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Eastern Oregon Weather

Tonight and Wednesday, partly cloudy with showers; cooler Wednesday.

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Railroad from Coos Bay to Salt Lake City—Officers Elected in Portland.

SAW MILL STRIKE CONTINUES INVOLVING ALL MILLS.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition Fund Has Reached \$350,000—Republican City Campaign Opens, Speech by Hon. George H. Williams.

Portland, May 6.—The Great Central Railroad Company, projecting a line from Salt Lake to Coos Bay, elected the following officers in this city today: J. Thornburn Ross, president; A. A. Linsley, first vice-president; John W. Cook, second vice-president; John K. Pollock, secretary; T. T. Burkhardt, treasurer.

Saw Mill Strike Continues.

The saw mill strike continues. Boats chartered to carry the non-union men up the river to the boycotted mills, were withdrawn when the nature of the business was discovered.

Lewis and Clark Funds.

Funds raised for the Lewis and Clark exposition amount to \$350,000 up to this time.

Censures Portland Oregonian.

A sensation was caused at the opening of the session of the state federation of labor in this city this morning, the body adopting a resolution condemning the Portland Oregonian for publishing the vile caricatures and misquoting the speeches of the labor leaders this morning. The federation demands the publication of a half-tone cut of the leaders and a correct statement of the speeches made.

Chairman Gurr appointed the committees and the convention has now settled down to business.

A FAKIR ...ISSING.

Left Portland and His Victims for Pastures New

Portland, May 6.—Charles E. Ioherty, who uses the name of Comte De St. Charles, a fake psychic palm reader, is missing from this city. His victims claim he swindled them and advertised extensively and used a trick to deceive. He was an advertising solicitor before taking up the fake business. He is said to have gone to Baker City, Pendleton and Boise.

PORTLAND CITY CAMPAIGN.

Opened Last Night, Candidate Williams Attacking Fusion.

Portland, May 6.—The republican city campaign was opened last night. Hon. George H. Williams, republican candidate for mayor of this city, made a bitter attack upon the fusion movement in this city and the leaders of it.

Texas Sunday Schools.

Austin, Texas, May 6.—The state Sunday school association began here today what promises to be the most notable convention it ever has held. The association is interdenominational and delegates representing many churches are here from all parts of the state. The program provides for educational addresses, round table conferences, Bible studies and papers by many Sunday school workers of prominence.

Square Bale Ginners' Meeting.

Houston, Texas, May 6.—Members of the Square Ginners' association of Texas assembled in convention here today and were called to order by President B. F. Johnson of Beeville. The convention expects to remain in session several days, during which time several important measures will be considered.

Queen Will Recover.

Hot Loo, May 6.—The queen's condition is somewhat improved this evening. The crisis is apparently over.

Milford, Conn., Burned.

New Milford, Conn., May 6.—A fire last night destroyed the entire business section of this city. The loss is \$400,000.

BRET HARTE, AUTHOR, DEAD

DIED IN LONDON RATHER SUDDENLY, THROAT TROUBLE

Sickness Was Not Considered Serious Until Just Before the End Came.

London, May 6.—Bret Harte, the well-known American author, poet and humorist, died here last night, at the Red House, Camberly. His illness was an affection of the throat, and it was not thought to be serious until last night, when he suffered a hemorrhage and death followed soon after.

Francis Bret Harte.

Bret Harte, author, born in Albany, N. Y., August 25, 1839. He went to California with his mother in 1854. He taught school in California. He became a compositor in a printing office and there his fame commenced. His writings were widely circulated and copied, being universally admired. In 1870 he wrote the "Heathen Chinee" series, which were very popular. In 1878 he was appointed United States consul to Crefeld, Germany. After serving, he took up his residence in England, living from the work of his pen.

CROWN PRINCE TWENTY YEARS OLD.

The Event Celebrated at Potsdam: The Prince Is Soon to Marry.

Berlin, May 6.—There was a gala time at Potsdam today in celebration of the twentieth birthday of the Crown Prince of Germany, Frederick William. Congratulations were received at the palace from all parts of the empire and from the various courts of Europe. Gossip says that an announcement may be expected soon of the engagement of the Crown Prince to Princess Alice of Albany. The report probably owes its origin to the recent visit paid by Princess Alice to Potsdam. It would cause no surprise, however, if the report proved true for Frederick William's fondness for the young English princess has been a subject of remark ever since he paid his visit to England two years ago.

The two are about the same age, Princess Alice having celebrated her nineteenth birthday last month. She is the daughter of the Duchess of Albany, widow of the Duke of Albany, son of the late Queen Victoria. He died March 28, 1884. The Duchess is a daughter of the late Prince George of Waldeck. Princess Alice has the reputation of being a most sympathetic and sweet-natured girl and is a great favorite with her aunt, Queen Emma, of Holland.

CHARGES AGAINST SOLDIERS.

They Did Many Things Which They Should Not Have Done.

