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The Weather Fair tonight and Friday; cooler except near the coast; westerly winds.

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DEMOCRATS NOMINATE BRYAN TONIGHT

TERRIBLE MASSACRE AT TABRIZ

Crazed Inhabitants, Starving to Death, Start Riot for Bread and Are Slain by the Cossacks

ODESSA, July 9.—Several hundred more people were killed today at Tabriz in a massacre more terrible than that by the shah's Cossacks July 1. Today's slaughter was the more terrible because it was started by the crazed inhabitants of the city, who are starving to death.

APPLAGATE CELEBRATED FOURTH WITH PICNIC

Over 300 patriotic citizens attended the picnic at Fernside ball grounds, one mile west of the Applagate postoffice, July fourth.

The morning exercises, consisting of music and patriotic presentations, were conducted on the dancing platform.

The lion ball team trimmed the Vespertine 10 to 9. However, the visiting team is composed of good players, but it was their off day.

EDDIE HANLON TO ENTER RING WITH JOHNNY MURPHY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 9.—Billy Roche, manager of the Colma club, announced today that he has made two matches that promise him for the fight fans, Eddie Hanlon, an old favorite in the ring, will make his reappearance July 25 in a ten round contest with Johnny Murphy.

REDMEN HOLD BIG POW WOW

Great Council of Oregon Indians to Meet in Medford July 27--Committees Named to Prepare for It

Redmen in Medford and Jackson county are preparing for ag grand celebration the latter part of July, when the state tribes assemble here with national officers at the 17th session of the great council of Oregon.

Elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the visiting Indians are being made by Westonka tribe. A general committee comprising J. H. Fitzgerald as chairman, W. B. Jackson as secretary and L. L. Jacobs as treasurer was appointed at the meeting of the lodge Wednesday evening, and it was decided that a general reception will be given visitors Monday evening, July 27.

NEGRESS FROM ANTI-TAFT LEAGUE TO FIGHT BIG BILL

DENVER, Col., July 9.—A national anti-Taft league was organized by colored men in all states here last night. The league expects to merge all negro political organizations into one party.

MEXICAN TROOPS SAID TO HAVE ROUTED REBELS

DEL RIO, Tex., July 9.—The hasty return to this town of United States Marshal Nolea and District Attorney Boynton today is believed here to indicate that they have received word of a decisive fight between Mexican troops and revolutionists.

PROHIBITION TIGHT WAGED IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

UKIAH, Cal., July 9.—The hottest prohibition fight ever held in California has been opened in Mendocino county, the heart of hop and vineyard industry. Eleven licenses sought by saloon men are used as the basis of the dispute.

RADICAL ANTI-INJUNCTION PLANK PUT IN PLATFORM

WOULD END GOVERNMENT BY INJUNCTION

Modification of Present Law Demanded--Same Law Applied to Labor Disputes as to Others

CONVENTION HALL, Denver, Col., July 9.—The following is the exact text of the anti-injunction plank as finally adopted by the platform makers this afternoon for submission to the democratic convention:

SENT TO ASYLUM FOR STEALING A HORSE

The horse, saddle and bridle stolen from G. S. Butler's farm just across Bent creek from Ashland were recovered Friday from the farm of D. Whetstone, near Medford, and Whetstone, who was once before an inmate of the institution, has been committed to the state insane asylum.

FAT WOMAN FASTS TO REDUCE GREAT WEIGHT

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., July 9.—After having lost 55 pounds by fasting, Mrs. Manning weighed 500 pounds when she started on her flesh reducing campaign today and began a diet of fresh fruit. She believes she will be able to reduce her weight to 100 pounds.

ENORMOUS FIELD OF WHEAT IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Man., July 9.—The enormous yield of 125,000,000 bushels will represent the total yield of wheat in Canada this year.

CONVENTION NEWS IN A NUTSHELL Third day's session of convention at 11:30 o'clock. Permanent organization. Speech by Permanent Chairman Clayton.

