

ELECTRICAL STORM DEALS DEATH TO TROOPS ON NOTED BATTLEFIELD

Historic Gettysburg Has
Wildest Night Since
July, 1863.

NATIONAL GUARD
CAMPING THERE

Three Are Dead and Half a
Hundred Injured by the
Elements.

(By Associated Press.)
GETTYSBURG, Pa., July 24.—An all-night search throughout camp Hayes where the Pennsylvania National Guard has been encamped for week and which last night was visited by a terrific electrical and wind storm, shows that three soldiers were struck dead by lightning and nearly half a hundred other persons injured. It was probably the wildest night the historic battlefield has experienced since July 1863. The dead were members of the second brigade composed of regiments from the western part of the state. Cots of the hospital tents are filled with injured some of whom are women and children who have been visiting the camp.

VALLEY TEAMS COME TO COOS BAY SUNDAY

Fast Games of Ball Expected Here
Sunday—Coquille's Defense of
Empire Burnside.

The ball games on Coos Bay Sunday promise to draw the largest crowds of the year to date. Bandon will play its first game in Marshfield and Coquille will meet North Bend on the North Bend grounds. There will be several changes in the Marshfield and North Bend lineups which will strengthen them. Bandon and Coquille fans are confident that the visiting teams will win but the Coos Bay enthusiasts insist that they will have to be shown. Large crowds will accompany the visiting teams to Coos Bay.

Coquille's View Of It.

The Coquille players and the Coquille Herald insist that Umpire Burnside's decisions in last Sunday's game between Marshfield and Coquille at Coquille were all right despite the protest made by the Marshfield contingent. The Coquille Herald this week rather severely arraigns The Times for the version it printed of the Marshfield fans' view, evidently overlooking the fact that The Times credited the matter fully to the fans. When the attention of some of the local fans was called to The Herald's account, they said to refer to the editor of the Herald to Charles Baxter, a prominent Coquille man who refused to accept a Marshfield man's money because he (Baxter) considered Burnside's decisions unfair. It is admitted by all that Coquille has a good ball team and the Marshfield fans say that is one reason why they were surprised that Burnside's rank unfairness should be tolerated by them. The Coquille Herald says:

"The account of the Marshfield Coquille game in the Coos Bay Times is about as near like the dying yell of a rank quitter as is possible to get. "People who read that account are liable to be misled into the belief that Coquille can't play ball, but the previous game will go to show that Marshfield is not in the same class as Coquille. "People who know and saw the game will testify that The Times account is about the worst that was ever written of a ball game. "The talk about Burnside is about as absurd as is possible, for his record will show that he has and can umpire in faster company than most Marshfield players ever saw and that he can go back and take his former position in better company than Marshfield ever had."

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HAYES WINS THE MARATHON

Irish-American Athletic Club
Man Given Great Race After
Contest.

LONDON, July 24.—The American protest against Dorando for receiving assistance in the Marathon race, has been upheld. This makes Hayes of the Irish-American Athletic Club, winner of famous event.

LONDON, July 24.—The foreign competitors in the pole vault in the Olympic contest, had an unpleasant time. An unruly crowd roared and tried to balk them. The police were called in but were not very successful in stopping the proceedings. The foreign teams are those representing America, France and Sweden.

Protest the Marathon.
The Marathon was won by Dorando, the Italian runner. He came into the stadium, staggered along the track for a short distance and then fell down. Hayes, the American, came in second. Heffron of South Africa, was third and Porshaw of Missouri, fourth. Welden, an American, finished fifth. Longboat did not finish.

Dorando collapsed 220 yards from the finish. He struggled to his feet and tried to cover the remaining distance but fell down and could not keep his feet. His collapse was complete and the officials practically carried him to the finish. He was carried from the arena on a stretcher. Hayes came in unassisted. The Americans have entered a protest against the assistance rendered to Dorando at the finish. The action of the officials in assisting the Italian is universally condemned, by the spectators irrespective of nationality.

Oregon Men Win.

Gilbert of Yale, who is a Portland, Oregon, boy won his second event in the pole vault by clearing twelve feet.

Forest Smithson of the Multnomah Club of Portland, won his heat in the semi-finals of 120-metre hurdles in 15 2-5, which equals the Olympic record.

TEXAS STEER HORNS TO MAKE CHAIR FOR TAFT

Ranchman Selecting for the Purpose
the Largest That Can Be Found.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., July 23.—N. R. Powell, a stockman of Pettus, has been here and closed a deal with a local manufacturer of horn chairs for a special chair to be presented to William H. Taft on March 4 next, when he expects him to take his seat as president of these United States.

