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STARTS ON HIS HOMEWARD TRIP

President and Party Leave San Francisco for Washington.

GRAND FAREWELL RECEPTION

The Distinguished Party Leave Amid Tumultuous Cheering—Greeted at Stockton by 10,000 People—Gifts of 'Frisco Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The presidential party, after a sojourn of nearly two weeks in this city, left for Washington a few moments after 10 o'clock this morning. The physicians in attendance on Mrs. McKinley held their last consultation yesterday, and after they had announced their decision that Mrs. McKinley was strong enough to endure the transcontinental journey preparations for departure were rapidly made.

Mrs. McKinley enjoyed a refreshing night's rest and this morning seemed elated at the prospect of soon being at home. She was conveyed from the Scott residence to the Oakland ferry in a closed carriage over a circuitous route, which was chosen so that the invalid might pass over only smoothly paved streets, the jarring basalt blocks which are laid on many blocks being avoided.

She was accompanied by the president, Dr. Rixey and a trained nurse, the rest of the party proceeding to the starting point in a more direct way. An immense crowd had assembled at the ferry depot of the Southern Pacific by the junction of Market and East streets being a solid mass of humanity, through which the police with difficulty kept open a passage way for the president and his party. Heads were uncovered as the carriage in which Mrs. McKinley rode approached, and there was a visible effort to restrain an outburst of applause as the vehicle with drawn curtains drove slowly through the throng. All respected the frail condition of the sufferer, and enthusiasm was suppressed. There were no formal ceremonies at the depot.

Good-byes were exchanged by the president, cabinet members and other members of the party with friends who had come to wish them goodspeed, and the distinguished travelers boarded the ferryboat Oakland, which made a special trip for their accommodation. The carriage containing Mrs. McKinley was driven on to the lower deck of the boat and the curtains partly raised, so that she might obtain a glimpse of the bay and Golden Gate.

As the steamer drew out of the slips hats and handkerchiefs were waved, and as it swung clear into the stream the shipping in the harbor dipped their colors in salute. Tumultuous cheers then broke forth on shore and were borne across the waters as San Francisco's farewell to President McKinley, his wife and the accompanying members of his official family.

At the Oakland mole, where the train was in readiness, precautions had been taken to prevent a crowd. The enclosure was carefully roped off. Mrs. McKinley was tenderly helped out of the carriage by the president, and when she had been made comfortable in her car, he appeared upon the platform and waved adieu to the throng beyond the ropes.

CROWDS AT ALL STATIONS.
President and Party Enthusiastically Received Everywhere.

SACRAMENTO, May 25.—After leaving San Francisco this morning the president's train ran through crowds at all the stations, the minute stops were made at Port Costa and Tracy, at each of which places the president shook hands with a number of people. At Stockton, through some misunderstanding, the inhabitants thought the train would stop thirty minutes. The entire population was at the station and a stand had been erected alongside the track. The train only halted two minutes.

The president appeared upon the rear platform and bowed his acknowledgments to the vast assemblage. He al-

so shook hands with some of those who crowded about the platform. Since the route of the return journey to Washington has been published, telegrams have poured in upon the president asking him to stop at almost every city and town. Secretary Cortelyou has uniformly responded to these appeals that the president was going back to Washington by the most direct route and that only such stops as the necessities of the railroad companies required would be made. It is believed the train will arrive at Washington Thursday morning.

Mrs. McKinley showed no ill effects from her journey up to the time Sacramento was reached.

PRESIDENT AT STOCKTON.

Greeted at the Depot by Ten Thousand People.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 25.—The train bearing President McKinley and party arrived at Stockton at 1:35 p. m. The train stopped about half a minute, during which time the president waved his handkerchief at the multitude, estimated at fully 10,000. He made no speech and the train departed while the crowd cheered.

His failure to stop and address the people was explained by the president to Rev. W. C. Evans, an old time personal friend, in these words: "You can understand, doctor, that I do not feel like speaking. Mrs. McKinley is not so well. The trip across the ferry was a little hard on her, and if I were to go on that platform I would not feel like speaking."

