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EVENTS OF THE DAY

FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented in a Condensed Form, Which is Most Likely to Prove of Interest to Our Many Readers.

Heavy rains have relieved the situation in Kansas.

Turkey has released all the suspects in the Miss Stone case.

The Northern Pacific machinists at Brainard, Mont., are on strike.

The condition of Queen Wilhelmina is changed slightly for the worse.

The Cuban congress will convene on May 5 by order of Governor General Wood.

There have been 1,217 cases of cholera and 847 deaths to date in the Philippines.

German nobility is shocked at Emperor William entertaining untitled business men.

Great excitement prevails at Sand Creek, Mont., over a rich gold strike made near that town.

Strikers at Patterson, N. J., have quieted down and show a disposition to make concessions.

President Roosevelt favors the pending bill appropriating \$50,000 for a monument in Washington to Gen. John C. Fremont.

The great shipping combine may acquire the Hill lines on the Pacific ocean, thus making a world wide community of interests.

Not a passenger street car has moved in three days in San Francisco.

Confederate veterans are holding their 12th annual reunion at Dallas, Tex.

Alexander O'Brodie will succeed Governor Murphy as chief executive of Arizona.

Although the Rock Island Railroad will build westward from Denver, it will not seek a Pacific coast outlet.

President Hill, of the Great Northern Railroad, says he is not worried over the decision of the supreme court.

The United States consul at Chomnitz, Germany, says a good market for Oregon salmon can be found in that country.

A hydraulic sea dredge may be constructed to cut and preserve a temporary channel through the bar at the mouth of the Columbia river.

President Roosevelt is said to be of the opinion that Colonel Crowder's report on the British horse camp shows no violation of neutrality laws.

Governor McBride will not call an extra session of the Washington legislature to provide a fund to pay the expense of fighting the railway merger.

Kansas is suffering greatly for want of rain.

The plague has reappeared in Cape Colony, S. A.

Fire at Quincy, Ill., destroyed property valued at \$230,000.

Two masked men held up and robbed 17 laborers near Corinne, Utah.

President-elect Palma is in Cuba. He was enthusiastically received.

The British press is much perturbed over J. P. Morgan's steamship combine.

The senate has passed the river and harbor bill carrying \$70,000,000 in appropriations.

General E. Daniel, charged with embezzling \$40,000 at Seattle, has been discharged.

In a fight between cattlemen near Collinsville, Cherokee Nation, one man was killed and three mortally wounded.

The United States supreme court has made a ruling that the law requiring Chinese to hold certificates is still in force.

The state of Washington has been granted leave to file a complaint against the Northern Sureties Company by the United States supreme court.

The streetcar men of San Francisco are on strike.

China has protested against the extension of the exclusion law.

The house passed the Cuban bill removing the differential on sugar.

Enrique Santibanes, second secretary of the Mexican embassy in Washington, dropped dead on the street.

A New York girl knocked down by the fender of a street car escaped death, but had her hair cut off by the car wheels.

Commodore Howell, of the navy, has perfected a method of transforming soft coal into a smokeless product. The coal is reduced to powder and made into bricks.

Brussels is quieting down and assuming normal conditions.

Frank R. Stockton, the well known novelist, is dead at Washington.

FLOUR ON THE FREE LIST.

Secretary Hay Informs Coast Merchants of Chinese Treaty.

Washington, April 26.—Senator Mitchell recently addressed a letter to Secretary Hay, inclosing one protesting against the United States consenting to any reciprocity, or other agreement, with China, by which a duty shall be placed on American flour shipped to the Orient. The recent attitude of British representatives evidently alarmed the coast merchants. In his reply to Senator Mitchell, Secretary of State Hay says:
"Whatever may be the views of the British commissioners for the revision of the treaty of commerce with China, whether the British government concedes to China the right to impose a 15 more particular examination into the

AGAINST THE BEEF TRUST.

Attorney General Authorizes Proceedings in the State of Illinois.

Washington, April 26.—Attorney General Knox has made the following statement regarding the so-called beef trust:
"On April 4, this department directed W. A. Day, Esq., of Washington, in his capacity as special assistant to the attorney general, to examine into, as far as practicable, the public charges to the effect that a combination of large meat dealers of the United States had been effected contrary to the provisions of the laws of the United States. This preliminary examination resulted in instructions to Mr. Day and Mr. Bethen, United States attorney at Chicago, on April 7, to prosecute simultaneously in Chicago and the East a

NEWS OF THE STATE

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF OREGON.

Commercial and Financial Happenings of Importance—A Brief Review of the Growth and Improvements of the Many Industries Throughout Our Thriving Commonwealth—Latest Market Report.

John Burke of Whatcom is under arrest, charged with embezzling \$1,000.

The weavers of the Oregon City mills are on strike for an increase in wages.

City Attorney Chane of Sumpter resigned after being reinstated by Mayor Robbins.

A rich discovery of a copper ledge on Snake river, near the mouth of the Imnaha, is reported.

The Buzzini placer mines on Beaver creek are attracting considerable attention. A strata of very rich gravel has been struck.

The state supreme court has decided that when grain stored in warehouses is sold without authority of depositors they may recover from the purchasers.

Messenger H. Leighton Kelly, of the Clackamas United States fish commission station, is distributing 45,000 Eastern brook trout in the streams of Eastern Oregon.

