

THE CHARGES WERE BOGUS

Acting District Att'y Grigsby Fails to Make Good

SUMMARILY DISCHARGED

And John L. McGinn, of Portland Appointed in His Stead

DISTRICT ATTORNEY MELVIN GRIGSBY WILL RETURN AND RELIEVE MCGINN—MARSHAL FRANK RICHARDS RAKED OVER THE COALS BY GRAND JURY.

NOME, Alaska, June 18, (via Seattle, Wash., June 26).—The failure to substantiate the sensational charges he made against the federal grand jury on May 3, resulted two days later in the removal from office by District Judge Moore, of George B. Grigsby, acting district attorney, and the appointing of John L. McGinn, of Portland, as United States attorney, until such time as the district attorney returns. Grigsby is the son of District Attorney Melvin Grigsby, who left Nome last fall to campaign out for the winter. He was left to act as district attorney until his father's return.

United States Marshal Frank Richards was severely arraigned by the grand jury which made its report on June 11, for alleged extravagance in conducting his office and the federal jail and for the alleged false and untrue representations made by him to the attorney general. It also charges Richards with obstructing the process of justice by aiding and abetting men charged with crime. One juror dissented from the report.

Suing for His Forfeit.

Washington, June 26.—In the Nellis case, contract, case an affidavit by Charles Kingsley alleges that A. C. Nellis, of New York, who had the contract for furnishing seed ready for distribution to the government two years ago, directed that no books be kept and that the packages should be light weight. The legal representatives of Nellis are suing for the payment of \$18,000 which Secretary Wilson withheld for alleged non-performance of the contract. The full amount of the contract was \$108,000.

WILL ATTEND TO RIVER

HON. BINGER HERMANN ASSURES ALBANY OF PROMPT ACTION.

ALBANY, Ore., June 26.—Hon. Binger Hermann, Congressman-elect, spent yesterday in Albany for the purpose of meeting his friends, looking after the needs of his constituents in this vicinity and especially of making an investigation of the bank of the Willamette river opposite Albany, where revetment is needed to prevent the river from leaving its channel. During the high water in the Willamette for the past several years the river has been cutting a new channel through a field opposite this city, until it prompts measures are not taken to check it, it will change its channel permanently during some flood, and leave Albany off the river. In company with some of this city's leading business men, Mr. Hermann was shown the place where the river threatens to leave its channel. He made a thorough investigation of the situation and saw the imperative necessity of a revetment. He promised to do all in his power to secure a sufficient appropriation for the construction of the much-needed revetment at the next session of Congress.

Last evening Mr. Hermann was tendered a public reception at the Alce Club. During the evening he met a number of Albany citizens and discussed various matters in which this city is interested.

MORE GOLD FROM ALASKA.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 26.—The steamship Oregon, the first vessel to reach this city from Nome since the close of navigation last season, arrived

this afternoon. She brought no news of importance later than has already been received overland to Dawson, thence by wire. She brought thirty-five passengers and \$140,000 in gold.

TRAVELED IN VAIN.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 26.—Mrs. Mary Proud and her daughter-in-law arrived in Seattle from England yesterday afternoon in response to a telegram stating that Mrs. Proud's son was dangerously ill at Port Townsend. A short time after they arrived here the sad news reached the city that Mr. Proud had just died. The news was kept from the mother and wife, and they will not know of the death until they reach Port Townsend today. The wife was married to the dead man just a few days before he sailed from England to America.

RECIPROCATE THE FEELING

President Roosevelt Answers the Emperor's Message

WAS DEEPLY IMPRESSED

With the Tokens of Emperor's Friendship and Kindness Shown Officers

THANKS HIM FOR WELCOME TO SQUADRON AND COMPLIMENTARY EXPRESSIONS—PRESIDENT IS TAKING NO PART IN FRAMING OF IOWA TARIFF PLANK.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—President Roosevelt today sent the following telegram of thanks to Emperor William in reply to the latter's message regarding the American squadron now at Kiel.

"I thank your majesty for your gracious welcome to the United States squadron and for the complimentary expressions of your dispatch. I had already received notice from Admiral Cotton of the kindness shown him and his squadron by your majesty. I am deeply impressed by these tokens of your majesty's friendship and good will towards the United States, and I reciprocate in the heartiest manner the sentiments which your dispatch conveys."

