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EASTERN.

News of the Week from Beyond the Rockies.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE.

A Yacht Capsized, and Twenty-seven Out of Forty Passengers Drowned.

New York, July 11.—The sloop-yacht *Mystery* left Ruffin bar last evening, loaded almost to her gunwales with men, women and children. When off Barren Island, en route for Canarsie, the yacht capsized, and only thirteen of the forty souls composing her passengers and crew are known to have been rescued. The party was made up chiefly of German families resident in Brooklyn and Long Island City. When the passengers of the *Mystery* and *Christiana* gathered on the pier to embark for Canarsie, so many men of the party showed the effects of the beer that they had drunk that the skippers thought best to put the women and children aboard the *Mystery*, which rates as a much safer boat than her consort. The women protested, but their protest was unheeded. Capt. Hendrickson, of the *Mystery*, said he was going to get to Canarsie first or blow a stick off. Reef knots were unfastened and a boom dropped just as a squall of considerable violence struck the sail. In a second she was on beam ends, and all the people were struggling in a choppy sea. Fully half the drowned people were children.

A negro in a row boat put out from the shore, and succeeded in saving seven lives, and a tug which was in the vicinity saved six.

DEMPESEY AND NEVITT.

The Former Knocks the Latter Out on the Third Round.

TOLEDO, Ohio, July 11.—The long expected glove contest between Jack Dempsey, the feather weight champion from California and Chicago, and Frank Nevitt, of this city, occurred at daylight this morning at Bay point, just across the Michigan line. About 100 sporting men were present. Three rounds were fought, lasting fifteen minutes. The first round was simply sparring. The second round was hotly contested. Nevitt struck Dempsey a stinging blow on the temple, breaking his hand, Nevitt receiving a terrible blow on the right side. The third round was the bloodiest, Nevitt doing little fighting and acting mainly on the defensive. His nose was broken and his right eye badly battered by Dempsey, and he received a cut on the head. The round closed by Dempsey knocking him out of the ring. Nevitt being unable to rise, and Dempsey being declared winner. The match was for \$50 a side and gate money. Nevitt is so badly punished that he is seriously ill.

A Short Strike.

New York, July 11.—A general strike for an advance in wages of ice men in the employ of the Knickerbocker Consumers and the New York company took place this morning. The strike only lasted till noon, when the companies granted the men's demand, and the ice famine from which store-keepers and house-keepers had suffered during the forenoon, was brought to an end.

The Kanaka Queen.

New York, July 11.—A. P. Carter, the Hawaiian minister, went down the bay this morning on the revenue cutter, *Grant*, which has been placed at his service at quarantine, and Queen Kapiolani and her party were taken on the *Grant* and brought to New York. The queen will leave for San Francisco en route for the Hawaiian Islands Wednesday or Thursday next.

Bancroft Ill.

Newport, R. I., July 11.—The venerable historian, George Bancroft was seized with a sudden illness yesterday which gave every member of his household great concern. A physician was called and remedies administered. Last night he was reported as being comfortable, with no alarming symptoms.

THE KANAKA REVOLUTION.

The Relative Effectiveness of the English and American Fleets in the Pacific.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The department of state is still in official ignorance of the revolution in Hawaii. First Assistant Secretary Porter said to-day that the department did not expect to hear anything for four or five days yet; not until the dispatches which Minister Merrill had sent on the *Mariposa* shall have been sent overland from San Francisco and received in Washington.

One of the prominent officers of the department was asked how much force the United States had in the Pacific at present. "We haven't any," was the reply; "at least none to speak of. The Pacific squadron with the exception of the *Alert*, are wooden sloops and carry from six to eight smooth-bore guns, worth as much as a boy's popgun when compared with modern artillery. The *Alert* is an old vessel of 600 tons and carries four guns. If the fleet were to be mobilized it would take about ten years, I guess, if it ever could be done. The *Adams* has been at Honolulu since June 14th, the *Vandalia* is probably half way between Callas and Hawaii, the *Junia* is in Central American waters bound to China via Sandwich Islands, the *Mohican* is on the west coast of South America, probably near Peru, the *Troop* is at San Francisco being repaired and the *Alert* must be somewhere

near the Mohican. The complement of officers and men carried by the Pacific fleet is about 1300 officers and men.

