

TAFT REACHES THE COAST AND BEGINS SOUTHERN SWING

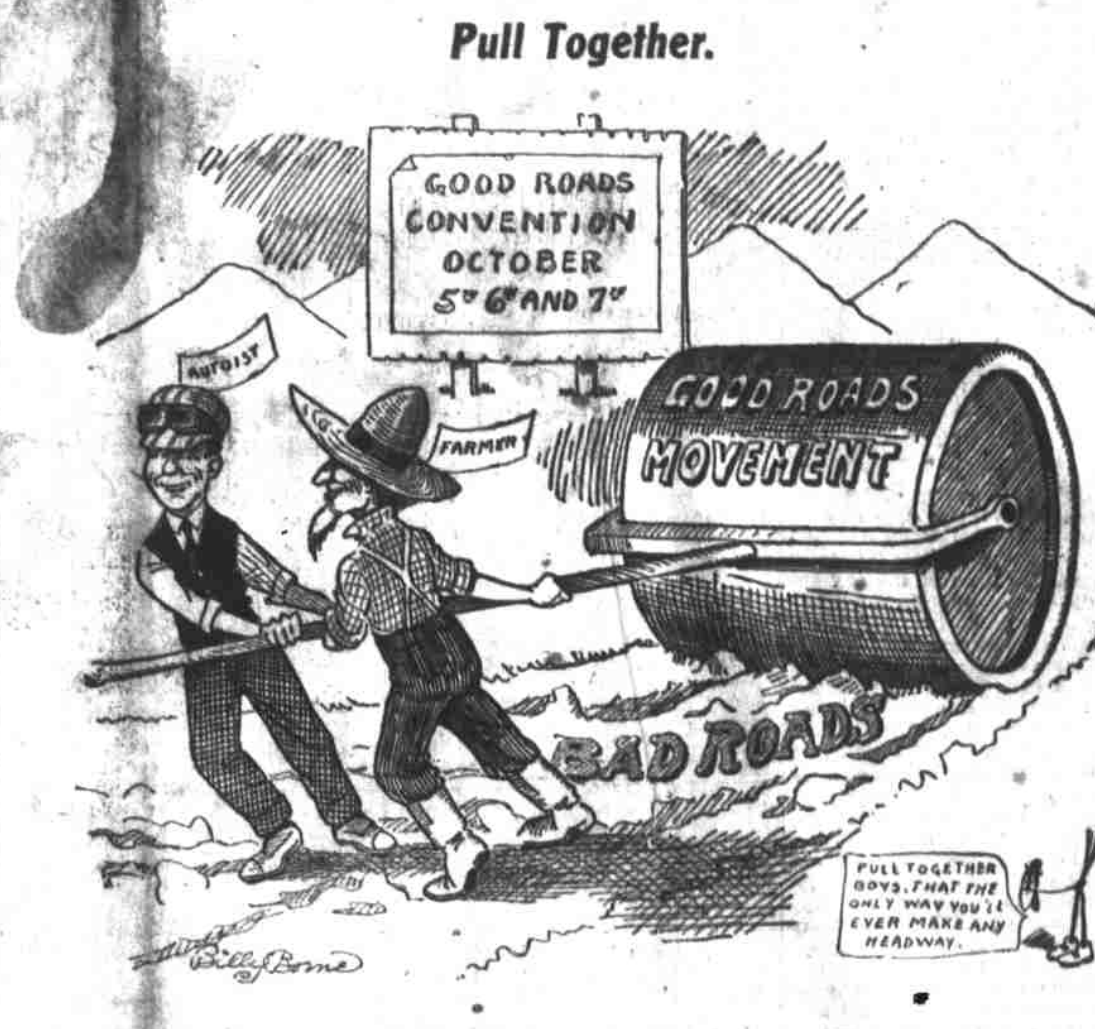
Travels Through Land of Wonders on Last Day of Westward Journey

WILL TAKE IN FAIR AT SEATTLE NEXT

HUNDRED YEAR'S OF PROGRESS SEEN IN GOTHAM'S BIG SHOW

Wright And Curtiss, Sail in Air More Easily Than Hudson or Fulton Sailed The Waters of The Hudson River.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Wilbur Wright circled the great statue of liberty at the entrance of New York harbor in his aeroplane today...



WHITNEY TELLS WHY HE LEFT COOK'S THINGS BURIED IN NORTH

Explanation Disposes of One of Points Peary Has Harped on That Explorer Was Careless of His Instruments and Records—Did Not Know Value of the Things.

