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## EASTERN.

### News of the Week from Beyond the Rockies.

#### HOODLER SHARP'S JURY.

Attempts by Defendant to Delay the Progress of the Trial.  
NEW YORK, May 23.—The work of selecting a jury for the trial of Jake Sharp was continued to-day. Eleven jurors were in the box, the twelfth seat being vacant on challenge by the defense. Herman Angel was accepted for the vacant chair. John E. Parsons, of the defense, said: "We suspend our peremptory challenges here, to await the course of the prosecution." "You are content with the jury as it is now constituted," said the judge, with a falling inflection. "No, we make no statement on that point; we simply suspend." "Well, swear the jury," said Judge Barrett. This caused a momentary panic among Sharp's counsel, but they were relieved after a moment, and challenged the eighth juror, F. G. Minshall. The work of filling his place then began.

#### CATTLE QUARANTINE.

New Mexico Prohibits the Importation of Stock from Certain States.

SANTA FE, N. M., May 23.—Governor Ross issued a quarantine proclamation to-day to guard against pleuro pneumonia, by advice of the New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Commission. It goes into effect June 1st. The reason given for issuing it is that pleuro pneumonia is epidemic in New York, New Jersey, Illinois, Canada, Scotland, and England, and the introduction of cattle from any of these places, and of cattle coming through Chicago and Kansas City stockyards, is prohibited, unless the cattle have not been within the states and countries or stockyards named during six months preceding their arrival in New Mexico, and have not shown symptoms of disease. Inspectors can require importers to show all the places where cattle have been within six months. The fee for inspectors is twenty cents per head.

#### WEAK, BUT DETERMINED.

O'Brien Will Go to Hamilton—Nationalists Organized.

NIAGARA FALLS, May 23.—Mr. O'Brien arose this morning so weak as to be almost unable to stand. He, however, insisted on leaving for Hamilton by the noon train. Toronto is not more than forty miles from Hamilton, and it is understood to-day that bodies of Orangemen intend to make a descent from the larger city upon Hamilton and join with local Orangemen in making an attack on O'Brien's life. The nationalists will be organized this time, and Mr. O'Brien approves the idea that they should be, and that outside aid should be sent to Hamilton, which will now probably be done by his friends in Buffalo and other Irish centers.

#### AN INSULT TO CHICAGO.

President Cleveland Invited to Visit St. Louis.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A delegation of twenty-five representatives of business interests and all branches of the municipal government of St. Louis waited upon the president at noon to-day and invited him and Mrs. Cleveland to visit St. Louis during the Grand Army encampment in that city in September. The president expressed his appreciation of the compliment extended and accepted the invitation. Members of the cabinet have also been invited to be present.

#### FIRES STILL RAGING.

The Upper Michigan Peninsular still Threatened.

DETROIT, May 23.—Specials to the Journal from the upper peninsula report that forest fires are still raging. From all parts of the peninsula come reports of continued drought. The danger to many towns is as evident as at any previous time. At latest Ironwood was threatened, but the wires are down, and no news has been received since last night. Unless heavy rains come soon, much damage is feared near Negaunee.

#### THE WHITE STAR COLLISION.

Offices Crowded With Anxious Friends of Passengers.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The office of the White Star line was crowded all this morning with friends of passengers on the Britannic and Celtic making anxious inquiries. A majority of inquiries were from friends of the steamer passengers. Very little information is obtainable. Passengers from the Celtic who landed at Castle Garden do not seem to be any the worse for their experience.

#### Blake not Crazy, but Sick.

CHICAGO, May 23.—A. L. Blake, ex-deputy collector of customs at Port Townsend, who was attacked with illness while passing through this city last Friday and taken to the insane department of the county court under the belief that he was demented, had recovered sufficiently yesterday to be conscious of his surroundings. Hopes of his recovery are entertained.

