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50,000 ATTENDED THE FAIR

Borah Must Answer Charge of Robbing Uncle Sam

BOBORAH'S TRIAL MONDAY MANY FRIENDS

Idaho, Sept. 21.—United States Senator William E. Borah, in the prosecution of William Wood and other "undesirable" of the Western Federation of Miners, will face an Idaho jury to defend himself of the charge of conspiring to defraud the government by securing title of timber lands.

rest of the senator when the indictments were returned last April in order that Borah might be free to conduct the Haywood prosecution. Although several other prominent men were indicted with him, Senator Borah has been granted the privilege of a separate trial. Witnesses have been subpoenaed for Monday, the date set for the beginning of the trial, and it is believed that there will be no delay, as Borah has been insistent in demanding an immediate trial.

It is likely that the trial of George Pettibone, who was indicted with Haywood and Moyer for the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg, will have to be postponed as a result of the Borah trial. In that case, attorneys for the Western Federation of Miners will probably demand his release on bail. If Borah should be convicted it is generally believed that the case against Pettibone and Moyer would be dropped. Borah has been the mainstay of the state in the prosecution of the federation leaders, and if he should be convicted of a crime it would serve to thoroughly discredit the state in the Steunenberg case.

The case for the government will be conducted by Attorneys B. M. C. Burch of Denver and S. H. Rush of Omaha. The latter is a special assistant general, representing the department of justice. He has relieved District Attorney Ruick in these cases, owing to the allegation

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FAIR CLOSES TODAY

A GREAT MEETING

Quality of Exhibits Leaves Only Quantity to Be Depended On At Future Fairs for Perfection Seems to Have Been Reached

Result of Yesterday's Races.

Consolation, 2:14 trot—Carlokin, 1st; Satin Royal, 2d; Crylla Jones, 3d; Zombowetta, 4th. Best time, 2:13 1/4. Purse, \$1000.

2:14 pace—Deviletta, 1st; Maude L., 2d; Queen B., 3d; Swiftwater Bill, 4th. Best time, 2:12 1/4. Purse, \$500.

Running, five furlongs—Titus II, 1st; Hop Queen, 2d; Jackfull, 3d. Time, 1:02. Purse, \$150.

Running, 6 1/2 furlongs—Crighl, 1st; Phyz, 2d; Marval Mitchell, 3d. Time, 1:22 1/4. Purse, \$150.

Today winds up the greatest of all Oregon state fairs. Although the first two days were rainy and unpropitious, the beautiful weather of the last four days brought out immense crowds, and the attendance will run over the 50,000 mark. The fair has been a success in every way, and what is most to be proud of, has been greatest in its exhibits, both in quality and quantity. The improvement in stock is a revelation, and the agricultural products seemed to have reached the point where quality alone remains to make the excellence of exhibits.

Evening.

Band music at 7:00.
The Martels at 7:30.
Moving pictures at 7:45.

In the Auditorium.

Following is the program for this evening in the auditorium, beginning at 8 p. m., this being the closing night.

Music by the band.
Singing by the Southern quartet.
Cantata by 100 school children, under the direction of Prof. R. A. Heritage, entitled "Months and Seasons."

Music by the band.
Singing by the Southern quartet.

Saturday Night.

Program McElroy's Military band, W. E. McElroy, director:
March, "Oregon State Fair"
..... McElroy
Overture, "Bohemian Girl".....Balfie
Baritone soloSelected
Sic. De Capricio.

Descriptive selection, "The Hunting Scene" (by request).....Bucalosst
Selection, "Mlle Modiste".....Herbert
Polish Dance,Scharwenka
Medley, "Popular Songs".....Ascher
"National Airs".....

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JURY ACQUITS REYNOLDS

Portland, Sept. 21.—After being out 20 minutes the jury in the Reynolds murder case brought in a verdict of acquittal last night.

Big Chiefs to Testify.

New York, Sept. 2.—Rockefeller and the five great chiefs of the Standard Oil have been called upon to testify in the government suit to dissolve the Standard.

DEVIOUS BANKING METHODS

BANKS KIND TO ALL

Moore and Morris Started Small Banks and Loaned Money to Themselves—Moore Doesn't Want Talk Made, As It Would "Injure Bank"

There are two deep and boggy financial morasses in the dismal Oregon Trust & Savings bank swamp through which the simple-minded depositors and creditors have not been able to wade without feeling like cussing somebody. Both appear in Receiver Devlin's report. The more the bulky document is analyzed the deeper and bogger becomes the swamp. The first morass is the list of 186 separate accounts under "loans and discounts," aggregating \$326,834.92, not one of which bears indorsement or is represented by collateral. The other morass is the \$275,000 worth of overdrafts, a single one of which amounts to more than \$100,000, and so far as appears in the Devlin report not a cent of this mighty sum is secured. In other words, there is a grand total of more than \$584,000 for which the bank cannot show a scrap of security other than the individual notes of the customers, in the case of the free and easy loans made, and with nothing but the well or bad placed confidence in the depositors for the overdrafts.

Starting out from all this chaos is the bold fact that the bank allowed one single customer to carry an overdraft in excess of the bank's total paid-up capital. Two and one-half times the bank's capital was carried in overdrafts, and three and one-half times, nearly, was carried in unsecured loans.

Accounts such as that of a mere automobile repair shop which could as a firm borrow \$12,000, and the individual partners \$2000 more, and on top of this be extended the courtesy of a \$947.70 overdraft, is another example of the Chadwickian finance system which took place within the plastered walls of the bank on the corner.

