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MODERN VESSEL LAUNCHED

(Scripps News Association)
Libau, Sept. 1.—Printers attacked the troops guarding the prisoners last night. Reinforcements arrived, killing eight and wounding fifty. Among the killed was a mother who held a baby at her breast.

BIG STAKES

(Scripps News Association)
New York, Sept. 1.—For the last event of the season's big races sixteen of the best two year old fillies to be found in the country will go under the post at Sheepshead Bay this afternoon. The stakes are \$50,000. The majority of the betters regard Keene's entries the most like winner. The westerners tip old Honesty as a sure winner.

PASSENGERS SAVED

(Scripps News Association)
Honolulu, Sept. 1.—The steamer Helen arrived here with a number of passengers taken from the wrecked Sheridan, including twenty women and ten children. The tugs have partly moved the vessel and it is thought that she will be pulled off. The vessel is not leaking and one engine is working.

REOPENING THE HIPPODROME

(Scripps News Association)
New York, Sept. 1.—The Hippodrome will be reopened tonight under the new management of Shubert & Anderson with a revised and improved presentation of "A Society Circus," which met with such remarkable success last season.

BLOODSHED AT LIBAU

(Scripps News Association)
Portsmouth, Eng., Sept. 1.—The great battleship, Dreadnaught was commissioned today. The experts are howling for two more of her kind to every one that Germany builds.

REUNION OF THE SPANISH WAR VETERANS

(Scripps News Association)
Butte, Mont., Sept. 1.—The annual reunion of the Spanish War Veterans of Montana opened here this morning at nine o'clock. Department Commander W. E. Davis of Butte, presiding. This is the third encampment of the Montana organization and an interesting program has been arranged for this occasion. The annual banquet will take place this evening. Tomorrow the veterans will attend service in the morning and will devote the rest of the day to sightseeing and meetings. The reunion will close Friday noon and in the afternoon the veterans will visit the county fair.

SECONDS SCHEDULED

(Scripps News Association)
Goldfield, Sept. 1.—Eddie Grany Nolan and Luddy will be in the ring with Bison. Gans seconds will be Frank McDonald, Kid Sims and Bob Turner. Nelson was examined this morning and found to be in good condition. Gan continues to be the favoring in the betting circles at ten to eight and ten to seven.

PROBING UNCOVERS MORE CRIME

(Scripps News Association)
Philadelphia, Sept. 1.—Revere Earle, of the Real Estate and Trust Company, which recently failed, states that the further he probes into the affairs of the company, the worse he finds things. He thinks the trust department is intact but the banking department is hopelessly involved.

SEATTLE STRIKE

(Scripps News Association)
Seattle, Sept. 1.—The carpenters' strike which was set for today has not materialized as yet. The carpenters take Saturday afternoon as a half holiday commencing today and will demand an increase in wages next week.

THE SAN FRANCISCO TIE-UP IS COMPLETE

Strikebreakers Expected to Arrive Tomorrow and Violence is Expected

GOVERNOR PARDEE IS POWERLESS

TIE UP COMPLETE

(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco, Sept. 1.—In response to an inquiry from the Daily News, regarding the attitude of the state authorities toward the imported strike breakers, Governor Pardee today replied "I regret I have no power under the law to prevent coming into my state such bodies of armed men. Their coming is not construed an evasion within the meaning of the constitution. I have notified the United railroads that their reported importation of armed men, if not unlawful is against public policy and subversive to good order and in reply received a denial of the truth of the newspaper report, that they are importing bodies of armed men into the state.

San Francisco, Sept. 1.—The striking carmen this morning voted to reject all overtures of the street car companies, made through the mayor, offering arbitration and will hold out for their original demands of \$3 per day and an eight-hour day.

Twelve hundred men rising to their feet voiced their approval of the ultimatum to the company, accepting nothing but the original demands of the Union. The published intention of the company to accept the Union offer to return to work for \$3 per day and arbitrate the question of hours, did not materialize. The company ignored the meeting altogether. The efforts of Mayor Schmitz to bring the parties to the strife together has failed so far entirely. The united railroads continue their preparations to house Farley's men who are expected to arrive some time Sunday. It is freely predicted that the arrival will be signal for an outbreak of violence.

