

THE GOVERNOR PRO TEM

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STROPPED.
In a legislative deadlock, Governor Wycoff and his opponent, Bymaster, fence for a recess. They get it, and the governor goes across the state line to deliver a speech. The lieutenant governor, a weak man, is a Bymaster supporter. A newspaper man, a friend of the latter, conceives the idea that the lieutenant governor, Seaman's outgoing governor and can appoint Bymaster.

Seamans must make out the official appointment in due form and in the presence of witnesses, and signed by himself and the secretary of state if every possible chance of legal objection were to be headed off. To this the official seal of the state must be affixed by the secretary. How to find the secretary of state and the official seal and use both of them within an hour was the question. The telephone told them the secretary was in a theater party. He was a Bymaster man, of course, or he would not be playing with his chief at a rally. The seal, as Bymaster only too well knew, was in

under now," he said. "His train will be starting in less than two minutes and he's sure to be over the state line before we can get the papers properly signed and sealed and witnessed. We've got to have witnesses here, too, have you?"

"They're coming, they're coming!" cried the secretary, as he led the way in. "I called on several of our people on my way up and they'll be here within a minute or two. Plumb forgot that Charley Wood and I don't speak since last election, and called him out, too. They'll be here all right. If we could only hold that old man over the line while we—"

eyes made him hesitate about reaching for it. "You're crazy," he said at length, with an admirable self-possession which gave Phillips a great Sunday story months afterward. "You're only the lieutenant governor. I know you, and you nor anybody else can't stop trains without orders from the super. You'll have to see him."

Phillips' eye was on the clock. The time was 9:40. In five minutes Wycoff's train would be stopping at Lyshon. Even if the dispatcher could be persuaded to send the order, the Lyshon operator might be slow and sleepy. Every second was counting against them. Phillips recalled Kelley's instructions: "Have him appoint Bymaster."

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World of Sport

Baseball scores table with columns for team names and scores.

The Indians have settled down to playing the game in fine style and their work yesterday showed what a really fast bunch of tomahawks they are when at themselves. There is no faster infield in the league, and the boys, though not the heaviest hitters, are all fairly well up with the batting averages.

The mighty Infants—McCloskey's phenoms—made a regular cannibal feast at Natorium park yesterday afternoon, the Indians being the canibals and Boise the feast. There was nothing to the game but the players who wear the local uniform. Boise would no more touch the benders Mr. Willie Hogg tossed them than they could change one of President Lucas' decisions.

which is the main attraction offered by the Spokane Boxing club. "Kid" Scaler is training Jolly Rogers and keeps the black hustling to protect himself. Yesterday afternoon Scaler put the black through some hot paces and made him extend himself. Scaler is a clever kid and went after the larger black for all he was worth, putting some nasty ones to the black's kidneys and head. Rogers was a little slow in avoiding the punches of the kid on the start, but soon got next to the feints and when the kid would reach for him Jolly would block him nicely.

Croake is devoting most of his time to roadwork and getting his wind in shape. He is the cleverest of the two, but the black is a persistent jabber, and Eddie realizes he will be forced to lengthen out to show Jolly up. The boys who will make up the other numbers on the program are doing a little training with a view to making a good showing as possible.

LONDON HONORS EX-MAYOR LOW

LONDON, June 2.—Ex-Mayor Seth Low of New York, who has been the recipient of much social attention during his visit to London, is to be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given by the Pilgrims' society tonight. Mr. James Bryce is to preside and the speakers will include Ambassador Choate and other persons of foremost prominence.

BASEBALL PLAYERS GO AGAINST AMATEUR BARBERS

I see by de daily papers dey is conducting an exam fer barbers down in de city hall. Say, but dese is de goods fer a bloke ter go 'gainst. Cost yer nuttin' en ef de hair cut en shave is not jes' de best, yer can't kick, 'cause dey don't tax anyting fer it. Wuz talkin' wid de ball managers today.

FRIENDS PLAN GREAT SESSION

TORONTO, Ont., June 2.—Members of the Society of Friends throughout the United States and Canada are looking forward with much interest to the great biennial general conference of the seven yearly meetings to be held in this city in August. The session will continue for one week. Among the prominent persons who will participate in the proceedings are Premier G. W. Ross of Ontario, John William Graham of Manchester, England, Professor Goldwin Smith of Toronto university, Professor Adam Shortt of Queen university, Dr. J. Holmes of Swarthmore college, Henry W. Wilbur of New York and Dr. O. Edward Janney of Baltimore.

WAS WASTING AWAY

The following letter from Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." Sold by Chas. McNab, 402 Riverside.

SERVANTS THREATEN STRIKE

If the present article of baseball is kept up by the Indians there will be something doing in labor circles. There is talk of a servants' strike so the girls

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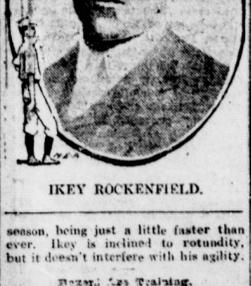
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FERRIS DOUBLED, BUT HAD TO SPRINT FOR IT.

Summary: Earned runs—Spokane 2. Home runs—Frery. Two base hits—Carney, Ferris. Sacrifice hit—Carney. Stolen bases—Carney 2, Rockenfield, Reilly. Struck out—By Hogg 8, by Blewett 4. Bases on balls—Off Hogg 1, off Blewett 3.

KEY ROCKENFIELD.

Key B. Rockenfield, the fast little second baseman of the Spokane team, is making good with a vengeance this season, being just a little faster than ever. He is inclined to rotundity, but it doesn't interfere with his agility.



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the state house under lock and key, where none but the secretary could secure it. Even if he fell in readily with the plan, the secretary might be delayed, and it was now 8:20 o'clock. In a little more than an hour Wycoff would be starting from Buxton back toward the state boundary and his endangered governorship. Phillips lost no more time. Leaving Bymaster and Seaman together, the former with instructions to keep the acting governor from committing any indiscretions meanwhile the reporter dashed off to the theater and dragged the irritated secretary into an ante-room where he explained the case. Phillips nearly wept with joy when the amiable old gentleman fell in heartily with the scheme, but did not dare tell him it was 8:45.

TWO SIGNALS.

Comes from the kidney secretions. The experienced physician knows at once the kidneys are sick when he examines the urine. You can tell for yourself. Urine that is pale and foamy that is highly colored, reddish, blood-like that contains sediment or "brick-dust-like" deposit on standing, points to sick kidneys. Infrequent or too frequent urination and all urinary difficulties are danger signals which call for prompt use of Doan's Kidney Pills.

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duly acknowledged. We'll hold that train until you can get there to the station, where Seaman can sign everything all straight. There won't be a place the law can touch us when it's all done. Rush! Come on, Billy!"

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Advertisement for Wines and Liquors, featuring Schade's Beer and various wine options.

Advertisement for Schade's Beer, highlighting its health benefits and rich flavor.

Advertisement for The Natatorium Park, featuring baseball games and other entertainment.

Advertisement for Spokane Bakery Co., featuring various baked goods and pastries.