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LATEST REPORT SHOWS 705 SAVED, 2,000 DROWNED

LAFOLLETTE IS MUCH ENCOURAGED THINKS HE CAN CARRY THE STATE

PORTLAND AUDIENCE 10,000 EASTERN OREGON PLEASURES NOW IN SOUTHERN OREGON

Began Campaign in Southern Oregon at Roseburg--His Campaign Manager, Walter Houser, Speaks in Coast Counties and Will Accompany Senator on His California Campaign--Senator Is Enthusiastic, But Oregon Lies Between Taft and Roosevelt, With the Latter Apparently Having a Strong Lead.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Roseburg, Ore., April 17.--"I am confident that I will carry this state by a large majority," said Senator La Follette here today, in discussing his campaign for the Republican nomination following a speech to 10,000 people at Portland.

"The reception received in Eastern Oregon and throughout the Willamette valley was beyond my greatest expectations. I find former Wisconsin men in every community upon their toes working, not only for me, but for the things I work for. I have met five men who helped me stump Wisconsin for congress in the eighties, and I am glad to say that they are still working away for me here."

"Arthur Remington, my clerk during my first term in congress, whom

I had not seen since, says that the coast towns of Oregon are strong for me.

"All the people want is a knowledge of conditions. I find an instant response everywhere."

La Follette is in fine condition. He commenced his Southern Oregon campaign with a two-hour speech in the city square here to a crowd of 2000.

Walter Houser, the national campaign manager for La Follette, is to accompany him on his California tour. This was decided at a conference held at Portland late last night. Houser is now conducting a speaking campaign in the Oregon coast cities, which La Follette could not reach. He will join Mr. and Mrs. La Follette at Albany.

CROWD GREETED

TEDDY IN NEBRASKA

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Hastings, Neb., April 17.--More than 1500 persons heard Colonel Theodore Roosevelt open his campaign in Nebraska today. He said in part:

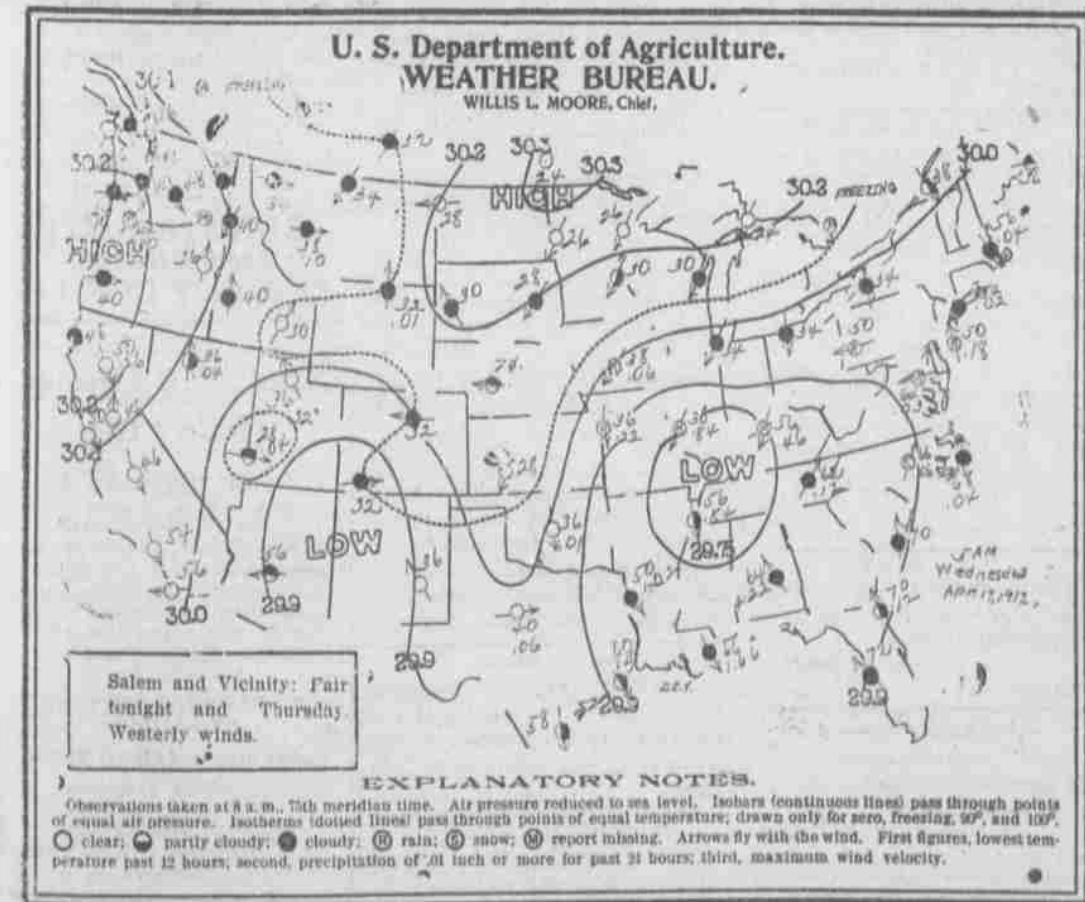
"Gusie Gardner says President Taft is against Senator Lorimer, but that Lorimer did not know it, and nobody else knew it until Lorimer failed to carry Illinois."