Washington, May 6.—Specific charges made against the officers and men of the army in Tayabas province, Philippines, by Civil Governor Gardiner, were submitted to the senate Philippines committee today. They accuse soldiers of failing to keep up the scouting and patrolling system, of burning villages, torturing the natives by the "water cure" and otherwise, looting the stores, striking the natives for refusing to take off their hats to officers, and violating native women, etc.

Clay Target Tourney.

New York, May 6.—Interstate Park, at Queen's, L. I., was the Mecca today for scores of prominent marksmen from various parts of the country. The occasion was the opening of the third annual Grand American Handicap Target Tournament, the largest event of its kind in the world, and which ranks in importance with its fellow event the Grand American Handicap at live birds. Some excellent scores were made in the opening events today.

Should Demand an Apology.

London, May 6.—According to letters received here from Rome, the United States should demand an apology from the government of Italy for the arrest of American officers in Venice, instead of thanking the king of Italy for clemency in pardoning the Americans.

Laborers Burned to Death.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 6.—Five Austrian laborers were burned to death in the Pennsylvania Steel Works last night, by the overturning of a ladle of molten metal. Three others were probably fatally burned.

Sampson is Dead.

Washington, May 6.—Admiral Sampson died at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

CORRIGAN IS DEAD

Death Was Unexpected, It Being Supposed He Was Out of Danger.

FUNERAL OF THE PRELATE TO OCCUR ON FRIDAY.

Archbishop Ryan to Deliver Funeral Oration—Cardinal Gibbons Will Conduct Services in St. Patrick's Church—Burial of Remains in Vault of Cathedral.

New York, May 6.—Archbishop Michael Augustine Corrigan died at 11:05 o'clock last night, aged 62 years. The death of the archbishop came as a great surprise and shock to those in the arch-episcopal residence. It was more so to the general public for the last bulletin of the day was to the effect that so certain were the physicians of the improvement of their patient that there would be no more bulletins last night. Up to 10:30 o'clock there was no evidence of collapse. About 11 o'clock, however, nurses at the bedside noticed a change and the physicians were telephoned for. At the same time the archbishop's two brothers were summoned to the room as well as a number of priests. In less than a quarter of an hour the prelate was dead.

His Funeral Occurs Friday.

The funeral of Archbishop Corrigan will occur Friday morning from St. Patrick's church, Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by archbishops, bishops and clergy, and other officials at solemn requiem and high mass. Archbishop Ryan, it is expected, will deliver the funeral oration. The archbishop's remains will be interred in the vault under the altar of the cathedral. Mass was said for the dead this morning. The remains were afterwards embalmed and will be removed to the cathedral tonight.

A Brief Biography.

Michael Augustine Corrigan, R. C. prelate, was born in Newark, N. J., August 13, 1839. He was educated in St. Mary's College, in Wilmington, Del., graduated in 1859 from Mount St. Mary's, Emmetsburg, Md. Ordained a priest at Rome, September 19, 1863. Made president Seton Hall College, Orange, N. J., in 1868. Pope Plus IX appointed Dr. Corrigan to the see of Newark in 1870. He founded many institutions and was the author of much charitable work. He was summoned to Rome in 1884 to advise with the pope as to the work of the proposed plenary council. In 1886 he received the pallium, next the youngest bishop in the American episcopate. On October 10, 1885, Cardinal McClosky died and Archbishop Corrigan became metropolitan of the diocese of New York, the chief spiritual ruler of one of the most important dioceses in the world, and he died at the post.

ROOSEVELT DID NOT DO IT.

Report That the President Refused Permission to Honor Dewey and Miles.

Washington, May 6.—It is authoritatively denied at the White House today that President Roosevelt refused permission to the French government to bestow the cross of the Legion of Honor upon Admiral Dewey and General Miles, upon the occasion of the unveiling of the Rochambeau statue in this city. The president, it is stated, has no prerogative in the matter, the authority resting solely with congress.

No Blacks Need Apply.

Los Angeles, May 6.—Further legislation was passed at today's session permanently excluding the colored clubs from the federation of women's clubs. Massachusetts delegates made no protest against the action. Near the close of the session, the California delegation asked Mrs. Decker, of Colorado, to take the chair. She accepted amid great applause. She is a candidate for president of the federation.

Beldier Named for Second Term.

Cleveland, O., May 6.—Congressman Jacob A. Beldier of the Twentieth district was nominated for a second term today by the republicans at congressional convention.

ROOSEVELT IS SLOW

Does Not Move Very Fast in Stopping Shipment of British Supplies.

GEN. PEARSON, A BOER OFFICER, TALKS PLAINLY.

Threatens to Take Matters in His Own Hands if Authorities Do Not Stop British Shipments From United States Ports to South Africa.

Washington, May 6.—General Pearson, a Boer officer, who is endeavoring to persuade the Roosevelt administration to take some action to prevent further shipments of mules from this country to South Africa, is in Washington and is very impatient at the delay. He said today: "If the president will not interfere I want to know it immediately. If he does not stop shipment of supplies for the British, I will. Colonel Crowder made an official report to President Roosevelt, which is known to have confirmed my original charges."

