I AM IT, SAYS TURNER

The Millionaire Senator Is Full of Egotism and Pride.

Most Pompous Display of Personal Ambition Ever Witnessed by A Colfax Audience.

Senator George Turner, the millionaire mineowner and autocrat of Spokane, addressed an audience at The Ridgeway Wednesday evening. The democrats secured the theater because they imagined that the court house would not hold the crowd that wanted to attend. In this they found themselves very greatly mistaken. In spite of the facts that the band furnished music on the streets and in front of the theater; that the democratic committee exploded giant firecrackers and the saloons burned red lights, giving Main street the appearance of a deserted "Midway" at some of the famous expositions, there was no immense throng to greet the distinguished gentleman. The theater was a little more than half filled with people and the reception tendered the senator when he appeared upon the stage was a Klondike frost in July—colder than the icy knob on the north pole. The audience could not be enthused, and the only mark of appreciation apparent was discovered when the speaker mentioned the names of these two great republicans, President Theodore Roosevelt and Governor Henry McBride.

William Goodyear did the honors of the occasion and introduced Senator Turner as the great, good and patriotic representative of the people. Goodyear, in very good taste, omitted trying to make a speech, leaving that for the distinguished gentleman.

Senator Turner prefaced his remarks by saying that he was in somewhat of a disheveled condition, both in body and mind, having just emerged from a railroad wreck at Riparia. "I feel," said the senator, "somewhat shaken up." After this apology he launched into the discussion of the issues of the campaign from a democratic standpoint.

It is remarkable, indeed, that so distinguished a personage as the Hon. George Turner should have made the speech he did. It was remarkable in more ways than one. The idea that he should try to foist upon the republican party of Washington the responsibility of the panic and resultant hard times, in face of the fact that the national government was under democratic control absolutely! It doesn't require any great memory to know that Washington was one of the last states in the union to succumb to the effects of democratic free trade, and one of the last to fall a prey to populistic rule. No one appreciates this fact more than Senator Turner and no one tries harder to purge the democratic party of its guilt. The senator's speech from beginning to end was a pompous and proud declaration of his own personal worth and a series of gross misrepresentations regarding the true condition of affairs.

Mr. Turner said that the constitution of the state provided that the legislature should pass a law regulating the conduct of the roads within the state to "pass a railroad law." The only attempt ever made was made by the populistic legislature of 1897, and that the republicans in that legislature defeated the measure. Mr. Turner claims great credit to himself for the attempt to "pass a commission bill." It is a most notorious fact that both houses of the legislature in 1897 were populist. The distinguished senator also remembers—although he was shrewd enough not to tell it—that there never was a "railway commission bill" before the Washington legislature. The bill to which Mr. Turner referred as "a commission bill" was the "maximum freight rate bill," which was to carry a reduction in freight rates of from $4.75 per ton to $3.50 per ton, or a net reduction of $1.25 per ton. This bill was passed by the house and had the support of the republicans in that body. When it went to the senate it was defeated. That defeat was not due to the republicans voting against it, but was due to the democratic members of the senate who held the balance of power in that body. Senator Turner admitted this but did not dwell upon the reason why the democratic senators voted against the measure. Turner claims great credit for that bill, when in fact it was Turner's own men who voted against the bill in the senate, under the direct orders of George Turner. The distinguished gentleman at that time was pretending to be a friend of Gov. Rogers and the freight rate bill. At the same time the senator held in his own hand the balance of power that was able to either pass or defeat that measure. It was defeated. The spectacle of George Turner attempting at this time to say that he was a true friend of the people, when he was notorious at that time as their most deadly enemy, is presumption beyond comparison! The above statement is warranted by fact. A check of the vote upon that bill by roll call in the senate, develops the fact that Turner lieutenants cast a vote against the measure in numbers sufficient to defeat it. The reason for that action is readily recognized. It was simply a smooth political trick accomplished by George Turner to make himself pat with the corporations. He succeeded.