RADTKE ON STAND

(Scripps News Association)
Portland, Sept. 1.—In the May's land fraud case today, J. H. Robbins, formerly receiver of the United States Land Office at La Grande, testified that he headed a delegation to appear before United States Senator J. H. Mitchell, protesting against the creation of the Blue Mountain Forest reserve. E. W. Bartlett, who was also register of the same land office and numerous other witnesses, stated that he had signed the petition for the reserve under misrepresentation.

WILD RUMOR

(Scripps News Association)
Oyate Bay, Sept. 1.—A wild rumor was circulated that the President was shot. It is believed the story was started on the curb by stock brokers. Correspondents to Sagamore coursing through the country caused the folks to think a cross country run was in progress. They reached the house breathless and were informed by the president personally that he was not injured in the least. During the forenoon the President drove to the village. There was no incident to give the smallest foundation for such a rumor.

CLAIM THE GLORY

(Scripps News Association)
St. Petersburg, Sept. 1.—The social revolutionists have issued a proclamation today claiming the credit of killing men but denied the responsibility of the attack on Premier Stolypin.

IS HE POISONED?

(Scripps News Association)
St. Petersburg, Sept. 1.—It is rumored the Trepoff is so ill that his life is endangered. It is whispered that he has possibly been poisoned.

SHORT WEIGHTED

(Scripps News Association)
Omaha, Neb., Sept. 1.—John A. Doe, president of the Omaha Ice company was today fined \$50 and costs for selling ice under weight.

DALNY BECOMES OPEN PORT

(Scripps News Association)
Dalny, Manchuria, Sept. 1.—The port Dalny was thrown open to the commerce of all nations today and will be a free port so far as the imports and exports on the providence of Kwan-Tung, the leased territory on the Liao-Tung peninsula through Dalny, are concerned. Japan has also decided to permit ships of all nations to engage in trade and navigation between Dalny and the various now open ports of Japan beginning today.

ELECTRIFYING RAILWAY LINES

(Scripps News Association)
New York, Sept. 1.—The transportation of the New York Central and the New Haven and New Hartford Railroads into railroads with electric motive power is completed between New York and Stamford on the latter, between New York and Woodland on the former. The traffic on the lines will be formally opened in a few days. Trial trains were started off on both lines today. A third or contract rail is used on the New York Central road, while the New Haven & Hartford road uses the overhead trolley.

GRAIN MARKETS

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, Sept. 1.—Wheat opened at 70 1/2, closed at 70 1/2; corn opened at 47 1/2, closed at 47 1/2; oats opened at 35 1/2, closed 28 1/2.

EDITORS SAIL FOR HONOLULU

(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco, Calif., September 1.—About fifty members of the Southern California Editorial Association sailed today on the Oceanic Steamship Company's steamer "Alameda" for Honolulu, where they expect to arrive on September 7. They will sail on their return trip from Honolulu in the Sonoma on September 18, and expect to arrive here on September 24. During the ten days which the editors will spend in the Hawaiian Islands they will make a number of trips, among them a visit to the volcano Manuaoa.

GOING TO INVESTIGATE

(Scripps News Association)
Berlin, Sept. 1.—The German Government is aroused by the reported proselyting by the Morman's who are seeking women to join the Morman communities in Utah. The government has ordered an official investigation. Fraulien Marie Winckler has been ordered to go to Utah and report upon the condition there and if things are as reported, the work of the Morman missionaries will be stopped in this country.

AL. GOOD'S THRASHER DESTROYED

Al Good met with misfortune yesterday afternoon when his practically new separator was ignited by a spark from the engine and completely consumed by fire. Mr. Good had been threshing on the William Hawkins place and about two o'clock fire was discovered in the straw about the machine. Due to the dryness of the straw and the high wind, the fire spread with astonishing rapidity. When the flames had burned themselves out the thrasher was a complete loss, amounting to \$1300. Besides the loss to Mr. Good, Mr. Hawkins is out about three hundred and fifty sacks of grain.

KNIGHTS PYTHIAS ENCAMPMENT

(Scripps News Association)
Canobie Lake, N. H., Sept. 1.—The annual encampment of the New Hampshire Brigade, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, opened here today at Canobie Lake Park. There is a large attendance and it is expected that the encampment will attract large crowds of visitors during the next four days.

