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## SULZER IS ON TRIAL TODAY

New York Governor Represented by Imposing Array of Counsel.

## HIS ATTORNEYS OBJECT TO JURISDICTION OF COURT

If He Wins First Point He May Resign and Submit Case to People Next Election.

(By United Press Association) Albany, N. Y., Sep. 18.—Called to order this morning at 11:55 by Senator Wagner, Governor Sulzer of New York was today placed on trial before the court of impeachment. The governor was represented this morning by an imposing array of counsel but did not appear in person in the senate chamber.

But little business beyond the work of swearing in its members was done this morning and the court adjourned at 12:55. Fifty-seven members of the court, not counting the absentees were present, including the members of the court of appeals.

## ROOSEVELT NOT ASKED TO SERVE AS AMBASSADOR

Published Report That He Will Act As Special Envoy Denied by Secretary.

(By United Press Association) New York, Sep. 18.—A flat denial of the reports published to the effect that President Wilson and Secretary of State Wm. J. Bryan have asked Ex-President Roosevelt to serve as a special ambassador for the purpose of persuading Great Britain and Germany to reconsider their determination not to participate in the Panama exposition, was voiced today by Colonel Roosevelt's private secretary.

## MISS LEECH IS BRIDE OF HOOD RIVER MAN

In the presence of immediate relatives, Miss Helen Leech, second daughter of Rev. D. H. Leech, and Russell A. McCully, of Hood River, were united in marriage at the parsonage of the Methodist church last evening at eight o'clock. Rev. Leech performed the ceremony.

Afterwards an excellent supper was served the newlyweds and their relatives at the Hotel Hammel. The dining room was prettily decorated for the occasion.

Later the couple were driven in an automobile to Salem where they will visit with friends for a few days. They will visit at various other points before going to Hood River, where they will be at home to their friends after October first at Nestledyn fruit ranch near that place. Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Oregon Agricultural College. The former graduated in 1907 and the latter in 1909.

## HOME COMING DAY WILL BE OBSERVED HERE

Will Be Honored Next Sunday at First Christian Church by Special Service.

Next Sunday Sept. 21st, will be observed as Home Coming day in the First Christian church. It is expected that most of the members and friends will be back at home by that time. A special nine weeks revival campaign will be launched, during which a record of attendance of members and friends upon the Sunday and mid-week services will be kept. Each one is provided with a record card for that purpose.

Literature dealing with various phases of the church work has been prepared and is being put in the hands of the congregation. A special sermon appropriate to the occasion will be preached by the pastor next Sunday and the choir will furnish some special numbers of music. A number of social functions are being planned to help in creating an interest. This campaign is projected with the hope that it will be a good beginning for a successful year's work.

## CITY NEWS

Married By County Judge.—Yesterday afternoon Melvin O. Arnold, age 20, of Scio, and Ida L. Funk, age 20 of Scio, were united in marriage by County Judge McKnight. Following the ceremony the couple departed by rig to Scio, and will make their home on a farm near that place.

Large Tomato.—A tomato measuring 15 inches in circumference was left at the commercial club this morning. The product is considered a freak judging from its enormous size.

Weather and River Fair.—The range of temperature yesterday was 87 to 45 degrees. The river this morning is 11 feet, being 2 of a foot lower than yesterday.

Club to Meet Saturday.—The first session of the season of the Modern Travelers club, a matrons literary organization, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. H. Stewart on West Sixth street. All of the members are urged to be present.

Cuts Hand With Ax.—While chopping wood yesterday at his home, President Crooks of Albany College, severely cut his left hand. Several stitches were taken in the gash and today he is wearing his arm in a sling.

Left for Iowa.—Leaving this noon, John Robison, is on his way to Iowa where he will visit at his old home, renew acquaintances and meet relatives he has not seen in many years. He will be gone for several weeks.

