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"I CHRISTEN THEE 'OHIO'"

Miss Barber Touched the Button While President McKinley Stood By and Watched the Big Ship Slide Into the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Fortunately, Mrs. McKinley's condition today permitted the president to attend the launching of the battleship Ohio from the yards of the Union Iron Works. To witness the launching of this ship, was named in honor of his native state, was the real object of the president's long trip across the continent, and was the event which has attracted to the Pacific Coast, the governors of three states, the Ohio congressional delegation, several United States senators and many other distinguished people.

Dramatic and picturesque as was the sight of 14,000 tons of steel sliding into the full breasted tide of San Francisco bay, it was not so splendid and magnificent as the great naval pageant which accompanied it nor as profoundly impressive as the greeting extended to the president by 4500 employees of the shipyard. With the threat of a great strike impending, the president's words to the workmen today have added significance to the event, and his reference to expansion and other national questions make his speech a notable one.

When the president left the sick room of his wife this morning every arrangement had been made to notify him on the instant of any change for the worse in her condition. The physicians assured him there was no indication of a set back, but at his request telegraphic connection was made at the wharf and at the ship yard, and save for the time he was on the water he was not for a minute away from the direct connection with the Scott residence.

REMARKABLE DEMONSTRATION.

The trip to Union Iron Works on the tug Slocum proved to be a triumphal journey, the like of which has not been witnessed in the country since Admiral Dewey, upon his return from the Philippines, sailed up the Hudson on the Olympia. Every craft in the harbor was decked out in gayest attire. Up near the ship yards the grim warships of the Pacific squadron were swinging at anchor. Off near Goat island lay the transport Sheridan. She had just arrived from the Philippines and she had aboard the Forty-second and Forty-sixth United States volunteer infantry, which she had brought home. The president saw her at once and requested that the course of the Slocum should be changed to allow him to pass near her. As the Slocum approached the big transport there was a scene of almost frenzied enthusiasm. The soldiers, all in their service uniforms, rushed to the side and rent the air with cheer upon cheer at the sight of the president of the United States come to welcome them home. He stood on tower deck uncovered, bowing and smiling and waving his handkerchief until the sound of shouting died away in the distance.

The president and his party moved to the stand where a representative of the 4500 employees of the Union Iron Works asked a heartfelt blessing upon the head of the president and expressed tender sympathy for his suffering wife, and presented the president as token of the esteem of the workmen, with a gold plate engraved with a suitable inscription. The president's response aroused much enthusiasm.

Then came the launching. At 12:22 1/2, two and a half minutes before the tide was at its highest, Miss Barber pressed the button. The last block fell away, at the same time Miss Barber, a young lady of seventeen years, let go of the bottle of champagne suspended at the side of the bow by red, white and blue ribbon, and as it crashed against the side she uttered the words "I christen thee 'Ohio.'"

Another Tour.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Gov. Geer, of Oregon, who has been in the city for the past week assisting in the exercises attending the visit of President McKinley returned home tonight. Gov. Geer, accompanied by his wife

called on President McKinley this afternoon. President McKinley especially requested Gov. Geer to express to the people of Oregon his regret that he was unable to visit them at this time. The president stated that at some time during his administration he expected to complete his tour as originally planned. In that event, he said, he would go direct from Washington to the north west.

The Ohio congressional delegation will leave tonight for Portland, Ore., arriving there Tuesday morning. Two days will be spent at Portland, including a trip on the Columbia river.

Strike Is at an End.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 18.—The street railway employees' strike, which was inaugurated eleven days ago on the lines of the United Traction Company in Albany, Troy, Cohoes, Rensselaer and Watervliet, is at an end, and operations on the entire system will be resumed at noon today. There have been concessions on both sides, and an agreement was reached early today at a conference at which both the corporation and the operatives were represented under which it should be possible to avoid strikes in future.

Hopes For a Speedy End.

LONDON, May 18.—The Pretoria correspondent of the Times, wiring Thursday, reports greatly improved prospects for the winter campaign.

"The numerous surrenders of the Boers is a healthy sign," he says. "I am unable as yet to see a near date for the close of hostilities, but one may be more hopeful, especially if the results of the coming activity resemble those of the past month."