FIRST ELECTRIC POTTERY READY

(Scripps News Association)
Newell, W. Va., Sept. 1.—The Homer Laughlin Pottery, the first pottery in the world to be operated by electricity, all excepting the firing of the ware in the kilns, is ready to be started. The pottery which has 32 kilns, heated by natural gas from the West Virginia gas fields, is one of the largest of its kind in the world.

LA FOLLETTE IS COMING TO OREGON

Senator Robert La Follette, of Wisconsin, one of the Roosevelt-Folk "trust busters" and a notable figure in Congress will come to Portland this Fall, but enroute he will spend a short time in Idaho to assist in the campaign being waged in the favor of W. E. Borah who is in Portland today for United States Senator. This information reached this city this morning and is a source of gratification to the many friends of Mr. Borah who are deeply interested in the approaching fight before the Idaho Legislature for state supremacy between the Republicans and Democrats.

On the other hand the coming of Senator La Follette is made more interesting by reason of his recent declaration that he proposed to enter the state of every Senator who opposed the legislation he championed during the last session, and Senator C. W. Fulton happens to be among those who earned his enmity in that respect. Senator La Follette when Governor of Wisconsin started a fight against the railroads, which he continued on being elected to the Senate. Contrary to usual precedent he was recognized from the time he received the oath, for he made a strong fight against the traditions of that body, and asked that he be permitted to participate in the deliberations. This was regarded remarkable, in view of the fact that most new members are content to sit through their initial session and delay trying for recognition until the next.

Mr. Borah was nominated by the Idaho State Republican Convention, and also by resolution, pledging the party to his support in the Legislature. In the event the election seats a majority of the Republicans place in the Senator is assured. The members are also pledged to the direct primary law, which may be adopted Mr. Borah is looked upon as a strong man in Idaho political circles the determination of Senator La Follette to pick up the cudgel in his behalf is taken to indicate he wants to enlist Mr. Borah to his camp at Washington.

PLUMBERS AND STEAMFITTERS MEET

(Scripps News Association)
Brockton, Mass., Sept. 1.—The annual convention of the New England Association of Plumbers and Steamfitters opened here today with a large attendance, representing every local in the New England States. The convention will last two days, to enable the delegates to return to their respective homes in time for the Labor Day celebration.

REVOLT SPREADING

(Scripps News Association)
Havana, Sept. 1.—The revolt is spreading to the province of Puerto where seventy insurgents are marauding.

SOME GOOD POINTERS ON SOME VERY GOOD SHOES

Probably you are familiar with the shoe standard of this store. Perhaps you already know we have no room in our stock for any shoe that does not come up to our idea of a good shoe. We are veritable cranks on the question of quality in shoes and so far as possible we try to protect our patrons by excluding all shoes which look dubious or doubtful.

This fall's showing surpasses all previous display in the essential points of style lines and superior construction. Not a shoe on sale at this store which we cannot commend to our customers. We hold ourselves personally responsible for the worth and wear of our shoes.

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We would call your attention to our complete line of SCHOOL SHOES. If there is one thing that the careful mother wants it is good shoes for the boys and girls. One trial order will convince.

LADIES' SHOES

These are some of the ladies' pets.

No. 1805 Pat. Colt (Blucher) dressy medium sole	\$4.00
No. 1816 Vici Blucher light upper medium heavy sole cushion insole our best seller in ladies' shoes	3.50
No. 1565 Vici Blucher matt top medium sole, a fine wearer	3.00
No. 1470 Vici bal pliable uppers heavy soles especially good	2.50
No. 3218 Box Calif bal school shoes heavy sole	2.00

MEN'S SHOES

A few of our good numbers.

No. 2831 Pat. Colt Blucher a shoe that goes not crack, neat and nobby	\$5.50
No. 2813 Kangaroo Kid Blucher sold by all leading shoe stores at \$5.00 our price	4.50
No. 2550 Box Calif heavy sole Blucher neat and dressy	3.50
No. 2514 Vici Blucher (non scuff) light uppers heavy sole	3.50
No. 510 Stonewall (seamless) pegged soles a No. 1 work shoes	2.50



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