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WM. BRYAN PAYS VISIT TO DOUMA

(Scripps News Association)
St. Petersburg June 15.—W. J. Bryan attended the Douma today, and was pictured with a number of deputies. He sails tonight for Stockholm.
The session today was a lively one, as many questions were addressed to the Government in regard to the fighting bialstock. Advances today show many outrages in other provinces. It is also reported that mills and corn stores at Tula have been burning three days and there is also trouble at Sebastopol. A passenger train, arriving there was attacked by twenty thousand peasants, but the passengers escaped uninjured.

IOWA CONGREGATIONALISTS MEET

(Scripps News Association)
Dubuque, Ia., June 15.—The sixty-seventh annual session of the twentieth anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary Union of this State. The attendance is large and all parts of the State are presented.

MRS. LEDOUX IN REALITY MRS. M'VICAR

(Scripps News Association)
Stockton Cal. June 15.—The prosecution in the Emma Ledoux case has apparent conclusive proof that the defendant was undivorced from McVicar when she married Ledoux. It is thought that fear of punishment for this offense led her to the crime she is charged with.

INSURANCE RATES ARE INCREASED

(Scripps News Association)
Oakland, Cal., June 15.—The eighty insurance companies represented the board Fire Underwriters of the Pacific coast are taking action to recoup themselves for San Francisco losses by raising rates approximately 25 per cent in California, Oregon, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Arizona and Washington. This board does not have jurisdiction beyond the coast states and will not levy higher rates outside of them. Several years ago a law known as anti-compact law was passed prohibiting insurance companies from uniting in fixing rates or in any way controlling insurance affairs. President Haven said today "The law does not permit us to fix rates in Washington but we are charging them just the same." This is clear evidence that the board of members represented by agents from Washington will exact a raise there as well as in other states.

YARN SPINNERS HOLD MEETING

(Scripps News Association)
Mt. Airy, Ga., June 15.—The convention of Southern soft yarn spinners, which was called by the Southern Soft Yarn Spinners Association, opened here today with a large attendance. The convention includes not only members and delegates of the association, but many soft yarn spinners of the South who are not members of the association. W. J. Gannan, of Concord, N. C., is President of the organization and F. C. Hutchinson of Charlotte, secretary and treasurer.

A SPLENDID PUBLICATION

The Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., and the Southern Pacific have again come to the front with a splendid booklet of Washington, Oregon and Idaho. The book is complete with engravings and write up matter of the three states. The book was edited by Mr. Rinaldo M. Hall editor of the O. R. & N. and S. P. publications. The publication will have a wide circulation and will doubtless be the means of bringing many homeseekers to this state.

JASON LEE MEMORIAL HELD AT SALEM TODAY

(Scripps News Association)
Salem, June 15.—Many public men, prominent educators and methodists from three states are united today and paying tribute to the memory of Jason Lee, the first protestant missionary in the Northwest and founder of the Willamette university. It was through this man's efforts that Oregon was saved to the Union.
His remains were brought here from Canada where his body has been buried since his death in 1845. With impressive ceremonies the body was buried on the campus of the school he founded. Leading clergymen from several states acted as pall bearers.

A NOBLE CAREER.

Jason Lee was born in Stanstead, Canada in 1803. His early life was spent in the East where he secured his education. In 1835 he started on his journey westward. By slow degrees he came as

far West as the Snake river where he built a small fort and called it Fort Hall. There, on July 27, 1834 he preached the first sermon that was ever heard West of the Rockies. He reached old Fort Walla Walla the following September.

ESTABLISHES MISSIONS.

The following few years were spent in organizing mission and frontier churches of which he himself was superintendent. He traveled by foot and horseback over many counties among which are Clatsop, the Willamette Valley and The Dalles. Early in the Forties he sailed for New Mexico and overland to Mexico and finally by sea and overland transportation he reached his birth place where he shortly afterward began to fail in health. Exposures received in the frontier West had so menaced his health that he died the same year in which he reached his home. In 1845 he passed away in Stanstead.

