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DISASTROUS ACCIDENT

An Unused Railroad Bridge Falls.

CARRYING DOWN THE PEOPLE.

It Had Been Used Only for a Foot Bridge for Some Time—Many Were Injured.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 15.—Today while a crowd was on the east end of the old C. & W. M. railroad bridge, no longer used for regular railroad traffic but for foot passengers only, a part gave way, and 15 or 20 people precipitated to the rocks below, a distance of 15 feet. No one was killed, but a number were injured, as follows: Michael Devos, cut over the right eye, injured internally; John Devos, his son, right ankle sprained; Frank White, right kneecap broken; Henry Wylie, brakeman, right wrist broken and right hip sprained; Henry Hundorf, 7 years old, chest injured; Jacob Quint, 70 years old, right foot injured; L. Bokman, conductor, left wrist and right arm sprained and injured. The railway men were at work with a piledriver, which stood on the bridge, and other people were watching the job.

THE CUBAN REVOLUTION

Enthusiastic Patriots Flushed With Hopes of Success.

TAMPA, Fla., June 14.—The following proclamation has just been received from Cuba:

"To the Cuban People: Maximo Gomez is in command with 2000 men. The Marquis of Santa Lucia, with the cry of 'Cuba Libre', has joined him, with 1500 men. Twenty of the most noted men of Puerta Principe, accompany the worthy son of Camaguey. There is no hope for Spain. Remidos has protected the landing of Roloff and his 280 men. He brings munitions of war and 5000 pounds of dynamite. The landing of Yeo and Searphin Sanchez is confirmed. They bring American pyrotechnics. Santo Spirula has already seven armed bands. General Maceo, with 6000 machetes, is destroying and burning everything he finds in his way. Liberal Spaniards have nothing to fear. Lives and property will be respected while assistance is not rendered the government. If Spain had hunted for a general whose mission was to annihilate the Spanish army, there is no one who would have better suited than Martinez Campos, who does not let the poor and tired soldier have any rest. They die of hunger, for they are without food or clothing, under a burning sun in this deadly climate. The autonomist party says that insurrection in arms is necessary to force the government to favor autonomy. Shame to these false patriots who live on miserable bread that the despot throws them. Soldiers from Mahon, a Spanish province, have come over to the insurgent ranks. The daily expenses of the Spanish run up to \$150,000. Martinez Campos has lost already 10,000 men. Soldiers in the city of Manzanillo die in the streets of fever and dysentery. Famine spreads through the province of Cuba. At Baracoa and Guantanamo there are 18,000 insurgents in arms. Liberal Spaniards, sons of Riego and Pino, hurrah for liberty. To arms and down with metropolitan government and tyranny. Hurrah for Maximo Gomez. Signed, Revolution-Committee of Havana.

Determined Filibusters

NEW YORK, June 14.—The boat George W. Childs, commanded by Captain Swan, sailed from Philadelphia, May 18, with a filibustering expedition, bound for a point near Santiago de Cuba. She put into Key West June 6 and sailed the next day for the Bahia islands, where she was to take on 100 men and 2,000,000 charges of ammunition. The Childs is said to have been watched by the Spanish cruiser Infanta, but succeeded in making her escape. An attempt will be made to land the men and supplies in Cuba as near as possible to Santiago de Cuba. The plan is to take Marti to Jamaica, whence he is expected to proceed to the United States. If the late Washington dispatch is true the mission has probably already been accomplished.

Delegates Arrive

CLEVELAND, June 16.—Delegates to the convention of the National Republican League are beginning to arrive, and by tomorrow it is expected there will be an influx of strangers. Among the arrivals today was R. C. Evans, national committee man from Minnesota, and delegate at large to the convention from that state. He says he thinks the convention will be the largest and most en-

thusiastic that has yet been held, and scouts the idea that there will be a fight over free coinage. Mr. Evans has just returned from the east. Being asked what he thought of the republican presidential question, he said Minnesota had a candidate in the person of Senator C. K. Davis, and while he was not a leader in the race, Minnesota republicans hoped matters would so shape themselves before next year as to make his nomination prospective. In regard to the question whom he considered the strongest candidate in the race at present, Mr. Evans said:

"McKinley is by all odds the strongest candidate."