"The force that England has in Pacific waters could be rapidly concentrated. All vessels are in good condition, built after the latest models and carry rifled cannon of large calibre and not old smooth bores like we have. But I don't think we need fear any danger from England, as I have always understood that a perfect understanding exists between the United States and England in regard to Hawaii. Germany might, however, try to have a preponderating influence thereon. She is now engaged in a colonial policy and is trying to extend her power elsewhere. We can never afford to see any other country obtain overshadowing influence in Hawaiian affairs, and if necessary to prevent it we should go to war."

DIED IN POVERTY.

A Witness of Lincoln's Assassination Dies at the Actors' Home.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 12.—At the Actors' Home, Saturday, George Gaines Spear, the veteran comedian, 78 years, who made his first appearance on the stage in the old Fremont theater in 1829, breathed his last, having been confined to his bed nearly four years. The most notable event in Spear's life was in being a witness to the tragedy on the stage of Ford's theater when President Lincoln fell a victim to John Wilkes Booth's pistol shot.

A Little Old Man Dies.

New York, July 12.—Thomas Durand, aged 70 years (colored), known as "Japanese Tommy," was buried in Evergreen cemetery to-day. He was a dwarf three feet high, and had been exhibited before all the crowned heads of Europe. There was no funeral service.

The Black Queen Going Home.

New York, July 12.—Queen Kapiolani kept her hotel to-day and rested previous to going on her journey to San Francisco this evening. The queen and party will leave in the 6 p. m. train, and it is not intended to make any breaks in the journey between the two points.

A Visit to Rose Elizabeth.

HOLLAND PATENT, July 12.—President Cleveland and wife arrived here this morning. They walked from the station to "The Weeds," the residence of Miss Elizabeth Cleveland, where they were heartily received by the president's sister and his niece, Mary D. Hastings.

Extensive Colliery on Fire.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 12.—One of the best collieries of the Philadelphia & Reading company, is on fire, and is probably doomed to destruction, entailing a loss approaching \$100,000. Three hundred men and boys will be thrown out of employment.

A Rise in Milk.

BOSTON, July 12.—The consolidation of the three leading firms of milk contractors in this city was effected to-day, and the consolidation will control the entire milk supply of the city.

JEFF DAVIS LIED.

He Drew Largely on his Imagination in his Recent Talk.

New York, July 13.—In a letter to the Herald ex-Gov. A. G. Curtin, of Pennsylvania, says: "There is not one word of truth in what is said to have been uttered by Jefferson Davis about me. I never pardoned a desperado with the understanding that he would assassinate Davis, and I had not the money personally and could not have taken from the treasury \$10,000 which he alleges to have been the reward."

Gen. Roger A. Pryor says: "That he never heard of any such association as Davis charges, and does not believe the charges to be true. He believes the interview a fabrication or exaggeration."

Cleveland at Clinton.

CLINTON, N. Y., July 13.—President Cleveland and party reached Clinton at 10 a. m. to-day. An immense crowd was at the station to greet them. They were escorted to Mrs. O. P. Williams' residence, where they were greeted by the members of the Centennial committee and many venerable citizens, while the parade of six divisions was going over its route. Nearly all available space in the village was crowded with spectators, and they are coming in on every train and by every road. After the parade the president spent an hour in receiving callers at Mrs. Williams' home. Over 30,000 people were present. The train then moved out and the people cheered the president and waved their hats as he stood uncovered and bowed his acknowledgments.

The Fastest Time Yet.

New York, July 13.—Norman L. Munro's new steam yacht, "Nowthen," built by Herreshoffs, left Newport at 11:22 a. m. yesterday and arrived at Twenty-fourth street, this city, at 6:26 p. m. making the trip in seven hours and four minutes. This is the fastest time for the distance ever made by any steamer in American waters.

Cameron Going to Europe.

New York, July 13.—Gen. Simon Cameron, who is 90 years old, is at the Fifth Avenue hotel. He sails for Europe to-morrow. He is going for pleasure and study. He will visit Gladstone and study the Irish question.

PACIFIC COAST.

News by Telegraph from West of the Rockies.

