

THE GODDESS OF LIBERTY CONTEST

ONE COUPLE AGREES TO BE MARRIED ON THE FOURTH

Interest Is Increasing in It—Concession Offers Must Be Made Before Monday Night

One couple has accepted the offer of \$150 worth of household furniture made by the Fourth of July committee, agreeing to be married under its auspices. The parties to the contract are J. G. Hansen of Silver Lake and Miss Edith Taylor of Portland. They will be married on the barge on Lake Ewauna, City Recorder Leavitt performing the ceremony.

Interest in the Goddess of Liberty contest is growing daily. The vote today is as follows:

Miss Noel	1,217
Miss Sanderson	596
Miss Boliva	418
Miss Barrows, Merrill	549
Miss Whitlatch, Merrill	460

The latest contestant to be entered, and one whom her friends confidently believe will be the winner of the contest, is Miss Annie Wing, who has received 152 votes.

Miss Wing is one of the most popular young ladies in the city, and her hosts of friends are determined that she shall be in the lead when the polls close.

The committee announces that all those who desire to submit bids for the various concessions, such as lunch counters, confectionery stands, etc., must submit the same on or before next Monday night. The committee will meet that evening in the Klamath barber shop. This concession proposition is open to all business men, and the committee will give the first chance to the men who are now engaged in business in this city. If this opportunity is not taken advantage of, the committee will then award the concessions to others.

Work on the Goddess of Liberty float has already been commenced by Messrs. Lewis and Wishard, the official decorators. It is going to be one of the finest ever seen in this city.

PROMOTER BLOT DECIDES TO OBEY GOVERNOR'S MANDATE

Effort Will Be Made to Secure a Decision From the Courts at an Early Date

SAN FRANCISCO, June 18.—The Kaufman-Langford fight has been postponed for one week, by order of Louis Blot, the promoter. He conferred with his attorney, Cleveland Dam, at 11 o'clock today, and then issued his statement. He said he wished to obey the law in all respects. He stated that he had been notified by Governor Gillette, General Lauck and Chief of Police Martin that the fight would be stopped forcibly. It is expected that legal proceedings will be started next week to test the right of the governor to call out the troops. Blot issued the following statement today:

"After a number of conferences between the officials of the Metropolitan club and my attorneys it has been decided to postpone the boxing exhibition between Kaufman and Langford, which was scheduled for this afternoon, for one week."

Blot, representatives of the club and their attorneys were notified last night by General Lauck that he had been instructed by the governor to prevent the exhibition if the club attempted to stage it. Chief of Police Martin advised Blot that he would not permit the exhibition to take place. He informed him that if the boxers attempted to enter the ring they would be arrested. He desired Blot to obey the law in all respects. While he feels the views of Governor Gillette are erroneous, he cannot, as a law-abiding citizen, defy the mandate of the governor. The chief of police does not wish to be a party to any act that would cause the governor to order out the militia at San Francisco at this time. Further, he desired to protect the good name of the city from any such act on the part of the governor.

Promoter Blot stated that he wanted to protect the purchasers of tickets for the fight and those who have bought tickets will get their money back.

Within a few days Blot will test the right of the governor to call out troops at San Francisco to prevent boxing exhibitions, which are lawful in California. He proposes to put on a contest between third raters Monday in hopes that the governor will interfere and permit him to make a test case, so that he can get a quick decision and clear the way for the Kaufman-Langford fight. When informed of this the governor stated that he did not intend to interfere with boxing contests which are not prize fights.

This afternoon the governor ordered the district attorney to stop the Mantell-Thomas fight, which is scheduled for Monday night. The promoters will not contest the order.

Tex Rickard has made no definite

statement regarding the location of the Jeffries-Johnson fight. The general impression is that it will go to Reno.

