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Washington City, June 15.—Special.—After a long consultation today with the commissioner of the general land office and with the secretary of the interior, George Hazzard announced that Charles DeFrance, secretary of the Democratic state central committee of Washington, would be appointed a special agent of the land office for that state, and that his official papers notifying him of the appointment would be sent out at once by mail.

TACOMA'S COUNCIL SCANDAL.

The Mayor Said to Have Accused Two Officials of Taking Bribes. Tacoma, June 15.—Special.—A scandal that has been blowing in the ears of the city council since the meeting of the city council on the 12th inst. has been made public by the publication of a resolution in the city clerk's office, which was introduced by the mayor and read by the city clerk, J. B. Smythe, on the 14th inst. The resolution is as follows: "Whereas, it has been reported, charged and proved, that certain members of the city council, to-wit, Mayor E. S. Orrison, James Wickersham, and James Wickersham, and by numerous and divers other citizens, a member of said city, to-wit, J. B. Smythe, city clerk of said city, have each of them been guilty of wicked, corrupt and unlawful practices connected with their said public offices; and

Whereas, said reports and charges are in substance as follows: "That said Mayor E. S. Orrison, while an officer and councilman of said city, dishonestly and corruptly, with the purpose of securing the election of said officers and city government of said city, for the purpose of causing and inducing said officers to willfully and unlawfully neglect and violate the law of said city of Tacoma and state of Washington, did unlawfully and corruptly, on or about the 23rd day of September, 1894, bribe and attempt to bribe the said city attorney, James Wickersham, to illegally and unlawfully allow gambling to exist and to be carried on within the limits of said city, at a certain place known as the Haystack theater, on Pacific avenue, and did offer to give said Wickersham the sum of \$500 provided said Wickersham would refrain from prosecuting and carrying on and conducting said gambling.

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this council that the president ought and is hereby instructed to appoint a committee of five members of this council to say, specify, thoroughly, fairly and impartially investigate said reports and charges and report to this council the facts in relation thereto and concerning the same, and also to report to this council their own recommendations as to what, if anything, ought to be done in the premises; and, be it further

Resolved, That each of the three great political parties ought to be represented on said committee."

President Harris appointed as the committee on the investigation of the charges, J. B. Smythe, Mayor, and Messrs. Parker, Ind. Dem.; Hester, Pop., and Kleeb, T. P.

While the resolution was being read by the president, Mayor Orrison, who had been standing in the audience, burst into the chamber in some excitement and said: "My name has been mentioned in this matter and I protest against Mr. Thompson or any one making any explanation until the committee has reported and we all have a chance to make explanations."

Thompson was ruled out of order. Bulger, who presided over the investigation, made the statement in the discussion that the mayor had reported the charges to him personally.

After the meeting to a Post-Intelligencer correspondent, Chief Smythe made an absolute and general denial of the charges. Said he: "I have looked somewhat about paying money to get my position, but I never paid a cent for it. People have asked me what it cost and I have replied, 'You put my money where it would do the most good' but in reality I never bribed or attempted to bribe any one. I never heard of these charges before."

City Attorney Wickersham, when asked regarding the matter refused to make any statement until the investigation is held. He said: "The charges are absolutely and unqualifiedly false, so far as they concern me, and I believe they are so far as they concern Smythe also. There is nothing in them and not one item in them can be proven to be true on the investigation."

It is well known that Thompson and Wickersham have been at odds for some time. Thompson, who is a Populist, stands in the way of Wickersham's confirmation in the council.

Bulger, who presented the resolutions, declared emphatically that he is no party to the charges, but that they had been made and it was the duty of the council to investigate them.

The investigating committee will meet at 3 p. m. Tuesday, immediately following a special meeting on Pacific avenue paving.

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KENTUCKY FOR SILVER

Bad News for Carlisle from the Democratic Primaries.

HIS MAN HAS TWO COUNTIES.

While Hardin, Free Coinage Candidate, Has Carried Eight.

Carlisle Indignant Over the Report That He Would "Dignify" Billy Bryan by Debating With Him—He Calls the Nebraskan a Populist.

Frankfort, Ky., June 15.—News received here tonight from today's Democratic primaries gives Hardin, candidate for governor, Montgomery, Clark, Jessamine, Scott, Kenton, Henry and Franklin counties, with Logan unopposed, but for free silver for Clark, Jefferson and Fayette, were carried. Hardin represents the free silver faction and Clay the opposition.

