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CORVALLIS OREGON Making Summer Girls.

The light colored prints, the challies and all the youthful looking wash goods are eagerly sought after these spring days by anxious mammas who wish their daughters to have dainty summer wardrobes. A red gingham with a dot of white makes a fascinating pretty frock, worn with a white gamp and trimmed with cape pieces over the puff sleeves and around the low cut neck edged with narrow openwork white embroidery. Whether it is best to have the frocks made to wear with gamps or to have them cut high in the neck is al-

ways a vexed question.

Even the warranted fast color materials will not stand the hard rubbing on the washboard, and even boiling, that is often necessary to remove the stains on the sleeves. Hence gamps are thought better, for they can be washed "harder," while the frock itself will not require such hard treatment to be clean again, and yet, on the other side of the question, is the fact that where washing has to be managed economically the frock in all one piece is less expensive. Fortunately this summer fashion says both may be worn, so each

mother can use her own judgment.— New York Correspondent. The Penalty of Publicity.

The true woman, the true man, with a soul sensitive to the delicate influence of that higher soul within the soul, shrinks from publicity. The personality is more sacred than the person. Both would be shielded from the public gaze. When woman chooses a public career.

in whatsoever capacity, she is too often compelled to lay bare her very soul to the idle, curious eyes of a jeering mob, to cast her finest sensibilities to the earth for the rabble to trample. It may be her duty to make this sacrifice, but it is none the less a sacrifice, and though there is a compensation in added strength there is a loss for which no amount of strength can make amends. Woman must always pay a penalty for publicity. Man has paid the penalty so often and for so long a time that society has ceased to regard it a penalty, and only when we find one of those rare, sweet souls, born out of time, that seems like a violet transplanted into

sufficient to fill a fleet of 100 steamers.

however, are unfit for transportation,

as they last but a short time in a good

snow, do we realize what man has lost. But we seldom fail to see the effects of the penalty in the life of any public n.-Womankind. The Malay Appre.

The ohia, or Malay apple, is a ccmother yachts. mon timber tree of the Hawaiian Islands, though not peculiar to that locality. On the island of Maui is a mammoth orchard of wild ohias, extending measuring 20 miles in length by from 5 to 10 miles in width. The trees are from 40 to 50 feet in height, some of

prospect of a settlement of the strike of the Adams Express Company employes in New York. General Agent Huron and Detroit, has been sold to an than forty applications for each place will be taken to the coast in ten days. vacated by the strikers. The strikers It is intended to cut her cabins down say delegates have been sent to Phila-delphia Pittsburg and Baltimore to The price paid was not stated. The urge the men employed by the company Unique was built with an eye to speed in the cities mentioned to join the alone, and has made some wonderful

EVENTS OF THE DAY

News of the World.

TERSE TICKS FROM THE WIRES

the Two Hemispheres Presented in a Condensed Form

rence mine, the property of the Anaconda company, Jack Campbell and John Manning, two miners, were killed by the fall of a cage in a shaft. It is stated that measures will be taken by the New York exchange to

secure the importation of a large amount of gold, variously estimated at from \$200,000,000 to \$25,000,000. The president has appointed Colonel Charles G. Sawtelle quartermaster-general of the army, vice General Batch-elder, retired. Colonel Sawtelle is

now stationed at Governor's island, ten days' run. The average yield of the ore taken from this mine is about

pletely torn from one body.

Mr. Harrison, the owner of the Santo Domingo gold mines in the province of Carabaya, department of Puno, and other rich gold mines in Peru, has discovered a whole hill in the Andes

In consequence of frontier disputes beween Bulgaria and Turkey, the Bulgarian government has notified the Turkish government that unless the latter appoints delegates to the frontier N. Y., with Marie Cobourge, for havcommission by a certain date, Buling eloped with her from her home garian troops will be ordered to re-occupy the positions recently occupied by the government authorities. by the Turkish soldiers on the territory Bulgaria claims.

tirement from the church. The con- ously injured. ssion is in her own handwriting, cov ering many sheets of legal cap, and for the present is in the safe keeping of Rev. W. W. Scudder, of Alameda, at Corning, Rendville and Hemlock, chairman of the Congregational com- O., in consequence of a resolution

mittee on credentials. A movement is on foot among prominent clubmen of Chicago to extend an invitation to Li Hung Chang, the Chinese vicercy, to have him stop over a couple of days in Chicago while en route to the Pacific coast.

Eugene Burt, wanted at Austin, Tex., for the murder of his wife and two children, about a month ago, was arrested in Chicago. The dirk with which the crime was committed was found on his person, and blood stains were visible on his straw hat.

