ONE HOME RUN SAVED IT

TACOMA JUST ESCAPED A SECOND SHUT-OUT.

Both Teams Put Up First-Class Ball, With Circus Features That Pleased the Fans.

Tacoma narrowly escaped another shut-out yesterday afternoon. McCloskey's dudes went out in almost uniform one-two-three order before the fast fielding and deceptive curves of the slow-ball pitcher, Mr. Salisbury. It was Pitcher Adams, in the eighth inning, who saved Tacoma from the prospective disaster, when almost every man on the nine had given up hope and McCloskey himself was wondering what he would tell the Tacoma fans when he returned to the Puget Sound city. With two men out, Adams saw one coming across the plate that suited him. He swung on it and the ball went sailing over the right field fence for a tremendously long drive and a home run, the first in the league series on the Portland grounds. When Zearfoss took first on the error of Deisel, it looked like a rally for Tacoma, but McCarthy, the next man up, went out with an easy grounder to first.

The white-stockinged Webfoot nine did not send a runner over the plate until the sixth inning, when Vigneux started out by drawing a pass to first from the wary southpaw, Adams. When he got there he ran like a scared greyhound to second, for Anderson tapped the ball sharply to short. McCarthy dived for the ball at full speed, got it, and then tapped the bag at precisely the same moment that Vigneux reached the base. McDermott called him safe, and McCloskey went out to talk it over. Brown then touched the ball for a grounder to short, retiring Anderson at second. Vigneux went to third. Brown went down to second on the first ball, and on the wild throw back to the home plate Vigneux scored. Brown was thrown out at the plate on attempting to score on Tinker's grounder to third. Zearfoss caught Tinker napping at first.

The second run was earned, if there ever was one. The tail-enders of the batting list were responsible for bringing it in. Mahaffey knocked out a clean two-bagger over Lynch's head, and then Pitcher Salisbury brought in the run by a single to right. Salisbury was advanced to second by Muller's hit, and took third on a passed ball. He died there on Vigneux' pop to center.

One of the features of the game was the bombardment of the Tacoma outfielders by a bunch of unregenerate youngsters that swarmed the top of the oufield fences. One youngster gave the others the tip, and suddenly there came in the direction of the red stockings a swarm of clods and sticks. The game was stopped. Lynch, Flannery and Meneffee were up in arms in a minute. Loading up with similar weapons, they charged the fence, firing their weapons with the accuracy and speed of gatling guns. Up the fence they went like the rough riders at San Juan Hill, and routed the enemy completely. They were then called back to resume the game by McDermott, and a solitary policeman preserved order on the fence.

The crowd had a chance to yell in the sixth and to make the popular Tinker doff his cap at the stand. Zearfoss rapped out a drive over third that looked as much like a hit as Adams' home-run fly. But the fans reckoned without Tinker. He rose into the air like a shot out of a gun, and with one hand stretched up dragged down the swift-speeding ball. Tinker, Deisel and Mahaffey also did great team work in the first. McCarthy had taken first on a base on balls, when McIntyre tapped out the ball to Tinker. McIntyre was thrown out at first, and Mahaffey returned the ball to Deisel at third in time to catch McCarthy, who had attempted a daring steal.

Umpire McDermott ruled the game with his customary rod of iron. McCloskey went out on the field severtl times to talk things over, but no satisfaction did he get. Manager Jack Grim did the same thing when Brown was hit by a pitched ball. All he got for his pains was an order to move off the field. Tinker was ordered to the bench at the same time on penalty of a $5 fine. McCarthy was fined $5 for objecting to a close decision which called Vigneux safe at second. The game moved off quickly, and all the outfielders distinguished themselves by dragging down high sky-scrapers.

Following is the score:

PORTLAND.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Muller, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Vigneux, c	3	1	0	3	0	0
Anderson, 2b	4	0	0	1	4	0
Brown, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Tinker, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Weed, rf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Deisel, ss	3	0	0	1	3	1
Mahaffey, 1b	3	1	1	13	1	0
Salisbury, p	4	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	33	2	6	27	12	1

TACOMA.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Zearfoss, c	4	0	0	4	1	1
McCarthy, ss	3	0	1	2	1	0
McIntyre, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	1
Lynch, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
McCloskey, 1b	4	0	0	7	2	0
Shelton, 3b	3	0	0	1	3	1
Menefee, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Flannery, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Adams, p	3	1	2	3	2	1
Totals	31	1	4	*26	10	4

*Mahaffey out, hit by batted ball.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—2
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

SUMMARY.

