

SKELL QUILTS AND HURRIES BACK TO OKLAHOMA

Sept. 24.—Governor Haskell was accepted so far as he was concerned, Mr. Bryan declined to answer. That it had been, however, was inferred from Bryan's answer to the next question: "Has a successor to Treasurer Haskell been selected?" "That is up to Mr. Maek and the executive committee," was the answer. Bryan left this morning for Madison, Wis.

The Portland baseball team has won 22 and lost 23 with the Oakland team, won 30 and lost 30 with San Francisco, and have only lost 21 to Los Angeles, while they have won 25 from the Leo Loos.

In the seventeenth century absence from church was a punishable offense in England.

REPUBLICANS HAVE RESIGNATIONS ALSO

New York, Sept. 24.—Chairman Hitchcock, of the Republican National Committee, today deprecated the rumors that other resignations—in particular that of National Treasurer George H. Sheldon, might follow that of T. Coleman Dupont, head of the speakers' bureau, whose resignation was handed in last night.

"I know of no other resignations nor of any contemplated," said Hitchcock.

WHEAT MARKETS

Portland, Sept. 26.—Wheat is unchanged.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—September, \$1.09 1/2; December, \$1.01 1/4; May, \$1.04 1/4.

Texas, Sept. 26.—Wheat is unchanged.

The days for cheap casaca back are over, says the Oregonian. The market, which has been gradually increasing in firmness for several months, has now become strong, and with an active buying movement on the part of Eastern consumers, there is reason to believe that the upward trend of prices will continue.

ST. PETERSBURG'S CHOLERA EPIDEMIC REACHES MAXIMUM

St. Petersburg, Sept. 26.—The cholera epidemic in St. Petersburg, in the opinion of experts, has reached its maximum. Little progress has been made in the cleaning process and conditions indicate a renewal of the epidemic in the spring. The burial squad in the cemetery where most of the victims are being interred is unable to keep pace with the number of dead, funeral services being conducted over one hundred dead at a time.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT KILLS FOURTEEN

Berlin, Sept. 26.—Two trains on the Berlin elevated railroad collided this afternoon and eighteen are dead and many injured, the accident being due to a misplaced signal. One of the cars, which was crowded, was thrown into the street, forty feet below. Most of the deaths, however, resulted from contact with electrified rails.



CHEER UP!

—Porter in New Orleans Times-Democrat.

COLEMAN MAY BE BARRED FROM 'VARSITY TEAM

CLEVER END WAS TOO TRUE TO HOME TOWN—NEW MAN FOR SQUAD FROM CALIFORNIA

Russ Coleman, the clever end of the University, will probably be out of the game this fall on account of a game of baseball played on a Salem "pick-up" team against the Woodburn semi-professional nine the last Fourth of July. The handling of the affair has been turned over to a special committee of the athletic council to investigate. However, it is doubtful if the player would have been permitted to play again this season, conditions in his contract being incurred last year.

A thorough sifting of the matter by the athletic council showed that Coleman received no compensation, and in fact that the team he played on was strictly amateur. But as the rules of the A. A. U. are very rigid, and some of the members of the Woodburn team admittedly received

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TUBERCULOSIS INFECTION FROM MILK SUPPLY

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—A commission of seven, headed by Dr. Koch, of Germany, was appointed today to inquire into the danger of tuberculosis infection from milk. They were appointed on motion of Dr. J. F. Haymans, of Belgium, who said that un-



DR. ROBERT KOCH.

til proof to the contrary is established the conclusions of the German and English commissions which investigated the subject "force us to admit that human tuberculosis can have its origin in bovine tuberculosis."

SOUND STEAMER RAMMED IN FOG

New York, Sept. 26.—The steamer Commonwealth, the newest and largest of the Fall River liners on the sound, arrived in port today after colliding with and sinking the Norwegian freight steamer Volund in a dense fog at the eastern entrance of Long Island sound this morning. The Volund's officers, the captain's wife and the crew were brought here on the Commonwealth. The latter was not seriously damaged.

SERIOUS FIRE LOSS IN FON DU LAC

Fon du Lac, Wis., Sept. 26.—The destruction by fire of the three principal churches, an automobile garage, seven automobiles, and the residence of former Mayor Hayben entailed a loss early today estimated at \$250,000. The fire is said to have started from an explosion of gasoline in the automobile garage.

SHOWERS PROMISED FOR TOMORROW

Portland, Sept. 26.—Showers tonight or Sunday in western portion; fair in eastern portion. Warner in west, light frost in east. Idaho—Fair tonight and Monday; light frost tonight.

