

CLEARINGS Bank clearings today were \$30,400.86.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

WEATHER Clear tonight.

FORTIETH YEAR.

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AMERICAN GIRL AND BRITISH LORD MARRIED

Miss Vivian Gould is Now Lady Decies—Thousands Crowd Church—Great Squad of Police Keep Them Back—Reception Follows Wedding

FULL EPISCOPAL SERVICE PERFORMED

Value of Presents Estimated at \$100,000—Many Notables Present—Cost of Wedding \$75,000

(By Roy W. Howard.) NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The old story of American wealth and a foreign title meeting at the altar was re-staged today in the marriage of Miss Helen Vivian Gould, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jay Gould, and Lord Decies of England. In St. Bartholomew's church, before an audience that represented American and English aristocracy, this 18-year-old girl and her fiance of 44 years were wedded this afternoon.

Thousands Crowd Church. As is usually the case in the international alliances of such prominence, today's wedding again demonstrated the morbid curiosity of the public, and thousands of persons crowded about old St. Bartholomew's to get a glimpse of the bride and the noble and notables in attendance. The services of several hundred policemen were required to keep the streets clear for the endless string of automobiles that deposited their richly gowned and faultlessly groomed guests at the church doors. Similar scenes were enacted at the Gould home at 867 Fifth avenue, where a reception was held immediately following the ceremony.

Owing to several threatening letters, Lord Decies has received from cranks professing resentment at the disparity between his age and that of his bride, an unusually heavy police guard was provided, and no outsiders were allowed to gather at the door of the church.

Episcopal Service. The full Episcopal service was performed by Bishop Greer, assisted by Rev. Leighton Parks. Ten thousand dollars' worth of flowers had turned the interior of the church into a veritable bower, the scent of enchantment being enhanced by a special musical program, under the direction of Organist Hyde. In addition to the regular choir of St. Bartholomew's there was the boys' choir from the cathedral of St. John the Divine. The soloist for the occasion was Ricardo Martin of the Metropolitan Opera company.

The floral decorations were almost entirely white. The wedding presents were beautiful and costly, their value being estimated at \$100,000. The most expensive gift was that of George Gould, the bride's father—a coronet of a baroness, tipped with nine pear-shaped diamonds, which Lady Decies will wear at the coronation of King George V. In sumptuousness, the wedding rivaled that of the bride's older sister, Marjorie, who at the same altar was married to Anthony J. Drexel, less than two months ago.

The Attendants. Miss Gould's attendants were her little sister, Miss Edith Gould, as maid of honor, her still smaller sister, Miss Gloria Gould, and Miss Diana Dalziel as flower girls, while the bridesmaids were Miss Hope Hamilton, the bride's cousin; Miss Hannah Randolph of Philadelphia, Miss Allison Pierce, Miss Louise Cromwell of Washington, Miss Emily Holmes and Miss Anna Graham. Lord Alastair Graham, a cousin of Lord Decies, was best man. The ushers were the Earl Percy, Lord Camoys, Robert Greer of London, Phoenix Ingraham, Moncre Robinson, Robert E. Russell, Anthony J. Drexel, Jr., and Francis W. Crowninshield. The bride was given away by her father.

Lord Decies Today Won American Girl and Her Tremendous Fortune



NO HOPE FOR MR. SHEEHAN

Insurgent Democrats State That They Will Vote Against Tammany Man "Until He Freezes Over"—Compromise Expected.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Despairing of ever electing William F. Sheehan to the United States senate while twenty-one insurgent democrats stick to their expressed resolution to "vote against Sheehan until Hell freezes over," the Tammany candidate's supporters today are believed to have thrown up the sponge. As soon as the result of the vote showed that the senatorial dead lock was still unbroken, Charles F. Murphy and the other prominent Sheehan men joined in a call for a joint conference of all democratic members of the legislature tomorrow morning, when it is believed, a compromise candidate will be named.

White none of the Sheehan men today would confess defeat, the impression is general that Sheehan's chances of ever wearing the New York toga are slender. Sheehan has only 85 votes, and it requires 101 to elect.

MOVING PICTURES OF SCHENK TRIAL SHOWN

MARTIN'S FERRY, O., Feb. 7.—The moving picture shows have landed the Schenk case. Pictures purporting to be scenes taken in the Wheeling, W. Va., courtroom while Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk was fighting to escape on a charge of having attempted to poison her millionaire husband, John O. Schenk, were exhibited here today, despite threats of prosecution by the Schenk family. Exhibitors of the films say there is no law which can touch their show.

