

ORIENTAL TRADE TO BE FEATURE

GETTING READY FOR THE TRANSMISSISSIPPI CONGRESS AT PORTLAND.

Commercial Undertakings Are to be Discussed by the Assembled Delegates.

Portland, Or., Aug. 12.—The preliminary work incidental to the sixteenth annual session of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, which convenes in this city August 16 has been completed, and Secretary Francis reports 800 appointments from the various states and territories with the assurance of receiving as many more within the next few days.

Prominent among the speakers who have assured Mr. Francis of their intention to be present are Governor A. E. Mead of Washington, Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, Governor Pardee of California, Governor J. H. Mieksey of Nebraska, Governor Brady of Alaska, Senators Fulton of Oregon and Piles and Ankeny of Washington and Hayburn of Idaho and a number of prominent men in public life.

The feature of the program, that of oriental trade, will be discussed by Theodore Wilcox, president of the congress; Hon. John N. Barrett, American minister to Columbia, and James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern.

Former Governor David B. Francis of Missouri is now on his way to Portland from St. Louis, and will address the congress on "Expositions and Their Influence on the Honest Development of the Country." Hon. John W. Noble, former secretary of the interior, and the first vice president of the congress, who will preside upon the discussion of oriental trade, will address the delegates upon the subject, "The Department of Commerce and Labor."

The Columbia river, a subject of great importance to the Pacific Northwest, will be discussed by Major J. C. Langfitt, U. S. A., who has for six years been in charge of the engineering work on the Columbia river, and who, although scheduled to be in Washington, has, owing to the importance of this congress, secured permission to remain for the purpose of addressing the delegates upon this subject.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years," writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." During the summer kidney irregularities are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. For sale at the Medford Pharmacy.

MAY SAVE TRICOLOR

HOPES ARE ENTERTAINED THAT THE NORWEGIAN STEAMER MAY YET BE SAVED.

Bureka, Cal., Aug. 12.—Shipping men are now hopeful that the Norwegian steamer Tricolor, stranded on the Mendocino coast, can be successfully floated. That such is the view is indicated by advertisements sent out by Cation, Bell & Co. of San Francisco, stating that bids will be received at their offices next Tuesday for the privilege of making the attempt. Remuneration will be based on the percentage value recovered.

Captain Metcalf, representative of the underwriters, and Captain Dickey, an Oakland shipbuilder, visited the wreck the other day. Although too rough for them to board the ship, they inspected her thoroughly from a distance, finding the hull practically intact.

Judging from her appearance the Tricolor is none the worse for going ashore, with the exception of holes punched in her bottom at the time she struck the rocks.

A FAMILY SAFEGUARD



Dr. Green arranges with the niece of Dr. Green to handle her famous Uncle's Great Throat and Lung Cure.

The best family safeguard is a reliable household medicine that will cure croup, coughs, colds, chills, sensations, running eyes and nose, sore throat and bronchial affections—that will keep the children proof against all contagious diseases.

Such a medicine is Boschee's German Syrup, which has a record of 35 years in the cure of consumption, catarrhs and all lung and bronchial troubles. The fame of German Syrup as a consumptive cure, since its purchase by Dr. Green from the niece of the famous Dr. Boschee, has extended to all parts of the earth. It has big sales everywhere. Two sizes, 25c and 75c. All druggists.

TAFT TALKS TO FILIPINOS.

Secretary of War Outlines the Policy of the Roosevelt Administration. Manila, Aug. 12.—A Filipino banquet given to the Taft party last night attracted great interest, as it was expected that the Secretary of War would outline the policy of the present administration. For some time past the feeling among the natives has been that the administration was deviating from the McKinley policy, and, as a result, there has been noticeable dissatisfaction among politicians with the insular government, and also much unrest.

This attitude was met fearlessly by Secretary Taft, who upheld the administration's insular policy. When he finished his address he was loudly cheered.

The Only Way.

There is no way to maintain the health and strength of the mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. The stomach must be kept healthy, pure and sweet or the strength will let down and disease will set up. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, sour risings, rifting, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles that are curable are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Kodol digests what you eat and strengthens the whole digestive apparatus. Sold by Chas. Strang.

Will Endeavor to End Bread Famine. New York, Aug. 12.—Poverty and keen distress are everywhere seen on the East Side. There is not a loaf of fresh bread in a territory of several square miles, in which are half a million people. Famine is rampant, and all for the sake of a principle for which the Jews who once made the bread ready to stake their lives.

