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ALL DEPENDS ON POWERS

Ohio Bolters Can Expect No Sympathy From Him.

CLEVELAND, O., July 21.—By a letter to G. A. Groot, prominent in the "Bryantism" fight in Ohio, W. J. Bryan has thrown cold water on the entire movement. In no uncertain language, he informs the bolters that they can expect no sympathy from him. While not pleased with the reputation of the Kansas City platform by Ohio Democrats, Mr. Bryan emphatically sets his seal of disapproval upon any move calculated to do possible harm to the Democratic ticket as nominated. The letter of Mr. Bryan came as an answer to one to him by Mr. Groot.

Bodies of Misses Colburn Found. NEW YORK, July 21.—The bodies of the Misses Ida Elizabeth and Annette Colburn, the daughters of Arthur T. Colburn of Philadelphia, who were drowned with their father when the two-masted yawl Venetia sank in Long Island Sound last Thursday, are now at the establishment of a Brooklyn undertaker awaiting orders from Philadelphia for final disposition. The bodies were found in the cabin of the Venetia, which was raised yesterday and the vessel with the two dead was brought to Brooklyn today. So far the bodies of only the two daughters have been found, leaving those of Mr. Colburn, Captain Flint and a sailor known as Frank to be located. The bodies of the two women were in a fair state of preservation.

Accident to A. B. Cummings. DUBUQUE, Ia., July 21.—A. B. Cummings, Republican candidate for the nomination for Governor, suffered the dislocation of his shoulder and was painfully bruised by being thrown from a buggy in a runaway while driving from Strawberry Point to Elkader last night.

SCORCHER IN EAST

Hot Wave Sweeping Over Western Parts.

NUMBER OF RECORDS BROKEN

Many Missouri Churches Held a Season of Fasting and Prayer in Accordance With Proclamation of Governor.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—A hot wave of unusual, and in many places record-breaking, intensity is again prevalent over the Central Western part of the country, and is spreading eastward and northward. The Central West reported extraordinarily high temperatures to the Weather Bureau today. The maximum temperature line of 100 deg. today included the States and Territories of Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Iowa, Missouri, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. At Chicago at 7 P. M. the temperature was 100 deg., exceeding by several degrees anything ever before recorded at that time of the day. For 18 days of this time the thermometer at Kansas City registered 100 deg. or more.

Weather Bureau officials do not care to make any predictions as to the prospects of relief. They say none as yet is in sight. The seriousness of the situation to the crops is increased by the lack of rain, none of importance having fallen in the corn belt for three weeks, and there apparently being no prospect. The rain which gave a partial relief to the states of the corn belt during the past week was not by any means general in character, but a succession of thunder showers afforded temporary relief to the overworked ground and grain. The relatively high barometer in the southeast section of the country shows a persistent continuation of warm southerly winds, and there appears to be no prospect of a change until the appearance of a high barometer in the Northwest, where a low pressure now has full swing. Such relief of a local character as is held out in the meantime, it is stated, will be due to local thunder showers which always accompany periods of protracted heat. Some rains have fallen in the past 24 hours in the South Atlantic States, the Gulf States and in the extreme Southwest, notwithstanding Northern Arizona, where rain has fallen since yesterday morning.

Contrasted with the remainder of the country, the Pacific Coast is enjoying a period of cool weather. San Francisco reporting a temperature tonight of 56 deg. as the result of cooling breezes from the ocean.

Some of the maximum temperatures officially reported to the Weather Bureau today are the following, although they are instances lower than those recorded by the local thermometers: Atlanta, 90; Boston, 90; Chicago, 102; Cincinnati, 100; Dayton, 100; Denver, 94; Des Moines, 100; Helena, 100; Kansas City, 100; Jacksonville, Fla., 88; Kansas City, 100; Little Rock, Ark., 92; Memphis, Tenn., 88; New Orleans, 90; New York, 92; North Platte, Neb., 100; Omaha, 100; Pittsburgh, 94; Salt Lake, 88; St. Louis, 100; St. Paul, 98; Springfield, 100; Vicksburg, Miss., 88; Washington, D. C., 90.

