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## GOVERNOR WILL NOT APPOINT

### Successor to Senator Mitchell Will Not Be Named Until After the Funeral

Portland, Or., Dec. 9.—(Journal Special.)—In an interview with Governor Chamberlain on the senator ship, he says he will make no appointment until after the funeral. He has no intention of sending it to Eastern Oregon. He says his mind is like a blank sheet of white paper. He will receive suggestions from all sources, and is willing to listen, as he wants all the expressions of choice possible. He realizes that there is a great crisis in the affairs of Oregon, and would name a man who can be of the greatest service to the state. William H. Holmes is being urged as the choice of Marion county. There is a strong demand for a man from Western Oregon. He has letters from A. Bush and Jas. K. Weatherford. John H. Albert is also strongly endorsed.

Hundreds of messages, urging the appointment of one candidate or another for United States senator, are pouring into the executive offices of Governor Chamberlain. They are all being forwarded to the Chamber of Commerce, Portland, where they will find the governor. The long distance phone is constantly ringing, and carrying words of recommendation from all parts of the state.

Opinion at the state house is almost unanimous that the appointee will be a Portland man. John M. Gearin is regarded by all as the most likely of all the men named for the senatorship, and his chances are considered very good. A man close to the governor stated this morning that he considered Gearin's appointment as almost certain.

## LAWSON NOT INDICTED

Boston, Dec. 9.—The grand jury today reported, and failed to return an indictment against Lawson in the Barrow libel charges. It reported "no bill."

**To Regulate Child Labor.**  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—President Roosevelt today received the members of the national child labor committee at the White House this morning. In answer to the address by the chairman of the delegation President Roosevelt expressed himself in thorough sympathy with the aims and objects of the committee and expressed the hope that the employment of children in factories would soon be regulated by national legislation.

According to the statement of the secretary of the committee there were at least 2,000,000 children under 16 years employed for wages in this country during the year ending September 30 of this year. Twelve states have passed child labor laws since the committee was formed and in North Carolina, Florida and Georgia, where such legislation was defeated, a strong popular feeling in favor of the law has developed. State or local organizations have been formed in seventeen states, and executive secretaries have traveled more than 50,000 miles. There have been circulated nearly 2,000,000 pages of literature in favor of the movement, apart from newspaper publications.

**Smallpox on President's Yacht.**  
(Four O'clock Edition.)

Washington, Dec. 9.—A negro sailor on the President's yacht, *Syph*, at the navy yard in this city, has the smallpox. All suspected of infection have been isolated, and the patient sent to quarantine.

**Perfectly Safe.**  
Little Toto—Mamma, may I go out and look at the eclipse of the sun?  
Careful Mother—Yes dear; but be careful and not go too close.—Translated for Tales from "Le Journal."

## ANARCHY REIGNS IN RUSSIA

St. Petersburg, Dec. 9.—The marines and sailors have mutinied and refused to go to Kronstadt. Their spokesman openly defied Admiral Nidremiller. The mutineers refused to leave barracks, which are surrounded by troops. The troops at the Shusselburg fortress demand the immediate release of all political prisoners. Shusselburg is on an island 20 miles east of this city; and has long been the house of torture for political prisoners.

**Worse Than Sakharoff.**  
St. Petersburg, Dec. 9.—Maximovitch, former governor-general of Warsaw, succeeds Sakharoff in the effort to crush the rebellion in Saratoff. His first order to the Cossacks was: "Do not use the knout; shoot to kill on the least resistance. Show the rebel dogs that you are not economical of cartridges. The more political malcontents you kill, the higher will be the Czar's value of your services. Take care that your actions create a good impression on the government."

**Peasants Are Armed.**  
St. Petersburg, Dec. 9.—Fifty thousand armed peasants are in the district commanded by Maximovitch.

**To Kill Officers.**  
St. Petersburg, Dec. 9.—It is understood the telegraphers striking at Vlastok have sent a man to St. Petersburg to kill Durnovo, minister of the interior, and Sevastianoff, superintendent of posts and telegraphs.