#### THE GOOD TEMPLARS.

Their Annual Session—A Proposition to Marry.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 24.—The thirty-third annual session of the grand lodge of Good Templars met here this morn-

ing. The session will continue ten days, and will be one of the most important ever held by that body. The question of the reunion of its two branches, which were separated some ten years ago by secession, will come up. Some of the transatlantic grand lodges will come in for action through the united recommendations of prominent members of the order in the world. A union committee conference, representing both branches, held a secret session yesterday, which, it is reported, was very harmonious and favorable to the reunion proposition.

#### STARTLING DISCLOSURES.

Arrest of a Train Robber Who Implicates Prominent Men in Crime.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 24.—The chief of police arrested a man in this city last night suspected of being one of the McNeal train robbers. It is reported he has made some startling disclosures which will involve well known men and implicate at least one officer as having planned and engineered the whole affair from the beginning.

#### CLEVELAND'S VACATION.

Himself and Family Will Go to the Mountains.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—According to present arrangements the president will leave Washington Thursday evening in a special car and proceed direct to Saranac lake, in the Adirondacks. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Folsom and Col. and Mrs. Lamont, and expects to return to Washington inside of two weeks.

#### YELLOW FEVER.

It has Put in an Appearance at Key West, Florida.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Surgeon General Hamilton has received official notice of the existence of yellow fever at Key West, but he thinks the situation not sufficiently grave to call for action on the part of the government.

#### THE NEW TREASURER.

He Qualifies and Sets His Clerks to Counting the Cash.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Treasurer Hyatt qualified this morning and formally assumed the duties of his new office. A large force of clerks is engaged in counting the cash in the treasury to-day.

#### Injunction Denied.

NEW YORK, May 24.—An application made by John B. Mullaly, a stockholder in the National Consumers Meat company, for an injunction restraining the Marquis De Mores and other trustees from disposing of the property of the company has been denied.

#### A Shady Transaction.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—Norcom L. Seguin, manager of the Philadelphia Umbrella company, is reported to have embezzled eighty-five thousand dollars of the funds held in trust by him, and has run away.

#### SWIFT JUSTICE.

A Ravisher Shot Dead in a Missouri Court Room.

ROCKVILLE, Mo., May 23.—Last Tuesday a man called Mr. Anderson's residence and asked for a glass of water, which was given him by Jennie, a daughter of the house. When she came near him he suddenly seized and chloroformed her, and while under the influence of the drug she was outraged. Search resulted in the arrest of John Vanderburg. At the preliminary hearing yesterday the judge announced that the prisoner would be held in \$10,000 bail, when a shot rang out, followed in rapid succession by two more. There was a scamp for the street, and when quiet was restored the prisoner was dead. No one knows who fired the shots, but as two of the Anderson boys were in the courtroom they were put under arrest.

#### HORRIBLE DEATH.

A Man Falls From a Balloon and is Horribly Crushed.

OSKALOOSA, Iowa, May 25.—William Andrews, amateur balloonist, was killed here yesterday evening. He had a hot air balloon. When loosened it shot up with great rapidity about 700 feet, and then took fire. Andrews was seen to climb nearly to the mouth in an attempt to put out the fire. Very soon the balloon collapsed and the doomed man fell upon a roof. His body was crushed beyond recognition.

#### UNDER FALSE PRETEXTS.

A Cattleman Signs Away Mythical Cattle, and is Arrested.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—The Globe-Democrat's special from Dallas, Texas, says that W. D. Lewis, late president of the Colorado cattle association, was arrested at San Angelo yesterday, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses from the National Exchange bank of Dallas. Bank officials claim that Lewis obtained two thousand dollars on a deed of trust for two thousand head of cattle, while diligent search brought to light only three hundred head.

#### The Great Sugar King Travels.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Claus Spreckles, the California millionaire, with his wife and daughter, sailed this morning for Europe in the steamer Saale.

