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#### The Condition of the Treasury Is Now Easy.

#### GREAT TIDAL WAVE AT OHIOAGO

#### Turks Will Have to Apologize and Yield Reparation for Their Treatment of U. S. Flag and Property.

Associated Press. Washington April 7.—The president has signed the commission of Max Judd, of St. Louis, as United States consul general at Vienna.

It is said at the state department that no communications, verbal or written, have been received by the secretary to indicate that the Austrian government has any objection to the new consul general on account of his being a Hebrew.

The treasury department is in an easier condition than it has been for several months past, due largely to the increased reception from customs.

No additional facts relating to the assault upon the United States consul in Peru, were received yesterday in possession of the state department officials today. Efforts to locate the scene of the trouble have thus far proved fruitless. The cable company report that the name of the place was not contained in the dispatch and there was no dropping out in the transmission.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Maxwell today appointed 117 fourth-class postmasters.

#### CHICAGO WEATHER.

#### Something Special for the Exposition Year.

Chicago, April 7.—This is the warmest day Chicago has experienced during the month of April in twenty years. The mercury stood at 82 degrees, and a hot wind blew from the south at the rate of thirty miles an hour. The heated spell was broken this evening by a hail storm which passed over the southern portion of the city breaking several thousand dollars worth of window glass. This morning the wind leveled the Indiana hotel, a new frame structure near the World's Fair grounds. As the building came down it flattened a one-story building adjoining and another building holding the panorama, which was not sufficiently braced, was also turned into a pile of kindling-wood. About 3 o'clock this morning about four feet high several vessels from their moorings and damaged them considerably. The cause is said to be sudden squalls on the lake.

St. Joseph, Mich., April 7.—A tremendous tidal wave swept in over the beach from Lake Michigan last night, the water extending back over the sand a distance of 600 or 700 feet. The big wave swept every movable thing before it.

#### VIGOROUS ACTION

#### Is to Be Taken to Punish Insults to Our Flag.

Washington April 7.—The United States takes vigorous action in regard to the outrages on American citizens at Marsovan in the Turkish dominions, and the violation of the mails of the United States legation.

Secretary Gresham cabled to Minister Thompson at Constantinople, a strong expression of the president's views on the subject, and demanding, not only prompt reparation for the burned seminary, but the punishment of all parties guilty in the matter, the minister to act promptly, and advise the department by cable. No effort is to be relaxed in securing the legal rights of our citizens in Turkey.

#### LOOKING FOR A GOOD HARBOR.

Washington, April 7.—Each day's recurring session of the senate shows a diminishing attendance of senators. At the opening today the vacant chairs were much more numerous than the occupied ones. The call of the senate, however, had the result of gathering into the senate chamber forty-seven senators, four more than a quorum. A resolution for a trip of the committee on commerce to the Pacific coast for the purpose of deciding on the relative advantages of San Pedro and Santa Monica for a deep water harbor was taken up, and agreed to.

#### PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

Washington, April 7.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate today: Caleb B. West, of Utah, to be governor of Utah; D. Murphy, of Washington, D. C., first deputy commissioner of pensions.

#### LABOR LEGISLATION DESIRED.

Washington, April 7.—In the senate Voorhees introduced a resolution, was reported to the interstate commerce committee, reciting the decision in the Ohio strike

cases, and directing the committee to report what legislation was necessary to amend the interstate commerce act so as to protect and regulate organized labor.

#### A STRANGE ACCIDENT.

#### Nine Men Killed in a House by a Run-away Cantilever.

Joliet, Ill., April 7.—An accident occurred on the drainage channel at Romeo about 6 o'clock this morning by which nine men were killed and six severely wounded. A severe wind and hail storm about that time caused the men to take refuge in the engine house at one end of a huge canal trolley machine at the south end of the track, and the engine house at the north end of the cantilever was carelessly left unfastened, and as the wind increased to a gale it started down the track towards the engine house in which the men had taken refuge. When the machine reached the end of the track the top part toppled over on the engine house, and as a result nine of the men were killed and six severely injured. They were all Italians except the foreman who was Samuel Korus of this city. The cantilever was so badly wrecked that it is a total loss, as is another which was blown over a mile north of here.

#### MCCARTY FOOLED THEM.

#### Officers Search the House and Find No McCarty There.

Baker City, Or., April 7.—The officers who have been guarding Bill McCarty's house at Haines under the belief that Bill and Tom McCarty, the supposed bank robbers who escaped from the officers a few days ago, were secreted therein, made a search of the house, and to their chagrin found no trace of the McCarty's. It is believed that the men have secreted themselves in the vicinity and are now awaiting a favorable opportunity to get out of the country by rail. The reported capture of Kid McCarty at Boise City proves untrue. He is supposed to be in Arizona.

Ed McCarty, who is under arrest here, killed a man in a variety theater in this city about two years ago with a corkscrew.