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Germany Heartily Responds. Kiel, Prussia, June 26.—The dinner given by United States Ambassador Tower to the German Emperor tonight was made the opportunity, both by the Emperor and the Ambassador, to utter speeches of political significance. Ambassador Tower said:

"Rear Admiral Cotton and the officers of the United States Navy came here with their ships of war upon a mission of peace. I have the honor to convey to you the cordial greetings and hearty good wishes of the President and the people of the United States."

Emperor William said: "I offer a cordial welcome to the American squadron; we look upon them as the bearers of the friendly sentiments of the citizens of the United States, to which I can assure your Excellency the whole of Germany heartily responds."

Kiel, June 26.—Emperor William's American-built yacht, Meteor, today won the cup offered by J. P. Morgan.

No Hand in It.

Washington, June 26.—The published reports that President Roosevelt was taking part in the framing of a tariff plank to be adopted by the Republicans of Iowa at their coming convention are rumored here and it can be stated authoritatively the President has made no suggestion and has taken no part whatever in the work of outlining the platform. Since his return from the west no one, it can be added, has ever mentioned the matter to the President.

ASTORIA, Ore., June 26.—The London Times pays its Berlin correspondents \$5000 and \$10,000 a year.

HE ADMIRES PAYNE'S WORK

President Will Not Allow Him to Leave the Cabinet

HAS CONFIDENCE IN HIM

And Would Not Accept His Resignation Should It Be Proffered

SMITH DENIES AND EXPLAINS ALL THE CHARGES PREFERRED AGAINST HIM BY EX-CASHIER TULLOCH—HERMAN'S BID THE LOWEST—ENTITLED TO IT

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The President has absolute confidence in Postmaster General Payne and has no thought that he will leave the cabinet, said Senator Hanna today, after a visit to the White House.

"The President is satisfied with the work Payne is doing and appreciates his integrity and executive ability. Payne has no thought of resigning but if he did his resignation would not be accepted by the President."

Smith Makes Answer.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 26.—Ex-Postmaster General Smith today made public the answer to the Tulloch charges. He states that the apparent irregularities in the military department, and payment of the bond premiums were due to the exigencies of the situation; that all contracts were let by competition; that the vouchers questioned were regular in form; that the Washington Postoffice lease was entirely justifiable, and that the apparent double payment of salaries were explained fully.

Metcalf Will Stay Out.

Washington, June 26.—Assistant Attorney General Robb, of the Postoffice Department, today, in a decision in the money order contract case, holds that the bid of Paul Herman, of New York, who submitted a bid of \$45,000 below the present contractors, meets the requirements of the law, and is entitled to receive the contract. This is the contract which caused the dismissal of Superintendent Metcalf.

Run Short of Funds.

Washington, June 26.—Secretary Cortelyou announced today that, owing to the limited appropriation for salaries, and the fact that the transfers to take place in accordance with the law on July 1, do not create any new positions in the Department of Commerce and Labor. No more appointments can be made until further appropriations are secured.

WILL FIGHT THE CHARTER

SOME OF SUBURBANITES OBJECT TO BECOMING CITIZENS OF SALEM.

The expansion clause of the new Salem charter is to be considered. Ever since the first hint was made that there would be a move made to incorporate all of the suburban territory around Salem into the corporate limits the movement has met with stubborn resistance from a few outside parties who object strenuously to having their property made a part of the city and become subject to municipal taxation.

Attorneys W. H. Holmes and M. E. Pogue have been employed by the contesting parties to draw up a complaint, and it is understood, but not definitely known, for they will not converse upon the subject, that the attack will be made from a constitutional standpoint. The city authorities claim to know nothing about the movement except what dame rumor has whispered to them and say they will take no action toward preparing for a defense until papers are served upon them officially. It is to be taken for granted, however, that the city will offer up a stubborn resistance to the suit, and that the case will be fought through all the courts.

It will take an immense sum of money to prosecute the case and, it is said that all those who are opposed to the extension of the city limits are contributing generously to the fund. It is understood that A. Bush and two owners on the outside are the leaders in the movement. No doubt the city will employ the best counsel obtainable to defend the charter and the case promises unusual interest.

ARE STILL SEARCHING

THE HUNT FOR MISSING BODIES HAS NOT YET BEEN ABANDONED.

