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RUSS SAGE BOMBED.

The Culprit is Himself Blown to Pieces.

NO FREE SILVER BILL WILL PASS.

The World's Fair—The Notable Sick—General News of the Realm.

New York, Dec. 4.—Russell Sage, the millionaire broker, escaped death by a miracle to-day, his office and the entire Empire Building in which it was located being shaken to the very foundation by the explosion of a dynamite bomb, hurled by a crank, who had made a demand upon Sage for the immediate payment of \$1,250,000, the ultimatum being, in case of refusal, the death of the millionaire, the crank himself, and those employed in the office. Never in the history of the metropolis is it probable that an event has occurred which for the time caused such excitement in Wall street and lower Broadway. Fully 50,000 people were drawn to the scene of the explosion, and for an hour the police were powerless to bring order out of the chaos. Four persons were killed.

Congress on Silver.

New York, Dec. 6.—The Press this morning prints the result of a poll of the Fifty-second congress on the silver question, and gives the following summary:

	Rep.	Dem.	Total
Senate—			
For free coinage	18	36	54
Against	30	3	33
House—			
For free coinage	9	162	171
Against	79	37	116
Doubtful	6	48	54
Majority in house		167	
Two-thirds vote		222	

This the Press adds, precludes the possibility of a free silver bill becoming a law, as the president's veto would kill it.

The World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The Tribune this morning prints the following: The world's fair directors had almost decided to ask an appropriation from congress of \$5,000,000 rather than request a loan of that amount. The preponderance of sentiment of the directors is in favor of an appropriation. This is due partly to the fact that the directors are careful readers of the newspapers and have come to the conclusion the general expression of opinion favors an appropriation. Then a recent interview with Chauncey Depew, in which he strongly asserted the fitness of an appropriation by congress, has had some weight. The general belief now is that an appropriation rather than a loan should be granted by congress, and the board of directors will, it is believed, when the matter is presented to it for determination, vote for an appropriation.

Will Probably Enter.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A Washington special says: New Mexico and Arizona will probably enter the union of states before the end of the present congress. Utah will also be an applicant for admission, but lingering traces of Mormonism will probably keep her out. It is quite probable that there will be no opposition in either house to the admission of New Mexico and Arizona if they will agree not to vote for president next fall.

Cyrus W. Field Worse.

New York, Dec. 5.—Dr. Fields said this afternoon he did not have such encouraging hopes about Cyrus W. Field's condition as in the two previous evenings. The patient was very much depressed mentally, and it was difficult to build him up under those circumstances.

Land Cases Decided.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Secretary Noble today decided the long-contested case of the Las Vegas grant in New Mexico. The secretary decided that the lands are subject to entry under the general laws. The decision will open to settlement about 670,000.

Greatest in Years.

DEVIL'S LAKE, N. D. Dec. 5.—The greatest snow blizzard experienced for many years quit active operations after about a four hours' rage, depositing a greater quantity of snow than has fallen in the entire past three years.

The Astoria Railway.

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—W. H. Kennedy, chief engineer of the Columbia River & Astoria Railway, in his report, estimates the cost of the railroad from Goble to Astoria, fifty-eight miles, at \$1,600,000.

The Montgomery Launched.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.—The United States cruiser No. 9, known as the Montgomery, was launched at the Columbia iron works at 11:30 this morning.

THE HOP BULLETIN.

The Pacific Coast Forging Ahead in Production.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Superintendent Porter has issued a bulletin on the hop production of the United States. The rapid manner in which the Pacific coast states have forged ahead in this industry is a matter which deserves comment. The report shows the production of hops for the year 1889 to be 39,171,270 pounds grown upon 50,212 acres of land in seven states. The five leading states are:

State	Production (Pounds)
New York	25,038,029
Washington	8,300,280
California	6,547,338
Oregon	5,013,726
Wisconsin	428,547

Oswego county, N. Y., with a yield of 4,698,687 pounds is the greatest hop-producing county while Sacramento county stands at the head in an average yield per acre with 1626 pounds, and Oregon stands third in the rank with 1155 pounds. The value of the crop of the United States for 1889 was \$4,059,697. The bulletin also gives the crop of 1890. The crop amounted to 36,872,954 pounds, worth \$11,106,425 or nearly three times the value of the crop of the previous year. The Pacific coast states respectively show the following increase in product and its percentage, as compared with the census reports of 1880.

State	Pounds	Per Cent.
California	5,106,281	353.39
Oregon	3,999,855	1378.79
Washington	7,610,003	1082.08

World's Fair Collection.

PORTLAND, Dec. 3.—The two solicitors sent to eastern Oregon and the Willamette valley by the state board of commerce to raise funds for an exhibit at the world's fair in 1893 have returned to this city having collected \$2200 in money and notes after one month's work. The solicitors report that the people in the interior are waiting for Portland to take the lead in the matter and that until Portland raises her proportion, it is useless to return to the country for more money. The chamber of commerce of Portland has appointed a committee to solicit funds in this city, but so far they have not reported.

Steamship Burned.

