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CHICAGO IS SINKING.

The Board of Trade Building Settling the Precedent.

THE BLUE CLAY STRATUM BROKEN.

It is not Strong Enough to Support Such Massive Structures.

EFFECT OF DREDGING THE RIVER.

To Increase Displacement Will Cause That Much More Settling of Buildings.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—The statement that the board of trade building is sinking into the ground, and that it has already gone down eight inches, is not surprising to those who are acquainted with the nature of the soil of this city. The foundations of such structures as the board of trade building are on the blue-clay stratum which underlies the city. While this blue clay is strong enough to sustain the ordinary building, it is not sufficiently strong to support, without yielding, such massive structures as some of those which of late years have been erected here.

Engineers say that there are evidences that the weight of the building resting upon the blue-clay stratum is gradually forcing the bottom of the river upward. In many places in the river the blue clay has been dredged out repeatedly, to rise up again in a few weeks. It has been assumed by the engineers that to dredge the river to any great depth, as has been suggested at different times in connection with the drainage policy, would increase the displacement of blue clay in the river, and consequently cause the settling of the great buildings just that much more.

The Last Strike. BUFFALO, Aug. 26.—An evening paper giving an account of the final ending of the strike here says: "The last strike brought blood from the nose of the Grand Master Sweeney." He was met by a crowd of strikers yesterday demanding that he declare a strike from New York to Chicago. Words ensued, and Switchman Quinn, of the Nickel Plate yard, struck Sweeney a ferocious blow, knocking him down. The blood flowed in a stream from Sweeney's nose. Quinn got his leaders headed against a telegraph pole and punched and pounded him until pulled away. Much excitement ensued. A visit to various railroad offices elicited the information that the roads will not take back the strikers to their old places in the body. Many will not be taken back at all, and all must make their applications soon, as the new men will be considered in the same order as other applicants.

North Powder Grain.

Union Republican. Last Sunday a Republican representative visited the great wheat-growing country in the vicinity of North Powder. The crops in that section are going to be immense. It does one good to look upon the oceans of waving grain, such as is to be found there. We walked through a field of wheat on the Davis Bros' ranch, in which the grain measured from three to five feet high, and so thick that it would scarcely stand alone. This field is one and a quarter miles in length and contains about 300 acres. Last year this field produced an average of forty-seven bushels of wheat to the acre. This is only a sample of the thousands of acres of growing grain in that productive section. The acreage this year is much larger than last year and large tracts of new lands are being broken every year. When the entire section has been placed under cultivation the quantity of grain that it will produce will be astonishing.

Bad for the Third Party.

Union-Journal. The wheat crop of Washington this year will put \$25,000,000 in the pockets of Washington's farmers. It will also deprive the surplus of the hall of the assistant democracy, otherwise known as the Peoples party.

BENEFITS OF AN OPEN RIVER.

What Might be Experienced Throughout the Inland Empire. From the Spokane Review.]

The portage railroad at the cascades, built by the state of Oregon, was completed last year in time practically to open the Columbia from The Dalles to the sea before the shipment of the grain crop 1891 began. The immediate effect of this was felt throughout the entire section tributary to The Dalles, and was marked by a marked increase in the business transacted. The following figures from The Dalles Chronicle show to what extent this increase grew in a single year.

In 1890 the total shipments of grain, flour, feed and mill stuffs were 462,150 pounds. Last year it was, of wheat alone, 10,313,596 pounds, requiring 516 cars for transportation. In 1891 3,000,000 pounds of wool was shipped from The Dalles; this year it will exceed 5,000,000 pounds. Careful estimates place the prospective shipments of wheat from the Dalles this year at 90,000,000 pounds, an increase of 79,204,555 pounds over the aggregate shipments of the two previous years.

The acreage tributary to The Dalles has been greatly increased. New settlers have been encouraged to aid in developing the country, and all industries have been stimulated by the better opportunities afforded for reaching market and the cheaper transportation rates which competition has granted.

The benefits which have occurred to that section from the building of the portage road would be experienced throughout the Inland Empire were the entire river opened to navigation. The thousands of acres now under cultivation would be increased to tens of thousands, the flocks and herds would grow in proportion, and all lines of industry would feel the quickening influences afforded by an open waterway to the sea.

