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NATIONAL YACHT RACES

and the Reliance First of the Series

AS LOST MILLIONS.

Understand the Progress and Finish of the Race to Take Great Interest

19.—A good eastward morning, and the reports a smart wind from moving from the Everything indicates the races will be en-

tomorrow is 15 miles toeward and return. nning to arrive, and interest ever shown

morning are lying Hook bay. There is aboard.

on Reliance. yacht race began g. Odds are post- & Company, on morning announced amount on the one Some wagers money that Sham- no race. Large money which were r failed to appear.

Very Confident. Englishmen are Brock III will win already discussing contest will be held t, or in Irish wa- gave great joy, lie it is not nec-

great preparations yellow journalism. e results with col- s, flashlights, bal- ves. A most in- Earl's Court, 400 feet long, the need in miniature.

on Shamrock. 19.—The announce- III time allowance change in the bet- e is now 6 to 4 on asiasm along the

in New York.

19.—Not in the his- for the America's widespread interest th sides of the At- ed in the races ce and Shamrock morrow off Sandy ntests are discuss- One reason for generally believed this time have y have ever had s will be really of the walkover

hundreds of strangers Philadelphia, and many other eess the grand e two speedist are here for the ver before been els are packed overflow has filled

at 50,000 persons row's race. Be- of private craft and Sandy Hook o'clock tomorrow eats by the score nimate enough to friends who to witness the cost. Over 100 eata from East- ners have ar- e two, and are rbar. Off Bay a most imposing e ever been seen ay. These yachts and other places a chance to see ecks. Without will rendezvous row and follow most imposing e waters. Tug

boats are in tremendous demand for select parties.

Guarding Against Accidents. Such a big rush for the ocean course has been anticipated that unusual precautions have been taken by the cup committee to have the course properly patrolled so that the racing yachts will not be interfered with by the excursion fleet. The task of patrolling the course has been undertaken by the revenue cutter service, which successfully performed the work at the international races two years ago. The patrol force will be in charge of Captain Walter Shoemaker. Captain Shoemaker has detailed a fleet of eight revenue vessels, including the Gresham, Tuscarora, Seminole, Windom and Dell. This fleet will be augmented by 12 or 15 vessels of the New York Yacht Club. The vessels of the yacht club will fly the flag of the revenue service, and on each will be placed a revenue cutter officer, with a detail of enlisted men. These vessels will be clothed with the same authority in patrol duty during the time of the races as those of the regular service. With a fleet of 20 to 25 vessels, Captain Shoemaker is confident the course will be kept clear for the contesting yachts.

Betting became quite lively today and several heavy wagers were reported in the Wall street district. It is a significant fact that the most enthusiastic supporters of the American defender declined to offer any great odds and their money found ready takers among those who are of the opinion that the latest Lipton boat has an even chance of winning the cup. The large party of English visitors that reached the city early this week are reported as playing some heavy bets on Shamrock III.

The Shamrock III was measured today at Erie Basin dry dock, and after her measurement Reliance passed under the tape. The Shamrock III was through and out by 12 o'clock, about which time the Reliance arrived. Each yacht was measured with a full crew aboard. Those present included official representatives of Sir Thomas Lipton, the Royal Ulster Yacht Club of Ireland and the American syndicate, composed of Mr. Iselin and other members of the New York Yacht Club.

Predicts Rain. New York, Aug. 19.—The weather bureau predicts showers tomorrow morning.

LARGE BOILER WORKS BURN

FIRE'S ORIGIN DUE TO A DEFECTIVE SKYLIGHT.

Narrow Escape of Scores of Workmen When a Blazing Tank of Oil Exploded—Entire Plant Was Finally Destroyed.

St. Louis, Aug. 19.—The eastern boiler works, one of the largest of its kind in the United States, was almost totally destroyed by fire this morning.

The fire originated in a pile of trash adjacent to a huge tank of oil, though the exact cause of the first blaze is not known. By some it is supposed to be due to concentration of the sun's rays upon pitch pine shavings and waste, the pile of debris being beneath a skylight in which were several flaws in the glass. This is, in fact, the most plausible theory.

The blaze spread through the debris with startling rapidity, and its proximity to the oil tank caused a panic among the operatives. Fifty were at work within a few yards of the oil tank, but fled precipitately when the first efforts to quench the fire proved unavailing. The panic unquestionably saved many lives, for the tank exploded almost before the room was cleared and blazing oil was hurled in every direction.

