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LATE ORIENTAL NEWS

Mass Meeting in Tokio Repressed by Gendarmes.

REPARATION WANTED OF CHINA

France, America and England Want An Accounting for Ill-Treatment of Missionaries.

Tokio, Japan, July 2, per steamer Eskdal, via Victoria, B. C., July 19.—The largest mass meeting ever convened in Tokio was called together here June 30, at which more than twenty prominent leaders of the parties opposed to Count Ito's ministry were expected to make speeches. From the beginning, however, it was evident that no expression of opinion adverse to the government would be tolerated. No speaker was allowed to touch upon the subject of the recent negotiations with Russia, Germany and France. Thirteen orators in succession were silenced by the police before the they had occupied the platform five minutes. The audience became impatient at this extreme measure of repression and presently broke into wild denunciations of police tyranny. For a time the excitement was uncontrolable, but the danger had been foreseen, and at the most critical moment a large body of gendarmes entered the hall, evidently prepared to use force, if necessary, in subduing the agitation. It was then decided to dissolve the meeting as nothing could be gained by further persistence.

The representatives of France, America and England at Peking are demanding reparation for the ill treatment of missionaries and the destruction of foreign property in the province of Szechuan with a vigor which startles the Chinese government.

Ships of war of the three nations are hurrying to the districts where their protection is needed and a squadron of French vessels is charged with the duty of exacting atonement by the severest methods, in case the demands of the envoys are not immediately complied with. The central government is bewildered and frightened.

DUN'S REPORT.

New York, July 19.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade will say:

The week's news is not entirely encouraging, but it is all the more natural because there are signs of mid-summer dullness. Wheat prospects are not quite so good as last week, but prices are still lower, as corn and cotton have been lowered. The exports of gold and less favorable treasury returns for July are not unexpected and mean nothing as to the coming business. There is a perceptible decrease in the demand for manufactured products and the distribution to consumers naturally lessens in midsummer. Much of the recent buying was to anticipate a rise in prices and such purchases fall off when the prices have risen. There are still numerous advances in wages but strikes grow more numerous and important in part because business was unusually large in the first half of July. The quiet tone meets reasonable expectations. The heavy bank failure in Montreal does not affect finances here and is passing there with less disturbance than was feared.

Gold exports for the middle of July, when crops are beginning to move, if not meant to affect stocks can at all events have only a speculative significance.

The failures for the week are 256 in the United States against 235 last year, and 39 in Canada against 44 last year.

SLOOP WRECKED.

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 19.—The sloop Restless is reported lost off Santa Cruz Island with sixteen persons on board. Last Monday a party of young people left this port for a pleasure trip to the islands on the Restless. The sloop started down and made very slow progress as long as in sight. A reasonably brisk breeze was blowing and it is not known whether anything was the matter at the time. The party was expected back two days ago, and last night friends of the party commenced getting uneasy about her return. This morning Fred Forbush, port inspector, whose son is aboard the sloop, and Mr. Pratt, started a search party. The searching party was expected back this evening if the Restless was found, but at 8:30 p. m. there was no sign of either boat. The latest reports from down the coast stated that the Restless is wrecked.

The names of the parties who left on the Restless are: Messrs. Duncan, McDuffy, Hamilton, F. Lamb, Flint, Forebush, and the Misses Metcalf, Harmon, Snell, G. Diehl, M. Johnson, Sayer, Mrs. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Poreus and George Sanders, an Ann Arbor law student. All the parties were from Santa Barbara. The sloop is in charge of Capt. Burkes, assisted by Frank Cook. At 10 o'clock no further particulars were received.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT.

New York, July 19.—Bradstreet's will say:

All previously reported favorable industrial and commercial features are continued this week. The endurance of a revival in the demand for iron and steel, further advances in the price of the same, and additional increases in wages of industrial employes being most significant. Merchants at almost all larger cities are preparing to send out travellers and until they begin to exhibit the results no estimate of how the fall trade will open can be prepared. At this time the outlook is regarded as highly favorable.

Pacific coast advices are that all the wheat crop is threshing out poorly, but in the northwest the prospects for the crop are of the best. The total yield of corn in the country will exceed even the previous large crop views.

SCHOFIELD'S REPORT.

