

## GOVERNOR DIED WITH WIFE'S HEAD PRESSED AGAINST CHEEK



Minn., and in this city flags over all public and many private buildings are flying at half mast. On the streets and wherever men meet are heard expressions of deep sorrow.

A sympathy more than state wide goes out today to a small group in the little Minnesota town of Rochester, which mourns for the departed governor.

After battling against death for almost a week the governor's life had a peaceful ending. Grouped beside him when the end came were Mrs. Johnson, Miss Sullivan, her personal friend, the attending physicians and two nurses. The last thing the governor did before lapsing into unconsciousness, one and a half hours before death, was to take his wife's hand and weakly whisper:

"Well, Nora, I made a good fight, but I guess I've got to go."

Then, as the last gleam of intelligence began to flicker, he pressed her hand gently to his cheek as a parting caress.

John A. Johnson was three times elected governor of Minnesota on the Democratic ticket. His plurality in 1900 was nearly 77,000, although the state gave Roosevelt a majority of 161,000. Johnson was exceptionally popular with all parties and all

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DR. F. A. COOK'S WIFE AND CHILDREN.

Mrs. Cook, wife of the pole explorer, declares she never had any doubt that her husband would reach the north pole, and when she heard that Commander Peary also had been to the top of the world she expressed herself as being very glad. She believes there is glory enough for both of the daring explorers in the achievement. When she received the report that Dr. Cook had reached the pole and was on his way home she was in Maine, but hurried at once with her two little girls to the home of relatives in Brooklyn.

## DR. COOK DECLARES HE WILL SUBMIT PROOF TO UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN

New York, Sept. 21.—"I shall await events," said Dr. Cook to the Associated Press correspondent, just before he left the deck of the Oscar II at Quarantine today to be brought to the city by the welcoming committee. "When my material has been got together and put into shape, it will be submitted in the first instance to the University of Copenhagen, and after that will be laid before the geographical societies of the world. I would not consent to submit any fragmentary portions of my observations or my records to any one. Reports and all data connected with my trip must be examined entirely, together with my instruments, some of which I have in my possession now, and others which are on the way to America at the present moment. These will be properly controlled and tested before submission to scientific bodies."

Referring to Peary Cook said: "I have as yet heard nothing but vague reports. I prefer for the present to believe that the statements which are attributed to Peary are incorrect. I am fully prepared to meet any charges, but I must first see something definite. I am absolutely certain that none of the reports appearing in print emanate from either my Eskimos or from Harry Whitney. Whitney without doubt kept his promise not to say anything about the expedition or its result, and I feel sure of my Eskimos. Mr. Whitney will return to America about the middle of October. He has complete knowledge of all the facts. He is at entire liberty to make public all he knows. He is neither bound to stand up for me nor for Peary."

Cook said the Eskimos would be brought to America if it was possible to obtain a steamer this year.

Dr. Cook has not fixed his plans and does not expect to go to the north pole again, but may explore the new land discovered on his recent trip. He will leave the south pole exploration to Shackleton and Scott.

He has decided, on account of the overwhelming demand for autographs and photographic photographs, to make a uniform price of \$10 each, and will set aside the proceeds to be divided equally between the explorers and the arctic clubs, to be utilized for future explorations.

Good to Be Home Again

Yesterday as his ship approached New York, Dr. Cook said:

"It's good to be an American; it

seems I have been gone ten years."

Gazing toward the lights of New York after an absence since July 4, 1907, these were the first sentiments expressed tonight by Dr. Frederick A. Cook, of Brooklyn, as he paced the deck of the steamship Oscar II waiting for daylight and the actual return to his native land.

Dr. Cook was virtually at home tonight, for the Oscar II anchored off Fire Island. The ship marked time, as it were, so that there might be no hitch in the home-coming reception for the explorer. Though 60 miles from the city proper, the Oscar II is in easy wireless communication with New York during the day and night. Dr. Cook was on deck almost constantly and as sunset approached he watched the brilliant panorama and conversed with the newspaper men through a megaphone.