A threshing engine, together with its driver and a team of horses, went through a bridge over Kriese creek, in January, 1895, in order to explore about nine miles west of Oregon City. the sea north of the route he proposed The driver was slightly injured and to follow, arrived at Skjervo, province it was found necessary to kill it.

turned from a trip around the world the Arotic region. which consumed exactly a year. Mr. Brough traveled on a bicycle wherever possible. Of the 60,000 miles covered by him, 40,000 were by water; 12,000 on his wheel and the rest by railroad in the different countries.

Advices have been received by the war department from General Wheaton stating that three prisoners, supposed to be Yaqui Indians, were brought from Tubac, Ariz., to Nogales. They will be taken before the United States can custom-house.

twenty-one of the British bark Flora Stafford, burned at sea several weeks ago, perished. Captain Oscar Smith took one boat with ten men, and the mate with nine other men got in the while returning to that city from Camp second boat. Captain Smith and ten McKinney, B. C., and robbed of three men were saved, but nothing has ever gold bricks, valued at nearly \$11,000. been heard from the others. The sea was rough and probably the boat cap-

Isolde, was so badly injured that he challenge Corbett. died before he could be taken to a hospital. All the members of the crew of the Isolde were swept overboard when the yachts collided, but were rescued from the water by boats from the

There appears to be no immediate McWilliams says he has received more

A Fatal Campaign Quarrel.
A curbatone discussion of the coinage question in Columbus, O., led to a shooting which may prove fatal. Joseph Rath, a retired manufacturer Epitome of the Telegraphic and advocate of free coinage, engaged in warm discussion with Horace Wayman, an Englishman. They separated, but Rath got a revolver and when Wayman returned, he fired three shots at him. As Wayman is an old man the injuries he received will prove seri-

They Will Sell Coal Oil. Michael and John Cudahy, wealthy packers of Chicago, have entered into an oil deal of enormous proportions. It their present plans materialize Chicago L. E. Sanger, of Summit, Wash., their present plans materialize Chicago near Olympia, left his home to go hunt- is to have a new industry, a rival of ing and has not since been seen or the great plant of the Standard Oil heard of. It is feared he has acci-dentally shot himself. Company at Whiting, and the first pipe line from the oil fields to enter its Peter Ryan, foreman of the St. Law- limits. The Cudahys have placed an

> Moonshiners Captured. A party of twenty revenue officers, representing all sections of Virginia, went to Franklin county to break up the most noted band of outlaws and illicit stillers in that state. By artifice they succeeded in capturing twelve nowise been disturbed. of the outlaws without bloodshed and destroyed several stills.

Cod Fishery a Total Failure. The Labrador cod fishery, in which 80.000 Newfoundlanders are engaged An \$1,100 gold brick was brought to cording to latest reports brought from Mr. Smith, during his campaign for Baker City recently from the Baisley- the Labrador coast. Widespread desti- the gold standard in Georgia, with ex-Elkhorn mine, it being the result of a tution among the fishing classes is in-

Turkish Consul Murdered. It is officially announced in Vienna Six cars of a Rock Island stock train that the Albanians have murdered the were derailed five miles west of To- Turkish consul at Vraniak, Servia, peks, Kan., and four white men, riding in the feed box, were crushed to death. The head and limbs were com-

A Bank Robbed.

In Kansas City, Kan., an unknown thief entered the branch of the American National bank during the mo mountains, extending at least two mentary absence of the cashet, mentary absence of the cashe

They Will Be Deported. Leander Chanis, the French fencingmaster, who is detained at Ellis island,

Twelve hundred miners have strruck adopted by the miners' convention. Visited by a Deluge.

Ohio Miners Strike.

terrible clouburst occurred near Mogollon, N. M., and George Knight, a miner of Georgetown, was drowned. Twenty others are reported missing, but only two bodies, those of Knight and an unknown Mexican, have been recovered. About 100 families have been rendered homeless, and thirty houses washed away. Several mines in the vicinity suffered from the water. Fram Is Safe at Home

Nansen's Arctic exploring ship Fram, which he left behind in the ice early one of the horses so badly wounded that it was found necessary to kill it. he saw Professor Andree, who was still John J. Brough, a well-known mer- waiting for a favorable wind to enable chant of Manchester, Conn., has re- him to attempt his balloon trip across

Wounded by Burglars, Walker B. Adams is lying at point of death at Bedford Station, 1

Y., as the result of an encounter with four burglars. Two of the burglars have been captured, having been mortally wounded by Adam's son William, who was himself struck by a bullet, which glanced off his suspender buckle. Explosion of Molten Metal.