The Weather Bureau tonight issued this special bulletin: "Practically the entire country was covered by the hot wave today, except the immediate Pacific Coast, and in the States of Iowa, Missouri and Illinois nearly all previous high records were exceeded. The maximum temperature line of 100 degrees encircles the entire great corn belt. At Davenport and Dubuque, Ia., and at Springfield, Ill., the maximum of 106 degrees was recorded, two degrees above the highest previous record, while at St. Louis the maximum of 106 degrees has been equaled but once before, August 12, 1891. At Chicago, the maximum of 102 degrees equals the previous high record of July 3 of the present year. In the States of Iowa, Missouri and Kansas the duration of the present heated term is without precedent, there having been practically no interruption to temperatures of 90 degrees or over since June 18, a period of 34 days. On 18 days of this period, the maximum temperature at Kansas City was 100 degrees or more. There are no indications of relief from the abnormal heat. No rain has fallen in the corn belt for the past three days, and none is in sight. It is, of course, possible that some of the general rains or permanent relief."

AT ST. LOUIS.

All Records Were Equalled—Number of Prostrations. ST. LOUIS, July 21.—On this, the day that Governor Dockery designated for fasting and prayer to God, that the present drought might be broken in Missouri, all records for the city of St. Louis were equalled. The Weather Bureau thermometer on the Custom-House registering 106 degrees in the shade. On the streets and in exposed places the mercury went as high as 110 degrees. As early as 7 A. M. the day gave promise of being unusually warm. All the time the thermometer registered 90 degrees and from then on until 3:30 P. M. the mercury steadily climbed upward under the impulse of a fierce sun shining from a cloudless sky. Hardly a breath of air stirred all day, and the little that did circulate came as the draught from a furnace, so intensely hot was it. Those who dared to leave their homes went for comfort to the parks, which were thronged all day and late into the night, with thousands of suffering humanity. The Governor's proclamation was generally heeded, nearly every church in the city holding well-attended services, given up to prayer that the drought might be broken.

Three victims of the heat were found dead in bed. There were a number of prostrations, two of which may prove fatal. During the day the relative humidity, as reported by the Weather Bureau, ranged between 30 and 52 degrees. The intense heat extended all over the state. At different points the maximum temperature was: Chillicothe, 114; Bowling Green, 112; Paris, 108; Monroe City, 107; Springfield, 106.

AT CHICAGO.

Hottest Day Since Weather Bureau Was Established. CHICAGO, July 21.—All heat records since the establishment of a Weather Bureau in Chicago, 30 years ago, were

broken today, the Government thermometer registering 106 degrees. Down on the street it was from 3 to 5 degrees warmer, and, to add to the suffering, a hot stifling wind, like a blast from a furnace, blew all day from the southwest. From 8 o'clock in the morning, when the thermometer registered 77, a gradual rise followed until at 4:30 P. M., the top notch had been reached. Shortly after that time the wind veered around toward the lake, and caused a drop to 86 at 5:30 tonight. Prostrations were numerous, and police ambulances were kept busy taking care of persons who were overcome on the streets.

AT KANSAS CITY.

All Records Smashed—Thermometer Registered at 104. KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 21.—The heat today smashed all records, the temperature at 6 P. M. being 104. Thermometers on the street at 11 o'clock recorded 93. This is the 32d day of the hot spell, and there is no indication of a change. In Kansas City, Kan., three deaths due to heat were reported today. Prayers for rain were offered in nearly all the churches in Kansas City today, and generally throughout Kansas. So far as heard from no rain of any consequence has fallen in

MAJOR O'NEILL DEAD

Third Mayor of the City of Portland, 1856-7.

PASSED AWAY AT SPOKANE

He Had Also Held a Number of Federal Positions and Served the State of Washington as Legislator.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 21.—Major James O'Neill, one of the earliest pioneers of the Northwest, died at 11 o'clock

trade in that quarter, according to a report received at the State Department from Consul-General Stowe, dated shortly before he submitted his resignation to the department. On account of the war, vessels from the United States ports are compelled to lie in the bay for days at a time before dockage facilities can be obtained, and this has caused orders for certain goods heretofore obtained in the United States to be sent to England. Mail boats arriving from Southampton are allowed to enter the docks immediately on arrival to discharge passengers and they are allowed to discharge their freight at the same time. A later report from Mr. Stowe states that the plague is on the wane, all restrictions at the docks from this cause having been removed.

For No Future Grain Delivery Deals. WASHINGTON, July 21.—As a result of a report submitted to the Austrian Council of Agriculture, setting forth that suits cannot be brought to recover losses in transactions for the future delivery of grain, the Council has unanimously declared itself in favor of prohibiting altogether transactions in grain for future delivery. This information is contained in a report to the State Department from Consul Warner, of Leipzig.

SCHOOL DEAL MADE

Catholics Acquire the Portland University.

