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GENERAL NEWS.

Nikola Tesla will test his system of trans-Atlantic wireless telegraphy along the 40th parallel from the coast of New Jersey to the coast of Portugal.

In the legislature at Utah the senate passed the anti-compulsion vaccination bill over the governor's veto. Similar action was taken on the bill by the house some days ago.

The eighteenth annual reunion of the Tom Green Brigade Association occurred at Hillsboro, Texas, Thursday. Many of the survivors of this notable body of brave men are in attendance.

According to the New York Mail and Express a copy of the charter of the new steel company, with its capital placed at $800,000,000, was taken to the office of the county clerk in Jersey City Thursday.

The new list of officers of the American Steel and Wire company announced shows that John W. Gates is still at the head of the board of directors, as well as leading member of the executive committee.

Patrick Hussey of Omaha was arrested on a warrant sworn out by John M. Raum, an Omaha detective, on a charge of being concerned in the kidnaping of young Cudahy. John F. Lane, alias Tory, was arrested also on the same charge.

It has been decided to open the gates of the Pan-American exposition Sundays. According to the story the management of the exposition will not discuss the subject in any way, but the gates will be open the first Sunday after the opening of the exposition.

The arrangement whereby farming implements may be imported into Turkey free of duty has been renewed for another decade. The Turkish minister at Madrid, Izzet Pasha, has again tendered his resignation to the Porte, owing to the non-payment of his salary.

Eight suits have been instituted in the United States district court against the Union Iron Works by Edward Rosenburg, secretary of the labor council of San Francisco, asking the sum of $1000 in each case, and alleging that the Union Iron Works had brought eight coppersmiths to this country under contract, paying the expenses of such laborers from their homes to San Francisco, thus violating the federal statute.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Jeff Miller, a Portland blacksmith, at Salem fell over the balustrade of the first floor stairway at the capitol, a distance of 12 feet, suffering a severe bruise on the head.

Mrs. Frank Drake, aged 70, an old resident of Eagle Creek, Clackamas county, died from the effects of erysipelas Wednesday night. A husband and six children survive her.

Clyde Vaughan, who struck Lulu Jones, a young girl, over the head with an ax at Jefferson last fall, has pleaded guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon and will be sentenced Monday. The original charge was assault with intent to kill.

J. Grace and H. Barrett, formerly United States soldiers, were held to the grand jury by Commissioner Kiefer at Seattle, on the charge of stealing $500 in cash and checks from Frank Sprang, another soldier, on the transport Athenian while the vessel was in the orient.

Elmer, the 8-year-old son of A. Sandquist, night watch at the Bay City mill, was crushed to death at Marshfield, Coos county, under a pile of lumber. The lad was playing near a pile of lumber and it toppled over on him. He was soon rescued, but died in a short time.

Charles Jaynes, who carries the Tacoma Ledger from Tacoma to Olympia on a railroad speeder, was killed in collision with a train running a piledriver, one mile west of Sherlock early Thursday morning. Jaynes was going down a long hill and was unable to stop the machine.

After being out four hours Thursday afternoon at Silverton, Marion county, the jury in the Benjamin Wise arson case brought in a verdict of acquittal. This verdict was a complete surprise to all, for it was the almost unanimous belief that the jury would return a verdict of guilty within a few moments.

SINKING OF RIO OFF SAN FRANCISCO HARBOR.

Of the Passengers and Crew 128 Were Drowned.

CONSUL WILDMAN AND FAMILY LOST

Many of the Bodies Cannot Be Recovered, as They Were Carried Out to Sea by the Tide—The Captain at Fault.

San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 23.—It is practically certain that 128 persons perished in the wreck of the steamer Rio Janeiro off San Francisco harbor yesterday. The bodies of eleven of the victims lie in the morgue, as follows: Mrs. S. B. Wakefield, Oakland; Mrs. Alfred Hart Minita; formerly Los Angeles; Chas. Dodall of Shanghai; Edward Barwick, the ship's butcher; Angelo Gussino, Spreckelsville, Hawaii; Mrs. Julia Dohran, the ships stewardess, and one Japanese and four Chinese.

A heavy rain fell throughout the night and a dense fog today retards the search for bodies and the probability is not many will be found, the strong tide carrying them out to sea.

The most prominent passengers lost were Rounsvelle Wildman, United States consul at Hong Kong, his wife, a niece of Senator Stewart of Nevada, and two children.