WEATHER MAN RELENTS A LITTLE

Barometer Soars and Clear Weather is Predicted—Temperature on Upward Trend—Southern Oregon Comes Into Her Own.

The weather man has decided to change his predictions at last, and furnish southern Oregon with her usual mild winter weather. Clear tonight and tomorrow is his forecast. The barometer has taken an upward shoot since Monday and it seems that there will be something doing in the sunshine line.

MEDFORD AFTER NEW RAILROAD

Reported That Grants Pass Has Failed to Come Across With Subsidy and That Local People are Preparing to Raise Amount Asked.

On account of the failure of Grants Pass to raise a subsidy to secure the building of a railroad up the Applegate to Williams, which can be extended eventually to Crescent City, Medford citizens are negotiating with the promoters to secure the building of the railroad from here. It is claimed that while the railroad would necessarily be some miles longer, the additional cost could easily be made up locally and sufficient inducements presented the promoters to cause them to change their plans. This would establish Medford as the railroad center of southern Oregon for all time to come and settle the question of its future supremacy.

Grants Pass' Commercial club is endeavoring to raise \$60,000, but it is understood is not meeting the success expected. Their failure will mean Medford's opportunity and the railroad promoters have been requested to submit a proposition.

AEROPLANES FOR USE IN MEXICAN BATTLES

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Feb. 7.—Six aeroplanes, to be used by the Mexican rebels to shell the Federal forces out of impregnable positions on Mountain tops it is reported here will be shipped across the border with a few days. Aviator Smith of Douglas, owner of a Curtiss biplane, is said to have received avertures from both the rebels and the Mexican federalists to join the army. Smith is said to have tentatively agreed to accept the government's offer.

POWER PLANT FOR JOSEPHINE CITY

Eastern Capitalists Acquire Power Sites on Rogue Below Grants Pass and Will Soon Apply for Franchise.

GRANTS PASS, Feb. 7.—Eastern capitalists have acquired power sites on Rogue River below Grants Pass for installation of large power plant. A franchise will be applied for in Grants Pass at the next meeting of the council.

OREGON ASKS TAFT TO CALL EXTRA SESSION

Legislature Passes Resolution Urging President to Call Special Session of Congress for Purpose of Revision in Tariff.

ASTORIA WINS LAST ROUND; GETS \$50,000

Measure Introduced Making March 17 Legal Holiday—Condemnation of Bailey Tabled.

SALEM, Feb. 7.—President Taft was today petitioned by the Oregon legislature to call an extra session of congress for the purpose of revising the tariff "along the lines of true progressive republicanism." The resolution was prepared by Representatives Andrew Jackson Derby of Hood River, democrat, and Senator Fouts, the Multnomah progressive republican. The secretary of state was instructed to wire a copy of the resolution to President Taft.

Astoria won the last round in its fight for state aid today in the house when the bill passed allowing the fishing town \$50,000 for the centennial celebration. Bigelow tried to have the amount cut to \$25,000, but Belland of Clatsop County won over enough votes with his patriotic speech for the pioneer settlement at the mouth of the Columbia. Sixteen members voted against the appropriation.

A bill was introduced this morning in the house of representatives making St. Patrick Day a legal holiday in Oregon. The bill was prepared by leading members of the Irish race in Oregon and was presented by Fouts of Multnomah County. It asks that the seventeenth day of March of each year be set aside as a legal holiday in commemoration of the patron saint of Ireland, and as a tribute to the valor and other virtues of the Irish people who have contributed so much to the development of the state.

The report of the food and dairy committee condemning Food Commissioner Bailey was tabled today in the house. Thompson of Lake County and Huntington of Douglas defended the commissioner and tried hard to have the report referred to the judiciary committee which is made up of friends of the commissioner.

Two bills killed today in the house are: Shaw's measure compelling manufacturers of all foods to mark plainly the net weight on each package and the Peterson bill prohibiting the sale of cold storage meats. Both bills were indefinitely postponed. In the senate the bill abolishing the state conservation commission was passed.

