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## PRESIDENT M'KINLEY ALMOST FATALLY SHOT

While Shaking Hands with a Stranger, Who Shot With the Left Hand—United States in Terror for Fear of the Result—  
The President Resting Easy—Assassin Caught.

PORTLAND, Sept. 6.—2:30 p. m.—President McKinley was shot in the stomach twice by a well-dressed stranger, with whom he was shaking hands on the Pan-American grounds at Buffalo, about 4 o'clock. The fellow shot with his left hand. Man arrested. Not identified.

PORTLAND, Sept. 6.—3:00 p. m.—One bullet lodged against the breast bone, and has been safely extracted. The President is resting easy. Wound not necessarily fatal.

PORTLAND, Sept. 6.—3:45 p. m.—No change in condition. President had just finished tour of Niagara and was holding reception at Temple of Music. One shot was in the chest and the other in groin. Assassin is captured.

## WILL DEFEND AMERICA'S CUP

Columbia, Champion of 1899, Will Represent United States in Races With Shamrock.

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 5.—The yacht Columbia, champion of 1899, has been chosen to race against Shamrock II in defense of the America's cup. This decision was reached today after a conference lasting two hours, between the members of the challenge committee. All members of the committee were present. Commodore Lewis Cass Ledyard presided. It was held that while the decision might be disappointing to the syndicate which owns the Constitution, the committee was compelled to choose the Columbia, whose races have not shown the erratic form manifested by her rival. The formal notice announcing the selection of Columbia was posted at the yacht club station shortly after 12 o'clock. It read as follows: "At a meeting of the committee on challenge of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club, held on the flagship at 11:30 a. m., the Columbia was selected to represent the New York Yacht Club."  
"J. V. S. ODDIE, Secretary."

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The announcement of the selection of Columbia was received here with expressions of approval among her yachtsmen. She has shown herself such a reliable all-round yacht that the decision of the challenge committee is held to be strictly just and impartial.

As interested yachtsmen view the situation Columbia has been tuned up to the point of perfection. Her crew is composed of enthusiastic believers in her capabilities. Their drill and discipline are beyond praise and nobody who has watched them has any doubt that they will make a gallant defense of the cup. At the same time it is pointed out that Mr. Duncan, manager of the Constitution, has had a great deal to contend with. It is the opinion of many of his friends that if Nat Herreshoff had not been confined to his room by illness he could have remedied the faults of the Constitution and brought her out a winner.

After the challenge committee's meeting today it was learned that there would be no more racing of the 90 footers at Newport. The time between now and the first international cup race at Sandy Hook September 21st, will be spent in putting Columbia in the best possible condition to defend the cup.

### Don't Let Them Suffer.

Often children are tortured with itching and burning eczema and other skin diseases but Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals the raw sores, expels inflammation, leaves the skin without a scar. Clean, fragrant, cheap, there's no salve on earth as good. Try it. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at G. C. Blakeley's drug store. 4

Sick Headache absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures constipation and indigestion, makes you eat, sleep and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Blakeley, the druggist.

A never failing cure for cuts, burns, scalds, ulcers, wounds and sores is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A most soothing and healing remedy for all skin affections. Accept only the genuine. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

Clark and Falk have just received a full line of fresh Velox papers and developers, the same as used by Mr. Lovick in his recent demonstration at our store.

We offer for a limited period the twice-a-week CHRONICLE, price \$1.50, and the Weekly Oregonian, price \$1.50, both papers for \$2 a year. Subscriptions under this offer must be paid in advance.

Dyspepsia can be cured by using Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. One little Tablet will give immediate relief or money refunded. Sold in handsome tin boxes at 25 cts. Blakeley the druggist.

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

## SCHOOL Books Free of Cost

The opening of school days are always of more or less expense to parents. It is either new clothes, or new books—or both; and where there is a large family to provide for, the cost is no trifle. Here is where we intend to benefit you.



It is needless to dwell on the fact that the boys' clothes we sell are of the satisfactory kind. If they weren't, we could not sell to the same people year in and year out. It takes honest goods to stand the strain.

Our boys' clothing this fall is the same brand we have handled heretofore—our assortment as large, and the prices just a little lower.

As a special inducement—we offer—until Sept. 12th—a **refund of ten per cent.** on any Boys' or Young Men's Suit, Overcoat or pair of Pants,—this amount redeemable in school books, for which an order will be given you on your book store.

For reference, we publish in the space opposite, a revised list of the books adopted by the board of directors for this coming term of school. Any copy listed can be had through this store of your local dealer—as a premium on purchases in our boys' clothing department. The value of the book depends, of course, on the amount of your purchases.

