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Portland, Saturday, August 12, 1905. ROOSEVELT ON THE MONROE DOCTRINE AND THE TRUSTS. The people who would naturally assemble to hear President Roosevelt speak at Chautauqua are representative of the best intelligence of the country.

The people came, not by the thousand, but by the hundred thousand, to hear their President discourse upon great problems of foreign and domestic policy. They expected no flattery, and they got none.

The Santo Domingo difficulties would have settled long ago but for the Senate's tactics of delay when the treaty negotiated by Mr. Hay was presented. The reasons for action were notorious and pressing.

A FRANKLIN CELEBRATION. The Legislature of Pennsylvania at its last session appropriated \$20,000 for the proper observance of the bi-centennial birthday of Benjamin Franklin.

of this continent. It is well within the limits of possibility that a naval war with Germany would be forced upon this nation by the final failure of the Senate to ratify the present arrangement with Santo Domingo.

Disonest, law-defying wealth is so detestable in this country to adulation, or at the worst, to timorous, apologetic criticism, that Mr. Roosevelt's plain speaking will excite shrieks of horror.

The distance from Pullman to Spokane is of course no greater than the distance from Spokane to Pullman, and owing to the excellent work of the constructing engineers, there is not enough variation in the grades to cause any increase in the expenditure for motive power to move the freight.

The fact that Spokane was enjoying this special privilege was known to a number of the Spokane members of the legislature which passed the commission bill, but every protest made by them against the measure was by such abuse from the Spokane paper that they were easily squelched.

THE JAPANESE TERMS OF PEACE. The plenipotentiaries have exchanged their credentials and Count Witte has transmitted the Japanese terms of peace to the czar.

GIVE THE BOYS A CHANCE. A retired army officer who was one of the most popular military men of his day, and is still at 80 a fascinating man with a kindly nature, devoid of the prejudices of age, has this to say of the girls of today:

THE DEGREE OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT THAT AN INDIAN IS A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, will inspire new hope in the mind of the red man, who delight in filling their bronzed and glowing hides with the frowner of the white man.

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the mouth of the Columbia, one hundred years ago. He shares with the "Bird Woman" the honor of being perpetuated in bronze in the statue recently unveiled on the Lewis and Clark Fair grounds.

HOIST BY HIS OWN PETARD. It is one of the ironies of fate that Spokane will probably be the target for the first broadside fired by the Washington Railroad Commission.

After a few weeks of rest the matrimonial gossip of European courts have found another bride for Alfonso of Spain. The young monarch, who was lately represented as being strongly disinclined to marry any one, is now, it is said, a very eager suitor for the hand of Princess Ema, only daughter of the widowed Princess Henry of Battenberg.

A scientist has discovered that there are vast "deserts" at the bottom of the Pacific Ocean, where no fish food exists and consequently no fish. It is comforting, however, to know that none of us will ever die of thirst in those deserts.

It is announced from Seattle that J. D. Farrell, who has been succeeded in the Great Northern employ by Louis Hill, will enter the political game in the state of Washington.

Now, truly, this is funny: We kick when days are wet, And when the days are sunny We all get over it.

WHERE ARE THE GREAT MEN? Bailey Applies to North Question Asked About South. M'GREGOR, Tex., Aug. 11.—United States Senator Bailey was the principal speaker at the Confederate reunion here yesterday.

FIREMAN BURNED TO DEATH Crown Sheet Blows Out on Northern Pacific Locomotive. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 11.—(Special.)—F. J. Elhart, Northern Pacific fireman was burned to death last night at Mabton by the blowing out of a crown-sheet of the locomotive No. 100.

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OREGON OZONE. Signs of the Seasons. When the maiden meandering down by the ocean Her net-walvet veils with a filmy shawl And takes for home with a shivery motion, We know it's Fall.

When the shivering, shuddering its o'ertake us And pierce our souls with an icy splinter And the blasts of Boreas rudely rake us, We know it's Winter.

When the young man's fancy fondly lingers And the psky poet begins to sing And the imps of indolence fret our fingers, We know it's Spring.

When the wandering, weariless William wendeth His wobbly way as a booby bumder On the railroad routs that never endeth, We know it's Summer.

An Exposition Item. The Iggortee lingers on the brine, Whereat the Exposition people grieve; But Pido says he's feeling very fine Because he has a thirty-day reprieve.

Reduced to Plain Terms. Mr. Stark—What do you think will be the amount of the cash indemnity that Japan will insist upon? Mr. Alder—Oh, only a couple of Rockefeller's guesses.

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BY UNIQUE METHOD. Government May Irrigate Columbia Bench Land. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Aug. 11.—The Reclamation Service, after reconnoitering along the Upper Columbia River, has discovered the site of what may prove to be an attractive bit of irrigable project near the southern end of Lake Chelan in Okanogan County, Washington.

CUTS LOOSE FROM BUSINESS. Root Resigns as Director of Many Corporations. NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Secretary of State Elihu Root, who recently entered President Roosevelt's Cabinet, has, says the Times today, severed all connections with a number of financial institutions of which he was formerly a director.

WILL COMPLETE HIS INQUIRY. Hollander Harrying Back to Santo Domingo on Cruiser. WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The cruiser Albatross, which arrived in Hampton Roads, Va., last evening, is taking coal and making a trip to Santo Domingo. She has been assigned to transport Professor H. J. Hollander and his secretary to Santo Domingo.

PHILADELPHIA MINT IS CLOSED. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.—Orders from Washington have been received at the Mint to cease operations and disburse with the services of the 50 employees, except those necessary to attend to the closing of the institution when coinage has been stopped.

FIREFMEN'S STRUGGLE WITH A FIRE IN SOAP FACTORY. NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Twenty firemen were carried, burned and unconscious, from a soap factory in West One Hundred and Twentieth street today.

DEBATE ON CHICAGO STRIKE CAUSES SCENE OF WILD DISORDER. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.—The convention this afternoon of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters was the stormiest in the history of the union. Physical violence was several times narrowly averted.

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