San Francisco, July 19.—While Gen. Schofield was in this city on his tour of inspection of the garrisons and fortifications of the army he received from President Cleveland instructions to proceed to Alaska and inspect that coast and select, if practicable, a site for a military garrison there. The commanding general has completed this duty and on his return to Seattle, prepared and forwarded his report to the war department. While at Seattle the general also wrote a personal letter to one of his brother officers in this city, giving a synopsis of his report to the secretary of war. The general in his letter says:

"In going up and down the coast I made many observations and found there are numerous places where batteries could be placed should the government ever extend its fortifications that far north. If it is the desire of the war department to have troops in Alaska they should be stationed at Sitka.

"The only disadvantage would be the extra cost of transportation of supplies and stores. In my report to the secretary of war I have made suggestions on these lines."

It is understood among the officers that senators from Washington and Oregon will frame the necessary bill.

BOYCOTTING BANK NOTES.

Washington, July 19.—At the treasury department it was said the plan of Mr. Sovereign, of the Knights of Labor, of boycotting the national bank notes, if carried out, would prove more harmful than beneficial to the labor interests of the country, as it would contract the currency to the extent of $211,000,000 without injuring the national banks.

"It would not hurt the banks at all," said O. P. Tucker, deputy controller of the currency. "If men should refuse to receive their notes the banks would present them to the United States treasury for redemption and receive legal tender notes which they would continue to use in their business. There are only $211,000,000 of national bank notes in circulation, while there are $950,000,000 of other kinds of money outstanding."

CHICAGO SILVER CONFERENCE.

Chicago, July 19.—The silver conference at the Auditorium today was marked by strong difference of opinion between the Southern and Northern representatives. At one time a split seemed imminent over the desire of the Southern men to ignore the Bimetallic League. They maintained that the avowed purpose of the league was to assist the aspirations of their presidential candidate, Jos. Sibley. The men from the South desired to conduct their work in their section within the ranks of the Democratic party; in the North to conduct the agitation on a non-partisan basis.

Bucker, of Colorado, asserted that the trouble now in the West was a growing belief that silver was but the tail of the Democratic kite.

THOUSANDS FALSELY REGISTERED

San Francisco, July 19.—The internal revenue officials say there are two sets of registration certificates out for most of the Chinese here. When the registration law was first passed, a number of Chinese were registered by Collector Quinn. Then the constitutionality of the law was tested, and it was decided that the registration was to be done all over again. Many Chinese sell their second certificates and there are said to be thousands of falsely registered Chinese on the coast. They are pouring over the borders north and south.

RAILROAD LANDS.

Washington, July 19.—Secretary Hoke Smith has approved land lists as follows: Central Pacific Railroad, as successor of the Oregon and California Railroad, two lists aggregating 87,381 acres in the Reading and Marysville districts, in California; Northern Pacific Railroad, 174,406 acres in the Lewiston, Idaho, land districts. None of these lands are located in parts of the country where mineral surveys were appointed by the last congress.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Seattle, July 19.—Commander D. S. Mullna, of the United States ship Mohican, had a narrow escape Thursday afternoon as his ship came into port. A coil of rope fell from the main yard, eighty feet above, struck him on the head and glanced off his shoulder, knocking him senseless. Had it struck him squarely it would have killed him.

FOUND A CLEW.

Chicago, July 19.—The police found tonight in a stove in the house formerly occupied by H. H. Holmes, the alleged murderer of the Pitezels, a quantity of charred human bones and part of a watch chain formerly owned by Minnie Williams. The chain was identified by the jeweler who made it.

THE PITZEL CHILDREN MURDER.

Toronto, July 19.—The murder of the Pitzel children continues to be the absorbing topic of conversation here. Though the police think Howard Pitzel, the little brother of the murdered girls, was made away with in Detroit, there are circumstances which will justify further investigation.

MARKET REPORT.

Liverpool, July 19.—Wheat—Spot, quiet; demand, moderate; No. 2 red, winter, 5s 2d; No. 2 red, spring, 5s 7½d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 7d; No. 1 California, 5s 9d.

Hops at London—Pacific coast, £2.

New York, July 19.—Hops—dull.

MEXICAN CATTLE ORDER.

Washington, July 19.—The reported action of the Mexican customs collector at Palomas, in ordering all the cattle owned by citizens of the United States to be taken out of that district, under penalty of confiscation, is not given credence in official circles here.