"My deal with the manufacturer," said Mr. Powell, "is to construct the chair out of horns which I will furnish him. It will not be necessary for him to follow the instructions given to Noah when he bullded the ark, but both of us recognize that an ordinary chair is out of the question. I have just delivered him the pair of horns—about eight and one-half feet from tip to tip—that will make the back of the chair and a portion of the arms, and will gather up the other specimens I have selected between here and the Rio Grande and send them here. "The chair will be a companion piece for the pants which San Antonio has provided, and the new president, while wrestling with the problems of a nation in Washington, will at the same time be able to enjoy some of the comforts of Texas, a condition which any man cannot fail to duly appreciate."

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TWENTY-FIVE PERISH IN TUNNEL

Workmen In Switzerland
Drowned Like Rats When
Drillers Strike Unknown
Body of Water.

(By Associated Press.)
BERNE, Switzerland, July 24.—A frightful accident this morning in the Leetchburg tunnel, in the Ber-

nese Alps, resulted in the death of twenty-five workmen. Without any warning, the drills pierced the wall of an unknown subterranean river or lake. The wall gave way with a crash and a torrent of water and mud filled the tunnel. All of the workmen were drowned. It is believed that the men tapped the Kender river which flows above the tunnel.

CONFESSES TO GOULD SCHEME

Miss Julia Fleming Said to
Have Made Clean Breast of
Entire Plot.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, July 24.—At the hearing before Magistrate Corrigan, of three persons charged with agreeing to give false evidence in the Gould divorce case, Assistant District Attorney Hart told the magistrate that Miss Julia Fleming had made a confession.

HARD TIME TO GET M. H. TUTTLE

Curry County Officials Balked
On Holding Him For Coos
County Officers.

Sheriff W. W. Gage or a deputy will start this afternoon for Gold Beach, Curry county, to bring back M. H. Tuttle, the Plat B contractor, who is wanted here to explain his unusual methods of procedure. For a time last night and this morning, it was feared that the sheriff of Curry county would not hold Tuttle and that he would escape across the California line. The Curry county official insisted that he did not have any right to hold Tuttle without a warrant but Deputy Prosecuting Attorney L. A. Liljeqvist took up the matter with him over the long distance phone and arranged that Tuttle should be held until officials from this county could arrive to take charge of him.

There are some pathetic features to the case. Tuttle has his wife and seven children, one a mere babe, with him. As near as could be gathered over the phone, he wanted to make overtures to adjust the matter at Gold Beach and then proceed. Some of Tuttle's friends insist that he will be able to explain matters when he gets back.

BRIDE 11, BRIDEGROOM 15, AND PARENTS CONSENT

Marriage Ceremony Performed by
the Boy's Father, Who Is
a Church Elder.

SERGEANT, Ky., July 24.—Elder Joseph Hall's son Leonard, fifteen, and Mrs. Sarah Proffitt's daughter Annie, eleven years of age, were married at Upper Rock House Creek. The ceremony was performed by Elder Hall, who is a pillar in the Hardshell Baptist church, and was witnessed by many relatives.

The boy and the girl fell in love and did their courting while attending the district school and determined to wed.

Their parents looked on the match as a "calf love" attachment, and tried in every way to persuade the youngsters to wait until they attained their majority.

Argument was useless, the sweethearts contending that the longer they waited the older they would be, and they did not want to waste their youth. Their parents gave in when opposition was useless and consented to the wedding.

The young couple will start in life in a home of their own near the Hall farm.

THE CITY OF PANAMA takes Breakwater run sailing from Marshfield and North Bend 9:30 a. m., Saturday, July 25.

SULTAN OF TURKEY IS FORCED TO GRANT REFORMS TO YOUNG MEN

NERVY BANDIT MEETS NERVE

Fireman Prevents Holdup In
Wisconsin by Striking Rob-
ber With Coal Pick.

(By Associated Press.)
APPLETON, Wis., July 24.—A nervy robber attempted to hold up a north bound train on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad yesterday, near Appleton Junction. He climbed over the tender into the cab and ordered the engineer to stop the train. He was about to comply when the fireman hit the robber with a coal pick. As he was about to hit him again, the robber jumped although the train was going twenty miles per hour. Poses are searching for him.

SAFE SAVES HIS POLICIES

E. M. Ward of North Bend, Will
Receive \$11,000 Insurance
On Fire Loss.

E. M. Ward of the Ward Wholesale Hardware Company of North Bend, has found that the fire insurance policies on his stock which was destroyed by the fire which wiped out the Old Woolen Mill building last Sunday morning, do not expire until in August. Thus he will receive \$11,000 insurance, which will about cover one-half of his loss. Mr. Ward knew that he had \$1,000 in force but feared that policies representing \$10,000 had expired a few days prior to the conflagration, the original policies having been changed when a recent change was made in the firm.