An investigation to determine the responsibility and to whom the blame belongs is to be made Monday next. The Pacific Mail manager states that Captain William Ward is responsible, as he disobeyed the company's orders in attempting to enter the harbor in a fog and that the pilot was only a guide to assist the captain. The Rio makes the twenty-ninth vessel the Pacific Mail company has lost.

Nineteen cabin passengers, five second-class passengers, forty-three in the Asiatic steerage and nineteen of the ship's officers, including the captain and purser, and thirty-six of the Asiatic crew are known to be drowned.

As stated yesterday, the boat containing Consul Wildman, his wife and children was smashed and sank and the Wildmans were drowned before assistance could reach them.

The Purser Only Knew

John Rooney, purser of the Rio, and among the lost, is the only person who was in possession of a list of those on board of the ship. Until his body is found, as the papers are thought to be in his pockets, it will be impossible to fully determine the total loss of life, at least, until the agents of the company in the Orient and in Honolulu can be communicated with.

The Pilot in the Hospital.

The stories told by survivors conflict in many details. Pilot Jordan who is in a hospital, being badly injured, is the only person living qualified to tell exactly how the catastrophe happened, and who is responsible in part for it. Captain Ward is dead, and between him and the pilot the ship was steered to her fate.

The Boilers Blew Up

Several of the rescued passengers are confident that the boilers blew up soon after the ship struck, which was the cause of her sinking in fifteen or twenty minutes thereafter.

KILLED IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Report From General MacArthur and News From Washington.

Washington, Feb. 23.—General MacArthur reports the following list of killed since January 26: Charles Leonard, Sixth infantry; Corporal William Kelly, Fortieth infantry; John T. Sidney, Thirty-ninth infantry; Edwin Litch, Nineteenth infantry; and six others.

Nearly all the foreign powers have signified to the state department their disapproval of Waldersee's expedition on the ground that it is unnecessary and injudicious.

A message from Minister Conger was received this morning, but it was purely personal.

As a result of a conference between Senators Platt, of Connecticut, Spooner and President McKinley the senate committee on the relations with Cuba, of which Platt is chairman, will make a determined effort to take steps to obviate the necessity of calling a special session of congress. The president told the senators the way to avoid such a session would be to authorize him to approve the Cuban constitution provided it contained the provisions generally demanded by the administration, such as coaling stations, foreign relations and the debt making power. Then if the constitution was silent on these points he could return it to the Cubans. The committee begins the work immediately to formulate a resolution to meet the demands.

THE GREAT STEEL TRUST.

Papers of Incorporation Are Filed With County Clerk at Jersey City.

Jersey City, Feb. 23.—The Universal Steel company recorded its papers of incorporation in the office of the county clerk here this morning. The capital is placed at $300,000,000. No prominent names are on the papers. The syndicate underwriting the new corporation, it is stated, in the papers will receive $25,000,000 of the common stock and $25,000,000 in preferred stock in part compensation. It is reported that J. P. Morgan will get a similar allotment, which he turns over to the syndicate in return for one quarter of the syndicate's profits. The papers state the new company will engage in the manufacture and sale of all kinds of steel in all parts of the world. The right is reserved to increase the amount of the capital at any time. The new corporation is the great steel trust which will incorporate all the big steel companies in the country and which has been referred to as the "billion dollar steel trust."

Morgan Knows Nothing.

New York, Feb. 23.—J. P. Morgan and some of his associates in the steel deal, this afternoon denied any knowledge of the Universal Steel company. Morgan said he would have a statement for the public next week.

HAWAIIAN ISLAND NEWS.

The Dispute Between Territorial and Federal Officials Settled.

Honolulu, Feb. 16, via San Francisco, Feb. 23.—The long standing dispute between the territorial and federal officials as to which owned the government buildings has been terminated by Gov. Dole turning over to the United States the custom house absolutely and seting aside for federal purposes the court rooms in the judiciary building, the same to revert to the territory when no longer used.