HONG DI LYNCHED.

He is Taken Out and Hung by a Mob at Colusa.

COLUSA, Cal., July 11.—The military guard at the jail was removed shortly before midnight, the excitement having apparently died out. Shortly before 1 o'clock an armed band of 150 appeared at the jail, seized the sheriff and began to search for Hong Di, who was found secreted under the sheriff's bed. He was taken out and marched through Chinatown, where not a light appeared, to the railroad grounds, where a halt was made. Weaver was in the crowd which followed and came forward with questions. As this was understood to be Hong's last speech Weaver asked him if he had not always treated him with kindness and done favors for him, and Hong answered, "yes, yes." Did I not give you a razor and many other things?" asked Weaver in tones of suppressed passion. "Yes," said the Chinaman.

Again, as though he were repeating a lesson he had learned by note: "What did you shoot me for then?" demanded Weaver, his voice ringing out sharply in the death-like stillness of the quiet night. Weaver paused a moment to give the Chinaman time to reply, then he asked sharply: "What did you shoot Mrs. Billou for?" Hong Di evidently tried to speak. His lips moved, the muscles of his pallid, drawn face quivered convulsively, but no sound came.

Again Weaver asked the question, this time with increased emphasis and in a manner which demanded an answer. The wretched coolie stammered a few unintelligible words and then gasped out: "I was drunk with whisky." Several other attempts were made to induce Hong to speak, but he was powerless to do so. The word was then given and he swung from a cross bar of the turn table. He was allowed to hang seven minutes, when the body was lowered. Finding life not entirely extinct he was again suspended and left there. The crowd dispersed quietly.

The lynching was brought on by the verdict of the jury of murder in the second degree.

NOTES FROM ALBANY.

Drowned at Brownsville.—The Body of Jack Lermitt Found.

ALBANY, Or., July 1.—From a gentleman who returned to-day from Brownsville particulars were ascertained of the drowning of a little grandson of Noah Shank at that place. On Friday last, with other boys, he was boat riding on the Calapooia and fell out of the boat and was washed down by the current and drowned before the boys could row to his assistance. The boy's mother is a widow lady residing in Brownsville, and he was a grandson of Noah Shank of Crawfordville.

Your readers will remember that a little over a year ago Jack Lermitt was drowned in the Little North Fork of the Santiam, and that although diligent search was made the body could not be found. A gentleman from Fox valley states that a few days since two boys were fishing in the river below Stayton, when they found the remains of a man. A brother of Lermitt was notified, and seeing the skeleton, upon which enough of clothing remained to render identification possible, recognized the remains as those of his brother. The remains were taken to Mehama and interred.

Ben Holladay's Funeral.

PORTLAND, Or., July 11.—Many old residents of Portland, both men and women, gathered at the cathedral this morning to witness the funeral services over the body of the late Ben Holladay, according to the rites of the Catholic church. The imposing high pontifical mass was celebrated for the eternal repose of the soul, after which the remains were laid to rest in St. Mary's cemetery in East Portland. Quite a large cortege attended the corpse to the grave. The pall bearers were Senator John H. Mitchell, Dr. B. Norris, Hon. Henry Failing, Hon. John Carson, Judge C. B. Bellinger, Hon. James K. Kelly, Hon. Geo. H. Williams, Hon. Cyrus A. Dolph. It was at first thought to have the body embalmed and sent back East to be laid by the rest of the family, but this was reconsidered, and his remains will lie in the earth of the state for whose early prosperity he did much.

Men of War for Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Orders have been issued by the navy department to the United States men of war attached to the Pacific squadron to prepare to go to Honolulu for service if required. Injunctions are imperative on every available vessel, and it is intimated that if necessary the Asiatic squadron will be sent on. If such is the case more federal war ships will be concentrated at Honolulu than at any place for many years.

ANOTHER DECAMPER.

A Narrow Gauge Railroad Conductor Departs for the "Springs."

PORTLAND, July 12.—The latest Portlander to join the financially embarrassed fugitives is Charles Gould, for many years a conductor on the Narrow gauge railroad. He was esteemed in this city as an honest, upright man, far above doing anything that would reflect upon his enviable reputation. Even now it cannot be

said that he is a rascal; he is merely a victim of unfortunate business ventures, and didn't have the heart to face the music, as far as can, at present, be learned.