Scio Repair Car Here.—Oregon & California scale repair car M. W. 1070 is in the Southern Pacific railroad yards, having arrived here last night from the south. It is enroute from California points to points in Washington state.

Scio College Lot.—Closing a deal this afternoon Fred P. Nutting sold to W. D. Mixer, an Albany College alumni, a lot at the corner of Ferry and Tenth street. Mr. Mixer intends to erect a handsome home soon.

Lyon Street Closed.—Lyon street opposite the new K. of P. temple is badly torn up as the result of work on the car track and the construction of a sewer from the new building to the main line. The street is closed as a result. Workmen this morning began laying new ties under the car tracks.

Date is Changed.—Owing to the Knight Templar convalescence which is to be held in Albany, the proposed excursion of Albanyites to the Scio fair as launched by the Commercial club, has been changed from Thursday to Friday. The dates of the two events conflicted. The fair association has been notified of the change and obligingly offered to lay their plans accordingly.

Wallowa County Clerk Here.—County Clerk Charles Bilyeu of Wallowa county, stopped off here this noon enroute home after attending the conference of county clerks in Portland, to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bilyeu. Mr. Bilyeu is a former Albany man and is well known here.

Meeting Postponed.—Owing to the small attendance, the meeting of the Riverside Cemetery Association, which was called for last night at the Commercial club, was postponed until next Tuesday night at the club at 8 o'clock. Members of the association who were present last night expressed surprise that such little interest was displayed in the enterprise by the lack of attendance.

Marks Returns.—County Clerk W. L. Marks returned yesterday from Portland, where he has been since Monday attending the conference of county clerks with State Insurance Commissioner Ferguson, relative to the proposed new accounting system for the various committees of the state. Mr. Marks stated that a county clerks association was organized at the closing banquet last night.

## CHICAGO DETECTIVE UNDER ARREST

Charles Furthman Who Secured Evidence Against Arson Trust, to Face Trial.

## ASSERTS THAT HE IS VICTIM OF FRAMEUP

Claimed He Robbed Safe and Extracted Confession; Copies Sold to Defendant.

(By United Press Association) Chicago, Sep. 18.—Startling charges were today made against Charles F. Furthman, an investigator of the state attorney's office and the one man credited with ferreting out members of the so-called arson trust, which resulted in his arrest, upon the charge of selling the prosecution secrets. Furthman alleges that he is the victim of a frame up, but is unable to account for \$250 in marked bills in his possession.

## OREGON ELECTRIC GIVES HANDSOME SILVER CUP

Will Go to Owner of Best Individual Farm Exhibit at Linn County Fair.

Portland, Or., Sep. 18.—(Special to Democrat.)—The prize list of the Linn county fair, which opens next Wednesday the 24th, has been increased by the addition of a handsome sterling silver cup which is put up by the Oregon Electric railway system. This will be given for the best individual farm exhibit, comprehending quality and quantity, or variety of marketable commodities.

## P. E. & E. GIVEN NOTICE TO CHANGE STREET CAR

Certified Copy of Ordinance Served Upon L. E. Moe Yesterday by King.

Thirty days from yesterday another car, one that is in "first class condition or order" will be plying between the Southern Pacific depot to the west end of Ferry street, in place of the present street car.

At least this is demanded in an ordinance passed by the city council at its last meeting and it calls for a car equipped with an airbrake.

## LABOR TROUBLES HAUNT LONDON

Motorbus Employees Walk Out Today and 10,000 More Threaten to Leave Posts.

## SITUATION IN OTHER CITIES IS SERIOUS

General Strike of All Transport Workers Is Feared As Result of Unrest.

(By United Press Association) London, Sep. 18.—Because they were forbidden to wear union buttons, all employees of the Tilling Motorbus company today walked out and the union officials notified all other companies that all union men, numbering 10,000 will walk out tomorrow unless the Tilling company yields to the demands of the strikers.