PROMISED FUNDS FOR IRRIGATION

(Observer Special)
Washington, June 15.—Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock today authorized the reclamation service to proceed immediately with the construction of the Umatilla irrigation project in Oregon, for which a million dollars have been set aside from the reclamation fund. The project embraces 20,000 acres and the engineering work in connection with the big scheme consists of feeding the canal from the Umatilla river and Cold Springs reservoir and distributing the water. The work is of a simple nature and capable of being constructed in short time.
The Secretary has executed a contract for ten thousand barrels of Portland cement for the Klamath project.

STANDARD FAVORS BRYAN.

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland, Ohio, June 15.—Vergil P. L. Kline, a personal attorney for Rockefeller and prominent among the Standard Oil Company's counsels had declared himself in favor of W. J. Bryan as the next presidential candidate.

PACKERS BAD IN LONDON

(Scripps News Association)
London June 12.—The local papers today expose conditions that duplicate the Chicago packing scandal: The packers have evaded the inspectors and sell diseased meats adulterated with poison and call them canned goods.

MAY STARVE STOCK 30 HOURS.

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, June 15.—A favorable report has been made on the House bill which extends to thirty hours the time in which cattle may remain in transit with sustenance.
The inter state commerce commission this morning sent a letter to every railroad in the country seeking information in regard to coal and oil trades.

FINAL FOR THE DAVIS CUP

(Scripps News Association)
London, June 15.—The finals in the great international lawn tennis contest for the Davis International Lawn Tennis Cup began this morning in the courts of the All-England Club, Wimbledon. The Co-herty Brothers will defend the cup against the pairs of the contesting teams. Today the doubles will be played, tomorrow and Monday the singles.

BRYAN JR. RETURNS

(Scripps News Association)
Lincoln Neb., June 15.—W. J. Bryan Jr. arrived this morning from his tour of the world. He left his parents near Vienna. He will spend the summer months on a Colorado ranch and then resume his studies in the Culver academy.

FOOD EXHIBITION IN MILAN

(Scripps News Association)
Milan, June 15.—The special exhibition of foods and beverages in connection with the International Exhibition which opened here on April 15 was opened today. It is undoubtedly, to Americans, the most interesting part of the exhibition and there are more American exhibitors in that section than in any other in the entire exhibition. The exhibition includes all kinds of food products preserved and canned goods of all kinds, meats, vegetables and fruits also various appliances used in the various preserving and canning industries. American manufactures of food products are usually well represented. They are seeking to obtain a foothold in the Southern markets of Europe, to make up for their losses in the German markets.

MEDFORD CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

(Scripps News Association)
Medford, Mass. June 15.—In commemoration of the 275th anniversary of the settlement of Medford literary exercises will be held in the Opera House this afternoon. The Rev. Nehemiah Boynton of Brooklyn, N. Y., will deliver the oration and Dr. William Everett of Quincy Mass., will read the poem which was written for this occasion by Mrs. Daniel A. Gleason of West Medford. Addresses will be delivered by a number of prominent speakers. The music will be in charge of Professor Leo R. Lewis, of Tufts College. In the evening there will be a banquet in the Armory building, at which Mayor Dwyer will preside.

SOUTHWESTERN ROADS NEED CARS

(Scripps News Association)
St. Louis, Mo. June 15.—Probably the best evidence that general prosperity will prevail to a surprising degree during the autumn and winter are the arrangements which the Southwestern railroads are making to take care of their immense traffic. The indications now are that the regular equipment of these roads will be insufficient to handle the business and, as a result, many of the Southwestern railroads have placed large orders for freight cars of every description, to be delivered during the summer and early part of the fall.