Peter Genet, who recently died at Wailuku, Maui, at the age of 103 was a son of "Citizen" Edmund Charles Genet, the first minister from the new republic of France to the United States during the stormy times of the French revolution. On the failure of his scheme to induce the United States to plunge into a war in the aid of France, Citizen Genet was recalled but wisely decided to remain in America and save his head. He married a daughter of New York's governor, Clinton, and Peter was one of the children. At the age of nine Peter ran away from his historic home on the Hudson, and was not heard of until an aged man sixty years later. He came to the Hawaiian islands early in the fifties, having roamed around the work for many years, dwelling for some time with the Maoris in New Zealand. His brother, Henry Genet, was one of the famous Tweed ring in New York city, whose reputed share in the sale of public funds was four millions, of which one million was recovered. Henry Genet was sentenced to ten years at Sing Sing, but was pardoned before the expiration of the term. It was through the Nast caricatures that the resemblance of Peter to his brother was first noticed, and the persecution awoke a family feeling that prompted Peter to make known his existence to his family that had long mourned him as dead. In 1882 Peter returned to the home of his boyhood, intending to remain, but life in New York was not to his liking and he returned to Hawaii. Although at one time one of the most prominent characters in Maui, he was comparatively unknown to the new generation that had grown up about him. At the time of his death he was planning to revisit his relatives on the Hudson.

A ruling by the secretary of the treasury has been received holding that the provision of the organic act prohibiting Chinese laborers from entering the United States must be construed as meaning Chinese laborers who are not citizens, and that a Chinese person born in Hawaii or naturalized here, who was a citizen of the republic of Hawaii, has not lost his rights as such and is a citizen of the United States as well as of the territory. Chinese are competent to serve as jurors, and perform all other duties as American citizens. A striking anomayl is presented in the fact that thousands of Chinese born in California have not the right of citizenship, while at least hundreds born in Hawaii when it was a foreign county, possess the rights in full.

Accident to a Barge Party.

North Adams, Mass., Feb. 23.—Arthur Kearn killed and ten others of a "barge" party were seriously injured this morning by the overturning of a vehicle on a highway. The wagon slurred over a twenty-foot embankment.

Reported Dewet Captured.

Paris, Feb. 23.—It is again rumored here that General Dewet has been captured. The report has caused a rapid advance in stocks.

ROBERTS GOES OVER TO CORBETT FOR SENATOR.

The General Appropriation Bill Stolen in Transmission.

COUNTY TREASURERS' BILL PASSES

Legislature Adjourned Until 8 o'Clock This Evening and Final Adjournment Will Occur at Midnight Tonight.

Salem, Feb. 23.—Ex-Senator Corbett gained a vote today, Roberts voting for him in place of Williams or Hermann as heretofore. The vote of the joint ballot at noon today was as follows:

Corbett, 35.
Williams, 12.
Bennett, 25.
Hermann, 9.
Kelly, 2
Inman, 2.
Scattering and absent, 5.

After taking the ballot the legislature adjourned until 8 o'clock tonight, after which hour it is probable several ballots for United States senator will be taken prior to final adjournment at midnight.

General Appropriation Bill Stolen.

Speaker Reeder created a sensation this morning in the house when he announced that the general appropriation bill was lost in transmission to the senate and was supposed to have been stolen by some one unknown with the view, it is supposed, of preventing some heavy appropriations which it carried. If the bill is not found many of the state institutions will be without funds.

The house this morning passed the county treasurer's salary bill with its several amendments. William's county peddler's license bill was defeated.

LAST WEEK OF CONGRESS.

The Body Will Be Kept Busy If It Acts on Important Measurers.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Next Monday marks the beginning of the last week of the fifty-sixth congress. In the house the week will be devoted almost exclusively to consideration of the conference reports of the senate. The naval sundry civil, deficiency and claims bill will receive attention, besides the oleomargarine, the river and harbor, St. Louis exposition and other important bills will be acted on.

Pettigrew is Sarcastic.

Washington, Feb. 23.—In the senate Pettigrew offered an amendment to the Spooner amendment to the army appropriation bill, in reference to the government of the Philippines. It provides that the title of the president of the United States shall hereafter be: "The president of the socalled American republic and empire of islands of the seas."

Indecency of Office Seekers.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Scarcely before the death of Consul Wildman was confirmed there were seven applications filed at the state department for the consulate at Hong Kong, which Wildman held. Wildman lost his life by the sinking of the ship Rio Janeiro off San Francisco harbor.

President Diaz Ill.

City of Mexico, Feb. 23.—The latest report from Guernava, Mexico, says President Diaz is confined to his room in the governor's palace and has been forbidden to see any one.

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Legal cap, fools cap paper, tissue and crepe paper, chinese napkins 10c a hundred. Blank books, notes, photo pastes, card board, fancy goods, combs and brushes.
We have a large line of bibles, testaments, prayer books and key to heaven books 10c to $4.30.

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No. 1 covered chambers 69c, lamp chimneys 9c, complete lamps 39c up, lanterns, best quality, 63c, etc.

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