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NEWBERG, OREGON

EVENTS OF THE DAY

Newsy Items Gathered from All Parts of the World.

Less Important but Not Less Interesting Happenings from Points Outside the State.

The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition closed with many ceremonies.

The total fatalities in the recent storm in Tennessee number 46.

A runaway horse leaped clear over an automobile at Bellingham Wash.

Stuyvesant Fish, of New York, is likely to be the next minister to China.

The Oregon Trunk will bridge the Columbia between Celilo and The Dalles.

Henry won the recount of votes for the Democratic nomination for district attorney.

Willie Boy, the California Indian outlaw, committed suicide with his last cartridge.

A deputy sheriff was badly wounded in a battle with escaped convicts near Salem, Or.

Taft sternly rebuked New Mexicans who questioned his good faith as to statehood.

President Taft exchanged visits with President Diaz, of Mexico, and pledged international friendship.

It is declared that Ferrer was not a revolutionist, but only a promoter of free education in Spain.

An American aeroplane was wrecked during its first trial at Doncaster, England, while an English aviator made the longest flight ever seen in England.

Taft was showered with gifts by Pueblo Indians.

A. D. Charlton declares the heavy traffic from the East will continue.

Thomas J. Lipton is anxious for another try for the American yacht cup.

Cook's discovery of the North Pole is officially recognized in New York City.

It is now reported that Minister Crane is the victim of political intrigues.

Terrible storm in South kills at least 50, and causes immense property damage.

President Moffatt says the Oregon Electric will ultimately build on to Roseburg.

Superior judge at Washington rules that it is not necessary to declare one's politics when registering in that state.

A woman drawn by mistake as a juror at Los Angeles declares she will serve, and there seems to be nothing to prevent it.

A family feud near Lacy, Wash., resulted in the blowing up of a house by dynamite, and exposed a whole household of degenerates.

Five convicts at work on roads near Salem, Or., overpowered their two guards and escaped, taking two automatic revolvers, \$29 in cash and a horse and buggy.

Japan is pressing her demand on China.

Russian officials expelled an American at the expiration of his passport.

Killing frosts in the South have raised the price of cotton considerably.

An Italian warship has arrived at San Francisco to participate in the Portola festival.

A robber who had held up a Chicago bank committed suicide when cornered by police.

Taft promises to help statehood in Arizona, and sounds warning against fade of Oklahoma.

Hill says Oregon Trunk line will build feeders in Oregon, but not extend them into California.

A Portland man helped his wife draw up the papers in her divorce proceedings against himself.

The recent blizzard caused many shipwrecks on the Great Lakes, and considerable loss of life.

It is believed that the Japanese government, for personal reasons, forced the removal of Crane, minister to China.

Socialists and radicals in many European capitals have raised a storm of protest at the execution of the Spanish revolutionist Ferrer.

The Nicaraguan revolution against President Zelaya is gaining rapidly, and indications are that he will soon be forced to flee the country.

Charles R. Crane, minister to China, has been requested to resign.

Snow storms and intense cold prevail throughout the Middle West states.

Crowds were so big at the Seattle fair that W. J. Bryan found it difficult to see the exhibits.

Nine European countries have agreed to recognize each other's passports issued to touring motorists.

Ferrer, the alleged revolutionist arrested at Barcelona, Spain, was refused pardon and executed by shooting.

Two brakemen engaged in a good-natured scuffle on top of a moving freight train, fell off and both were killed.

Willie Boy, the Indian outlaw, who murdered his sweetheart and her father, is being helped by other Indians to stand off the posse who have him at bay.

Taft received a great welcome at Los Angeles.

Two middlemen among the Chicago grafters are about to confess.

ANARCHY RAMPANT.

London Mob Condemns Alfonso and Blames King Edward.

London, Oct. 18.—The red flag was raised in London this afternoon and a large mob moved upon the Spanish embassy to make a demonstration of its disapproval of the execution of Professor Francisco Ferrer at Barcelona.

Police drove off the crowds in their usual bloodless effectual way. But uneasiness pervaded the neighborhood.