Senator Lorimer until the association of Lorimer's name with that of Taft was "no longer profitable." The telegram added:

"You say that President Taft always opposed Lorimer. If so, the opposition was so feeble that Lorimer never discovered it, and the only Taft delegates from Illinois were those two whom Lorimer carries in his vest pocket."

Cost of Campaign.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Albany, N. Y., April 17.--Colonel Roosevelt's New York campaign cost \$59,125, according to the report of the Roosevelt league, filed with the Republican national committee today. George W. Perkins, Frank A. Munsey and Alexander Cochran each contributed \$15,000.



Forecast Till 5 p. m. Thursday.
Oregon: Fair tonight and Thursday. Westerly winds.
Sappers' Forecast.
Protect shipments as far north as Seattle against minimum temperatures of about 35 degrees; northeast to Spokane 32 degrees; southwest to Boise, 20 degrees; south to Siskiyou 30 degrees. Minimum temperature at Portland tonight, about 35 degrees.
River Forecast.
The Willamette river at Portland will fall slightly during the next two or three days.
EDWARD A. BEALS, District Forecaster.

REPORTERS WILL NOT BE SENT TO CARPATHIA

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Washington, April 17.--The plan to send revenue cutters with reporters aboard to meet the Carpathia was abandoned today. Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh advised President Taft that officials of the Cunard line opposed the plan, saying that the Titanic survivors did not wish to be disturbed.

BOURNE IS RIGHT MAN FOR PLACE

Prominent Portland Business Man Says a Whole Lot in Very Few Words--Bourne Is in Washington as He Should Be.

SENATOR MULKEY SPEAKS

Says: "Bourne Has Conducted the Only Kind of Campaign That Ought to Be Allowed in a Primary State--He Was Sent to Washington by the People, and Is Paid to Stay There and Attend to Their Business, not to Be Campaigning in Oregon."

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Portland, April 17.--The view of many Oregon business men, farmers and professional men, on Bourne's methods of campaigning and his chance of re-election is well expressed by Gay Lombard, a prominent Portland business man.

"From my knowledge of the feeling of voters throughout the state," said Lombard, "I think Senator Bourne certainly will be re-elected. Why should not he be? He has done more for the state than any other man we ever had in the senate. I don't care if a man's name is Bourne or Smith, if he gets results as Bourne has, he ought to be re-elected."

"When a man's enemies can't criticize him for anything worse than staying in Washington, there's nothing wrong about his record. Why should not he stay in Washington? That's where he was sent."

"They may kick about his methods and say they are 'egotistical' but are they? He's staying back there on the job instead of prancing around the state burning red fire and making everybody tired. His methods are clean anyway. I think that Friday a good many thousand men like me who have no personal prejudice and want to see a capable man kept on the job will see to it that Bourne is named the choice of the Republican electors."

"I have no personal interest in Senator Bourne's campaign," said F. W. Mulkey, former United States Senator from Oregon. "But I will say this: He has conducted the only kind of campaign that ought to be allowed in a direct primary state. He ought to stay in Washington. The people don't elect senators to run around the country spending money and wasting time. They knock Senator Bourne's methods because they are new. Well, I hope others adopt them. No candidate ought to be allowed to do anything in his campaign except avail himself of the space allowed him in the voters' pamphlet. That's the way I feel about it and I believe that Friday for the first time in the history of the United States, a man who has not wasted his time and that of others with old fashioned, rotten methods, will be nominated for the office of United States senator."

Will Resolute.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Washington, April 17.--A resolution calling for an investigation of the causes leading to the wreck of the Titanic of the White Star line, was introduced in the senate today by Senator Smith, of Michigan. It was referred to the commerce committee.

A WIRELESS FROM THE CARPATHIA INCREASES THE LONG DEATH LIST

Celebrates Birthday.
New York, April 17.--J. P. Morgan, member of America's foremost bankers is 75 years old today. Despite his age, Morgan still wields a tremendous influence in the financial world, controlling 12 New York banks and trust companies, with total assets of \$1,109,291,000 of which \$872,857,700 are deposits. Morgan, who was born at Hartford, Conn., in 1837, is at present in France.