commissioner on a charge of violating By an explosion of molten metal at the neutrality laws. They are better the furnace of the I. Edgar Thomson lieved to be members of the raiding steel works in Pittsburg, Pa., ten men party that attempted to loot the Mexi- were burned. Two were seriously injured but will recover. The explosion According to private advices received in Philadelphia ten of the crew of a pool of water. A Mining Man Held Up. George H. McCauley, secretary of the

Cariboo Mining Company, of Spokane, was held up by a masked highwayman

Wants to Fight Corbett. Now that Choynski has managed to By a collision between the yachts secure a fight with McAuliffe, he Meteor and Isolde during the race for yearns for more gladiators to conquer. the vice-commodore's cup, at Southsea, Choynaki says that after his battle with Baron von Zedwitz, the owner of McAuliffe he intends to go east to

> A Fatal Fire. Fire in the residence of John Felback, in Watertown, S. D., burned to death Mr. Felbach and his three daugh-

A Cuban Blockade-Runner. The fast river steamer Unique,

which has been running between Port

agent of the Cuban government. She

Chicago Ticket.

His Successor Will Probably Be Gold Democrat From the

Middle West. Washington, Aug. 25.—The news agreed, and then with left hands that Secretary Hoke Smith had re clasped they drew pistols and began that Secretary Hoke Smith had re clasped they drew pistols and began signed, and that his resignation had firing. Each man fired five shots. been accepted by the president, has made a considerable stir in political found dead and Page was dying. circles here, although the probability of Mr. Smith's retirement had been, in a measure, anticipated ever since his paper, the Atlanta Journal, declared that it would support Brayn and Sewall. Mr. Smith still declined to discuss the subject today, but it is known that the personal relations between the president and Smith have in

Mr. Smith's resignation, his friends say, grew out of his differences with his chief on the question of party policy, and his desire not to embarrass the president at such a time. Beyond the question of his party loyalty in every year, is a complete failure, ac- scquiescing in the will of the majority, dpeaker Crisp, had given a personal pledge that he would, if defeated, support the nominees of the convention As an honorable man, his friends say he felt it his duty to redeem that pledge. He informed the president of his position and intentions, and to avoid embarrassment, he placed his resignation at his disposal. It is said Mr. Cleveland remonstrated. The correspondence on the subject, if published, would no doubt be interesting, but it is doubtful whether it will ever be given out.

It can be stated, however, with great positiveness, that the step which Secretary Smith felt himself compelled to

about Mr. Smith's successor today. It seems altogether unlikely that John M. Reynolds, the assistant secretary, will be promoted. It is regarded as much more probable that a new man will be Bulgaria claims.

A Premature Blast.

Miss Mattie Overman, of San Francisco, of the celebarted Brown case fame, has at last confessed to the intimacy with the ex-Congregational minister when finely expeed by demonstrating that a last confessed to the intimacy whom gossip most persistently clings.

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THE FRENCH EXPOSITION.

An American Commissioner Has Not Yet Been Named. Washington, Aug. 25.—The French

ing the birth of the century, and in this connection, has asked the state department for the name of the commissioner-general who will represent the United States, and for such other information available as to the participation of this country. To this, Acting Secretary Rockhill has replied that the commissioner-general has not been named, as the American cong ess took no steps at its recent session to provide with 1,000 people. There was the for American representation at the exposition. He expressed the belief, however, that the approaching session of congress will bring about an ac- in the afternoon. Excursions were ceptance of the invitation of the French given under the auspices of the Astoria republic.

President Cleveland called the attention of congress to the invitation in his annual message last December, and expressed the most earnest hope that steps would be taken for an adequate representation by the United States. But congress acts slowly on these affairs, and no measure was considered, the idea being that there was plenty of time before 1900. It appears, however, that Great Britain, Germany and the other_leading powers have been quick to accept, and the French government is allotting space to these countries. American exhibitors are beginning to make inquiries as to where their goods will go, but no answer can

be given them. The prospect is that the best space will be taken before the United States accepts the invitation and makes application for space. This was the case in point of location

It is expected in official circles here that when congress acts, it will provide for a commissioner-general and an assistant. This was the case with tho last French exposiiton, when General Franklin was commissioner-general at a salary of \$10,000 and the assistant commissioner received \$5,000. The opinion prevails that as the appointee will serve after the present administration ends, President Cleveland will not make the appointment, even though congress passes the act before March 4 next. Aside from the direct emoluments attached to offices, a fund is provided for office and living expenses. In the case of General Franklin, the French government conferred on him prive the insurgents of their resources the exceptional honor of the cross of and bring the planters to the support of the Legion of Honor.

