ready to go into retirement, with the aid of the forces of the rebels.

The cities Nanking, and Kaiseing have been captured and the victorious rebels have fired them and they are now burning. The populous provinces of Szechuen, Wang Tung, Hunan, Hupeh, Hoan and Kaingsu are now fully under the control of the revolutionists.

In Peking the conditions are hourly growing worse. Three divisions of the government army are being mustered there to oppose the revolutionists in the field.

U. S. Chinese Send Funds.

San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 14.—Excited over the revolt in China against the Manchu dynasty, Chinamen of this city and other coast points, have sent \$20,000 and large sums are to be collected immediately and sent also.

Leader in America.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 14.—Somewhere between Denver and San Francisco today is Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who it is alleged is the real leader of the Chinese revolution and prospective president of the new Anti-Manchu republic, which the insurgents are seeking to establish in China. The Chinese doctor is an exile from his native country and the Chinese government has placed a reward of one hundred thousand dollars on his head. He left Denver Thursday night, with the idea of returning to China as quickly as possible and take an active part in the revolt.

Peking Troops Revolt.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 14.—A local Chinese reform society, received a cable from Shanghai this morning stating that the government troops in Peking have revolted and that a heavy fight waged all last night.

SMALLPOX PATIENT IS QUARANTINED AT MILTON

Milton, Or., Oct. 14.—Hollis Groom, of this city, was placed under quarantine for smallpox in this city this week by the city health officer. Mr. Groom had been up town and thought he was suffering from a breaking out caused by stomach trouble when the health department took charge of his case.

Embezzlement Charged.

Tacoma, Oct. 14.—The arrest of Meyer Cohen at Portland was made on a warrant sworn out by the officers of Tacoma lodge Loyal Order of Moose. Cohen is charged with embezzlement of \$991 of the funds of the order, the proceeds of an entertainment given by the lodge several months ago. The lodge officers say that Cohen had promised restitution but failed to keep his word and instead left the city suddenly today.

PENDELTON BOY IN NAVY LIONIZED AS HERO, ON SAVING 4 FROM WATERY GRAVE

San Francisco, Oct. 14.—The name of Midshipman Herbert Roesch of the United States cruiser Colorado, formerly a Pendleton, Oregon boy, is being flashed all over the civilized world today as that of a hero in consequence of a deed of valor which he performed last night in saving four sailors from a watery grave in San Francisco Bay. A whaleboat containing thirty-eight marines from the cruiser Maryland, was run down in a dense fog by a launch from the Virginia, a great hole was rammed in its side and it immediately sank. The alarm was given and every launch in the vicinity at once made for the scene where the marines were struggling in the cold water. Midshipman Roesch, who was aboard one of these launches, sprang at once into the bay and single handed rescued four of the exhausted men from the water. J. R. Charliz, a musician, is missing and

WASHINGTON SOLO GOES TO PRISON.

Olympia, Wash., Oct. 14.—State Senator Boone, of Whitman county, must serve a term of from one to ten years in the penitentiary for the embezzlement of \$22,000 from the Palouse State Bank of which he was the president before the institution failed. The state supreme court would not entertain his appeal.

NO JURYMAN YET IN M'NAMARA CASE

Court Rests With Fight Still On.

Prevention Sends Its Witnesses Into Court Room to Scan Faces of the Prisoners.

Los Angeles, Calif., Oct. 14.—After a morning session which was taken up with further clashes between defending and prosecuting counsel, the McNamara trial was adjourned at noon until Monday.

Following the adjournment, Judge McNamara for the defense stated that Ventreman Nelson would not be allowed by the defense to have a place on the jury as there was no doubt that he was biased.

The fight today resolved itself into a series of causes for clashes, one over Ventreman Nelson and another when the defense raised strenuous objections to the action of the prosecution in bringing in a number of its witnesses to whom the two McNamara brothers were pointed out.

Several of the attorneys for the defense was unmistakably angry when this matter became known to them and wasted no words in expressing themselves.

The fight over Nelson has resolved itself into the question whether a juryman with an expressed opinion can be eligible to a seat on the jury. It seems certain that Judge Bordwell will have to excuse him for cause, but if the council does not do so, the defense will exercise its rights of peremptory challenge privilege.

Assistant District Attorney Horton in arguing the matter frankly stated: "In a nutshell, our contention is that the defendants are not entitled to a safe jury, but is entitled only to an impartial one."

He argued that no intelligent man could read the newspaper accounts of the case and not form some kind of an opinion.

FELL OVER BLOCK ON DARK STREET

Mrs. Rose Campbell, well known milliner, is firmly of the belief that the streets of Pendleton should be better lighted and also that the blocks that obstruct the sidewalks in various parts of the city should be removed. Mrs. Campbell fell over a block in the sidewalk in front of the residence of Dr. C. J. Smith. She fell headlong upon the sidewalk and was so injured she could not rise for several minutes. She suffered a severely injured knee and other bruises. According to Mrs. Campbell, the street was very dark and she did not see the block at all.

