

LARGE CROWDS GREET PRESIDENT

PORTLAND, SEATTLE AND TACOMA WELCOME TAFT.

ALASKA HOME RULE OPPOSED

President Thinks Population Is Too Nomadic—Favors the Philippine Plan.

Portland, Or., Oct. 4.—Portland received President William H. Taft as guest of honor Saturday with splendid hospitality and a limitless expression of hearty good will and frank affection. Saturday morning the President dined through the principal streets of the city, attended by a splendid procession of automobiles bearing prominent citizens and members of his party, and by troops and police. The procession terminated at Multnomah field, where the President witnessed a flag by 3840 school children.

At the evening address the President entered a plea for the ratification of the income-tax amendment; he predicted that as a result of free trade with the Philippines sovereignty of the islands from this country would never be desired; he indorsed the policies of Theodore Roosevelt and renewed the pledge of his purpose to carry them out; he declared that boycotts were illegal and ought to be suppressed, and that all monopoly is wrong.

Leaving Portland Sunday evening, President Taft journeyed southward through Oregon and California, arriving at Sacramento this evening. Tuesday and Wednesday will be spent in San Francisco, Oakland and the neighboring cities, and the latter half of the week will be passed in the Yosemite National park.

No Home Rule for Alaska. Seattle, Sept. 30.—Speaking before the largest audience he has faced since his trip began—a crowd which overflowed the natural amphitheater of the A.-Y.-P. Exposition with its seating capacity of 20,000—President Taft announced that he would urge in his coming message to congress the enactment of a ship subsidy law.

Mr. Taft declared that the country was ready to try such an experiment, and that something must be done to build up an American merchant marine.

When the President turned to Alaska, however, and declared that he was opposed to granting a territorial form of government to that far-off possession; the statement was received in silence.

Later in the day when he was admitted to membership in the Arctic Brotherhood, an international organization made up of Canadians and Americans interested in the development of Alaska, the President announced that he intended to visit Alaska next summer and to go as far into the interior as time would permit.

Tacoma Greets Taft. Tacoma, Oct. 1.—President Taft, on his arrival at Tacoma received from an audience that thronged the big armory one of the most cordial greetings of his trip. The President was entertained at dinner at the Union Club, after making the trip from Seattle on board the yacht El Primero. The torpedo-boat-destroyer Perry escorted the yacht.

FLOAT IRRIGATION BONDS

Director Newell Says That There Will Be No Difficulty.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Director Newell, of the reclamation service, is of the opinion that there will be no difficulty in floating \$10,000,000 worth of irrigation bonds, if congress carries out President Taft's recommendation and authorizes the issue. Western bankers assured Mr. Newell that such bonds at a low rate of interest could readily be floated at par, for they would be secured by the reclamation fund.

This bond issue, Mr. Newell says, is very essential, for it will enable his bureau in one year to complete works which otherwise would not be completed inside of two years or perhaps three. He believes the President's indorsement practically assures the passage of the necessary legislation.

Many Democrats Invited.

Seattle, Oct. 3.—One thousand notices have been sent out by the Democratic State Committee of Oregon, urging Democrats of that state to visit the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition on Bryan day, October 12, and to give the Commemorative the most enthusiastic reception ever accorded a national character in the northwest.

INTERESTING IDAHO EVENTS

Boise—Two hundred teams and 500 men are employed on the New York canal in the Boise valley lining the great channel with cement to prevent seepage.

Wallace—A consignment of 10,000 black spotted trout from the state fish hatchery has been planted in Lost Lake.

Moscow—The Cross-Country Running Club has been organized at the University of Idaho and is to be under the direction of Clarence Edman; son, the University of Idaho crack half-mile runner.

Weiser—State Senator Freehater has filed with the county clerk a petition which will be presented to the county commissioners calling for a special election on the local option question.

Wallace—The Stack-Gibbs Lumber Company has quit the fight against Shoshone county and paid taxes for 1908, ending one of the legal cases the county has been pressing against the big lumber companies.

Lewiston—Woodhaulers are bringing wood to Lewiston from Craig mountain, 30 miles, because the freight rates on the Grangeville branch of the Northern Pacific are so high it is cheaper to haul it by wagon than to ship by freight.

Pocatello—What promises to be a mammoth booster meeting for Idaho will be held at Pocatello October 18-19, when the League of Southern Idaho Commercial Clubs will assemble at the Gate city for their second annual convention.

Orofino—The Union Fuel and Ice Company of Spokane have purchased 160 acres of land adjoining town, which runs heavily to lime shale and fire brick clay, and it is said to be their intention of building a cement mill.

Lewiston—Business men of Lewiston propose to take part in the local option campaign through the Taxpayers' League, formed to handle the "wet" side of the campaign. Prohibition leaders believe they can produce argument on the business side, and it is the intention to strip it of sensationalism if possible.