Panie at a Circus.

Huntington, Ind., Aug. 25 .- A panic was caused at the Wallace circus here last night by a storm, which wrecked the tents and did considerable damage to property. The menagerie and horses were stampeded and some of the animals were burt.

After the Anarchists. Madrid, Aug. 25.-The chamber of

strikers. Some of the new men engaged by the company have quit work at the request of the strikers.

Madrid, Aug. 25.—The chamber of deputies has passed the anti-anarchist vessel purchased for blockade-running.

WHY HOKE RESIGNED Madison, Fla., Aug. 26.—George Page and Will Morgan, young men living near here, last night fought a

duel, considered to be one of the most Had Promised to Support the remarkable on record. They were riv. In a Fair Way to Lose the als for the affections of a pretty young lady. They both attended a dance at which the young lady was present. Her conduct drove them to desperation. RELATIONS WITH THE PRESIDENT Finally Page invited Morgan to accompany him for a walk. Morgan ented, and as soon as they were ontside Page proposed that as each was armed, they take each other by the left hand and shoot out the quarrel, the survivor to take the girl - Morgan

> Ex-Mayor Frank's Death. Portland, Or., Ang. 26 -Hon. Geo. P. Frank, ex-mayor of this city, is dead. He died last night at Long in Madrid, and the police in conse-Beach, but the sad news was not received here till this morning, when Mrs. Frank wired it from Ilwaco. The remains will arrive here tomorrow morning, and will be conveyed from the steamer to the late residence of the deceased on Fifteenth and Yambill streets. While Mr. Frank's death was not in the strictest sense unexpected, the announcement of his passing away provoked many expressions of sincere regret all over the city today.

When friends arrived Morgan was

Brakes Did Not Work. Frederick, Md., Aug. 26.-Forty ersons were more or less injured by the brakes of a trolley car failing to work last evening on the steep incline on the Frederick & Middleton electric railway. There were over 100 passengers on board, many more than its capacity. The brakes refused to hold, and the car after going wild for a distance of two and one-half miles turned completely over. People who had witnessed the disaster rushed to the rescue and the bruised and maimed passengers were removed to their homes.

Passenger Train Wrecked.

Pittsburg. Aug. 26.—The through Chicago mail, No. 14, on the Pittsburg take has not in any way affected the & Western railroad, was wrecked at warm regard the president and Mr. Valencia station, twenty-two miles Smith entertain for each other.

There has been a good deal of gossip persons were badly injured. The wreck occurred through a collision with a wreck train.

Passed Bogus Coin.

St. Louis, Aug. 25.-Jonh R. Mcselected, probably from the Middle Math, of Ottumwa, Ia., was arrested passing counterfeit silver coin. Mc-hat altitude. Had it not been for Math will be held until the Ottumwa this break Mr. Lamson would have

Charged With Her Husband's Murder. Guthrie, O. T., Aug. 25.-Mrs. Dell Manning, the wife of a farmer, murgovernment is rapidly perfecting de-tails for the international exposition to be held in Paris in 1900, commemorat- murder. The officers state they have evidence to prove that Mrs. Manning and Grove Huntley, who is also in jail, were in love, and conspired to put the husband out of the way. Mrs. Manning is a handsome woman of 22.

A Railroad Town. Astoria, Or., Aug. 25 .- The first railroad train to leave this city started for Seaside at 11 o'clock this morning, greatest rejoicing, bands playing, tin horns blowing and people shouting. The second train was run at 1 o'clock Football Club. The formal opening of quivered a moment, and then steadily the railroad company will occur later.

Weylers' Intentions. Weyler announces his intention, as to an altitude of 600 feet, and was soon as reinforcements arrive from rising steadily when, with a sudden Spain, to concentrate his forces and gust of wind, snap went the rope, sweep the island from end to end. By this means he hopes to speedily put an was brought upon it by the ship. The end to the present insurrection.

tacked an exploring train in the prov-ince of Pinar del Rio. Twelve soldiers were wounded. Yesterday the insurgents attacked Fort Los Mangas. The insurgents were repulsed, but two of the members

of the garrison were wounded. In consequence of the recent attack by the insurgents on Goira Melena, a large number of Cubans have been arrested, and nineteen persons have been imprisoned on the charge of being conerned in the movement.