Dreads His Reception

"I feel anxious to get ashore," he said, "but dread the ordeal of landing tomorrow. I would much prefer landing quietly without a repetition of the scenes at Copenhagen. I hope I shall be left in peace with my family by tomorrow night at least."

Some New York papers were brought to him on board the vessel this evening containing long reports concerning Peary's achievement. Dr. Cook read them carefully, then said:

"There is nothing new here and I shall wait until something definite is published before I say anything further on the matter."

Mrs. Cook is ill at home and unable to meet her husband.

## FIERCE WIND STORM SWEEPS SOUTHERN COAST

Four Lives Are Lost and the Property Loss Is One Million

New Orleans, Sept. 21.—The tropical hurricane which yesterday swept the Gulf coast of Louisiana and Mississippi, caused the death of at least five persons and a property loss of one million dollars.

The first communication New Orleans has had with the outside world since last night was obtained at noon today. The situation here is not serious, though the wireless communication in all directions.

Report From Galveston

Galveston, Sept. 21.—Reports of a number of deaths on the Louisiana coast reached here today. High waves are reported to be lashing into a number of exposed coast settlements but there is no wire communication between here and New Orleans, and the wires are down in many directions. The Texas coast escaped the storm.

## CITY COUNCIL HOLDS ADJOURNED MEETING

Street Assessment Ordinances Passed—Ordinance Compelling Restaurant Boxes to Be Open

An adjourned session of the city council was held last night at which a great deal of street improvement work was attended to.

Assessment ordinances were passed as follows:

University avenue, from the Southern Pacific right-of-way to Eighteenth street; Twelfth street, from Oak to Pearl; Pearl street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth; Alder street, from Eleventh street to the mill race; Oak street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth; Eleventh street, from Jefferson to Van Buren; alleys between Fifth and Sixth streets and Olive and Charlefort.

An ordinance was passed for the grading and graveling of Van Buren street from Eleventh to Twelfth.

An ordinance for sewer in the alley between Pearl and High, from Fifteenth street south 298 feet, was passed.

A petition for a sidewalk on certain streets leading from Nineteenth street and Oregon avenue to the Condon school was granted.

Several bills were paid out of the construction fund for lumber and services for the electric power ditch.

Minor Matters

The Ninth street grade near the railroad was asked to be lowered. The matter was referred.

Albert Baker, assistant street commissioner, was granted a ten days' leave of absence with full pay.

The city treasurer was directed to notify all persons delinquent on assessments.

The city attorney presented the request of Treasurer Reiser for an increase in pay, as the work is growing, but no action was taken.

The mayor stated that he had been informed that a number of restaurants had closed boxes, where young girls were being taken for lunches. He thought the front of all such boxes should be open and directed the city attorney to prepare an ordinance regulating this matter.

The plat of Fairmount Heights was referred to the city engineer.

Petition for grading, graveling and sidewalk of Twelfth street, from Alder to Potter, was referred to the city engineer.

## Worcester Corsets Standard Patterns Centemeri Gloves



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Our stock will repay a visit. We have Long Coats for ..... \$8 up to \$60

\$1.50 White Linen Finished Waist

White Linen-finished Waist; excellent weight; just right for fall, or a more fancy one of mercerized materials, tailored, each ..... \$1.50

\$1 Black Sateen Waist

This is a \$1.25 value; front of wide and narrow tucks; back with box plents and two tucks; each ..... \$1.00

White Batiste Wool Waist

Cream white wool Batiste Waist, front silk embroidered and fine tucks; back fine tucks; each ..... \$2.50

Cream Allover Net Waist

Fancy Allover Net Waist, lace trimmed, silk lined; great val.; ea. \$3.50

Children's Teddy Bear Coat

We are showing the greatest range of colors and qualities we have ever had. Colors cream, white, brown, gray, tan, deep blue, vistarina, red and navy; priced at \$2.50 to \$12.50

Bear Cloth Bonnets to Match

This is also a large assortment; colors as above; price range .25c to \$1.50

20c School Hose • 15c

This line consists of Heavy Ribbed Hose for boys and a fine Lisle Finished Ribbed Hose for girls; excellent values at 20c; special, pr. . . . 15c

Boys' School Waists

Dark and medium colors; narrow collar; blouse effect; the waist . . . 50c

THE WHEAT MARKETS

Portland, Sept. 21.—Track prices, C&N, 86; blostem, 86; red Russian, 84 1-2; Turkey red, 86; forty-fold, 88 1-2.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Close, September, 10 21-8; December, 100; May, 103 1-8.

