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EASTERN CAPITAL COMING.

Another National Bank Will be Established in Astoria.

A CONGRESSIONAL MOVEMENT.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—In the United States senate to-day, Senator Mitchell presented a petition relative to Oregon's Indian deprecation claims, and made a short speech, calling attention to the fact that the committee having charge of these claims had as yet made no report on any of them. He urged them to do so.

Consideration of the silver bill, by unanimous consent, was postponed until Monday, when it will be taken up, not to be laid aside until final action can be had.

Territorial bills will go over until after definite action on the silver bill.

Nevada Versus Texas.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—In the senate to-day Stewart, from the committee of irrigation of arid lands, presented a majority report. He introduced a bill as a substitute for the majority report.

Deliberations in the House.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The house met at 11 o'clock. Decker, of the house, took the floor and proceeded to address the committee of the whole on the tariff bill. He spoke for one hour. Decker, of Michigan, then took the floor.

Pacific Coast Postmasters.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The president to-day nominated Samuel W. Backus to be postmaster at San Francisco; John W. Green, at Los Angeles; Charles H. Weatherax, at Placerville; Isaac S. Miller, at Ontario; Mrs. Clara D'Arcy, at Payallup, Wash.

Change in Postmasters.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The following changes have been made in postmasters of Oregon: Allie Carey, at Dolph, Tillamook county, vice Carrie E. Hill, resigned; C. E. Ross, at Hunt, Baker county, vice E. R. Ross, resigned; F. E. Hatch, at Sandy, Clatsop county, vice S. B. Hatch, deceased; A. H. Diven, at Waldport, county, vice J. D. Spencer, resigned.

Chairman Declines to Report.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The house committee on Pacific roads to-day postponed final action, Chairman Day declining to report the senate bill as instructed, he insisting that the Union and Central Pacific should be on even terms as to interest. Burroughs then made some remarks. When Burroughs finished McMillan arose and proceeded to address the committee from a Democratic standpoint.

Buenos Ayres Railroad.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The department of state is officially informed that the province of Buenos Ayres has rejected the bid of \$35,000,000 made by Samuel B. Sale & Co., for the Great Western railway and has extended the time for further bids till August the 14th next.

An Enterprise Involving Many Millions.

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Oklahoma Officials.

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WASHINGTON, May 8.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate to-day for the territory of Oklahoma: Geo. W. Steele of Indiana, governor; Robt. Martin of Oklahoma, secretary; supreme court of officials, Edward B. Green of Illinois, Chief Justice; Abraham J. Sney, of Wis., and John G. Clark, of Wis., associate justices; Warren S. Larby of Virginia, United States marshal; Horace Speed of Oklahoma, U. S. attorney.

Second National Bank.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—E. B. Edee of Pawnee City, Nebraska, and associates have applied to the comptroller of the currency for authority to organize a national bank at Astoria, Oregon.

SILVER IN THE SENATE.

A Caucus of the Republican Members.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Republican senatorial caucus this morning was largely attended. The silver question was again the subject of discussion and again no agreement was reached. The silvermen refused to accept and support a bill containing the clause which will permit the redemption of purchase rates on bullion under any condition.

Senator Jones who had been expected to open the debate on the bill when it comes up in the senate in New York. He was telegraphed to yesterday by his colleague, senator Stewart, of Nevada. In answer senator Jones did not fix any time for his return and stated that he would make his speech when he came back. Senator Vest will offer a substitute for the pending bill.

An Important Amendment.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The senate inter-state commerce committee favorably reported the bill to amend section five of the inter-state commerce act, making international railroads subject to provisions of the inter-state law.

Worsted Goes as Woolen.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The senate to-day passed the Dingiey house bill to classify all worsted cloth as woolen.

An Important Order.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The following order was issued to-day by general superintendent of the railway mail service bill:

General order No. 213 all offices and R. P. O. lines handling foreign mail for dispatch for San Francisco, Cal., will make up the same in packages properly labeled when there are six or more letters for foreign dispatch; when there are less than six letters they should be included with the California state mail. The present practice of including foreign matter with San Francisco city mail must be discontinued at once.