### Our Stock is Quite Complete.

—You may select from—

- Little Boys' Vestee Suits—3 to 8 years... \$2.00 to \$5.00
- Little Boys' Junior Suits—3 to 8 years... 2.50 to 7.50
- Little Boys' Double-breasted Reefer Suits, (3 to 8 years) ..... 2.50 to 5.00
- Boys' Double-breasted School Suits (9 to 15 years) ..... 2.00 to 10.00
- Boys' 3-piece Round Sack Suits (7 to 15) 4.00 to 8.50
- Boys' Long Pant Suits (10 to 16 years). 3.00 to 10.00
- Young Men's Sack Suits (17 to 20 years) 5.00 to 17.50

Many of our Fall Suits have already come.

## A. M. Williams & Co.

### Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for indigestion and biliousness. Doctors were scarce and they seldom heard of appendicitis, nervous prostration or heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. Get Green's prize almanac. Clarke & Falk's.

Rates to Pan-American Exposition. Round-trip rates via O. R. & N. from The Dalles, \$81.90. Tickets on sale first and third Tuesdays during June, July, August, September and October, good for continuous passage going on date of sale. Return limit thirty days from date of sale. Stop-overs will be allowed west of Missouri river or St. Paul on return trip within limit of ticket.

Arrangements can be made by applying to agent O. R. & N. Co., The Dalles, where tickets will be honored on lake steamers in one or both directions between Detroit and Buffalo.

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

## Fire! Fire!

Well, after all it is never so bad but that it might have been worse—and we are agreeably surprised—for after taking a thorough inventory we find

### We Got Off Easy

with the exception of a few lots—quoted below—slightly damaged by water.

- ONE LOT Men's cassimere and chevrot suite, ranging from \$7.50 to \$12; clearance price..... \$5.95
- ONE LOT Youth's suits, embracing worsteds, chevrots, cassimeres, etc.; clearance price..... 1-3d off
- ONE LOT Men's black and fancy worsted suits, ranging from \$12 to \$17.50; clearance price..... \$9.95
- ONE LOT of about 20 Youth's Suits, age 14 to 20; more or less damaged; close out at..... \$1.95

## All Children's Clothing at 1/3 off

This is an opportunity of a life-time—to lay in your winter supply of clothing.

**THE HUB CLOTHING CO.,**  
W. MARKILLIE, Manager.

## ANGER RESTORES HIS SPEECH

Remarkable Recovery of Deaf Mute Who Had Not Spoken Nor Heard Since He Was a Child.

ATHENA, O., Sept. 5.—Lester J. Wilson, who for some time has been a resident of this place, was the victim of a peculiar experience a day or two ago. Mr. Wilson had been deaf and dumb for forty-five years, being now forty-nine years of age. At 4 years he contracted scarlet fever, and when he recovered he had lost both hearing and speech. Since that time he has made his way in the world without speaking a word, being educated at a deaf mute school.

Mischievous boys had at times caused the unfortunate man trouble with their pranks. Tuesday night an unusually active party of boys gathered, climbed to the roof of Wilson's shack and began to tear off the shingles. This exasperated the deaf man and he went out to frighten the boys away. He was angry, very angry, and he made the effort of his life to swear loud and long. To his surprise, he opened his mouth in a desperate effort to shout, something gave way, and his voice came back as natural as could be. The boys were surprised when Wilson swore at them in dead earnest, but Wilson was surprised the most. His voice had returned after an absence of forty-five years, and with it had come hearing of a rather faint character. He does not hear well, but can make out to converse with one with difficulty. Mr. Wilson has now gone to Pendleton to surprise his friends there.

### Puget Sound Steamer Burns.

SEATTLE, Sept. 5.—The steamer Mary F. Perly met with an accident to her boilers this morning about 3 o'clock, while at Alki Point, which resulted in the complete destruction of the vessel. She went over there early last evening with a large excursion crowd aboard. Captain C. W. Call commanded her. While the excursionists were out enjoying themselves, a watchman was left in charge of the Perly. At the hour men-

tioned he discovered fire leaping out from her boilers. Immediately he began trying to put out the blaze. It grew rapidly, beyond his power to control, and he started for the captain and officers, who were over half a mile away. When they arrived the vessel was nearly consumed to the water's edge.

The watchman had, prior to going for the officers, notified several of the crew, who set to work to awaken some of the excursionists, who were in bad condition. Several narrow escapes were recorded, but finally all hands were saved.

### Thousands Sent Into Exile.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at G. C. Blakeley's drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. 4

### Horses Poisoned in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Fifteen of the horses of McNab & Smith, draymen, were poisoned some time last night. Fully one-half of the animals are dead, and the prospects are that many more will die from the effects of the poison, which, it is believed, was administered by strikers.

### Played Out.

Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the body, Sinking at the pit of the stomach, Loss of appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores are all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter how it became so it must be purified in order to obtain good health. Acker's Blood Elixir has never failed to cure Scrofulous or Syphilitic poisons or any other blood diseases. It is certainly a wonderful remedy and we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley, the druggist.

### Food Changed to Poison.

Putrefying food in the intestines produces effects like those of arsenic, but Dr. King's New Life Pills expel the poisons from clogged bowels, gently, easily but surely, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Fevers, all Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. Only 25c at G. C. Blakeley's drug store. 4