The direct loss is \$300,000, only partially insured. None of the operatives were injured.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Quotations Furnished by Coe Commission Company—B. E. Kennedy, Local Manager.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Town Topics says the stock market promises to react today, and expects to see bears a little more active on account of the heavy profit-taking yesterday afternoon. The market should be bought on weak spots after reactions for turns. Especially recommends the purchase of B. & O. There are bull points out on Southern Railway, common. London early market for America was off.

Table with columns: Wheat, Opening, Close, Sept, Dec, Corn, Minneapolis, Aug 19, Sept, Dec.

FRANCE AND SPAIN MEET

New Combination Has Been Formed to Protect Widely Different Interests.

INTENDED TO SNUFF OUT THE CARLIST ELEMENT.

Also Put an End to Revolt, Misrule and Destruction of Trade in the Interior of Morocco—Great Scheme to Strengthen Dominant Parties in Both Countries.

Madrid, Aug. 19.—Spain and France have finally arrived at a definite treaty for the protection of the interests of the present administration of both governments. The first important feature of the compact is that Spain shall co-operate with France for the protection of the latter's interests in Morocco, which have been considerably imperilled of late years. Every insurrection of the interior tribes against the authority of native chiefs has contributed to greatly lessen respect for the French authority, although it is not believed that any tribal revolt has had that for a primary object, all tribes recognizing, nominally at least, French suzerainty.

But the regulations of the French government for the protection and promotion of commerce have been greatly deranged by these dissensions, and the interference with the peaceful pursuits of the people has been so great that dissatisfaction and a spirit of general revolt have become well nigh universal up to the very walls of the Moroccan capital.

Spanish traders in the interiors have been under suspicion of fomenting trouble to contribute to their personal ends, though their interests often conflict. All factions feed the spirit of discontent hoping to be profited for the time being at the expense of the people, their own interests being temporary and not landed.

Under the new treaty Spain is to deal sharply with all factions of representatives of her people in the interior, with the first purpose in view of helping keep the peace and so augment the riches of the French internal revenue collectors.

What Spain Will Gain.

In return for this the French commercial, social and quasi-political elements in Spain are to be whipped into line, if coercion is necessary, to discredit the Carlos or pretender faction, which has been a live issue in Spanish politics for nearly 100 years, and too often has received the more or less poorly-concealed support of French sympathizers south of the Pyrenees. All French sympathizers with the Carlos element are to be discredited by the home government, and a social, political and business boycott upon them vigorously prosecuted. It is believed this combination can be handled to the obliteration of modern Carlism, which is at best a feeble plant, feeding only upon the actual and presumed weaknesses of the reigning house.

TO PREVENT OUTRAGES.

Czar Commands Greek Church Priests to Keep the Peace.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—The Tagblatt today reports that the Holy synod by the czar's command, has instructed the Greek church priests, of Russia, to use their utmost influence to prevent orthodox anti-semitic outrages.

HEADED FOR CHICAGO.

Four of the California Convicts En Route to the Windy City.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—The police department today received a dispatch from the Folsom, Cal. warden to watch for four convicts who escaped from Folsom and are believed to be en route here.

Dynamite Explosion.

New York, Aug. 19.—A dynamite explosion in the subway at Broadway and 163rd street this morning fatally injured one, and seriously injured two other laborers.

Railway Shops Burned.

Quebec, Aug. 19.—The Northern railway shops were destroyed by fire this morning. Loss \$100,000.

AMERICAN FARM PRODUCTS TRUST

Great Scheme to Organize the Agricultural Producers Into a Trust

THE PLAN IS TO HOLD FOR HIGHER MARKET PRICES.

Attempt of Producers of Food to Turn the Tables on the World of Consumers—Wheat and Potatoes First.—Capital of \$50,000,000 Proposed at the Start.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—President Everett, of the American Society of Equity is today conferring with leading representatives of the Farmers' Alliance. Every effort has been made to keep the movement a secret until its purposes were more fully matured, but copies of the circular letter addressed to a large number of Farmers' Alliance promoters, fell into the hands of the Philistines on account of so many members of the order having changed their addresses in the past few years. The Society of Equity, in obtaining addresses used the last directory of Alliance workers that could be obtained, and it was sadly out of date. Hence those who repaired this morning to the conference as invited conferees found a score of waiting reporters in the ante-rooms.