TRIP WITHOUT INCIDENT.

COLFAX, Cal., May 25.—After leaving Sacramento, the president's train ascended the Sierra Nevada mountains, rounding the snow-covered peak of Cape Horn, just before dark. There were no incidents of the trip during the afternoon. The train is due at Ogden tomorrow evening.

A NOTABLE RECEPTION.

President Given Quaint and Valuable Presents by San Francisco Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Among the many notable incidents of President McKinley's stay in this city was a visit last night by Chinese Consul General Ho Yow and the presidents of the Six Companies. They were dressed in their official robes and presented a dazzling array of color. They presented the president an address and presents valued at \$2000. The address was written in ink on imperial yellow silk, the document being 17.24 inches in diameter. It was embroidered with one thousand pearls and is a superb specimen of Chinese work. It was made in Canton and arrived here two days ago on the America Maru. The cover containing the address is also made of silk and is embroidered in gold threads.

The address is a testimonial in appreciation of President McKinley's policy toward China, and likens the attitude of the United States to "a hero, extending its trusty and powerful arms and voice to protect its exhausted and innocent friend China."

The Chinese delegation then presented the president with a beautiful pair of silk portieres, thickly embroidered with gold thread and fringe, the curtains being valued at \$1000. A gold incense burner and other gold ornaments, worth \$500, were also presented to the chief executive.

The president thanked the Chinese dignitaries for their words and for their valuable gifts, assuring them that he would always treasure their offerings.

DATE OF CUP RACES.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The America's cup races will be begun September 21. Sir Thomas Lipton having by cablegram agreed to that date.

IBSEN DYING.

CHRISTIANA, May 25.—Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatist, has suffered a second stroke of apoplexy and his condition is now almost hopeless.

IS RECOVERING.

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 25.—President Errazuriz, who recently was reported as suffering from a severe attack of paralysis, has recovered.

SILVER MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Silver 59 1/2.

MAJORITY REPORT WAS ADOPTED

Another Step Towards Revision of Confession of Faith.

WHAT REPORT RECOMMENDS

Committee Instructed to Prepare Brief Summary of Reformed Faith—No Action Taken on "Elect Infant" Clause.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—The Presbyterian general assembly today took another step towards revising the confession of faith by rejecting the minority report, which had been offered as a substitute for the majority report. The vote was 271 to 234. The recommendation is as follows:

"We recommend that the committee be instructed to prepare a brief summary of reformed faith, bearing the same relation to the confession which the shorter catechism bears to the larger catechism and formed on the general model of the consensus creed prepared for the general assembly of 1892 or the articles of faith of the Presbyterian church of England, both of which documents are appended to the committee's report and submitted to the assembly to be referred to the committee appointed."

With the consent of the assembly, the motion was changed so that a vote was taken on the question of striking out the recommendation from the majority report instead of accepting the minority report as a substitute.

"ELECT INFANT" CLAUSE.

Reasons of Committee Why No Action Should Be Taken.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 25.—The Southern Presbyterian general assembly has passed upon majority and minority reports from the special committee on the "elect infant" clause. The majority report which was adopted recedes the order of the last general assembly to print in every edition of the confession of faith thereafter an explanatory foot note regarding infants dying in infancy, but the report states that this section is in no way to be taken as modifying the answer made to the overtures in the last assembly.

The report also adopted recommends that no action be taken on the "elect infant" clause for the following reasons:

1.—Because it is unwise to initiate at this time the agitation of this question among the people.

2.—Because no modification that does not eliminate scriptural Calvinism from this section of the confession will obviate the objection which comes from Armenia sources.

3.—Because the Westminster confession of faith is the first great creed which taught the salvation of infants dying in infancy on truly scriptural grounds.

4.—Because the confession of faith in this section does not teach the damnation of any infant dying in infancy, for the reason that the contrast made in it is not between elect and non-elect infants dying in infancy but between elect persons who die in infancy and elect persons who do not die in infancy.