Stolen bases—Brown, Zearfoss, McCarthy 2.
Two-base hit—Mahaffey.
Home run—Adams.
Sacrifice hit—Deisel.
Bases on balls—Off Adams 2; off Salisbury 1.
Struck out—By Adams 1; by Salisbury 2.
Passed ball—Zearfoss.
Left on bases—Portland 7; Tacoma 4.
Bases on errors—Portland 6; Tacoma 1.
Time of game—1:28.
Umpire—McDermott.

Northwest League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Portland	15	6	.714
Tacoma	12	11	.522
Spokane	10	11	.476
Seattle	8	15	.348

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago Beat Philadelphia by Better Playing.

CHICAGO, June 7.—Chicago defeated Philadelphia today by better play in the field and with the stick. Attendance, 4000. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Chicago	6	10	1	Philadelphia	4	8	2

Batteries—Menefee and Kling; Duggleby and Douglas. Umpire—Dwyer.

St. Louis Beat Boston.

ST. LOUIS, June 7.—Powell was an enigma to Boston for five innings, while he won his own game at the bat. Attendance, 2500. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
St. Louis	8	9	1	Boston	3	8	3

Batteries—Powell and Ryan; Nichols and Kittridge. Umpire—Cunningham.

Pittsburg Beat Brooklyn.

PITTSBURG, June 7.—It was Tannehill's off day, and Chesbro relieved him in the fourth. Pittsburg won by Kelley's and Keeler's errors. Attendance, 2500. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Pittsburg	5	11	2	Brooklyn	4	8	3

Batteries—Tannehill, Chesbro and Zimmer; Donovan and Farrell. Umpire—O'Day.

Cincinnati Beat New York.

CINCINNATI, June 7.—Newton gave 11 bases on balls, but was always steady with men on the bases. Attendance, 3600. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Cincinnati	3	9	4	New York	2	4	1

Batteries—Newton and Bergen; Doheny and Bowerman. Umpire—Emslie.

National League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	18	11	.621
Cincinnati	19	14	.576
Pittsburg	21	16	.568
Philadelphia	17	17	.500
St. Louis	18	19	.486
Brooklyn	16	18	.471
Boston	12	18	.400
Chicago	14	24	.368

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Baltimore Won From Cleveland in the Seventh Inning.

BALTIMORE, June 7.—The Baltimores won from Cleveland today, pulling the game out of the fire in the seventh. Attendance, 812. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Boltimore	10	12	5	Cleveland	9	11	3

Batteries—McGinnity and Bresnahan; Moore and Wood.

Boston Beat Milwaukee.

BOSTON, June 7.—Boston won today in the eighth, scoring three runs on a wild throw by Connor and four singles. Captain Duffy was presented with a silver loving cup. Attendance, 5000. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Boston	4	8	4	Milwaukee	2	6	3

Batteries—Young and Schreck; Reidy and Connor.

Chicago Beat Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—Chicago defeated Washington through heavy batting and Griffith's excellent work in the box. The visitors hit Carrick hard. Attendance, 3543. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Washington	4	7	5	Chicago	15	17	7

Batteries—Carrick and Clark; Griffith and Sullivan.

Game Postponed.

PHILADELPHIA, June 7.—Philadelphia-Detroit game postponed; rain.

American League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Chicago	27	11	.711
Detroit	20	16	.556
Washington	17	14	.548
Baltimore	17	14	.548
Boston	15	16	.484
Philadelphia	16	20	.444
Milwaukee	13	23	.361
Cleveland	11	24	.314

UNIVERSITY PLAYERS WON.

Defeated Eugene Team by Score of 10 to 9.

EUGENE, June 7.—Contrary to all expectations, the University of Oregon baseball team defeated the Eugene Ramblers today by a score of 10 to 9. The Oregon team went to the bat first and sent three men across the home plate before the end of the inning. In the second the Ramblers took a brace and played fine ball until the end of the fifth inning, when the score stood 9 to 6 in their favor. The 'varsity lads then began to play in splendid form and shut their opponents out until the end of the seventh, when the score stood 9 to 6. Encouraged by their brilliant work, the collegians began to do some effective batting and scored four runs in the first half of the eighth, after which no more scoring was done.