**Officers Deserting.**  
Buda Pesth, Hungary, Dec. 9.—High officers are deserting the Russian army. Six are now in this city, actively engaged in revolutionary services. One of them is of great military reputation and much wealth.

**More Mutinies.**  
Warsaw, Poland, Dec. 9.—A battalion of sappers has mutinied here on account of bad food. There have been no arrests.

## ALPINE TAVERN BURNS

Los Angeles, Dec. 9.—A fire on Mount Lowe this morning destroyed the Alpine Tavern, where a large number of guests are thought to be staying. It burned out the power house at Echo Mountain, belonging to the Pacific Electric Railway, and burned the telephone and telegraph wires, cutting off the escape to those on the mountain and communication. It is impossible to learn the conditions on the mountain, as there is no means of ascending. Brush fires are spreading, making it impossible to walk or go by burro. Cows are running only to Pasadena, beyond where all communication has been cut off.

**The Hungarian Crisis.**  
(Four O'clock Edition.)

Budapest, Dec. 9.—The Hungarian diet, which was prorogued on October 10th, to avoid hasty action or a hostile demonstration on the part of the opposition, was reconvened today. The scenes at the opening of the session were stormy, but no actual crisis was precipitated, thanks to the precautions taken by the government. During the parliamentary recess the negotiations between the crown and the coalition were continued with great eagerness, and although a *modus vivendi* was established, it is still doubtful whether the diet will sanction the agreement. The concessions of the crown may pacify the opposition for a while, but it is not believed that friction, and perhaps a final breach, can be avoided for any length of time.

**New Carnegie Library in Brooklyn.**  
Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 9.—The twelfth of the twenty Carnegie libraries allotted to Brooklyn has been completed and will be placed in commission this afternoon. Mr. Frank L. Babbett will receive the building on behalf of the Brooklyn Public Library trustees and several members of the library board will deliver addresses. After the transfer ceremonies the library building will be thrown open to public inspection.

**Took It Good Naturedly.**  
(Four O'clock Edition.)

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 9.—Henry Bates was hanged at Columbia today for robbery, committed by means of a deadly weapon. It is the first case of the kind in the state. He smoked a cigar and walked nonchalantly to the gallows.

**He Was Too Tight.**  
(Four O'clock Edition.)

Delaware, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Arabella, wife of D. M. Tight, president of the University of New Mexico, was granted a divorce from her husband today. She was given the custody of the children and \$25 a month.

## BREAK GROUND MONDAY

### Work on Electric Road Will Begin at Salem Next Week

The construction work of the new electric railway from Salem to Portland will begin Monday morning. The first dirt will be turned on North Cottage street, where the fair grounds street car track crosses that thoroughfare. Fifty men will be put to work Monday, and more will be added as they are needed and can be used to advantage. The Willamette Valley Traction Company evidently means business, and is going ahead with the work, regardless of the delay which the action of the Portland city council would seem to cause.

**That Saurian Senate.**

Washington, Dec. 9.—It is announced this afternoon, after a conference with Fairbanks by Randall, sergeant-at-arms of the senate, that the United States senate will not be represented at the funeral of Senator Mitchell. A brief statement was issued, saying his friends did not ask for such representation. He stated that it was customary to put crapes on the seats of deceased senators only from the time of the official notice of their death was received to the time of burial. No official notice has been received yet, and the funeral will probably have taken place by the time the senate meets Monday. Senator Fulton will announce his death Monday, but it is understood will not present the customary resolutions.

**A Powerful Committee.**

Madison, Wis., Dec. 9.—A bill was introduced in the Wisconsin assembly today proposing to create a committee empowered to draw all the money it wants to conduct an investigation of public service corporations, particularly railroads and insurance, according to the demands of the governor's message. It provides that the committee may punish for contempt, inquire into the methods of corporations, and investigate "anything the committee sees fit to investigate."

**Killed a Bank Director.**

Vienna, Dec. 9.—A paper says Papa Demetra, director of the Bank of Agriculture, of Bucharest and Roumania, was shot and killed by a political opponent on account of the support given the Greeks. The assassin was arrested.