Federal Election Bill.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Chairman Rowell, who was authorized by the Republican caucus to draft a federal election bill, to-day reported a bill which would be referred to the committee on elections and proposes to extend to all congressional districts, the provision of law by which federal supervisors of elections are now appointed for large cities. The present practice of appointing supervisors, who nominate deputies, who shall see that no unfair means are used. Supervisors shall record rejected votes for future reference in case of a contest.

To Prevent Chinese Coming.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Dolph's senate resolution requesting the president to negotiate with Great Britain and Mexico, with the purpose of securing a treaty of stipulation for the prevention of the entry of Chinese into this country, contrary law, to-day reported favorably to the house by Morrow, from foreign affairs. It will be called up in the house at an early day. Morrow also presented a substitute for Vandevier's resolution, providing for an international commission to settle the Mexican boundary, and other questions between the two countries.

Senator Beck's Funeral.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

ASTORIA, May 8.—The funeral of senator Beck took place at the first Presbyterian church which was filled with an audience of persons distinguished in political and social life in Kentucky. Up to the hour of the funeral, the body lay in state in the church, and was viewed by thousands of citizens. Business was generally suspended during the time the services were in progress. The public buildings are draped in mourning.

Five hundred people attended the funeral of senator Beck, all the state, county and city authorities. Several companies of state militia escorted the remains after a brief and simple service at the first Presbyterian church, to their last resting place.

Attended by Distinguished Persons.

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Pool Champion Games.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, May 8.—The pool championship between Deoro and Alfred Powers began to-night; three games were played; Deoro won, 200 to 173.

The Governor's Funeral.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CHICAGO, May 8.—The funeral services of the late Governor Sherman took place at the family residence in Everston, Ia., this afternoon a large number of friends were present and the body was placed in a lot at Rosehill.

HORRIBLE HOLOCAUST.

Officers and Inmates of a Lunatic Asylum Roasted in Flames.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, May 8.—Robert P. Porter, superintendent of the eleventh federal census, being interviewed to-day, said: Everything is progressing admirably. He will give out the result of the enumeration of the population twenty days after the enumeration is made.

DYNAMITE IN CHICAGO.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CHICAGO, May 8.—Inspector Eberold, of the Chicago police department, narrowly escaped death from the explosion of a torpedo which was thrown at him last night. A similar attempt to kill him was made, presumably by the same parties, a few days ago.

Went to the Springs.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, May 8.—John S. Cross, of the firm of Lord & Cross, of this city, has been missing for a week. He is short \$28,000, principally on raised forged checks bearing the signature of W. C. Fairies, a wealthy dealer in live stock.

Journalist Sues Billionaire.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW YORK, May 8.—Ex-Judge Hilton has been sued for \$50,000 in a civil suit brought by Graham, the city editor of the World. Graham is one of those arrested on Hilton's complaint for criminal libel.

AN IDIOT WOMAN

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

Smoked a Pipe With Terrible Results.

NORWICH, N. Y., May 8.—The Chenango county almshouse was destroyed by fire last night. The fire started in the insane ward, where fifty lunatics were confined, and the horrors of the Montreal fire, on a smaller scale, however, were repeated. It is reported that twenty-five persons perished in the flames, several officials being among the number. Many insane and other patients were severely injured. About forty persons are not yet accounted for, but it is supposed that all are dead.

The bodies of nine paupers, all women, have been recovered. The flames originated from a pipe which an idiot woman was smoking. The woman who caused the fire was burned to a crisp.

High Water in Louisville.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NEW ORLEANS, May 8.—The Red river at Shreveport is one and three tenths feet higher than ever before, and several plantations below are under water.

A Railroad Agreement.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CHICAGO, May 8.—Nineteen lines east and west of the Missouri river to-day agreed upon and adopted the new passenger agreement of the Western Passenger association. The only road which refused to sign was the Wisconsin Central. Nothing of importance was done at the reorganization of the meeting of the Interstate Commerce Railway association, except the appointments of committees to draw up some agreements and report to-morrow.

