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PEASANTS STARVING

Deaths From Hunger Are of Daily Occurrence.

OPEN REVOLT NOW, FEARED

Government Fails to Give Relief—Laborers Too Weak to Work—Children Living on Fir Cones and Fruit of Wild Cactus—Famine Began in March.

London, Aug. 16.—The Daily Mail's dispatch, with regard to the famine condition in Andalusia, Spain, states that the Spanish government has entirely failed to give relief and that as the money grants are inadequate to meet the necessities, the resources are exhausted. Deaths from hunger are of daily occurrence.

It is feared that the peasantry will take the law in their own hands and even now signs of open revolt are plentiful and exasperation at the government's inaction is becoming daily more pronounced.

Cadiz, Aug. 16.—The famine, which commenced last March, has now reached the point of actual starvation throughout the fertile valley of Andalusia. The workmen are too weak to work and are becoming desperate. The children are living on fir cones and the fruit of wild cactus.

A commission of landed proprietors and farmers has laid before the authorities the conditions prevailing in and about Osona, in Andalusia province. It estimates that there are 5,000 workmen armed with rifles roaming about the country.

The municipal authorities disclaim responsibility for this condition of affairs. The jails are crowded with persons who have committed no offense, but who have given themselves up to the police on the pretense of having committed a crime, in order to procure shelter and food. The charitable societies have exhausted their resources, and government action is anxiously awaited.

NEW RAILWAY LINE FOR CENTRAL MEXICO.

Will Open Up States of Sonora and Sinaloa—Branch Southern Pacific.

Mexico City, Aug. 16.—The department of communications has granted to A. A. Naugle, representing the South Republic, a railway, a concession for the construction of a railway between Guaymas and Guadalupe or some other point on the Mexican Central railway. The Sonora railway, of which the proposed new line is a part, is one of the Southern Pacific, or Harriman, properties. According to the terms of the charter, it must be completed within seven years. The line will carry a subsidy of \$12,500 per kilometer.

The new line will open up the states of Sonora and Sinaloa, and place them in direct connection with the railway system of the republic as well as the United States surveyors in the field have run several lines, and it now remains to make a choice among them for the construction work. The new road will cost \$30,000,000, and it is announced work will be rapidly pushed.

OPEN SIBERIAN RIVERS TO WORLD'S NAVIGATION.

Make Vladivostok Free Port, Says the Ashia.

Tokio, Aug. 16.—The Ashia, in discussing the proceeding of the peace conference at Portsmouth, regrets that Japan omitted to demand the open door in Siberia and the opening of Siberian rivers to the navigation of the world. Vladivostok, as a free port, it declares, would not benefit Japan much, but it would greatly assist the development of American commerce.

The Astorian, 75 cents a month.

BOOTH AND COMPANY'S FISH TRUST UNDER FIRE

Deny Being a Restraint To Trade, Mention Standard Oil.

Columbus, O., Aug. 16.—A Booth and company of Chicago, a corporation popularly designated the "fish trust," against which a suit in restraint was recently filed by the attorney-general on the ground that it was organized in restraint of trade, has filed an amended answer in the circuit court. The answer admits that the defendant in a corporation incorporated under the laws of Illinois with a capital stock of \$3,500,000, and that it has purchased 24 fish companies. The answer denies that it is a trust in restraint of business and names several hundred fish companies still doing an independent fish business. It also names 393 corporations in Ohio, among them the Standard Oil company, which are organized in the same way and doing business without being molested. It says the company is properly incorporated under the laws of Illinois, and is entitled to all the benefits therefrom.

POLICE MAKE RAID

Swindlers Occupy a Handsome Brown Stone Front.

RESERVES CAPTURE NINE

Pretend to Be Wire Tappers—Eight Have Pictures in Rogues' Gallery—Two Escape—One Man Loses \$50,000—All Stylishly Dressed.

