

WISCONSIN HAS KISSED THE WAVES

Great Battleship Launched
at San Francisco.

AFFAIR WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL

Largest War Vessel Yet Built By the
Union Iron Works—Description
of the Monster.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—At 9:22 o'clock this morning, in the presence of a vast multitude, the battle-ship Wisconsin was successfully launched at the Union iron works. The Wisconsin is the largest of the vessels built for the United States government at this shipyard.

All morning long the street cars let down their loads of people at the shipyards, and all the available boats on the bay were pressed into service by people anxious to see the baptism of the great vessel. Thousands of people saw the plunge from different points of vantage, and the platform especially set aside for the guests of the Union iron works was crowded to its full capacity.

The Wisconsin delegation of "christeners," which journeyed all the way from the Badger state to witness the event, was given the place of honor upon the platform with the representatives of the state, the city and the great iron works responsible for the safe delivery of the craft to the government.

One chock was left to restrain the monster, and this was the support that little Miss Lucile Gage, daughter of the governor-elect of the state, had been assigned to remove by means of a guillotine and the inevitable electric button. At a signal given the little miss pressed the button, and the crash of breaking timbers announced to the thousands of anxious spectators that the vessel was about to leave the ways. Slowly the iron monster moved toward the bay, and all eyes turned to watch Miss Elizabeth Stephenson break the bottle of champagne upon the bow of the vessel. Just as the mass of iron and steel touched the water the fair christener raised the ribbon-bedecked bottle and let it split on the nose of the vessel.

The steamer gathered momentum as she proceeded toward the water, and after leaving the ways floated calmly along until brought to a stop in the basin where the work of completing her will go on.

When the vessel slid down the ways the warships in the harbor fired salutes and there was a terrific din from the steam whistles.

A PECULIAR REMEDY

Something About the New Discovery for
Curing Dyspepsia.

The Rev. F. I. Bell, a highly esteemed minister residing in Weedsport, Cayuga Co., N. Y., in a recent letter writes as follows: "There has never been anything that I have taken that has relieved the dyspepsia from which I have suffered for ten years except the new remedy called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Since taking them I have had no distress at all after eating and again after long years can sleep well. Rev. F. I. Bell, Weedsport, N. Y., formerly, Idalia, Colo."

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RAILROAD TALK IN KLICKITAT

Some Mysterious Movements That Cause
Much Speculation.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., Nov. 26.—Chas. Theis, general manager of the International Transportation company, of Jennings, Mont., recently wrote a letter from Spokane to County Treasurer Chapman, making some pointed inquiries about the feasibility of opening up a route to the Columbia river by the completion of the Paul F. Mohr railway, extending it from Columbus, on the north bank of the river, to Crates point, a good landing just below The Dalles. Through the communication, the reader would be led to infer that Mr. Mohr has formed some kind of an alliance with Mr. Theis, or a new company has been formed that contemplates operating boats from Lewiston to Portland. Last week Mr. Mohr, with a stranger, was seen at Columbus carefully examining the three miles of track extending west from the old steamboat landing at Columbus. It is reported that he was careful to make a careful count of the rails while examining the roadbed. It is further reported that persons are attempting to acquire some valuable property at Columbus at a very low price. It is believed that they hold a title to a landing above that of Mr. Mohr, although to date no new deeds to property have been recorded.

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Commissioners Believe the
Treaty Will Be Signed.

MONTERO RIOS IN THE DARK

Spain Will Make a Conclusive Reply at
the Joint Session Today—Today is
the Last Day of Grace.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—The Spanish peace commission this evening does not know what will be the terms of the answer to the American tender of \$20,000,000 for a treaty cession of the Philippines. Senor Montero Rios will himself write Spain's final reply, presumably on the lines approved by the Madrid government, but as yet he has not formulated a sentence thereof.

Up to this evening the Madrid government had not instructed its commission here to reject the United States' offer. Some tentative instructions have been received from Madrid, but today Senor Montero Rios telegraphed to Madrid for a construction of them, or a clearer light thereon, and the commission is now awaiting a reply.

Spain will not ask for time beyond Monday. She will then meet the Americans and make a conclusive reply.

Speculations continue rife here as to the acceptance or refusal of the American terms, but a majority of those who are in any way able to judge believe that Spain will yield, and the American commissioners believe that a treaty will be signed.

Last Day of Grace.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Regarding the cabinet meeting held late last evening, it is said today that in an informal way an effort had been made to secure a modification of the terms of our ultimatum, and incidentally an extension of the time limit beyond next Monday. As to the character or extent of the concessions sought by the Spaniards, the officials here are very reticent, but whatever their character, the decision was reached at last night's meeting of the cabinet that they cannot be granted.

HAD BOTH HIS LEGS BROKEN

Presiding Elder of the Eugene District
Babily Injured.

EUGENE, Nov. 26.—Rev. T. B. Ford, presiding elder of the Eugene district of the M. E. church, and a trustee of Willamette university, was badly injured in a runaway accident last evening. Both legs were broken. His boys hitched up the family horse in the evening and drove out of town a short distance, when it was caught. The boys were afraid to drive home, and so unhitched the horse and led it. On arriving home Mr. Ford told them it was a bad policy to give up to the horse, and went back to the buggy and hitched up again, and got in and started home, but the horse soon became unmanageable and ran away. Mr. Ford was thrown out, suffering a compound fracture of both legs. The right leg was broken just above the ankle, and one large bone protruded through the flesh and down over the shoe. The left leg was broken about four inches below the knee, and the bones were splintered into a dozen or more pieces, and several of them protruded through the flesh. The attending surgeon says it is more than likely that the right leg will have to be amputated, but he has hopes of be-

ing able to save the other. Mr. Ford will be confined to his bed for at least three months.

Discovered by a Woman.
Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hammick, of N. C. Trial bottle free at Blakeley & Houghton Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

Drowned at Tacoma.

ASTORIA, Nov. 26.—Word reached here this morning of the drowning at Tacoma of James P. Drennon, one of the best-known steamboat men on the Columbia. During the construction of the jetty he was chief engineer of the steamer George H. Mendell. He remained on her until she was laid up some months ago. He was born in New York in 1852, and came to the Pacific coast in 1874. He had been in the steamboat business on the coast ever since, being shipwrecked twice, once on the Japan, and later on the Ventura. About ten years ago, he came to Astoria and was chief engineer on deep-sea tugs until offered the position on the Mendell.

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C. L. PHILLIPS,
County Treasurer.