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Where Cash Beats Credit.

# HAMPTON'S

STAGE GROVE

## PEARY GREETED WARMLY AT SYDNEY PORT

Explorer Greeted by His Wife and Enthusiastic Groups

Sydney, Sept. 21.—Commander Peary, after a successful quest of the North Pole, returned to Sydney today on board the Roosevelt. The explorer's wife was the first to greet him, and as the Roosevelt, after an absence of more than a year, steamed into the harbor, the explorer and his ship received a hearty welcome from the assembled shipping. Mrs. Peary and a party of friends met the Roosevelt ten miles north of the harbor entrance in a sea-going tug and proceeded with him into the harbor, where groups of people had gathered to welcome the adventurous explorer.

## WAR VETERANS MEET TOMORROW IN REUNION

Program of Three Days' Meeting, Beginning Tomorrow at 10 A. M.

The annual reunion of the Lane County Veterans' Association will begin tomorrow and end Friday. The veterans will meet at the W. O. W. Hall at the corner of West Eighth and Lincoln streets, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock sharp for registration. All old soldiers, Sons of Veterans and Spanish War veterans are invited to join in making this meeting one long to be remembered. Following is the program of the reunion:

Wednesday

Meet at the hall at 10 a. m. for registration, organization and general hand-shaking.

Thursday

Meet at hall at 9 a. m. Parade will form on West Eighth street in front of the hall at 9:15 a. m. The line of march will be east from Lincoln to Olive, south on Olive to Eleventh street, east on Eleventh street to Willamette, north on Willamette to Seventh, west on Seventh to Olive, south on Olive to Eighth, west on Eighth to hall. All old soldiers, Spanish War veterans and Sons of Veterans, school children and all citizens are invited to participate in the parade.

10:30—Address of welcome by the president.

Response by Captain Dodd.

11:30—Singing, "Marching Through Georgia," by the audience.

12 to 2—Dinner will be served by the Woman's Relief Corps and Ladies of the G. A. R.

All old soldiers and wives are expected to be present and help make a charge on the good things prepared by the ladies.

2:30—Meet in hall for a general good time.

7:30—Camp fire.

Address by Colonel Mercer. Short speeches by comrades and ladies, by the Woman's Relief Corps. Recitation by Miss Minnie Pike. Song by Gilbert Slaters. Cornet solo, "March-

## MURDERER HEMBREE GRANTED NEW TRIAL

Salem, Or., Sept. 21.—The supreme court today reversed the death sentence of A. J. Hembree, and remanded him for a new trial for the alleged murder of his wife in Tillamook county. Hembree was also convicted of second degree murder for the alleged killing of his daughter. Hembree is alleged to have killed his victims and then burned their house to conceal his crime.

## ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS BREAK OUT AGAIN

London, Sept. 21.—A dispatch from Kiev, Russia, says that in anti-Jewish rioting today twenty were killed and several hundred injured, many fatally.

## VANDERBILTS SIGN ARTICLES OF SEPARATION

New York, Sept. 21.—William K. Vanderbilt Jr., and wife, formerly Virginia Fair of San Francisco, a daughter of the late Senator Fair, have signed a separation agreement, according to the afternoon papers. Mrs. Vanderbilt is now returning from Europe with her two children.

ing Through Georgia," with variations, by F. E. Stevens. Recitation by Merle Sterns.

By the Ladies of the G. A. R.—Drama of the war from '61 to '65, including last decisive battle of the war and surrender of General Lee, and singing of "Star Spangled Banner."

Friday

9:30 a. m.—Meet to hear reports and the election of officers.