

EVENTS IN COMMAND PREMIUM

In Nevada Fuel Needs Drive People to Extremities

Pay \$70 a Cord for Wood and Eager to Get It, Too

In Some Cities Committees Will Com-mander Coal if Railroads Per-mit Cars to Be Side-tracked

NORTH YAKIMANS RAID COAL TRAINS

By Associated Press. PORTLAND, Dec. 1.—A special to the Oregonian from North Yakima says that as a result of the coal famine at that place a raid was made on a coal train today as it passed through the town.

By Associated Press. GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 1.—A fuel famine exists in this camp, the supply of wood being exhausted. What fuel arrives from the hills is bid up by competitive buyers, the record price being \$70 a cord.

The railroad is bringing in old ties, scattered along its right of way. These are disposed of in lots not greater than a quarter of a cord at low prices. Hundreds of cords of wood are on the way, but are caught in the railroad blockade.

There is a similar scarcity of coal. When a carload arrives it is sacked and hauled to a street corner, where not more than three sacks are sold to any one purchaser, who must arrange for delivery.

The intense cold and deep snow, coupled with the fuel shortage, has caused some suffering.

Relief is in sight. Three carloads of coal will arrive tomorrow to be parceled out. The weather is moderating. Reports of sickness and death caused by cold and fuel famine are generally exaggerated. The principal cause of suffering is due to the overcrowding of the camp.

With lumber coming in, building is resuming and the camp will soon be able to care for all comers.

Rushing Wood into Nevada By Associated Press. RENO, Nev., Dec. 1.—Unless the fuel famine in Nevada is broken immediately, suffering and sickness and perhaps death will follow in the wake of the storm, which has raged for the past two days in Southern Nevada.

Coal cannot be obtained in Goldfield or Tonopah and wood is bringing exorbitant prices. Ties and telephone poles are now being burned, but a trainload of wood is now being rushed into southern Nevada and the famine in Goldfield and Tonopah will in all probability be relieved before many days.

The fuel famine extends over the entire state and even in this city coal cannot be purchased. Wood can still be secured here, but only in small quantities and at very high prices.

Plan Raids in Oregon By Associated Press. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 1.—A special from North Yakima says that the coal situation in North Yakima valley is growing worse. The weather is colder and some families in the city are suffering.

The Northern Pacific has five cars of coal on the tracks here and citizens are organizing to make a raid upon it, as the railroad company refuses to sell any.

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ROOSEVELT, PEARY AND WELLMAN SHAKE HANDS By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, called on the president by appointment today. He was heartily congratulated by Mr. Roosevelt on the achievement he has made in his latest Arctic expedition. Walter Wellman, who hopes to reach the Arctic regions by means of an airship, was at the executive offices when Commander Peary arrived. The two exchanged cordial greetings.

GATES WILL BE IN THE LEAD, IS PREDICTION

(Continued from Page One) among the Republican workers, due principally to a knowledge that Lindley's defeat is a foregone conclusion.

Arguments of the non-partisan speakers as they have succeeded in reaching a greater number of people have resulted in changing the views of many Republicans who had continued to cling to the machine as a question of party principle.

The meetings which have been held by the non-partisans during the latter part of the campaign have demonstrated the growth of the non-partisan sentiment and proved that the enthusiasm for the movement constantly is on the increase.

Last night's gathering in Blanchard hall, which virtually marked the close of the non-partisan campaign, was a most remarkable meeting. The big hall was taxed to its capacity by a throng of representative people, who demonstrated their intense interest in the non-partisan movement and in their loyalty to Mr. Gates by remaining in the hall from 8 o'clock until 9:45 in order to welcome the nominee for mayor, and then staying another three-quarters of an hour to hear him discuss the issues of the campaign.

Predictions are made even by those who have favored some one of the other candidates that Mr. Gates will certainly be elected; that Harper will be second in the race and Lindley third, with the Public Ownership bugaboo in the "also ran" class.

The size of Gates' plurality will depend much upon the number of votes cast. It will be small if the vote is light, but his vote will increase at a ratio exceeding that of Harper and Lindley with a heavy ballot.

It is confidently believed that 30,000 votes will be the minimum. Out of this Gates will receive 8,500, Harper 8,000, Lindley 6,500, Wilson 4,800, Marek 1,500, Phillips 800. The vote of the last three candidates will not exceed that amount even should the total vote be several thousand more than the estimated minimum. In other words, they will receive their maximum vote at the start.

For every thousand votes in addition to 30,000, Gates will receive the greater and constantly increasing share, until, should there be polled 40,000 votes, which is not improbable should the weather be bright and warm, Gates' vote will be about 14,000, Harper's 10,000 and Lindley's 9,000.

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GILLETTE CASE ARGUMENTS DUE

LAWYERS WILL BATTLE AT MONDAY'S SESSION

Defense in Herkimer Murder Trial Gets Permission to Swear One Witness and to Investigate One Point

By Associated Press. HERKIMER, N. Y., Dec. 1.—The testimony that District Attorney Ward wanted to bring together before closing the prosecution's case in the Gillette murder trial were gotten on the records this morning, and then court adjourned until Monday, when the lawyers will make their final arguments and the judge delivers his charge.