#### IDAHO BANKS SUSPENDED.

Spokane, Wash., April 7.—A Review special from Wallace, Idaho, says the Coeur d'Alene Bank did not open this morning. This action was advised by the bank's attorney who asserts that suspension is owing to a disagreement between the owners, DeLashmuth and McAulay, who will dissolve partnership. H. B. Hall the cashier and county treasurer has attached the funds of the bank to secure a county deposit of \$20,000. The sheriff has taken charge as receiver. The individual deposits are small and very little uneasiness is felt. The bank at Wardner, owned by the same parties is also closed.

#### GREAT CALIFORNIA CROPS.

San Francisco, April 7.—Reports received from forty points in all parts of California indicate that this state will have bountiful crops this year. In San Joaquin valley the great wheat raising district of the state, the crops will be unprecedented in size. Rains have been bountiful and timely, and a larger acreage than ever before was planted. In the Sacramento Valley, the other great wheat raising district, reports are not so favorable.

#### HORRIBLE BUTCHERY.

San Bernardino, Cal., April 7.—A horrible butchery which occurred in this city yesterday resulting in the death of an old man named Goldhoffer and a woman named Francisca Flores at the hands of an assassin, Jesus Fuen, culminated in the lynching of Fuen by a mob early this morning.

#### FIFTY-FOUR LOST.

Constantinople, April 7.—The cause of the sinking of the sultan's steamer reported several days ago, was a collision during a gale, with the admiralty steamer. The number drowned was fifty-four. Most of them being servants of the palace.

#### MARINE

#### DR. SAMUEL PAYTON DEAD.

Stockton, Cal., April 7.—Dr. Samuel Payton, aged 65, a member of the board of health, died suddenly of apoplexy this evening. He was once president of the Willamette University, at Salem, Oregon.

#### WALLACE'S SUDDEN DEPARTURE.

Tacoma, April 7.—The democratic national committee man, Hugh C. Wallace, left for Washington city rather suddenly and unexpectedly last evening, expecting to be absent a month or six weeks.

#### BY WIND-SWEPT FLAME.

Omaha, Neb., April 7.—The gale which swept over Nebraska today here before it great billows of flames which swept from thousands of fertile acres every vestige of vegetation.

#### A MICHIGAN STORM.

Chicago, April 7.—Despatches from several points in Western Michigan report a severe storm accompanied by heavy rain today. Much damage was done.

### PATAHA CITY BADLY BURNED

#### The Main Business Portion Laid in Ashes.

#### STEAMBOAT MEN HAVE TROUBLE

#### Oregon and Washington Crops Make a Splendid Showing—Idaho Banks Suspend.

#### Associated Press.

#### Walla Walla, Wash., April 7.—A special from Pocatello, says:

A fire this morning destroyed the main business portion of Pataha City. The fire started in the hardware store of Crawford & Son and an hour and a half later, all the business houses were in ashes. A heavy wind was blowing from the west at the time and the fire department was unable to check the advance of the flames. The flames extended to buildings on both sides and soon all were burning fiercely. It is supposed the fire was incendiary; in its origin the total loss is about \$40,000; insurance, \$20,000.

S. Spedden, O. Peoning, S. Reynolds and brother, all of whom were sleeping in the buildings, narrowly escaped. The losses are as follows: Harford & Son, hardware, loss \$12,000; insurance, \$5000. Peoning & Bournhauser, general merchants, \$18,000, insurance \$15,000. S. Reynolds, groceries, about \$3500, insurance \$1000. There were some other minor losses.

#### STEAMBOAT MEN IN TROUBLE.

#### Owner of Steamer "Bismarck" Protests Against Inspectors' Action.

Portland, Or., April 7.—There is trouble brewing between Mr. Bennett, owner of the steamer Bismarck and the local inspectors. The Bismarck formerly ran on the lower Columbia, but lately has been running in opposition to the Oregon Pacific boats on the Willamette. He sent his license to the inspectors to have the locality changed and when it was returned to him he found his passenger license was revoked. He was also ordered out on the ways for overhauling. Bennett followed instructions of the local inspectors but has sent a protest to Superintending Inspector Birmingham at San Francisco, asking for a re-survey by higher authorities than Edwards and McDermott. The Bismarck is now on the ways at the Willamette ship building yards on the East side. Her owner is spending about \$15,000 on repairs.

Mr. Bennett says in regard to revoking his passenger license: "When we began running against the Oregon Pacific boats every influence was brought to bear against us. Our boat satisfied the people and they are afraid it will be taken off."

#### A GOOD OREGON CROP.

#### Larger Acreage Than Usual and Larger Yield Promised.

Albany, Or., April 7.—The estimate of fall grain in Linn county places the acreage much larger than usual, and the prospects are favorable for a large yield. On account of the continued wet weather the acreage of spring grain will be below the average, but the total acreage will be larger than last year, and present prospects indicate a large crop.

La Grande, Or., April 7.—The unusual lateness of the season has delayed spring planting of grain, but a large percentage of the total acreage was planted last fall. Fruit of all kinds wintered well. In general the prospects for crops in Grand Ronde valley this season are good. A large hay crop is assured.

