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WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and warmer tonight, Saturday fair and continued warm.

KANSAS CANNOT REFINER HER OIL

Supreme Court Declares That State Refineries Are Unconstitutional.

COURT SAYS SUCH INSTITUTIONS ARE PROHIBITED.

Establishment of Refineries is a Work of Internal Improvement Which the Constitution Prohibits—Says the Branch Penitentiary at Which Convicts Would Refine Oil is a Subterfuge—Governor Hoch Would Not Discuss Special Session at Which Laws to Defeat Rockefeller Would Be Passed.

Topeka, Kan., July 7.—The supreme court today, by unanimous opinion, declared the state oil refinery law unconstitutional. The refinery is declared to be a work of internal improvement which the state is specially forbidden to undertake and that establishment of a branch penitentiary at which oil would be refined by convicts is clearly a subterfuge.

Gas Trust Ousted. Topeka, July 7.—The supreme court today rendered a decision ousting the Kansas Natural Gas company from the state. The company was chartered in Delaware with a capital of \$2,000,000. It is the biggest owner of natural gas in the world.

WILL CALL PEOPLE TOGETHER.

Car Will Issue Manifesto—Meager Reports From Potemkin.

St. Petersburg, July 7.—Reports current today tend to confirm the advice from Moscow to the effect that the emperor is prepared to go to the Kremlin to issue a manifesto summoning representatives of the people.

Did Not Bombard Theodosia.

Theodosia, July 7.—Reports to the effect that the Potemkin bombarded the town were untrue. The present whereabouts of the Potemkin are unknown here. The torpedo boat destroyer Smeltov arrived here several hours after the Potemkin departed, and after hurriedly coaling, put to sea.

Sympathy for Mutineers.

Manila, July 7.—The sailors of the interned Russian squadron are reported to be in a sullen mood and to be expressing sympathy for the Black Sea mutineers. A rumor that they contemplated murdering their officers has caused the American authorities to place the monitor Monadnock in close proximity to the Russian warships.

Another Ship Joins Mutineers.

London, July 7.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says it is reported that the crew of the battleship Catherine the Great has joined the mutineers. A dispatch from Theodosia says the Potemkin stopped a British steamer and compelled her to follow the battleship. A quantity of coal was taken from the steamer. According to this dispatch the Potemkin left Theodosia last night.

Sailors Leave Potemkin.

Odessa, July 7.—It is reported that 12 members of the crew of the Potemkin have escaped from that vessel and swam ashore.

WILLIAMSON TRIAL BEGINS.

Jury Secured and Opening Statements Made Today.

Portland, July 7.—A jury was secured today to try Congressman Williamson and others accused of land frauds. This afternoon the opening statements were made by attorneys.

Sultan Is Prostrated.

Constantinople, July 7.—The illness of the sultan continues to cause alarm. His nervous breakdown is complete and he is unable to attend to any business.

MURDERER POWERS WINS A POINT.

Maysville, Ky., July 7.—Judge Cockran, of the United States district court today held that the federal court has jurisdiction in the case of Caleb Powers under sentence of death for alleged complicity in the assassination of Goebel. Powers' attorneys made a hard fight to have the case removed from the state courts.

Grafter Is Forced Out.

Philadelphia, July 7.—George E. Pierce, in charge of the bureau of city property, today resigned at Mayor Weaver's request.

PRESIDENT AND EDUCATORS.

Delivered Address Before Educational Association Today.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 7.—The president left for Ocean Grove N. J., at 11 o'clock, aboard a special train of the Long Island railroad. At Long Island City a boat was in waiting to convey the party to Jersey City, where the president took a train for Ocean Grove.

The president delivered an address before the National Educational Association. Secretary Lusk and several secret service men accompanied the president, who was joined at Jersey City by Senators Dryden and Keen.

TRIED TO CHEAT GALLOWES.

Kentucky Murderer Attempted to Cut His Arteries Before Being Hanged.

Owensboro, Ky., July 7.—Robert Mathley was hanged in the jail yard this morning at 4:46. The prisoner attempted to cheat the gallows by cutting an artery in his wrist with his finger nails, but the plan was frustrated by the death watch. Mathley was convicted of the murder of Miss Emma Watkins, whom he wanted to marry, at the same time killing James Gregson, the girl's cousin, who opposed the match.

PAUL JONES COMING HOME.

Body of the Old Admiral Arrived at Cherbourg This Morning.