Fire and Loss of Life.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

NORWICH, N. Y., May 8.—By to-day's fire the Chenango county almshouse was destroyed. There were but ten lives lost, all women and girls. Keeper Jennings believes the fire is due to spontaneous combustion.

Badly Defeated.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CLEVELAND, May 8.—The Medicine men met the local team on the Players grounds to-day, and were badly defeated by heavy hitting. Score—Cleveland 14, Buffalo 5.

Entirely Too Much Rain.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

BROOKLYN, May 8.—The game between the National League teams of Brooklyn and New York was postponed on account of rain.

Every Inning a Triumph.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 8.—The local team of players carried away the honors to-day, from the New York team. Every inning was a triumph and the attendance which was largely applauded to the echo. Score—Philadelphia 14, New York 5.

Steady Playing Wins.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

BROOKLYN, May 8.—The local team made 7 runs in the first inning here to-day, but were defeated by steady playing by the Boston team. Score—Brooklyn 10, Boston 11.

THE ATCHISON SYSTEM.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders and Directors.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

TOPEKA, May 8.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road was held at the general office of the company, in this city, to-day. There were 540,000 shares of stock represented, a total of \$54,440,000 out of \$75,000,000. The directors elected for the ensuing year were: G. C. Magoun, A. Manwell, B. P. Cheney, O. W. Peabody, Alden Spere, Thos. Baring, Wm. Lobley, J. E. B. Purcell, L. Severy, and Levi C. Wade. The only change in the directory was the substitution of Levi C. Wade for one of the Peabody brothers. A change was also made in the time of holding the annual meeting of the stockholders and directors: at the special request of the interstate commission, it was changed to the last Thursday in October.

The annual meeting of board of directors was called to order immediately after the adjournment of the stockholders meeting, and was organized by the election of the following officers: Chairman Geo. C. Magoun, president; Allen Manwell, second vice-president; J. W. Reinhart, third vice-president; J. E. Goddard, secretary and treasurer; E. Wilder, assistant treasurer; G. S. Goodwin, assistant secretary; A. S. Tuckerman, general counsel; J. J. McCook, general solicitor; Geo. R. Peck, auditor; H. C. Clements, comptroller; J. P. Whitehead and the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co. were chosen as transfer agents.

LABOR IN CHICAGO.

Carpenters Begin Work and Waiters Leave Off.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CHICAGO, May 8.—All building operations were resumed to-day on a basis similar to that which existed before the carpenters' strike. About three thousand men took up their tools which were laid down a month ago to-day and went to work. The demands of the committee upon the proprietors of Kinsey's restaurant this afternoon were refused. The waiters in a body then marched out leaving several hundred customers at the quiet and unexpected proceedings.

THE HEAVY WEIGHTS.

An Unsatisfactory Combat.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PROVIDENCE, May 8.—Patsy Cardiff, the Peoria giant, fought George Godfrey, the Boston negro heavy weight, at the Gladstone club, for a purse of \$1,250 to go to the winner. With little to go to the winner. Cardiff, wearing a thousand, was crowded with sports, calling from all parts of the eastern states. Billy Mahony was referee. The men entered the ring at 10 o'clock, both in fine condition.

The fighting was a disappointment, for Cardiff faked from the first, and Godfrey did all the leading, getting both first blood and first knock down. Cardiff was badly done up about the face, but at the end of the 16th round, when he threw up the sponge, he was as sound physically as before the fight began. The crowd was intensely disgusted, and were of the opinion that either Cardiff is an unmitigated coward, or that the game was fixed from the first.

The Plumbers Object.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 8.—About 300 plumbers struck to-day because apprentices were doing master plumbers' work.

Back at the Old Rate.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 8.—The Irwin miners have returned to work at the old rates of 60 cents per ton, and will sign a yearly contract.

