

California Taft Supporters Cannot Express Choice American Soldiers Engage In Battle With Rebels Sheriff Aids Police In Making Important Capture

TAFT ORDERS YANKEE HELP

AMMUNITION AND GUNS TO BE FORWARDED SOUTH

General Wood and the President engage in a Telephone Conference and Situation is Conceded to the Greco-Mexican Rebels Threaten the American Frontier—Two Regiments Are Sent to Border

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 7.—President Taft today ordered the treasury department to permit the exportation of 500 rifles and 150,000 cartridges for the use of Americans in Mexico.

The arms will be forwarded to the consular agents at Camaguey for distribution.

Following a long distance telephone conference with General Wood, President Taft approved of an order sending two more regiments to the Mexican border. The regiments are now at Fort Riley, Kans., and Fort Russell, Wyo., and will leave immediately.

Officers on the border have urgently requested General Wood to send reinforcements.

Dispatches received here plainly indicate that clashes between the rebels and the Americans at Hachita are due to direct orders from Salazar, commanding his troops to forage in American territory to replenish their supplies of provisions.

It is reported here that five rebels have been killed, but it is impossible to secure confirmation of this.

General Steever reports engagements at the Culberson and Lang ranches. He says that Salazar has 1,000 men at the boundary.

BUGS RAYMOND IS FOUND DEAD

FAMOUS BALL PLAYER LOSSES OUT TO KING ALCOHOL AFTER A LONG BATTLE—HE WAS A FAMOUS STAR

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—"Bugs" Raymond, one of the most famous pitchers in the history of baseball, was found dead in a room in the Velez hotel here today.

He was a victim of the extreme heat and alcoholism.

WOLGAST IS NOT IN BAD SHAPE

CHAMPION LIGHTWEIGHT'S IN- JURIES ARE NOT AS SERIOUS AS ORIGINALLY REPORTED— HE WILL FIGHT SOON

United Press Service
CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—A wire received here from Cadillac, Mich., says that Ad Wolgast was not so seriously injured as it was first reported. He will start training in a few days for his fight with McFarland.

Will Build Home
Charles De Lap has sold to Mrs. F. R. Ewing of Sibleyville, Alaska, his 75 acres across the road from the Henley ranch, for \$5,000. Mrs. Ewing will next spring build a \$3,500 home on the property. The sale was made through H. H. Carroll of Seattle, who formerly resided in this city.

PHONE COMPANY HAS A REQUEST

PERMISSION WILL BE ASKED TO PUT CABLES UNDER THE PAVEMENT ACROSS KIAMATH AVENUE ON SEVENTH STREET

Tonight a meeting of the city council is scheduled, and with better weather possibly a quorum may turn out. One of the things which may be brought to the council's attention is the request of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company to put its cables under ground across Klamath at avenue at Seventh street, to its new building, and along Seventh street to Pine.

The new street paving laid by the Warren Construction company has been down about a year, and the telegraph company proposes to open the street for the block from Klamath to Main under the new pavement. The property owners on both sides of the street having paid assessments to get the pavement down want the council to make an arrangement with the company which will insure the pavement, if it is cut open, being replaced in as good a condition as prior to the cutting.

The block of pavement cost about \$3,500.

TONS OF ICE LOST

Scarcity of Highballs Said to Be the Cause

The drinking of highballs in Klamath Falls is decreasing. This is evidenced by the fact that the Klamath Valley Warehouse and Forwarding company, ice makers, was not able to get rid of the supply of ice fast enough this season, and a number of cakes, 25 feet high, have melted together. It is said that the mass weighs 50 tons. The management of the company has been at loss to dispose of the mass, so he has concluded finally to remove the entire building and wait for the ice to melt.

RAIN HANDICAPS NEW BUILDING

BROKEN BY LABOR DAY AND THE WEATHER, OPERATIONS HAVE BEEN RESUMED AND WILL BE RUSHED TO COMPLETION

Wet weather the past week has materially interfered with building operations in this city, some of the crews having to abandon work entirely. The fact that Monday was Labor Day and a holiday cut one day off the week, for practically all the artisans in the building line. On the court house, for instance, the crews got a day's work done on Tuesday and Wednesday, but on the following days work had to be abandoned out of deference to J. Pluvius, whose can was tilted to a sharp angle.

Other new building work was subjected to the same stoppage of operations, although some got started again today. The new structure on the north side of Main street, just west of Seventh, whose foundation is under way, has considerable water in the cellar, and men were busy this morning getting the soiled aqua out of the way so they could do their work. Other buildings at the foundation stage have had accumulations of water in the basements which have been a decided interference to progress.