What the president will do personally is not stated today.

Peace in South Africa.

London, May 6.—It is understood in political circles that prospects of peace in South Africa continue to be bright. This understanding is given strength by the rumor current today that reassuring news regarding the peace situation was received at the war office from Lord Kitchener.

Boer Losses for Week.

London, May 6.—A Pretoria official dispatch states that during the past week the Boers have lost 10 killed and 122 taken prisoners, while 14 surrendered. Colonel Cooper has driven the Boers from a position at Stinkop. General Hamilton captured 87 Boers near Hilbera.

Demonstration for King.

Warsaw, May 6.—A demonstration in favor of re-establishment of the king of Poland occurred here today. The crowd became so noisy that the Cossacks charged, killing six persons and injuring 225.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON IS DYING

HIS PHYSICIAN INFORMS HIM THERE IS NO HOPE.

He is Suffering From Cerebral Hemorrhages—Family Gathered at Bed side Awaiting End.

Washington, May 6.—Rear Admiral Sampson is dying. His physician informed the distinguished patient there is no hope for him. The admiral is surrounded by his family. The admiral's physician at 3:30 o'clock said Sampson has only a few hours to live. He is unconscious now and suffering from cerebral hemorrhages.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

New York, May 6.—The wheat market was firmer today on better cables and the good demand for cash wheat everywhere. Minneapolis is paying Chicago prices, whereas they are generally 3 to 5 cents under. It looks as though there would be a good demand for all of our old wheat and the promise of the coming crop is not at all favorable. There were heavy rains again yesterday in the Northwest, which will delay seeding still more there. Liverpool was 1/2 higher, 6-1/4. New York opened 80 3/4 and closed 81 1/4. Chicago opened 75 1/4 and closed 75 3/4. Stocks are higher.

Closed yesterday, 80%. Opened today, 80 3/4%. Range today, 80 3/4@81 1/4. Closed today, 81%. Sugar, 129 1/4. Steel, 41%. Union Pacific, 104. St. Paul, 171 1/4.

Wheat in Chicago.

Chicago, May 6.—Wheat—73 3/4@74 1/2 c per bushel.

Wheat in San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 6.—Wheat—\$1.11@1.11 1/2 per cental.

Funeral of Amos Cummings.

New York, May 6.—The last sad rites over the body of Amos J. Cummings were held this morning and attended by congressional delegations and committees from the societies of which he was a member.

Death List Will Reach 20.

Guthrie, O. T., May 6.—Reports from Foss, regarding the waterpout which virtually wiped that place out of existence yesterday, are meagre. It is stated that the death list will reach 20. About 40 houses were wrecked.

BEEF INQUIRY

Proceedings Against Packers and Alleged Trust Start in at Jefferson City, Missouri.

EMPLOYEE OF SWIFT GIVES DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

Testified That Prices Were Fixed a Week in Advance by Packers, and Tells How Stocks of Bad Meats Were Disposed of to Save Loss to Those Holding It.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 6.—At the beef inquiry today one attorney was present to represent all of the packers, when the proceedings began. One of the first witnesses was J. F. Sulzter, a cooler man in Swift's St. Joseph plant. He gave damaging testimony against the packers. He testified that when he was a retail butcher he received rebates from Swift; that prices of meats were fixed by the packing houses at a meeting held a week in advance; that when any of the packers held deteriorated meat, a meeting of the managers was held and a concession made to allow the one holding the meat to get rid of it at any price he could get.

Beef Trust Investigation.

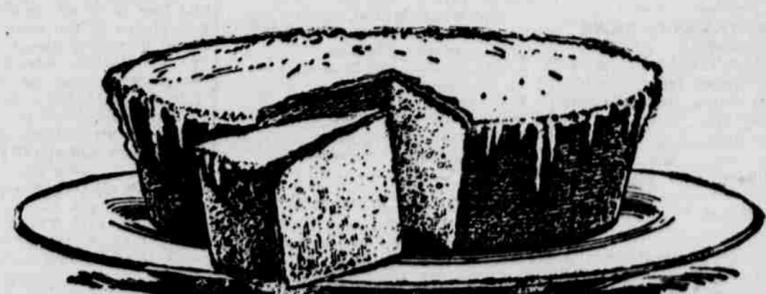
Attorney-General Crowe began an investigation of the alleged beef trust before the state supreme court today. The investigation is to ascertain whether there is any ground for the charges that the beef trust exists in this state.

In Graff's District.

Peoria, Ill., May 6.—The republican congressional convention of the new Sixteenth district, is in session here today with an attendance of 124 delegates and many visitors. All indications point to the renomination of Congressman Joseph V. Graff of this city.

Van Voorhis Renominated.

Zanesville, O., May 6.—Congressman H. C. Voorhis was nominated for his sixth term by acclamation today at the republican congressional convention of the fifteenth district.



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