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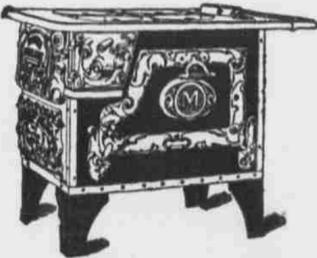
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THE FIRST TIME IN MANY YEARS

German and French Flags Fly Together in Berlin.

AUTOMOBILE RACE EXCITING

Contestants Due in Berlin Today—M. Fournier the Favorite in the Betting—Police Preparing to Handle Immense Crowds.

BERLIN, June 28.—The automobile race from Paris to Berlin is responsible for the fact that for the first time since 1870, the French and German flags are peacefully flying together in Berlin. The tri-color is seen in nearly every stand on the hotels and it has even been raised over public buildings. The French and German flags are intertwined over the gable of the barracks of the Crack Guard corps. The entire city of Berlin is agog with excitement about the race.

The contestants are due here tomorrow. Heis are freely made on the winner, and M. Fournier is the favorite. The police of Berlin are tonight making extensive preparations to safely handle the immense crowds who will witness the finish of the contest. A succession of minor accidents marked the middle stage of the race.

FOURNIER AHEAD.

HANOVER, Prussia, June 28.—Fournier was again first to arrive at the end of the day's stage of the motor race. De Kuff was second and Girardot was third. Fournier thus adds to the Grand Duke of Luxembourg prizes which he won yesterday, the award offered by Hanover for the quickest journey from Paris to Hanover.

ACCIDENTS CAUSED AN OUTCRY.

Regulations Will be Issued Controlling Speed of Automobiles.

PARIS, June 28.—The automobile accidents yesterday in the Paris-Berlin race are causing an outcry, and Deputy Gauthier brought the matter up in the chamber of deputies today. Premier M. Waldeck-Rousseau, stated that regulations were about to be issued to control the speed of automobiles, and henceforth no race would be authorized at a speed exceeding that used in normal traffic.

THE DISTANCE COVERED.

HANOVER, June 28.—Fournier arrived here at 2:13 p. m., having gone 270 miles in nine hours, seven minutes and 27 seconds.

JUDGE WOODS DIES SUDDENLY.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 28.—Judge W. A. Woods, of the United States district court, dropped dead at 2:20 this (Saturday) morning, at his home in this city. About midnight Judge Woods awoke to his wife and declared that sharp pains had seized him in the left breast. A moment later Mrs. Woods went into an adjoining room to get something which her husband had asked for. When she returned to the bed Judge Woods was dead. Angina pectoris caused his death.

TO ADJUST FREIGHT RATES.

NEW YORK, June 28.—The Times says: The west-bound freight committee of the Trunk Line Association has just held a meeting at which the disturbance of west-bound rates was discussed. It appeared that lines west of the Mississippi and of the Niagara frontier had been cutting rates west-bound out of New York by reducing their own percentage of the through rates. Rates among trunk lines themselves were found to be well maintained. It was decided to request the western lines for a conference to adjust matters.

TO CROWN EDWARD VII.

Coronation of England's King to Occur Next June.

LONDON, June 28.—The royal proclamation announcing that the coronation of King Edward VII is to take place in June next, the exact date not yet being determined upon, was read this morning at St. James's palace, Temple Bar and the Royal Exchange, with all the quaint, medieval scenes which marked the occasion of the proclamation of the accession of the king. Today's ceremonial was unheralded but crowds quickly gathered.

The ceremony began at St. James's, where, from the purple-draped balcony of the palace the Norry King-at-Arms (William Henry Weidon) in a brilliant uniform, accompanied by the heralds and pursuivants in gorgeous dress and numerous state officials, read the proclamation.

At the appointed hour four state trumpeters, lavishly adorned in gold

embroidered tunics, appeared in front of the balcony. By their side stood the Norry king-at-arms, flanked by two royal maces, bearing gold maces, and surrounded by the blue mantle (Gordon Ambrose de Little Lee) the Rouge Dragon (Evard Green), the Somerset Herald (Henry Farnham Burke), the York Herald (Alfred Scott-Gattly) and the Windsor Herald (William Alexander Lindsay), all in their full regalia and the Earl Marshal (the Duke of Norfolk), the Lord Steward (the Earl of Pembroke), the Lord Chamberlain (the Earl of Clarendon) and others.