He said Reed, Harrison and Allison were all strong and able men, and each was positive of a considerable following.

Our German Ambassador

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Complaints have reached here from the American colony in Berlin concerning the conduct of General Theodore Runyon, the United States ambassador to Berlin. It is said that the New Jersey statesman has not only violated the rules of the service and the principles of Jeffersonian simplicity, but has gone so far as to make the embassy the laughing stock not only of the American colony but of the Germans as well. His latest innovation has been a regal court carriage, which he had expressly built. He drives through the streets of Berlin with two flunkies balancing their anatomies on a limited foot-board, the driver on a tripod, seated on the American flag, ostentatiously spread over his seat, with all sorts of mysterious crests and emblems, the meaning of which must remain a Chinese mystery to the American voter.

The general has also resurrected an old uniform which he uses instead of traditional evening dress, and the German officials are in a ferment over the discovery that it does not represent his present rank in the regular army of the United States.

Far Seals Disappearing

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Captain Hooper, in command of the cutter fleet in Behring sea, has reported to the treasury department that his observations south of Unalaska convince him that the seal herds moving north are far less numerous than formerly. This scarcity it is believed, is entirely due to the indiscriminate slaughter during the last two or three years. While patrolling the North Pacific Captain Hooper boarded and searched a number of sealers, both Canadian and American, but there was no evidence of unlawful killing, hence they were allowed to proceed. It is very probable that the maximum catch of the North American Commercial Company will be materially reduced even from last year, when it reached about 13,000 skins.

Colima Survivors

MAZATLAN, Mexico, June 17.—The Steamer City of Sydney, from Manzanillo, is carrying to San Francisco three of the survivors of the lost Colima. Their names are John Pegipons, J. Jokeman and A. Santa Maria, all of the crew. They boarded the Sydney at Manzanillo. They are members of the party which got ashore in lifeboat No. 5, and were afterwards found by the steamer Mazatlan. The survivors found by the Barracouta have gone south. Chilberg has gone to Guatemala. Bryan to New York and five at Manzanillo to their respective destinations. The latest reports from Manzanillo say that 90 miles south of Manzanillo, two women and one man, survivors of the Colima, are staying at a ranch.

Delegates Arriving

CLEVELAND, June 17.—Enough delegates to the league convention arrived to attract attention on the street and in the hotel lobbies. The city is profusely decorated. The local committees of arrangement say that about 1500 delegates are expected. Covers for them will be laid at the Arcade, where the banquet will be held Thursday night. Among those expected to respond to toasts is Mr. Allen Foster, of Iowa, whose theme will be "Perfidy, dishonor and political integrity." Senator Thurston will probably be chairman of the free-for-all meeting on Thursday, when the silver and gold men meet in battle array.

The Crathie to Blame

LONDON, June 17.—The board of trade, after examining thoroughly all reports regarding the sinking of the North German Lloyd steamship Elbe, on January 31, which resulted in the loss of about 370 lives, has ruled that the mate of the Crathie, the British steamer which ran into and sank the German steamship, was responsible for the disaster, and consequently the mate's certificate was suspended.

President's Vacation

WASHINGTON, June 17.—President Cleveland accompanied by Private Secretary Henry G. Thurber, left Washing-

ton today in a private car attached to a regular Pennsylvania railroad train, leaving Washington at 7:07 a. m. They will arrive at Jersey City at 11:30, and going aboard Mr. Benedict's steam yacht Oneida, which has been waiting there several days, they will proceed at once to Gray Gables. They are not expected to return to Washington before next fall.

MAIL POUCH ROBBED

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 17.—Josiah Morris & Co., bankers, on Saturday, sent a \$10,000 package to a New York bank, insuring it, as usual. The postal agent receipted to the Montgomery postoffice for the package. Shortly afterwards the mail pouch was found out open. Postmaster Screws telegraphed to Inspector Barrett, at Chattanooga, to investigate. A post-office employe named Armstrong returned it Sunday, claiming that he found it in the street. Armstrong was arrested this morning.

\$100 Reward \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Crime in Yamhill

McMINNVILLE, June 17.—Burt James and Arlie Armstrong were arrested in Dayton this afternoon by Sheriff Henderson, charged with "cracking" a safe in that place May 15.