PILE-DRIVER RUNS EASILY

CLAYTON MADE PERMANENT CHAIRMAN--PLATFORM AND NOMINATIONS TONIGHT

AUDITORIUM, Denver, Col., July 9.—The "democratic pile-driver," as the friends of Colonel James Guffey and Patrick H. McCarren have named the Bryan machine here, was working very smoothly today.

CONVENTION CALLED TO ORDER

Chairman Bell called the convention to order at 11:30 o'clock. Rabbi E. and Karl Koel of Seattle, Wash., offered these opening prayer.

CURRENCY AND OTHER PLANKS

The sweeping extension of power which it is proposed to give the interstate commerce commission in the plank on trusts by fixing it control over every corporation doing interstate business of more than \$1,000,000 a year aroused strong opposition.

PLANK UPON RAILROADS IS VERY RADICAL

SWEEPING EXTENSION OF POWER CONFERRED UPON THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE BY PLATFORM

CONVENTION HALL, Denver, Col., July 9.—The following plank was adopted by the general subcommittee on resolutions before it adjourned to finally submit its report to the full platform committee:

VALUATION OF RAILROADS

To this end we recommend the valuation of railroads by the interstate commerce commission, such valuation to take into consideration the original cost of construction and all elements of value which will render the valuation made fair and just.

LINCOLN CELEBRATES FOR BRYAN

Nebraskan's Home City is Preparing to March to Farm--Taft Banner Torn Down by Mob and Burned

LINCOLN, Neb., June 9.—Lincoln preparing to hold a big demonstration as soon as the nomination of Bryan is announced.

WIRELESS IS RECEIVED FROM WHITE SQUADRON

PORTLAND, Or., July 9.—The wireless telegraph station here has two messages from the Atlantic fleet. One of them dated 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon reads:

TEDDY'S JUNGLE TALES BRING FANCY PRICE

NEW YORK, July 9.—By agreeing to pay what is believed to be the largest royalty ever received by an author, Charles Scribner's Sons have secured the right to publish the story of President Roosevelt's African jungle hunt.

NASH INAUGURATES MERCHANTS' LUNCHEON

The Hotel Nash today inaugurated an innovation in Medford—a choice lunch—soup, two meats, vegetables, your favorite beverage and coffee all for 25 cents.

SALE OF SMALL ORCHARD TRACTS

Next Tuesday and Wednesday C. H. Pierce & Son, owners of the large ranch two miles east of town, will place on sale, subdivided into 5 and 10 acre tracts, at prices ranging from \$100 to \$150 an acre.

GARFIELD PROMISES A PROPHET

Secretary of the Interior Is to Establish Weather Bureau Here--Cannot Visit Klamath

James R. Garfield, secretary of the interior, accompanied by F. H. Newe, director of the reclamation service, passed through Medford en route to Portland today on his way home from an extended trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

REMEMBERS ROAD TO CRATER

"I have not forgotten my promises for a highway through the forest reserve to Crater lake," said Mr. Garfield, "but it was out of the question to secure anything in the way of appropriations from congress at the last session. I have tried to do more than anyone is aware of from the results accomplished. I will renew my efforts at the next session."

COMPLIMENTS THE TRIBUNE

Mr. Garfield asked regarding the shipment of fruit from the valley and its quantity, the average planted and other details, and complimented Medford upon its attractive pamphlet.

GANS AND NELSON FIGHT SAID TO BE CALLED OFF

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 9.—The failure of Tex Beard to attend the conference held at the Hague restaurant last night resulted in the calling off of negotiations between Nelson and Gans for a fight on Labor day at Ely, Nev., according to views of local fight fans today.

SOCIALIST NOMINEE TO USE MAILS FROM JAIL

RENO, Nev., July 9.—Moree Preston, the convicted murderer serving 20 years in the Nevada prison, who was nominated for the presidency of the United States by the socialist labor party, is preparing to make a campaign by mail. The warden at the penitentiary has given Preston permission to spend a portion of his time in a political campaign.

New Cases. Elmer E. Throp vs. Mar Throp; suit for divorce. P. G. Allen vs. Pearl Mining company; suit to foreclose lien. Colvig & Durkan, attorneys for plaintiff.

Look for paint (July 10).