A fraternal order, local in character, through the personal friendship of one of its officers with the cashier of the bank, was able to borrow \$33,000 without scratch of indorsement or collateral. Several "paper" enterprises, one of which is defunct already, another tangled up hopelessly in litigation, and in all of which Cashier Morris was interested or maintained warm personal friendships with their promoters, are creditors of the bank to the tune of thousands.

Partners in some concern would borrow money on a joint note, then other items indicate that the partners would borrow individually and indorse (without offer of collateral) one another's paper.

The White Salmon Valley bank (a Moore and Morris institution) would borrow money on the Oregon Trust & Savings bank, and the State bank of Ranier (another Moore and Morris institution) would indorse the note.

"Improvement," "Development," "Irrigation" enterprises in which some one of the officials of the bank were interested in one way or another would go to the bank to get money and the officials would indorse the loans.

President Moore has an overdraft of his personal account in the bank

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THE ORIENTAL PROBLEM.

Sentiment of Best Citizens Against Immigration.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 21.—Dr. Robert Johnston, of Montreal, who was in Vancouver at the time of the riots, says today: "The people of Canada must understand the problem that confronts British Columbia. It is one that must be solved by the western provinces. The men in the parade were not 'rif raf,' but the best people of the working class of Vancouver. British Columbia's problem is Canada's problem."

PORTLAND AND THE ORIENTALS

Portland, Sept. 21.—Fear is felt in Portland that the proposed great demonstration against Oriental labor planned for Portland soon by the Federated Trades Council, may excite the Orientals and cause trouble. The Federated Trades Council plan to make the demonstration the greatest on the coast, and will call in speakers of national fame. "The time for definite action against the Japs, Hindus and Chinese has come," declared Secretary P. McDonald, amid the cheers of the great crowd.

DID RUICK BULLDOZE THE JURY?

Boise, Idaho, Sept. 21.—United States Judge Whitson did not finally pass on the motions raised by the defendants in the land fraud cases this morning, as expected. Instead, he said he would investigate the charges against Ruick, contained in the affidavits of grand jury men. These charges are so serious the court could not overlook them.

George Latham, of the grand jury, who made the principal affidavit against Ruick, was the first witness called. He stated Ruick had come into the grand jury room the day before the indictments were returned with a printed list of those afterwards indicted. He said Ruick had made what he considered an argument. He said Ruick said the responsibility for the indictments would be on his shoulders. Hawley took the witness for the defense. Latham told the court in answer to Hawley's questions that he had wanted to explain his vote on the indictments, but was shut off by the foreman. He said Ruick stood outside the door while the indictments were voted, and was in the room three minutes after the indictments were voted. No indictments were read to the jury, but mere the names of those to be indicted. Judge Burch took the witness.

"How old are you?" he asked.
"Sixty-two," said the witness.
"Ever served on a jury before?"
"Yes," said the witness.
"Was Ruick district attorney then?"

"Yes," said the witness.
"Did you make this affidavit?"
"Yes."
"Who asked you to make a sworn statement?"

"Hawley," said the witness. "I met Hawley at the postoffice, and he asked me to come to Borah's office and talk it over."
"Was Ruick impartial, asked Burch.

"Very fair," said Latham.
Ruick then gave the witness a short examination, and adjournment was then taken until afternoon.

STODDARD DAYTON MACHINE

MAYOR HELD WATCH

Makes Record Run From Albany to Salem, 26 Miles in 1:08—Beats Train From Portland By An Hour

Dickenson and Wright, of the Oregon Hotel, Portland, made a record-breaking run from Albany to Salem Friday, in 1:08, 26 miles, over the hill road, the Jackson hill being the highest and steepest hill in the Willamette valley. Wright drove the machine, and Mayor Rodgers, of Salem, held the watch. The mayor proved game the way he took the bumps. The Stoddard-Dayton 35-horse power won the Economy cup prize that was contested for a few months ago in the Portland-Salem-McMinnville race, in which about 150 Portland machines participated. Wright and Dickenson took turns driving. They came up to Salem from Portland Thursday in 2:25, making the last 26 miles from Aurora to Salem in 50 minutes, and beating the S. P. train over an hour. They took chances on mud holes as long as a brick block, and with unknown depth. Their time from Portland to Albany, 80 miles was 3:33. The Oregon Hotel men are game sports, and have toured all over the Northwest, but say they have found no scenery equal to what they saw between Salem and Albany. They took a run today from Salem to Dallas and return, and will tour the valley for several days.

Embezzler Turned Loose.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 21.—Hallam Sims, the young Atlanta embezzler, whose peculation in 1903 caused the suspension of the Capitol City Bank, will be released from the United States prison tomorrow on account of good behavior. He was under a six-years sentence. Sims traveled in the best of Southern society, and his connections came to the rescue of the bank, which paid dollar for dollar.

They Cast Out Devils.

Zion City, Sept. 21.—The coroner is convinced after investigation that many deaths in Zion City have been hidden under the religious cloak. The case of Mrs. Greenlaugh Wednesday was the first to secure publicity. The testimony shows that a Miss Young also died of the demon treatment by Mitchell. The bodies were kept covered several days by the parhamites in the hope that incantations would restore life.

Wants Cheap Labor.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 21.—Charles Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, who is visiting Vancouver, declared this morning that the railroads of Canada must have cheap labor, and that the Grand Trunk would employ any immigrant admitted by the government. This is construed as a demand for Oriental help.

Dropped a Shell.

Wilhelm Haven, Germany, Sept. 21.—Five persons were killed and six wounded today when artillerymen, unloading ammunition at the depot, dropped a shrapnell shell, which exploded.

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