Senator Turner didn't tell his hearers anything about an "anti-pass law." The reason for that is also very apparent. The democrats do not want an anti-pass law. If such a bill is introduced, Senator Turner will use his efforts to defeat it. Perhaps he will not do this openly, but he will do it quietly. That is the way he works—that has been his history.

Senator Turner dwelt at length upon the fact that HE, HIMSELF, had been nominated by the democratic party for United States senator, and that HE would be profoundly gratified if the people of Whitman county would send a democratic delegation to the legislature so they could vote for HIM for United States senator. The distinguished gentleman folded his arms and swelled himself up like a big blow-snake when he told of how HE had impressed HIMSELF upon the other members of the United States senate by his own PERSONALITY and that he was able to do more for the people of Washington than any other man, from the fact that HE was held in such esteem at the national capital. "If you want a man that will give all that is in him; all of patriotism, all of pride in the nation's welfare," said Mr. Turner, "vote for democratic legislators, and in a very short time after the legislature meets they will elect ME to succeed MYSELF." The senator said that if the democrats did not gain control of the legislature it was quite likely that the republicans would "deadlock" that body in their effort to elect a senator. Mr. Turner, however, failed to mention the fact that when he was a republican he "deadlocked" the legislature at one time and prevented the election of John B. Allen, the unanimous choice of the people for that position. It is well for Mr. Turner that he does forget some things. But the people have not forgotten.

TOOK CARBOLIC ACID.

J. F. Bredenick, a "German Expert" Takes His Own Life.

J. F. Bredenick, whose card reads: "German Expert Specialist and Dermatologist," was found dead in his room in the lodging house at the corner of Main and Upton streets, Tuesday morning about eight o'clock, by the landlady of the lodging house. The sheriff's office was immediately notified and the coroner called. An investigation disclosed the fact that the man had committed premeditated suicide. An empty bottle labeled carbolic acid poison was found upon the chair beside his bed. The indications are that the man had poured the contents of this bottle into a tin cup and drank it all. The body was found lying crosswise of the bed, as if in a resting position. He had removed his coat, vest, collar and tie and had taken off his shoes. The feet were resting in an easy position on the floor, while the body reclined upon its back across the bed. A small cotton rope with a slip noose was hanging on a nail behind the door. Evidently the man had contemplated hanging himself, but could find no convenient spot. The rope does not look as if it had been used for any purpose whatsoever.

Among the effects found about the room was a medicine chest containing a number of bottles of medicines. A number of bottles containing liquids of various kinds were found sitting on the top of the dresser. In his portmanteau were papers, photographs, packages of toilet soap and medicated preparations of all descriptions, ordinarily used in the treatment of skin and scalp diseases, corns, warts, bunions and ingrowing toe nails. No correspondence of any description was found, everything tending to throw any light upon his former history or life having been destroyed.

Bredendick came to Colfax about the first of August and has been about town almost constantly since that time. He has been drinking heavily since coming here, and appeared at many times to be under a heavy mental strain. So far as known he never communicated to any one anything regarding his former life. He has been heard to remark regarding some family trouble, and is supposed to have property in California, but nothing was found in his possession to substantiate this claim. His pockets contained an ordinary collection of keys, knives, corkscrews and 30 cents in money. The body was taken in charge by the undertaker.

Rally Called Off.

The republican rally which has been announced for tomorrow evening at the court house has been called off by the central committee, as it is impossible to get speakers here for that date. All of the available orators in this county are billed to address other places on that evening.

Vote at Newton's.

The voting place this year in South Colfax country precinct will be at E. H. Newton's place.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. Price 25 cents.

Lost.

A collie bitch, bob-tailed, answers to name "Gip." Finder will be rewarded by returning to W. B. Stephenson or Gazette office.

DIRTY METHODS USED

The Commoner Uses Vile Means to Accomplish Purposes.

They Make a Charge at the Very Last Moment, Thinking it Cannot Be Refuted.