**Dewey in Chicago.**

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Admiral Dewey arrived this morning, and is a guest today at the home of John R. Merton. He will speak tonight at the banquet of the Merchants' Club. He is accompanied by an aide.

## ROBBERS CAPTURED OFFICERS

### Put Hand-Cuffs on Them. Locked Them in Jail and Looted the Town

Reading, Mass., Dec. 9.—Eight robbers appeared on the streets of this town early this morning. They took a revolver and handcuffs from Patrolman Mannin, put the manacles on the officer, took him to jail and locked him up, leaving a small guard over him. They then took Patrolman Orr the same way. They went to the offices of the water company, opposite the police station, smashed the door, blew the safe with nitro-glycerine, stole a small sum belonging to the company, and \$200 worth of personal property belonging to the treasurer. One citizen was awakened as the gang was leaving. There are no clues.

**Opening of Big Stock Show.**

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 9.—The great annual show of the Pittsburg Union stock yards was opened today in the Harris Island stock yards. Owing to the fact that this show immediately precedes the great National Stock Show at Chicago the entries this year have been more numerous and of a far higher standard than ever before. The importance of this exhibition is clearly recognized by the eastern buyers of fat stock and a large number of them has come here to attend the exhibition and secure opinions on the most desirable cattle exhibited. The premium list is unusually large this year and it is expected that the exhibition will attract more than ordinary attention. The attendance at the opening of the show today was highly satisfactory.

**Chicago Markets.**

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Wheat, 86@86½; corn, 45¼@45½; oats, 31¼@31½.

## Misplaced Teeth

It is the misfortune of some people to have their teeth grow in the wrong place, thus giving an uneven appearance to the mouth. For many years this condition could not be remedied except by extracting the tooth. Modern conditions, however, have changed this, and now the teeth can be restored to their right position and the whole row made even.

**WE STRAIGHTEN THEM.**

There are two methods for doing this work. One—the first discovered—is still in use by most dentists, and causes much suffering. We, however, have adopted the more advanced method, and by our up-to-date facilities can put every tooth into its proper place without pain to the patient.

**BEAUTIFUL TEETH ARE EVEN.**

Those who have so long carried the bluish of uneven teeth can have it removed, and the beautiful contour of the mouth restored. There is no need to longer suffer the inconvenience of faulty teeth when we are ready to straighten them at a very low cost.

**TWO GOLD WATCHES.**

We are giving away two gold watches. You can ask us about them without sitting in the dental chair.  
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Plates ..... 5.00 and up  
Fillings ..... .50 and up  
Examinations..... Free

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And an endless variety of novelty trinkets. Many merchants double their profits on Holiday Goods. Remember that our usual extremely low prices apply to all Holiday Goods, as well as to regular lines.

## Don't Forget Practical Presents

They are often more acceptable than useless trinkets. Give a NEW DRESS PATTERN, LACE CURTAINS, TABLE LINEN, BLANKETS UNDERWEAR, SHOES, OVERCOATS, SUITS, HATS, or any article your friends need.

*Barnes' Cash Store*  
E. T. Barnes, Prop.

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**Stay With Meriwether.**  
Washington, Dec. 9.—The Louisiana delegation in congress called upon the President today, and asked him regarding the result of the court-martial of Midshipman Meriwether. The President said he had not received the report, and did not know more than they. The callers asked to be heard in opposition, if there was any sentence adverse to the defendant, they not believing any punishment should be inflicted.

**Uncle Sam Pays Interest.**  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—Secretary Shaw this afternoon orders the authorization of the payment of interest on United States government bonds due December 15th to January 1st, amounting to \$4,200,000.

**Pleads Guilty to Murder.**  
Chicago, Dec. 9.—Dr. Oliver Hart pleaded guilty this morning to the murder of 11-year-old Irene Klakow.

**Jap Minister Resigns.**  
Tokio, Japan, Dec. 9.—Yusuru Kubota, minister of education, has resigned as the result of a protest signed by 190 professors condemning Kubota's action in accepting the resignation of the president of the University.

**New York, Dec. 9.—**The Mutual directors this afternoon received and accepted the resignation of Robert McCurdy, the general manager to take effect, December 31st.