

# CONGRESSMAN WILL BE ELECTED NOV. 2

GOVERNOR HAY DECIDES TO ISSUE CALL FOR ELECTION TO CHOOSE SUCCESSOR TO CUSHMAN.

(By United Press Leased Wire.) OLYMPIA, Aug. 26.—Governor Hay has decided to issue a call for an election to be held November 2 to select a congressman to succeed the late Francis W. Cushman. The candidate will be named by

the convention system. The governor came to this decision following a conference with Attorney General Bell, who says that under the provisions of the direct primary law, passed at the special session of the legislature, which adjourned Saturday, it will be impossible to hold an election and permit the successful candidate to qualify for the regular session of congress, which opens in December.

# UNION PACIFIC DEPOT WILL BE ARTISTIC

PLANS FOR STRUCTURE ARE SHOWN TO COUNCIL—CITY DADS STAND PAT ON THE FRANCHISE PROPOSITION.

Plans by Architect Jarvis Hunt of Chicago for the Union Pacific passenger depot were shown to the city council last night.

If they are adopted the depot will be located in the triangle plat of ground on the west side of Jefferson avenue, south of Seventeenth street. On the north end, where the Massasoit hotel is located, will be stands for hacks and baggage wagons. The subways leading under Jefferson avenue will lead to and from the streets, which will run above the street east of Jefferson.

worked up the present plan. He is also working out another plan and will have this ready before long. The company will then decide which is preferable.

The elevation of the building is of artistic design. The baggage sheds would be separate from the depot and would be on the east side of Jefferson.

Nothing was done by the council last night looking to the passage of the U. P. franchise across Pacific avenue.

The council still is standing pat on the proposition of the property owners in that end of the city who insist that the company deed to the city the triangle block at Seventeenth and Pacific for the new franchise.

# FIRE RAZES BIG PORTION OF TOWN

FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLAR LOSS CAUSED BY FLAMES AT KRUPP, WHICH WIPE OUT THE BUSINESS SECTION.

(By United Press Leased Wire.) WILSON CREEK, Wash., Aug. 26.—Merchants of Krupp, seven miles east of here, are today erecting tents to be used as temporary places of business until permanent structures can be built to take the places of those burned in yesterday's conflagration, which destroyed the greater part of the town.

The loss is today placed at \$400,000, partially covered by insurance.

Handicapped by not having fire fighting apparatus of any kind, the flames, which originated in an empty warehouse, spread rapidly to the business section and almost every business house in the town was wiped out. An appeal was made to Wilson Creek and a chemical engine and forty men were sent to Krupp. The brigade was a welcome relief as the people were worn out by their efforts to stay the progress of the fire.

# Given Up For Dead, Man Begins to Talk

PREPARATIONS FOR HIS FUNERAL CEASE AND DOCTOR IS PROMPTLY SUMMONED.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 26.—Health Inspector Pittman yesterday morning saved a Chinaman from being buried alive. The Oriental was brought in from Stevenson and taken to a Chinese hospital.

formed that he was dead and that his friends were even then at the undertaking rooms arranging for the burial.

Pittman went to the morgue to see the dead man and, carefully observing the body, detected signs of life. Summoning assistance, he had the man taken upstairs to one of the wards, where in a short time he began to talk.

A physician was summoned to take charge of the patient and he is progressing satisfactorily.

# TEMPERANCE WORKERS TO HOLD CONVENTION

TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF PIERCE COUNTY W. C. T. U. SET FOR NEXT WEEK.

The twentieth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Pierce county will be held at the First Methodist church, South Eighth and G streets, next Tuesday and Wednesday, August 31 and September 1. The program for the two-day ses-

ion is a very elaborate one and many interesting and important subjects will be discussed. Three sessions will be held on each day. Mrs. E. I. Lenhart, president of the union will deliver her address at the afternoon session Tuesday.

Delegates from all over Pierce county will be present and the convention promises to be the most successful in the history of the union.

# OLD SOLDIERS TO HOLD BIG REUNION

ANNUAL PICNIC OF G. A. R. OF PIERCE COUNTY TO BE HELD AT PARK SATURDAY—GOVERNOR MAY TALK.