The line-up was as follows:

Ramblers—		—U. of O.
McFarland	C	Watts
Hayes	P	Lewis
Innis	1B	Wright
Griffin	2B	Heater
Withrow	3B	Goodrich
Branstetter	SS	Redmond
McAlister	RF	Murphy
Starr	CF	Mendenhall
Southwick	LF	Kelly

Lewis, Heater and Wright put up fine ball for the university, and Innis and Starr did good work for the Ramblers.

Runs for Ramblers—Starr, 2; Innis, 2; Griffin, 2; McFarland, 1; Hays, 1; McAlister, 1. For Oregon, Watts, 1; Lewis, 3; Redmond, 1; Kelly, 3; Heater, 1; Murphy, 1.

Struck out—By Hays, 5; by Lewis, 9.
Base on balls—Off Hays, 5; off Lewis, 4.
Three-base hits—Star, 1; Redmond, 1.
Umpire, Professor C. A. Burden.

Walla Walla Beat Whitman College.

WALLA WALLA, June 7.—Walla Walla today defeated Whitman College in baseball by a score of 3 to 0. Berry, who pitched for the city team, allowed Whitman but a single hit.

The Alaska Trail.

J. Gordon Temple, of Portland, writes verses about the Arctic for The Sunday Oregonian, tomorrow.

Races at Gravesend.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Gravesend summary:

Five furlongs—Leonora Loring won, Somersault second, Ice Water third; time, 1:03.

Myram stakes, mile and 70 yards—Kilogram won, Latson second, Intrusive third; time, 1:47.

Five and a half furlongs, selling—Halbedir won, Wild Oats second, Jim Fitz third; time, 1:44 4-5.

Mile and 70 yards—Roxanne won, Fatalist second, Disturber third; time, 1:49 1-5.

About six furlongs, selling—Bold Knight won, Contend second, Godfrey third; time, 1:14 2-5.

Mile and a sixteenth—The 'Rhymer won, Terminus second, S. Herbert third; time, 1:48 2-5.

Races at Newport.

CINCINNATI, June 7.—Newport results:

Seven furlongs, selling—Stamp won, Nels Morris second, Durrell third; time, 1:29½.

Six and a half furlongs, selling—Baronet won, Prue Wood second, Amorosa third; time, 1:22½.

Four and a half furlongs, selling—Edna Kenner won, Corinne C. second, Dr. Worth third; time, 0:57¼.

Six furlongs—Grandma II won, Eva Wilson second, Meggs third; time, 1:15¾.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling—Dolly Wagner won, Charles Esten second, Russian third; time, 1:45¾.

Six furlongs, selling—By George won, Bean second, Allaire third; time, 1:15½.

Paper Chase Today.

The Portland Hunt Club will hold the last paper chase of the season today for the possession of the A. H. Kerr cup. The riders assemble at 3 P. M. at East Twenty-eighth and Burnside streets. The finishing point has not been announced. Spectators desiring to be present at the finish will be notified by a card in the window of Woodard, Clarke & Co.'s as to the place and the car to take.

Won Places in Tenis Finals.

NEW YORK, June 7.—In the semi-final matches of the Women's singles in the Kings County lawn tennis tournament, Miss Marion R. Jones, daughter of Senator Jones of Nevada, and Miss Bessie Moore, former National champion, won places in the finals.

Lawson Makes a New Record.

SALT LAKE CITY, June 7.—In a mile competition race on the eight-lap track at the Salt Palace tonight, Iver Lawson, of Chicago, made the distance in 1:55 4-5. This establishes a new world's record for the distance in a competition race.

Mrs. McKinley's Condition.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—Mrs. McKinley's condition tonight shows no material change.

REGATTA ON THE CLYDE

SYBARITA AND NEVADA WERE THE WINNING YACHTS.

Shamrock I Defeated in the Ninety-Foot Class—Course Was a Distance of Fifty Miles.

ROTHESAY, Firth of Clyde, June 7.—The Glasgow exhibition regatta opened today. The yachts started in a brisk northwest breeze over a course in the form of a square, lying between the Island of Bute and Ayrshire, giving a fair trial on all points of sailing. Twice around the course and a "distance" to Largs and back made a total of 50 miles sailed.