Colonel Tort, learning that the inurgents were encamped in the vicinity of Gomez, in the province of Matanzas, ordered a cavalry charge on the part of the Spanish forces. The result according to the official advices, was a decisive victory over the insurgents. The Cubans were compelled to fly for their lives. They left nineteen dead on the field, including Dr. Bacallao and Lawyer Gavilin. Two prisoners and a large quantity of ammunition were

captured Captain-General Weyler is about to issue a decree placing certain limitations upon the next sugar and coffee crops. By this plan he hopes to de-Spain.

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.-This morning at Santa Monica, J. B. Bojorques and his young son were riding along a high bluff overlooking the sea. At a point where the bluff is over 200 feet high Bojorques suddenly announced that he was tired of life and springing over the bluff, was dashed to pieces at

Ovld. Martial and Horace all refer in their poems to the use of artificial teeth as common in their time.

Phillipine Islands.

CONSPIRACY IS DISCOVERED

Japan Said to Be at the Bottom of the Trouble-Aim to Secure Complete Independence.

Madrid, Aug. 24.-An official dispatch from Manilla announces the discovery in the Phillipine islands of a separatist conspiracy, the object being to secure independence from Spain. According to the official advices, tweaty-one persons have already been arrested, several being Free Masons. The news has caused great excitement quence tonight raided the Hispano Phillipine Club and seized a large quantity of papers.

It is suggested by some of the papers that Japan is endeavoring to foment trouble in that part of the Spanish possessions for the purpose of extending the jurisduction of her island empire over the Phillipine islands. The islands lie only about 250 miles south of the newly acquired Japanese possessions of Formosa, a number of small islands intervening. Spain's army in the Phillipine islands is estimated at seven regiments of infantry and one of artillery, with a squad of cavalry, the effective force being 684 officers and about 20,000 men.

While commenting on the outbreak in the Phillipine islands in the senate today, Senor Castellano, minister for the colonies, read several telegrams from the governor of the islands, Captain-General Blanco. These telegrams were that the conspirators aimed to secure the complete independence of the Phillipine islands.

Senor Monterro Rico declared that the liberal party was prepared to support all government measures for the maintenance of Spanish integrity. Nearly all of the opposition leaders in he chamber made similar promises.

A BALLOON KITE.

Interesting Experiment Made at Fort-

Portland, Me., Aug. 24.-Charles L. Lamson performed a feat here yesterday practically demonstrating that sent up a man to navigate his ship. As it was, W. A. Eddy, an authority on aerial experiments, declared that Lamson's achievement was the greatest step toward solving the problem of aerial navigation of the age. Two records, at all events, Lamson made. He flew the largest kite or airship ever floated; he carried by means of this kite the heaviest weight to the greatest

altitude on record. The kite when in the sir resembles two large boxes parallel to each other nd attached in the middle. It took fifteen men to carry the ship into the field from which it was to be sent up. The retaining cord was a large braided window cord, tested to pull 500 pounds. This was made fast to a huge

eel, and four men attended to it. About 400 feet of the rope was run out along the ground and at a signal from Lamson the ship was released. It rose skyward. Seated on the car of the ship was a dummy, weighted to 150 pounds. The ship carried it Havana, Aug. 25.—Captain-General without any perceptible jar. It rose showing what a tremendous pressure ship floated out a half mile and descended as easily and gracefully as it Reports have been received that the scended as easily and gracefully as it band of the leader Zarraga had athe would not have been harmed in the

slightest. Ammunition in Hay.

New Orleans, Aug. 24.-Information is received by the Machecha Steamship Company, whose ships ply between here and Central American ports, that a consignment of hay on the last trip of the steamship Wanderer contained contraband goods. They learned that twelve bales of hay which had been shipped by a Cincinnati firm to R. E. Caldwell, an American importer, on being opened by customs officials had been found to contain 8,000 cartridges and other munitions of war. It has been also discovered that two similar shipments have been made to Caldwell and H. C. Park, at Port Barrois. It is not known whether the munitions were intended for Cuba or for an uprising in Guatemala. Caldwell has been arrested, and the state department will be notified.

Debarred From Citizenship. Washington, Aug. 24.—A young German was debarred from cicizenship today after a practical demonstration that he could not read the English language. Judge Cole, of the supreme court, held that no one is entilted to citizenship who cannot read English.

Bright Outlook for Harvest in Idaho. Moscow, Idaho, Aug. 24.-The demand for harvest hands here is great. The wages range from \$2 to \$3 a day. The yield is good, in some places running forty-five bushels to the acre. The outlook for the crop is bright.

Young man, don't forget that the world is watching you, and most of us are more ready to charge your account with something bad than something