WILL GIVE IT A NEW NAME

Institution Will Be Opened in September in Commercial and Classical Courses—Faculty Will Be Engaged in the East.

Archbishop Christie has completed the deal for the possession of Portland University on the Peninsula. The deeds were signed Saturday. As has already been told in The Oregonian, he will start a college to prepare young men for the higher universities. It will be known as Columbia University. The price paid could not be ascertained last night.

To an Oregonian reporter Archbishop Christie said that the property has now passed into his hands, and that workmen will begin today the necessary alterations in the building to make it conform to new requirements of Portland. It is understood that students will be received at Columbia University irrespective of religious belief, he said. "We shall have room for 200 students. I expect that the university will be opened in September. During the first year we will give a commercial and classical course. Afterward the scope of the university will be broadened. The faculty is not chosen yet. I will bring several men from the East. As the work proceeds, we will make it a strong university, second to none on the Pacific Coast. We will prepare young men for the higher universities, such as Yale and our Catholic University at Washington, D. C. "You consider that there is a field for such a university in this section?" was asked. "Most assuredly," replied the archbishop. "It will supply a long-felt want. I hope the people of Portland will realize the importance of such a university from an educational point of view, and I look to the business men of Portland to aid me in furnishing it, by gifts of furniture, etc. The furnishing alone will cost several thousand dollars. About the purchase price? Really, I am not in a position to give that information. We hope to succeed in the work." "The property was purchased from the University Land Company, and the deeds transferred title to 28 acres. The consideration named for the property, among the real estate transfers, is the nominal one of \$1. It is understood, however, among real estate men, that Archbishop Christie got a bargain, and that the original owners are heartily glad to have disposed of the property to advantage."

NEGROES FIRED UPON.

Trouble Grew Out of Lynching of Colored Man—One Was Killed.

CLEVELAND, Miss., July 21.—This morning at 1:30 o'clock, a band of armed negroes, none of whom was known, rode into Cleveland and stopping a party of three white men on the main street, made threatening demonstrations. Being called upon to give their names, they answered by firing their rifles into the air. One of the negroes was killed on the spot, another was wounded, and he reported his body was found on the outskirts of town this morning. The others escaped, although it is supposed that three more were hurt. They were armed with Winchester rifles and were well mounted. Excitement was at fever heat during the remainder of the night. Bands of armed men patrolled the streets until daylight. The trouble grew out of the lynching of Jesse Phillips in the earlier part of the night. The negroes in this section are organized into "lodges," "secret orders" and "protective societies," and as Phillips was a leader among them it was feared an attempt would be made to avenge his death.

The fact had developed that the killing of young Reed was a studied scheme on the part of the negroes. It has been determined that the breaking up of these organizations is necessary, and there is no doubt that this decision will be enforced. The town is quieter today than is usually the case even on Sunday.

General Samuel T. Cushing.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Brigadier-General Samuel T. Cushing, U. S. A., retired, ex-Commissary-General of Subsistence, died here today.

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT NEWS.

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Portland and Vicinity.

Catholics acquire title to Portland University, and will rename it Columbia University. Page 1.

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Main body of the Maanias return. Page 10.

STATE MINING CONGRESS BOARD OF IDAHO.



Governor F. W. Hunt.



Secretary of State Jules Bassett.



Treasurer John J. Plummer.

BOISE, Idaho, July 21.—Among the men who will take a prominent part in the deliberations of the International Mining Congress, which opens here Tuesday, are Governor F. W. Hunt, Secretary of State Jules Bassett and Treasurer John J. Plummer. These men constitute the State Mining Congress Board, and have supervision of the expenditure of the mining apportioned to the State. The coming meeting will be the greatest in the history of the organization. Delegates will be in attendance from all the states and territories of the United States and many foreign countries. The objects of the organization are set forth in another column.

tonight. He was the third Mayor of Portland. At the time of his death he was Deputy Clerk of the Federal Court. He was born at Dunsmuir, Schenectady County, N. Y., February 8, 1852. In 1878 he came west to Oregon. He settled in Oregon City, but soon went to Portland and became agent for Wells, Fargo & Co. He was elected the third Mayor of Portland, and held that office during 1887-8. In 1891 he went to Lapwai, in the Idaho Territory, where he was elected Auditor of Stevens County. He was elected Auditor of Stevens County, and next year took full charge of the agency under a commission issued July 6, 1892, by President Lincoln. He was a member of the Catholic church. He was married in Lapwai, Idaho, to Miss Caroline M. Grimmell. She died in her native town November 14, 1901.