The race was divided into two classes, both having special points of interest to Americans. In the first division Shamrock I was pitted against the best single-stickers in British waters. She was heavily handicapped under the British racing rules, giving the Meteor 45 minutes 39 seconds, the Sybarita 42 minutes 34 seconds, and the Kariad 47 minutes 4 seconds.

Some Portlanders Devoted to the National Game.

Interest in the second race centered in Charles F. Herreschoff, Jr.'s, new cutter Nevada. She was designed with little regard for the restrictions of the British racing rules, and if successful will either set the fashion for British designing or force the racing association to modify the measurement rules materially. Her competitors, Lais, Carina and Tutty, were fairly representative of the work of the British builders two seasons ago.

The four big yachts were sent off with full light-weather canvas to a capital start. Kariad, Meteor and Sybarita were beam and beam, with Shamrock I half a length astern. They had an easy five-mile reach to the first mark; when the former cup challenger turned the first mark she led the Meteor and the Kariad by half a minute, and the Sybarita by 1 minute and 24 seconds. When the next mark was reached Shamrock I led Sybarita by 1 minute 44 seconds, Meteor by 4 minutes, and Kariad by over 10 minutes. The wind then softened and the pace slackened.

On the last leg of the first round Shamrock I showed well, and she passed the mark 9 minutes 50 seconds before Sybarita, which was 2 minutes 38 seconds ahead of Meteor. On the second leg of the second round, Shamrock I was hopelessly becalmed off Cumbrae Island, and all three of her rivals passed her there.

Sybarita's time at the finish was 7 hours 14 minutes 34 seconds. She won both prizes, time and first to finish. Others were far astern. Shamrock's time was 7 hours, 47 minutes, 36 seconds.

In the other class Nevada was well placed at the start, and in the softening wind ran ahead and passed the second mark 1 minute 30 seconds ahead of Carina, 2 minutes ahead of Tutty and nearly 3 minutes ahead of Lais. After having sailed half of the first round in good style, Nevada was passed by Tutty and Carina and was third to finish the round, 9 minutes 5 seconds after Tutty.

Nevada won the race for 65-footers, covering the course in 9 hours 25 minutes and 17 seconds. None of her competitors has yet been sighted.

Reception of Shamrock II.

NEW YORK, June 7.—David Barrie, Sir Thomas Lipton's representative in this country, has made arrangements for docking Shamrock II at Erie Basin on September 15 and 16, for her official racing measurements. He has also visited the Morse Iron Works and made preparations for the reception of the challenger on her arrival. On reaching this side she will go to the Morse Iron Works to have her ocean rig removed and her racing clothes fitted.

Will Step Defender's Mast.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Royal Phillips Carroll's crack cutter Navahoe, which is now on the ways at City Island in the process of transformation into a yawl, will step the steel mast of old Defender. The cup cutter of 1895 is at City Island undergoing disintegration at the hands of the "breaking-up" gang.

ANOTHER AMERICAN VICTORY.

Foxhall Keene's Cap and Bells II Won the Oaks Stakes.

LONDON, June 7.—Another of Britain's great racing trophies has been captured by an American, Foxhall Keene having won the Oaks with Cap and Bells II, ridden by Milton Henry. The owner, horse and jockey are all thoroughbred Americans, so the victory was not diluted as it was in the case of the Derby. Yesterday long odds were obtainable against the American horse, but the odds were shortened this morning until Cap and Bells II stood at the head of the list and started at 9 to 4 against. The hollowness of the victory detracted from the interest in the race. The conditions of the race were as follows:

The Oaks stakes of £4500, by subscription of £50 each for 3-year-old fillies, to carry 126 pounds each, about one mile and a half. The following was the result in detail:

Foxhall P. Keene's bay or brown filly Cap and Bells II, Domino-Ben Michree, first.

Lord Ellesmere's brown filly, St. Brinta, Kilwarline-Sabra, second.

Richard Croker's bay filly, Minnie Dee, Fitzsimmon-King's Daughter, third.

Twenty-one horses ran. Noonday II, the winner's stable companion, ridden by Turner, led to the stretch, where Marchioness and Arta fell and Cap and Bells II drew to the front and won in a canter by six lengths. Two lengths separated the second and third horses.