As predicted in last week's issue of The Gazette, the democratic organ has sprung a "whopper" for its last issue, which it hoped could not be refuted. W. O. McCaw, republican nominee for county clerk, is the victim of the latest plot of this sheet. In its issue of today the Commoner will publish statements trying to prove that Mr. McCaw is not a resident of Whitman county, nor of Washington, because of having taken a "squatter's" right in Idaho last April. Its affidavits in support of this claim show that Mr. McCaw "squatted" on a tract of timber land in Idaho last April and made the usual declaration required upon such occasion. This, the Commoner contends, is sufficient grounds for declaring Mr. McCaw not a citizen of Washington and ineligible to hold office.

The United States law, which governs the taking of land, does not recognize the right of a squatter, neither can any one in that way establish a residence on the land and many men have filed squatter's rights on several tracts of land at one and the same time, and in the instance of McCaw—if he filed a squatter's right—it was not and could not be under any of the laws of the United States relative to the disposal of the public lands, because the right of a squatter is not known or recognized. Furthermore, McCaw has been and now is a bonafide resident of Whitman county, Washington, and at no time claimed, or attempted to establish a residence anywhere else. If he made such declaration of possessory right on unsurveyed land in Idaho, as claimed, and in said declaration set out, fixing his residence at Emida, Kootenai county, Idaho, it was the fault or mistake of the prothonotary of Emida, who wrote the declaration, and not McCaw; the officer gave his residence Emida instead of Pullman. The Commoner knows that McCaw's residence is Pullman, Washington, and unalterably fixed at Pullman, Whitman county, Washington, by his acts and declarations for the last several years, and he has never changed it—and the Commoner knows it.

Unfortunately, the democratic organ waited until the last moment and until Mr. McCaw had gone into the country and could not be reached, before springing its latest sensation. If Mr. McCaw could be found he, no doubt, could settle all doubts and his statement would fully explain the claim of the Commoner.

It is a well known fact that many citizens of Whitman county who will vote at the coming election, also have filed similar declarations as that with which Mr. McCaw is charged. These men are registered and will vote in Whitman county next Tuesday. Many of them live in Colfax. Chairman Canfield of the democratic county central committee, is said to be one of them. The claim of the Commoner cannot set aside the ruling of the United States land office and the national law on this subject. Mr. McCaw will be elected next Tuesday.

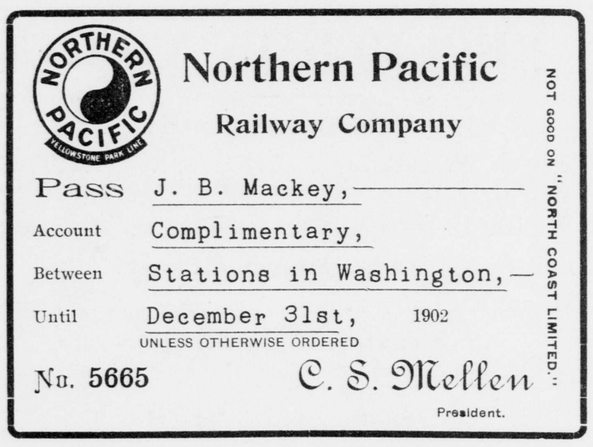
Republicans, it is your duty to take off your coats on next Tuesday and work at the polls for the election of Mr. McCaw, who can only be defeated by such methods as the democratic organ has sprung at the last moment. Do not let such methods succeed in Whitman county. It is said the democrats have had this information since last July. They dared not spring it until a few days before election. Rebuke such methods by your vote and your work at the polls next Tuesday.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Isn't This a Pretty Thing?---Useful, Too!

