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Gibbon mixed, 19c. Boston Fancy mixed, 15c. Deviled peanuts, 24c.

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THE EAST OREGONIAN.

GENERAL NEWS.

Congressman Boutelle of Maine is recovering from his severe affliction of the brain. His physical condition is excellent.

Anthracite coal at Chicago is now \$8 a ton because of the strike. It is thought it will reach \$11 a ton there before the strike is over.

Governor Sayers, of Texas, estimates the number of lives lost in the recent storm in that state will reach 12,000, of whom 6000 perished in Galveston.

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Attorney-General Smith, of Nebraska brings suit to have declared void the transfer last year of the Argo Starch company, of Nebraska City, Neb., to the United States company, as being in restraint of trade, and against the anti-trust law.

The South Danvers, Mass., national bank has closed its doors by order of the board of directors. The capital of the bank is \$1,000,000; individual deposits, \$253,329; due to other national banks, \$15,449; borrowed money, \$100,276.

The first test of the primary election law, so far as is known in the West, and one of the first in the country was made Tuesday in Hennepin county, Minn. It was a great success in getting a total of 35,000 votes.

The law worked smoothly and with little confusion. Candidates were nominated for congress and all county and city offices.

Pedro Morales, the murderer or Deputy Sheriff Wilson, of Los Angeles, was captured last Sunday afternoon near the Real Del Castillo. After the murder of the deputy some six years ago, Morales made his escape into Lower California in the mountains.

Last Sunday he ventured near the settlement, and after a desperate fight with three officers, Morales was overtaken and shot to death.

The street fair at Roseburg closed Wednesday night. The attendance was very large, and the weather good.

The middle-of-the-road populists of the state of Washington have determined to place in the field a complete state ticket, two congressmen and four presidential electors.

Warren F. Harrison, foreman of the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company, was shot and killed at Brigham City Wednesday night by James Burke, a lineman. The men quarreled.

A Eugene physician has removed the entire upper jaw of a U. S. A. R. veteran. It took one and one-half hours to perform the operation. The patient has a good chance of recovery, despite his advanced age.

A number of Indians gathered near Joseph, Willamette county, and holding a pow-wow were witnesses to a murder committed Wednesday. Two of the Indians became involved in a quarrel and one stabbed the other to death.

The annual conference of the M. E. church, south, is in session in Albany. The opening exercises were held Thursday night with an address of welcome by Mrs. A. D. Barker, a response by Rev. Shangle, and the annual address by the president, Mrs. J. F. Stewart, of Ashland.

John Wesley Thornberry died at his home near Garvins, Marion county, Wednesday. Deceased was born in East Tennessee, in 1820. He joined the Fourth Alabama infantry in 1846, and served with distinction in the Mexican war. He came to Oregon in 1851, and in 1857 he settled where he died.

The Oregon M. E. Church conference is in session at Ashland with a large attendance. All the parishes of the state are represented there. Addresses of welcome were made by Rev. F. G. Strange, of the local Presbyterian church, and Professor Hitchcock, of the Ashland high school.

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STRIKE TROUBLES BEGIN

Mob Violence is Resorted to in the Shenandoah District.

MEN WHO TRY TO WORK ARE BEATEN

Strength of the Strike Increases—President Mitchell Threatened With Sickness. Chance for Arbitration.

Mahoning City, Pa., Sept. 21.—Mob violence has transformed the Shenandoah district into a scene of wild disorder. Several hundred foreigners in squads of thirty or more are scattered on the outskirts of town this morning.

They interposed and beat every man caught going to work. Chief Burgess Brown attempted to disperse one small crowd and was badly beaten by the men. A squad of strikers marched to the Kepley Run colliery and drove the breaker boys out, beat foreman Smith and threw him into the creek. The Lakeland trolley car was stopped, with miners aboard who jumped off, ran, were pursued and stoned. Officers hurried to the scene. There is a colliery working around Shenandoah. The Mahoning City district is quiet, the collieries working as usual.