Heavy Battering by Chicago.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CHICAGO, May 8.—The features of the game at the Brotherhood park, was the heavy hitting of Chicago. Both nines played busidly in the field. Score—Chicago 20, Pittsburg 5.

Not Much of Interest.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 8.—The local team had for contestants to-day the doughty Bean Eaters. Both teams were in good order, but played listless at first. In the sixth inning, the Philadelphia woke up and scored four runs by buncing the balls. The attendance was not what might have been expected, owing to the Players game. Score—Philadelphia 5, Boston 4.

Hotly Contested Game.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CLEVELAND, May 8.—The game to-day at the National grounds, between the Pittsburg and Chicago teams, was one of the hottest contested games seen here. The locals won by hard hitting in the first two rounds, while the visitors were scoring errors. Score—Cleveland 9, Pittsburg 8.

Ghastly Memorials.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PITTSBURG, May 8.—Five more bodies have been found at Johnstown. Two were mother and children clasped in each others arms.

A COMPLETE HYPOCRITE.

A Prominent Church Member Turns Burglar.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

ST. LOUIS, May 8.—This morning two burglars attempted to effect an entrance into the carpenter shop owned by Geo. Stalkamp. One was Henry Knoll, Stalkamp saw the intruders and called out and both ran. Stalkamp fired with a shotgun and Knoll fell dead in his tracks. The body was taken to the morgue.

An identification to-day revealed a singular story of a double life. He was about 30 years of age and in prosperous circumstances, owning and conducting a profitable harness business on a moderate scale. Stalkamp owed him some money and paid him yesterday. In doing so, he revealed quite a sum, which it is supposed Knoll was after.

Knoll had been married but about five months, and always bore a good reputation among his friends and associates. He was a prominent member of St. Matthew's church, president of a singing society and a director of the Y. M. C. A., was connected with the church and led the choir. When he left home last evening, he told his wife that he would have to be down town at the saddle shop the greater part of the night.

Killed by His Sweetheart.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., May 8.—Lida Mason, a pretty young grass widow, to-night murdered Percy Rich, her lover, to prevent his marrying another woman. Rich was aged 30, a flour manufacturer and quite wealthy.

Magnificent Playing.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

CHICAGO, May 8.—The game at the League park to-day, was a most noted one for Chicago. At the half of the sixth inning, the score stood 8 to 4 against them. In that inning 17 men went to the bat, making 12 hits and 12 runs. Every one of Chicago's runs was earned by Hatchison, O'Brien and Earl, making home runs. Score—Chicago 18, Cincinnati 8.

A PRIEST MISSING.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

He Marries His Housekeeper And Deserts the Church.

MEXICAN AQUEDUCT DISABLED.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

MONTREAL, May 8.—Rev. J. Lewis Martin, who while a Catholic priest, fell in love with his housekeeper, is missing. Four years ago, he renounced Catholicism, married his housekeeper and entered the Methodist ministry. Since then he has violently assaulted papacy. His friends declare that the Catholic church authorities abducted him on Monday.

All Quiet in France.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

PARIS, May 8.—Twenty thousand strikers at Roubaix resumed work to-day. The strike is practically ended.

No Water to Drink.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.]

MEXICO, May 8.—A heavy gale has blown down five arches of the aqueduct, leaving the city without any drinking water.

ILWACO INKLINGS.

(Advances.)

ISAAC Wieldson sold his ranch on the Willapa, to P. J. McGowan, for \$8,000.

The Hans Hansen place near the forks of the Willapa river, was sold for \$11,000.

Deputy fish commissioner Houchen, has optioned his farm on Bear river for \$4,000.

Messrs. Welch & Brophy made the extraordinary sale for Griffin of 80 acres for \$80,000, at South Bend, last week.

Old revolvers are taken as legal tender at Judge Rodway's bar in Oyster-ville. Guess he wants them to shoot snakes.

A Mr. Morgan, who is cashier of the Bellingham Bay National bank, will start a bank at South Bend, with a \$50,000 capital.