One of the most important features of the strike was the introduction yesterday of Organizer Robinson, who came as a delegate from President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, to try to induce the bakers and employers to come to an agreement. It was suggested to both sides of the controversy that each appoint a committee to hold a mutual conference and try to come to an agreement.

Robinson had a long conference with both sides to the controversy, and after leaving the hall of the strikers assured President Kurze that he believed the boss bakers would agree to his suggestion and that he hoped the bakers would meet any committee they sent.

Stop That Cough!

When a cough, a tickling or an irritation in the throat makes you feel uncomfortable, take Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Don't wait until the disease has gone beyond control. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, 354 West 5th St., Salt Lake City, Utah, writes: "We think Ballard's Horehound Syrup the best medicine for coughs and colds. We have used it for several years. It always gives immediate relief, is very pleasant to take and gives perfect satisfaction. 25c, 50c, \$1.00 sold by Chas. Strang."

MURDERED MAN IDENTIFIED.

Victim of Hoboes at Oceano Was a Carpenter of San Luis Obispo. San Luis Obispo, Aug. 12.—The man found murdered on the beach at Oceano in the southern end of the county, was identified yesterday as Frank Ross, a carpenter of this city. Ross left home Monday morning in quest of work in the southern part of the county. He is known to have reached a camp of hoboes in Grove Willows, near the beach, Wednesday. He had a few dollars in his pockets.

It is thought he spent Wednesday night at the camp. The hoboes have been camped there for several months, digging and selling clams to campers at El Pizmo. When found there was every evidence that Ross had been struck twice across the head and left lifeless on the beach, where he was found several hours afterward.

Officers are out scouring the country for the hoboes, who left their camp Thursday, giving evidence that they departed to avoid arrest for the crime.

A Touching Story

is the salvation from death of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Chas. Strang's drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Dynamiter in the Tolls.

Iola, Kans., Aug. 12.—C. L. Melvin, the "joint" dynamiter, was given hearings yesterday on two charges and bound over in \$300 bonds to the district court. Two additional warrants charging him with the malicious destruction of property were sworn out, and he will be given a hearing on those charges next Tuesday. He was returned to jail in default of bail.

Pleasantly Effective.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take, pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills are certain guaranteed against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of the ill's resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Cure Jaundice. Sold by Chas. Strang.

Injured Miners Sue for Damages. Reading, Aug. 12.—G. E. Romero, who, with William King, was injured on July 6th by a cage crushing them in the shaft of the Gladstone mine, brought suit yesterday for \$50,000 against the Hazel Gold Mining Company, which owns the mine. Romero's back was broken and he is still confined to his bed. King will also sue for damages.

FIREMEN HAVE A CLOSE CALL

TWENTY OF THEM OVERCOME BY BOILING FAT.

A Soap Factory Takes Fire With Disasterous Result to Fire Fighters.

New York, Aug. 12.—Twenty firemen were carried, burned and unconscious from boiling soap, five of them very badly parboiled from a fire in W. H. Daggitts Sons' soap factory in West 120th street yesterday. Tanks containing 70,000 gallons of soap fats exploded after a fire in the three-story building had been brought under control. For five hours thereafter firemen fought this new danger, crawling on their stomachs on sidewalks outside the building, unable to stand in a poisonous flood of smoke which exhaled from the fiery soap greases and continually exposed to little rivers of the scorching fluid which flowed from the building. Water seemed for the first three hours to have no effect whatever on the boiling soap fats, other than to cause them to flow more freely, with greater peril to the fighters.

After the vats had taken fire Acting Chief Binns was forced to divide his men into two parties, one to enter the black smoke cloud with the hose, and the other to stand waiting out in the air to rush in and rescue fainting comrades whose cries for help came from the fiery furnace every few moments. The black smoke was even more deadly than the fat grease, and sometimes the men lying flat on their faces were forced to inhale it by the constant back draughts.

In no case did the injured firemen come from a single experience in the smoke and grease, but from repeated dashes into the fire zone after having been dragged out helpless by comrades. A physician was among the rescue brigade and by first aid treatment succeeded in relieving some of the firemen. Several firemen who were taken out unconscious and restored to their senses, refused to obey orders to go to the hospital, but ran back to their posts of duty.

For an hour Fred Barry fought the fire from the cellar with the scalding grease trickling over him. As he fell his strength gave out. He screamed for help and Chief Howe, in another part of the building heard him. Barry was found unconscious on the ground and was removed to the hospital. Fireman O'Neill sustained the most serious injuries. With the explosion of the first vat, containing 10,000 gallons of soap liquor, several members of Company 18 were so near that the explosion knocked them down. They ran out of the build, not knowing that O'Neill, who was one of the party, was left behind. He was quickly missed and searchers found him lying on a stairway in a small case of soap grease.

