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GENERAL NEWS.

The report comes from Pittsburg that soon the price of steel billets and pig iron will be reduced. The reduction will be fully $2 a ton.

Susanville, California, suffered seriously from a fire Tuesday night. Forty business places were destroyed. So far the losses have not been reported.

Admiral E. R. Freemantle, of the British navy, gives it as his opinion that there is bound to be war between Japan and Russia and it will begin soon.

A Christian Journal has been suspended and its editors arrested in Japan for disrespect shown to the imperial house in its comments on a certain ceremony.

During twenty-four hours of this week there were eight new cases of the plague in Rio Janeiro. Since the plague began there there have been 8 cases, in which only 26 have been fatal.

At the meeting of the State Federation of Labor at Cripple Creek, Colorado, the initiative and referendum action in putting a state ticket in the field was affirmed. A full state ticket was nominated, headed by D. C. Copley, for governor.

Japan is seeking American and European cattle to introduce among native herds and improve the general stock on the islands. Four Japanese government officials, specially commissioned to select and purchase fine stock, have arrived in this country to buy cattle for the purpose.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Sprague, Washington, will spend $1000 in celebrating the Fourth of July.

The Spokane board of public works has awarded street paving contracts to the amount of $78,205.80.

Senator Simon and Representative Tongue left Washington Wednesday for Oregon by way of New York.

George H. Downs and Dr. Marquerite Garnsey were married at Baker City Tuesday night by Rev. Dr. Bell.

Frank Reed, who shot and killed his wife May 25 and then shot himself, died at the county jail in Tacoma Wednesday.

John Bales, known as "Montana Kid," is in jail at North Yakima on a charge of burglary. He stole goods from a tailor shop.

The estate of the late Platt A. Preston, of Waitsburg, near Walla Walla is appraised at $69,830.32, about half of it being real estate.

Congressman Tongue before he left for his home in Oregon secured the establishment of the rural free-delivery system at Newberg, Yamhill county.

The steamer Dispatch sailed Wednesday from Portland for Nome, with about 30 passengers, nearly 500 head of live stock and several hundred tons of merchandise and mining machinery.

The Washington & Columbia River Railway is laying several miles of siding between Walla Walla and Eureka Junction preparatory to handling the immense wheat yield of the coming harvest.

Carey Duncan Embree, a pioneer of 1844, died at Dalles, Polk county, Wednesday. He was born in Clark county, Kentucky, January 11, 1806, of English parents. He was the last survivor of a family of 15 children.

John McCormack, while drunk, attempted to go into the house of C. E. Mitchell, at Spokane, Tuesday night. He narrowly escaped being killed. As it was he received a serious wound in the arm from a pistol ball.

William Marriot, of Eugene, has received a letter from his brother, Frederic, of Staffordshire, England, stating that farmer colonists of that vicinity would like to secure a large tract of land, probably 10,000 acres, to locate on.

Last week W. R. Lawton, who worked at the Sumpter Lumber company's mill, had a cant-hook run about six inches into the calf of his leg. Wednesday his brother, W. R., who also works in the mill, had the thumb of the left hand broken.

The salmon pack on the Columbia river this season will be about 52,000 cases. There will be a heavy shortage from the pack of last season. The season in the upper river was very poor, the shortage, compared to the pack of last year, being fully 40,000 cases.

John Henderson, a brother of Mrs. H. C. Gardy, formerly of Pendleton, but now a resident of a La Grande, was married to Miss Belle McIntosh of Starbuck, Washington, a few days ago. Mr. Henderson is an engineer on the Northern Pacific. Mrs. Grady attended the wedding, passing through Pendleton Wednesday night on her return.

After a long sickness, William L. Button, a Pacific coast pioneer of 1849, and the first locomotive engineer to come to Oregon, died at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland Wednesday, aged 76 years. He had been troubled with asthma for several years, and on Tuesday he had to be taken to the hospital. He leaves one son, Frank Button.

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UNITED STATES TO KRUGER

Said That This Government is Urging Kruger to Sue for Peace.

ACT CAUSES COMMENT IN ENGLAND

The British at Work Organizing a Government for the Transvaal—President Kruger is Interviewed.

Lorenzo Marquez, June 8.—United States Consul Hollis had a two hours' interview with President Kruger at Machadordorp. It is stated that Hollis was the bearer of friendly dispatches from the United States government urging Kruger to treat for peace with Great Britain.