The betting was; Cap and Bells II, 9 to 4 against; Sabrinetta, 50 to 1 against; Minnie Dee, 10 to 1 against.

C. Jenkins rode Sabrinetta and L. Reiff had the mount of Minnie Dee, another American-bred horse owned by Richard Croker. So, altogether, the race furnished extraordinary proof of the superior ability of American breeders, trainers and jockeys.

Punctilio, a chestnut filly, owned by Sir E. Vincent and ridden by Lester Reiff, won the Acorn stakes of £1000 for 2-year-old fillies at five furlongs. Fourteen horses ran.

"I am very proud to be the first American to win the Oaks," said Mr. Keene. "I bred the filly myself in Kentucky, so she was American bred, owned and ridden."

Mr. Keene said he was not much of a gambler, but in this race he had put up a big stake on Cap and Bells II and had told all his friends to do the same.

"There was not an American at the course whom I have heard of that did not put his money on Cap and Bells II," he continued. "She was not heard of in the betting a few days ago, and came down from a long price to 9 to 4."

Mr. Croker, although he had a horse in the race, backed Cap and Bells II, and numerous commissions were cabled from New York. Mr. Keene is believed to have won $10,000 in wagers.

NEW YORK, June 7.—James R. Keene announced today that the Oaks stakes will be distributed among certain charities. The amount is $24,000 approximately. One-half of the money is to be distributed in this country and one-half to English charities.

American Victories on British Turf.

LONDON, June 7. — The victories of Americans on the British turf is the theme of much newspaper comment. The Daily Telegraph says:

"Is England going to the dogs? Has the dawn of the century given the signal for extinguishing the supremacy of the English thoroughbred and made these islands an appendage of the United States? We must possess our souls in patience and endeavor to learn lessons from the staggering object lessons here provided."

The sporting papers, although they pay ungrudging tribute to American success, cannot conceal a certain amount of disappointment at such unexpected results of the American system of training and riding. The Sporting Life confesses that it does not admire the American style of riding, but is unable to deny that the Americans have triumphed. "The passing generation can scarcely reconcile the same," it says, "but the world moves."

THE DAY'S RACES.

Winners at Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 7.—Three of the six starters in the fifth race at Oakland today fell at a turn and Jockeys Gutierroz and Fauntleroy narrowly escaped fatal injury. Fauntleroy pulled over and Lento, his mount, struck Torso Maid and fell. Royally and Louwelsea also went down in the mix-up. At the track hospital it was found that neither boy was badly injured.

Six furlongs—Homestake won, Lilly Diggs second, Pidalea third; time, 1:15¼.

Half mile—Post Bell won, Cousin Sue second, Robert Bonner II third; time, 0:50¼.

Six furlongs, selling—Odd Eyes won, Yule second, Frank Woods third; time, 1:15.

One mile, selling—Matilda O won, Lucera second, Cerrosanta third; time, 1:42½.

Five and a half furlongs, handicap—Parretiere d'Or won, Torso Maid second, Vassalo third; time, 1:10.

One mile and one hundred yards—Merops won, Alicia second, Lost Girl third; time, 1:48.

Races at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, June 7.—Fair Grounds summary:

Four and a half furlongs—Ethylene won, Ruby Ray second, Miss Wandelohr third; time, 0:58.

Five furlongs—Kaffir won, Carat second, Phonolite third; time, 1:05¼.

Six furlongs, purse—Miss Aubrey won, Our Lady second, Birdie Stone third; time, 1:18¾.

Mile, selling—Lee Bruno won, Sue Johnson second, Admiral's Choice third; time, 1:45½.

Mile and 20 yards, selling—Satin Coat won, Tea Gown second, Alex third; time, 1:47.

Mile and one-eighth, selling—Amelia Strathmore won, Guide second, Rushfields third; time, 1:58.

Races at Hawthorne.

CHICAGO, June 7.—Hawthorne summary:

Five furlongs—Chamanade won, Arian second, I. Samuelson third; time, 1:03½.

Mile and 20 yards—Shut Up won, Bright Night second, Maple third; time, 1:47¼.

Four and a half furlongs—Hargis won, Emmett Orr second, Amole third; time, 0:56¾.

One mile, selling—Reseda won, Bonnibert second, Grandon third; time, 1:43.