Before the fire was under control six of the firemen had been carried to the hospital and many other of the wounded were barely able to walk. The loss was estimated at about \$60,000.

A DIABOLICAL PLOT.

Mexican Invites Friends to a Poisoned Melon Feast.

San Bernardino, Aug. 12.—A boy's curiosity saved twenty or thirty people from being poisoned at Redlands last evening. Manuel Mendez had a diabolical plan for disposing of his friends. He secured a dozen water-melons and as many cans of poisoned wheat. He poured the wheat into the melons, which he set in the shade of a tree, giving the melons ample time to fully absorb the poison before removing the wheat.

A Mexican boy had seen Mendez buying the poisoned wheat, and, out of curiosity, followed him. He saw the melons treated with the wheat and slipped away, imagining that Mendez would allow the melons and set them in his field to kill grasshoppers.

In the evening Mendez invited numerous friends to a watermelon feast, among them the small boy, who was horrified when, after the music and dancing he saw Mendez cleaving slices of melons and distributing luscious slices to his guests. Yelling a warning, the boy fled. The guests investigated and found some particles of wheat still in the melons. They inflicted severe punishment on Mendez, who is now in jail. What he thought to gain by the plot remains a mystery.



WHY BE GRAY
MRS. NETTIE HARRISON'S 4-DAY HAIR RESTORER
Will bring back the natural color. Gray or faded hair restored permanently without inconvenience and with no disagreeable after effects. Not a dye, is entirely natural and does not make the hair brittle. \$1.00.
Solely by Leon Haskins, Medford.

A Woman Falls Into a Crevasse and Narrowly Escapes Fatal End.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 12.—A special from Kallapel tells of the narrow escape from death of Mrs. A. M. Burt of Jamestown, N. D., a member of a party from the biological school ascending Sperry glacier, above Lake McDonald, in the Clearwater country. Mrs. Burt had just ceased commenting on the danger of stepping into a blind crevasse, unprepared as the party was, when she disappeared from sight.

The crevasse had been undermined by the intense heat of the previous month and had given way beneath the feet of the unfortunate woman, who gave a despairing cry as she disappeared. The men of the party cautiously approached the crevasse, which was five feet wide and had nearly a straight fall of more than fifty feet. Mrs. Burt could not be seen.

Listening closely, a call for help was heard. A courier was dispatched three miles for ropes, by means of which, with short leather belts, suspenders and silk scarfs, the woman was finally rescued after an effort of more than two hours.

The shock was so great that her nervous prostration is feared. Mrs. Burt said she was bounced from side to side of the crevasse in her descent, but miraculously lodged in a pocket in the side of the wall, otherwise she would have been precipitated to unknown depths and perished.

Nothing in the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and one out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witner, a prominent druggist at Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicines which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation." For sale by Chas. Strang.

Chicago Teachers Complain.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Ernest E. Cole, principal of the Darwin school of this city, and twenty-five women school teachers, who have returned from the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland, Or., had the car which they traveled in attached on a claim of \$1000 for a breach of contract. The teachers allege that the tourist company to which they paid \$125 each for the round trip agreed to furnish full course dinners and first-class sleeping accommodations on the car. In stead of these, they allege that they were fed on bacon, beans, fried potatoes and breakfast foods, and that the car was old and "stuffy."

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidney. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and chills, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters I obtained relief, and in a short time I was 'entirely cured.' Guaranteed at Chas. Strang's drug store; price 50c."

New Postal Service.

Washington, Aug. 12.—A new post-office has been established at Sentinel, Fresno county, with Harry E. Liao as postmaster.

A star service has been established from Palo Verde to Coacho, forty miles, daily, and James C. Darper is contractor.

Cures Sclerata.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L. L. D., Cuba, N. Y., writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment. The first application giving me first relief and the second entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Chas. Strang."

New Bank Authorized.

Washington, Aug. 12.—The Controller of the Currency yesterday issued a certificate authorizing the First National Bank of Corona, Cal., to begin business with a capital of \$25,000. Ernest H. May is president, William Hibbard vice president, and John P. Key cashier.

War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the white plague, that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in result. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. Sold at Medford Pharmacy.

Indiana Adopt Corbin's Daughter.

