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TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

GENERAL NEWS.

EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 14.—Trades organizations throughout the United States will issue a petition to-morrow requesting President Cleveland to call an extra session of congress, to be devoted exclusively to consideration of measures for the relief of the industrial classes of the country and a revival of business. The petition, after calling the attention of the president to the general stagnation of business, says: The consequences of this depression are especially severe upon laboring people—small manufacturers and farmers who are without any reserve means upon which to live or pay debts and save their homes and small property from forced sales. Employer and employee are involved in common disaster, and it is believed it is in the power of congress and the executive greatly to relieve the depression by wise legislation. It is asked that an extra session be convened on or before the last Monday in September, 1885.

MAXWELL RETURNED TO ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Walter A. Leonard, Maxwell, alias T. C. Daughier, alias Hugh M. Brooks, the supposed murderer of C. Arthur Preller, at the Southern hotel in this city, on the 5th of last April, arrived here about 7 o'clock this morning from San Francisco, in charge of detective Tracy and officer Balger of the St. Louis police force. He absolutely refused to talk about his case and positively asserted that he has at no time or place made any statement in regard to it, or in any way acknowledged that he had anything to do with Preller's murder, or knew anything about it. He says that all stories to the contrary are wholly untrue. Detective Tracy thinks that further developments will show Maxwell to be weak mentally, but that he has got one idea wedged into his mind—that his safety depends on his silence—and that he will at once nobody with a romantic defense. Tracy thinks that he killed Preller for money, and that the few admissions he has made point in that direction; that his voyage from St. Louis to Auckland was a money-spinning debauch, and not a well planned escape from justice. Charles Bigler, trunk maker, recognized Maxwell as the man to whom he sold a trunk in which Preller's body was found, and the porter in the Southern hotel recognized him as having been a guest of that hotel in April last. Maxwell will be turned over by the police authorities to-morrow to the sheriff, and will be placed in jail.

GEN. GRANT'S MEMOIRS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The first edition of the "Personal Memoirs of U. S. Grant," is 150,000 copies. The publishers say they may add 50,000 to it. The edition is now in the hands of the printers, who are printing the book as rapidly as is consistent with good work. The second edition is already made necessary by the large number of subscriptions received. The first edition will not be delivered until December. Orders have been coming in at the rate of 5000 daily. The South is doing its share of ordering. Webster sailed for England August 1, to arrange for the sale of the book there in French, German, Spanish and Italian. The general wrote the entire manuscript of the first volume, and dictated all of the second.

STEAMER BLOWN UP BY DYNAMITE.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17.—An explosion on the steamer Felton occurred just as she left her dock on her trip to Wilmington, Delaware. As she was opposite pier No. 8 north, the passengers and crew were startled by an explosion which shook the boat from stem to stern. When the smoke cleared away it was found that the entire forward part of the vessel over the water line had been badly damaged. A number of passengers were injured, some severely. The pilot house and entire upper deck are reported a scene of complete wreck. The injured, as far as known, are: John E. McDunn, injured about the legs; Elias Reed, badly shocked; J. Bradley, ankle dislocated, and Sam Cooper, injured about the head and body. Capt. Wiley, Mr. Laurence, Mr. Mershon and Mr. Linder made a careful examination of the wreck for the purpose of ascertaining the cause of the explosion. The investigation establishes the fact that the explosion was caused by dynamite.

IMPROVEMENT IN THE IRON TRADE.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 17.—The outlook in the iron trade has not been more favorable for a number of years than at present. Signs of improvement are coming to the surface every day and manufacturers are

beginning to concede that the depression is gradually disappearing. Orders are increasing rapidly and many mills are running on double time. The worst feature is the existing strike among nailers, which, from present indications, does not look as if an amicable settlement of the difficulty was near at hand. Manufacturers have decided to ignore the nailers until they accept their terms, while nailers still present a determined front in their demand for last year's scale.

STRIKING KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—Last Friday there came to this city four members of the general executive committee of the Knights of Labor. The mission of these gentlemen was to have a conference with Col. Talmage, general manager of the Washash railway, in regard to the relations existing between the members of the Knights of Labor and the railroad company, which are said to be in quite a disturbed condition. Talmage being out of the city the gentlemen telegraphed requesting him to state where and when a conference could be had. To this Talmage replied he saw no reason why he should meet the committee for the purpose named. He was not aware of any dissatisfaction among the employees of the road, and declined to confer with the committee. An apparent outcome of this there was promulgated at Moberly, Missouri, where the Washash railway has extensive shops, an official order commanding "all Knights of Labor of the Washash system at all points to quit work Tuesday, August 18, at 12 o'clock noon, and remain out till further orders from the general executive board." The order is signed by Frederick Turner, secretary of the board. The order has created a sensation in Moberly, and the strike ordered is looked upon as one of the most serious for many years.