The trumpeters sounded a protracted fanfare and then the Norry king-at-arms bared his head and read the proclamation in a clear voice, which must have been audible to the royal party occupying a stand on the grounds of Marlborough House, facing the balcony of the palace.

FINEST IN THE WORLD.

Lord Wolesley Says American Army Is Superior to Any of Its Size.

LONDON, June 28.—During the debate on the army reorganization bill in the house of lords today Lord Wolesley, ex-commander-in-chief, declared that the United States army was the finest of its size in the world. He said its superiority was due to good wages. Great Britain must face the alternative of conscription or bounties to secure recruits.

HUNDREDS ARE KILLED.

LONDON, June 28.—A dispatch from Chee Foo reports the entire province of Sheng King in revolt. The rebels are said to be overrunning the country, pillaging and burning. It is asserted that in the vicinity of Mukden, hundreds of the inhabitants have been killed.

FLETCHER HEATH OUSTED.

Miami Bank of Hamilton, O., Reorganizes With New Officers.

HAMILTON, O., June 28.—The directors of the Miami National Bank of Hamilton determined to remove all suspicion against their bank which might arise from the fact that Fletcher Heath, vice-president of the Seventh National Bank of New York, was also vice-president of the Miami Bank, and acting president. A meeting was called and a reorganization effected whereby Fletcher Heath was not only ousted from the vice-presidency, but also from the board of directors. F. W. Whitaker, former president of the bank, was elected president; O. M. Baker, the cashier, was elected vice-president, and Charles E. Mason was elected cashier. It is stated that Mr. Heath's holdings in the Miami bank have been purchased by President Whitaker and his associates.

TELEGRAM FROM TONGUE.

Rivers and Harbors Committee Will Be in Portland Today.

PORTLAND, June 28.—The rivers and harbors committee of the house of representatives will arrive here tomorrow. The following telegram was received tonight from Congressman Tongue, of Oregon, who is with the party:

"Chairman Burton and eleven members of the rivers and harbors committee, after their return from Alaska, expect to visit the Inland Empire. They will inspect the Columbia and Snake rivers from Portland to Lewiston. This is much better than to visit Celilo alone."

CLASH BETWEEN RANGERS.

Trouble Reported Between Sheep Men and Cattle Raisers in Wyoming.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 28.—A report of a clash between sheep men and cattle raisers in the Sweet Water country has reached here but nothing definite can be ascertained. The Sweet Water country is where a dead line was reported established by cattle men a few weeks ago. The ranges there are greatly overstocked with sheep and the flocks have been threatening to invade territory hitherto held exclusively to cattle.

DIFFERENT HERE.

Excessive Heat at Omaha and Kansas City.

OMAHA, June 28.—Today was the hottest June day on the records of the weather bureau, the thermometer reaching 100 degrees.

KANSAS CITY, June 28.—The temperature at 4 p. m. was 100.

FOUR MEN KILLED IN WHEAT FIELD

Terrible Storm Sweeps Over Brazil, Indiana.

TORNADO AT NEW RICHMOND

Farmers Suffered Heavy Losses Though No Lives Were Lost—One Person Killed and Many Injured at Minneapolis.

BRAZIL, Ind., June 28.—During a storm about 6 o'clock this evening, lightning killed four men who were at work in a wheat field near Lodi.

The killed are: FRANK BRIDGEWATERS, ANDERSON WEBSTER, JOHN WIDGEL, SAMUEL STEWART. All the victims leave families.

TORNADO AT NEW RICHMOND

Several Persons Injured and Many Head of Livestock Killed.

ST. PAUL, June 28.—Heavy storms are reported all over this section this afternoon and the property loss will run into thousands, while a number of persons have been injured and many head of livestock killed.

The worst storm was that which passed through the district south of New Richmond, Wis. It was a tornado and did much damage to farm property although no lives were lost. Over a dozen farmers have already reported the loss of a part or all of their buildings, and the loss here will be very heavy.

THE STORM AT MINNEAPOLIS.