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 12.—Chief Ironbird and forty Sioux Indians with Robinson's circus adopted Miss Grace Corbin, daughter of Adjutant General Corbin, and named her Princess Pure Heart.

Was in Poor Health For Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desired to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. Sold at Medford Pharmacy.

Governor Pardee Has Returned Home.

Sacramento, Aug. 12.—Governor Pardee has returned to the capital after a pleasant visit to L. L. Lewis and Clark Fair. The trip seems to have done him good and he expressed himself as well pleased at getting back to work again. He was charmed by the Exposition, which he declared a most beautiful one.

RUSSIA WILL PAY NO INDEMNITY

THE RUSSIAN REPLY WILL BE HANDED IN TODAY.

The Hitch in Peace Negotiations Are on Payment of Money and Cession of Territory.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 12.—Russia's reply to the Japanese terms of peace will be delivered by M. Witte to Baron Komura today. The reply is written, there being two texts—one in French, the other in English. Upon the two crucial points, indemnity and the cession of the island of Saghalien, the reply is an absolute non-positum. Other points are accepted as bases for discussion, while others are accepted conditionally.

The reply is rather long, because in enumerating the conditions on which discussion is admitted and those on which consideration is declined, reasons and arguments are given. The Japanese plenipotentiaries are expected to ask for an immediate adjournment to examine and prepare this reply.

Witte will probably intimate that the Russian plenipotentiaries expect the Japanese to display as much expedition as they, "the Russians, have shown in the preparation of their response." Monday, therefore, is expected to be the day on which the real discussion of the negotiations will begin. Neither side wants to indulge in diplomatic sparring. The time for fencing is over and less than a week must decide whether a basis of peace is possible.

The tactics of the Japanese are inscrutable. They have shown through out the war their ability to guard their secrets, military, naval and diplomatic, and now not the remotest gleam comes from behind the closed doors as to whether they are prepared to make substantial concessions. Silence and secrecy are their watchwords. But if the conditions are submitted constitute their last word, hope of peace may be regarded as having disappeared, if the feeling reflected in Russian circles is a true criterion. And that main issue will be made is the belief in Russian and Japanese circles.

Finnish Suffering.

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bebell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for ulcers, sores and cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Sores and local cuts, burns and scalds, 25c at Chas. Strang's drug store; guaranteed.

AT MERCY OF WAVES.

Big Liner Reaches Port After Long Struggle.

New York, Aug. 12.—For twenty-four hours the Hamburg-American liner Graf Waldersee drifted at the mercy of a hurricane which struck her during the transatlantic voyage which the steamship finished yesterday in safety. On arrival at the pier only two hours later, the passengers held a reception to thank Captain Krech for bringing them safely through the greatest storm in the history of the Graf Waldersee and one of the worst ever faced by an Atlantic liner.

The storm began on the morning of August 2. A few hours later waves were rolling over the ship and the steerage passengers were locked on the decks, and bags of oil hung over the sides of the ship for thirty-six hours as a protection.

During twenty-four hours the waves ran so high that the steering gear of the liner was unable to keep her in her course, and she drifted with the storm. Some lifeboats were carried away. At the height of the storm a baby was born in the steerage and named after the ship.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The illious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale by Chas. Strang.

Body is Identified as that of Johnson.

Point Richmond, Aug. 12.—The body found in the water Tuesday morning near the Santa Fe has been identified as that of Emil Johnson, a Swede, who was employed on the dredger Caladonia, engaged in government work in San Pablo bay, off Point Pinole. Johnson was a resident of San Francisco.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine.

GIVEN UP TO DIE.
B. Spiegel, 124 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over four years I was troubled with a kidney and bladder affection. I lost flesh and was unable to work. Three physicians failed to help me and I was given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured."
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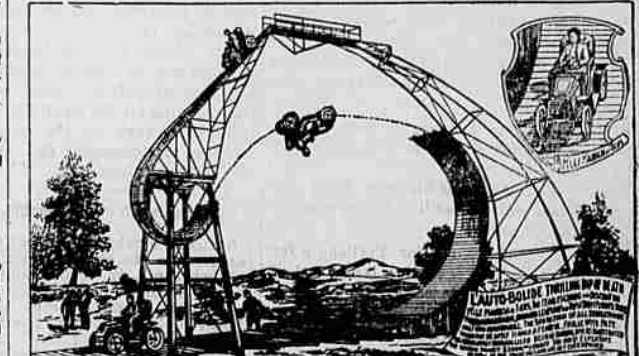
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