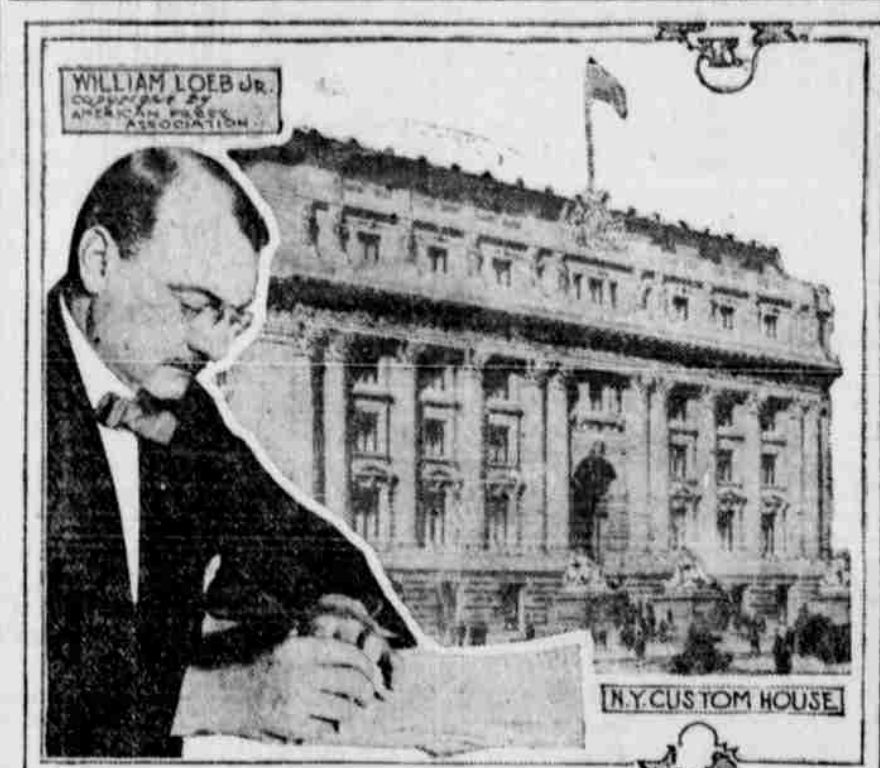
Senator Kelleher's bill revoking the franchise held by the Portland Gas Company was today referred to the Multnomah delegation. The bill will be thrashed out at a committee meeting which will be held for the purpose of looking into all bills that affect Portland.

COLWELL LOSES OUT AS MARSHAL

Chamberlain and Bourne Object to Appointment and Committee on Judiciary Reject Nomination—Was Appointed During Recess.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—Upon the statements of Senators Bourne and Chamberlain that Elmer B. Colwell, who was appointed during the recess of congress to be United States marshal for Oregon, was personally obnoxious to them, the senate committee on judiciary rejected the nomination. Colwell is now serving as marshal. He belongs to the anti-Bourne faction of the republican party in Oregon.

Tobacco Customs Frauds Cost Treasury \$5,000,000 Annually



The latest development of the cleaning out of government grafters from the New York custom house by Collector of the Port William Loeb, Jr., is said to show that the tobacco trade, like that of the sugar manufacturers, has been getting the best of the government for many years. The removal of a dozen employees is expected, including one of the highest officials in the customs department, who may also face an indictment charging criminal conspiracy. It is asserted that the passing through of tobacco from Cuba has cost the United States \$5,000,000 annually, chiefly in Cuban wrapper stock. Trade statistics show that makers of pure Havana cigars must have 6 per cent of their stock in wrappers, whereas the treasury department figures show a fraction under 1 per cent of the Cuban importations paying duty as wrapper tobacco.

SOCIALISTS NOT TARIFF FRIENDS

So Says Victor Berger in Statement to United Press—Consider Tariff Bill an Invention of the Devil, i. e. Mammon.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 7.—The position of the socialist party on the tariff question and his own personal views on the problem of the increased cost of living were given today in a statement to the United Press by Victor Berger, congressman-elect from the Fifth Wisconsin district, the first member of his party ever elected to the national house.

(BY VICTOR BERGER.) (Copyright, 1911, by the United Press.)

Socialists are surely not friends of "high tariff." They consider it an invention of the capitalists, of the devil, of Mammon. We know it is benefiting the manufacturer, but we also know it is not protecting the workingman.

It is ridiculous, however, to blame the tariff for the high cost of living. It is only one of the factors in the problem. Another factor is the commission of agriculturists and farmers' associations, which are limiting the output of wool, tobacco, cotton, etc. These associations may not be trusts in the ordinary acceptance of the term, but the effect of their agreements is just as surely a factor in the constantly rising prices of necessities.

One way toward curbing the upward tendency of prices of all food-stuffs would be to put a tax on everything exported as was done in olden times. But of course the farmers would object to that.