The strike situation in London and in other portions of Great Britain is serious. The transport workers in Dublin are out and the situation is critical at Liverpool. Riots in other large cities are reported and it is feared that the outcome of the present difficulty will be a general strike among all transport workers in the country. The unions in London have issued their ultimatum to the motorbus companies and decline to compromise. It is probable that all union men employed by the bus companies will be out tomorrow morning.

## AUSTIN THRESHING OUTFIT COMPLETED SEASON TODAY

Made Run of 21 Days and Averaged Approximately 2000 Bushels Per Day.

After a run of over 21 days, averaging approximately 2,000 bushels per day, the threshing outfit belonging to Anthony Austin, completed the season this morning shortly after 8 o'clock.

The machines were brought here this morning and will undergo a cleaning before being stored away for the winter.

## LOCAL ACTORS DISPLAY INTEREST IN "THE WOLF"

McNaughton Brothers Promise Revelation in Staging Play with Home Players.

Local theater goers will see on Wednesday, September 24th the swift moving tale of love and adventure of Eugene Walter's, "The Wolf" which will be staged at the Bligh under the auspices of the Loyd Order of Moose, under the direction of McNaughton Bros., professional show producers, assisted by local talent through the various humorous and dramatic scenes of life in the Canadian wilderness.

A special orchestra double specialties between acts, and beautiful scenic effects are being arranged for and the Moose will spare no expense to make this the banner attraction of the season.

## HOGAN AND SCOTT RETURN FROM BIG DEER HUNT

Brought Back Four "Green" Deer and Compliment Their Many Friends with Steaks.

Tanned by wind and sun and with a two weeks' growth of beard on his face, "Bill" Hogan, returned last night from a deer hunting trip in the mountains 15 miles back of Riddle. Hogan was accompanied by J. H. Scott, Walt Winkler and F. P. Baltimore. Scott and Hogan were joined by the latter two just prior to closing the hunt. They brought back four "green" deer and this morning were distributing choice steaks among their friends. The Democrat force appreciates a fine steak as a token from Hogan.

When the party left here two weeks ago it included Hogan, Scott, M. McAlphin, W. A. Cox and C. H. Peterson, of Portland. All but Scott and Hogan deserted the original party and returned home for one thing and another. McAlphin was taken down with rheumatism, and Cox and Peterson had business awaiting their attention. However they stayed with the expedition long enough to see eight deer brought down by various members of the party. Enjoying the outing to the fullest extent of the meaning, Hogan and Scott stayed in the mountains until yesterday and even they were reluctant to return.

## CITY NEWS

Charged With Hunting Out of Season.—Charged with hunting quail in Linn county out of season, George Black, was arrested by Constable John Catlin yesterday at a prune dryer on the Corvallis road upon complaint of Deputy Game Warden Bremner. Black was brought here, arraigned in the justice court and bled out of court. The case was set for trial October 4.

Expected Home Today.—P. A. Young, Paul Wire, and John French are expected home today. They have been hunting deer in Southern Oregon for the past ten days and from word received here during the week have had much success.

Services Held Sunday.—Morning services will be held in St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday commencing at 11 o'clock. Archdeacon Chambers will conduct the services. All are cordially invited to attend.

Make Home in Corvallis.—Leaving this morning, J. C. Gardner and daughter Miss Bernice went to Corvallis to make their home. Wilfred Gardner, a son of Mr. Gardner, has accepted a position there with a clothing store as window trimmer and this is the reason the Gardners have moved there in order to be together.

Marriage License Issued.—County Clerk Marks issued a marriage license yesterday afternoon to Edmund E. Paine, age 22, Lacombe, and Effie M. Powell, age 17, of Lebanon.

Tallest Woman to Register.—Miss Evelyn Hinkley, the efficient and affable stenographer of the Commercial club, has the distinction of being the tallest woman in Linn county to register as a voter and is perhaps numbered among the youngest, her age being given as 21 and her height being 5 feet 9 1/2 inches. Miss Hinkley registered at the county clerk's office yesterday afternoon.