THE ORDER AUTHENTIC.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—The publicity of the order to-day commanding a strike to-morrow by all Knights of Labor employed on the Washash railroad seems to be premature, but the general executive committee late to-night acknowledged the authenticity of the order and said the strike will surely take place to-morrow. The order has been sent to Fort Wayne, Andrew and Fern Indiana, to Decatur and Springfield, Illinois, to Moberly and Sauerbrey, Missouri, to Toledo and Council Bluffs, Iowa, and to St. Louis. The committee claim that they have got the shops at the above-named places sure, and claim to have the yards and train men, but are in great doubt about the engineers and firemen. They admit that the movement is an experiment, but express confidence in being able to practically suspend the operations of the road. The general committee will remain in the city and conduct the strike from this point.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

THE GRANT MONUMENT.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Gen. S. S. Burdette, commander of the G. A. R., has returned from the encampments at Gettysburg and Springfield, Ills. To a Republican reporter he said that at each of these places he spoke to veterans regarding the erection of a monument to Gen. Grant, and they were unanimously in favor of its location at Washington. It would have done you good, said he, to see the enthusiasm that was awakened at the chance given the boys to honor their dead commander. The Grand Army propose to subscribe 10 cents from every member, and there are 300,000 of them throughout this country. They mean to erect a monument to Gen. Grant in Washington, and I don't think the day is far distant when Gen. Grant will be placed for final rest in Washington.

In reply to Gen. R. B. Hayes' letter, suggesting that the authorities of the G. A. R. encourage their comrades to contribute to the building of a monument on the grave of Gen. Grant, Gen. Burdette said: I have been unable to bring my mind into accord with yours on that point. I hold to the opinion that the G. A. R. will desire, first of all, to erect its own distinctive monument to our comrade, not at great cost, but for that purpose raising only such a sum as is composed of the equal contributions of each individual comrade that shall be within the reach and glad gift of the poorest. The national monument to be erected to Gen. Grant should be of such proportions as to be beyond the reach of private benevolences, and of right and propriety ought to be ordered by the congress of the United States and paid for out of the national treasury, and that consequently the Grand Army should not be called upon for the effort you indicate.

THE ADMINISTRATION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Gen. Logan said yesterday: "It is fashionable to say the administration is doing fairly well in coming up to the expectation of civil service reformers, yet in one single day it changed 200 federal officers to make room for 200 others. History has never heard of the like before. When Lincoln came in power he had democrats in office to deal with. Cleveland has removed more official in a month than Lincoln removed in a year."

FOREIGN.

MASSACRE OF EUROPEANS.

LIBSON, Aug. 14.—African from St. Paul de Loranda, West Africa, under date of July 15, reports that a petty king named Cosuama Huilla died recently, and the natives attributing his death to witchcraft of the whites, massacred twenty Europeans, including three French missionaries. The same African states that M. de Brazza is still in the interior.

ENGLAND AND RUSSIA.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Salisbury it is reported will soon after going to France, have a conference with signor de Pretis, the Italian prime minister. It is reported that Italy desires to send 10,000 troops into the South to secure the Red Sea coast from Suakem, at present held by the British, to Asab Bay, along which are most of the Italian possessions. The Italian scheme contemplates the control over the eastern Soudan, and the use of Khartoum as the capital.

CHOLERA RECORD IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Aug. 17.—In the whole of Spain yesterday there were 4636 new cases of cholera and 1536 deaths. In Malaga there has been 109 deaths from cholera since last Friday. The places in Spain in which the principal increase of cholera occurred yesterday as compared with that of Friday last were Tarragona and Valladolid. In the former place were yesterday 77 cases and 30 deaths. Official returns show that in Granada the disease has reached its height and remains stationary. In Alacete yesterday there were 28 new cases and 23 deaths. In Castejon de la Plana 22 new cases and 17 deaths. In Cuenca 151 new cases and 32 deaths. In Valencia 82 new cases and 49 deaths, and in Madrid 20 new cases and 2 deaths. All of these returns show decreases in numbers both of new cases and deaths.