CLOUDBURST HITS AUSTRALIAN CITY

Great Damage Done in Melbourne—Cellars Flooded—Train Service Demoralized—Outskirts of City Under Four Feet of Water.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 7.—Railway traffic is demoralized and the streets of Melbourne on the outskirts are under four feet of water as a result of a terrific cloudburst which occurred late yesterday.

It is estimated that fully \$100,000 damages was done goods stored in basements.

The downpour was so violent that in a short time the low lying districts of the city were inundated and the people fought their way to safety through swirling torrents four feet deep.

Train service to the suburbs was paralyzed and boats are being used today to transport people to their business from their flood-swept homes.

Tells of Bribe.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Jennings Phillips, city supervisor under the Schmitz-Ruef regime, today told the jury hearing the case of Theodore V. Halsey, the indicted Pacific States telephone official on bribery charges, that he met Halsey in the Mills building in 1905 and was given \$2500 for his promise to vote against granting the Home Telephone company a franchise. Several days later, he said, he received \$3500 from former Supervisor James L. Gallagher to vote in favor of a franchise for the Home company.

NEXT FAIR TO BE HELD HERE

Board of Directors of Rogue River Industrial Fair Association Meets in Grants Pass—Will Meet Again Soon.

GRANTS PASS, Feb. 7.—The board of directors of the Rogue River Industrial Fair association met Monday afternoon in the Commercial club rooms, with J. A. Perry, of Medford, and L. B. Hall and H. C. Hatcham, of this city, in attendance. On account of the absence of John D. O'Neil, of Medford, and E. T. Staples, of Ashland, who are in the east, the board adjourned until February 15. The next fair will probably be held in Medford.

OROZCO'S PLAN TO CRUSH RIVAL NOW APPARANT

Did Not Err as He Was Supposed to Have Done When He Abandoned Seize of Juarez—Now Lies in Wait for Relief.

REPORT OUT THAT RED CROSS FLAG FIRED UPON

If Present Plans of Rebel General Do Not Fail—Success of Revolutions is Assured.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 7.—Abandoning for the present his plans to capture Juarez, General Orozco, the rebel leader is believed here today to be preparing to meet, and if possible to crush General Navarro, who with 700 men is marching to the relief of Juarez from the South.

Orozco's force, it is said, is now located near Samalayuca, 25 miles from Juarez, and the chances of an attack in this section are believed to be remote, at least until Navarro has been met. It is reported that part of Orozco's plan is to form a junction with several bands of insurgents who have been harassing the Federals near Corralitos. If this junction is effected, Orozco will then outnumber Navarro by two to one, and victory should be easy.

Criticism of Orozco, which was free here when the siege of Juarez was apparently abandoned, is today silent in the face of the new turn affairs have taken and it is generally believed by adherents of the insurgents that his course has been the wisest possible. With Navarro defeated, if Orozco can compass that attempt, there will be no other government force of importance in Chihuahua and there is little doubt that a new march on Juarez will end in an easy, possibly a bloodless victory.

Secure in the belief that there will be no fighting at Juarez for some days at least, most of the natives of the city who last week fled across the American frontier, are today returning to their homes and celebrating with much drinking their escape from bombardment. The city of Juarez, however, is still under martial law.

HUACHUCA, Ariz., Feb. 7.—A decisive rebel victory at Juarez would be the signal for the secession of the state of Sonora, according to advices received here today from border towns where, in anticipation of such an event, provisional officials are said to be preparing to cross the border into Sonora and with Sonora in their possession and a temporary capital established at Juarez, the rebel leaders believe they will have the revolution well in hand and that an advance on Chihuahua and then on Mexico City would follow. It is believed here that General Orozco will return shortly to the attack on Juarez. His delay is said to have been caused by the failure of additional troops, organized in Guaymas, Hermosillo and Nogales, to arrive. Parties arriving today from Cananea reported that insurgents who recently abandoned Surahuapa are re-organizing on the Yaqui River, preparatory to moving to General Orozco's assistance.

HUACHUCA, Ariz., Feb. 7.—Several United States Army officers of high rank are expected to arrive here this week to assume charge of the border patrol. Their coming it is believed, will prove that Uncle Sam plans to take advantage of the trouble in Mexico to engage in a set of war maneuvers of his own. The signal service will be given a thorough test. Several bands of American adventurers bent on joining the forces of General Orozco have been turned back.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.—

Ambassador Wilson at Mexico City was ordered today by Secretary Knox to investigate a charge that Mexican troops fired on a Red Cross flag during the fighting on Saturday near Juarez.