Mile and 20 yards—Lee King won, Blue Lick second, Blentch third; time, 1:45.

Seven furlongs—Impromptu won, Sortie second, Domadge third; time, 1:30.

Colt Bought for Mackay.

CHICAGO, June 7.—An agent of Clarence Mackay has bought of John Rodegap a 2-year-old colt by Wagner-Bonnie Bird. The price is said to have been $6000.

THE SHERIFF HAD NERVE

SAVED A GEORGIA NEGRO MURDERER FROM LYNCHING.

Opened Fire on a Mob—One Man Was Killed and Two Wounded, and the Astonished Crowd Fled.

CARROLLTON, Ga., June 7.—The nerve of a Georgia Sheriff, Joseph Merrill, today upheld the law of the state and saved the life of a negro from a mob. In protecting the negro, who was saved from the gallows only a few hours before througn the efforts of his lawyers, one life was lost and two men were wounded. The arrival of th estate militia averted threatened trouble tonight, and at 9 o'clock a special train bearing the negro, whose crime was the murder of a little white boy whom he found fishing alone, was speeding toward Atlanta under guard. The man killed in attacking the jail was George Bennett, of Carrollton.

The wounded men are Thomas Smith, a citizen of Carrollton, and an unknown man, presumably a farmer. Thomas S. Word, father of the murdered boy, who was in the front rank of the would-be lynchers, was not hit. After Bennett fell, Mr. Word jumped upon a window-sill and exclaimed dramatically: "Shoot me, Mr. Sheriff, I would as soon die now as at any time." Only nine shots were fired and the walls of the jail show the marks of the bullets. None of the Sheriff's posse was hit.

Williams, the negro, who caused the trouble, was tried and found guilty of murdering Otis Word, January 1, 1901, and sentenced to be hanged today. He was only this mornig refused a new trial, but his attorneys filed a bill of exceptions and carried the case to the Supreme Court. A large crowd of people had come to town to witness the hanging, and when it was learned that an appeal had been taken, delaying the execution, there was much excited talk, which crystallized soon after in the formation of a mob.

At noon the mob made an assault on the jail. They battered down the outside door, despite the warning of the Sheriff, and entered the building. They made a demand on the Sheriff for the keys to the negro's cell, but were refused. With the refusal they began their advance upon the Sheriff, and the few deputies whom he had been able to summon to his aid. They were told to stop or they would be fired on, but the order was not obeyed.

As they advanced down the corridor toward the Sheriff the order was given to fire. Bennett fell, dying almost instantly. Thomas Word, the father of Williams' victim, who was in the front of the mob, was badly shot, as was also an unknown countryman. The unexpected fight of the Sheriff and his little posse frightened the mob, and they retreated outside of the jail. Here they broke and ran, and soon were divided into little groups discussing the event.

Sheriff Merrill at once consulted Judge Harris, of the County Court, and it was decided to call on Governor Candler for aid. The Governor was communicated with by telephone, and said he would send two companies from Atlanta as soon as they could be assembled. During the afternoon the mob telephoned the situation to friends in the adjoining towns of Villa Rica and Temple, and made an appeal for more men to get possession of the negro. This was communicated also to Governor Candler, and the Governor soon wired a proclamation to the people of the county. It was read from the Courthouse steps at 4 o'clock by the Mayor. The Governor commanded the people to disperse, and said the entire military and civil forces of the state would be used to enforce the order, if necessary. The reading of the proclamation apparently had good effect, as many people were seen to mount their horses and leave town.

Much apprehension was felt for the night, and the Sheriff and city and county officials, after a consultation, decided to take the prisoner out of the county for safekeeping. The Atlanta militia, under the command of Major Barker, arrived about 6 o'clock, and one hour later escorted the negro and Sheriff Merrill to the train, which was soon speeding southward to Atlanta.

COMING NORTHWEST EVENTS

Grand chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Tacoma, June 7-8.

Grand council, Royal and Select Masters, Tacoma, June 10.

Grand council of Masons, Portland, June 10-11.

Idaho Grand Lodge, Knight of Pythias, Pocatello, June 10.

Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, Tacoma, June 11-13.

Grand Army encampment of Eastern Washington, Farmington, June 11-13.