The discovery that the policies were still in force was made when he succeeded in opening his safe which had been subjected to severe heat in the conflagration. The safe withstood the heat and all of the papers in it were intact, some of them not being even charred. In addition to the insurance policies, he had other valuable papers in the safe.

Mr. Ward's numerous friends will rejoice with him in that the insurance had not expired as he first feared.

M. F. PLANT IN TODAY FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Steamship Arrives From Golden
Gate With Large Number For
Coos Bay.

The M. F. Plant arrived this morning from San Francisco after a hard trip having bucked a stiff northwest wind all the way up and encountered heavy fogs. She arrived off the bar early last evening but the dense fog caused Capt. Burtis to anchor outside until 6 o'clock this morning.

Among those on board were: J. H. Ballin, Chas. Schaufel, Walter Pohl, Mrs. J. Flesher, Mrs. M. Kennedy, Miss M. Keefe, Gladys Wallace, Mrs. M. Kern, Kate O'Connor, Mrs. D. O'Donohue, Mrs. M. Kar-del, Mrs. O. M. Barnes, Mrs. J. N. Barnes, Mrs. N. A. Button, Miss M. Schaefer, Miss M. Janicki, Miss F. Sproul, Mrs. Kronenberg and son, Mrs. Lytle, Miss M. B. Malloy, Josie Lyon, Mrs. E. M. Lyon, M. J. Miller, J. W. Schoenberg, J. S. McFarland and wife, G. Radovich, F. Milburn, B. J. Garrett and eighteen steerage.

The City of Panama arrived at North Bend late this afternoon from Portland and will probably come to Marshfield about 5 o'clock.

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Victory Over Old
Government.

TRUSTED FORCES
LEAVE "SICK MAN"

Ferid Pasha Dismissed For De-
ceiving the Ruler of the
Mohammedans.

(By Associated Press.)
CONSTANTINOPLE, July 24.—The imperial order issued this morning establishes a Chamber of Deputies in accordance with the constitution elaborated by the Sultan and the necessary orders for an election have been issued. The immediate cause of the Sultan raising the white flag was a telegram from the Albanians of Uskub informing him that they had taken an oath in favor of the reestablishment of the constitution. The message landed like a thunder-bolt at Yildiz Kiosk as the Sultan had been under the impression that he could depend on the Albanians under all circumstances. Ferid Pasha, who is an Albanian, fostered this conceit. When the facts became known, the wrath of the Sultan fell upon Ferid who was dismissed on the spot. It is said that the Pasha has been appointed in his place as grand vizier.

YOUNG TURKS CONTROL

Said to be Complete Masters of Situation
In Macedonia.

(By Associated Press.)
BELGRADE, July 24.—Cipher dispatches from Macedonia declare that the young Turks are complete masters of the situation. All Turkish authorities have surrendered to them. The publication of the Sultan's manifesto granting a constitution was hailed with a salute of guns from the fort. There is great rejoicing over the victory of the younger element.

The entire garrison is reported to have mutinied at Uskub and the Albanians are said to be marching on the city, although there is nothing to show whether they are to join or to attempt to suppress the mutiny.

Want Old Constitution.

(By Associated Press.)
SALONIKA, July 24.—The imperialists are firm for restoring the Macedonian constitution of 1876, which was read today causing great enthusiasm.

Control Three Cities.

(By Associated Press.)
VIENNA, July 24.—It is reported that Monastir, Uskub and Salonika are in the hands of the young Turks. Order is being maintained everywhere.

MARRIED IN A TREETOP.

Wedding Party Ascended by Rope
and Tackle.

CHICAGO, July 24.—Standing on a platform built in the treetops, 34 feet from the ground, and with a carpet of violets, Miss Carrie Holman and Jacob McKee were united in marriage at the Steinberg farm, near Springfield, by the Rev. A. W. Leonard of this city, says a Springfield (Ohio) special dispatch to the Tribune. The couple rode to the grove on horseback, with dogwood blossoms marking out the way, huge branches of the flowers being strewn on both sides of the path. The bride, bridegroom, pastor and four witnesses were drawn into the loft by three men by means of a rope and pulley. The brother of the bride built the home in the treetops 10 years ago. By sleeping there winter and summer he has cured himself of tuberculosis.

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BEST MEAL in town, the Arcade from 15 to 25c.