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ALASKA BOUNDARY
An Effort to Be Made at Once to Settle It Definitely.
SURVEY PARTY NOW FITTING OUT
Professor Davidson, Who Will Have Charge of the Expedition, Will Follow the Inside Shore Line.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—As a result of correspondence between the Canadian government and that of this country, another effort is to be at once made to settle definitely the Alaskan boundary line in the vicinity of Portland inlet, and, accordingly, Professor Davidson has been fitting out survey parties who will leave on the coast survey steamer Patterson Thursday.
The work to be done will not only settle the point as to whether the Forty Mile creek mines are under British or American dominion, but will fix the southern end of the meandering boundary line running down the coast from Mount St. Elias to Portland inlet, following a parallel about 10 marine leagues inland. The British government holds that the outside shore line should be followed, whereas the American government has succeeded in having the boundary line follow at a distance mentioned, "the inside shore." If the "outside shore" contention were yielded, it would give England the possession of much of the coast and part of Alexander archipelago.

Professor Davidson has fitted out two astronomical and four triangulation parties to co-operate in the waters of the archipelago. The triangulation will be confined mostly to Portland inlet and the approaches thereto from Dixon sound. The two astronomical parties will be stationed respectively at Mary's island and Seattle, Wash. E. F. Dickins is to have charge of the former and Fremont Morse the latter. Between these stations, nine chronometers will be carried at intervals by passenger steamers for two months to establish the chronometer longitude of Mary's island, Seattle being connected with San Francisco and Greenwick by telegraph. The Seattle station will occupy the grounds of the old university of the state of Washington.

ALL NEBRASKA THANKFUL
The Entire State is at Last Visited By Abundant Rain.

OMAHA, April 7.—From all parts of the state messages have been received telling of the heavy rains and snow, and the consequent happiness of the farmers and business men. Songs of praise are especially going up from the heart of the drought-stricken region of last year. There the rain has been the most abundant. From Nueholls county west, taking in the vast area covered by the counties of Adams, Webster, Franklin, Kearney, Harlan, Buffalo, Dawson, Phelps, Furnas, Frontier, Red Willow, Lincoln, Hayes, Hitchcock, Chase, Dundy, Perkins and Keith, and in fact across the state to the northern boundary, the precipitation has been sufficient to satisfy the most carping critics. Where discouragement abounded a week ago, hope has resumed her sway, and driven out evil forebodings, replacing them with confidence and trust.
But not only has Nebraska been blessed by the copious showers, but the dried-up counties along the Kansas, Colorado and South Dakota borders have been wetted to an extent in excess of any experienced in two years. In the northwestern counties ten inches of snow has fallen, greatly delaying railroad traffic.

Rumors of War Between Sweden and Norway.
CHRISTIANIA, April 8.—Estimates to be submitted to the storting have been published and cause much comment. They give a fresh impetus to the wild rumors of impending war between Norway and Sweden. The estimates far exceed any previous sums required. The sum of 4,000,000 crowns is to be devoted to the construction of ironclads. In addition large credits will be asked for to purchase munitions of war and for the completion of forts in Tonsburg harbor.

BERLIN, April 7.—The maturing conflict between Norway and Sweden has given rise to strange reports in Berlin. Since Tuesday it has been a common statement that should the two kingdoms resort to force Emperor William would take up arms rather than permit the threatened interference of Russia.
He is said to have promised King Oscar as much. Although official circles discredit this report, the mere thought of it has sufficed to fasten general attention upon the swift course of events in the Scandinavian peninsula.

Yesterday's dispatch from Stockholm, while not confirming the predictions of war describes the situation as very serious. With alarmist rumors of the emperor's promise to Oscar, has come a batch of gossip as to the relations between St. Petersburg and Berlin. The two courts are supposed to be less friendly now than a few weeks ago.

The statements that the czar and zarina will not come to Berlin this year is regarded as additional proof of the arrangement, although as the czar's accouchement is expected to take place early in September, it is difficult to see how the visit could be made, even if Russia and Germany were on the verge of an alliance.

Castellane and His Wife.
NEW YORK, April 8.—A private letter from London to a celebrated actress here describes the mode of life of Anna Gould and her husband, Count Castellane. The countess seems devoted to her husband and intensely jealous of him, not allowing him out of her sight, and insisting on his constant attendance.
After all the talk about the \$3,000,000 settlement from the Gould estate, it is now said that Castellane only received \$25,000, given to him by George Gould, to prepare properly for the wedding and purchase necessary presents. George was anxious to make a suitable settlement and the matter was discussed at a gathering of the Gould children. The only member of the family who vehemently opposed it was Anna, who said she wanted to believe the count married her for love, not money. The next day George told the count of this decision. The count was chagrined and said he would consult his father. Marquis Castellane was furious, and urged his son to break off the match, return to Paris and marry Mile DeMonteban, to whom he formerly paid his addresses. The count said matters had gone too far and he would be made ridiculous if he broke off the match at the last moment because he did not receive a large settlement, though he said he had expected a large dot.

The Colorado Stern.
DENVER, April 7.—Not a train has arrived in Denver from the east today, and all roads traversing the Eastern portion of the state are still impassable as the result of the great storm of Friday. Today has been very warm and clear, melting all the snow remaining on the ground. The delay of trains now comes from sand on the tracks. Every cut is filled, sometimes to the depth of from four to eight feet. Shovels and rotary plows are the only implements that can make any impression on the obstruction. A dispatch from Falcon reports that the rotary plow, in clearing up a cut near there, unearthed the body of a man buried on the sand on the track, probably having frozen to death. He has been identified as a herder from MeLean's sheep ranch. The loss of livestock will be great, but no estimate can be made today.

