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Final Effort to Heal Breach in Re- Schedule Adopted Which Will Yield publican Party Fails-Progressives Decide to Stay Away-Postal Savings Bank Bill to Be Considered-Canon One of Issues of Campaign

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25. Tonight's caucus which was expected to include all the Republicans in the house to consider the postal savings bank bill, gives evidence today that it will turn out to be only a regular who were invited to attend and at tion, will not be present. A few days ago some of the insurgents announced that they would not go to the caacus. Today it is declared that none of the progressives will be on hand, The purpose of the caucus, it is x125, \$1.75 a month minimum. learned today, is to consider the postal savings bank bill.

If Cannon can be saved until the end of the present session of congress he will be an issue in the coming congressional campaign. That is one cent a foot additional will be the way a member of the house today charged. sized up the political situation.

It has become an open secret here make Cannon one of the issues in the ent coming campaign. It will not be a new experience for the speaker, as he has been the issue in former cam- each bed 10 cents; for first bath, 75 Lake road, having arrived. paigns, but there will be some new angles that are making the Republi- totlets, 50c. can house regulars decidedly uncom-

Headed by Governor, Entire Legislature Goes in Eleven Pullmar Coaches to Secure Panama Exposition Appropriation.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 25. Headed by Governor Sanders and dozen other state officials, the Louisiana legislature is booming toward Washington today in a special train to make fight for New Orleans ar the site for the proposed exposition to celebrate the completion of the Panama canal. The legislative delegation occupies 11 Pullman coaches.

A committee of the delegation will lay New Orleans' claims before various congressional committees. The complete affirmative of Kelly's views. other legislators will lobby for their plan's success.

MODERATE ACTIVITY NEW YORK MARKET

was one of the features of the marmade a two-point gain a little later take them out? Sur-r-r-e! in the morning, while a number of levels were below yesterday's clos- thing like this: ing. anadian Pacific dropped half of its two-point gain, while Chicago under your hat, or it's curtains for a farmer, Great Western, American Steel Foun- me. Mose Barkdull has just got back dries and International Harvester with 150 four-pound trout caught slumped. In the late morning trading in two days in Lake creek-whisper prices were varied, some declines and it softly-Lake creek. I've been some advances being noted. There there, and it's right-see? Now keep was little trading toward noon, the mum, for if the rabble around here market being sluggish. Later there get on, the sport will be gone. You was slight reaction. Bonds were just follow your uncle and he'll wise

The market closed steady.

Greater Revenue and Help Pay Interest on Bonds-Minimum for Six Room Dwellings Placed at \$1.50 a Month-Sliding Scale for Hotels.

The city council at a special meeting held Tuesday evening adopted bodying the schedule as prepared by the committee. It is estimated that Republican caucus. The insurgents this will increase the present income by 100 per cent, as it will pay the city first considered accepting the invita- a revenue of some \$2000 a month. The schedule as adopted is as fol-

> For six-room dwellings, on lots 59 x125, \$1.50 a month minimum. For 6-9-room dwellings on lots 50

For 9-12-room dwellings on lots

50x125, \$2 a month minimum. Over 12 room dwellings on lots 50x125, \$2.50 a month minimum. On all lots w'th over 50-foot front

Garages will pay from \$5 to \$10 a month, the amount being left to the that the insurgents are planning to discretion of the water superintend-

> Hotels and lodging houses have a sliding scale with a \$3 minimum. For Sunday for the benefit of the Crater cents; additional baths, 50c each;

Livery stables will pay from \$5

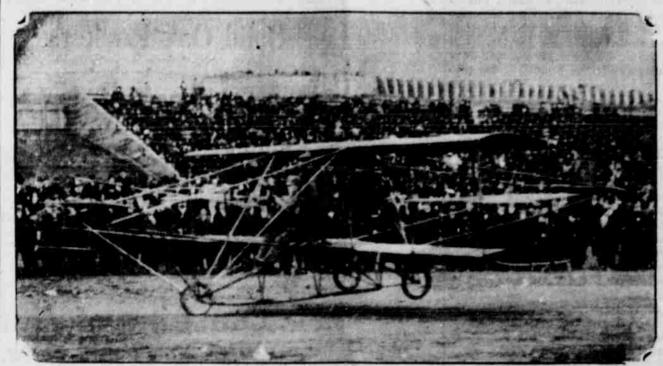
mission of an amendment to the char- however, has now been eradicated and Medford club called upon the city to charge every piece of property past be experienced here. Mr. Ely will which a water main is laid with a announce his hours later. water rent, whether the property is vacant or not.

Hereafter all water rent will be charged to the property and not to the individual.

ASSESSMENT ORDINANCES

of assessment for water mains on brain, homicidally inflicted, and the Salesmen-who might be secured Genesee, Washington, Bennett and evidence points to George Figueroa to push your proposition-are all ad Howard streets.