Members of the G. A. R. and kindred organizations from Pierce county will hold their annual reunion and picnic at Point Defiance park Saturday, August 28. There are seven Grand Army posts in the county, and it is expected that nearly every member will be present at the reunion.

Special cars for the park will leave at 11 o'clock and at 1:30 a basket luncheon will be served. Following luncheon addresses will be delivered by Mayor Linck and others. Governor Hay has been invited to be present and deliver an address, and he will probably accept.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—It is now considered probable that E. H. Harriman will retire from the active management of his interests and, should he do so, it is the opinion of many that Judge Robert S. Lovett will succeed him.

Judge Lovett is general counsel for the Harriman lines. He is a native of San Jacinto, Tex., 49 years of age, and entered the railroad field in 1884 as general counsel for the Southern Pacific in the state of Texas.

# The Lure of the Stage

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grandmother's axiom: "Vice is a monster of such dreadful mien, that to be had needs but to be seen; but seen too oft, familiar with her face, first we pity, then endure, then embrace."

"On the first day of our job hunt Edythe had been instructed to return to the office of the Lefler-Bratton Co., who wanted "ponies" for their "Buster Brown" and "The Newlyweds" companies. So we went back. Of all the managers we had seen we found these men the fairest and most considerate. Edythe had made an impression upon them, and when she came back they were willing to talk contract. Not the least tremblingly the girl sang and danced and talked before them. They inquired minutely as to her age and her right to leave home. Finally, being satisfied with her, she was given a paper to sign, and in short order our little girl was a member of the famous "Newlyweds" ballet. The company had been out a part of last season, but expects its big run this year. Edythe is to sing the "Boog-a-boo" song, engage in a pillow fight, do a little minstrel stunt, dance and sing and wear all sorts of abbreviated costumes, six changes in all.



EDYTHE, OH, HAPPY GIRL, SIGNS THE MANAGER'S CONTRACT AND IS NOW A MEMBER OF THE PONY BALLET.

We went to a ratty old hall in W. 37th st., where the company is rehearsing without pay for five weeks. We passed a drunk on blond woman, beautifully dressed, in 34th st. and on Eighth av. saw the house in which Elsie Sigel was murdered by the Chicago man. Edythe looked with wonder at these things, but she was as happy as a child over her "great luck," and all of her self-confidence was now confirmed. She is to get \$20 per week, have her railroad fare paid, and all she will have to buy for stage wear are shoes and common stockings.

The 37th st. hall creaked under the feet of 200 boys and girls and grownups, members of two musical companies, rehearsing. It sounded like a monkey house at feeding time. One class was rehearsing the music, gathered about a piano like a country singing school. The musical director who will travel with the company was playing.

With infinite patience the director drilled his chorus. Each member held the typewritten song words and learned the music from the piano. There are a few good soprano, alto, tenor and bass voices in the chorus, and they lead the commoner voices, like Edythe's, the ensemble being loud and effective.

Dozens of times the director, standing at the keyboard, repeated the unlearned strain. Willingly and to the best of their ability the chorus followed. "Now give it to me strong," he would say, and they would. "Oh, rotten," he'd say. "Let me have that bass; don't sing through your noses, boys."

Our musical director was a pleasant fellow, but we have seen some who are not. Ours didn't swear at the girls; others do. "One, two, three; one, two, three, now altogether—tra-la-lal—it's fun to have supper out doors, out doors, except when the rain comes down"—and away the chorus would go, only to be stopped short and made to repeat a single strain a score of times. By the way, did you ever think how foolish are the scare words which carry the story of a musical comedy? The special songs which do not relate to the comedy bring out the encores.

Edythe is to try out dancing next and have some new experiences, and she is still unafraid. I have told her that if her money gives out I will loan her a few dollars, and she has seen a straw stack hat in a Sixth av. shop which she'd like to spend \$5 for. She says: "I'm the plainest dressed girl in New York, Miss Pollock—never mind, I'll have nice clothes some day."

Nice clothes! Yes, my little girl, but little do you know of the souls that are sacrificed in the name of nice clothes, of the flesh that is bartered for the poor, quickly perishing coverings which such as you learn to prize above honor and all else in life.