Germany. Mr. Warner states that the Council has petitioned the government to use its influence to suppress this practice altogether in Austria-Hungary.

any portion of the drought belt in the past 10 years, and conditions are now more encouraging. In normal years the rainfall here averaged July 20, and during the past year it was only 1.5 inches. In this city, there were six deaths.

At Omaha.

OMAHA, July 21.—With the exception of July 23, 1894, on which day the temperature reached 106, today has been the hottest this city has experienced in 27 years. The mercury stood at 90 at 11 o'clock, gradually going up to 104.5 at 4:15, and at 6 P. M. back to 104. There was not a trace of rain anywhere there was a relief, added to the discomfort. The parks offered not the slightest relief to the masses, who sought cool retreats. Four prostrations were reported to the police. Not a cloud appeared in the sky and no relief is in sight.

Destructive Prairie Fires.

DENVER, July 21.—Considerable destruction by forest and prairie fires is being attributed to the long dry spell. Timber fires have been burning several days near Mount Evans, Long's Peak and on the Kenosha Range. From Back and Lower Counties, the center of the stock raising district, come reports of destruction of prairie fires. State officials and ranchmen are becoming alarmed at the shortage of water in the streams.

At Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 21.—The thermometer touched 100 today, but the maximum humidity was only 25. There were two prostrations.

At Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 21.—The maximum temperature at Louisville today was 102 deg. There were two prostrations.

IN THE BRITISH ISLES.

Hot Weather Continues, But Early Relief Is Predicted.

LONDON, July 21.—Over the greater part of the British Isles the weather continues very hot. The temperature in London yesterday was 88 degrees. At many points in the provinces it is higher, the record for Bristol being 96. Cooler weather, however, is now prognosticated. An extraordinary number of persons have been struck by lightning in storms of short duration. Eight instances are reported in England, six in Germany and seven in Holland. While six tourists were climbing Mount Tebichin, in the Austrian Tyrol, lightning struck two, killing them outright, while the other four were disabled. In Palan, France, some children went to ring the church bells believing that they would thus avert the lightning, but four were killed by a bolt.

Warm Weather in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 21.—Phenomenal heat prevails throughout all Northern Russia. The temperature in St. Petersburg today was 117 degrees Fahrenheit. In Odessa it was 106, and the rate of mortality there is 70 per cent above the normal.

Hot Wave Spreading Over Denmark.

COPENHAGEN, July 21.—A hot wave is spreading over Denmark. At several points today the temperature reached 91 degrees.

At Amsterdam.

AMSTERDAM, July 21.—The temperature here today was 84 degrees Fahrenheit.

Secret Society Disturbances.

LONDON, July 21.—"It is officially reported here," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, "that serious secret society disturbances have broken out in the Hsing-Hwa district of the Province of Fokien."

DISTRESS MAY FOLLOW.

Many Settlers Going to Oklahoma With Little Money.

FORT SILL, O. T., July 21.—Disorder and distress will, it is feared, follow the actual opening of the Kiowa-Comanche reservation, August 6. It is now estimated that fully 150,000 people will have registered for a chance to secure one of the 13,000 claims to be awarded by lottery, when the registration booths close on July 25. Thousands of persons now on the reservation, who are neither mechanics nor artisans, and who have little or no money, announce their intention of leaving for Oklahoma. If they fail to win a claim, campers, who came in prairie schooners by the thousands, generally brought with them provisions sufficient to last from five to 10 days. Continued drought has caused the water to be restricted, and for days a hot wind has prevailed on the prairies, and the temperature has averaged over the 100 mark. With these conditions before them, many are already beginning to grumble, and when this is followed by disappointment over failure to draw a lucky number, do hope that here many will doubtless give way to more serious conditions.

GOVERNOR ALLEN AT CANTON.

McKinley Has Resolution of Porto Rico for Local Taxation System.

CANTON, O., July 21.—Governor Charles H. Allen, of Porto Rico, reached Canton from Washington today, attended service with the President, and spent the remainder of the day at the McKinley home until 10:40 o'clock tonight, when he left for the East. His mission here today was to present to the President the resolution passed by the Porto Rican Legislature providing a system of local taxation for the island such as, under the act of Congress, entitles the island to free trade with the United States. The President's official acknowledgment of the receipt of this resolution will be made July 25, the anniversary of the landing of American troops in Porto Rico, when a proclamation will be issued declaring free trade between the United States and Porto Rico.

War Is Hurting American Trade.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—The war in Cape Colony is hurting the United States