## FOREIGN.

### Record of News from Over the Atlantic.

#### ROYAL INSTALLATION.

Great Display of Russian Royalty in the Cossack Country.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 19.—The czar-witch was last evening installed with great ceremony at Novo Tcherkask as hetman of the Cossacks. The degree of appointment was publicly read to the Cossacks for their faithful services and for the cordial reception they had extended to him and his family. He then handed the hetman's baton to the czar-witch, the presentation being attended with great pomp and ceremony, which included a superb exhibition of imperial regalia and jewels. After this ceremony the czar reviewed the Cossack regiment, and a battery of young military pupils of two regiments of Cossack boys. Talmuck horsemen then gave an exhibition of a war game for the entertainment of the imperial visitors, and presented the czar-witch with a cream colored horse. The day's ceremonies and exhibitions were followed in the evening by a gorgeous display of fireworks, and a grand jubilation ball.

#### PARNELLISM AND CRIME.

More Rot From the Great London "Thunderer."

LONDON, May 20.—The second installment of a recent series of articles on "Parnellism and Crime," appears in the Times to-day. It deals with the leagues and conventions in Chicago and Philadelphia, and the Clan-na-Gael societies there, and refers to the message which it says Parnell sent to the Philadelphia convention advising that a platform be framed which would enable us to continue to receive help from America.

#### HEAVY ROBBERY.

A Mexican Bank Relieved of All Its Gold on Hand.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 20.—Detectives are wrestling with a most mysterious case, thus far without satisfactory results. One of the leading banking firms of this city has sustained a loss claimed to be as great as \$800,000. The officers of the institution, on coming to the bank one morning, found the doors of the vault wide open. All the cash had been carried off, with the exception of some bags of silver.

#### FURIOUS STORMS.

LONDON, May 20.—Fierce gales have prevailed and great damage has been done to various parts of England. In Kent the wind blew with the violence of a hurricane. Snow and hail storms have been experienced in the lake districts of Scotland. In London trees in the parks were injured and many were blown down. Many wrecks are reported to have occurred on the coast.

#### Wholesale Swindlers.

LONDON, May 23.—The Times says: "We are informed that extensive frauds have been committed on agents of the American Bank on means of forged letters of credit which were presented simultaneously at a gang of skillful thieves in six or eight leading cities of the continent. The forgers have not been caught."

#### PAID THE PENALTY.

The Russian Nihilist-Assassins Executed at St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 21.—It is officially announced that Andrejuskii, Ossiponoff, Generaloff, Shewryoff, and Uljanoff, were executed yesterday for the part they took in the recent attempt on the life of the czar. During the trial of the conspirators by the senate in the presence of representatives of various governments, it transpired that in 1886 they formed a secret circle to terrorize the nation, and resolved in December to make an attempt to assassinate the czar, for which purpose they procured expensive bombs. On March 13th, in company with confederates who undertook to inform them by signal when the czar passed by, they went to Nensky to prospect. It was their intention to throw missiles under the czar's carriage as it passed by, but the police frustrated their design.

#### MEXICO'S EARTHQUAKE.

The Fatalities which Ensued From the Report of Mexican Quake.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 21.—Reports from local officials in the regions recently visited by earthquake shocks were received to-day. The earthquake did not leave a single habitable house standing at Bapisepe. Sixty persons were killed and many wounded beyond hope of recovery. Between 3 p. m. and 1 a. m. of the day following there were eighteen shocks. Bodies are still being dug out, and it is thought the number killed will reach 150. A letter from Guaymas declares the existence of an extensive volcano and says: "The smoke is so dense that it cuts off the sun's rays." Many testify that when the earthquake occurred they saw large boulders shoot up into the air and that flames burst forty feet above the summit of the mountain, setting fire in the forest.

#### THE FRENCH SITUATION.

President Grevy Casting About for Members of His New Cabinet.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 21.—The Russian papers consider the present cabinet crisis in France as closely connected with the Boulanger question.

#### WILL FORM A MINISTRY.

PARIS, May 21.—M. Rouvier has consented to form a ministry. He hopes to induce leading members of the budget committee of the chamber of deputies to accept positions in the new cabinet.

#### THEY WANT BOULANGER.

PARIS, May 21.—The municipal authorities of Lyons, Rennes, Montpellier, Lehy and other places have petitioned President Grevy to retain Gen. Boulanger in the cabinet.