SECRETARY OLCOTT'S GOOD WORK

GEORGE MITTY ALSO DESERVES PRAISE FOR AT ONCE NOTIFYING THE JOURNAL OF THIS FILING, AND GETTING PUBLICITY FOR IT.

It is owing to Secretary Olcott's prompt and energetic action that the fraudulent contract for the sale of Siletz lands, some 112,000 acres, was taken off the records, and the hundreds of Siletz settlers relieved from having a cloud on their titles, and, perhaps added difficulty in securing patents. While all praise is due the secretary, The Capital Journal points out that publicity was first given the matter through its columns, it getting the story from that wide-awake citizen, George Mitty, who, in the course of his business, saw the records, and, realizing the vast importance of the matter, at once communicated it to The Capital Journal, which gave it a prominent place and big headlines for the purpose of attracting attention to it. Mr. Mitty should not be overlooked for he deserves the same praise as does Secretary Olcott, and that is much. Siletz settlers owe both much. As for The Capital Journal, it is always satisfied with having done something for the people, even though sometimes kicked for doing it.

SAY MORCAN HAD NEWS OF THE DISASTER

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] New York, April 17.--That J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., knew of the sinking of the Titanic Monday, and forced suppression of the news until the stock market closed, was positively denied here today by P. A. Franklin, vice-president of the White Star company, of which Morgan is a director.

Franklin asserted that neither he nor Morgan knew of the sinking of the Titanic until 6 o'clock Monday night.

Vice-President Franklin, of the White Star line, insisted that charges that the company purposely withheld news of the wreck were false. He said he only heard at 6:30 o'clock Monday night that the Titanic had sunk, and withheld the news only until he could get confirmation. He positively denied that he knew of the disaster Monday morning.

Franklin declared he had heard a Wall street rumor that John Jacob Astor was saved, but had nothing to confirm the report.

A Toronto, Ont., pastor says: "If our young people were to kiss more they would be better for it; better men and better women." We're willing to be improved.

HOPE FOR MILLIONAIRES IS NOW WHOLLY ABANDONED STEAMER IS DUE THURSDAY

A Wireless From the Carpathia, Picked Up by the Franconia, Says That 705 Survivors Are on the Former--Names of All First and Second-Class Survivors Have Been Wired Ashore, and Remainder Are Steerage Passengers--This Cuts Off All Hope for the Noted Wealthy Men, Who Are Undoubtedly Lost.

New York, April 17.--Although 72 hours have elapsed since the White Star liner Titanic went down off the Newfoundland shore, it is still a question of how many passengers were saved, and how many drowned. The latest word in which any credence is placed was received here this afternoon from Winfield Thompson, a Boston newspaper man, aboard the liner Franconia, which was in communication for several hours this morning with the Carpathia, the vessel on which the survivors are steaming to New York.

Hope that any of the wealthy men listed on the Titanic were saved has been blasted, as their names have not been sent in the aerograms, and this silence is taken as proof that they went down with the ship.

Two Thousand Lost.

"The Franconia, after establishing direct communication with the Carpathia, ascertained that there were only 705 survivors aboard the latter vessel. Over 2000 persons were lost." This was Thompson's message, and many persons here believe that this report will be borne out with the arrival of the Carpathia in New York tomorrow night.

Officials of the White Star line admitted today that they are unable to get the names of any additional survivors, but still hope that early reports that the Carpathia picked up 868 men, women and children will be verified. Despite this report, the fact remains that the names of but 328 survivors have been transmitted by wireless to the White Star offices here. Vice-President Franklin admitted this afternoon that he knew of no good reason why a full list of the survivors should not have been received, but tried to explain this by saying that the Carpathia's wireless apparatus was probably overtaxed.

Death List May Grow.

Despite the announcement from London that only 2200 persons were aboard the Titanic when she struck the iceberg, it was pointed out this afternoon that it is possible that a number of other passengers boarded the liner at Cherbourg. Officials of the White Star company would only admit that if the Titanic took on additional passengers at Cherbourg they knew nothing of it.

Assurance that the survivors of the disaster will be summoned to Washington to tell a committee of congress

Washington, April 17.--The White house received information this afternoon that the Scout Cruisers Chester and Salem are rushing northward to the scene of the Titanic disaster. The wireless aboard the Salem has a radius of 1000 miles.

President Taft remained up late last night, waiting for news of his military aide, Major Butt, who is believed to have perished in the wreck.

A Fatal Mistake.

New York, April 17.--Captain (Continued on Page 4.)

NOTICE

On and after Saturday, April 20th, the price of the Capital Journal on the street will be 2c per copy. This move has been made necessary by the reduction in price by carrier to 10c per week.

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