Superintendent of Public Instruction J. H. Ackerman has sent out circulars calling for bids on books, to be purchased by school districts for school library purposes.

A mulatto who gave his name as Jackson, and who was caught in the act of robbing a store in Grants Pass, has been identified as "Yellow," the fifth member of gang who murdered Policeman Robinson in San Francisco.

Crane & Thompson, proprietors of the Brownsville flouring mills, will soon be ready to install the new machinery in their mill. When finished it will be one of the finest mills in the county. The mills will have a capacity of 50 barrels a day.

The wheat sales last week in Weston were the largest for the season. The Pacific Coast Elevator Company, of Portland, through its agents, bought a 40,000-bushel lot. Kerr, Gifford & Co., and the Northwestern Warehouse Company bought 29,500 bushels, making the total sales for the week 70,000 bushels. The price averaged 55 cents.

Patents have been filed with the county recorder at Albany conveying 108,656 acres of land from the government to the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, in lieu of some worthless land in the state of Washington. The new land is located along the Cascades, only a portion being in Linn county. Viewers have been in the mountains during the past year making the selections.

Oregon City has two cases of small-pox.

A new eight room school building is to be built at Albany.

William Abel, of Auburn, an old time pioneer of the West, is dead.

The debate between Albany College and the Monmouth State Normal School was won by Monmouth.

The Buck Ridge Placer Company, of Sumpter, has filed articles of incorporation. Capital, \$1,000,000.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 65@65 1/2c; bluestem, 66@66 1/2c; valley, 65c.
Barley—Feed, \$20@21; brewing, \$21@21.50 per ton.
Oats—No. 1 white, \$1.20; gray, \$1.10@1.15.
Flour—Best grades, \$2.85@3.40 per barrel; graham, \$2.50@2.80.
Millstuffs—Bran, \$17 per ton; middlings, \$19; shorts, \$18.50; chop, \$16.
Hay—Timothy, \$12@15; clover, \$7.50@10; Oregon wild hay, \$5@6 per ton.
Potatoes—Best Burbanks, 1.25@1.50 per cental; ordinary, \$1.10@1.25 per cental; Early Rose, \$1.50@2.00 per cental; growers prices; sweets, \$2.25@2.50 per cental.
Butter—Creamery, 18 1/2@20c; dairy, 15@17 1/2c; store, 13@15c.
Eggs—15@16c for Oregon.
Cheese—Full cream, twins, 13@13 1/2c; Young America, 14@15c; factory prices, 10 1/2c less.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$4.50@5.50; hens, \$5.00@6.00 per dozen, 11@11 1/2c per pound; springs, 11@11 1/2c per pound, \$4.00@5.50 per dozen; ducks, \$5.00@7.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 12@13c, dressed, 14@16c per pound; geese, \$6.50@7.00 per dozen.
Mutton—Gross, 4 1/2c per pound; dressed, 7 1/2c per pound.
Hogs—Gross, 6 1/2c; dressed, 7@7 1/2c per pound.
Veal—6@7 1/2c for small; 6 1/2@7c for large.
Beef—Gross, cows, 4@4 1/2c; steers, 5c; dressed, 8@8 1/2c per pound.
Hops—12 1/2@14 cents per pound.
Wool—Valley, 13@14; Eastern Oregon, 9@11c; mohair, 23 1/2c per pound.



Hon. Geo. H. Williams, Republican Nominee for Mayor.

The next mayor of Portland will, with little doubt, be the esteemed and experienced lawyer, statesman, and foremost citizen of Oregon, Hon. George H. Williams. It will be an honor to Portland and will give credit for her throughout the country, to elect such a distinguished man. Mr. Williams, among many thousands of

other votes, of various kinds and classes of citizens, should receive the united negro vote of this city, for through many years he has proved himself the friend of the negro race, and did so when it meant a great deal to them. He stood by them, nearly half a century ago, and they should and will stand by him now.

percent duty on all imports or not, they cannot affect American trade. As long as we do not agree to such an increase, the existing tariff provided for in treaties now in force is the only one applicable.

"As regards flour imported into China, it was specifically provided for in the protocol of September 7, 1901, where it is placed on the free list. Lumber, not being on that list, is subject to a 5 per cent effective duty, and will remain so long as the United States has not entered into an agreement by which this tariff is altered. Flour was placed on the free list at the special request of the United States. "The instructions given to the commissioners for the revision of our treaty of commerce are such that the interests of American trade in China will not in any way be sacrificed, and the duty certainly not be put on flour after its inclusion in the free list has but recently been secured."

FUNSTON REPRIMANDED.

President Requests the Kansas General to ignore the Philippine Question.

Washington, April 26.—By direction of President Roosevelt, Acting Secretary of War Snager has addressed the following letter to General Frederick Funston:

"Sir:—I am directed by the president to instruct you that he wishes you to cease further public discussion of the situation in the Philippines, and also to express his regret that you should make a senator of the United States the subject of discussion or criticism."

At a banquet of the Colorado Sons of the Revolution, General Funston is reported to have said of Senator Hoar: "I have only sympathy for the senator from Massachusetts, who is suffering from an overheated conscience."

General Funston, who is in Denver, says he will eliminate all reference to the Philippine question from future interviews and speeches.

The Russian government has advised all newspapers in the empire to cease publishing news of student riots.