Some time ago, it is stated, he formed a co-partnership with A. E. Potter to conduct the Occidental restaurant, and while in that business he is said to have exhausted his means, as the concern did not pay. He took no active interest in the business, continuing as conductor on the railroad. The avalanche of bills that came in which the firm were unable to pay staggered Gould and he "lit out." There was a report to the effect that his decamping was prompted by domestic difficulties, but that is not true. Before leaving he wrote his wife a letter stating that he was financially embarrassed and could not bear the consequent trouble. He contemplated going to California, and as soon as he was settled there he would send for her. He had to take the step he did for his individual peace of mind. Gould said he regretted it, but there was no alternative for him.

THE KANAKA REBELLION.

The Small, Seven-by-nine Kingdom Thoroughly Agitated.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—The anxiously awaited Honolulu steamer *The Australia*, arrived this morning, but contrary to all expectations, brought nothing startling of the condition of affairs in the capital of the Hawaiian kingdom. Ek-Premier Gibson, who was arrested by the Honolulu Rifles for embezzling funds and imprisoned, was soon released and allowed to go to his home under police surveillance, where he was to remain until Wednesday, July 6th, when he will be arraigned before the police judge on the charge above named. On Saturday morning, two days after the mass meeting, the town presented a more quiet aspect. At an early hour the following notice was issued from headquarters:

"Citizens are requested not to turn out under arms this day. Guard of Honolulu Rifles will be dismissed at 10 a. m., as every thing is quiet."

Tuesday's Daily Bulletin says: Business was resumed this morning. The city wore a peaceful look, and there was not the least sign of war around.

The Gazette of the same day had the following editorial: "We advocate strenuous, merciless, and thorough investigation of all, especially pecuniary, transactions in this whole reign, and we call for legal punishment of the wrong-doers, W. M. Gibson and his tool Hayselden." Monday night the report was current that Gibson was going to leave the kingdom clandestinely, in order to prevent any such undertaking. Squads of citizens undertook the surveillance of his residence and the city front. He did not leave his house.

The United Workmen.

PORTLAND, Or., July 13.—The ninth annual session of the A. O. U. W. grand lodge of Oregon and Washington territory convened this morning in their hall at the corner of Third and Alder streets, known as Schneider's hall, Grand recorder D. T. Wheeler in the chair. The morning session was occupied in admitting representatives from the various lodges. A resolution was passed that the grand lodge meet at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. The reports of the grand master workman, grand recorder, grand receiver, grand medical director and finance committee were submitted. There are seventeen representatives in attendance on the lodge.

Refuse to Sign.

LOS ANGELES, July 13.—Car drivers and conductors in the employ of the Los Angeles Cable Railway company went out yesterday sooner than to sign a new agreement presented by the company. The clause to which they particularly objected is one holding them responsible for damages. There has been no disorder whatever, and none is anticipated. For every vacancy there has been fully ten applicants.

No Foundation.

EL PASO, July 13.—Circulars giving a story of the alleged arrest and imprisonment of A. B. Bird and his opera troupe at Paso Del Norte were circulated here yesterday. The most reliable information indicates there is no truth whatever in the allegations contained in these circulars and that they are only intended to cause trouble between Mexican and American settlers on the border.

DIDN'T FREEZE HIS TONGUE.

"Talking about the days when passes were issued," said a tornado-voiced man, as he vigorously pulled at a dock-wood cheroot, "I've seen the time I could go from Chicago to St. Louis for one dollar—no rebate at that."

"I can beat that," said a red-whiskered man. "I have seen the time I could go to Louisville for fifty cents."

"Gentlemen," commenced a dry-goods drummer—
Each man held his breath in a state of expectancy.
"You can all talk about riding cheap, but some eight years ago I went down to Nashville to sell a good-sized bill of goods—something like a half million dollars to one man—and I got a ticket for five cents, with a suit of clothes thrown in, and gentlemen, the road led me on champagne and ices all the way."

"The ices didn't seem to freeze your tongue so that it is crippled much, if they did freeze your cheek pretty hard," ejaculated a bystander.
Miss Fannie Plummer and Miss Cooper, of Portland, returned home yesterday, having been for ten days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gatch.

