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ASTORIA, OREGON, TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 14, 1896.

saible on the Eind of August.

which will be published a full list of

nated. It is ardently hoped that the work of the committee this afternoon

the amount necessary to bring off the

great event. It is unnecessary to en-

large upon the importance of the car-

nival, and the necessity incumbent up-

have yet been recorded in its history,

THE FLAG WAS FLANTED.

Astoria Bicyclists Celebrate on Saddle

Mountain.

a large number of Astoria wheelmen

started out for Saddle Mountain. The

trip is a long and arduous one, even on

tramps it is the best off of all excur-

galls, Jay Tuttle, Jr., E. Ferguson, Paul

came to town in a farmer's wagon

under the weather and had to lay up

for repairs. All said that the trip was

an exceedingly hard one, and would

map. In the northeast, snow peaks of

the Cascade range are clearly discern-

itors on the mountain peak.

have made the trip.

\$88,420,356.

but no savory meal was forthcoming.

THE GOLD RESERVE.

Washington, July 13.-The treasury

today lost \$657,300 in gold coin, of which

\$370,000 was for export. This leaves

the true amount of the gold reserve at

cold air is always pure air."

ious to do it again.

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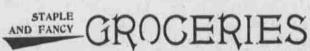
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### THE REGATTA

Reports Made Yesterday Show Good Progress in Securing Subscriptions.

WILL FINISH WORK TO-DAY

Those Not Yet Called on Will Be Visited Today and the Committee Expect a Bearty Reception-Program Committee Reports.

The executive committee in charge of the regatta held its daily meeting yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock at Mr. C. J. Trenchard's office. Reports of various committees were received and approved. It was decided to set aside \$850 from the funds collected for the carnival for the firemen's tournament. Captain William A. Johnstone, Capt. E. McCoy, R. E. Howes, and J. A. Brown, of Portland, were appointed a committee to arrange the details for the ocean yacht race between the Jessie and the Aggie. The Aggle belongs to Puget Sound, and is confident of vinning the race. Captain Carruthers, of the Jessie, thinks he can sail away from anything in Pacific waters. Gratke, Cowgill, Rathom and Lee were appointed as a press committee to see horseback or by vehicle. The man who that the newspapers of the Northwest coast were kept posted as to the spe- sionists. Sunday's party included: Jas. cial features of the regatta, and that Stokes and his two dogs; F. L. Parker, the event is kept constantly before the Tom Bryce, Walter Stokes, H. H. Inreading public

C. W. Stone, W. T. Beveridge and F. Badollet, Guy Stokes, Mrs. Stokes, and M. Gunn were appointed a committee Miss Nora Nickerson, three young laon music. The program committee re- dies from the country, whose names ported the following prospectus for the could not be learned, Mr. M. Waite,

Astoria, July 11th, 1896. To the managing committee of the left Astoria at 4 o'clock in the mornthird annual regatta, to be held in ing, and were the only ones who made the harbor of Astoria, on the 18th, the round trip in the same day. All nament, on the list and 22nd of Aug- Saddle mountain was seached in the

of your committee, held July 7th, your o'clock, when a photograph was taken appointment of a committee on pro- of the party. Before returning, a recgentlemen were duly notified by your of paper and placed in a fruit jar, tosecretary of such appointment, consist- gether with other records found on the the names of Captains C. Richard- of the way, and for the round trip,

meetings under such appointments, and the afternoon, and Astoria was reached nominate Democratic candidates for would most respectfully report and at 9:15. Several of the excursionists president and vice-president and adopt recommend the adoption of the follow- fell by the wayside and did not reach a platform of Democratic principles. ing list of events, for the regatta and the city until Monday. Walter Stokes tournament

REGATTA

First day, August 18th, 1896-1-Whitehall boats, double scull. 2-Surf boats (Life Saving Crews.) 3-Single scull, racing shell.

4-Ship's boat race, four oared. 5-Whitehall boats, sailing, anchor

6-Cat boats, sailing, three to start. -Cannery tenders (schooners) sailing. s-Gasoline launches.

