

WET AND DRY ISSUE IN TEXAS

Prohibitionists After Scalp of Joe Bailey and Governor Colquitt Who Stumped State Against Them—Legislature Has Dry Majority.

DALLAS, Texas, July 29.—That prohibition will play a big part in the coming senatorial and gubernatorial elections here, and that Senator Joseph W. Bailey, whose attitude is known to be favorable to the liquor interests and who was rebuked in the statewide prohibition campaign, will have the fight of his life to secure re-election, today is said to be certain. The state legislature has a "dry" majority in both branches and the showing of prohibition strength throughout the state, which held the anti to little more than a nominal victory in the special amendment election, places an element in power that is fully as antagonistic to Bailey as it is opposed to the liquor traffic.

The prohibitionists are also determined to make an energetic effort to eliminate Governor O. B. Colquitt who is eligible for another two-year term, from official life in Texas.

Colquitt incurred the wrath of the prohibitionists by stamping the state against the prohibition amendment.

Chairman Ball of the prohibition executive committee is spoken of as the most likely candidate against Colquitt.

An avowed candidate to succeed Bailey in the senate is Congressman B. Bandell. Former Governor Campbell who supported prohibition, is also almost certain to enter the race against Bailey.

COST OF INITIATIVE 23 CENTS PER VOTE

SALEM, Ore., July 29.—The cost the initiative and referendum and corrupt practices pamphlets for the primary and general elections cost the state \$23,249.06, or a cost of 19.7 cents per voter, according to figures submitted to Secretary of State Olcott today by State Printing Expert Harris.

Printing, paper and postage were the principal items of expense.

GIVES UP SEARCH FOR BAKOWSKI'S REMAINS

KLAMATH FALLS, July 29.—J. W. Stephenson, the friend of B. B. Bakowski, who lost his life while in Crater lake national park last winter, has returned from the lake where he spent several days looking for the body.

Mr. Stephenson has practically given up all hopes of ever finding the body of his old friend. He is thoroughly convinced that he rolled off the high peaks known as Eagle Crest and did not stop until he landed in the icy waters of the lake. He is also convinced that the body is now at the bottom of the lake where it will very likely remain.

CONSUMPTION SAVES SOTHER'S EXTRADITION

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 29.—Danger to his life through his tubercular condition today secured a respite in his extradition to Oregon for W. G. Sother who is out on \$500 bail here on a charge of forgery placed against him in Portland.

To State Agent Leonard of Oregon, who is here to take Sother north, the alleged forger's physician presented an affidavit, that in his present condition, passing over Mount Shasta probably would kill Sother. He declared, however, that the man would be in shape to go north in a month, and Leonard agreed to wait.

Uncalled for Letters.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for at the post office at Medford, Oregon, Wednesday, July 26:

- Anderson Elva, Bally Jno, Blaisdell G. E., Boll Tom, Booth Curt, Bowen Billie, Breazel A. J., Brook W. D., Brown Robert A., Collerson Mrs. Olive, Davison Mrs. C. W., Fortescue Miss Margarte, Given Chas. S., Glouespyre Cleppa Andimo, Hammond Miss Edythe, Hannon Richard E., Husted Geo L., Johnson Mary L., Kallias Georges H., Kivillien Frank J., Kelly Herbert C., Lanckin Thos., Lytle Lewis Lester, Mattock Mrs. Hattie, Medford News, Meyers Mrs. Mamj, Morgan J. T., McShery Mrs. Edith, Panoutsos Tom, Paul Mrs. Alta, Ross Miss Tercia, Rough Eddie, Root Susan B., Ryder Chris, Saunders Alice, Tployn Dylan A., Vennett Geo., Wall Mrs. R. J., Whitten C. S., Young Wm. M.

Haskins for Health.

HUNTING DOWN WHITE SLAVERS

Government Authorities Co-operating With State Officials Throughout Northwest to Break Up and Drive Out Bands of Girl Captors.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 29.—Action by the United States government authorities in hunting down and breaking up the gangs of white slaves who are active in California, will be taken as soon as evidence has been secured to back up the belief that ramifications of the gang here extend to Portland, Seattle and other cities of the northwest.

Frank H. Dupue, head of the state bureau of criminal identification, who was directly responsible for the rescue of Helen Johnson Whitson from the white slavers, has declared bitter war against their traffic, and is laying evidence of the band's activities before Assistant United States Attorney Herrington as rapidly as he can gather it.

The methods are simple but hard to distinguish from individual efforts along the same lines. The girls are said to be brought to resorts maintained in each city by various inducements or even by force, are then drugged and later, when under full control of their captors are disposed of wherever wanted.

Jumps Off Wharf to Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 29.—Brooding over his recent discharge from Company 8, Thirtieth United States infantry, James Merrill jumped off the wharf at the Presidio today, and though he was rescued quickly, died without recovering consciousness. Merrill's mother is said to live in Husson Wash.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting on August 1st, 1911, for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than a gallon, at his place of business at No. 25 South Front street, in said city, for a period of six months.

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NOTICE TO ALL CEMENT CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS

That on and after the first day of August, 1911 the local Cement Workers Union No. 158 will enforce the following scale of wages and hours: for finishers 62 1-2 cents per hour, for finisher's helpers \$3.50 per day, for laborers \$2.00 per day, for box mixers \$3.50 per day. Eight (8) hours to constitute a days work. Hours from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. and time and one half for over time and double time for Sundays and holidays. F. H. McDorald, pres.; C. W. Dams, sec.

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- Pickles
- Lard
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- Flour
- Etc., Etc., Etc.

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CAPT. EMERSON AND BRIDE OFF FOR HONEYMOON.



The accompanying photograph of Captain Isaac Edward Emerson and his new bride, who was Mrs. McCormick, was taken on board the steamship Amerika a few moments before that vessel sailed from New York. The Baltimore millionaire gave the reporters in the east a merry chase when they tried to learn the date and place of the marriage. When asked about it just before sailing the captain said: "Why, I thought everybody knew about that. We were married at the Marble Collegiate church, in New York, on July 5." Captain Emerson and his wife will remain in Europe for about two months.

NO CHANCE TO SAVE EMPRESS OF CHINA

TOKIO, July 29.—It is believed here today that there is no chance of saving the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of China, which lies on a submerged rock off Awa peninsula. The vessel was wrecked when on its way to Yokohama.

HANGED HIMSELF OVER STOLEN BOTTLE OF MILK

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 29.—Accused of having stolen a bottle of milk in the exclusive Westlake district, C. P. Fister, 80, weakened by deprivation, early today hanged himself with his scarf to the bars of a prison cell.

\$700,000 COST M'NAMARA TRIAL

Trial of Alleged Dynamiters an Expensive Luxury—Labor Unions to Pay Bulk of Cost and County Balance—Burns Due Tonight.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 29.—The trial of John J. and James B. McNamara, alleged dynamiters, it was estimated today will cost the county and defense not less than \$700,000. It was calculated that \$225,000 will be the cost to the county, and union labor, it was estimated, would spend \$457,000 in defending the two men. It was said that the salaries of Attorneys Darrow, Davis, Scott, Harri-man and Tyrell for the defense probably would exceed \$300,000.

Attorney Lecompte Davis and Joseph Scott are away from Los Angeles today on business connected with the defense. Davis has gone to Chicago and Detroit. At the local office of the Burns agency it was said today that Detective William J. Burns would arrive in Los Angeles tonight or Sunday.

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