SECRETARY CARLISLE INSULTED.

By the Suggestion That He Would Debate With Billy Bryan. Lexington, Ky., June 15.—Secretary Carlisle said tonight in an interview on the subject of meeting William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, that he would not "dignify" him by debating with him. "What? dignify him by debating with him?" said the secretary, almost angrily. "No, sir; he is a Populist. He is not a Democrat. He is not a candidate in the Democratic platform he would be against the party success? No, I will not meet him under any circumstances."

Level P. Morton For President.

New York, June 15.—I have not said so for publication heretofore, but you may state emphatically that I am for Morton for president. So said ex-Speaker Hamilton Fish to a reporter. "I favor him on the grounds of his availability as a candidate and on his fitness for the office. He is the only logical candidate in sight. The majority of 100,000 that he received in this state for governor establishes his claim to the nomination. He is stronger in the state today than he was then. As an executive he made no blunders. The party workers, as well as the rank and file of his party, are enthusiastic for his nomination."

Depew Can't Wait for the Convention.

Cleveland, June 15.—The following telegram has been received from Chauncey M. Depew in reply to an inquiry as to whether he could attend the Republican National League convention next week: "I have notified the committee of the impossibility of my staying over the 30th at Cleveland to attend the league meeting. I leave here tomorrow for Nashville to deliver the annual address at the Vanderbilt university. Returning, I will arrive at Cleveland on the 19th at 5 o'clock and leave at 6. It is probably that a delegation will meet Mr. Depew at the depot and endeavor to prevail upon him to address the convention."

The Horr-Harvey Debate.

New York, June 15.—H. M. Esley, of Chicago, has been in this city and Boston for the past three days in the interest of the coming Horr-Harvey silver debate. The time for the contest to begin has been fixed for July 16, and it will continue from day to day until finished, and will be held in the city of Chicago. As each contestant is to have assistants, the sound money committee of the chamber of commerce of New York city, at Mr. Horr's request, will send five able men to help him, in conjunction with five others to be chosen from the West and South.

The International Monetary Conference.

Berlin, June 15.—The Deutsche Sonntag Post says that Emperor William has in no wise abandoned the idea of bringing about a meeting of the international monetary conference. His object in sojourning the various federal governments of the world was to pave the way for an agreement respecting the part which Germany is expected to take eventually in the meetings of the conference.

The Next Governor of Ohio.

Asa S. Bushnell, who was elected governor by the Ohio Republican convention, was born in Onida county, New York, September 16, 1831, moving from there to Cincinnati with his parents when a child. In 1851 he removed to Springfield, in which place he continued to reside. The first three years in Springfield, then he moved to a farm near Xenia, and then to a dry goods store, after which he became a bookkeeper. In 1857 he formed a partnership with Dr. John Lullow in the drug business, which he continued until



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1859, when he became interested in the concern of which he is now the head under the name of the Warder, Bushnell & Glassner Company. During the war he was captain of Company E, One Hundred and Fifty-second regiment, O. V. I., which company he recruited, and served as its captain in the Shenandoah Valley under the command of Gen. Hunter, in 1862. In 1866 he was appointed quartermaster general by Gov. Foster, in which position he served four years. He was one of the delegates at large to the national convention in 1867, of which positions were given to him without solicitation upon his part. At one time he possessed the city of Springfield with a patrol wagon and team of horses, and at another time a bronze drinking fountain, and again donated \$10,000 to secure the location near Springfield of the Ohio Masonic Home.

Secretary Lamont Coming West.

Washington City, June 15.—Secretary Lamont, with Mrs. Lamont, will leave here next week for a Western trip. He will be accompanied by Quartermaster General Bachelder, Secretary Lamont may extend his trip to the Pacific coast. They will probably look over the site for a new military post at Bismarck, N. D., which is contemplated in an act of the late congress.

The Philadelphia's Slow Trip.

San Francisco, June 15.—The United States cruiser Philadelphia arrived in port today from Honolulu and proceeded directly to Mare Island, making no stop in the bay. The Philadelphia was slow over here and is supposed to have made a very slow trip up, owing to having been in the water without cleaning for so many months.

The Japanese Occupation of Formosa.

Washington City, June 15.—The Japanese legation today received an official dispatch from the foreign office, summarizing the status of affairs in the island of Formosa as follows: "At Taipei and Tamsui, the two large cities in the north, all disorder is at an