The trouble began at a mass meeting in Trafalgar square organized by several socialists and labor bodies. Several hundred members of the organization marched to the square carrying red flags draped with crepe and bearing inscriptions denouncing King Alfonso. A black-bordered banner was left standing against the Nelson column with big letters, "To Hell With the Murderer Alfonso."

Several laborite members of Parliament spoke. Victor Grayson, of Manchester, the socialist member, capped the climax by declaring that if the head of every king of Europe were torn from his body, it would not pay half the price of Ferrer's life.

He called the Russian emperor a "dirty monster," and said King Edward, who could have prevented the execution, was responsible for what might happen in England as a result of it. He demanded the expulsion of the Spanish minister.

The socialist societies, carrying banners, then marched to the Spanish embassy, singing revolutionary songs and shouting King Alfonso. A rabble accompanied them, filling the streets. It was dark when they reached the open square in front of the embassy, and they found the square filled with police.

The embassy windows were dark and there was no sign of life. The police would not let the procession enter the square, nor even stop.

The crowds turned back and kept moving up Victoria street, toward the Parliament buildings, singing, shouting and groaning. The reserves drove the mob into the side streets, dispersing it without trouble.

WOMEN FIGHT TO HEAR CARUSO.

Berlin Has Small Riot When Sale of Seats Begins.

Berlin, Oct. 19.—Berlin had a riot at the opening sale of seats for Caruso's three-day engagement at the Royal Opera during the coming week. Frenzied would-be purchasers pummeled other mercilessly in a struggle for places of vantage in the line leading to the box-office, women and girls taking a leading part in the fray. It was necessary for a squadron of mounted and unmounted police to intervene before the sale could progress.

Crowds began assembling at 10 o'clock the night before and by day-break nearly 1000 persons were on the ground. Local police regulations did not permit a line to be formed before 8 o'clock. When the signal to form the line was given the multitude had increased to 2000. A serious scramble for positions nearest the box-office followed.

After half a dozen women had been taken to a nearby emergency hospital, suffering from hysterical fits, the police contrived to get the Caruso enthusiasts into line, which stretched twice around the opera-house building.

ONE CONVICT SHOT DEAD.

Two Others and a Second Deputy Wounded in Battle.

Buena Vista, Or., Oct. 19.—Shot to death on the banks of the Luckiamute river was the fate of George Carter, ring-leader of the quintet of convicts who escaped from their guards at the penitentiary at Salem Friday night.

Two of Carter's companions, Duncan and Albert Ferris, are seriously wounded, the former probably fatally, as the result of a pitched battle between the outlaws and John Grant, sheriff of Folk county, and four members of the posse.

Elmer "Cherokee" James one of the men who was with Sheriff Grant, was slightly wounded in the right leg, but is still with the posse on the hunt for Mike Nitchie and Albert Murray, the two outlaws still at large.

Abruzzi Might Have Been King.

Paris, Oct. 19.—A special dispatch from Athens says the officers of the Greek army who were responsible for the movement against the monarchy in August last reached a decision at that time to offer the throne to the Duke of Abruzzi in the event of the abdication of King George.

After an agreement was reached between the government and the mutinous troops, an official statement was issued denying the movement was against the king or the ministry.

Wright Races With Train.

College Park, Md., Oct. 18.—Wilbur Wright today introduced an element of the spectacular in the otherwise motionless training flights at the government aerodrome, when he raced his machine with swift Baltimore & Ohio express train. It was while making a four-minute flight in a six-mile wind late in the afternoon that the aviator came abreast of the fast-moving train. To the spectators it appeared that the train was gaining on the aviator.

Six Hundred Drowned.

Victoria, Oct. 19.—Advices were brought by the Empress of India that 600 people were drowned early in September in East Java, as a result of the bursting of a crater, which had become filled with water. When the mountain-top lake was released by a breach in the crater's side, the waters swept enormous quantities of sand and mud down, overwhelming the kampongs at the foot. Rivers overflowed, and the railroad near Lumajang was swept away.

Hensy Leads by Forty Votes.