J. E. Sampson, 18 years of age, was brought down from Sheridan yesterday and lodged in the county jail. Two weeks ago Sampson hired a horse of Bewly Bros., liverymen, and traded it off for another horse. This he sold and afterward spent the money.

Overwork, either physical or mental will produce weakness and loss of energy. Too many business or family cares, overwork in the harvest field, an excess of woman's work and worry will produce months of misery. To prevent this, the exhausted system should be reinforced immediately. Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier is an appropriate remedy. Price \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Snipes-Kinnersly Drug Co.

Visited by a Tornado

DENISON, Ia., June 17.—At about 3 o'clock this morning Denison and vicinity was visited by a tornado, which did damage estimating at \$15,000. One frame country schoolhouse was blown away. The farmhouse of John Rose was demolished. His wife was killed, and other members of the family were severely injured. Barns and windmills were demolished. More than a hundred trees were destroyed.

You cannot work well unless you feel well. No one can feel well with a disordered liver or diseased kidney. Diseases in the organs should receive prompt attention, as neglect will lead to much misery and sorrow. Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm should be taken as soon as the first symptoms of trouble are manifest. It is well known to all dealers in medicine as a safe and reliable cure for diseases in the liver or kidneys. Price \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Snipes-Kinnersly Drug Co.

Insurgents Again Victorious

KEY WEST, June 14.—A dispatch received here from Cubasays the engagement between the Spanish troops, and the Cuban rebels near the city of Moron resulted in a victory for the insurgents and they captured the town. The loss on each side was small.

Further advices state that the government officials in Cuba still maintain a strict censorship over all telegrams and letters.

Filibusters Reported Landed

HAYANA, June 14.—Information has just reached here that the Cuban filibustering expedition on the George W. Childs, under the command of General Carlos Roloff and General Serafin Sanchez, which slipped away from the Florida coast last Thursday, landed a party with arms and munitions of war at a point near Agadores, in the province of Santiago de Cuba.

Dr. Miles' NERVE RESTORER CURE RHEUMATISM, WEAK BACKS, AND DRUGGISTS, ONLY 25c.

LOCAL NEWS MATTER

A Great Success.

The Regulator was crowded again yesterday with the friends of the Orchestra and merry picnickers. It was the second Sunday excursion which the boys have given and the large number that went shows how great is the popularity of the Orchestra and the Regulator. The day opened rather blustering and the boat made headway against a strong wind all the way down. At the Locks, in the morning, a slight sprinkle fell, just enough to lay the dust, and then the sun came out and made a pleasant day. Many of the passengers attended the dedicatory exercises of the new church, while others wandered over the government works and noted the progress that was being made. A large number who went yesterday were present on the previous excursion and found plenty to interest them again.

The picnic ground was the place of the greatest attraction during the afternoon, where the orchestra gave one of their famous concerts. They played for over two hours and held an eager audience attentive who would have willingly stayed longer. Some of the dancers used the platform and the trip of light feet kept time to the music. Great interest was taken in the program of sports and especially in the fat man's race. The uncertainty of the issue made betting a little risky and it was easily seen that this was no sure thing. The contestants who entered were Mr. Butts, Mr. Wakefield and Mr. Ostlund and a shout of admiration rose from the expectant crowd as they showed their gladiatorial forms. The interest was intense and when Deacon Butts forged ahead and won the race the crowd would have carried him off the track had he been a lighter man.

In the race for boys there were three entries. The prize was won by Orville Hendershot in an exciting finish.

The sack race always amuses the crowd, and the frantic efforts of four boys to both make good speed and maintain their equilibrium was very funny. Bert Barrett reached the goal first and was adjudged the victor.

The boat left the Locks at 4:30, and made quick time coming home. The wind had gone down somewhat, and the boat going in the same direction with it made the up trip very pleasant. At Hood River a landing was made to put ashore those who had gotten on in the morning.

