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**VERTISE IN THE HERALD.**

## SULZER MAY TESTIFY IN HIS OWN BEHALF

Albany, N. Y.—The trial of Mr. Sulzer before the high court of impeachment was resumed at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, and it is generally believed that this week's sessions may suffice for the presentation of all the prosecution's direct evidence.

Should Mr. Sulzer persist in his purpose to take the stand in his own behalf, however, the issue is not unlikely to be protracted. That he will do so is now generally conceded.

The impeaching managers have succeeded in placing in evidence contributions aggregating not only the \$5460 acknowledged in Mr. Sulzer's sworn report to the secretary of state, but only the additional items aggregating \$3500 which were suppressed by Mr. Sulzer as alleged in the formal articles of impeachment, but, under the court's ruling permitting the widest latitude, they have already increased the latter figure to \$18,200 in checks alone.

**Religious Healer Killed in Her Office.**  
Los Angeles.—With a piece of gas pipe a foot and a half long, some one battered the life out of Mrs. Rebecca F. Gay, a religious health practitioner, in her office, and after a futile attempt to throw the body from the fifth story of the office building, left the dead woman covered with copies of a religious newspaper.

**Record of Mint Millions Ordered.**  
San Francisco, Cal.—Because seven silver dollars have been lost in the immense hoard of coin stored in the vaults of the United States mint in this city, an entire record of the \$61,255,000 in silver stacked up in the basement of the building on Fifth street, has been ordered by the treasury department at Washington, D. C.

**Porfirio Diaz Ordered Home.**  
Mexico City.—General Porfirio Diaz, ex-president, has been summoned by the war department to return to Mexico for active army service.

## People in the News

The value of the estate of the late Mayor Gaynor of New York is estimated at \$2,000,000.

Senator La Follette denies the rumor emanating from Portland that he intends joining the republican party.

Suit for \$1,000,000 for alienation of her husband's affections has been begun by Mrs. Catherine Ketcham Blake against Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay.

Ambassador Wilson does not intend to return to Mexico before his term expires, October 14. His recent visit to Washington was taken for private business reasons, he declares.

It is rumored that James Bryce, former British ambassador to the United States, shortly will become lord lieutenant of Ireland.

Fifty-six days of fasting to cure a mental disorder has been resorted to by Mrs. D. H. Foss, wife of a wealthy Palo Alto (Cal.) contractor.

By a plurality of 563, Mrs. N. E. Davidson, superintendent of schools of Kings county, Cal., is victorious in the recall election. The election was the first of the kind held in the state against a woman official.

John Purroy Mitchell, fusion candidate for mayor, has accepted the independence league endorsement, after selecting Robert Adamson, secretary to the late Mayor Gaynor, as his campaign manager.

Counsel for Harry K. Thaw received formal assurances from Governor Feltner of New Hampshire that the governor would grant the request for an extension to October 6 of the time for filing briefs in the extradition proceedings.

**Canal May Make Beef Cheaper.**  
Washington.—A message of hope for a reduction of the price of beef to less than one-half of what it is today has been brought to the American people by Augusto B. Leguia, former president of Peru, now in this city. He made the declaration that with the opening of the Panama canal and a reduction of 4000 miles in distance between the United States and Peru, beef could be delivered in New York for 10 cents a pound from his country.

**John F. Lacey Drops Dead.**  
Oskaloosa, Ia.—John F. Lacey, representative from the sixth low congressional district, dropped dead here of heart disease.

## TWO DRUG-CRAZED NEGROES KILL 8

Colored Brothers Lynched in Mississippi After Killing in Streets.

Harriston, Miss.—Two drug-crazed mulatto boys, brothers, began a reign of murder here early Sunday that ended only after three white men, four negro men and a negro woman had been killed, several persons wounded and the two boys lynched. A serious clash between the races was prevented by the arrival on a special train of a company of national guardsmen from Natchez.

The trouble started at about 2 o'clock in the morning, continued intermittently until 10 o'clock, when Walter Jones, the oldest of the two boys, who started the firing, was lynched just after the soldiers arrived. His brother, Will Jones, had been shot and lynched by citizens earlier in the day.