OLYMPIA, Dec. 2.—The steamship Eastern Oregon arrived here last evening and went in the dry-dock. Soon afterward it caught fire by the burning of grease in the galley. The steamer is a total loss. She was formerly the city of Palatka in the Florida trade. In 1887 she was bought by the Oregon Pacific Company for the Yaquina bay and San Francisco route. In 1890 she was brought here by the Oregon Improvement Company, the present owners. The loss is stated at \$180,000. The amount of insurance is unknown.

The Columbia Election.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The Herald's Panama cable says the elections were held throughout the United States of Columbia today, attended by a number of exciting scenes. In this state several attempts at rioting were made but suppressed. It is impossible to say how the elections have gone. At the closing of the polls tonight the liberals are claiming a big majority in spite of their opponents' union.

Chance for a Mexican Market.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 3.—The bill granting the president power to decree a suspension of duties on cereals and all classes of animals coming from foreign countries so as to meet the emergency caused by the loss of crops in various states, passed the chamber of deputies. The passing of this bill will furnish farmers of the West a good market for their crops.

Minneapolis Subscription.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 5.—A reply from the Russian charge d'affaires in New York has been received favorable to the gift of a cargo of flour by American millers to the starving peasants of Russia, and thirteen cars of flour have already been subscribed in Minneapolis alone.

Canadian Finances.

OTTAWA, Dec. 5.—Returns issued by the Dominion government show the total net debt of the Dominion on the 30th ult. to be \$236,392,112. The revenue declined \$105,406 last month, owing to the removal of sugar duties.

Gov. Campbell Gaining.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 5.—Governor Campbell is slightly improved today. Dr. Lavings says it is nothing more serious than an unusually severe case of grip.

Will Build Railways.

SANTIAGO, Dec. 5.—The council of state has authorized the purchase of \$1,500,000 worth of railroad material.

DOM PEDRO DEAD.

He Passes Away Peacefully in the French Capital.

THE HUNAN TROUBLE IN CHINA.

News From Mexico, Ottawa and South America—Brazil Growing Quiet.

PARIS, Dec. 5.—Dom Pedro, late emperor of Brazil, died at the Hotel Bedford at 12:40 o'clock this morning. His ending was peaceful and almost painless. He received the last sacrament of the church before his death. Princess Isabella and her husband, Count d'Eau, were present. To the very last his thoughts were of the country over which he so long ruled, and in whose welfare, despite the treatment accorded him and his family, he had so closely adhered.

PARIS Dec. 6.—Cable dispatches from Rio Janeiro say the news of the death of Dom Pedro met with no official recognition in the Brazilian capital. A number of merchants, and shop-keepers in Janeiro closed their places of business for the day out of respect for the ex-emperor but otherwise the death of the former ruler was marked by no demonstration. The king of Portugal, in a telegram of condolence, offers the use of the vault of the Brazanza family for the burial of the ex-emperor. Dom Pedro was fully possessed of his mental faculties to the end. During his last hours the ex-emperor repeatedly exhorted his heir, the Princess Isabella, to pray with him for the peace and prosperity of Brazil. His body has been embalmed and other preparations made for the funeral, which is to be held Thursday.

The Chinese Trouble.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The situation in China is attracting great attention in political circles in all European capitals. This is not only from the fact that the several powers have made demands upon the Chinese government regarding the treatment of their respective subjects in that country, which the present condition of affairs prevents being settled, but because of the extreme importance of reports that England has come to an understanding with China by which mutual aid will be rendered in the event of certain contingencies. Le Eclair today publishes an interview with the Chinese charge d'affaires here. The representatives of the Chinese government express the most implicit confidence that the government will have no occasion to take any extreme measures to suppress an attempt at a general uprising. The charge d'affaires declares the news lately received from China, regarding the disturbance in several parts of the country, particularly in the north, is greatly exaggerated. He further said he was not aware that any power had asked explanations from China. "We are quite ready to assure the powers that we have done and will continue to do our utmost to protect Europeans in China."

A correspondent of Figaro cables from Shanghai that negotiations are opened to bring about an alliance between England and China for the purpose of coping with Russia. The correspondent adds that China is sending troops to Pamir to check the Russian movements in that part of the world, China claiming that Russia is encroaching on her territory.

Brazil Quieting Down.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—A dispatch from Brazil was received today after a silence of four days. It shows that affairs in Rio Grande do Sul are assuming a more Pacific aspect. Senor Castillo has decided not to accept the governorship of the state. He was governor under the Fonseca administration, but was persuaded by the junta to resign. The new government the other day ordered him to be reinstated. This created great excitement, and for a time trouble was feared, but Castillo's action in declining the governorship has caused a better feeling to prevail. The national guard are disarming and quiet is being restored.

A Volcanic Eruption.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 5.—Thursday was a day of terror in Colima. Between the hours of 4 and 5:30 p. m., the volcano of Colima was in a state of violent eruption, and at 8 o'clock that night a heavy shower of ashes began falling upon the city. It lasted over an hour, covering the streets and roofs of buildings and greatly terrifying the inhabitants.

Reciprocity With West Indies.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The British commissioners from the West Indies were in conference with Secretary Blaine several hours today, with a view to the establishment of reciprocal trade relations with the United States.