A large crowd was at the dock to welcome the steamer back to town, and soon the usual question, "Did you have a good time?" was asked and answered. Everyone replied affirmatively. Capt. McNulty was at the wheel and brought the steamer to dock, and many persons were heard to remark that it was a graceful act in Captain Waud to step aside and let the veteran captain be in his old honorable position. Such an act of kindly thoughtfulness shows a gentleman and an appreciation of Captain McNulty's last words when he left the Regulator of his own accord: "Whenever I can be of any use to you, Captain Waud, blow three whistles as you pass Mozier and I'll come." The name of McNulty will be associated with the Columbia river for many, many years, and the younger generation of steamboat men do well to honor him.

Dedication at the Locks.

The dedication of the new Catholic church at Cascade Locks yesterday was attended by a large concourse of people both from the Locks and this place. The church is a very pretty building, 56x20 feet, with a steeple. No bell has yet been provided, but the Messrs. Day have intimated that they will make a present of one to the church. At 7:30 Rev. A. Bronsgeest held mass and gave communion to seven children. Millard's mass in F was nicely sung by The Dalles choir and a solo, "Give Me the Heart," by Miss Mary McNerny, the younger choir joining in the chorus. The Regulator arrived about 10:30 and the dedicatory services, performed by Archbishop Gross, were held immediately. The church was dedicated to St. Columbkille, an Irish saint. Mr. Bronsgeest has been the moving power in providing the people of the Locks with the building and has devoted a great amount of time to the project. At the close of the service Archbishop Gross and Rev. Bronsgeest were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. J. G. Day.

Almost a Sensation.

Yesterday Sheriff Driver and City Marshal Blakeney received word that Harry Stark, who lives out in the country, was missing and that he was believed to have been foully dealt with. The authorities searched the city high and low and could find no trace of the

man. In the afternoon Trixy Smith, a negro woman, was arrested and placed in the county jail under a suspicion of having something to do with Stark's disappearance. She denied knowing anything about it, but the officers thought it best to arrest her. Late last night word was received from Portland that the missing man was there and for the officers to drop the matter. Stark had gone down Saturday and was enjoying the ins and outs of the gay metropolis. It looked for awhile as though The Dalles was to have a slight sensation, as previous to going away Stark had displayed a good deal of money, which strengthened the report of his being a prey to someone's avarice.

A Surprise Party to Mrs. Myers.

The annual session of the grand chapter of the Eastern Star for Oregon, which adjourned in Portland last Thursday evening, was a very successful one, showing an increase for the year of ten chapters and about four hundred members.

Mrs. Martha E. Kellogg, worthy grand matron elect, appointed Mrs. Mary S. Myers, of Columbia chapter, No. 33, at The Dalles, grand chaplain for the ensuing year, an honor worthily bestowed and fully appreciated by the members of the chapter. On Saturday evening a surprise party was organized, and a large delegation of the members of the chapter met at the Masonic hall and repaired to the residence of Mrs. Myers to congratulate her upon the high honor conferred. Mrs. Myers was completely surprised, and after the object of the gathering was made known to her and greetings exchanged, a pleasant hour was spent in social conversation. Some choice music was rendered by her accomplished daughter, Mrs. Eshelman.

"May the event prove the stepping stone to Mrs. Myers' advancement to the highest position within the gift of the beautiful order," is the wish of all those who were present.

A Sad Scene.

Those who were at the dock when the Regulator left this morning saw a sight that would melt a heart of stone. Mrs. Kimball, of John Day, had been very ill for some time and was brought into town to be taken to a Portland hospital. While on the dock she grew much worse and it was clearly seen that the trip was useless and that death was hovering near. A temporary place was fixed in the freight house and kind hands were ready to do what little could be done to make the last of earth as less miserable as possible. Shortly after the boat left the lady was taken to the Umattilla House. It was only a matter of a few hours till her fleeting breath had gone and the grief stricken husband, who brought her such a great distance in the vain hope of betterment, was left alone. She died shortly after 2 o'clock.

A Wedding Yesterday.

Yesterday at noon Rev. J. H. Wood of the Methodist Episcopal church united in marriage, Mr. J. S. Wenzler and Miss Lora Welch, both of The Dalles. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few friends of both parties, who gave the bride and bridegroom their heartiest congratulations. Mr. Wenzler has lived in The Dalles for several years and has made many friends by the praiseworthy way in which he has conducted himself. Miss Welch is one of Wasco county's best young ladies and has been a teacher in our public schools for the past year. She is a graduate of the Wasco Independent academy and at school was known as an unusual bright student. The happy couple left on the Regulator this morning for a short wedding trip, after which they will make their residence in The Dalles.