FORAKER GIVES HIS SIDE OF CONTROVERSY

Cincinnati, Sept. 25.—Senator Foraker, in a carefully prepared statement made public tonight, replying to the recent charges made by Hearst and Roosevelt, bitterly assailed Hearst, Taft and the president, charging that Taft has been consorting with Standard Oil magnates himself and declared that Roosevelt's actions indicate a guilty conscience.

In his opening paragraph Foraker declared the president showed bias in accepting as true all the charges. He denied that he had acted improperly in accepting employment from the Standard Oil; he says there was no secret about it and produced letters to prove that after the government began its attack upon the Standard Oil he declined to accept further retainers from them. He charged that Hearst had other letters in addition to those which he gave over, and that those letters, if made public at the same time, would have shown how harmless was his connection with the Standard Oil.

Foraker declared that three years ago when the president had occasion to appoint a United States district judge for the northern division of Ohio, Taft, knowing the abilities and high character of John H. Doyle, of the Standard Oil law firm of Doyle and Lewis, did not hesitate to recommend him to the president in strong language for the appointment to the judgeship, and said Doyle was not appointed for reasons that did not reflect on Judge Doyle.

"But if Standard Oil was in good enough repute only three years ago to warrant Judge Taft in recommending Doyle, and President Roosevelt in appointing him to a judgeship, much more was it in sufficiently good repute six or seven years earlier, before any of the recent virulent attacks were made upon it, to warrant me in accepting employment of the character mentioned."

Foraker relates in detail some of Taft's friendly relations with various officers of the Standard Oil Company and other alleged trusts and of accepting of their hospitality and entertainment on various occasions.

TAFT TO COMMENT ON FORAKER'S LETTER

Waterloo, Iowa, Sept. 26.—Mr. Taft indicated today that he would comment on the statement issued yesterday by Senator Foraker as soon as he was able to obtain a full copy of the same, when he reaches St. Paul late today. He will deliver five addresses in Minnesota before he reaches St. Paul.

TRAIN WRECK WORST IN ROAD'S HISTORY

Butte, Mont., Sept. 26.—Yesterday's Northern Pacific train wreck was the worst in the history of that railroad. Following is the list of dead:

Colonel H. Hodson, Southern Utah; Charles E. Johnson, Denver; Robert Anderson, Hardin; John Pawlas, Billings, Mont.; S. T. Marchington, Chgo., Mont.; S. J. Chirmann, Laurel, Mont.; John Ryan, going from Butte to Cushing, Okla.; R. C. Gamble, Hamston, Iowa.; C. H. Barnes, Seattle to St. Joseph, Missouri.

L. A. Stewart, Deak, Mont.; George Pantlovitch, Anaconda, C. E. Owan; M. Koutuck, Anaconda; E. L. Dymark, going to Denver; B. E. Vickers, Helena; Rev. Mr. Vickers, Hardin, Mont.

Seriously Injured: John Simpson, Billings, Mont.; John Pinger, Coleman, Alberta; Fletcher Dyer, Mount Carmel, Ill.; Angus Burned, Helena.

GARFIELD OUT IN DEFENSE OF MR. HITCHCOCK

Washington, Sept. 26.—Secretary of the Interior Garfield today made a statement as to the relations of former Secretary Hitchcock with the issue of leases authorizing the Prairie Oil and Gas Company to lay pipe lines through Indian lands in Oklahoma. The records of his department, he declared, show clearly that Hitchcock simply complied with the act of congress authorizing the construction of pipe lines and that nowhere, he declared, is there any record or other evidence that the president at any time either overruled Hitchcock or was at variance with him in the course he pursued in the issuance of permits.



JAMES R. GARFIELD.

NO JURY TRIAL FOR HARRY THAW

White Plains, Sept. 26.—Justice Mills today denied the application of Harry Thaw for a jury trial to determine whether or not Thaw is sane, but promised to give Thaw a hearing before himself. The date is to be fixed by counsel.

Later Justice White set the hearing for October 5, but Justice Mills refused to transfer the case to New York county, whereupon District Attorney Jerome announced his withdrawal from the case, as the financial condition of his office would not justify him in incurring the expense of continuing the case in any other county than his own.

DR. RUSTIN HIRED DAVIS TO KILL HIM

Omaha, Sept. 26.—Abbie B. Rice, at a hearing here today of Charles Adward Davis told of the plans arranged between Dr. Frederick Rustin, the physician recently killed here, and Davis, whereby Davis was to shoot Rustin and then commit suicide.

Objections were made to nearly half the questions put by the county attorney, but Mrs. Rice testified that Dr. Rustin told her he had secured a man to kill him and that she was released from her promise to kill Rustin. She identified Davis as the man whom Dr. Rustin said had agreed to kill him.

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