The Dalles, Or., April 7.—The past week rain has been copious and the weather conditions most favorable for growing crops. The increase of acreage in wheat is from ten to fifteen per cent. The ground is well soaked and the outlook in this section for a large harvest is first class.

In the Klamath valley, Wash., the season is more backward and seeding is late. Winter wheat has a fine setting and is growing well in all sections.

Athens, Or., April 7.—Fully one-third of the fall wheat has frozen out and is now being re-seeded. More than one-half the entire acreage will be spring sown. The grain season is fully one month late over last year. General rains with snow in the Blue Mountains make the weather too cool in the lower lands for any vegetation to grow.

Pendleton, Or., April 7.—The chances here for a good crop are excellent. Much rain and snow during the past winter and rains this spring insure it. There never was so much moisture in the ground as now. The farmers are jubilant. Some grain was winter killed but has been re-sown, which does not diminish the chances for a fine yield.

Walla Walla, Wash., April 7.—The prospects for a crop in Walla Walla county are flattering. Late rains have wet the ground deeper than for many years. The fall sown grain is doing

fine ly. The acreage sown this year is about thirty per cent greater than usual.

Spokane, Wash., April 7.—Although seeding has been retarded in this section by the backward spring, the outlook has not been better in years. The ground is moistened to an unparalleled depth and experience in this section has shown that this is an almost infallible indication of an excellent harvest. The acreage will not show a great increase owing to the tendency to summer fallow, but the yield is certain to show an increase. The prospect for fruit is not so encouraging. It is feared the peach and apricot crop will be a failure. Other fruits will do fairly well.

#### FIRE AT IRONTON.

#### One Woman Burned.—Property Loss Half a Million.

Ironton, O., April 7.—The Yellow Poplar Lumber Company's plant was destroyed by fire this afternoon. The trestle of the Norfolk & Western Railroad also was destroyed and the passage of all trains stopped. Thirty dwellings were burned from catching fire from sparks from the burning mill. Twenty-two families and their household goods were burned. Mrs. Brush, an invalid, was burned to death. The Norfolk & Western road lost seventeen cars. The loss of the mill property is \$400,000, and the loss on the dwellings will reach \$70,000. Two hundred and fifty persons are thrown out of employment. The fire is still burning and should the wind change the rest of the town will go.

#### GREAT TRAVELING RECORD.

Sacramento, Cal., April 7.—Miss Edith Day, one of the editorial force on the Portland Railway Guide, reached Sacramento at 7 this evening, from Los Angeles and after remaining three hours left for Portland to complete her tour of the United States, including a visit to the City of Mexico, aggregating 19,000 miles, made in eighteen days' time. She left Portland, March 2nd. This is one day less than Miss Bessie Mitchell made a similar trip and is a feat unparalleled probably in the history of railroad traveling in this country.

#### SOUTH AMERICAN REVOLT.

Buenos Ayres, April 7.—The revolt in the province of Catamarca is spreading and gaining power. Within the last few days several encounters between the government troops and the insurgents have been reported. Many were killed in the field on each side and all the prisoners were shot. The insurgents captured the railways. The government is sending out troops to protect his state property.

#### A PIPE MAKER FAILS.

New York, April 7.—Frederic Kaltenberg, one of the leading men in the mechanical pipe trade, made an assignment today. His factory is valued at \$340,000 and is encumbered by a \$115,000 mortgage. It is reported that his contingent liabilities as endorser, probably amount to \$250,000. In December last, he made a statement showing his assets to be about \$1,000,000, and his liabilities, \$339,000.

#### ANOTHER FIGHT.

New Orleans, April 7.—Andy Bower, this city and Jack Burke, of Texas, fought at the Olympic Club last night for a purse of \$2,500 and the lightweight championship of the South. The fight was stopped in the 110th round by the referee, who declared it no fight. The purse will probably be divided. Bower wanted to finish. Bones on both Burke's hands were broken.

#### THE "HEKLA" HEARD FROM.

New York, April 7.—The disabled and overdue steamer Hekla, from Scandinavian ports, was heard from again yesterday. The steamer Vendome, which arrived last evening, sighted the Hekla about 625 miles east of this city, coming slowly west. She showed no signals, or indicated that she needed any assistance. She has about one thousand passengers aboard.

#### COUNTY ASSESSORS MEET.

Portland, Or., April 7.—In response to the call of the state board of equalization, eleven county assessors met here today to discuss the taxation question. George C. Sears, of Multnomah, and E. C. Deikman, of Washington, were respectively chosen for president and secretary.

#### REVOLUTION IN JAMAICA.

Kington, Jamaica, April 7.—It is reported that an uprising under General Gonzalez has taken place against President Hueraux in San Domingo. The revolutionists assert that Hueraux is attempting to bring about annexation with the United States, which they oppose.

#### ANOTHER DISTILLERY BURNED.

Owensboro, Ky., April 7.—A fire this afternoon destroyed the large warehouse of the Glenmore Distillery Company here. The building contained 18,000 barrels of whisky. The loss is estimated at \$250,000. The loss was fully covered by insurance.