Resolution of Thanks.

We, the undersigned committee appointed to fence and make other necessary arrangement for the Kingsley cemetery, wish to thank the people of Kingsley for their liberality in furnishing us with money and labor to complete our work. The cemetery is now fenced and fixed up in good shape. We would suggest to those that have tumbled down tombstones in the cemetery, that they put them in position as it would improve the appearance of the place.

A. McLEOD.

DAVIS HIX.

A Proper Ending.

THE CHRONICLE made mention several days ago of the arrest of Scott Delaney, charged with the abduction of Maggie Yonce, a young lady aged 16 or thereabouts. The case came up before Justice Davis Saturday and was continued till yesterday. Mr. Delaney had secured the services of Huntington & Wilson, and the party prosecuting consulted Deputy District Attorney Phelps. The matter seemed somewhat mysterious, and the lawyers on both sides, including the justice, thought a better settlement could be obtained than by a trial. And so all the parties in the case being willing—and especially Mr. Delaney and Miss Yonce—Justice Davis adjourned court over to the European House, and there in the presence of friends, settled the matter in the most satisfactory way, and Miss Yonce became Mrs. Dalaney. The justice is highly satisfied with the way the matter turned out and was glad to lay aside his judicial garb and appear in a ministerial capacity.

Mr. Phelps dismissed the complaint, and all went merry as a marriage bell.

A Housing Time at the Locks.

Yesterday afternoon a party of gentlemen, consisting of Judge Bradshaw, Sheriff Driver, John Michell, I. E. Crowe, A. S. MacAllister, J. A. Crossen, Frank Summers and Hugh Glenn, took the afternoon local for the Locks, where they attended a meeting of the Elks. Mr. Glenn was already a member of the famous society, but the other gentleman had their first innings last night. Messrs. J. G. Day and I. N. Day were also initiated. The interesting part of the program began after the arrival of the Portland train, which brought a contingency of thirty-three members from that city.

The exercises at the hall were highly exciting, and the fun was great and lasting. After the new members were shown what it was to be Elks, a sumptuous banquet was the scene of gaiety. The flow of wit was said to be of the most brilliant kind, and the utmost good feeling marked the evening's program. The Elks are a body of good fellows, and all over they have the best of good times.

There is some talk of moving the lodge to The Dalles, where it would in all certainly have a prosperous existence. The newly-made Elks returned on the noon local, and the proper question is to ask them to describe their sensations.

Tygh Hill Road.

TO THE EDITOR:—As other roads are being boomed we think that our Tygh hill road should receive its share. It is now being put in excellent shape by Supervisor Frank Swift, who deserves praise in the way he is superintending the work. This road is not traveled extensively by the Crook and Sherman county freighters, but is used by the taxpayers, who paid their taxes that helped to build it, and therefore are entitled to assistance from the county. If the county feels disposed to assist in this good work, with the gift of a few hundred dollars used under the superintendency of the supervisor, it would put the bill in better shape than it has been since it was built. There is some subscription work coming in, and while the ball is rolling let the county help and Tygh hill road will be a credit to Wasco county. P. W. K.

Tygh Valley Tennis Club.

TO THE EDITOR:—Tygh valley has organized a tennis club for the coming season. At the recent election C. J. VanDyyn was chosen president; Mr. Chas. Adams, vice president; Dr. N. G. Powne, treasurer and Mr. Chas. P. Powne, secretary; Messrs. J. Kirtner, B. F. Swift, V. P. Steers and W. D. Munger were elected an executive committee. There is a great deal of interest being taken in lawn tennis in the pretty burg of Tygh Valley this year and some exciting contests are expected. The club numbers some very good lady players. X. X. X.

Finest cabinet photos \$2.50 per dozen at Herrins studio Chapman block, The Dalles, Oregon. Eighteen first prizes taken. Clip this notice out and bring it with you and it is good for one photo extra with every dozen photos. j6-1m

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