Dispatch Creates Comment.

London, June 8.—The Lorezno Marquez dispatch that United States Consul Hollis has been conferring with President Kruger is creating some comment here, but there is little disposition to regard his movements as at all significant.

A dispatch from Pretoria says that the only shell which took effect in the town the day prior to the occupation of Pretoria by the British hit the United States consulate.

A dispatch from Cape Town announces that the work of organizing a government for the Transvaal is proceeding.

A portion of Sir Alfred Milner's staff has gone to Pretoria to start the machinery of government, so a proclamation of the annexation of the Transvaal may be speedily expected.

President Kruger Interviewed.

London, June 8.—The executive offices of the Transvaal government are in a railway car, which is shunted on a switch at Machadorp. President Kruger caused the interior of the coach to be reconstructed some time ago with a view to contingencies that have now arrived. A correspondent of the Daily Express who went from Lorenzo Marquez to see President Kruger, was received yesterday.

The president sat smoking a long pipe. He looked worried but his bearing itself was quiet and determined. He did not make the least objection to being interviewed.

"Yes," said President Kruger, "it is quite true that the British have occupied Pretoria. This, however, does not end the war. The burghers are fully determined to fight to the last. They will never surrender so long as 500 armed men remain in the country. I feel encouraged by the fine work Steyn and Dewet are doing in the Free State."

The correspondent suggested that the war was over, inasmuch as the capital had been taken.

"The capital," explained Kruger with energy, "What is the capital? It does not consist of any particular collection of bricks and mortar. The capital of the republic, the seat of government, is here in this car. There is no magic about any special site. Our country is invaded, it is true, but it is not conquered. The government is still effective."

Referring to reasons why he left Pretoria, Kruger said:

"I was not foolish enough to be taken prisoner. I provided this means of locomotion precisely for the same reason as our burghers supply themselves with horses when they take the field.

"It is necessary that I should be able to move quickly from place to place. That is all. Bye and bye this car will take me back to Pretoria. For the present it enables me to keep away from Pretoria where I could be of no service and where I should only play into the hands of the enemy."

"They say, Mr. Kruger," remarked the correspondent, "that you have brought with you gold to the value of £2,000,000."

"It is not true," replied the president. "Whatever monetary resources I may have with me are simply those we reqire for state purposes. At the same time I am not going to tell you where our treasure is. Let Roberts find it if he can."

"They also say in London, Mr. Kruger, that you contemplate taking refuge on a Dutch man-of-war at Lorenzo Marquez."

"That again is a lie. I am not contemplating refuge anywhere. I shall not leave my country."

Correspondent—Then, sir, there is much surprise at your having left Mrs. Kruger behind.

President Kruger—But why? Mrs. Kruger is quite safe in Pretoria. She would only be put to personal inconvenience here. All communication bewteen us is stopped, of course, but she will await my return with calmness and courage. She is a brave woman. I am here awaiting further information."

Dewey at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., June 8.—There was a great crowd at the station when Admiral Dewey's train arrived this morning. The United States ship Michigan fired a salute. The progress of the Admiral to his hotel was a continuous ovation. The rest of the day has been spent in resting and visiting friends.

Hendricksen's Body Found.

Portland, Ore., June 8.—The body of Ben Hendricksen was found in the Willamette river, near Oregon City, today. Hendricksen disappeared from Maple Lane about three months ago. It is supposed that while in a fit of insanity he committed suicide.

The Territory of Hawaii.

Washington, June 8.—The secretary of state has notified Governor Dole, of Hawaii, that on and after June 14 all business of the territory of Hawaii with the government of the United States shall be conducted through the secretary of the interior.

Miss Anthony's Brother.

Fort Scott, Kas., June 8.—J. M. Anthony, brother of the late Susan B. Anthony, dropped dead here of heart disease last night.

An unknown man fell into the river at Spokane Wednesday and was carried over the falls. It was an accident. His body has not been recovered so his identity is still unknown.

THE OREGON ELECTION.

The Majorities Some Republican Candidates Have Received.

Portland, June 8.—Practically complete returns from all but three counties in the state give Wolverton, republican, for justice of the supreme court, 10,343 plurality. It is believed that the official vote will increase his plurality to 11,000. Tongue, republican, for congress in the First district, has 3119 plurality and a few precincts are yet to be heard from, which will in all probability give him 3200 plurality. Moody, republican, in the Second district, has a plurality of 8025 and one county has not yet been heard from. His plurality will probably be increased to about 9000.