The resources of the great section drained by the Columbia and Snake rivers are manifold, and while the railroads is due much of the prosperity now experienced in this territory, the fastest development can not be had until both streams are loosed from their rocky fetters and water transportation affords a cheap and safe means of reaching the seaboard.

Review. Theosophy is close in line with the modern scientific theory of evolution and the Chinese doctor's unique ideas about the human form and how to keep it in health. And since several thousand otherwise intelligent people look with awe upon a trivial foot bath in a graveyard, and other thousands will buy a nostrum heralded as an Indian herb cure, in preference to a standard preparation of some physician of education and experience, it is a matter of small wonderment that theosophy has obtained a foothold in this country and is spreading. All the discoveries that have been made in nature in fifty centuries have done nothing toward opening the sealed book of future existence. The scientist of today knows no more about the bourne from which man cometh and that toward which he journeys day by day than was known by the cave dweller of prehistoric times.

Inventor Thomas Edison.

Globe Democrat. "I see that Thomas Edison is rated at \$10,000,000," says S. J. House. "I know Tom when he was a barefoot boy living at Fort Gratiot, Mich. He was always tinkering with telegraph wires. He rigged up a line from his home to mine, a block away. I could not receive very well, and sometimes I would come out, climb on the fence and hollow over to know what he said. That always angered him, he seemed to take it as a reflection upon his telegraph line."

What Will be Done.

Review. Whether the Olympic convention will fall into the ditch, or whether it will throw Hazzard in it and turn the deck upon both, or whether it will take Lewis and the canal bill edge-coated, are questions beyond the ken of any living man. In a general way, however, it is generally safe to wager that the democracy will wind up with a blunder.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

JUSTICE IN EQUADOR.

Gross Indignities Heaped Upon an American Citizen.

SUIT TO BE BROUGHT FOR DAMAGES.

The Only Explanation is That he Was Mistaken For Another Man.

TOLD TO GET OUT OF THE COUNTRY.

Remarkable Resemblance to an English Swindler Accounts For the Brutality.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—A sailor named Edward Carlin formerly employed by the Pacific Mail company, a citizen of the United States, has entered a claim with the state department against the government of Equador for \$50,000 damages. Carlin says he went to Equador in 1888. At Cuanco, an interior city, he was seized by the police authorities and thrown into the vilest sort of a dungeon, where he was brutally treated for several months. He was then forced to work in the mines for a year, and after that was returned to prison, where he was kept nine months more. He was then released and told to get out of the country. The only explanation offered for the indignities heaped upon him was that he was the wrong man. After his release Carlin discovered that he bore a remarkable resemblance to an Englishman who had swindled a number of people, and it was on this account he had been arrested. Carlin's story has been corroborated by a number of Americans and Englishmen at Cuanco and has a good case.

K. of P. Election.

Kansas City, Aug. 26.—The supreme lodge of the Knights of Pythias elected the following officers yesterday: Supreme chancellor, W. W. Blackwell, of Kentucky; supreme vice-chancellor, Walter B. Ritchie, of Ohio; supreme prelate, F. T. Blackmer, of California; supreme master of exchequer, F. J. Willey, of Delaware; supreme keeper of records and seal, L. C. White, of Tennessee; supreme master-at-arms, J. H. Lyon, of Kansas; supreme inner guard, A. C. Gardner, of New York; supreme outer guard, John H. Thompson of Washington, D. C.

THE HOME RULE BILL.

The Main Lines Given by a Prominent London Paper.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Chronicle this morning gives the following as the main lines of the home rule bill, as believed to be agreed upon between Messrs. Gladstone, McCarthy and Dillon: First—That the present land legislation shall not be disturbed for five years. Second—That the police and judiciary shall be in the hands of the Dublin parliament.

Third—That the balance of the Irish church fund shall be at the disposal of the Irish legislature. Fourth—That the English receiver general of the bill of 1886 shall be dispensed with. Fifth—That on the other hand there shall only be one customs department and the Irish parliament shall not have power to levy separate duties. Sixth—That there shall be a royal vote to be exercised on the advice of the English ministry. Seventh—That thirty Irish members shall be retained at Westminster.

The Chronicle believes that Gladstone abandoned with great reluctance the idea of a receiver general in deference to the wishes of the McCarthys.

How It Applies.

Tacoma News.—The peoples party of King county "resolved" that the Washington canal would be a benefit to the whole nation; on the same principle, we suppose that axle grease on the axle is a benefit to the whole wheel.