THE PUGILISTS.

Baltimore, July 19.—At the Riverside Club tonight, young Corbett knocked out Shadow Maber in the seventh round.

Tommy West, of Chicago, put out C. Johnson, of Baltimore, in two minutes and 37 seconds.

CABINET MEETING IN SUMMER.

Washington, July 19.—For the first time in many years there was a midsummer cabinet meeting in Washington today in the absence of the president.

O'DONNELL WINS.

Montreal, July 19.—Steve O'Donnell was awarded the decision in the 15th round tonight in a fight with Billy Woods.

THE BABY NAMED.

Buzzard's Bay, July 19.—President Cleveland's third baby has been named Marion.

At a picnic near Echo, at which several dozen Echo people were present, nearly everyone was poisoned by coming in contact with poison oak.

TIME LIMIT IS FIXED

If Matters Not Closed Today Serious Delay Liable.

HAMMOND HAS OTHER BUSINESS

Cannot Neglect Other Affairs Waiting on Astorians to Meet Their Agreements.

A prominent member of the committee of twenty-one yesterday stated that he had received advices from Mr. Hammond that unless the subsidy matters were closed this week so that he could go on with the work of construction that an unknown period of time might elapse before he could undertake the work of construction, or other business connected with the Astoria road. His interests are varied and large, scattered in different parts of the country and of necessity take a great deal of time and personal attention. Astorians have had a long time in which to get their affairs in shape and now that there remain but a few matters to close up it would seem that there should be no cause for longer delay.

It is understood that Mr. Hammond has been called to other parts of the country on important business which may detain him several months, and if he does not get construction work commenced before he goes it will of necessity have to await his return. That will be an indefinite time, and may carry the whole thing over another season. Mr. Hammond fully expected to be called upon to commence work this week and with that end in view organized the construction company the other day, but it looks as though the services of that company would not be required very soon. He is much disappointed and cannot quite understand such a policy of delay on the part of those so vitally interested and whose interests are so completely wrapped up in the success of the railroad enterprise.

The committee yesterday did not receive any more of the subsidy deeds, but feel most confident that there will be substantial returns today so that there need be no more procrastination over such a vital matter. They feel hopeful that better counsels will prevail and that such action will be taken at once as will end the question in a most satisfactory manner and permit decisive work being done immediately. That this will be done eventually is admitted by all who know the gentlemen most concerned, but now, the present moment, is when it is needed and it is to be hoped the moment will not be lost.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Items Culled From Oregon's Leading Newspapers.

Near Ukiah, says the East Oregonian correspondent at that place, the following notice can be seen posted upon a big pine tree: "For Sale—The United States of America, the finest and best paying piece of property on earth, population 70,000,000—mostly fools. There are mortgages and bonds on the property for some five thousand million dollars, but it is worth double that sum to any ambitious potentate having enough money and military power to carry on the business. Will be sold at a bargain to the right parties if applied for soon. The inhabitants are law-abiding, disarmed, and will stand any amount of taxation when shrewdly adjusted. Reason for selling: Well, merely a little domestic trouble concerning the gold standard and a certain goddess, an idol of the people. No danger of a revolution, as the inhabitants are thoroughly hypnotized by a hallucination, known as liberty-on-the-brain. No guarantee, however, will be given, and the buyer must take all risks incident to the transfer of the plant. The property must be sold and payment made before March 4, 1897. Apply to the agents in charge at Washington, D. C."

George Peterquin, deputy assessor, returned yesterday evening from a trip to the Bohemia mines, says the Roseburg Plaindealer, and reports the Music mine, managed by the Bohemia Gold Mill and Mining company, working two shifts night and day, with fifteen hands, which turns out for their five stamp mill a large yield of rich ore. A large proportion of the yield is free milling ore. It is regarded as a regular bonanza for the owners. It is claimed by those who have good opportunities for knowing, that the monthly output is not less than $5,000 per month with their limited facilities. The Annie mine two miles northeast of the Music mine, now works five men, pushing a tunnel, and in a short time it will be in full blast. It is claimed that the Annie mine will equal the Music mine in richness. There are also quite a number of prospectors in that region who are doing well in developing their claims, all of which prospect well.