FOREIGN.

Record of News from Over the Atlantic.

NEWS FROM PARIS.

Schnaebels Given a Higher Position—Popularity of General Boulanger.

PARIS, July 9.—M. Schnaebels, the arrest of whom by German police came near being cause belli between France and Germany, has been appointed to a higher position at Leon. He wanted to be again placed on the frontier, but this the government refused to do.

Many houses and newspaper offices were illuminated in honor of Gen. Boulanger, whose departure was delayed for an hour by a crowd numbering 30,000 persons. A number of detectives were sent to Clermont Ferrand with Gen. Boulanger.

It is reported that in an interview with Meinrath, editor of *La Republique*, M. Clenceau denied that he had built up the popularity of Gen. Boulanger. He protested against any dictatorship, especially of the sword. He would prefer a radical statesman at the head of the government, to a general, however brave and patriotic.

A Disastrous Flood in China.

LONDON, July 9.—The Wenchow river in China has overflowed its banks, submerging miles of territory. Thousands of persons are believed to have been drowned. The sufferings of survivors are described as terrible. Chu Chow city is submerged, its inhabitants having taken to boats.

Submerged by a Waterspout.

LONDON, July 9.—The town of Nagykarakly, Hungary, was destroyed by a hurricane and waterspout Wednesday night. The site of the town and adjoining district is converted into a vast lake. Many persons lost their lives. The people of the town believed the day of judgment had come.

Divorce Suit and Counter-Suit Dismissed.
LONDON, July 9.—David Debensande, the husband of Violet Cameron, the burlesque actress, has humbly dismissed the charges he made against Lord Lonsdale, and his suit for divorce based on the charges. Miss Cameron has withdrawn her counter petition for divorce. Both cases have accordingly been dismissed.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, July 9.—Flour, supply good; price steady, 9s 8d. Wheat, holders offer freely; new No. 2 winter, dull, 6s 8d; No. 2 spring, dull, 8s 7d. Corn, holders offer sparingly; price firm and steady; spot, 3s 11½d; July, 3s 11d; August, 4s 1½d; September, 4s 1½d.

A LIBERAL GAIN.

Coventry Lost to the Government by the Elevation of Eaton to the Peerage.

LONDON, July 11.—The result of the election in Coventry on Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of Henry William Eaton, conservative, to the peerage, shows a liberal gain. Ballantine, the Gladstonian candidate, received 4,229 votes against 4,213 for Col. Eaton, the conservative candidate, whereas at the previous election Henry William Eaton was returned by a majority of 405 over Ballantine.

The *London Standard* says the Coventry election should teach unionists that the battle is not over, and that incessant exertions are still necessary to secure the position they have won. "We shall be surprised, however," says the *Standard*, "if Gladstone's speech on Saturday to his American admirers does not revive the home feeling in all its original intensity. No language can add a darker shade to his expressions of sympathy with the intrigues of American Fenians that are subsidizing treason in the heart of the British empire." The *Times* says: "The result of elevating Henry William Eaton to the peerage is the loss of Coventry to the government. Eaton's elevation is an inexplicable and gratuitous blunder, and a warning which must not be neglected."

LONDON NEWS.

Prince Ferdinand Goes to Ask the Czar if He Can Have the Bulgarian Throne.

LONDON, July 11.—A dispatch from Vienna to the Chronicle says Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg, started for St. Petersburg Saturday to solicit the czar's consent to his acceptance of the Bulgarian throne.

The government has allowed the Sultan five days longer in which to consider ratification of the Egyptian convention.

Frank Hugh O'Donnell has begun libel suit against the *Times* for damages because of charges made against him by that journal in its articles on "Farnellism and Crime."

It is reported that Mr. Scilla has informed the people that the time had not arrived to establish a nunciature or apostolic delegation in London, although some official link between England and the vatican seemed not only expedient, but impressive.

London Stock Exchange.

LOSOS, July 11.—In the stock exchange to-day foreign securities are flat. Russians are especially affected, and have fallen two per cent. due to articles in the Berlin press disfavoring investment in Russian stocks. Other markets are flat in sympathy with foreign securities, and especially is this the case with

home railroads. Dispatches from Berlin and Paris report weak markets in both cities.