Rates to Pan-American Exposition.

For the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo the O. R. & N. Co., with other lines in this territory, have asked for the following rates to Buffalo and return, which will probably be made effective: From Portland and common points \$78.25, and from Spokane and common points \$68.25. Tickets on sale Tuesday, May 21st, and every first and third Tuesday from that date until October 15th inclusive. Going limit of tickets seven days to Missouri river or St. Paul; journey to commence on date of sale. Final limit sixty days west of Missouri river or St. Paul, with stop-over privilege west of St. Paul or Missouri river in either direction within limits.

This is a preliminary notice and these rates cannot yet be guaranteed. Further notice will be given as soon as definite rates are settled. 15-10t

TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS.

The county court has instructed the county clerk to place a warrant on the tax roll of 1900 commanding me to collect the taxes for said year by making sale, if necessary, of the property therein mentioned, and to return the roll inside of sixty days.

I am sworn to do my duty, and am also under bonds for its faithful performance; therefore have no alternative but to obey the mandate of the court, and will immediately proceed to make out a list of delinquents and advertise the property for sale. ROBERT KELLY, Sheriff of Wasco Co. 10m-4wdaw

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Golden Eagle Mining Company at the office of French & Co., bankers, on Friday, May 31, 1901, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing seven directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting. By order of the president. The Dalles, May 1, 1901. J. C. HOSTETLER, Secy. and Treas. ml-1d

When your hair appears dry and to have lost its vitality it wants something to give it life and vigor. We have what the hair needs when it gets in that condition. We have the Crown of Science Hair Grower and Coconut Cream Tonic. They will cure dandruff and all scalp diseases. For sale at Frazer's barber shop. Price 50c and 75c a bottle.

Mr. W. J. Baxter of North Brook, N. C., says he suffered with piles for fifteen years. He tried many remedies with no results until he used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve and that quickly cured him. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

Wanted—A woman to do plain sewing. About three months' work on hand. Apply at this office. ml4-1wk

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THE CRISIS PASSED

Mrs. McKinley Was Able to Sit Up Yesterday—No Definite Date Fixed for the Start for the National Capital.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Mrs. McKinley's condition was so far improved this evening that she was able to sit up for a while. This welcome news was given out shortly after 5 o'clock. General Shafter called on President McKinley, and while they were talking, word came downstairs that Mrs. McKinley was sitting up. The president at once asked to be excused and hurried to the sick room.

The anxiety caused by last night's bulletin, stating that Mrs. McKinley's temperature was higher, was dispelled at 10 o'clock this morning, when Secretary Cortelyou announced that she had passed a comfortable night, and that the slight fever noted last night had subsided.

The president did not attend church, but remained at home nearly all day, only going out for a short walk just before noon.

There were many callers at the Scott residence today. There was a general feeling that the crisis had been passed, and that Mrs. McKinley would continue to gain strength. No definite date has yet been decided upon as to when the president will start for the National capital, but it is hoped that Mrs. McKinley will be able to travel within a few days.

Secretary Long left this morning for Colorado Springs to visit his daughter, who is ill.

At 9:15 p. m., Secretary Cortelyou gave out the following bulletin:

"Mrs. McKinley's physicians report that she has had a very good day, and the progress made since morning is satisfactory."

President McKinley is in receipt of cablegrams from the king and queen of England, President Loubet of France, and many other European potentates, inquiring as to Mrs. McKinley's condition.

Among the callers today on President McKinley was Calvin S. Titus, the first American soldier to mount the walls of Peking, who returned Friday on the transport Sheridan.

Danish Was Indies Not Sold.

COPENHAGEN, May 18.—It is officially announced that the Danish West Indies have not been sold. As previously set forth in these dispatches, the negotiations are progressing on matters of detail, but it is not likely that a treaty will be concluded before the rigedag and congress meet.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Some desirable city property for sale or rent. For particulars call on Gibbons & Marden. altlf

Paint your house with paints that are fully guaranteed to last. Clarke & Falk have them.

Clarke & Falk have received a carload of the celebrated James E. Patton strictly pure liquid paints.