On Person Killed and Several Are Injured.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 28.—A terrible storm swept over Minneapolis this afternoon. The storm broke out about 4 o'clock, being preceded by almost utter darkness. Many people went into the street and when the storm of wind and rain broke there were many injured. Polly Bennett was struck by a live electric wire and killed. The storm leveled a part of the canvas enclosure of their country, he was entitled to the several persons were injured there.

MUST REMAIN OVERTIME.

Volunteer Regiments at Presidio Cannot Be Mustered Out July 1.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—Although the four volunteer regiments in camp at the Presidio are working night and day to be within the law by leaving the service on Sunday, June 30, there are troops which will not get out before next week.

According to the present scale the Forty-seventh Infantry will be mustered out on the second of July, the Forty-first on the third and the Forty-third on the fifth. These troops will thus be in the service two, three and five days longer than they are supposed to have military existence. A deficiency bill by congress will have to be provided for their extra pay.

SUED FOR LARGE AMOUNT.

Government Seeks to Recover for Timber Unlawfully Cut on Public Domain.

SALT LAKE, June 28.—A special to the Tribune from Helena, Montana, says:

United States District Attorney Rodgers today instituted two actions in the United States court against the Anaconda Copper Mining Company, the Marcus Daly estate and the Bitter Root Development Company to recover \$366,654, alleged by the government to be due for timber unlawfully cut on the public domain.

With the other suits began a few days ago, the government is suing these defendants for sums aggregating \$355,000.

COMPROMISE REACHED.

Duke of Manchester Settles With Creditors at 12s. 6d. to the Pound.

LONDON, June 28.—The Duke of Manchester made today what he hopes will be his last appearance in the bankruptcy court, as his creditors formally accepted the compromise of 12s. 6d. in the pound. Although the accounts showed that the unsecured debts amount to £30,710, trustees submitted that this sum can be scaled down to £1974 with assets of £5000.

At his final examination today the duke reiterated that his failure was due to the loss of several thousand pounds in theatrical speculation, and said he had not gambled.

Miss Fortia Knight, the American actress who has brought suit of damage against the Duke of Manchester for breach of promise, had lawyers present

at the duke's examination today, but they were not permitted to question the debtor, and consequently they were unable to obtain information of much value to their client.

ROOT WINS FROM CARTER.

Former Gets Decision on a Foul—Carter Cheered by Spectators.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—The fight between Jack Root, of Chicago, and Kid Carter, of Brooklyn, tonight was a hard contest with an unsatisfactory ending. In the fifteenth round both men were fighting strong, with the advantage in Root's favor when Carter swung a hard left on his opponent's body. Root went down on his back, his features contorted with pain and his hands clutching his groin. Referee Wand gave the fight to Root, saying that Carter had struck Root a foul blow. The foul, if any, was not apparent to the spectators.

The decision of the referee caused the wildest excitement and the ring was immediately full of seconds clamoring wildly. The police entered the ring and cut all except the fighters out.

Carter was cheered wildly by the crowd.

NEGRO KILLS PURSUERS.

Peter Price Stabs to Death Two of His Would-Be Lynchers.

PANTHER, W. Va., June 28.—The attempt of a mob to lynch a negro at Jager today resulted in the killing of two of the would-be lynchers. The negro, Peter Price, was accused of insulting a white woman.

He was pursued by a crowd of men and sought refuge in the rear of a saloon. The mob battered down the door and when they entered the room Price threw himself at them with the ferocity of a tiger with a knife in each hand. He killed George Hooks and F. M. McGraw and seriously cut Charles Davis. The negro escaped but was captured and sent to jail.

STEAMER OREGONIAN DAMAGED.

NEW YORK, June 28.—A dispatch to the Herald from Montevideo says:

The American steamer Oregonian, bound for San Francisco with coal for the Pacific squadron, has arrived off Bucoo, a short distance from this port and anchored there. The American authorities sent a tug to inquire why the steamer's captain had chosen such a peculiar anchorage. The captain of the Oregonian declared that the vessel was damaged. He said that he did not wish the steamer towed into the harbor.

IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER.

Bill Read to Be Beginning of War on Catholicism.