OPPOSED TO SANITARY RULES.

MADRID, Aug. 17.—There have been slight riots at Logrona, due to the resistance of the inhabitants to the control of the sanitary regulations. The governor of Granada has been attacked with cholera.

ITALY SLAVE TRADE.

ROME, Aug. 17.—Ten arrests have been made of members of the criminal society which has been operating in Rome, Naples and Spoleto. A search of the house of a member of the society, a former government official, revealed the fact that a correspondence was being carried on with agents in New York for the sale to Americans of Italians who had been bought for small sums in southern provinces, the prices asked ranging from £10 to £20 sterling.

WINTER QUARTERS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 17.—A portion of the Russian fleet will winter on the coast of Finland, because of the length of time that the harbor of Cronstadt is ice bound.

RUSSIA AND COREA TREATY.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Mail advices from China confirm the report that a treaty has been concluded between Russia and Corea. The terms of the treaty are advantageous to Russia.

MARRIAGE OF CHIEF JUSTICE COLERIDGE.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The marriage of Lord Chief Justice Coleridge to Amy Augusta Jackson Lawford has created a tremendous social sensation. The bride, whom his lordship met on board the steamer while returning home to his American tour two years ago, is described as being a decided brunette, about 30 years of age, with a graceful carriage, slender though perfectly moulded figure, and aquiline features. Her fascinating and vivacious manner so charmed the leading dispenser of British justice that during the voyage he danced almost continual attendance upon her. After his arrival in London, however, the aged lover's ardor cooled rapidly, and in a short time the thermometer of his affections registered a very low temperature. It was at this stage of the proceedings that the lady's mother came to the front. She reminded her lordship of the fervor of his love making on board the steamer, and the tender and love-laden sentences addressed by him to her daughter while under the influence of her smiles were brought back to his recollection verbatim together with the many other circumstances connected with the brief wooing which might have a certain influence upon a jury. The austere jurist, whose very glance has often silenced the voices of eminent advocates, and filled with terror the hearts of culprits, was powerless to dislodge the match-making mother from her position, and finally, being confronted with the alternative of an action for breach of promise, he yielded, stipulating, however, that the marriage should take place secretly. A license was obtained, and in the back parlor of the bride's house, at 42 Victoria road, Kensington the wedding ceremony took place.

A MISSING MEDAL BOUND.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The National Republican has received a letter from the United States consul-general at Paris, stating that one of the four gold medals commemorating the death of President Lincoln is in the possession of David F. S. Fuller, an attaché of the Paris consulate. The whereabouts of the four are now known.

PACIFIC COAST.

WAR UPON THE INDIANS.

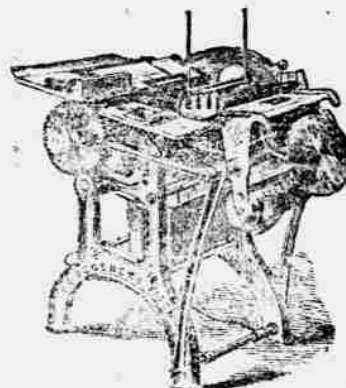
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The Call's For Rowie special says: Capt. Davis, Fourth cavalry, reports that Lieutenant Day struck Geronimo's camp northeast of Nakavi Aug 7 and killed three bucks, a squaw, and Geronimo's son, aged thirteen. He captured fifteen women and children, among them three wives and five children of Geronimo. Geronimo was wounded. Besides him only two other bucks and one squaw escaped. Everything in the camp was captured. On the 29th ult. Lieutenant Day ambushed a party of four Chitichuanas, killed two and captured all their horses and supplies.

TROUBLE BETWEEN TWO TRIBES.

VIRGINIA CITY, Aug. 17.—A few weeks ago a Pitte Indian was killed by Washoe Indians, which at the time it was believed would certainly lead to a war between the two tribes. The matter was, however, amicably arranged, but a few days ago a Pitte relative of the man killed was beaten to death during a fight with a Washoe brave. Excitement among both tribes now runs high and a sanguinary outbreak is expected at any time.

VALUE OF SAN FRANCISCO PROPERTY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Auditor Strother's annual statement to the state board of equalization, showing the value of the property of San Francisco, has been prepared and will be sent to Sacramento to-day. The value of real estate is \$118,353,678; value of improvements on real estate, \$53,062,748; value of personal property other than money, \$19,541,634; value of money, \$3,651,299; total value of all property of the city after equalization by supervisors, \$227,609,348.



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