Tournament of Eastern Oregon and Washington Firemen's Association, Heppner, June 11-13.

Encampment of Whitman County Veterans' Association, Farmington, June 11-13.

Meeting of Wheeler County Pioneers, Richmond, June 12-13.

Reunion of Wheeler County Pioneers, Mitchell, June 12-13.

Reunion of Oregon Native Sons and Daughters, Portland, June 12-13.

Meetings of farmers: Monmouth, June 12; North Yamhill, June 13.

Nez Perces County Pioneer Association, Stites, June 13.

Moscow District Epworth League, Lewiston, June 13-16.

District Epworth League Convention, Baker City, June 14-16.

Oregon pioneer reunion, Portland, June 14.

Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Tacoma, June 13-14.

Idaho Grand Army encampment, Coeur d'Alene, June 20-23.

Washington State Bankers' Association, Spokane, June 20-23.

Moscow district campmeeting, Methodist Episcopal church, Colfax, June 20-30.

Convention of G. A. R. of Idaho, Coeur d'Alene, June 20-22.

Railway engineers' picnic, Salem, June 21.

Union County Pioneer Association, Union, June 21.

Oregon Christian Missionary Convention, Turner, June 21-July 1.

Idaho State Sunday School Convention, Lewiston, June 21-23.

Oregon encampment, G. A. R., Forest Grove, June 25-28.

Convention of Northwest Sportsmen's Association, Walla Walla, June 25-29.

Washington Grand Army encampment, Tacoma, June 25-27.

Annual session, Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association, Gladstone Park, July 3-13.

International Mining Congress, Boise, July 23-25.

Musical Dentistry.

London Telegraph.

Musical dentistry is the latest discovery in Paris. It has been taken up by a well-known physician, who expounded it before the Paris Academy of Medicine, and it has thus received the sanction of high scientific authority. The method consists in drawing teeth to the sounds of sweet music. A usually trying operation becomes, it is stated, not only painless, but quite pleasant, when conducted in this way. The physician adressed the academy meeting on behalf of a Paris dentist who has already applied the musical method with success. The idea of the new process was first suggested by observation of patients under the influence of anaesthetics, the drug used being nitrogen protoxide in vapors. As is known, the incipient effect of the latter is to produce in nearly every case disagreeable, sometimes almost unbearable, sensations, resembling those experienced in nightmare. The dentist in question came to the conclusion that this preliminary ordeal of bad dreams at the commencement of the anaesthetic influence was caused by the perception of noises around by the mind when in a state of still partial consciousness. Why not soothe patients into the required condition of temporary oblivion by sweeter sounds? The dentist tried the experiment, and he and his patients were alike charmed with the result. The latter were as good as gold, the tooth-pulling operations, not being interfered with by the groans or contortions of sufferers, were performed with the greatest ease, and on recovering consciousness all that patients remembered were bars of the "Lohengrin" overture, for example, still softly singing in their ears. The new method having been invented, nothing remained but to bring it to its greatest possible pitch of perfection. The obvious difficulties in the way of dentists habitually keeping bands, solo singers and choirs on the premises were avoided simply by means of powerful phonographs. Now the operator whose new method has been revealed to the Academy of Medicine regularly uses a machine of this kind. The patient puts the tubes to his ears, the music is started, the gas administered, and shortly afterward the occupant of the once-dreaded dental chair awakens from pleasant dreams to see the smiling surgeon showing him his tooth. Of course a varied choice of musical selections can—and, indeed, should— be made to suit different temperaments and teeth. Without going into these particular questions the physician spoke quite enthusiastically about the new process to the assembled academicians. He is eager to apply the musical method to surgical operations in general. He intends making experiments of his own in this direction, and he hoped that some of his hearers would do likewise.

In the Antarctic.

National Review.