#### THE FRENCH CABINET CRISIS.

Clemenceau Wants Young Men—De Freycinet May be Called on.

PARIS, May 23.—Clemenceau yesterday told M. Rouvier that he would not promise to support any cabinet, but was perfectly willing to take office himself with young and new men. President Grevy still refuses to call M. Clemenceau, although he has seen several others. It is expected that the president will again ask M. De Freycinet to form a ministry, and that the chamber of deputies will adjourn for another week.

#### BERLIN NOTES.

Heavy Duties in Russia—Two Germans Arrested for High Treason.

BERLIN, May 23.—The Westphalian Manufacturing company will close its works in Russia, owing to the heavy duties imposed by the new tariff on material used by the company. Several failures of firms in the textile trade are announced. The two subalterns arrested at Strasburg for high treason are charged with betraying to France secrets relating to the mobilization of German troops.

#### TCHERNAIOFF'S ADVICE.

Russia Admonished to Look After Her German Enemies.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—The Neovo Vienna publishes a letter signed by Gen. Tchernaioff, advising Russia to give up the idea that the key of the Bosphorus is sought by the government at Vienna, and turn all her thoughts to the Rhine and Oder, place the arch enemy between the hammer and anvil, and profit by the present favorable circumstances to avenge herself for the work of the Berlin congress.

#### Agitating Woman Suffrage.

BRUSSELS, May 23.—At a meeting of the workingmen's party held here yesterday it was resolved to hold a daily demonstration in favor of universal suffrage and of granting amnesty to persons now imprisoned for participation in the riots of 1886. A final meeting of delegates will be held to-morrow, when the question of a general strike will be decided.

#### ELECTION TROUBLES.

Bloodshed in the Choctaw Nation—Civilized Conduct of Indians.

PARIS, Texas, May 24.—News was received here yesterday of trouble that has caused four deaths and which is likely to cause more bloodshed over in the Choctaw nation. Two weeks ago two men named Wilson, full-blood Choctaw Indians, were killed in a row over the election of a deputy sheriff. Since the killing, the sheriff elect has been missing, and on Friday the bodies of three men were found near Doakville, one of which is supposed to be that of the missing sheriff. His friends, all well armed, are searching for him, and there are fears of an outbreak.

#### A BLOODTHIRSTY STUDENT.

He Takes a Shot at the Czar of Russia.

VIENNA, May 24.—The Tagblatt has received a telegram from Odessa stating that the czar returned to St. Petersburg from the Don Cossack's country three days earlier than he had intended, owing to an attempt made by a student to kill him on Wednesday night during the festivities at Novo Tcherkask, by firing at him as he rode by in a carriage.

#### The Irish Crimes Act.

LONDON, May 24.—Sir Algerian Brothwick, M. P. (conservative), and proprietor of the Morning Post, in an address to his constituents last evening said that after Whitsun recess the government proposes to force the passage of the Irish crimes act amendment bill within a specified period, whether all the amendments to the bill were disposed of or not.

#### Socialists in Belgium.

BRUSSELS, May 24.—Labor outrages continue throughout the mining districts of Belgium. Many arrests are being made in consequence of the nightly socialist demonstrations in Brussels. Processions and gatherings in the public streets have been prohibited.

#### Urged to Return Home.

BERLIN, May 24.—Urgent business questions have arisen in the imperial foreign office and Count Herbert Bis-

marck, at present visiting the Earl of Rosberry in London, has been summoned to return to consider them.

#### Strikers Resort to Dynamite.

LONDON, May 24.—A dynamite bomb was exploded under the police court at Hepburn, Durham county, last night, partially destroying the building. The outrage is attributed to strikers.

#### An Educational Note.

LONDON, May 24.—The Cambridge university crew have agreed to row Harvard if the necessary funds to cover the expenses of the trip to America can be raised.