San Francisco, Oct. 18.—Francis J. Hensy, candidate for district attorney, today had a lead of 40 votes in the recount being conducted in court at the instigation of his opponent, C. M. Fleckert, who alleged Hensy was not entitled to the Democratic nomination at the recent primary election. In the original count Hensy was given the nomination by 80 votes.

OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

STATE TREASURY FLOURISHES.

Increase in Taxes and License Money Indicates Prosperity.

Salem.—If the business done by the departments of the state government, and the reports of those departments may be considered as barometers of the general prosperity of the state, then the state at large is in a very flourishing condition. Chief Clerk F. K. Lovell, of the secretary of state's office, states that in some divisions the work of that department has increased over 50 per cent in the past year. After deducting insurance fees, which have been paid to the insurance commissioner since March 1, the secretary of state's office has paid into the treasury from October 1, 1908, to September 30, 1909, fees amounting to \$63,334.58, as compared to \$53,052.06 from October 1, 1907, to September 1, 1908.

Automobile licenses issued for the first six months of 1909 reached the total of 604, as compared to 643 for the same period in the preceding year.

Cash statement of the state treasurer for the nine months ending September 30, 1909, shows a larger balance in the common school fund than ever before in the history of the state. The first mortgage loans now amount to \$4,534,434.63; school district bonds, \$1,868,855; certificates of sale of state lands, \$548,586.02; a total irreducible school fund of \$5,969,845.64. The agricultural college fund amounts to \$189,319.03, and the university fund to \$95,136.75, a total educational fund of more than \$5,500,000. There was an increase of first mortgage loans during September of about \$54,000.

The treasurer's cash summary shows cash on hand January 1, 1909, \$89,274.74; receipts, \$2,292,514.86; disbursements, \$34,874.55; disbursements, \$2,857,482.73; cash on hand, September 30, 1909, \$697,179.07; total, \$3,219,536.15.

FISH MONOPOLY BROKEN.

Interests of Late E. D. Hume to Be Sold at Public Sale.

Marshfield.—The monopoly of the fishing rights held for so many years by the interests of the late E. D. Hume will soon be broken, as the entire estate is to be sold at private sale this month. After Mr. Hume's death the fisheries and cannery were closed, but were opened for a short time this fall. On account of the approaching sale, the fisheries were closed after 400 cases of canned salmon had been shipped. Since they were closed, the Union Fisheries company is said to have made a haul with seines which netted 1800 fish.

The gasoline schooner Gerald C., which was formerly owned by the Hume estate, has been sold, and has made her last trip to Rogue river. She will be taken to Astoria.

For over 30 years E. D. Hume controlled the fishing rights, owning both sides of the river for 12 miles up from the bar. He had his own fish hatchery and cannery plant, and made a fortune out of the business. The people in the Rogue river valley assert that it is the finest fishing stream in the country.

Squatters Make Filings.

Marshfield.—About 40 men have filed homestead claims in townships 24 and 25, range 9. It was unsurveyed land, the survey of which has been accepted, and those who filed were persons who had squatted on the land some years ago. There was little opportunity for new homesteaders, for the reason that scrip has been placed on all of the land by the Northern Pacific and other large interests. Those who filed for homesteads claim that they have a squatter's right, and some declare they will take the cases to court to defend their claims.

Bend Sends Exhibit.

Bend.—A well-assorted exhibit of the dry-farming products of the Bend country has been dispatched to the forthcoming dry-farming congress at Billings, Mont. The samples of the local irrigations productions are entered in the congress by the Bend board of trade, with whom John I. Springer, freight and passenger agent of the Great Northern railroad, arranged for the display. This is the first official publicity work done by the Hill interests in Oregon.

Roseburg Signs Contract.

Roseburg.—All members of the Roseburg committee signed the contract for construction of the Roseburg-Cooch Bay electric railroad. Messrs. Kettner and Haas, of Portland, with whom the contract is made, will build the line. They are expected here in a few days, and will then post a bond in the sum of \$100,000 for construction of the road within two years. Surveyors will be put into the field at once.

Debate Topic Is Chosen.