Boise—One of the most important public state land sales ever held in the state took place Saturday at the courthouse, when every acre of a tract of 12,000 acres, situated in the Long Valley country of Boise county, was auctioned off by State Land Commissioner Day, 1840 acres bringing an average price of \$27, although appraised at less than \$12 per acre.

WASHINGTON.

Trinidad—In a head-on collision between two Great Northern passenger trains near here, Dr. Cox, of Superior, Wis., was fatally injured. A misplaced switch caused the wreck.

Walla Walla—Peat, the first ever found in this part of the country, has been discovered in large quantities on the ranch of A. Haberstock, three miles southeast of this city.

Colfax—Otto Hoffmann, a young German, has been committed to the Medical Lake insane asylum. He is obsessed with the idea that the members of secret orders are persecuting him.

North Yakima—The excitement of seeing President Taft and of shaking hands with him was too much for Muriel Voce, a 6-year-old child, who has been in frail health. She died the evening after the President had departed.

Spokane—Marching to familiar gospel tunes 10,000 boys and girls paraded through the principal streets of Spokane. They represented the Sunday schools of Spokane, the demonstration being the beginning of a campaign to increase this work.

Bellingham—Thirteen persons were seriously injured and a smoking car on the Great Northern was badly wrecked five miles south of here when a giant cedar tree fell from the mountain side above the track directly across the coach.

Harrington—The car shortage is being felt here by grain companies, but is more binding with the flour mill owners, who find it hard to secure enough cars to handle their export trade. Warehousemen have loaded wheat into refrigerator cars and gondolas.

OREGON.

Pendleton—Babe Caldwell, a 15-year-old boy, won the first prize in the broncho-busting contest held here in connection with the district fair.

Baker City—Leaving her three babies and her husband soundly sleeping in their home while she went to secure food for breakfast, Mrs. Olla Rude returned to find the house in ashes and the little ones cremated. The husband escaped.

La Grande—In a decision handed down by the officials of the local land office, Judge H. J. Bean, of Pendleton, was exonerated of the charges of fraud brought against him last winter by the government in connection with a desert land entry of 320 acres in Umatilla county.

PROTEST MAY BE SENT TO JAPAN

ANTUNG-MUKDEN ROAD CONTROVERSY THE CAUSE.

OPEN DOOR MENACED

Japan is Said to Have Grabbed Mining Concessions Which May Be Regarded as a Violation.

Washington, Sept. 29.—The Government is preparing to take the most important action looking to the security of the open door in China. The action will take the form of a protest based on the Antung-Mukden Railroad controversy between Japan and China, which recently excited the diplomatic world.

Japan has obtained control of extensive mining concessions in South Manchuria, not for a limited, but for an indeterminate period. This is to be regarded as a distinct menace to the open door, according to the exposition of that policy as given by the late Secretary Hay.

The State Department, it is understood, has awaited full details of the agreement between Japan and China relative to the Antung-Mukden Railroad and with allied affairs of negotiation before taking any stand in the matter. During the last few weeks, our representative in the Far East have obtained piecemeal information as to this agreement, and exposition of the whole thing is expected within a few days. Information at hand has warranted preliminary arrangements for protest.

FIVE MILLIONS SEE PARADE

Warships of All Nations Give Salute in Honor to Hudson and Fulton.

New York, Sept. 27.—Reproductions of Henry Hudson's boat, the Half Moon, and Robert Fulton's Clermont, were the central figures in the Hudson-Fulton celebration which began Sept. 25 and lasts until October 9.

The two little ships once so weighty with achievements, before a marveling world, passed the warships assembled to do them honor, with a thousand merchant ships and pleasure craft trailing behind in a parade four miles long.

Probably five millions witnessed the great naval parade.

Ten Men Perish As Trains Crash.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Ten men were killed and 16 probably fatally injured when a train southbound for Cincinnati on the Pennsylvania road crashed into the caboose of a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul cattle train. Sixteen men were in the caboose of the stock train when the passenger train crashed into it. The engine plowed through the caboose, tearing it to bits and setting fire to the debris.

Friends Put Up Money.

Washington, Sept. 27.—To set at rest allegations which have appeared regarding the source of the funds used by the Roosevelt hunting expedition in Africa, Secretary Walcott of the Smithsonian Institution authorized the statement that not a cent comes from the funds of the institution or from the United States Government.

It is declared that the personal friends of Mr. Roosevelt, whose names are not disclosed, have provided the scientific party with sufficient funds to carry on the expedition.

PEARY BARS COOK'S THINGS

Refuses to Allow Whitney to Bring Records Back on Roosevelt.