Views of Curtis Aeroplane to Fly in Medford Friday, Saturday and Sunday For Benefit of Crater Highway



NOW HERE

First Airships to Be Seen in Southern Oregon Arrive for Flight Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

At last Medford has in the city a genuine aeroplane, the flying machine of Paul Ely, who is to give demonstration flights Friday, Saturday and

The machine came crated in three huge boxes. Mr. Ely will soon un-Restaurants will pay from \$3 to pack the animal and prepare for the flights at the end of the week,

The young "man bird" had some The council is considering the sub- owing to trouble with his motor. This, A delegation from the Greater ter which will give them the power it is believed that no difficulty will

FIGUEROA ACCUSED

SANTA MONICA, Cal., May 25 .-George Figueroa is in jail today. The council took the first step to charged with the murder of his girl the matter when they adopted a reso-ARE PASSED BY COUNCIL wife. Figueroa's arrest followed the lution instructing the city attorney to verdict of a coroner's jury, which draw up a resolution ordering an The city council Tuesday evening stated that the girl "came to her election. passed ordinances declaring the cost death by a gunshot wound in the as the guilty party.

FOR PARK BONDS

council Tuesday evening and succeeded in getting the conneil to agree to call a special election for the ourpose of voting bonds for park purposes. The ladies stated that if the OF SLAYING SPOUSE bonds were issued in small denominations that they would see that they were sold.

Contract for Right of Way Signed -Contractors Notified to Begin Work at Once.

Reames, attorney for M. F. Hanley, in payment for a right of way across the Hanley premises on Little Butte creek, in accordance with the agreement reached Saturday by William Hanley and Mayor Canon settling the water question. The warrant was accepted and the contract signed.

The city has given orders to Vincent & Baker to resume work at once. Already they have a portion of their outfit ready to take the field and work will be started immediately and will be completed within 60 days.

CHARGES FILED AGAINST

disprove the charges which have been ment. filed against him. He characterized the charges as the work of "charac-Two other instances enlivened the ter snatchers, blackmailers and When the first gray streaks of day. One was when Dudley caught grave-robbers, who have been after

The charges made against him are or the hook off the fish, and the oth- drunkenness, gross immorality, inhim out. In order to do the thing Lake creek. In the party were Ha- er was when Hafer made the big catch competency, malfeasance, failure to right, he touted Jeff to these friends fer's two friends from 'Frisco, Jeff of the day-it was his first fish- obey his superior officers and con-NEW YORK, May 25.—Canadian as a mighty angler—the one best Heard, Judge Kelly, Howard S. Dud- and it fought so valiantly that Ha- duct unbecoming an officer and a A. H. Carson, horticultural commis- off a limb diseased with the blight, fer lost his focting and went out of gentleman. A young attorney named sioner of this district, to see that that before cutting off another limb Schoeneman is sponsor for them.

THREE INJURED WHEN AUTO HITS FREIGHT TRAIN

ably fatally.

ear with Cummings.

injured. She may die. painfully hurt.

By the overwhelming vote of 78 and Water Question Finally Settled to 1, Medford voted to annex the territory southwest of the city at the

vote follows: Ward-First 23 The city Wednesday morning ten- Second 33 Outside 10 Totals 78

> The territory thus voted in gives Medford 60 additional acres within command of the situation. the city limits. It is estimated that of 100 persons.

CHIFTEN CONVICTED OF

SAN JOSE, Cal., May 25 .- Following his conviction for having killed sured that they will be protected. Watchman George Whybark of Santa Commander Gilmer is firm in his Clara, Charles Chiften, who confess- stand that the government troops ed to many crimes, today is awating must not enter the city, and a clash CLEVELAND'S POLICE CHIEF removal to the state penitentiary.

Finally they reached that mecca of CLEVELAND, O., May 25 .- Chief returned by the jury late last night, by. try-Dudley Lands a Whale and the "wise ones"-that stream abound- of Police Fred Kohler today declar- murder in the first degree, with a ing in great shimmering speckled ed he would put up a hard fight to recommendation for life imprison-

INEVITABLE; DESPERATE BATTLE NOW RAGING

Estrada, the Revolutionary Leader of Nicaragua, Driven to the Last Ditch and Endeavoring to Prevent Capture of Customs House-Roar of Battle Distinctly Heard at Bluefields and Foreigners Take Refuge at Consulates-Gunners' Duel in Progress Now for Two Days-Gunboat Paducah Really in Command of Situation."

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, May 25, overlooking Bluefields. This position

-(By wireless to Colon.)-Juan J. is considered the key to the city. A Estrada, revolutionary leader, driven gunner's duel began yesterday and to the last ditch is fighting desper- continued throughout the night, is ately to day to prevent the capture still in progress, while the soldiers of the custom house on the bluffs of Madriz today have m. de charge after charge on the Estrada soldiers.

Should Madriz force Estrada's surrender he will call on Commander Gilmer of the United States gunboat Paducah to enter the city. If permission is refused, Madriz probably will attempt to enter Bluefields by

Bluefields to Fall.

The fall of Bluefields seems inevtable. The Madriz forces are fighting desperately, and although their charges against the first division of Estrada's army have been repulsed, they are rallying for another attack, and reinforcements are being hurried up to add weight to the next onslaught.

Five hundred men landed last night by the gunboat Venus on the bluffs below Bluefields are today bombarding the custom house and raking Estrada's forces with a heavy fire from light field guns.