STRAY TOPICS FROM LITTLE OLD NEW YORK

New York, June 19.—"Dignity of profession" sounds decidedly impressive and is often used in connection with some professions considered particularly honorable, like those of ministers, judges, doctors, members of the cabinet, etc. There was a time when the term was also applied to members of the political profession, but in that sense it has become obsolete. A rather new application of the expression was made the other day, however, when the dog catcher of the Hackensack Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals sent his resignation to the society. In this remarkable document the writer explained that the profession of a dog catcher was an honorable profession and he would rather resign than sully the dignity of his profession by washing the automobile of the company which is used by the dog catcher on his rounds.

The numerous commuters who have the misfortune of being compelled to use the New York, New Haven & Hartford railway daily to go from their homes to the city and back again, were greatly astonished when they awoke the other morning to find that their villages or towns had been moved several miles away from New York City. They could not believe their eyes, although the new time tables of the railroad clearly showed that the distance between their villages and the city had increased over night. Some cynics expressed the belief that this apparent stretching of distances was merely a trick of the railroad company for the purpose of extorting higher rates from the commuters and they promptly entered a vigorous protest through their lawyer. When the railroad officials found that the commuters refused to be convinced that the distances between their towns and New York had actually stretched, they promptly backed down and the president of the company explained it was all a stupid blunder. No doubt it was, but there was method in that madness and had it not been for the watchfulness and energetic action of the commuters, the railroad company would have maintained the deception which would have enabled it to extort a handsome sum from the poor commuters.

New York is to have another big hotel. It is to be erected on the east side of Broadway, extending from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth streets by a syndicate headed by Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati, a brother of President Taft. The hotel will be built upon leased ground, for which a yearly rental of \$300,000 has to be paid. It will be modeled somewhat on the plan of the Hotel Belmont and will cost more than \$5,000,000. According to present plans the hotel will be 25 stories high. The syndicate will be incorporated as the Greeley Square Hotel Company.

The authorities are greatly puzzled by a somewhat unusual case just now. On April 14 of this year a woman was seriously injured in a street railway accident at Sixth avenue and Twenty-fourth street. The woman, who gave her name as Mrs. Mary McGonigle and her address as 817 Tenth avenue, was taken to the Bellevue hospital, where she died six days later. Her body was identified by the brother, the sisters, the son and other relatives of Mrs. McGonigle and was buried under that name in the McGonigle lot. The life insurance of Mrs. McGonigle was collected and the Metropolitan Street Railway Company paid the funeral expenses and an allowance for damages. The other day, however, Mrs. McGonigle, the woman supposed to be dead and buried, returned to her home and proved her identity beyond doubt. The question now is, who was the woman who called herself Mrs. McGonigle and was identified as such by the whole McGonigle clan after her death at the hospital?

PARTY MAKES SUCCESSFUL AUTO TRIP TO CRATER LAKE

A party consisting of J. B. Mitchell, Mrs. J. C. Mitchell and P. B. Lynch, of Oakland; George Grenner, of Wilfords, and Miss Marie McMillan, of this city, returned last evening from Crater Lake, to which place they went Saturday. The roads are in splendid condition and they were able to travel to within one-quarter of a mile of the lake in their machine. The snow is melting very fast and will have entirely disappeared within a few days. The party remained over night at Fort Klamath.

George Stamer, who for the past year has been a resident of Pasadena, has returned to this city. He says that while California is a nice place to live, he is satisfied to return to Klamath county, where he will get a change of climate, scenery and hot air.

C. M. O'NEILL ENGAGED AS COUNSEL

ATTORNEYS TO TAKE OUT WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

He Will Not Be Turned Over to California Authorities Until Every Recourse Is Exhausted

That George L. Price is not to be turned over to the California authorities until every recourse at law is exhausted was decided upon Monday, when C. M. O'Neill entered the case. Back of Price is some powerful influence that is furnishing the money for the fight for his freedom. It is alleged by his friends that he is being railroaded out of the city for the benefit of parties who have some interest in his deportation. The entrance of Attorney O'Neill into the case indicates that ample funds are at hand to meet the expense of the fight for Price's liberty. O'Neill is known among the local bar as one of the ablest attorneys in the State. He came here last Fall from Minnesota.