5.—Because while we have a well-grounded hope founded on Scripture that all infants dying in infancy are saved, yet the confession of faith goes as far as the Scriptures justify a positive statement upon the subject.

The minority report recommended that the following be sent down to the Presbyteries for their concurrence:

"That section three, chapter ten, of the confession of faith be amended by adding the words 'nothing in this section shall be understood as holding or teaching the possibility of the damnation of an infant dying in infancy. Our church does not hold nor ever has held such doctrines.'"

NUMBER OF STRIKERS.

PITTSBURG, May 25.—President Jas. O'Connell, of the International Association of Machinists, who was here today, said 24,000 machinists are on strike throughout the country, while 52,000 have returned to work. This equals the total number of machinists in the organization.

President O'Connell predicts an early settlement with all manufacturers.

MURDERED FOR MONEY.

E. E. Daly Found Dead With Bullet Hole in His Head.

MARSHFIELD, Ore., May 25.—One of the most atrocious murders ever committed in Southern Oregon has just come to light by the discovery of the body of E. E. Daly, of Blackwell, Oklahoma. The body was unearched near Coquille City, and from the bullet hole in the head it is evident that the man

was murdered. Robbery was the motive for the terrible crime.

Some days ago Jesse McQuigg, who lives near Coquille City, while walking along the railroad track saw a man digging in the brush. Deeming the actions of the man suspicious, he mentioned the matter to the authorities, with the result that investigation was made. The research of the officers resulted in the discovery of the body which had been buried at the spot where the man had been seen digging. A bullet hole in the head plainly denoted the manner in which Daly came to his death.

Daly came to this section from Blackwell some months ago, and had been working for a farmer. Thursday last he was paid off, receiving \$170. No money was found on the body and the officers are satisfied that Daly was killed and robbed.

It is thought that the identity of the murderer is known, and a vigorous search for him has been commenced. The affair has created great excitement, as Daly was well liked, and should the murderer be captured he may be severely handled.

HARVARD THE VICTOR.

Interesting Match of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The annual track and field championship of the Intercollegiate Associated Amateur Athletic Association of America was concluded today at Berkeley oval. The wretched weather literally ruined what promised to be the most eventful meeting in the history of the organization. About 1500 people tried to infuse enthusiasm into the mud-bespattered athletes. Harvard was the victor by the splendid score of 44 points.

To the surprise of the spectators, Cornell took fourth place with 15 well-earned points. It is the first time in her many years of competition at Mothevan games that the Ithaca institution has scored a first. The University of Pennsylvania is relegated to seventh place, after having held the championship the past four years. Harvard had not won the championship since 1892. The following table shows the score:

Harvard, 44; Yale, 30; Princeton, 16 1/2; Cornell, 15; Georgetown, 10; Michigan, 6 1/2; Pennsylvania, 5 5/8; Columbia, 5; New York, 5; Bowlen, 4; Syracuse, 1 1/2.

HOMESEEKERS' RATES.

Southern Pacific Begins a New Policy in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The Southern Pacific began practically a new policy today expecting to revolutionize conditions in California, when it announced its application to the Transcontinental Association to put in home-seekers' round trip tickets from the Mississippi valley and west to California.

The rates are to be one-limited fare plus \$2, making \$62.50 from Chicago, \$52 from Kansas City and \$58.50 from St. Louis and New Orleans. The dates of sale are to be the first and third Tuesdays in each month, stopovers being allowed on the Southern Pacific lines on the going trip. The rates are incident to a determined effort to settle California. Colonists' one-way rates last year brought 20,000 people to the state.

ALL BUT COMPLETE.

Salmon Packers Combine Embrace Forty-six Canneries From Alaska to California.

SEATTLE, May 25.—R. Onffroy, promoter of the new salmon packing combination on the Pacific coast, which will rival the Alaska Packers' Association, says that the deal has been practically completed for the purchase of forty-six canneries on the coast from Alaska to California. The establishments purchased are the largest on the coast, outside of those owned by the Alaska Packers' Association. The combine will operate under the name of the Pacific Packing & Navigation Company, with a capital of \$25,000,000. Its headquarters will be in Seattle.