At this meeting a date will be set when a joint meeting of the two organizations will be held to discuss the problem of setting fixed prices for staple farm products. The whole wide field of production, sale and distribution and demand for wheat and potatoes will be ranged over, with a view to securing a dollar per bushel for wheat and 40 cents per bushel for potatoes.

Propose \$50,000,000 Capital.

Hamilton White, financial agent of the co-operative company, in outlining the plans of the proposed alliance, says it is intended to obtain subscriptions for \$50,000,000 capital. It will be used in the erection of grain elevators and cold storage plants in the north, and cotton warehouses and compresses in the south, to be used by farmers members of the alliance, and operated by them. The farmers design the detention of products in those storerooms until satisfactory markets appear.

The headquarters will be Chicago. Some effort will probably be made to send wheat to a dollar this year. If the plans of the combination succeed, the farmers' trust will be the greatest in the world. By it the producers can control the situation. Claim that detention of all products for 10 days will compel the markets to meet their figures.

BANANAS LIKE NUGGETS.

As a Result of West Indian Hurricane Price Jumps Up 400 Per Cent.

New York, Aug. 19.—As a result of the hurricane in the West Indies the wholesale price of bananas advanced 75 cents per bunch to \$3 this morning.

The United Fruit Company, of Haja Truot, is the only plantation left, and after this discovery, it served notice of an advance in price of 400 per cent, whereby it will make \$3,000,000 profit in the next six months and incidentally drive all the smaller dealers out of business.

FIVE GIRLS DROWNED.

Skiff Capsizes on New River in Virginia.

Roanoke, Aug. 19.—Five girls, the oldest 15 and the youngest 8, daughters of John Holiday, John Robinson and Mrs. See, were drowned by the capsizing of a skiff on New river, near Lurich, yesterday. A small boy and a girl in the party clung to the skiff and were rescued.

TRYING TO BORROW.

New Servian Government Shows Signs of Being Hard Up.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—King Peter, of Servia, has two embassies in the field trying to secure a loan of \$1,000,000. They have been snubbed at St. Petersburg, Paris, Brussels, Budapest, and finally here, and have gone to Dresden.

UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Not Be Referred to the Department of Commerce.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 19.—Secretary Barnes this morning denied that the president had sent orders to Secretary Conroy to investigate the alleged discrimination against non-union employes in the government printing office. Such an investigation would come under the jurisdiction of the civil service and not be referred to Cortelyou at all.

Senator and Mrs. Kearns, of Utah and Henry Stoddard, of New York, were the president's guests at luncheon.

Editor Kohlsaat of Chicago, had an interview with the president, which was devoted to the political situation in Illinois.

SPRING WHEAT SHORT.

In Some Districts Weather is Too Cool for Corn.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The weekly crop report is that rains have checked the spring wheat harvest in the Dakotas and Minnesota. In the central and northern Rocky mountain and Northern Pacific districts and the eastern portions of the corn belt the weather has been too cool for maturing the corn, which will be unusually late.

FOUND THE RING.

Had Lain Hidden in Pope Leo's Writing Desk.

Berlin, Aug. 19.—The Catholic organ Germania's Rome advices state that the late Pope Leo's fisherman's ring, which disappeared shortly after his death, has been found in the late pontiff's writing desk, which was partially destroyed by fire.

Bubonic Plague in Mexico.

Fort Worth, Aug. 19.—A dispatch from a health officer in Mexico states that three cases of bubonic plague have appeared at Banjio, near Mazatlan. The strictest measures are taken to prevent its propagation.

Reducing the Military.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 19.—A military order issued this morning reduces the force of troops at Jackson to 25 men, which is now considered sufficient to maintain order.

ILLINOIS FAIR BILL ASSAILED

STATE SENATOR BEGOLE ATTACKS ST. LOUIS FAIR FUNDS.

If Former Appropriation is Knocked Out Governor Yates Will Call Special Session of Legislature to Reapropriate Funds.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 19.—Former State Senator Begole is preparing to file a bill of injunction to stop payment on warrants from the state treasury on the Illinois appropriation to the St. Louis Fair. It is based on the ground that the governor vetoed that portion of the bill, which invalidates the whole. It is believed if the appropriation is knocked out Governor Yates will call a special session of the legislature to reappropriate for the St. Louis Exposition.