Plague Situation Same.

San Francisco, Calif., June 8.—The health officer of this city reports nothing new in the plague situation here.

BOXERS AND CHINESE TROOPS.

THEY ARE ENGAGED IN BATTLE WHICH HAS WAGED FOR 24 HOURS.

If Chinese Government Was Acting in Good Faith Rabble Could Be Put Down in Short Order.

Washington, June 8.—The following cablegram was received here this morning from Admiral Kempff: "There is a battle between the Chinese and "Boxers" near Tien Tsin. A large number of "Boxers" are expected to reach Tien Tsin tomororw."

In a message to the state department today, Minister Conger says there was no improvement in the situation and asked for instructions. Secretary Hay took the message to the cabinet meeting, where no answer will be framed. The state department is steadfastly pursuing a line of policy laid down at the beginning of the "Boxer" troubles, of avoiding any interference with Chinese international affairs, beyond taking measures absolutely necessary for the protection of life and property. Especially it is determined to avoid commitment to the policies of any European powers, which might involve the United States in trouble. Therefore, notwithstanding the ominous news conveyed in Admiral Kempff's cablegram, it seems probable that Minister Conger will be directed to stick to the same line of policy which has been pursued up to this time.

The Arms of the "Boxers."

London, June 8.—Dispatches from the far east show apparently no cessation of the activity of the "Boxers," but the Powers are gradually feeling their way to common action for the suppression of the disorder. It is believed when the dowager empress realizes that it is the firm intention to check her connivance in the anti-foreign movement there will be a speedy end to the rioting, and if the Chinese acted in good faith they could easily quell the rabble which is armed chiedly with spears, agricultural implements, a few swords and some old rifles.

Instructions to Conger.

Washington, June 8.—Almost the only subject which came before the cabinet meeting today was the situation in China. Secretary Hay stated after the meeting that a reply would be sent to Consul Conger, to do whatever is necessary to protect Americans, and to maintain the dignity of this government. He will be instructed not to form any alliance with any government.

Preparing for Trouble.

Washington June 8.—The following dispatch was received from Admiral Kempff this afternoon: "On June 31 I landed forces to protect American interests, with the consent of China, landing fifty-six at Pekin and the rest of Tien Tsin. All nations sent a force to both cities. There has been no injury so far. The crops are likely to fail, causing, probably, more trouble in the near future. The situation here is most critical. The Russian force began the fighting. I consider a battalion of marines necessary. At a meeting held, officers of the English, French, German, Austrian, Italian, Japanese and American fleets arranged for combined action if it was required. There are nine hundred men ashore, and there are twenty-five warships here."

"BOXERS" AND CHINESE TROOPS.

They Have Been Engaged in Battle for Twenty-four Hours.

Tien Tsin, June 8.—It is reported from Chinese official sources that 4000 "Boxers" have had surrounded 1500 Chinese troops between Lofa and Yong Tsun since yesterday and the fighting is still going on.

The officials say that 500 "Boxers" have been killed but give no account of the Chinese casualties.

General Nieh's troops encountered a body of "Boxers" three miles from here on the Taku road and killed 21 of them.

THE WHEAT MARKETS.

Excitement in Chicago and Price Advances Two Cents.

Chicago, June 8.—Excitement was renewed in the wheat pit, the market early advancing within a shade of two cents. At the close, July, 72¾, and cash 74½ cents per bushel.

San Francisco, June 8.—Cash wheat, 95 cents per cental.

To Reduce the Tariff.

Washington, June 8.—The secretary of war has directed the military governor of the Philippine islands to appoint a board to revise the tariff schedule in vogue in the islands.

Money in a Famous Name.

It is estimated that the fame which attaches to Stratford-on-Avon because of the fact that Shakespeare was born there is worth $5,000,000 to that town. The charges for admision to the poet's house, to Anne Hatheway's cottage, to the church, to the memorial and to the grammar school net $150,000 yearly—a sum which is equivalent to an income of 3 per cent on the $5,000,000 capital. This calculation does not take into account the income to the railways from the pilgrims to the Warwickshire Mecca, and there is no estimate of the profits of the Strafford tradesmen, who do a good business in photographs, pamphlets and trinkets relating to the town and the great bard.

MINE HORROR IN OHIO

Two Hundred Miners Imprisoned, But Most of Them Rescued.