PARIS, June 28.—Premier M. Waldeck-Rousseau has carried the most important project of his ministry law of associations bill. The chamber of deputies tonight adopted a bill as amended by the senate by a vote of 313 to 240.

Count Albert De Mundel read a bill to be the beginning of a war against Catholicism.

HOT IN NEW YORK.

Five Deaths and Fifty Prostrations Up to Midnight.

NEW YORK, June 28.—New York experienced the hottest weather of the year today, the thermometer registering 92 degrees. In Greater New York, eight deaths and fifty prostrations were reported up to midnight.

SENIOR MAGNASCÉ RESIGNS.

NEW YORK, June 28.—A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: The minister of justice and public instruction, Senior Magnascé, has resigned in consequence of the affair in the chamber of deputies a few days ago when he was accused of having obtained gratis furniture made by convicts.

ERNEST DURR SELECTED.

PORTLAND, June 28.—In the competitive examination today Ernest Durr, of Baker City, was selected as a cadet to the United States naval academy from the Second congressional district. H. C. Bellinger, of Portland, was chosen alternate.

LOGGERS TO SHUT DOWN.

PORTLAND, June 28.—The Columbia River Loggers Association today decided to shut down for three weeks in July and August. The shut down will reduce the output about 20,000,000 feet.

WEEK'S FAILURES.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Dun's Review will say tomorrow: Failures for the week number 204 in the United States against 207 last year, and 23 in Canada against 21 last year.

BASEBALL SCORES.

TACOMA, June 28.—Tacoma, 12; Portland, 3.

BRITISH FLAG CUT DOWN AT SKAGWAY

Customs Agent Had It Hoisted Over His Office.

WAS CUT BY OREGON MAN

George Miller, of Eugene, Says He Performed Act on His Own Authority as an American Citizen—Much Comment Created.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 28.—The steamer Islander, from Skagway today, brings the news of an exciting flag episode at Skagway. E. S. Busby, Canadian customs agent there, acting on instructions from Ottawa, hoisted the British flag on a pole above his office. George Miller, an attorney of Eugene, Oregon, brother of Joaquin Miller, the poet, cut the flag down. Miller said: "I cut down the British flag on my own authority, by virtue of the rights resting in every American citizen."

A Skagway paper says: "This incident, which has caused no end of comment, has been brewing for several days. When the flag pole was cut on the depot building the matter was called to the attention of C. L. Andrews, United States deputy collector of customs. Andrews investigated the matter and found nothing in his authority which he thought would justify the Canadian supervising officer in raising the flag of his country, unless Stars and Stripes waved above it. He accordingly called upon Busby and had a talk with him in regard to the proposed innovation. Busby showed him a letter from the chief of the customs officials of Canada, which stated in substance that, as American customs officers operating on Canadian soil in conditions corresponding to his, Busby's office, were permitted to fly the flag of their country, he was entitled to the same right and to go ahead with the flag raising."

"On the hypothesis that the Canadian official would not go on record with such a statement if it were not a fact, Andrews concluded that Busby was within his rights and accordingly took no action in the matter."

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED.

NEW YORK, June 28.—A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: The 80th birthday anniversary of General Bartolome Mitre, ex-president of the Argentine Republic has just been celebrated. General Mitre said he had severed relations with President Roca and the latter's circle because he considered that the administration was trying to win his support temporarily by selfish motives. It is announced that General Mitre will resign his senatorship and will retire from public life.

BIG AQUATIC CONTEST.

NEW YORK, June 28.—The Amateur Athletic Union swimming championship to be held at the Pan-American exposition from July 8 to 12, inclusive, has drawn the greatest entry list ever seen at an aquatic contest, all the American champions and record holders having entered.

PUGILISTS WILL WRESTLE.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Walter Schlichter has signed Tom Sharkey to wrestle Peter Maher, best three out of five falls, mixed style in open air on the turf at Columbia Baseball Park, Philadelphia, on the afternoon of July 29th.

LIGHTNING STRIKES CIRCUS.

EUCLAIRE, Wis., June 28.—Lightning today struck the animal tent of the Wallace circus, killing one elephant and stunning the entire menagerie. Many persons were severely shocked.

SILVER MARKET.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Silver, 59 1/2.

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