University of Oregon, Eugene.—With Superintendent A. M. Sanders, of Albany, president, and Professor E. E. Decou, of the mathematical department of the University of Oregon, secretary, the Oregon High School Debating League starts on a prosperous year. The league now contains practically every four-year high school in the state.

Albany.—One of the biggest shipments of sheep ever made from the Willamette valley was loaded at the Albany depot. Approximately 2500 sheep were loaded, and the shipment filled 24 single-deck cars. A special train will carry the sheep to Portland. The animals were collected in Linn and Benton counties by W. D. Brown, of Corvallis.

Large Land Tract Sold.

Oregon City.—H. A. and J. L. Kruse have sold 140 acres of land near Willamette to George McBride, a son of Supreme Court Justice McBride, who will plant the property into five-acre tracts. The price was \$125 per acre.

WORK ON CEMENT PLANT.

Big Enterprise at Oswego Will Soon Be Under Way.

Portland.—Advices have just reached Portland from S. B. Newberry, the eminent cement expert, that samples of raw material from which the Portland Cement company will manufacture cement at its plant at Oswego have stood a tensile strength of 630 pounds when only seven days old. At the age of 28 days, the same product has tested 780 pounds. An inch cube briquette, consisting of one-fourth cement and three-fourths sand, tested 280 pounds in seven days, and 392 pounds in four weeks. These tests are regarded remarkable, from the fact that no cement in the world, not excepting the foreign manufactured product, will excel this record. The same samples also withstood the steam boiling test, which is the most severe test that can be made.

The Portland Cement company, which consists of Portland, Salt Lake, Ogden and Los Angeles capitalists, next month will begin the construction of its 1500-barrel plant at Oswego. It is expected that the plant will be completed and in operation in about fifteen months. Its cost, completed, will be approximately \$1,000,000.

Bank Issues Paper Money.

Eugene.—The First National bank of Eugene will soon put into circulation \$33,000 worth of its bank notes in \$5 denomination. On account of the influx of Eastern people here, who have been in the habit of handling paper money, and who prefer it to the gold, the bank has planned to meet the demand. The exchange requires the signature of T. G. Hendricks, president, and P. E. Snodgrass, cashier of the bank, to each note, and the bankers are now busy with the 6800 signatures that they must make before the notes can be put into circulation.

Bourne Promises Aid.

Oregon City.—United States Senator Jonathan Bourne was the guest here of the Commercial club at a smoker that was attended by all the prominent business and professional men of the city. The affair was very informal. Senator Bourne promised to do what he could to bring about desired improvements, such as the removal of the rapids at the mouth of Clackamas river and the construction of a federal building at Oregon City.

Y. M. C. A. Forms in High School.

Eugene.—A Young Men's Christian Association has been organized at the Eugene high school. The officers of the new organization are: Francis Moran, president; Harold Young, vice-president; Ernest Scott, secretary; Charles Hard, treasurer; Ernest Armstrong, editor.

National Bank for Bend.

Washington.—The application of J. W. Roberts, of Pierre, S. D.; H. L. Houston, A. McNair, O. A. Trowbridge, E. E. Oakes and F. E. Stearns to organize the First National bank of Bend, Or., with \$25,000 capital, has been approved by the controller of the currency.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat.—Track prices: Bluestem, 95c; club, 89c; red Russian, 87c; valley, 91c; 81c; 89c; Turkey red, 89c; forty-fold, 92c.

Harley—Feed, \$26.50; brewing, \$27.50 @28 per ton.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$27.50 @28 per ton.

Corn—Whole, \$35; cracked, \$36 per ton.

Hay—Timothy, Willamette valley, \$14 @17 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$18 @19; alfalfa, \$14; clover, \$14; chest, \$13 @14.50; grain hay, \$14 @15.

Butter—City creamery, extra, 86c; fancy outside creamery, 33 @34c per pound; store, 22 1/2 @24c. (Butter pat prices average 1 1/2c per pound under regular butter prices.)

Eggs—Oregon, 35 @36c per dozen; Eastern, 28 @30c per dozen.

Poultry—Hens, 14 @14 1/2c; springs, 14c; roosters, 9 @10c; ducks, 15 @16c; geese, 9 @10c; turkeys, 17 @18c; squabs, \$1.75 @2 per dozen.