He has pursued a quiet, unobtrusive course since he opened offices in the White-Maddox building, but it was not long before it was discovered that he was a man of unusual ability and was destined to occupy a prominent place in the ranks of the local attorneys. All of his practice since coming here has been such as not to attract the attention of the layman. Hence he is a comparative stranger to the public at large. Among the attorneys, however, it is different, and when it was learned that he had entered the Price case it was recognized that there would be fought in the local court one of the hardest battles that ever came before the courts of this county.

The first gun of the fray was fired Monday afternoon in the office of Justice of the Peace Miller. Attorney O'Neill got on his mettle and for a time poured out a volley of interdictions on the methods being pursued in the Price matter that started things going. Judge Miller for a moment forgot his dignity and, pounding with both fists on his desk until everything thereon was bouncing into the air, commanded the attorney to sit down. There was a strong intimation from His Honor that some one would be fined for contempt, but such a little matter did not seem to affect Attorney O'Neill. He completed his castigation of matters in general.

DR. MARTIN RETURNS

Dr. William Martin returned home Saturday evening, after an absence of several weeks, during which time he has been with his father, Alex Martin, Sr. The Doctor states that his father has made considerable headway toward recovery, and, though he is still a very sick man, he improved sufficiently to warrant the hope of his ultimately regaining his health. This will be very satisfactory news to his many friends throughout the city and county. It is not likely that Mr. Martin will return to this city for some time, but when he does once more honor Klamath Falls with his presence he may be sure of the most cordial greeting he ever received.

As a message to his many friends, he told the Doctor to inform them that he sent his best wishes for their health and prosperity; to which they, in one voice, must respond: "Here's looking at you."

ALL OF THEM ASKED TO BE EXCUSED

JURYMEN FROM ALL PARTS OF COUNTY RESPOND FOR DUTY.

Indications Are that the Term Will Be Very Short on Account of Farm Operations.

"Say, Judge, can't I be excused from the jury?" That is the question that practically every man from outside the city, and some inside as well, asked Judge Noland Monday morning when they went to the courthouse to serve as jurors. The reason for this wholesale demand to be excused from jury duty is due entirely to the urgent necessity for the

presence of ranchers at home. This is one of the busiest times of the year with them and help is so scarce that many ranchers have to work day and night to save their crops and the call to jury duty will inflict serious injury on a number of them.

Judge Noland recognizes this fact and the probabilities are that only the urgent business will be disposed of and the balance of the docket will go over to the September term of court.

One of the first duties of the court was to order the drawing of the grand jury. Those drawn for that duty were:

J. B. Shaw, U. E. Reeder, F. C. Bamber, F. L. Pope, J. W. Logue, T. F. Nichols, F. C. Becholdt, F. C. Nichols, Foreman.

The instructions given by the court were along the lines followed hereto-

fore. Clear and concise instructions were given the jury as to its duty in the matter of enforcement of the local laws, as well as the duties of the various officers.

CONGRESS PASSES BILLION DOLLAR MARK THIS SESSION

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 21.—The congressional appropriations this year have been the greatest in the history of the Republic, and will reach the enormous figure of one billion eight million dollars. This is \$26,000,000 more than it was last year.

F. C. Bechley, connected with the operations of the Oregon Trunk in the northern part of the county, arrived in the city Saturday evening from Crescent.

Goodrichs Cash Store

Commencing Monday, June 6th we will inaugurate the biggest sale ever held in Klamath County

\$10,000 Stock

of Goods will be closed out—Absolutely Everything in the Store

This slaughter sale will consist of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Carpets

Price is What Talks

Come in and Let Our Prices Talk to You

The entire stock is new; no shelf-worn goods; nothing in the store older than September 15, 1909

You want to save money on supplies. Here's your opportunity. The old prices are marked in plain figures. No goods remarked. These prices will be cut to cost for your benefit.

Are you from Missouri? Come in and we will show you

GOODRICH'S CASH STORE
Corner of Main and 7th Street Klamath Falls, Oregon

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR

If he takes the Republican. If he does not urge him to do it, so as to lend a hand in the fight for his rights