Census Man Fades.

Tacoma, Oct. 14.—That W. A. McKenzie, a government census agent, was "hipped off" and disappeared from Spokane, is the charge made by Deputy Marshall Crosby today. McKenzie was indicted for census frauds Wednesday.

N. Y. GIANTS TAKE 1ST GAME OF WORLD SERIES---2 TO 1

Philadelphia Leads With One Run in Second and Stops--Giants Score in Fourth and Seventh

50,000 WITNESS UNPARALLELED PITCHERS BEE

Crowds Gather at Gates at Midnight and Await Beginning of Ticket Sale--Athletics Crippled by McInnis' Injured Hand Keeping Him Out of the Game.

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Phila . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 6 1

STEAMER BRINGS STORY OF STORM

San Diego, Calif., Oct. 14.—Bringing news of the terrible hurricanes that laid waste to miles of territory along the coast of western Mexico and caused a heavy loss of life, wrecking many craft, the steamer Benito Juarez arrived in this port today from Mazatlan and other Mexican ports.

She escaped destruction in the storm only by the prompt action of Captain Miranda, who caused the vessel to pull into Banderaz the day the storm started. The ship remained in that harbor until the hurricane ceased.

Captain Miranda reported here that he passed three vessels which had been wrecked and several others which had been badly damaged.

MERZ BREAKS RECORD IN WINNING AUTO RACE

Santa Monica, Oct. 14.—In a National car, Charles Merz won the heavy car vent in the Santa Monica heavy automobile road race. His time for the 151 miles was 2 hours, 2 minutes and 38 seconds, which establishes a new world's record. Bert Dingley, driving a Pope-Hartford car, was second. Twenty thousand spectators were gathered at the contests.

TOBACCO TRUST NOW IS THREE COMPANIES

New York, Oct. 14.—Details of the reorganization of the tobacco trust, in compliance with an order from the supreme court, were learned today. The original corporation will dissolve and three new companies organize. They will be known as the Lorillard company, Liggett and Meyers and the American Tobacco company. The bonds of the trust will be exchanged for bonds in the new companies.

School Teacher Intimidated.

Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 14.—Threatening her with a revolver, when told that he could not ride in her buggy, Miss Lillian Russell, a student of the Fischer School of Music and a daughter of a prominent valley farmer living on the Yellowhawk, was forced to carry a strange, well dressed man into town about 9 o'clock yesterday morning, while on her way to school, and as a result experienced a nervous shock from fright of the holdup.

Madero's Cabinet Named.

Mexico City, Oct. 14.—Following is an authorized statement of the personnel of Madero's cabinet: Finance—Ernest Madero; Fomento—Rafael Hernandez; Instruction—Jesus Flores Magon; War general—Jose Gonzales Salas; Foreign affairs—Francisco De la Barra; Communications—Manuel Bonilla; Justice—Jose Vasquez Tagle; Interior—Josephino Suarez (probably).

W. C. T. U. Holds Meeting.

A very helpful and interesting meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Raley, College street, Mrs. Crockett, presiding. The following vice presidents were appointed: Mrs. Milnes, Mrs. A. W. Ruge, Mrs. Whitman, Mrs. May, Miss Paston, Mrs. Quinn, Mrs. Lowell, or one from each church. The meetings of the union will be held, hereafter, the second Tuesday afternoon of each month and the next meeting will be at Mrs. Crockett's home on Thompson street. Notice was given of the county convention to be held in Echo, October 19 and 20th. Mrs. G. W. Tugg, Mrs. Crockett, Mrs. Raley and Mrs. May were elected delegates. Mrs. Silsbaugh will be in the city October 22 and will deliver four addresses, notice of which will be given later.

Little Truany in County

Up to date, County School Superintendent Welles declares there have been but ten cases of truancy reported from over the county which number he considers remarkable in view of the several thousand of school children in the many districts.

WRIGHT SUCCEUMS TO HIS INJURIES

Jack Wright, the pioneer engineer who fell beneath a moving train at the local depot Wednesday, died at St. Anthony's hospital at 3 o'clock this morning. For 24 hours he had been sinking slowly, his vital forces being too weak to withstand the great shock of the accident. His daughters and other relatives were in attendance at the time of his death. The body was shipped to Walla Walla for interment beside that of his wife who died several years ago.

When news of the death of Jack Wright spread about town today it caused general sorrow among those who knew the veteran engineer. Members of the local lodge of Elks escorted the remains to the O. W. R. & N. depot at 2 o'clock and the body was sent to Walla Walla on the local passenger train leaving at that time.