The Shenandoah District. Scranton, Pa., Sept. 21.—Of ninety-seven collieries in the district only three small private concerns are being worked and these the union practically proscribed because a small number of men are employed. Eight washeries continue to work but all are crippled for help. No attempt has been made to use violence in any case where men have not come out. Both operators and men stand firm and are calmly waiting in the lower districts. Tomorrow a monster miner's parade takes place which will be reviewed by President Mitchell. Railroad switchmen hold a conference here tonight to discuss the part they are to take in the strike. Grand Master Morrissey, of the brotherhood of trainmen, has been sent for and is expected Sunday.

Mitchell, Phillips and George. Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 21.—President Mitchell, who was missing yesterday and reported very ill, arrived here this morning pale and worn, but in exceptionally good spirits. On the same train was Henry George, junior, and Rev. Father Phillips. These three men, it is believed, had a conference with Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, last night. Bearing on this report is the announcement that Robert Olyphant, president of the Delaware and Hudson railroad and President Trustees of the Delaware Lackawanna had agreed to meet Ryan, at any place and at any time that should be agreed upon today, and state their position. The railroad managers had declined to state their case to anybody save Ryan. No attempt was made this morning to start the breaker here. The shut down of it will have a strong moral effect in favor of the strikers.

The Strikers Gain. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 21.—Westfield breaker at Moccasin is still working. This morning finds the strikers have made another gain and now there are two hundred out, and it is expected they will have the colliery idle by Saturday. An attempt to resume work at the breaker in this city, at the Luzerne again failed this morning. Two factories here have shut down for the lack of fuel. Many families have appealed to the humane society for aid, and are being supplied free with both wood and coal.

The companies are guarding their collieries. Ten Thousand Quit. Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—Ten thousand men at ten of the thirty-four collieries, of the Pottsville district, quit this morning. All of the Reading employees, forty one thousand, are not expected to go out.

Only Demand Living Wages. The great army of mine workers in Pennsylvania, however, had a complete victory upon the sympathy and support of the American people.

The miners do not pretend to have a large reserve fund, but they claim to have justice on their side, and they have faith in the public sense of fair play. With their wives and children, the miners number something like 700,000.

Although the cost of living has been increased enormously by the trusts, the coal trust and its allies refuse to increase the wages of the mine workers.

The mine owners have refused to reply to the respectful appeals of their working men; they have refused to confer with them; they have even refused to submit the questions at issue to fair arbitration.

An impartial and thorough investigation of the situation shows that the trust increases in the price of necessities of life has brought a large proportion of the mine workers and their families to the verge of starvation. This fact is undeniable.

The anthracite miners, through their local committees, stated their grievances to the mine owners. No reply was made. Then they suggested a conference. They were still ignored. After the mine workers had exhausted every other means of securing a redress of their grievances they resorted to the strike.

The local organizations appealed to the Mine Workers' Union of America to authorize the strike. The national officers were anxious to avert the struggle. They endeavored by the use of every influence, public and private, within their reach, to induce the coal trust and its supporters to meet with them and compromise matters or to agree upon a system of arbitration.

Judge Bronson for Governor. Hartford, Conn., Sept. 21.—Judge Samuel J. Bronson, of New Haven, heads the democratic state ticket. He was selected today for governor by acclamation.

Bryan is Busy. Lincoln, Sept. 21.—Bryan began the tour of the first congressional district in this state today.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold. LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

THE CHINESE QUESTION.

Cabinet in Favor of Avoiding Threatening Entanglement.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The cabinet today decided on the course of the government in the Chinese matter, but the policy will not be made public till tomorrow or Monday.

It is reported the cabinet is a unit to keep United States free from threatening entanglements by leaving the field to the powers that are resolved upon territorial acquisition.

Germans Make War. Berlin, Sept. 21.—A Taku dispatch today says the Pekin forts last night opened fire on the Russian camp, wounding twenty-five. The German battery is shelling the fort and town since morning.