Cherbourg, July 7.—The remains of Paul Jones, with an escort of officials and officers arrived at 8 o'clock this morning from Paris. The party was officially received by the maritime prefect. The coffin was removed from the special car and placed in a tent, resting on a catafalque, where French and Americans took turns as a guard of honor.

Tomorrow at noon the casket will be taken aboard the Brooklyn. Rear Admiral Sigbee's flagship, to be conveyed to America.

Montana Pioneer Dead.

Helena, July 7.—Wilbur Flisk Sanders, former United States senator of Montana, leader of the vigilantes in the early days, died today aged 72.

CONVICTS ARE SURROUNDED

ONE ESCAPE FROM McNEIL'S ISLAND IS CAPTURED.

Large Body of Citizens Have Gone to Vashon Island to Capture the Men Now at Bay There—All the Local Gun Stores Are Exhausted Because of the Hunt for the Escaped Convicts—Great Excitement Prevails.

Tacoma, July 7.—A posse left this morning for Vashon Island where Stiekney, one of the convicts that escaped from McNeil's island penitentiary was captured last night.

It is known that some of the convicts are still on the island and escape is impossible. A large body of citizens is hunting two convicts, supposed to be in the woods south of town. Gun stores and stocks of firearms are completely exhausted on account of the hunt.

Three Convicts at Bay.

Seattle, July 7.—The police have been notified by the town marshal of Port Blakeley that three of the escaped prisoners from McNeil's island are corralled there. The fugitives have little chance of escape and they are not believed to be armed.

Capture of Four Is Certain.

Tacoma, July 7.—Four convicts have been sighted on Vashon island, and the posse is in close pursuit. It is expected the capture will be made this afternoon. One of the two Japanese who escaped from prison was seen on the beach near Tacoma this afternoon. A posse is now in pursuit.

SURGEONS IN SESSION.

Next Meeting Will Be Held in 1908 at Cleveland.

San Francisco, July 7.—The American Surgical association today decided to meet next year at Cleveland, Ohio.

The officers were elected as follows: President, Dr. A. Van Beeber, of Albany, N. Y.; vice president, Dr. J. E. Moore, of Minneapolis, Minn.; second vice president, Dr. J. C. Munroe, of Boston, Mass.; secretary, Dr. P. Allen, of Cleveland, O.; treasurer, G. R. Flower, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; recording secretary, Dr. R. H. Hart, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Washington Banker Arrested.

Boston, July 7.—Charles May, president of the defunct National Bank of Davenport, Wash., was arrested this afternoon and held in \$5000 bail. He is charged with misappropriating \$28,000.

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MILLIONAIRE MINERS GUILTY OF STEALING.

Helena, Mont., July 7.—The jury in the federal court today awarded a judgment in the sum of \$195,000 for the complainants in the case of the St. Louis Mining & Smelting company, against the Montana company, limited. The defendants are accused of taking ore illegally. The ore is the famous Drummond mine. Rothschilds are the principal stockholders.

NEBRASKA HOT AFTER RAILROADS HILL TO COMBINE IMMENSE CAPITAL

Burlington and Union Pacific Boycotted Because of Refusal to Pay Taxes.

OPEN BOYCOTT DECLARED BY COUNTY OF SEWARD.

Deferred Payments of Taxes Amount to Over Half a Million and County Finances Are Suffering in Consequence—Special Session of Legislature May Be Called to Pass Revidue Freight Rate Bill as a Punitive Measure—Burlington and Union Pacific Have Joined Hands to Fight the Tax Levy.

Lincoln, Neb., July 7.—As a result of the refusal of the Burlington to pay taxes assessed last year, resorting to an injunction against the collection, the commissioners of Seward county have declared a boycott, refusing to ship county supplies over the road.

Other counties are preparing to adopt a boycott of the Union Pacific, which also refuses to pay and has joined hands with the Burlington. The deferred payments exceed a half million dollars, and county finances are suffering. The governor is considering summoning a special session to pass a freight reduction bill as a punitive measure.

TAFT IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Secretary of War Inspected Fortifications and Delivered an Address.

San Francisco, July 7.—Secretary Taft this morning made an inspection of the fortifications that guard the port of San Francisco and was received with full honors at each fort, troops being lined up and salutes fired.

After luncheon he went to Berkeley where he delivered an address in the Greek theater at the University of California.

TORNADO KILLS 35.