A Significant Order.

BERLIN, July 11.—It is reported the Darmstadt court of chancery has summoned all guardians and trustees having Russian stock under their management to appear before the court within the week for the purpose of deciding how they shall otherwise invest money intrusted to them.

Jubilee Aftermath.

PARIS, July 11.—Lord Lyons, British ambassador, laid the foundation stone of Victoria chapel in the Rue Des Bossins, in honor of the queen's jubilee. The bishop of Tennessee officiated. United States Minister McLane and other distinguished Americans were present at the ceremony.

A HIGH OLD TIME.

The Duke of Portland Gives a Banquet, and Little Phelps Attends.

LONDON, July 12.—The duke of Portland yesterday reviewed the ancient and honorable artillery of Boston, and afterwards presided at a banquet given them, United States Minister Phelps and Col. Walker, of Boston, having seats of honor. The lord mayor of London, Lord Napier, the Boston delegates, Tilton, of the New York old guard, and others were present. The duke of Portland offered a toast in honor of Queen Victoria and President Cleveland, Phelps responding to the toast to President Cleveland.

ORANGEMEN CELEBRATE.

Orations, Shillalabs, and Enthusiasm the Order of the Day.

DUBLIN, July 12.—The 12th of July is being celebrated by Orangemen throughout Ulster with unusual fervor. Rev. Dr. Kane presided over a monster gathering in this city. Many violent speeches were made, and the city was crowded with Orangemen from the rural districts. Several skirmishes have already taken place between Orangemen and Catholics. The police have been reinforced so as to be prepared for any trouble.

The German Shootists Ahead.

FRANKFORT, July 12.—The rifle meeting here has been a great success. Results have shown that the old superiority of Swiss marksmen is gone. The bulk of the prize winners were Southern Germans. Marksman Gustars won the emperor's cup.

Destructive Fire in Russia.

LONDON, July 12.—Five hundred and thirteen dwellings, the police offices, six school houses and bank have been burned at Witopsk, Russia, causing a loss of 2,000,000 roubles. Thousands of the city's inhabitants are homeless and numbers perished.

Editor O'Brien Defiant.

LONDON, July 12.—Wm. O'Brien, editor of *United Ireland*, at Kingstown made a speech which was filled with defiance. He said that the government would be required to enforce the coercion act in a most barbarous manner before it could suppress the liberties of the Irish people.

Cholera Increasing.

ROME, July 12.—Cholera is increasing in Sicily. There have already been 200 cases at Catania, of which 140 proved fatal. The Neapolitans are alarmed because of the arrival in their city of numbers of fugitives from Sicily.

Fall of the Bastille.

PARIS, July 13.—German residents of Paris have been ordered to remain indoors to-morrow, as it is feared they will be attacked if they appear on the streets during the celebration of the anniversary of the fall of the bastille. The Patriotic league has announced its will to make a demonstration to-morrow at Place de Concorde and Bois de Boulogne. It is feared these meetings will give rise to serious disorder. Police authorities are making extensive preparations to maintain peace.

The Bull-headed Sultan.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 13.—The sultan persists in his refusal to sign a covenant with England in reference to Egypt in its present form, notwithstanding he is urgently advised to ratify the same by Germany and Italy.

THE BOOM WAS WELL STARTED.

During the course of a sermon in a Dakota town last Sunday harsh creaking was heard to proceed from under the church. After some time a movement was felt in the building and several members of the congregation got up and started out, fearing an earthquake was coming.

"Friends," said the minister, as he stopped his sermon and leaned on the pulpit, "pray be seated, there is no danger."

"But the church is moving and there's something wrong," replied a lady who was very much agitated.

"Oh, that's all right, Sister Brown. You see there are some workmen under the building with jack-screws, and now they have hitched on to the back end with ten yoke of oxen and are snaking the edifice over on to a back street. In the morning, God willing, work will commence on this lot on the finest opera house west of Chicago. I tell you, the boom in this town is only just nicely started."—Dakota Bell.

Miss Gessie Giesy, of Aurora, returned home yesterday morning from a short visit to Salem.