New York, Sept. 27.—Commander Robert E. Peary refused absolutely to allow any of the records or instruments of Dr. Cook to be brought aboard the steamer Roosevelt and was thus instrumental in causing these records to remain in a cache at Etah, Greenland, according to Harry Whitney, the New Haven sportsman, in a dispatch received here by Dr. Cook.

Peary Makes His Defense.

Portland, Me., Sept. 27.—It was learned from a source close to Commander Peary that the commander justifies his action in refusing to allow Dr. Cook's instruments or records on board the Roosevelt, on theory he had been aware for some time of Cook's intention to claim the discovery of the North Pole, and that Peary therefore would sanction nothing to aid this project. Peary's forthcoming statement concerning Cook, it was learned, will charge that Cook cannot produce shoes, sledges or other equipment that will show the wear and tear that comes from travel over the Arctic ice.

Church Services

PRESBYTERIAN

The synod of Washington meets in Seattle, October 5th to October 8th inclusive. Rev. A. Durrie left on Monday to attend the session and expects to be away over the Sunday. Sunday School and Christian Endeavor at the usual hours. No preaching however.

METHODIST

Kendrick—10 a. m. Sunday School. 7:30 Preaching. Theme: "The Romance of Providence." Everybody cordially invited to attend.

JAMES S. TAYLOR, pastor.

Little Bear Ridge

Jesse Benjamin and Harry Campbell spent last Sunday at Atwater Lake.

Rev. Taylor will hold services on the 5th Sunday of this month instead of the 4th.

Mrs. Hogan left on the ten p. m. train Sunday, to take charge of her school near Peck.

Chas. Hinton has rented a farm from Burl Emmett and has set up a bachelor's establishment.

Goldie Campbell, who has been in Moscow for some time, returned to her home on the Ridge Wednesday.

Andrew Hawkinson is now threshing beans on the Ridge. Mr. Jacobson realized a yield of fourteen hundred pounds to the acre and Harry Campbell 2,000 pounds to the acre.

Dana Brooks, who has been quite sick with sore throat and a severe cold, is much better. He is being attended by Dr. Hoyt.

Strayed—Large red cow, turned-in horns, no white, no brand, about ten years old; last seen on East Bear Ridge. Reward for information leading to her recovery. O. Hupp.

Princes Flour makes bread like "Angel Food Cake."

Last Sunday night Harry Hupp was aroused from his slumbers by the squawking of chickens, and on investigating found that the disturbance was caused by a large owl, which after some difficulty, he succeeded in killing. It was of enormous size, measuring five feet from tip to tip.

SCHOOL NOTES

Hazel Hinton was enrolled Monday.

Verlene Emmett had an attack of tonsillitis last week.

The following are the names of the pupils who were punctual and regular in attendance: Pearl Emmett, Eugene Hatfield, Gustav Reiersen, Mary, Jesse and Loyd Kollenburn, Flossie Deibert and Luciel Tetric. George, Boyer, Oscar and Therodote Nelson, Olaf Reiersen, Ellen Reiersen.

Big Bear Ridge

R. P. Drury is on the ridge threshing beans.

Carlton Stockwell of Bovill was on the ridge last Sunday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Amos Moore, Oct. 5th, a daughter.

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Wm. VanHorn, Will and Herman Everet are among the Montana homestead seekers.

Princes Flour insures good bread all the time.

Rains beginning Tuesday night are putting the bean crop in "bad shape. Unless good weather is soon here, lots of damaged beans will be the result.

The reported sale of the VanHorn sawmill in last week's Gazette, we understand from Mr. VanHorn, is a mistake, as he says he has not sold out.

There will be services Saturday evening, Sunday and Sunday evening at the United Brethren Church. Their new pastor is expected to have charge of the meeting.

Well Known Hotel Keeper Uses and Recommends Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

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Coming Events at the Opera House

Among the attractions at the Barnum Theatre which have been announced by the management are:

LaMott Comedy Co. Oct. 11 and 12. The regular dances will be given during the coming season on the first and third Thursday evenings, commencing Oct. 21.

Roller Skating every Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Madison Square Theatre Co. Nov. 1st, to 6th, with a change of program each evening.

Leland Locals

Jos. Garner was a Leland visitor Tuesday.

C. L. Webster made a business trip to Vollmer.

M. Talbot was doing business in Kendrick this week.

Wm. Schroeder sold his farm half a mile from Leland to John Schultz.

Messrs Vaughn and Langdon of Cedar Creek were at the Eller sale.

Other things have happened but the writer has been too busy to see them.

Princes Flour is the purest and sweetest flour ever made.

Miss Carrie Welker and Jake Berreman were married Wednesday. They will make their home at Southwick.

A box Social will be given in Leland Hall next Friday evening, Oct. 8, for the purpose of papering and repairing the North M. E. Church at Leland. All are invited to attend.

M. E. Church South. Preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30 special service for the young people, but all are invited to attend all services. J. M. L. Hoyle, pastor.

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