HEPPNER, Ore., June 26.—Although no bodies have been found since Wednesday the search continues and the relief committee has decided to keep a considerable force of men engaged at this work for several days. The known missing number about twenty and there is believed to have been several strangers in the city who were victims of the flood and who are yet unaccounted for, making the supposed missing about thirty. Contributions continue to come in and the total received to date amounts to \$44,489.

A FIENDISH CRIME

WOMAN TIED STEPPAUGHTER IN SACK AND ROASTED HER TO A CRISP.

CHICAGO, June 26.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from New Orleans says: Mrs. Mary Patterson is under arrest at New Iberia charged with murder. The woman became enraged at her stepchild, a little girl of ten years, after beating her tied her in a corn sack and suspended her to a limb of a tree. She then made a fire beneath the tree

and piled on a lot of paper to intensify the heat and smoke. The sack caught fire and the body falling out, burned to a crisp.

THREE ARE PARDONED.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The President has pardoned three Filipinos—Pedro Santos, convicted before a military commission for violating the laws of war and for murder, and Jose Atienza and Felix Atienza, also convicted of murder and of being guerrillas.

These pardons were recommended by Governor Taft, by the General commanding the division of the Philippines and by the Secretary of War, for the reason that the offenses grew out of the insurrection, were committed during it and because the amnesty proclamation of the President, dated July 4, 1902, did not cover the cases of these prisoners.

CAN BROOK NO INTERFERENCE

Russia Will Return Jewish Petition With Thanks

LEARNS WITH REGRET

The Government's Intention to Send It and Hopes It Will Not

WILL RECEIVE THE ENVOY CORDIALLY AND BEAR NO ILL WILL AGAINST THE UNITED STATES—REICHSTAG PRACTICALLY UNCHANGED BY ELECTIONS.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The Russian government learns with regret the intention to send the petition of American Jews to St. Petersburg and hopes the Washington authorities will reconsider the determination. However, should it be presented, Russia will receive the American envoy with the utmost cordiality, and in returning the petition, Russia hopes that the American Government will understand that she cherishes no ill will and is merely maintaining an unalterable position taken weeks ago that it can brook no outside interference in her internal affairs.

Socialists Encouraged.

Berlin, June 26.—The result of elections yesterday leaves the Reichstag practically unchanged, so far as the question of the Army, Navy and Commercial treaties are concerned, though the Socialists, encouraged by the enormous increases in their popular vote, will probably offer stronger opposition to the naval and military measures than ever.

TO DOUBLE OUTPUT

WASHINGTON STATE FISH COMMISSION PREPARES TO OPERATE HATCHERIES.

ASTORIA, Ore., June 26.—Fish Commissioner Kershaw, of the State of Washington, has decided to expend \$7000 during the present season in the propagation of salmon in the Columbia River district. He will operate but three hatcheries, Kalama, Chinook and Wind River which have been proven to be the best for the purpose. Last year these hatcheries turned out 22,000 young fry, while the entire output of the Washington state hatcheries was 29,000,000. The capacity of the three hatcheries, which are to be operated, will be more than doubled as the output from the Washington side of the river will be close to 50,000,000. Deputy Commissioner Burton, who has charge of this district, anticipates no trouble in securing that many eggs and will have everything in readiness to handle them.

DIDN'T AID SUFFERERS

KANSAS LEGISLATURE ONLY APPROPRIATED MONEY FOR BUILDING BRIDGES.

TOPEKA, Kas., June 26.—The extra session of the legislature ended this afternoon. Over fifty bills were passed. Most of them gave the counties right to restore bridges. An effort was made to pass a bill appropriating money for the relief of the sufferers, but it was defeated. The action of the Legislature has caused a great amount of comment.

BURIED IN CLAY

A TWENTY FOOT BANK CAVED IN UPON THREE WORKING MEN.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 26.—A wall of clay, twenty feet high, caved in on three laborers this afternoon instantly killing A. Jampere, and resulting in injuries to Samuel Romeo and R. C. Vanderhook. The men were engaged with four others in digging a trench on the site of the new Seattle Athletic Club building.

LOOK FOR MORE TROUBLE.

WILMINGTON, Del., June 26.—The danger of further lawlessness as the result of the lynching of White, and the arrest of a man on the charge of complicity in the lynching has not yet passed. This afternoon the saloons were ordered to suspend business until tomorrow and generally the public places were requested to close tonight. The police are preventing the congregation of crowds.

FOR POLITICAL EFFECT.