TWO HOLD UP ARIZONA STAGE

By Associated Press. PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 1.—Two masked men took fifty dollars from driver Billy Mankins and rifled the mail.

WASHINGTON PLANS \$2,000,000 CATHEDRAL

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—G. F. Bodley of London and Henry Vaughan of Boston, both architects, have arrived in Washington at the invitation of Bishop Satterlee to arrange the plans for the new cathedral which is to be erected in this city.

LAST OF M'CURDY'S LEAVES MUTUAL LIFE

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The Mutual Life Insurance company lost its last connecting link with the McCurdy family in the resignation of Peter Stuyvesant Pilot, a \$10,000-a-year "inspector of risks."

MME. POST, HEALER, QUILTS THE MAILS

By Associated Press. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 1.—The case of Helen Williams Post, the mental healer of Sea Breeze, Fla., which has been pending in the United States courts for six years, was ended today.

FREDERICK THOMPSON WEDS

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Frederick Thompson of Thompson & Dundy, and Miss Mabel Talliferro, the actress, were married at the Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in this city.

GOLDFIELD MINES MERGED

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—With the acceptance by the Combination Mines company of Goldfield of the terms offered by Senator George Nixon, and George Wingfield for the property of the company, a long and expensive litigation between the combination mines people and the Goldfield Consolidated Mines company has been settled.

GUNBOAT CONVEYS MINISTER DAWSON

By Associated Press. SAN DOMINGO, Dec. 1.—The United States gunboat Marietta with United States Minister Dawson on board arrived here today.

Sweden Recalls Minister Grip

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 1.—A. Grip, minister of Sweden to the United States, has been recalled.

DIES WHILE DIAGNOSING HIS CASE

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Dr. Edward J. McDonough, widely known on the upper east side for his charity, died at his home. Dr. McDonough diagnosed his own case before the arrival of another physician and death came while he was taking his own temperature and pulse. Dr. J. L. Wilhelm agreed with Dr. McDonough that the trouble was due to acute indigestion.

MEMPHIS MAN IS HELD AS A DEFAULTER

By Associated Press. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 1.—J. E. Hutchinson, former secretary and treasurer of the Delta Cotton company of this city, was today arrested on a charge of embezzling \$68,000.

DEATH UNCOVERS SECRET

By Associated Press. EUREKA, Cal., Dec. 1.—The filing of the will of the late John H. Gyselaar, a well known liquor merchant of this city, revealed a secret of his wife. Twenty-seven years ago his wife was committed to the Napa insane asylum. Although never divorced Gyselaar remarried twice. By each wife he had a child.

Minnesota Section Suffers

By Associated Press. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 1.—The coal situation in the country districts has become worse since the cold snap. One dealer said that Garretson, N. D., is about to close its schools because of lack of coal. In some of the towns near Garretson residents have threatened to move away if coal is not furnished soon.

Banker Gets Five Years

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AMUSEMENTS

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ADOPT LAW ON PUBLIC WORSHIP

FRENCH MINISTER ADDRESSES CIRCULARS

Prefects Are Instructed as to Conditions Under Which Services May Be Carried On After December 11

By Associated Press. PARIS, Dec. 1.—M. Briand, minister of public instruction, has addressed a circular to the prefects instructing them as to the conditions under which public worship may be carried on after December 11 when the law of associations goes into effect.

GRAIN FRAUDS ARE TO BE EXPOSED

By Associated Press. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 1.—Lidval, the contractor who is charged with fraud in connection with the purchase of grain for famine relief, and his agent, Sotskikh, have arrived here to testify before the investigating committee.

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The Heir to the Hoorah With—Guy Bates Post Prices—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 Both Phones BELASCO THEATER Commencing Tomorrow Night The Belasco Theater Stock Company will give a magnificent revival of the most successful play ever presented in Los Angeles— Old Heidelberg

Greatest of All Great Plays The sale of seats for this week's production of "OLD HEIDELBERG" is going to be another record-breaker. Thousands will be unable to get seats for this fine play, and only the early ticket buyers are sure of witnessing what will unquestionably be the week's best performance in Los Angeles. Join the big line of happy ticket purchasers at the earliest possible moment and don't be disappointed.

Next Week—David Grey's famously successful comedy drama, "GALLOPS." First time in the entire west.

ORPHEUM THEATER Spring at bet. 2d and 3d. Both Phones 1447. MODERN VAUDEVILLE Commencing Tomorrow Evening Long & Cotton, presenting six different characters in the playlet "My Wife's Diamonds"; Knight & Saville, eccentric dances; Rita Banzai Japs, oriental marvel acrobats; 3 Camaras Sisters, acrobats; Lillian Apel, pianologues; Leo White, soprano; Gus Edwards' School Boys and Girls. Matinees daily except Monday. Evening prices, 10c, 25c, 50c and 75c.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Main St., bet. 1st and 2d. Phones: Main 1967; Home A5137. THE FAMILY THEATER. Commencing Today's Matinee EDWARD R. SALTER PRESENTS The Convict's Daughter A Heart Story

George J. Elmore, supported by a strong company. Matinees Sunday, Tuesday and Saturday, 10c and 25c. Evenings 10c, 25c, 50c.

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