The least in quantity and most in quality describes DeWitt's Little Risers, the famous pills for constipation, and liver complaints. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

Why pay \$1.75 per gallon for inferior paints when you can buy James E. Patton's sun proof paints for \$1.50 per gallon, guaranteed for 5 years. Clarke & Falk, agents. ml

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eating, or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Blakeley, the druggist.

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Do You Want a Horse?

I have for sale forty head of horses, weighing from 800 to 1700 pounds. If you want a horse or a team I can fit you. ml7-24 JEFF DRIPPS.

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Take any suit in the lot—and take off one-fourth the price.

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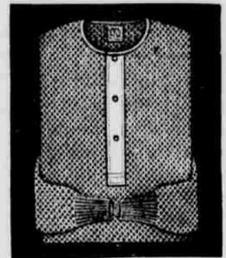
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Our stock is complete in every detail. Underwear of the most satisfactory kind in a range of prices that adjusts itself to every purse.

Cool, light-weight Balbriggans at 50c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.75 a suit—and the celebrated

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See our window display of bright, new Sun Bonnets. Sizes for both ladies and children. Values 25c and 35c;

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"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H., "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my liver in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by G. C. Blakeley, the druggist. 1

NOTICE TO DOG-OWNERS.

The city council having reduced the dog license to \$1 for a male and \$2 for a female, have ordered me to enforce the law and impound all dogs for which the license has not been paid. This, therefore, is to give notice that all unlicensed dogs found running at large will be impounded, and if not redeemed will be killed. THOS. J. DRIVER, City Marshal. ml4-20

If anything ails your hair, go and see Frazer; he's the headquarters for all hair remedies. Remember that he makes a specialty of these goods. If

You are much more liable to disease when your liver and bowels do not act properly. DeWitt's Little Early Risers remove the cause of disease. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

Clarke & Falk have on sale a full line of paint and artist's brushes.

PROPOSALS

For Portage Railway Lands at the Cascade Locks.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of portage commissioners of the State of Oregon until 2 o'clock p. m. May 24, 1901, and then publicly opened, for the purchase of a tract of land adjoining the United States Government Reserve above the upper entrance to the locks in the Columbia river, beginning at a point on the east boundary line of the United States Government Reserve, thence north, east and south, thence 98.4 feet north of the southeast corner thereof, thence north easterly paralleling the track of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company eleven hundred (1100) feet, being a strip eleven hundred (1100) feet long between the track of the railroad company and the Columbia river, as fully described in page 101 Book "F," Records of deeds for Wasco County, Oregon, authority for said sale being granted by an act of the twenty-first legislative assembly; conveyance to be a bargain and sale deed.

Bids should be addressed to the Secretary of state and endorsed "Bid for Portage Railway Land."

The Board of Portage Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

T. T. GREE, Governor. F. I. DUNBAR, Secretary of State. CHAS. S. MOORE, State Treasurer. ml-was-5w

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A new pattern in Curtains, size 2 1/2 yds, per pair 40c
A extra fine design, size 3 yards, per pair.....73c
Also a splendid pattern, size 3 yards, per pair.....75c
Better and larger at \$1.13, 1.38, 1.73, 2.40 and 3.70
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We have in full size only and of very best quality at 73c, \$1, 1.18, 1.40, 1.63, 1.89 and 2.45.

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F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. 12

Floral lotion will cure wind chapping and sunburn. Manufactured by Clarke & Falk.

Look at these Bargains.

A ranch 25 miles south of this city, 447 acres, fenced and cross fenced, and consisting of six fields; plenty of water in each field; 500 acres good tillable land, 150 in fall wheat; all farm buildings; handy to school. Price, \$5000; \$1500 cash, balance on time to suit purchaser, at 6 per cent interest.

A fine little place, consisting of 80 acres, three miles from the Wasco county court house; plenty of water, and having the finest spring in Oregon on the place. Price, \$600.

A place of 160 acres, 14 miles south of The Dalles; 40 acres in cultivation. This place will be sold for less than government price; must be sold at once. The above places are only a few of the many snaps Dad Butts has in his hands for sale. ml6-22

Ice cream and ice cream soda now on tap at A. Keller's. al3tl