Twenty persons were injured, 16 of them negroes. None of the negroes was dangerously hurt.

The shooting was started by Walter Jones, aged 20, in the negro quarters, where Johanna Aiken, a negro, and Theod Grayson, colored, were shot and killed. Walter then went home, aroused his 18-year-old brother and together they proceeded through the main street of the little town firing at everyone in sight.

## CHINA SENDS APOLOGY

Insuit to Flag and Murder at Nanking Condoned.

Pekin.—The apology of General Chang Hsun to the Japanese consulate at Nanking has cleared the air, according to the Japanese officials here, and removes the danger of complications for the present.

The Japanese legation emphatically denied that an ultimatum had been sent by the Japanese government to China. The legation stated that the Chinese authorities at Hankow and Shantung had complied fully with the Japanese demands.

On September 27 the Japanese minister presented China with an ultimatum, allowing China three days to comply with Japan's demands in connection with the recent attacks on Japanese at Nanking.

**State to Trade Books.**

Salem, Or.—The state printing board has entered into a contract with the Bancroft-Whitney company, San Francisco, to publish the supreme court reports for five years, it being the belief of the board that at least \$25,000 will be saved annually. J. C. Moreland, clerk of the supreme court, says there is about \$40,000 of "dead stock" consisting of old reports, a possession of the state which it cannot dispose of. These will be traded to the company for new books.

## HAIL DECISION AS VICTORY

Governor West Asks Return of Money Spent in Crusade.

Salem, Or.—Governor West looks upon the results of the meeting of the emergency board Saturday as a "victory." The board created a deficiency of \$5000 for use as rewards for the capture of felons, and another of \$1500 for use by the governor in his vice crusades.

Action on a motion recommending that the legislature reimburse the governor for the \$1500 he spent personally in the anti-vice crusade was deferred until next meeting of the board. Mr. West promised all the members itemized bills of his expenditure and invited them to come to his office and look over any papers he may have in connection with the work.

## Bixby Declared Not Guilty.

Los Angeles.—The jury's verdict, "not guilty," set the millionaire, Geo. H. Bixby, free and ended the case of the Jonquil, with its parade of young girls before grand jury and courts, its indictments charging offenses against morality and its counter charges of blackmail and the maintenance of a mantrap by a coterie of young men for the catching of wealthy men.

## Pope in Ill Health Again.

Rome.—The condition of Pope Pius is giving rise to some anxiety. Although not suffering from any specific malady the state of his health is unsatisfactory. It is believed, however, the rest here will restore him.

## DECLARE MEDFORD RATE ACT VOID

Portland.—The so-called Medford rate bill, which was adopted by the people under the initiative on November 5, 1912, and which made sweeping changes in freight rates in the state, has been declared unconstitutional and void in a decision by Judges Wolverton and Bean, of the United States district court in Portland, and Judge Gilbert, of the United States court of appeals in San Francisco, before whom, sitting en banc, it was argued a little more than seven months ago.

The decision was announced in an opinion written and delivered from the bench by Judge Wolverton. All three judges fully concurred in every aspect of the decision.

The measure has been generally referred to as the "Medford" rate bill because of charges that it was prepared and placed on the ballot in the selfish interests of Medford merchants.

Appealed to by railroad men and shippers for relief against what it was declared would be a disaster to the state if permitted to go into effect, the federal court granted a temporary injunction against the operation of the act shortly after its passage. The court directs that the injunction be made permanent.

## Tug Goes Through Big Gatun Locks

Panama.—The most important step thus far toward the operation of the Panama canal took place when the seagoing tugboat Gatun, drawing 125 feet of water, was passed successfully through the Gatun locks and floated on the bosom of Gatun Lake.

## Book Companies Must Pay License.

Salem.—Corporation Commissioner Watson states that the publishing firms which have made contracts to furnish school books in this state must qualify to do business in this state under the laws regulating foreign corporations. They must each pay a license of \$100.