TEDDY WOULD NOT BE KING

HEAD OF BULL MOOSERS FINALLY DECIDES A QUESTION THAT HAS BEEN CONSIDERED FOR A VERY LONG TIME

United Press Service
BILLINGS, Mont., Sept. 7.—"I would not be king for anything," Theodore Roosevelt declared here today in a speech. He declared constitutional monarchy a "cross between being perpetual vice president and a leader of the four hundred."

He declared that there were other things he would like to be, but not a king. Roosevelt will be in Montana all today. He speaks in Helena tonight.

ACCUSES PAL OF ROBBING HIM

O'BRIEN BROUGHT TO THIS CITY TO FACE CHARGE

Man Arrested Because It Was Thought He Was Intoxicated Given Information That Leads to the Belief That He Was the Victim of a Crime—Sheriff Sends Word to Intercept Train at Dorris

As a result of the active co-operation of the police and sheriff's office, Willis O'Brien was arrested at Dorris last night and brought to this city, where he was charged with robbing a fellow worker of \$25 in gold. It is charged that O'Brien "doped" whiskey given George Garick and then took the gold from the pockets of the unconscious man.

Thursday O'Brien and Garick, who had been working together in the woods near Dorris, started for this city. Both had been drinking. Before this city was reached Garick lost consciousness, and when the train had reached here he was hurried off by O'Brien, assisted by the train brakeman.

The unconscious man was carried to the side of the depot and left there. Depot employes declare that immediately thereafter O'Brien ran away. Soon after Chief of Police Smith and Officer Hall discovered O'Brien and

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WALDO IS NOW UNDER FIRE, TOO

DEPOSED POLICE INSPECTOR MAKES SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST THE HEAD OF THE NEW YORK POLICE

United Press Service
NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Inspector Hayes, who has been dismissed from police duty, resumed the stand at his trial today. He declared that Waldo ordered that there be no raids on gambling houses and resorts without explicit orders. Consequently there had been no arrests made.

LADIES' SOCIETY WILL ENTERTAIN

MUSICALS, THE FIRST OF THE SEASON, WILL BE GIVEN UNDER DIRECTION OF MRS. B. F. GAMBELL NEXT FRIDAY

The first musical event for the season will be a concert given at Grace Methodist Episcopal church next Friday evening. It will be under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, a most popular organization of that church, as well as of the city. The concert will be conducted by Mrs. Birdson Fraker Gambell, who has procured the voluntary services of some of the best talent in the city. Instrumental and vocal solos, orchestral numbers, quartets and a pleasing variety of popular and high class music will constitute the program.

STEFFENS MAKES THREAT

Pardon for McNamara May Be Sought if Promises Fail

United Press Service
PORTLAND, Sept. 7.—Lincoln Steffens, magazine writer, said today that if the business men of Los Angeles did not keep their promises, made when the McNamaras pleaded guilty, and give labor a square deal, he, personally, will circulate a petition in California asking Governor Johnson to pardon them. "I have not taken the matter up yet with the California labor leaders," said Mr. Steffens, "but I will, and I don't doubt but that there will be plenty of signatures."

A BOISE FIRM GETS CONTRACT

MANEY BROS. & CO. NOTIFY LOCAL OFFICE OF THE RECLAMATION SERVICE THAT THEIR BID HAS BEEN ACCEPTED

Word from Maney Bros. & Co., the Boise contractors, has been received by Project Engineer W. W. Patch, of the reclamation service, to the effect that as soon as the firm gets an official notification from the government it will be on the ground here ready to go to work on the excavation of the thirty miles of second unit laterals.

The Boise firm's bid for the work was about \$2,500 lower than any other bid or combination of bids when the sealed proposals were opened in the office of Mr. Patch a fortnight since.

The bids were sent to the reclamation headquarters at Washington for the final award of the contract, and as Maney Bros. have operated on the Klamath project before, and did satisfactory work, there is no reason, it is said, why their bid should not be accepted. Their proposal was to do all the work for \$67,313.50. They did not bid on any subdivisions, wishing to do all or none.

GONG SAVES LUNG POWER

CONTRIVANCE IS ARRANGED ON NEW EXCAVATOR WHICH DOES AWAY WITH CONSTANT SHOUTING OF ORDERS

Unusually good work for a new machine is being done for the reclamation service by the self-propelled excavator which is cleaning out the Weed drain about seven miles south of the city. It cuts from twenty-five to thirty cubic yards of earth per hour in a day with an eight hour shift, and accomplishes about 200 linear feet in the same time.