BISHOP LEFT ESTATE WORTH \$14,714

(Scripps News Association)
Inventories of the estate of the late Bishop B. Wistar Morris were filed in the office of County Clerk Frank S. Fields this morning. The estate is valuable at \$14,714 and consists chiefly of real property. The bulk of the state is in Clatsop County the property there being valued at \$8203; Benton County holdings are said to be worth \$4000 and that part of the estate lying within Multnomah County is placed at a value of \$2511. —Telegram

CHANGES IN OREGON OFFICERS

(Scripps News Association)
Portland, June 15.—The post office department announced these changes in salaries of Oregon postmasters, under the annual readjustment, which is based upon the business transacted and which will go into effect July first of this year.
OFFICES INCREASED
Junction City and Lebanon from \$1,200 to \$1,500; Marshfield and Medford from \$1,700 to \$1,800; Ontario from \$1,500 to \$1,600; Oregon City from \$2,200 to \$2,500; Pendleton from \$2,400 to \$2,500; Roseburg from \$2,000 to \$2,100; Silverton and Woodburn from \$1,400 to \$1,500 each.
OFFICES DECREASED
Lakeview and Morrow from \$1,500 to \$1,200; Sumpter from \$1,700 to \$1,600; Union from \$1,500 to \$1,400.

NO MORE QUAKE IN 'FRISCO

(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco June, 15.—Dr. Omori of Japan, conceded to be the greatest authority on earthquakes in a statement today declared that the light shock experienced last night is convincing indications that a repetition on the heavy earth movement, is unfeared. It simply proves that the earth is gradually settling and this is regarded as a scientific proof that there will not be another violent quake.

RAILROADS IN THE PHILIPPINES

(Scripps News Association)
Manila, June, 15.—Forty engineers and physicians left today for Ilo Ilo to begin the preliminary work on the railroads to Panay. Actual construction will begin this summer.

TEDDY USES BIG STICK ON SENATE

(Scripps News Association)
Washington June, 15.—It is said that the president's letter to Wadsworth, disapproving the inspection bill, contained tart expressions. He virtually accused the committee as being subject to the influence of packers. He also decried the manner in which the court of review provided for the cost of the inspection and said that the bill lacks provisions for inspection.

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OBJECTION TO INSPECTION BILL.

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, June 15.—Representative Bowie of Alabama has submitted to the house minority report of the Inspection Bill, protesting against the proposed appropriation of two million annually to pay for inspections. He denounced the court of review provisions as a new departure in legislation and is unjustified by a single fact.

CAPTAIN MOORE ASKS RETIREMENTS

(Scripps News Association)
Washington D. C. June 15.—Five Captains of the Navy are to be considered retired from the active list, under Section 8 of the Navy Personnel Law of 1899, the retirements to take effect on July 1.

REVIVING THE DREYFUS CASE.

(Scripps News Association)
Paris June 15.—A hearing for a revision of the famous Dreyfus case opened today. The captain is endeavoring to quash the former judgement and is presenting documents to prove beyond question that he is innocent.

ENTIRE CREW LOST IN SEA.

(Scripps News Association)
Seattle, June 15.—A telegram was received at two o'clock today that the schooner Argus which was seen twenty miles Southeast of Cape Flattery, is still burning. It is believed that the captain and his wife and daughter and crew of ten, if not blown up, are lost in trying to reach shore fifteen miles distant.

PARDEE SENDS THANKS

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, June 15.—Secretary Taft has received a letter from Governor Pardee of California thanking the government for the part the army and other federal officers have played in the relief after the San Francisco disaster.

JAMESTOWN GETS NEXT CONVENTION

(Scripps News Association)
Indianapolis, June 15.—The Editorial Convention has decided upon Jamestown Va., as the next convention place.

A CANDIDATE

J. M. Shelley, of Eugene, is said to be a candidate for the appointment of collector of customs at Portland.

LATEST STYLES IN STATIONERY
Our stationery stock is always complete but it never offered greater inducement to buyers who appreciate fine correspondence papers than it does right now. Our stock includes everything that is new and beautiful in tint, finish and shape. The box papers range in price from 10c to 60c per box; tablets 5c up. For the better tablets we can furnish envelopes to match. When you need anything in stationery, you will find highest quality and reasonable price best combined in our stock
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