A PASS issued by the Northern Pacific Railway Company to J. B. Mackay was found on the streets of Pullman Tuesday. The pass is a "complimentary" and is good "between stations in Washington." It expires "December 31st, 1902," and is signed by "C. S. Mellen, president." The number is "5665,"



and the pass is countersigned on the back by "H. A. Fabian." The back of this pass also contains the conditions upon which it is issued and is signed in ink by "J. B. Mackey" in acceptance. Mr. Mackay is the sheriff of Whitman county, renominated by the democratic party to succeed himself in that office. He is the idol of Whitman county democracy—What business has he with a Northern Pacific Pass when his party has declared so forcefully against the "Pass Evil." Mr. Mackay is neither consistent nor careful. Had he been consistent, he would not have accepted a pass; had he been careful he would not have lost it.

Chairman Canfield, of the democratic central committee, said in a speech at Oakesdale this week, that the democratic party was against the pass evil in its every conceivable form; that public officers should not place themselves under obligations to railway corporations by accepting or using a pass.

William Goodyear, editor of the Colfax Commoner, in a public speech said: "Any public official who accepts a pass, or would use one under any circumstance whatsoever, should be relegated to political oblivion." What do you think about Sheriff Brooks Mackay, Mr. Goodyear?

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. John Lathrum was in the city Friday from Oakesdale.

W. S. Woodward of Brownsdale, Minn., is visiting the family of his niece, Mrs. R. J. Neergaard.

Mrs. Ella Hoover, who has been visiting Colfax friends, returned Tuesday to her home at Spokane.

Erwin D. Eldredge, merchant at Lacrosse, was in the city Wednesday.

F. E. Keyes, who settled in the Palouse country 25 years ago last June, was in town Wednesday from Palouse.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kirkland returned Wednesday from Walla Walla, where they were called by the illness of their daughter, Lela, who is now convalescing.

Mrs. L. D. Woodward left for Portland Thursday evening on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wright of Spokane are visiting in the city. Mr. Wright was one of the pioneers of Colfax.

Minnie H. Sargent, editor and proprietor of the Pullman Tribune, was a Colfax visitor Tuesday.

C. W. Small, a pioneer of Whitman county, was in Colfax Monday from his home near Albion.

Attorney M. O. Reed, accompanied by Mrs. Reed, returned Monday from an extended trip to the Seven Devils district in Idaho.

The marriage of Mr. Herbert Harrison Warner and Miss Lulu Mary Carter is announced to occur at the future home of the contracting parties in South Colfax, on Wednesday evening, November 5, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. R. G. Hargrave received a telegram Tuesday announcing the death of her father, Fred Patterson, at Marshalltown, Iowa.

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Auction Sale.

F. W. Gaines and S. L. Strief will sell at auction, to the highest bidder, on Friday, November 7, at the Gaines ranch, five miles up the South Palouse from Colfax, about $1500 worth of stuff, principally stock and farm implements, including 20 head of horses, mares and colts and one thoroughbred red Durham bull, 2 years old in June. Farm is also offered. See small bills.

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100 acres in pasture in 1-20-45 near Tekoa. Has fine large spring. $600.

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Notice is hereby given that the city council will receive bids for removing about 1000 cubic yards of gravel from the river bar just below North street, and filling same in behind the stone wall on east side of Main street, on the South Palouse river. Bids to be received Monday, November 3, 1902, at 8 o'clock.

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The following property will be sold:

1 registered Hereford Bull, 3 years old.
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40 head of Cows. Several Cows and Calves.
10 head of yearling Calves.
30 Calves. 50 head 3-year-old Cattle.
70 head 2-year-old Cattle.
1 registered gray Percheron Stallion, weighing 2000 pounds.
30 head Horses from 1 to 5 years old.
8 head Work Horses.
6 sets of Harness.
1 Header and 1 Binder.
2 Farm Wagons. 1 Grain Rack.
1 Carley Land Roller.
1 Spring Tooth Harrow.
3 14-inch Gang Plows.
1 5-section Drag Harrow.
1 Chop Mill, nearly new.
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And other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE: All Cattle are for cash. Any other article under $10.00 cash. Time will be given on approved note, at 8 per cent, for 11 months. Sale will commence at 10 o'clock. Free lunch served to all

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