Pork—Fancy, 8 1/2 @9c per pound.

Veal—Extra, 10 @10 1/2c per pound.

Fresh Fruits—Apples, new, \$1.25 @1.50 per box; pears, \$1 @1.75 per box; peaches, 75c @1 per crate; cantaloupes, \$1 @1.50 per crate; watermelons, 1c per pound; grapes, 75c @1.10 per crate, 10 @11c per basket; cranberries, \$1.25 @1.50 per dozen; quinces, \$1 @1.25 per box; cranberries, \$9 per barrel; huckleberries, 9 @10c per pound.

Potatoes—Buying prices: Oregon, 60 @65c per sack; sweet potatoes, 2c per pound.

Sack Vegetables—Turnips, 75c @81c per sack; carrots, \$1; beets, \$1.25; rutabagas, \$1.25 per sack.

Onions—New, \$1.25 per sack.

Vegetables—Cabbage, 1 @1 1/4c per pound; cauliflower, 50c @1 per dozen; celery, 60 @75c per dozen; corn, \$1 @1.25 per dozen; eggplant, \$1.25 per box; garlic, 10c per pound; horseradish, 9c @10c per dozen; peppers, 5 @6c per pound; pumpkins, 1 @1 1/2c; radishes, 5c per dozen; sprouts, 8 @9c per pound; squash, 1 1/2 @1 1/4c; tomatoes, 50 @60c.

Cattle—Steers, top quality, \$4.25 @4.35; fair to good, \$4; common, \$3.50 @3.75; cows, top, \$3.25 @3.35; fair to good, \$3 @3.10; common to medium, \$2.50 @2.75; calves, top, \$3 @3.25; heavy, \$3.50 @4; bulls, \$2 @2.25; stags, \$2 @2.50.

Hogs—Best, \$7.25 @8; fair to good, \$7.50 @7.75; stockers, \$6 @7; China fats, \$7.50 @8.

Sheep—Top wethers, \$4 @4.25; fair to good, \$3.50 @3.75; ewes, less on all grades; yearlings, best, \$4 @4.25; fair to good, \$3.50 @3.75; spring lambs, \$3 @3.50.

Wool—1909 Willamette valley, 20 @24c; Eastern Oregon, 20 @23c; mohair, 1909, 23 @24c.

GREAT FAIR IS CLOSED.

Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition Ends With Many Ceremonies.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 18.—At midnight Saturday the 100,000 electric lights of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition were extinguished, closing the prosperous life of the world's fair of 1909, which, from every standpoint, was more successful than its most zealous friends had dared to hope.

The final moments of the fair were as dramatic as its beginning on June 1, when 40,000 people gathered at the natural amphitheater and waited for President Taft's signal. The last day had been devoted to saying good-bye. The sun shone bright, the flowers were never more beautiful, and the whole exposition looked as new and fresh as on the day of the opening.

The attendance was large, and, while the carnival spirit possessed the young, there was sorrow for the passing of the brilliant show.

The exercises of the closing hours began at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon with a display of Japanese fireworks. The exposition band paraded from building to building, serenading each.

The United States Government building was reached at 5:30 o'clock, its daily closing hour. A coronet sounded "taps" and the band played "Auld Lang Syne." The flag was hauled down, the life-saving crew on Lake Union fired 21 guns, and the buildings' doors were locked.

At night a great throng of people assembled at the natural amphitheater, beside Lake Washington, and listened to a classical concert by a band which played waltzes for the frivolous and Chopin's funeral march and other somber pieces for the sorrowing. At 11:30 o'clock the exposition officials and employees marched from the Administration building to the amphitheater to await the stroke of midnight.

On the stage, Josiah Collins, chairman of the committee on ceremonies, presided, and spoke briefly. President J. E. Chillberg made an address of thanks and farewell, and exactly at 12 o'clock opened a switch that darkened the whole fair. A single bugler blew "taps," and then in darkness, but for the stars overhead, the vast audience sang "Auld Lang Syne," accompanied by the band. The street lamps were lighted and the people went home.