MISS POLLOCK'S STORY WILL BE CONCLUDED IN TOMORROW'S TIMES.

CHINESE TO END BOYCOTT AGAINST THE BRITISH

(By United Press Leased Wire.) PEKIN, Aug. 26.—Instructions were sent to day to the viceroy of Nanking province and the governor of Kiangsi to adopt measures to end the boycott of the Chinese along the Yang Tse river against British traders, following a protest from the British legation.

The boycott was begun after Police Inspector Mears was acquitted of killing a Chinese.

SALTER'S FUNERAL TOMORROW

The funeral of the late William Salter, who died at Los Angeles under suspicious circumstances, will be held from Hoska's chapel tomorrow afternoon at 1:30. The services will be conducted by the Grand Army and the Odd Fellows will accompany the body to the grave and take charge of the services in the cemetery.

# GREAT MORMON CHOIR SCORES TRIUMPH

TACOMA THEATER CROWDED TO DOORS BY AUDIENCE WHICH ENJOYS DISTINCT MUSICAL TREAT.

The Tacoma theater was crowded to the doors last evening with music lovers who had heard much of the Mormon Tabernacle Choir. Every one went there with the expectation of hearing something good and their expectations were more than fulfilled. The immense chorus of 250 voices arose as one voice of finely blended tones and great power. No more artistic and delightful musical program has been rendered in Tacoma this season.

A group of soloists assisted the choir and contributed to make the evening's entertainment an artistic success. Owing to a severe cold Mr. Alfred Best, the tenor soloist, was unable to appear. J. W. Summerhays appeared in his stead and charmed the audience. Other soloists acquitted themselves in a pleasing manner and all were endorsed. The ladies' quartet rendered the "Bridal of the Birds" in a way that elicited vociferous applause and the "Gypsy Sweetheart," a baritone solo by Mr. H. S. Ensign, with choir accompaniment, was the occasion for an ovation. Miss Helen Thomas, soprano, and John Robinson, baritone, both scored distinct triumphs.

J. McClellan, who played the piano accompaniments last night, is the organist at the Mormon tabernacle at Salt Lake, the second largest pipe organ in the world. The organ has four banks of keys and innumerable stops. John D. Giles, of the Giles Advertising Agency, Salt Lake, says that it is probable that Mr. McClellan, with Alfred Best, and several of the other leading vocalists with the choir, will return to Tacoma in the near future and give a recital.

# BIG STAMPEDE TO NEW GOLD FIELDS

DAWSON, Aug. 26.—News comes from the lower Yukon that a stampede is on from that section to the upper waters of the Kuskokwim river, where gold is reported found. The Kuskokwim is one of the mighty rivers of the continent. It is navigable 1,800 miles, and the vast valley which it drains has been little prospected, probably no more so than the Yukon before the big gold strikes which brought the heavy population to Yukon.

Nome and Fairbanks are joining the stampede to the upper Kuskokwim.

# HILL LOOKS FOR BETTER GRADE

KALISPELL, Mont., Aug. 26.—Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad and a son of James J. Hill, will leave here with guides today for a try through the mountains over Cut Bank pass, in an effort to find a better grade for his main line, and to inspect the proposed tunnel proposition through the pass. Hill is accompanied by his younger brother.

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Lasco Tar Soap, 10c cake, 4 for .....	25c	Vitae Ore, Agents ask \$1.00 .....	69c
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Peet's Mechanics' Soap, 10c cake, 4 for .....	25c	Walnutta Hair Stain, 60c size .....	39c
Sapolio, 10c cake, 4 for .....	25c	Cooper's Discovery, \$1.00 size .....	69c
Wool Soap, 10c cake, 4 for .....	25c	Wine of Cardui, \$1.00 size .....	59c
Lava Soap, 10c cake, 4 for .....	25c	S. S. S. Blood Medicine, \$1.75 size .....	\$1.20
Johnson's Belladonna Plasters, 3 for .....	25c	Danderine, \$1.00 size .....	65c
Hygeia Nursers, complete .....	19c	Grave's Tooth Powder, 25c size .....	15c
Garfield Tea, 25c size .....	15c	Syrup of Figs, 50c size .....	32c
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