## Medford Has \$25,000 Fire.

Medford.—Fire destroyed the Union livery stable, two dwellings, nearly five horses and about twenty sets of harness. For four hours Medford was in darkness, and the telephone service was out of commission. The loss is estimated at \$25,000, partially covered by insurance.

## Hansel is Guilty.

Astoria.—Guilty of murder in the first degree was the verdict rendered by a jury in the circuit court in the case of Oswald C. Hansel for the murder of Judge Taylor on Sunday morning, September 14.

## Man Shot for Wildcat.

Roseburg.—Mistaken for a wildcat, Preston Wilson of Whitson was shot through the left leg Saturday by E. Pindell, while hunting in the mountains 40 miles from Camas valley.

## Brief News of the Week

Wilson men were victorious in the recent elections at New Jersey. The Spanish government decided finally to participate in the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915.

Forty-two policemen and strike rioters were sent to the hospital as a result of serious fights in Dublin. At a secret conference of 600 anti-home rulers at Belfast, with Lord Londonderry presiding, it was agreed to form a provisional constitutional government to rule Ulster if home rule passes.

State Controller Schmeer of New York received a check for \$2,500,000 in payment of the inheritance tax on a part of the estate of the late J. Pierpont Morgan.

A report has been read at the fifth session of the Pacific Logging congress at Spokane, recommending that loggers of the Pacific northwest raise a fund of \$600,000 for the endowment of chairs of logging engineering in the universities of Oregon, Washington, California, Idaho, Montana and British Columbia. Officials from the principal cities and towns of the Pacific northwest attended the annual convention of the League of Northwest Municipalities, held in the council chamber at the city hall in Portland, Wednesday and Thursday.

## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

**Organize Protective Association.**  
Eugene.—The Lane county farmers took the first steps for mutual protection from the ravages of the hunters during the approaching hunting season, when the Farmers Protective association of Lane county was organized here, scores of representative farmers, with Prof. John Bovard and Prof. C. F. Hodge of the university assisting, met and adopted a constitution. The purposes of the organization as outlined is to enforce and improve bird and game laws of the state and protect the farmers against trespassers.

**Ashland Work is to Start.**  
Ashland.—Material has arrived here for the preliminary work on the foothills irrigation company's project, and in a few days operations are planned to begin on the first unit of the Hyatt Prairie dam, northeast of Ashland, the breast of the dam will be nearly 50 feet high. It will be over 900 feet wide and will flood approximately 1000 acres to an average depth of 29 feet. The backwater created by this dam will reach nearly two miles.

## WARNINGS ARE UNHEEDED

Thousands Lose in Locating on Oregon Lands.  
Roseburg.—That thousands of persons throughout the United States have parted with various sums of cash through fraudulent locations on lands of the Oregon & California railway, was the statement made by Register Jones of the Roseburg United States land office.

"Hundreds of persons write to this office asking for information regarding these lands," said Mr. Jones, "many of them after they have parted with their money. We have always sent out a circular letter to people making inquiries about lands in this district, giving the amount of vacant land by counties, the character of the land, a general description of the country, and last but not least, the climatic conditions that prevail.

"A number of persons who were victimized by these locators have filed regular homestead applications in this office, all of which we rejected. Some of them appealed from our decision to the general land office, claiming that they would win the land in the end."

## Free Wool Causes Sales.

La Grande.—On account of the changing of the tariff on wool many sheep are being marketed from this section, as the sheep men fear the animals will not pay to keep for wool. In the last week two train loads of sheep have been shipped out of Union and Wallowa counties, the first train load from Joseph, in Wallowa county, and one from Elgin, in Union county.

## DREDGE GETS MUCH GOLD

Powder River Operations Unusually Successful.

Sumpter.—Since January 7 the gold dredge of the Powder River Gold Dredging company at this place has been in operation day and night, being run in three eight-hour shifts. The rich return derived from this boat has been one of the shining successes met this year in mining in eastern Oregon.

This work is paying beyond even the expectation of the owners at the time of building. The rifles are cleaned up once a week, and the gold returned at the company's laboratory in Sumpter. The gold bricks from this retort are expressed to the United States mint at San Francisco.

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