Meager Reports From Texas Town Show Large Fatality List.

Dallas, Texas, July 7.—Today's meager reports from Montague county, in the northern part of Texas, indicate that the tornado which swept that section yesterday was as destructive as the earlier reports indicated.

The larger towns, however, escaped the violence of the storm, the greatest damage being in the country. In the vicinity of Nacona 14 persons were killed and many injured and the total number of killed in Montague county is placed at 35. The telegraph service is demoralized.

ELEVEN LOGGERS DROWNED.

Bateau Swamped in Chippewa River and Crew Lost.

Chippewa Falls, July 7.—Eleven log drivers were drowned in the Chippewa river at Little Falls this morning. They lost control of the bateau in which they were crossing the river and the boat swamped. None of the bodies have been recovered. They are Sam Brackett, Louis Gokey, Max Billfeld, Patrick Leiden, Ole Soren, Joseph Heloquet, Andrew Goneyid, Oscar Barquet, Bert Larry, Byron Ferguson and Adolph Toctauth.

Another Grafter Sentenced.

Milwaukee, July 7.—Michael Dunne, former building inspector, was sentenced to a year and a half in the house of correction on a charge of accepting a bribe of \$1500 from Colonel Gustav Pabst, the brewer, for a permit for a building with illegal specifications. Pabst escaped by turning state's evidence.

Chicago Wheat Market.

Chicago, July 7.—July wheat closed today at 90 1/4. Corn, at 57 3/4. Oats at 32 1/8.

Hop Market at Standstill.

The hop market in this section of Willamette valley remains quiet and featureless except for the increased inquiry and the consequent stiffening of prices, says the Salem Statesman. No sales have been reported of late, and few lots are for sale outside the big pool, which is holding out strongly for 30 cents and better, and such lots as are outside the merger are scattering. The hot weather of the past two weeks, which prevails throughout the country, has increased the sale of beer to more than double the usual amount and this condition alone has had the effect of increasing the demand for hops on the part of the brewers, who are supposed to be considerably short of the necessary amount to supply the trade.

GERMANY NOW AFTER THE EQUITABLE

Berlin, July 7.—The insurance department of the German government has demanded of the Equitable Mutual of New York and they declare by August 31, in what manner they

SECRET OF A MONASTERY.

An Old Murder Mystery Solved by the Death of a Woman Masquerading as a Man.

Vienna, July 7.—A murder mystery of 30 years' standing has just been cleared up. It is announced from Bucharest. In Moldavia an old man and his three sons, all grown up, were discovered one morning murdered. Suspicion fell immediately on the wife of the man, who was missing, and who was known to have lived on exceedingly bad terms with her husband and sons, who were in the habit of beating her very cruelly and otherwise ill-using her. Though a hue and cry was raised, she was never found. There has recently died in the monastery of Tibucani, an aged monk called Vasile Popovitch. When the body was being prepared for burial it was found that the supposed monk was a woman. She was no other than the missing murderess, it being found she entered the monastery as a man the very morning of the murder, which took place only a few hours' journey off.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RECORD.

General Manager Calvin Sets New Mark on Road.

Salt Lake, July 7.—General Manager E. E. Calvin, of the Southern Pacific, arrived at 10:30 this morning on a special train which broke all records of the Southern Pacific for speed.

The run from Ogden to Salt Lake, 37 miles over the O. S. L. tracks, was made in 35 minutes. The entire run from Sparks, Nev., to Ogden, was made in very fast time, a speed of 91 miles an hour being attained at times. Mr. Calvin came to the bedside of his daughter, who has been operated on for appendicitis, but is now recovering nicely.

Algerian Sailors Perish.

Bizerta, Tunis, July 7.—Sailors embarked in the submarine Faraguet, have ceased to respond to the signals of the divers, and it is feared all have perished. The third and fourth attempts to raise the vessel failed.

ROOT ACCEPTS STATE PORTFOLIO

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Activity Promised in Malheur County Railroad Affairs.

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MIGRATORY SHEEP LAW TO BE TESTED

Washington Sheepmen Object to Paying Taxes in State of Oregon.

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE STATUTE TO BE TRIED.

W. P. Reser, of Walls Walla, Through His Attorneys, Halley & Lowell, Begins Suit to Prevent Collection of Tax on His Sheep Which Are Being Pastured in Umatilla County—Case Will Be Watched With Much Interest as it Will Determine the Validity of the New Law.

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