In the Antarctic Circle the monotony and solitude are more predominant than in the Arctic. The lack of large mammals, as, for instance, the polar bear, the polar fox, walrus, musk oxen, and, of course, the lack of population, like the Eskimo and Samoyed, make life on the land near the south pole extremely solitary. Both within the Arctic and Antarctic regions the members of an expedition will have to face the strong strain of monotony, an enemy, in fact, superior to and much more dangerous than ice or gales. It is, therefore, necessary, in my opinion, for a successful expedition to contain members with easy minds and good tempers, who, before they enter upon the adventure, have shown themselves able to realize that their minds are to face the depressing influence of Arctic night. So much the heavier weighs the monotony on the mind of the traveler as the food will necessarily be inferior to that of civilization. Thus the qualities of the Arctic and Antarctic explorer will be tried under the most unfavorable conditions. Successful or unsuccessful work within the polar regions will, therefore, greatly depend upon whether the members of the expedition, under the most unfavorable physical conditions, will still maintain the full mental capacity for difficult work. This is, I believe, the principal factor to be taken into account in both Arctic and Antarctic exploration work. But the strain and difficulties in the south are conspicuously much greater than in the north. The difficulties must needs be greater, because the monotony is greater, and the food supply less, through the scarcity of life.

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ASKED TO VISIT HAWAII

COMMISSIONER HERMANN CONTINUES TO RECEIVE REQUESTS.

He Thinks Such a Trip Should Not Be Made Unless Authorized by Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Commissioner Hermann, of the General Land Office, continues to receive letters from Delegate Wilcox and other prominent Hawaiians, asking him to visit the islands and make a thorough examination of their public lands and land laws, so that he may comprehensively deal with land problems arising in the islands, should Congress extend to them the United States land laws, or give the General Land Office supervision under some other system. To these, as to previous requests, the Commissioner has made reply that under the circumstances he does not feel justified in undertaking the trip, although he recognizes that considerable benefit might arise therefrom.

The Commissioner thinks such a trp should not be made unless authorized by Congress. If the Hawaiian people interested in securing a more satisfactory system of public land administration bring sufficient influence to bear upon Congress to secure an authorization of such a tour of inspection, the Commissioner would be glad to undertake the journey, upon specific lines laid down, making an investigation of such points as were adjudged worthy of inspection.

"The old Hawaiian land laws are still in vogue in the islands," explains the Commissioner. "Under that system there are many ways whereby the public domain is disposed of. There is the homestead, the cash sale, the leasehold disposal, disposal of what are known as grazing lands, etc. There is a sentiment in Congress in favor of extending the public land laws of the United States so as to include Hawaii. Delegate Wilcox vigorously objects, and so, I am informed, does the State Land Board. At the same time they do not approve of the present system. It is on this account that it is desired that there shall be a careful investigation made, so the conditions which can be observed and reported upon. In other words, they are of the opinion that in order to get favorable and satisfactory legislation from Congress it is necessary that some recognized official of this Government should make a personal investigation and report upon his field observations.

"Last Winter I expressed my views on this matter," continued the Commissioner, "and I found that my views very largely met with the approval of Delegate Wilcox. I think the broad provisions of the general land laws of the United States would be inapplicable to Hawaii in various particulars, especially as regards the most important law, the homestead act. I would object to the extension of the homestead law as a whole, without qualification, because of the limited supply of what might be termed homestead lands; that is to say, such lands as are agricultural in quality. Moreover, the great value of Hawaiian lands, together with their enormous productiveness, render it necessary that homesteads should be very limited in area. The maximum could be fixed at 20 acres, instead of 160 acres, as is now allowed in the United States. These lands which I refer to as homestead lands are now occupied under leases, many of which are about to expire, and if some form of homestead law were now in force in Hawaii these lands could be finally disposed of by the Government under such a law. As it is, however, these expiring leases will have to be renewed.

"The classification of lands in the Hawaiian Islands is improperly made. There should be a new and different classification than that which now exists in the public system. Then again there is a defect apparent in the method of surveys which have been practiced in the islands. I further recognize that for the purposes of adjudication between contestants the system which has been so long employed in the Government service in the United States, and which has been so successful and so popular, to-wit, the local land office, with its register and receiver, should be adopted.

"In this connection I would suggest one local land office for the entire islands, with the register and receiver at Honolulu, to meet the people, and decide all contests in the original instance, with right of appeal to the general land office and further appeal to the Secretary of the Interior."

The Commissioner explained that under the present law all matters pertaining to the disposal of public lands in Hawaii must be addressed to the President of the United States. Under this law the disposal of these public lands is practically suspended, as the President is only authorized to renew leases. New legislation will be necessary before these lands can be taken up under the homestead or any other law.

Fusion in Iowa.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 7.—The Populist State Central Committee met here today, and at adjournment gave out the following:

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