FOUR DEAD TAKEN OUT ALREADY

It is Practically Certain That Many Others Have Perished, for Afterdamp Has Gathered in Quantities.

Gloucester, Ohio, June 8.—By an explosion of gas in mine No. 2, near this city, today, four men are reported to have lost their lives.

Two hundred miners were imprisoned by the explosion but one hundred and seventy-five of these have been rescued.

The following are reported dead: Evan Joseph, John McClelland, Aaron Swanston, John Evans.

Eight others were removed unconscious from the effects of afterdamp. It is practically certain that many others are dead, for the afterdamp has gathered in large quantities.

THOUSANDS OF YEARS OLD.

The Ruins of Civilization Found in Colorado.

Denver, Colo., June 8.—That the civilization of the Cliff Dwellers may be among the oldest in the world has been shown by the researches of a party of Denver scientists headed by the Rev. Camden M. Cobern, who have just returned from a tour of five weeks among the ruins in New Mexico.

The party drove southwestward from Durango, Colo., through the mountainous desert district 200 miles to Gallup, N. Mex., and everywhere found traces of the mighty population that once inhabited the now desolate waste.

Great wide roads were traced running over the hills as straight as modern engineers could survey them. Foundations of once vast buildings were found to contain immense blocks of stone as large as any cut in this age. Of the discoveries at one of the ancient ruins excavated, Dr. Cobern says:

"The work and design was just the same as in an old city of Palestine 1400 years before Christ which I helped to dig up. Beneath this house, which was a large one of 425 rooms, we dug down twenty-seven feet, and all the way were signs of human habitation. But Prof. Cutler declared that all those layers, first of charcoal and then of gravel, had been laid in in order by water, showing a period of occupancy far greater than that shown by the similar accumulations in Egypt, which are not nearly so thick.

"Oh, I am entirely converted from the theory I held that the cliff dwellers dated back only five hundred years or so. The date may have been anything beyond fifteen hundred years back. I am prepared to recognize any revision of these statements back to five thousand years before the Christian era."

REV. CONDIT DEAD.

The Well Known Presbyterian Minister Dies in Walla Walla.

Walla Walla, June 8.—Rev. E. N. Condit, of the Presbyterian church, died suddenly at his home in this city yesterday.

The deceased has been a resident of Walla Walla for the past three and one-half years, having accepted the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church early in 1897. Although being a comparatively short time in Walla Walla, Rev. Condit came to the Pacific coast twenty-three years ago, being sent out on missionary service by the Home Mission board, an eastern organization. Since that time he has been prominent in every religious movement the west has known, and was for sixteen years president of Albany college, at Albany, Oregon, and for two years occupied a similar position in Occidental college of Los Angeles, California, besides being the chief factor in the organization of the Presbyterian church in North Yakima, La Grande, Boise and Walla Walla. He was fifty-four years of age and leaves a wife and two small boys, besides an aged father and several brothers in New Jersey.

St. Louis Strike Situation.

St. Louis, Mo., June 8.—Trains from the east today brought 250 experienced motormen and conductors. Governor Stephens will reach here this evening and will confer with the citizens and the police authorities as to the necessity of calling on the militia to help to preserve order.

Policemen Shot.

St. Louis, June 8.—Three police officials were shot last night as a result of the riots. They are Michael Gibbons, R. J. Roland and W. O. Coates. The latter's wound is serious.

While standing on the rear platform of a car John Goetling, a photographer, twenty years of age, was shot and seriously wounded last night.

Cars were run on one line of the St. Louis Transit system last night for the first time since the strike was declared almost a month ago. Every car carried a police guard and in addition the thoroughfares along the entire route were patrolled by police officers and companies of the posse comitatus.

Result Election Gilliam County.

The result of the election in Gilliam county was a decided surprise both to republicans and democrats, for Gilliam county has heretofore been in the ranks of the republican counties, the democrats in previous elections only occasionally electing a candidate. In the election two years ago a democratic sheriff was the only official of that party chosen, while in this election they got away with all the county offices, the republicans only electing the clerk, assessor and coroner. As the personnel of the candidates of the two parties were about even, it is conceded that national issues had about as much to do with bringing about this democratic landslide as did local questions.

Notice to Members.

Excelsior Council, Order of Pendo, will hold an increase meeting Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock sharp.

MAUD R. WHEELER, Council Deputy.