A Chinaman's Opinion. London, Sept. 21.—Lo Feng Lu, the Chinese minister here, said the report of bombardment of Peking forts is incomprehensible. "If the news is true I believe that China should formally declare war on the powers." He added, if the ringleaders of the troubles in China were executed the dynasty would surely fall.

A Successful Expedition. Washington, Sept. 21.—General Chaffee cables from Pekin, under date of the 19th, via Taku: "Rockhill-Wilson expedition has been successful. The object sought is successfully accomplished with no casualties. Forsythe's squadron, which started to the northeast forty miles, to rescue the native Christians, has returned, bringing fourteen. The surrounding country is daily growing less hostile so far as the expedition can determine."

Russians Were to Blame. London, Sept. 21.—"Authentic accounts have been received here," says the Moscow correspondent of the Standard, "of a horrible massacre at Blavostichenski, which was undoubtedly carried out under the direct orders from the Russia authorities and which then let loose the tide of slaughter through Amur."

The entire Chinese population of 3000 souls was escorted out of town to a spot five miles up the Amur and then being led in batches of a few hundred to the river bank are ordered to cross over to the Chinese side.

No boats were provided and the river is a mile wide. The Chinese were flung alive into the stream and were stabbed or shot at the least resistance while the Russian volunteers who lined the bank, clubbed or shot any who attempted to land. Not one escaped alive. The river bank for miles was strewn with corpses."

Anti-Foreign Rioting. Hong Kong, Sept. 21.—Anti-foreign rioting occurred Wednesday in Shantak district, near Canton. Three missions were destroyed. The native Christians escaped to Canton on the French gun boat Avalanche. A regular force of Chinese soldiers are proceeding to Shantak.

Dewey Didn't Do It. Vancouver, Sept. 21.—In an interview with Lieut. R. P. Hobson in a local paper here, Hobson is quoted as saying that Admiral Dewey did not sink the Spanish ships at Manila but that the Spaniards opened the valves and scuttled their ships themselves. He bases his conclusions upon the fact that he saw the hulls of the Spanish fleet when the ships had been taken to Hong Kong for repairs and he says the hulls were uninjured below the water line.

Search for the Bodies. Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 21.—A party is scouring the mountains in vicinity of Clifton to locate the remains of two unknown men, who were murdered by Mexican bandits who are responsible for the series of startling tragedies in that locality recently.

Steyn Appoints His Successor. Windberg, Orange Colony, Sept. 21.—President Steyn, of the Free State, has appointed Judge Hertog acting president. This is supposed to indicate that Steyn will join President Kruger and accompany him to Europe.

Train Reaches Galveston. Galveston, Sept. 21.—The first train since the storm arrived here this morning over the Santa Fe bridge. Three refugee trains, which were crowded, left the city today.

Russian Admiral Interviewed Him. Shanghai, Sept. 21.—Li Hong Chang had a protracted interview with the Russian Admiral Alexieff at Taku, and is now proceeding to Tien Tsin.

Cleaning the Streets. Galveston, Sept. 21.—Martial law ceased at noon. Two thousand men are now cleaning the streets and more are being pressed into service.

EMMA ABBOTT'S FATHER. He is Declared to Be Insane by a Jury in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—A jury in the county court today adjudged Seth Abbott, the father of the late Emma Abbott, insane and ordered him committed to the sanitarium at Milwaukee, and a conservator was appointed for the estate. Abbott has been investing the income of his daughter's estate in Southern California real estate and titles to the property cannot be located.

Roosevelt in Utah. Salt Lake, Sept. 21.—Roosevelt refused to ride at the head of the parade of seven hundred Rough Riders given in his honor here today. The reception to him however was most cordial. He speaks this afternoon at Slater's and this evening at the opera house in this city.

Oh, Such Delicious Chocolates. Koeppens' Bed Bug Destroyer. Babies cry for Koeppens' Chocolate. Pharmaceutical Preparations. Koeppens' Pharmacy. 115 COURT STREET.

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