Dr. J. A. Richardson of this city, says the Statesman, has been in correspondence for some time with the United States fish commissioner with a view to procuring some new species of fish for the waters of this region. His efforts were rewarded by the arrival of that official one evening recently and by receiving from him twenty-five vigorous young black bass, which he placed in Mill creek near the Reform school. Judge Hayden of Polk county also received the same number and planted them in a lake on his premises, where they will have a good opportunity to multiply and replenish. The black bass is one of the most toothsome as well as the most "gamy" of the fish family and is the delight of the eastern lake fishermen. It is also a strong, active fellow, well able to take care of itself, and propagates numerously hence in a few years it will be found plentiful wherever it gets a good start.

Coos county has taken up the good roads movement and proposes to have some roads that are passable at all seasons of the year. The county has undertaken the improvement of one of its main highways with coal ashes, having an abundance of that material on hand. The ashes are to be put on eight feet in width and one foot deep, and cost by contract 75 cents per ton. These ashes are said to make a firm and lasting road bed, and in a coal producing country like Coos is a comparatively cheap material. The movement for good roads is growing all over the state, and before many years Oregon will have a system of highways equal to any state in the Union.—Oregon City Enterprise.

Alexander James Walker, aged 59, a native of the state of Maine and a pioneer prospector west of the Rocky mountain slope, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor at the residence of James Severson, city marshal of Colville, Thursday evening. He was subject to dropsy and could not have lived over two weeks. Walker lost a pack train in the Similkameen country, on the American side of the international boundary line, several years since, and has been prosecuting a $6,000 claim against the government in the United States court of claims at Washington, and those who know his business say he had a chance of recovering his loss.

Sunday last near Forest Grove, Washington county, John Raycraft, an industrious young farmer of that region, went bathing in the Tualatin river. He continued to walk into the middle of the stream without fear or hesitation, but finally stepped into a hole and sank, drowning almost instantly. The body was recovered later. His death in such a manner was a great shock to the community. The same night the residence of A. S. Veach, a merchant of Forest Grove, was burned down by an accidental fire.

Fred W. Steusloff is the owner of a beautiful water agate which was found by a Salem lad on the gravel bar opposite the foot of Court street, says the Statesman. He purchased it at a cost of 50 cents and it appears to be just as fine a specimen of that class of gems as those found on Yaquina bay, for which extravagant prices are paid. Others have been picked up along the bars of the Willamette and Luckiamute rivers.

Marshal Means of Pendleton attempted the other day to arrest two Indians, who were on horseback. He fired a shot at them, which stopped one, but the other dug the spurs into his horse and made off. The marshal is a bicyclist and mounted his wheel and gave chase, capturing the fleeing siwash.

The grasshoppers are working in the grain fields of the Columbia hills. Uncle Tom Burgen was in town this morning, says the Klickitat Republican of last Saturday, and said the grasshoppers have cleaned everything up to Wedgewood's leaving nothing but the barb wire on the posts.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the secretary of state's office by the Granite Water company for the purpose of engaging in building water works at Granite, Grant county; capital stock, $1,000 in shares of $1 each; L. L. Forest, Neil Niven and Grant Thornburg, incorporators.

The Pomeroy Independent man rises in his Populistic wrath and exclaims: "The God of nature proposes to see there are no more male Clevelands born into the world, hence the president's wife bore him a daughter Sunday afternoon."

THE CHANGE IN INDIANA.

New York Evening Post.

The change of financial sentiment is perhaps most marked among the Democrats of Indiana, a state which has always been peculiarly subject to financial delusions. Last year the Democratic governor was for free coinage at 16 to 1 without waiting for the action of any other nation; now he declares against such a policy as too dangerous to be thought of. Two months ago a majority of the Democratic state committee favored a convention to declare for free coinage; today it is not believed that two members would sign such a call. Six weeks ago a majority of the Democratic editors were clamoring for free silver; last week they held a meeting and dodged the issue.

IGNORANT OF FIRST PRINCIPLES.

"No, sah," contemptuously observed Col. Allgore, "I have no use for that man as a physician, sah. I gave him his selling papers, bedad, sah, when he advised me to use as a tonic once or twice a day a small quantity of whisky mixed with—mixed with—let me see, what was it? O, yes, I remember—mixed with water."

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