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JAPANESE SPIES

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...by the government on the charge of being a spy. The man under arrest is a short, heavy fellow of evident good education, and was arrested at Reiptown on the complaint of A. B. Clinton, a prominent draughtsman. Clinton says the Jap, who refuses to give his name, cultivated his acquaintance with Clinton, and then made him a proposition to accompany him to San Francisco, and endeavor to see the drawings of the harbor fortifications. Clinton says that the Jap offered him a big bonus, and was to pay his expenses, explaining that he would not make the drawings himself, as the soldiers were watching all Japs too carefully. Clinton says he was as the Jap had concluded to accompany Clinton says he started him and started to take him to the officers. The Jap put up a fight and proved himself a man of Jiu-Jitsu. In the melee Clinton's fingers were so

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walked into fortifications with cameras, when they are seeking scenic views. They have no intention of spying, but the laws of the country demand in Japan, as in the United States, that the foreigner be captured and tried."

MEAD HAS AN IDEA OF TAFT

Spokane, Wash., March 11.—"I will stand by the nominee of the Chicago convention, whoever that person may be, and I shall stand by the state ticket, whether I am the gubernatorial candidate on that ticket or not, but, as for making any announcement of my position with or against Secretary Taft, I do not consider that I am in a position to take sides one way or the other."

Such was the reply of Governor E. A. Mead today, when asked for his position on the coming presidential contest.

"About the middle of May I shall be a guest of the President in Washington, with the other state governors, and I consider that it would be a breach of courtesy to go there pledged to support one person or another. I feel certain, however, that the Washington delegation will be for Taft."

Governor Mead was the guest of honor last night at the annual banquet of the Y. M. C. A., which was attended by several hundred people.

SPANISH KING IS GRATEFUL

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Barcelona, Spain, March 11.—Barcelona, Spain, March 11.—day, and should the day pass as successfully as yesterday King Alfonso's trip here will probably prove a boon to the city, in addition to greatly increasing the young king's popularity. His courage in braving the anarchists' threats has made him an idol. At a dinner last night the king intimated that, in return for the hospitality accorded him he would probably return to Barcelona the constitutional guarantee recently withdrawn, because of the city's reputation for being a hotbed of anarchy and revolt.

The word has been passed to gendarmes and soldiers and Barcelona is all agog.

HARRIMAN CUT OUT

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journey by way of Portland and over the Harriman lines, will have to pay \$4.35 cents more than via the Northern Pacific or Great Northern railroads and St. Paul. Next Sunday the Hill lines will refuse to exchange tickets with Harriman lines on one way passenger business between Puget Sound and Eastern points via Portland. Although local agents of the Hill and Harriman lines will not say such an order has been issued, it leaked out today from official Northern Pacific sources, that strict orders have been received from the traffic department in St. Paul to discontinue the sale of tickets from Tacoma and other points via the Northern Pacific to the Harriman lines after Sunday. The order means that Harriman is effectually cut out of the passenger business of Puget Sound and the Northwest until the proposed line of the Union Pacific from Portland to Tacoma is constructed.

The new order of things results from the recent ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission, providing that all tariffs filed by a railroad which uses the line of another railroad must have the written concurrence of the road whose line is used. In the past the rate between Tacoma and points East has been the same over either the Harriman or Hill lines, the former absorbing the Northern Pacific fare of \$4.35 between Tacoma and Portland, where Harriman passengers connect with either the Southern Pacific or the O. R. & N. line.

G. P. TERRELL FOR COUNTY JUDGE. G. P. Terrell, of Mehama, has today filed his petition as a candidate for the nomination for county judge on the Republican ticket.

SCHMITZ MAY FACE NEW BILLS

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, March 11.—Now that Eugene Schmitz has gained his freedom on bonds, after a fight which from the start looked hopeless, the friends of the former mayor, and Schmitz himself feel that he will never again go to jail.

From now on Schmitz will spend most of his time with lawyers on a defense to meet the 28 indictments still hanging over him, fourteen of them are in the trolley case and as many in the gas case.

The release of Schmitz marked the beginning of activities in the camp of the prosecution. While the former mayor and his attorneys feel that possession of his liberty is nine points in his favor, the state takes a different view. District Attorney Langdon and Special Prosecutor Heney are confident that the grand jury will vote new bills that will stand scrutiny and a thorough test.

RAILROADS MAY RAISE FREIGHTS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, March 11.—Report were in circulation on the Stock Exchange today that President Roosevelt was in favor of permitting the railroads to raise freight rates in order to maintain wages. It is even said that a number of railroad presidents had received assurances that no objections would be made by the Interstate Commerce Commission if its consent would be sought. It is said that several railroads presidents recently came together in this city informally and discussed the question and that further meetings are soon to be held to take some action in the matter of laying representations before the commission.

DE SAGAN REMAINS BEHIND

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Cherbourg, March 11.—The Anna Gould-Prince de Sagan plot thickens. The former Countess Boni sails for New York at 5 o'clock this evening on the steamer Kron Prinz Wilhelm, and from arrangements made in her suite it is now certain that she is going to take her children with her. Prince de Sagan dropped out of sight today, and it is stated at his apartments that he is not going to sail, that the state rooms supposed to have been reserved for him were, as a matter of fact, for the Castellane children and their tutor.

HARVESTER TRUST IS NON GRATA

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, March 11.—Attorney General Bonaparte has been so persistently bombarded with queries as to when the much-discussed suit against the so-called "harvester trust" would be instituted, that today he put the matter up to President Roosevelt. After a conference, at which Herbert Knox Smith, chief of the bureau of corporations, was present, the announcement was made that the department would proceed against the trust vigorously, and that a report would be forthcoming "within a few months." The investigation began a year ago, but in the meantime Mr. Smith transferred his activities to the Standard Oil Company inquiry. Attorney General Bonaparte is awaiting a report of Smith's investigation.

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PORTLAND GETS ON ANOTHER

Portland, March 11.—Schwartzchild & Sulzberger, the biggest independent firm of meat packers in the United States, will build a packing plant in South Portland costing \$1,500,000, if the council will permit the establishment to be located within the city limits. An ordinance will be presented to the council today for passage granting the firm time enough to construct and operate a modern packing plant on the present site of the Zimmerman Packing Company's establishment. The plant to be erected in South Portland will be a duplicate of the Schwartzchild & Sulzberger establishment in Chicago. The capacity of the Portland establishment will be 10,000 cattle; 25,000 hogs and 15,000 small stock a week.

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SALVATION ARMY LASSIES

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Vancouver, B. C., March 11.—The first train load of "assisted" immigrants brought to British Columbia by the Salvation Army have arrived. Only 15 of these, and not a man among them, remain in Vancouver city. The 15 are unmarried girls, who have already been hired as domestics, will, in many instances, take the place of Chinese in Vancouver. There were 54 married couples in the entire train load.

Not a single person in the entire 500 list had had work secured beforehand by the Salvation Army. The labor unions in British Columbia had made distinct objection to the proposed immigration before it was undertaken on two particular grounds. The government of British Columbia pays \$25 toward the expenses of each immigrant. The "subject" and the Salvation Army do the rest. The cost of transportation from London to Vancouver, including meals, was \$80.

Some of the states have declared for Taft several times.

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