FRANKFORT, Ky., June 26.—Gov. Beckham today gave out a statement on his position in the Breathitt county matter. He maintains that the recent criticisms of his conduct have been done mostly for political effect.

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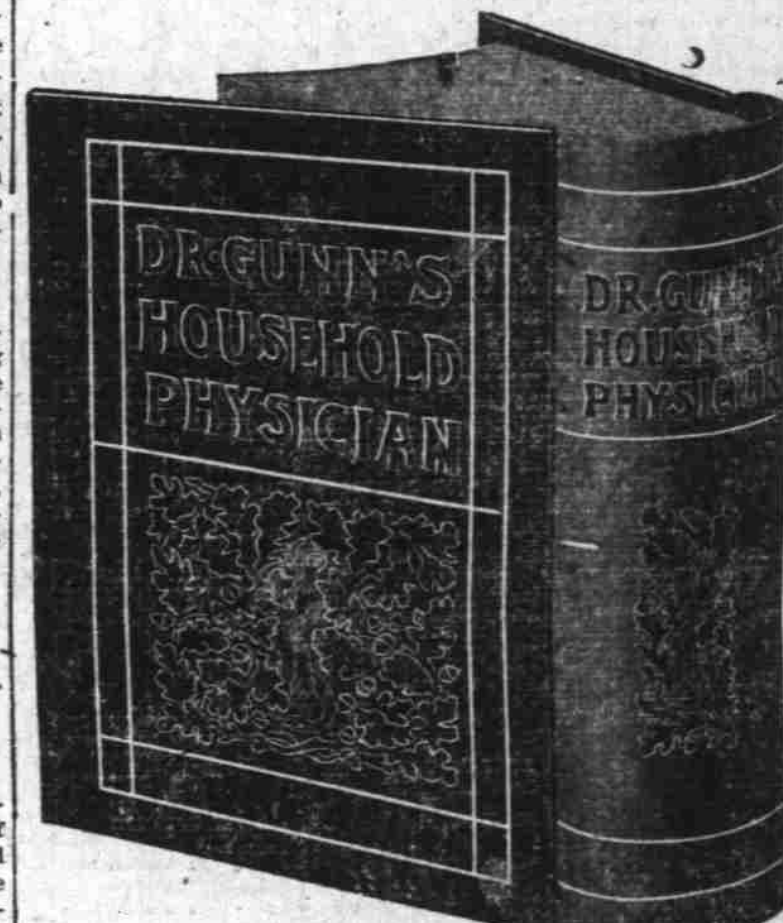
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ARE STANDING TRIAL ON SERIOUS CHARGE

PORTLAND, Ore., June 26.—The preliminary examination of Miss Marie Ware, former U. S. Commissioner at Eugene, and Horace G. McKinley, a timber land operator, was commenced before United States Commissioner Sladen today. The Government accuses Miss Ware and McKinley of forging the names of persons who do not exist to homestead applications and of then selling the land thus fraudulently acquired to timber buyers from the East. The examination was not finished and will be continued tomorrow.

THE CORNELL CREWS HAD A WALKOVER

Won All Three Events in Intercollegiate Regatta and Broke the Record for Varsity Race—Rowed Away From Competitors From the Start—Several Surprises in Race

POUGHKEEPSIE, June 26.—The Varsity four-oared race, two miles—Cornell first, time 10:34; Pennsylvania second; Wisconsin third; Columbia fourth. Freshmen race, eight-oared two miles—Cornell first, time 9:15; Syracuse second; Wisconsin third; Columbia fourth; Pennsylvania fifth. The best previous time was 9:19, made by Yale in 1897. Varsity race, four miles, eight-oared—Cornell first, time 15:57; Georgetown second; Wisconsin third; Pennsylvania fourth; Syracuse fifth; Columbia sixth. For the first time in years there were distinct surprises in the intercollegiate races here today. The Syracuse and Georgetown Universities, two crews of

practically unknown quantities and whose coaches had not predicted or had hoped for them anything better than fourth or fifth places, in their respective races, each finished second in the two most important races of the day. The Columbia University crews, from which much had been promised, finished in the worst possible shape in every race. It was as if it has now been the past four years, Cornell day. As in the last year's regatta, Cornell won all three races.

The Varsity race, a matter of fact, was a miserable walk over. Cornell took the lead before the mile point had been reached and rowed away from the competitors in a manner so easy that at no time was she ever pressed for the first place.