New York, Aug. 16.—Having been informed that a band of swindlers, posing as wire-tappers, had netted a large sum by the familiar confidence method of pretending to hold back race results going by wire to poolrooms, the police have raided a brown stone front house, handsomely furnished in West Forty-fifth street. Nine men, alleged to be members of the gang, were arrested. Eight of the prisoners already had their pictures in the rogues' gallery.

Police reserves were called out to help in the charge on the building. Eleven men were within and they made a wild dash to escape. Two succeeded, but the others were held up at the back and submitted without a struggle.

On the wall of one room was found a telephone which appeared to have been in use for some months. A telegraph instrument in the corner was merely a blind, while the walls were covered with racing charts.

All of the prisoners were stylishly dressed and the majority of them were elderly gray-haired men, who looked like prosperous brokers. They chaffed the police and declared they would be set free in short order, but were locked up for the night. Many complaints have been made by persons swindled through the wire-tapping game, one man having lost \$50,000 a few months ago.

YEARS OF STRUGGLE MEETS WITH SUCCESS

Dr. Drake Grows Old in Fight For \$20,000,000 Estate.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 16.—Announcement was made last night that Dr. Austin Drake, who for twenty years has been attempting to establish the claim of the Drake heirs to certain realty in New York, has at last been successful and that he would leave for New York today to receive \$3,000,000. This, it is reported, is about one half of the sum which he will get as a result of a compromise of the litigation.

Dr. Drake, who has grown old in the long fight over the property and has met with frequent disappointments when he was on the verge of securing a settlement, refused to say anything for publication, but the main facts in the story were confirmed by his counsel.

It is understood that the entire estate amounts in value to about 20,000,000 and this sum will be divided among a large number of heirs.

ANXIOUS TO BEGIN

Japanese Officers Believe Further Operations Necessary.

TERMS ARE NOT JUSTIFIED

No Great Military Operations Likely This Year—Operations to Be Restricted to Neighborhood of Railway—No Wide Turning Movements.

London, Aug. 16.—The Times correspondent with General Nogi's headquarters in the field sends the following dispatch, dated August 12, by way of Fusan:

"The Japanese army is anxious to commence operations. The higher officers do not believe that the military progress has been sufficient to justify the expectation that Russia will concede the terms necessarily required by Japan. If the war continues, the nature of the country and of the conditions point to the likelihood that future operations will be restricted to the neighborhood of the railway. Wide turning movements, as suggested in the European press, are not likely to be features of the campaign, nor is it possible that any great military results will ensue this year."

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Regatta Notes

One For All, and All For Astoria.

(BY THE COMMITTEE.) Since last report we have received from the Anchor saloon \$25; H. J. Langoe, for Allen & Gilbert Piano company, \$10; the Rising Sun restaurant, \$10, and A. G. Long of Portland, \$8.

The parade committee, consisting of Messrs. H. J. Wherity, Dr. B. Earle, James O'Connell and William A. Sherman, have charge of both the street parade and night marine parade, which insures the success of both affairs.

A petition is being circulated and signed by leading firms agreeing to close all places of business at 1 o'clock on Tuesday, the 29th inst., the first day of the regatta, in order that everybody may turn out in the parade and take in the sights.

There will be a free balloon ascension and parachute jump every day of the regatta, also a free exhibition of fancy rifle shooting near the grandstand by Colonel Case, the noted Indian scout.

Hon. George Noland Lewis and Hon. Tose Smith Clark are up nights studying in glow to make up and act their respective parts.

Chief Mike Consoomy of the Clatsops, Skamokawas and Cathlamets is rehearsing his redskins in the war dance. Whoop-la.

Don't forget to enclose a regatta card in every letter you mail. Secretary Johnson has lots of them and you can have them free of charge.

The mirror maze is one of the attractions on the Regatta boulevard. After you get inside the maze you can't find your way out until shown by the attendants.

Look out for the Parisian girls on the boulevard; they are said to be a great team. And don't forget the merry-go-round. Toot, toot.

Talk about snakes, you ought to see the latest one on the boulevard regatta week.

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