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GREATEST OF THE CENTURY

Scheme to Belt the Entire Earth With One Transportation System.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN CAPITAL BRING IT ABOUT.

James J. Hill Has a Man in China Studying the Railroad Situation. With a View to Connecting With the British Railroads Lines of India Through Indo-China.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 6.—It became known today that J. J. Hill is making a study of the railway situation in China. The first reports are said to be favorable.

SAFE WAS TAKEN OUT AND BLOWN ON A VACANT LOT.

TWO WESTERN RAILROADS REFUSE TO HANDLE THEM.

HAS BEEN IN LITIGATION FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS.

POWDER EXPLOSION.

hundreds of thousands of dollars. Assets, \$50,000; bonded indebtedness, \$80,000.

LYNCHING INDORSER.

NO ACTION AT ASTORIA TO APPREHEND MEMBERS OF THE PARTY WHICH HUNG HAMILTON.

SLAUGHTER OF CALIF POWERS FOR SUPPOSED MURDER OF GOVERNOR GOEBEL.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS LOSE.

REASONS FOR HASTE IN GIVING PAPAL BLESSING.

ONLY THREE HAVE BEEN KILLED OR CAPTURED.

CHINESE REBELLION.

EX-CONVICT RILEY AND MRS. PARKHURST.

TRIAL OF CALIF POWERS FOR SUPPOSED MURDER OF GOVERNOR GOEBEL.

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GIUSEPPE SARTO OF VENICE WAS ELECTED POPE OF ROME

Has Been a Cardinal Ten Years, and Patriarch of Venice. Chooses the Title of Pius X.

It is asserted that the new pontiff was Leo's first choice for the succession—did not expect the election and was not a candidate—Is an able and popular man, 68 years old.

Cardinal Giuseppe Sarto, patriarch of Venice is the new elected pope of Rome. He is 68 years and 2 months of age, and has been a cardinal since 1893. He has chosen the title of Pius X.

Biography of Pius X. Giuseppe Sarto was born in Riese, diocese of Treviso, June 2, 1858, and was created cardinal by Leo XIII at the consistory of June 12, 1893.

Cardinal Sarto enjoys great popularity in the Vatican, and for all his life his purity, for his strict uprightness of life, and for liberal ideas. He is a modest and agreeable man, highly cultivated, very kind-hearted, still strong and robust in spite of his 68 years.

His Mother Still Lives. Like Leo, he has promise of long life. His aged mother, still alive, lives at his home in the city of Treviso.

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AFTER HEAD-HUNTERS. Pacification of the Philippines is Progressing Rapidly.

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FELON CHASING CONVICTS.

VALUABLE CARGO LOST.

CONFERRING WITH A BISHOP.

REJOICING AT VENICE.

RECEIVED FORTY-FIVE VOTES.

NEWS AT WASHINGTON.

SUPPOSED CLUE. Evidences of the Whereabouts of Three Fugitives.

ON A HOT SCENT.

LARGEST SUGAR FACTORY.

PROFIT IN HUCKLEBERRIES.

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NEWS AT WASHINGTON.

BAKER CITY POWER PLANT

There Are Many Good Reasons Why Pendleton Should Follow Suit.

W. M. Pierce has returned from a trip to his property at Hot Lake and from a short stay in Baker City. Mr. Pierce is impressed with the possibilities of the new power plant that is being put in at Baker City and thinks that the city of Pendleton is missing a great opportunity when it misses the chance to acquire a plant of its own.

OUR FUEL SUPPLY BEGINNING TO FAIL, AND WATER POWER BEING INSUFFICIENT, THE CITY YET HAS THE MEANS WITHIN ITS REACH TO GREATLY STIMULATE MANUFACTURING ENTERPRISES.

WESTON IS SETTING THE EXAMPLE TO THE CITY IN MATTER OF IMPROVING AND PUBLIC UTILITY, AND IF THERE IS A NEED AND A USE IN THAT SMALL PLACE FOR A POWER PLANT IT IS MUCH MORE THE CASE IN THIS CITY.

THE CROPS OF UNION COUNTY ARE NOT, BUT THE YIELD IS ESTIMATED AT 50 PER CENT. WHILE IT IS TRUE THAT THE YIELD IS IN A MEASURE COMPENSATED BY THE SHORTAGE IN THE YIELD, THE FACT MUST NOT BE LOST SIGHT OF THAT THE FARMERS WILL USE THE SAME AMOUNT OF SEED AND FERTILIZER WHICH WILL COST THEM MORE.

SCHOOL SITUATION.

VICTORIA ISLAND CASE.

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LUSTFUL FIEND IS LYNCHED

MOST REVOLTING DEED IN HISTORY OF THE STATE.

THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER OF SHERIFF RICHARDS, MET IN LONELY PATH, BRUTALLY ASSAULTED AND THEN BEATEN TO DEATH—MOB WAS DETERMINED BUT ORDELY.

ASOTIA, Wash., Aug. 5.—At 12:15 a crowd of masked men marched up the main street toward the jail. As they entered the jail yard they were warned back by guards. Their only response was to seize the guards, throw them to the ground and search them for the jail keys, which they took. Then the small body of determined men entered the jail with the keys, and nearly found the murderer's cell. They were unable to find a key that would fit the lock, and had to saw and file and hack their way through the bars.

MEANWHILE ANOTHER MOB OF MASKED MEN, SOME 80 OR 90 IN NUMBER, BECAME THE SURRENDERING COUNTRY, WOOD WATCHING THE PROCEEDINGS.

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BEAT'S HUSBAND, STEALS WIFE

WOMAN IS NICE OF EX-GOVERNOR GEOR AND DAUGHTER OF EX-WARDEN JAMES OF SALEM—AFTER BEATING HER HUSBAND INTO INSENSIBILITY, RILEY TAKES THE WOMAN AND FLEES TOWARD SEATTLE.

PORTLAND, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Elliott Parkhurst, a young wife of 25, eloped with Harry Riley, an ex-convict, and it is believed to be in Seattle.

W. & C. R. TAXES REDUCED.

WALLA WALLA EQUALIZATION BOARD CUTS DOWN ASSESSOR'S FIGURES.

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