On the Pay Streak the celebration was noisy, but orderly, and closed with fireworks, the last pieces being "Good Night," "Good-Bye."

FERRER WAS ONLY AN EDUCATOR.

Sought Revolution Only in Education, Say His Friends.

London, Oct. 18.—"Francisco Ferrer was my personal friend," said W. Teherkesoff, Russian liberal and newspaper writer, today. "He was the modern Pestalozzi of Spain. He was ardent with enthusiasm, yet regular and a hard worker. This was the secret of his success in creating in Spain, especially in Barcelona and Catalonia, a great popular movement for free national day schools.

"I first met him and his beautiful young wife four years ago at Brussels, in the home of the great geographer, Elisee Reclus. Professor Ferrer then said:

"It is evident that I shall not be allowed to conduct our national schools in Spain, but here in Brussels or in Paris I shall continue my pedagogic work. Capable and devoted friends will take my place in Spain."

"Professor Ferrer hastened back to Spain, owing to illness there of a little niece."

MAN IS TOSSED BY RHINO.

Adventure of Roosevelt's Porter—Much Big Game Killed.

Nairobi, B. E. A., Oct. 17.—The Roosevelt party arrived here this afternoon from the north of Guaso Nyiro. All are well. A porter accompanying the party was tossed by a rhinoceros, but he is recovering.

Colonel Roosevelt has killed three more elephants completing the group intended for the Smithsonian Institution at Washington. He has also killed a bull elephant for the American Museum of Natural History, in New York.

Other game bagged included a rhinoceros with excellent horns, a buffalo, a giraffe, an eland, a zebra, an ostrich and an oryx.

Some skins have been preserved for the Washington museum. Kermit Roosevelt killed two elephants and an exceptionally large rhinoceros.

Barrie Offers Sacrifice.

London, Oct. 18.—J. M. Barrie, novelist and playwright, did not enter suit for divorce, it is now asserted by his friends, until Gilbert Cannan, whom he named as co-respondent, took a solemn pledge to marry Mrs. Barrie after the decree had been granted. Moreover, as Cannan is not well provided with money, Barrie made a handsome settlement on his wife before he filed his petition for separation, making her financially independent. Throughout the whole affair Barrie acted with the greatest generosity although he was grievously afflicted.

Presidents Meet.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 18.—The long-expected meeting between President Taft and President Diaz, of the Republic of Mexico, occurred here today. Outwardly it was attended with a display of soldiery, a flare of trumpets, a boom of cannons and a pomp of ceremony suggesting supreme authority, but in the actual handling of the two executives and in the exchange of courteous words that passed from lip to lip there was simple but cordial informality.

Storm's Fatalities Grow.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 18.—The total death list of the destructive wind storm of Thursday was increased today by the belated reports to 46. Eleven more dead were discovered.

STORM KILLS FIFTY

Sweeps Over Four States, Wrecks Many Towns.

HISTORIC BATTLEFIELD VISITED

Fire Completes Work of Devastation in One Town—Millions Loss—Hundreds Homeless

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 18.—At least 37 persons were killed in the storm that swept portions of Tennessee, Alabama, Arkansas and South Carolina yesterday. From reports received tonight, the death list likely will reach 50. The property loss is estimated at \$1,000,000.

The devastation was widespread, whole towns being razed.

An unconfirmed report has 13 dead at Stauntonville, Tenn.

The situation at Denmark, Tenn., was greatly aggravated by fire, which consumed the few dwellings and storehouses left standing after the storm. Two hundred homeless people have applied for aid.

McNairy county reports heavy damage. The famous battlefield of Shiloh is located here. It was directly in the path of the storm. Many statues in the national park were torn from their pedestals, and the property damage is estimated at \$100,000.

At Russellville, Ala., it is reported that four were seriously injured. Property damage of at least \$50,000 is estimated at Cartersville, Ga., while that at Atlanta will run between \$70,000 and \$100,000.

At Buford station the Louisville & Nashville depot and freight house were destroyed, and several other structures badly damaged.

Near Mulberry the dwelling