#### A Conference of Powers.

CAIRO, May 24.—It is believed that England and Turkey will propose a conference of powers to settle the forms of Egyptian capitulation by a new convention.

#### Dan Manning Coming Home.

LONDON, May 24.—Ex-Secretary Manning will sail for New York June 1st. His health is much improved.

#### Treaties Approved.

BERLIN, May 24.—The reichstag has approved the international treaties for the protection of works of literature and art and the submarine cables.

#### THE ENGLISH DERBY.

Royalty Attends the Great Race, Which is Won by Merry Hampton.

LONDON, May 25.—Vast crowds left London to-day for Epsom Downs to witness the great race of the Derby stakes. Four in hands were seen in great numbers. Ten of these turnouts left the metropolis alone, while the Prince of Wales, Lord Roseberry, the crown prince of Denmark and many other persons of distinction were present. The course was slightly heavy. The Baron was the favorite in betting and was exercised this morning, appearing in grand form. The stables are backing Aintree and Merry Hampton. The weather in the forenoon was threatening.

The great race was won by Merry Hampton, the Baron was second and Martley third. Merry Hampton was ridden by Watts, the Baron by Canon, and Martley by F. Bartlett. At the last betting was 11 to 1 against Merry Hampton, 5 to 4 against the Baron, 10 to 1 against Martley, 7 to 1 against Eiridsport, 12 to 1 against Aintree, 22 to 1 against Blanchland, 50 to 1 against Grandison, 50 to 1 against Porcelain, 100 to 1 against Saville and 200 to 1 against Conside, 200 to 1 against Shannon colt. When half the way up the stretch the Baron was in trouble. Merry Hampton won by four lengths.

A capital start was made. Porcelain and Shannon colt first showed in advance with Aintree and Eiridsport following and the Baron and Merry Hampton coming next. Porcelain soon dropped back, but Shannon colt kept the lead. Martley was last at the mile post. Eiridsport drew up and ran level with Shannon colt, and he was joined directly after by Blanchard, Grandison and Baron. The race was too hot for Shannon colt and he gave way. Aintree was now at the tail of the string and Blanchland and Eiridsport were three lengths ahead of Baron and Merry Hampton. On entering the straight canon road the Baron visibly gained and Blanchland and Eiridsport very soon fell back beaten. Merry Hampton then took the lead with Martley and Aintree heading the others. The Baron ran with gameness, but failed to reach Merry Hampton, who won by four lengths, with Martley two lengths behind the Baron. Aintree finished fourth and Eiridsport fifth. Shannon's colt came in last.

#### PARAGRAPHS OF FOREIGN NEWS.

O'Brien will not Accept—A Failure—The Crown Prince's Malady.

LONDON, May 25.—A Berlin dispatch to the Standard says: In an interview to-day, Prof. Virchow asserted positively that there was absolutely no danger in the Crown Prince Frederick William's malady. He said, however, that it would take some time to effect a complete cure in his case.

The Standard to-day says: It is said Wm. O'Brien will not accept a seat in parliament for Northeast Cork.

Joseph & Sons, merchants, of Birmingham, have failed; liabilities, £100,000.

The anarchist De Fuisseaux has been arrested at Vauverge, and conducted to Paris.

#### An Alarming Aspect.

BRUSSELS, May 25.—The situation of the miners' strike at Seraing is assuming a more alarming aspect. Twenty-two hundred more miners have left work, and are taking part in the strike at Clarieroi. Seven thousand men are in the strike, and, from appearances, affairs are growing extremely serious.

#### Warned of Defeat.

LONDON, May 25.—Joseph Chamberlain in a letter published this morning urges upon the supporters of the government's Irish policy the necessity of organizing, and warns them that if they fail to do so they will surely be beaten.

#### George W. Childs, LL. D.

ATHENS, Tenn., May 25.—The board of regents of the Grant Memorial university to-day unanimously conferred the degree of doctor of laws upon George W. Childs.

Stayton Swiss, California, new cream and white river new cheese at Squire Farrar & Co.