DID MUCH DAMAGE.

SALT LAKE, May 25.—The wind storm which swept over Nevada, Utah, southern Idaho, Wyoming and Colorado Thursday night and which blew constantly until today, did damage that will run into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

TO REDUCE CHINA FORCES.

BERLIN, May 25.—At the instance of Count Von Bulow, the imperial chancellor, Emperor William has ordered that the German commander-in-chief be broken up and that preparations be made to reduce the German forces in China.

DISHONEST OFFICERS.

COLORADO SPRINGS, May 25.—Moses T. Hale, who has been for eight years city treasurer of Colorado Springs and Charles E. Smith, who was four years prior to 1897 city clerk, are under arrest charged with the embezzlement of \$30,000.

TILLMAN AND M'LAURIN RESIGN

Outcome of Spirited Debate Held at Gaffney Yesterday.

WILL GO BEFORE THE PEOPLE

They Will Make Joint Canvass of the State—Re-election of Either Will Be Voiced in Democratic Primary.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 25.—As the outcome of a spirited debate between United States Senators B. F. Tillman and John L. McLaurin, at Gaffney today, both of them have put their resignations in the hands of Governor McSweeney to take effect November 15. They have resigned with the understanding that they are to go before the people of the state in a joint canvass, and that the sentiment of the people is to be voiced in a Democratic primary to be held in November.

Tillman was last summer re-elected to the United States senate for six years and McLaurin has yet two years to serve. Should Tillman be sustained, McLaurin's seat will be vacant. If McLaurin is successful he will succeed to Tillman's long term.

CUTTER GRANT'S CONDITION.

Damage Not as Great as at First Reported.

PORT TOWNSEND, May 25.—The United States revenue cutter Rush, Captain Kligora, arrived this evening from the scene of the wrecked cutter Grant, having left their this morning. Captain Kligora reports that the damage sustained was not so serious as at first reported, according to the statement of a diver who examined the vessel. The revenue cutter Perry is at the scene of the wreck and it is expected that she will be floated tonight.

MRS. LEASE A BANKRUPT.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Mary Ellen Lease filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court today. The liabilities are \$3247, assets \$2293. Much of the indebtedness was incurred as endorser on mortgages given by her husband.

TWENTY-ONE PERISHED.

BERLIN, May 25.—A dispatch from Waldenburg, Prussia, says as the result of a fire which broke out today in the Hermann mine, twenty-one miners perished.

SMALL WEEK'S BUSINESS.

NEW YORK, May 25.—This week's stock market has shown a disposition to slip into dullness and increasing difficulty has been met in attracting outside business. It has been the smallest week's business of the year, and has been more and more restricted to the hands of professional operators.

FLEET ORDERED HOME.

BERLIN, May 25.—The German naval division in the far East, consisting of the battleships Kurfuers, Friederich Wilhelm, Brandenburg, Weissenburg and Woerth and dispatch boat Helsen are ordered home.

PROMINENT RUSSIAN SUICIDES.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 25.—President Altschensky, of the Khoff chamber of commerce, committed suicide Tuesday by allowing a train to run over him. He was a financier of great influence. His death was due to financial difficulties and will embarras many institutions.

MULTNOMAH TEAM DEFEATED.

PORTLAND, May 25.—The University of Oregon today defeated the Multnomah Athletic Club team in the field meet. The score was—University Oregon, 61; Multnomah, 47.

NINE-HOUR BILL PASSED.

VIENNA, May 25.—The Reichsrath has passed to a third reading the nine-hours day for miners bill which the government promised to introduce during the strike last year as an inducement to the miners to return to work. The period of nine hours includes both descending and leaving the pits.

ALL HOPE LOST.

LONDON, May 25.—All hope of saving the seventy-eight entombed miners at the Universal colliery has been abandoned.

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