STATE POSTMASTERS ATTEND BIG BARBECUE Will Meet Next Year at Winston in Conjunction with Other Employes.

STATE OFFICERS OBEY JUDGE NEWMAN TARDILY In Responding to Writ Stop off to See the Sights of Chattanooga.

NO DEBATE IF IT WILL HURT PARTY CHANCES Bailey Willing to Meet Bryan but Not at Risk of Losing Votes.

DIED OF STRYCHNINE; SISTER-IN-LAW CHARGED WITH CRIME OF MURDER

Theory That She Administered Poison so Husband Would Inherit Money.

HELD WITHOUT BAIL

DAWSON, Ga., Sept. 29.—Following an autopsy over the remains of William Glase, a wealthy bachelor, who died August 16, Mrs. L. J. Atkinson, the wife of Glase's half-brother, was arrested this afternoon and lodged in the Terrell county jail without bail pending further inquiry.

HARRIS DECLARES THAT HE FIRED SHOT ONLY TO SCARE OFF ASSAILANT

Editor Thompson Was Beating Him When He Shot into the Ground.

SECOND SHOT FATAL

WARRENTON, Va., Sept. 29.—Professor J. D. Harris, principal of the Warrenton High school, took the witness stand in his own defense late today and told the jury before which he was on trial for his life, why he shot, and fatally wounded W. A. Thompson, editor of The Warrenton Virginian, on the streets of this place on April 24 last.

CONFESSES HER SHAME TO CONVICT PARAMOUR OF HUSBAND'S MURDER

Wife Cannot Bear Burden of a Lie Upon Her Conscience.

THREATENED HER

ASHEVILLE, Ga., Sept. 29.—Mrs. In Pauling, widow of the slain Sam Pauling, Jr., for whose murder Charles A. Gordon is on trial today, on the witness stand made an emotional confession of intimacy with Gordon and ended her story by saying he told her he killed her husband and threatened to kill her if she should tell on him.

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 29.—The North Carolina Association of Postmasters tonight adopted a resolution that the association meet next year in Winston-Salem and that the president of the association confer with the president of the association of city and rural carriers with a view to having these organizations hold their annual meetings at the same time and place.

UGLY CHARGE MADE. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 29.—Dr. Charles C. Blake, a well known young physician, was arrested here this morning, charged with a criminal assault on Pauline Puckaber, fourteen years old. The girl's father, it is said, tried to kill Blake last night, but was taken in charge by the police. Blake has many friends and they allege it is a case of blackmail.



WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Forecast: North Carolina: Fair Thursday with warmer in east portion; Friday fair; moderate variable winds.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 29.—Sheriff Thurman, of Dade county, and Federal Gauger Charles E. Stegall, who have been lost to the government officials somewhere between Chattanooga and Atlanta, arrived here this morning. They were taken before United States Circuit Judge A. T. Newman and the hearing on the writ of habeas corpus was continued until Friday.

MACON, Ga., Sept. 29.—A heated argument between Robert H. Brown, president of the Central Georgia bank and Judge W. A. Poe over the Cook-Peary controversy today led to blows the judge using his walking cane with telling force on the banker. The prompt interference of friends prevented an encounter that at one time promised to be serious.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 29.—More fully setting forth his position with regard to the proposed joint debate on the question of free raw material between himself and William Jennings Bryan, at the Auditorium here, Senator Joseph Bailey, of Texas today sent the following telegram to the Atlanta young men's democratic league:

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LYTLE ESCAPED BY MEREST MIRACLE

Records Smashed in all Events so Tragedy Counts For But Little

RIVERHEAD, L. I., Sept. 29.—The smashing of every existing American record for automobile racing on the open road, and a spill which cost the life of a mechanic, James Bates, and serious injuries to Herbert Lytle, a well known racing driver, marked the running today of the Long Island Automobile Derby.

EX. GOVERNOR McSWEENEY DIES AT BALTIMORE

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 28.—Former Governor Miles B. McSweeney of South Carolina, who has been under treatment at Mount Hope Hospital, in Baltimore, Md., since July 18 last, died at that institution at 1:30 o'clock this morning. For the past week it had been known here that the former governor was critically ill and his wife went to Baltimore to be with him. She was present at the time of his death, as also was his son, Eugene B. McSweeney.