Ice In Green Bay.
MENOMINEE, Mich., April 7.—The heavy northwest wind continues and the ice in Green bay is piling up on the shore in places thirty feet high. Several additional docks were displaced today. The Ann Arbor track between the slip and the Milwaukee and St. Paul track is covered with ice, in some places twenty feet high, completely cutting off traffic in the yards, while more or less damages has been done to warehouses, barns and bathhouses. Should the wind continue long from the present quarter, the damage of property will be great. The body of ice extends out into the bay a distance of twenty to thirty miles and is from twelve to sixteen inches thick.

Annexation Favored More and More.
SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Advices from Honolulu, dated March 30, per steamer Peru, contain nothing startling. At a recent meeting of annexationists under the auspices of the American League, C. B. Wilson, the ex-queen's agent, and C. L. Hopkins, urged the natives to favor annexation as the only remaining weapon to overthrow the government.

The cabinet and line officers at a recent conference, agreed to obtain a United States military officer to be colonel of the Hawaiian troops. President Dole thinks their poor management during the recent rebellion has shown the necessity of a military commander.

The Alleged Conditions of Peace.
PARIS, April 7.—It is stated on reliable authority that Japan has proposed the following conditions for the conclusion of peace:
The independence of Corea; the cession of Southern Manchuria, including Port Arthur; the cession of the islands of Formosa; the opening of Chinese ports and rivers to commerce; the payment of an indemnity of 400,000,000 yen and the occupation of a number of strategic points until the indemnity shall have been paid.

To Be Assisted by his Son.
SIMONOSAKI, April 7.—It is officially stated that Li Ung Fong has been appointed a Chinese peace plenipotentiary to assist Li Hung Chang as an envoy. The new envoy is a son of Li Hunz Chang.
The wound in the face of Li Hung Chang is now completely healed. The bandages were removed today.

TORN ALL TO PIECES

The Income Tax Law Is Assailed.

PARTS OF IT ARE CONDEMNED.

Justice Field Is Very Severe in His Arraignment of its Unconstitutional Character.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The anxiously awaited decision of the United States supreme court on the income tax case was rendered today by Chief Justice Fuller. The court knocked out the law as far as it taxes incomes derived from rents and also from state, county and municipal bonds. By a tie vote of the court the law was sustained in other respects.
Justices Field, Harlan and White dissented from Justice Miller. Justice Field said: "I am of the opinion that the whole law of 1894 is null and void." Justice White favored upholding the whole law.

Justice Field, the oldest member of the court, in the dissenting opinion, said:
"The income tax law under consideration is marked by discriminating features which effect the whole law. It discriminates between those who receive an income of \$4000 and those who do not. If thus vitiated, in my judgment, by this arbitrary discrimination, the whole legislation. Whenever a distinction is made in the burden a law imposes or the benefits it confers on any person by any reason of their birth, wealth or religion, it is class legislation and leads inevitable to oppression and abuse, and to a general unrest and disturbance in society. It is hoped and believed that the great amendments to the constitution which followed the late civil war had rendered such legislation impossible for future time. But the objectionable legislation re-appears in the act under consideration. It is the same in essential character as the English statute of 1681 which taxed Protestants at a certain rate, Catholics as a class at double the rate of Protestants, and Jews at another and separate rate."

The effect of all the opinions delivered is to show that the court was unanimous in the opinion that the law is unconstitutional as to municipal and state bonds, that Chief Justice Fuller, Justices Field, Gray, Brewer, Brown and Shiras hold it to be invalid on incomes derived from rents, and Justices Harlan and White dissented from this opinion as to rents. It is impossible to state the exact division as to the validity of other parts of the law further than was disclosed by the proceedings.

It appears quite clear that Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Harlan and White voted to sustain the other parts of the law and the best opinion obtainable is that Justice Brown stood with them in this question, which would leave Justice Field, Gray, Brewer and Shiras as the opponents of the law as a whole.

Nebraska's Relief Bureau.

OMAHA, April 7.—President Nason estimates it will require about sixty days to close the accounts of the relief bureau. He says that with the exception of garden seeds the warehouse is pretty well cleaned out. A corps of girls is now engaged in sorting and packing seeds for distribution. There are twenty-five carloads of seed wheat en route from Pennsylvania.

Fatal Tornado in Texas.

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Tex., April 7.—A church was demolished and several buildings unroofed by a tornado Friday night in Wimsborough, twenty miles from here. One child was killed, and several persons were injured.

Those who never read the advertisements in their newspapers miss more than they presume. Jonathan Denison, of Bolan, Worth Co., Iowa, who had been troubled with rheumatism in his back, arms and shoulders read an item in his paper about how a prominent German citizen of Ft. Madison had been cured. He procured the same medicine and to use his own words: "It cured me right up." He also says: "A neighbor and his wife were both sick in bed with rheumatism. Their boy was over to my house and said they were so bad he had to do the cooking. I told him of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and how it had cured me, he got a bottle and it cured them up in a week." 50-cent bottles for sale by G. A. Harding, druggist.

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