The canal has a six-foot bottom, and is about twenty feet wide at the top, while it is six or seven feet deep. The machine is operated by M. R. Taylor, who worked on the Klamath project last year and has since been in the Umatilla district, and George S. Whitehead, who is from Stockton. Project Engineer W. W. Patch has

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BIG BLAST TO SHAKE TOWN

RECLAMATION SERVICE IS PLAN- NING TO SET OFF A SCORE OF MONSTER CARTRIDGES TO WIDEN IRRIGATION CANAL

For a genuine "big noise" the reclamation service will shortly indulge in a stunt which promises to cause more and heavier vibrations than a Fourth of July in this vicinity ever knew.

A score of monster cartridges, each six inches in diameter, about three feet long and weighing thirty pounds, will be set off simultaneously by an electric battery. The ammunition has not yet been made, but will be within a few days, and shortly after that will come the reverberation.

The blasting will be for the purpose of blowing out a bar or dam left at the junction of the Lost River diversion canal and the Klamath River, below the city a distance of about

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EXCEPTIONS TO P. O. RULING

NEWSPAPER AND HOTEL MAIL MUST BE PLACED IN TOP OF SACK IN ORDER TO BE DELIV- ERED SUNDAYS

Postmaster Clyde K. Brandenburg has received more explicit instructions from the department at Washington about the handling of Sunday mail. It appears that mail for hotels and newspaper offices, as well as newspapers to dealers, are to be handled Sunday as far as the public assists in expediting them by putting on proper addresses.

Mail for a newspaper office or hotel must have that fact set out in the address distinctly, in order that all offices where such mail is deposited will note the fact and put them prominently in the outgoing packages of mail. The instructions from the department that such mail should go in the packages next to the top, which is the place for special delivery letters. In order to facilitate the delivery of Sunday mail to the excepted classes every postoffice in the United States must every day in the week put the newspaper and hotel mail next to the top of the packages.

BULL MOOSE IN ENTIRE CHARGE

THREAT IS THE WAY TAFTITES REGARD SITUATION

Official Confirmation of Opposition to Leave California to Wilson and Roosevelt Will Come Tonight. Secretary of Committee Declares That No Time Given to Circulate Proper Petition

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 7.—The California Taftites have practically decided to abandon all attempts to get Taft electors on the ballot by petition. A final decision will be made at a meeting of the Taft state leaders this afternoon and evening.

Charles Forbes, secretary of the Taft county central committee, issued the following statement: "We feel that it would be absolutely useless to attempt to get the necessary 11,000 signatures to put Taft electors on the ballot by petition. The only thing that we can do is to support the Roosevelt or Wilson." "Most of the party leaders in the state share these views. We do not believe that we can do more, as it is impossible to get sufficient signatures to the petition within the time allotted."

United Press Service
TOPEKA, Kans., Sept. 7.—Further efforts to put the Roosevelt electors off the ballot in Kansas will be taken immediately, according to a statement made today by R. D. Hite, attorney for the Taftites.

It is proposed to take an appeal from Judge Sanborn's decision denying the injunction asked. The Taftites claim that with Roosevelt electors on the ballot the Taftites are virtually deprived of votes.

Judge Sanborn held that the supreme court had already disposed of the point, stating that there was presented no cause of action in equity for injunction to keep the electors off the ticket.

Rumor Denied
United Press Service
NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The report that Sherman's health is broken and that he may retire as a candidate for the vice presidency, is denied as an absolute canard, in a statement issued by Secretary Reynolds of the republican committee.

Europe Interested in Haywood Strike

Italians are Preparing to Order a General Walk-out as a Means of Forcing Government to Act

ROME, Sept. 7.—As a means of forcing the government to make representations at Washington in behalf of Ettore and Giovanni, who are held in prison in Lawrence, labor leaders throughout Italy are organizing for a monster general strike which will paralyze industry.

Britons to Protest
LONDON, Sept. 7.—An English defense committee has been formed for the release of Ettore and Giovanni. A demonstration in Trafalgar Square has been arranged for. It is expected that at this meeting resolutions of protest will be adopted and sent to Ambassador Reid.

Militia Fire After the Trouble is Over

Trouble in West Virginia Over the Situation in the Mines has Led to the Shedding of Much Blood

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 7.—The first trouble in connection with marital law near Sharon occurred today, when one of a group of men was shot and killed by militiamen, long after the soldiers had been fired upon. Shots were also exchanged near Burnwell.

The miners from the Kanawha district returned to their homes today. Troops prevented their gathering at the state capitol last night. The miners peacefully withdrew and held their meeting at the court house.