## PACIFIC COAST.

### News by Telegraph from West of the Rockies.

#### JUDGE BOISE ATTACKED.

Scandalous and Unjustifiable Language from a Pettifogging Attorney.

PORTLAND, May 23.—In the United States circuit court this morning, attorney for the plaintiff in the case of Neal vs. Foster et al., made a severe attack on the integrity of Judge Boise, claiming that his client had no hope of obtaining justice in the state circuit court for Linn county. Judge Bronaugh, opposing counsel, called on the court to protect the judiciary of the state circuit courts from such charges. The case was taken under advisement.

#### Declared Insane.

PORTLAND, May 23.—This afternoon Dr. J. A. Giesey examined an insane woman named Bridget Highland, at St. Vincent hospital, and she will be sent to the asylum. She is a native of Ireland, and 35 years of age. The patient came here from Washington county last Saturday. The cause of her malady is not known.

#### Bill Sweeney "Gets There."

PORTLAND, May 23.—In the suit of W. W. Sweeney against L. L. McLeod and others, in which he claimed \$640 for services as lobbyist, plaintiff received a verdict for \$281.

#### River Rising.

PORTLAND, May 23.—The river here has risen two feet in the last forty-eight hours. A cold wave is prevalent in Eastern Oregon, Washington, and Idaho, however, and no serious flood is anticipated at present.

#### Died at Honolulu.

PORTLAND, May 23.—Word was received here to-day of the death of Mrs. May Hill, relict of Frank Hill of Dayton, Oregon, at Honolulu, on April 27.

#### U. S. Commissioner Resigns.

PORTLAND, May 23.—W. A. Wilshire, United States commissioner at Lakeview, has sent his resignation to Judge Deady, and it was accepted this morning.

#### Clayton's Trial.

PORTLAND, May 24.—The matter of the second trial of Edward Clayton, charged with an attempt to burglarize the store of Allen & Lewis, was brought up in department 2, circuit court, this morning. The time fixed is the 7th of June, and he will be defended by John M. Gearin. It will be remembered that at Clayton's first trial, some two months ago, the jury disagreed.

#### The Famous Burglar.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.—Judge Tooley this morning denied a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Jimmy Hope, the famous burglar, and remanded him to the custody of Parsons and Rodgers, New York detectives. Hope will probably be taken east to-morrow.

#### Fishing Schooner Wrecked.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—According to advices received here, the schooner Ounimak, belonging to the McCollam Fishing and Trading company, was wrecked on the coast of Alaska, March 29. The vessel was found the following day, bottom side up, on shore. The crew, consisting of seven men, had evidently been all washed overboard.

#### North-bound Passengers.

MEDFORD, Or., May 25.—Passed Medford, to arrive over the Oregon & California railroad, John Johnson, Henry Ach, N. S. Dygert and daughter, G. J. Mills, Albert Patterson, J. L. Nead, and four immigrants.

#### DID NOT PAY.

An English Venture in America about to be a Failure.

THORNTON, R. I., May 25.—The British Hosiery company has posted a notice of the probability of reduction to half the present force or a possible closing of their works. The concern was imported from England, plant and operatives, in 1884, to work under the advantages of the protective tariff. The notice spreads dismay among the operatives, but few of whom have saved enough to enable them to return with their families to England.

#### EASTERN.

#### A DISASTROUS STRIKE.

A Large Amount Money and Labor Lost at Panama.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Advices from Panama to the 16th inst., says: In one of the largest cuts of the canal water has been struck. A vast amount of earth and rock has been taken out of the section referred to at a cost of millions of dollars, all of which is rendered valueless, as water has washed earth from the side of the mountain more than sufficient to fill all the cuts.

#### TROUBLESOME FOREIGNERS.

Native Americans Preferred in the Coke Regions.

PITTSBURGH, May 25.—A plan is being considered by members of a coke syndicate to introduce new men in the coke regions. In case they decide to put new men to work they will be carefully protected, and preference will be given to native Americans, as they have found Hinnarians too troublesome to make any more experiments with them.