Leave for Newport.—Leaving this afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fisher, went to Newport where they will spend a few days outing.

Attend Medical Convention.—Leaving yesterday Dr. W. H. Davis of Albany and two Lebanon physicians, Drs. Booth and Ross, went to Medford where they will attend the state Oregon Medical Association convention.

Returns from Long Commercial Trip.—Returning last night, Knox Haight, a commercial traveler for the Springfield Implement company, is home after a several months' trip throughout the middle west, from Mexico to Canada. Mr. Haight made a trip through Mexico. He reports he is glad to be back, where "you have rain" but never failing crops.

Skating Rink Open.—The skating rink on First and Baker is now open. The management promises to maintain the best of order and conduct a first class place.

W. C. T. U. Elect Officers.—Meeting yesterday afternoon, members of the local W. C. T. U. held the annual session and elected officers for the ensuing year. A large number attended. Reports of officers for the year showed a remarkable record for the organization.

Sustains Fall on Sidewalk.—Caught her foot in a hole in the sidewalk on Lynn street near Third street, Mrs. John McChesney, fell and sustained minor bruises. Mrs. McChesney was on her way home accompanied by Mr. McChesney, when the accident occurred. Her injuries are not serious.

## CURRENCY BILL PASSED HOUSE

Administration Measure Gets Big Republican Vote and Support of Progressives.

## BILL PASSES LOWER HOUSE BY MAJORITY OF 202

All Amendments Are Promptly Voted Down After a Short Debate.

Vote on Currency Bill.  
For ..... 286  
Against ..... 82  
Majority ..... 202

(By United Press Association) Washington, Sep. 18.—By a vote of 286 for, and 84 against, the administration currency bill today passed the house of representatives. Many Republicans and all of the progressive members of the house supported the bill.

Prior to its final passage the opposition submitted a large number of amendments, all of which were promptly rejected by the majority members.

The vote on the currency measure was a surprise to many of those who have been in close touch with the financial legislation at Washington. While at no time since the opening of the present session of congress has there been any doubt but what the Democratic members would remain firm in supporting the administration bill, it was expected that the opposition would muster a much larger vote against the measure.

Miss Mary Smith returned this noon from Jefferson where she has been the guest of friends.

Miss Hazel Baker, of Corvallis, is the guest of friends in the city.

Guy Harvey, of Grants Pass, transacted business here this morning.

J. S. Daring of Portland is registered at the St. Francis.

J. B. Eddy, a business man of Portland, transacted business here today.

Victor Leweaux and sister returned this noon from San Francisco.

## FOLK APPOINTED SOLICITOR OF STATE DEPARTMENT

Clay Allen of Seattle Lands Position of United States District Attorney.

(By United Press Association) Washington, D. C., Sep. 18.—That Governor Folk of Missouri will be appointed as solicitor of the state department was the statement given out in official circles here this morning.

It is understood the nomination will be sent to the senate this afternoon or tomorrow morning. Governor Folk was a candidate for president last year but the electoral vote of Missouri went to Speaker Champ Clark under an agreement among the Democrats of his native state. He has always been identified with the progressive wing of his party and has for years been a close personal friend of Secretary of State Wm. J. Bryan.

Governor Folk Nominated.—Washington, D. C., Sep. 18.—The following nominations were today sent to the senate. Former Governor Folk of Missouri, for solicitor of the state department and Clay Allen, of Seattle, as federal district attorney for the western Washington district.

## ALBANY LADS TO EXHIBIT PRODUCTS AT SCHOOL FAIR

Several splendid ears of yellow field corn, two huge white turnips, four succulent sugar beets and one large sweetpotato, form entries to the school industrial fair of the Linn County Fair which is to be held at Scio, of two Albany lads.

The corn and turnips were furnished by Melvin Cook, son of William M. Cook, and the beets and sweetpotatoes were furnished by Leland Allen, son of Owen K. Allen.