Americans operating machine guns are the main reliance of the Estrada forces. The deadly fire from the machine guns has turned many of the

The roar of the battle can be plainly heard in Bluefields today, and terrorstriken women and children are runspecial election held Tuesday. The ning through the streets. Many foreigners have gone to their consulates For. Against, for protection and the consuls are 0 ready to serve notice on Madris 0 should his forces finally reach the 1 city that they must be protected and 0 that any violation of neutrality will be considered as a warlike move by 1 the nations they represent.

The gunboat Paducah is really in

With marines landed in the city the population is n the neighborhood and the guns of the gunboat commanding the harbor it is held that the Paducah will be the only power that can maintain order and prevent the FIRST DEGREE MURDER pillage of Bluefields if the Madriz forces win.

American residents have been asbetween the marines and the advance The verdict against Chiften was guard of Madriz' army is not unlike-

> The ads are taking on that "vacation tone," nowadays

Mr. Myers as follows:

Cummings sustained dangerous as follows, to-wit: That I have found ture endorses and orders used. or most any uncommon thing, in- bruises on the body. Case was also your trees diseased with the pear blight germ. That at once you are to

J. W. Myers, county fruit inspec-, cut the same out, and destroy the the state law regarding diseased fruit or diseased wood you must sterilize trees is strictly enforced. He writes the tool used by disinfecting the same with corrosive sublimate at a strength Office of Commissioner Third Dis- of not less than 1 to 1000. Should trict, Murphy (Grants Pass), Oregon, growers whom you may serve this no-PORTLAND, Or., May 25.—Their May 23, 1910.—J. W. Myers, county tice ignore the same, and use some Dudley says Lake creek is so dry automobile struck by a string of fruit inspector, Central Point, Oregon useless compound that does not kill -Dear Sir: It has been reported to the germs of the blight you are insons were injured, one of them prob- methat fruit growers in Jackson coun- structed where the blight still prety that have trees diseased with the vails you are to declare such diseas-The automobile was driven by C. blight are using such uceless com- ed trees a public danger, and a public Harry Cummings and was owned by pounds as Cooper's spraye, carbolic nuisance, and will at once abate said Thomas Case, manager of the Rhein- acid, kerosene, for the purpose of nuisance by cutting down such dis-Kelly says there isn't enough water pfalz hotel. Case, his wife and Mr. sterilizing tools used in cutting off eased trees, and destroy them. Inin Lake creek to form a respectable and Mrs. William Webber were in the the blight. From now on in all cases struct all deputy inspectors in your where you serve notices on growers county to this effect. The law re-Mrs. Case was the most seriously who have trees diseased with the quires growers to only use such remblight, you will specify in such notices edies as the state board of horticul-

A. H. CARSON, Commissioner Third District.

ER FISHED IN LAKE CREEK? ITS GREAT! ASK

three great liars in Medford. One is Jeff Heard and the other two is Mose Barkdull. Edgar S. Hafer voices a

It seems that Hafer, who knows more about Halley's comet than he does about fishing, had two friends come up from 'Frisco on the promise that, and ordered out the buzz wagthat he would show them the finest ons and bait. fly fishing stream in America. When he fell back upon Jeff Heard to help Lake creek-paste it in your hat-Pacific, which gained two points in bet-the real Simon pure article, who ley and E. Z. Hafer. the moderate activity of the opening, knew every rock, every riffle and every fish that ever succeeded in get- headed for Lake creek-mark that but finally landed him. The monster ket today. Consolidated Gas also ting over the Ament dam. Would Jeff down-Lake creek, where the four- of the deep which so nearly took

But before starting on their quest railroads gained fractions. Liberal Jeff got the party over in the most 150?) And all along the road Jeff selling followed the opening and secluded corner of the Nash lobby told of wondrous fishing in this prices went down somewhat until the and in a whisper passed out some- stream in years gone by. The speed- that the rocks in the bottom were freight cars early today, three per-

you up." Of course, they fell for a line like Jeff Heard Guides the Party to the the accelerator." Greatest Fishing Hole in the Coun-Hafer a Whopper.

Onward, ever onward, they spedwere found. (Didn't Mose hook ometer clicked off 20 miles, then 25. cracked. "Say-you fellers-keep this one then 30, then 35. Finally they met

"How much further is it to Lake reek?" asked Jeff.

"Are you going to fish or locate a quartz mine?" parried the farmer. "Fish," answered Jeff.

"In Lake creek?" "Yes."

"Ain't you off?" "No, isn't there an irrigation ditch near Lake creek?"

And on they sped.

beauties, but-

Lake creek was dry!

they arrived, realizing his own short- dawn broke over the eastern sky the a fish so small that he couldn't tell me for years." comings as a disciple of Ike Walton, party got under way—headed for whether to take the fish off the hook sight-this was in Little Buttepound trout so anxious to be caught Edgar down to the sea was just eight and seven-eighths inches long!

Jeff says he is going to kill Mose when he meets him.

The party is wondering today why Jeff didn't use an oak tree-or a rock stead of a rare irrigation ditch.