TO TIE UP SEATTLE CARS.

Employees Demand 30 Cents an Hour From Street Car Companies.

Seattle, Aug. 19.—Unless President Furth, of the Seattle Electric Company, will submit all differences between the street car company and its employes to arbitration, and increase the wages to 30 cents per hour, the union threatens to walk out at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The tie-up will stop every line in the city.

Whitaker Wright Hearing.

London, Aug. 19.—The formal hearing of Whitaker Wright took place this morning. The court announced his trial for next Monday.

DIED LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Lizzie Brooks Passed Away at Her Home.

Mrs. Lizzie Brooks died at the home of her cousin, W. D. McGee, on the corner of Washington and Lincoln streets last night. Mrs. Brooks was 37 years and 10 months old, and leaves a husband, J. A. Brooks, who mourns her departure from this life. The funeral was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence of Mr. McGee, the services being conducted by Rev. R. W. King, the pastor of the Baptist church. The husband of the deceased being a Woodman, the lodge of this city furnished the pall-bearers as a mark of respect for the departed.

GREAT TIME AT SAN FRANCISCO

Most Enthusiastic Grand Army National Encampment Ever Held.

OVATION FOR GENERAL MILES EVERYWHERE.

Ten Thousand Veterans Actually in Procession, But Many of Them Are Very Feeble, Some Belong in Wheel Chairs—Many Famous Army Officers in Citizens Clothes.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 19.—Ten thousand war veterans of 40 years ago marched through the streets today before the greatest crowd that ever assembled here.

Stirring trains and the ferries from 6 this morning were jammed with people, and Market, Grant and Montgomery streets, sidewalks and stands were a sea of faces.

Veterans who had passed through dozens of encampments all say that there was more enthusiasm and cheering along the route than were ever before experienced.

In line, as privates, were many famous army officers, Generals Miles and MacArthur being in citizens clothes. The former's ovation was everywhere a prominent feature.

Rests along the route were frequent. Feebleness was in many cases pathetic. Some were in wheel chairs.

The Michigan veterans carried a speckled rooster as a mascot. Iowa gave their familiar yell, "Hooray, Hooray! wheat, corn and hay. We are the boys from Iowa," every few blocks. Kansas presented a brilliant front with sunflowers. Colorado and Wyoming were headed by the famous Cook's Zouaves. All other states made a fine showing. California brought up the rear under General Shafter.

Negroes Kidnap a White Girl.

Fort Smith, Ark., Aug. 19.—No news has been yet received indicating the capture of a band of negroes who kidnaped a 12-year-old white girl and for whom a posse is searching.

SUICIDE AT MILTON.

Young Girl Takes Strychnine With Fatal Results Last Evening.

Miss Edna Folia was found dead yesterday afternoon in her bed at the residence of Mrs. Gillin of Milton.

The girl has been employed on the farm of the Gillin's for some time and has been despondent over her lot. Yesterday after putting out the washing she went to her room and laid down on the bed and was found at 5 o'clock dead. Strychnine was found in the room and it is thought that she had killed herself. An inquest is being held there this afternoon. Coroner Dr. W. G. Cole went to Milton this morning to conduct the inquest and is expected home tonight.

CHINAMAN TO LECTURE.

Official of Chinese Reform League to Be in Walla Walla.

Walla Walla, Aug. 19.—Within a week Leung Kai Chew, vice-president of the now gigantic Chinese Reform Association, will arrive in Walla Walla to lecture before the local club of that institution. He will lay before local Chinese the plans, aims and successes of the association. The lecture will take place in the Chinese Reform Hall in Alder street between Second and Third streets. The local secretary, Dong Chow, is making preparations to receive the distinguished guest who, in addition to being vice-president of the largest fraternal order on earth, holds the fourth position in the civil service of the Chinese empire. His position is one of the highest a Chinaman can aspire to.

Dairy Farm Sold.

H. E. Hall and Lillian Hall, his wife, have sold to W. L. Lyman and C. W. Lyman their undivided one-third interest in the farm machinery and wagons, saddle, horses and dairy machinery, of the ranch owned by them. The consideration was \$1,500. This property is the ranch known as the Cheney brothers' dairy farm, and it seems that there is a consolidation of interests.