9-Sloops, sailing, free for all. Second day, August 19th, 1896-

1-Cutters, lighthouse tenders.

2-Catamaran, man-of-war. 3-Double scull, pleasure boats

4-Gigs man-of-war. 5-Columbia river fishing boats, an-

6-Sloops, cannery tenders, sailing.

7-Sloops, 20-footers, three to start. 8-Exhibition by the life saving crew saving life in the breakers

9-Grand balloon ascension and par achute jump.

Third day, August 20, 1896-1-Indian canoe race.

2-Cutters, man-of-war and lightnouse tenders.

3-Single scull, racing shell. 4-Barge race, man-of-war.

5-Columbia river fishing boats (pull- lble. The Nehalem, Lewis and Clarke, 6-Columbia river fishing boat, sail- mighty Columbia form silver streaks

ng, anchor start.

7-Sloops, free for all. 8-Scows, sailing.

and prizes.

9-Exhibition by the life saving crew, saving life from a wreck.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT. Fourth and Fifth days. August 21st and

22nd, 1896-In this connection we would recom during the tournament: 1-Hose race, wet test, first and sec

2-Hose race, dry test, first and sec and prizes.

3-Hand engine contest, one prize. 4-Hub and hub race.

5-Association championship race

first and second prizes. 6-Hose coupling contest.

8-One hundred yard race. 8-Two hundred and twenty yard

10-Swimming contest, for amateurs

In this connection, before you take final action, we would recommend that you consluit with the board of fore-

#### that you use every endeavor to have SOUND MONEY in ocean yacht race, and would sug gest that the event be brought off if

Today the soliciting committee will Illinois, the Home of Altgeld, Takes call upon all those who have not yet the Lead for a New subscribed to the fund. They expect Deal. to complete their labors tonight, after

the subscribers and the amounts do- REVIEW OF THE CONVENTION

will result in securing the balance of Violated All Party Precedents in Rejecting a Distinguished Democrat as Its Temporary Presiding Officer, and in Its Nomination.

on all to contribute to the necessary expenses. Suffice it to say that every Chicago, July 13.-The executive comdollar subscribed means two dollars mittee of the gold standard Democrats gained and the future benefits to be of Illinois met in protracted session toderived from the carnival cannot be day and prepared an address to the estimated. At this particular junc-Democracy of other states in the Unture in the affairs of Astoria the event ion. It was the unanimous opinion of will commemorate some of the greatest the committee that a second national steps taken towards the ultimate fulconvention should be called to nomifillment of Astoria's future hopes which nate candidates for president and vicepresident. The address is as follows:

"To our fellow Democrats of other states: A national convention, convened under the constituted authority of our party has just closed its session in the city of Chicago. It entered upon its work by violating all party precedents, in the rejection of a distinguished Democrat as its temporary presiding officer; It deprived a sovereign state of a voice in its deliberations by unseating, without cause or legal justification, the delegates elected with all regularity known to party ororganization; it refused to endorse the honesty and fidelity of the present Democratic national administration; It adopted a platform which favors the free and unlimited colnage of silver by this country alone at the ratio of 16 tol. arrangement of events during regatta Mr. McCroskey, Mr. Stevens, and Thad and thereby it repudiated the timehonored Democratic principle which demands the strictest maintenance of a Messrs. Parker, Bryce and Ingalis sound and stable national currency; finally, to make it still plainer that, although in name it was not, in fact, 19th, 20th, and the firemen's tour- hands met at Olney for breakfast, and a Democratic convention, it nominated for president one who is not in his political convictions, and has not alearly afternoon. The Stars and Stripes Gentlemen: At the regular meeting were planted on the summit at 2 ways been even in his professions, a Democrat. This made such a crisis, both for the nation and for the Demogram was made, and the following ord of the event was written on a piece cratic party, that sound money Democrats must at once decide what political action they will take for the protecing of Messrs. Gunn, Fulton, Brown, summit, buried in the earth, and the tion of the honor of the nation, the McCoy, Worsley, and Johnstone, and spot marked appropriately. During the prosperity of the people, and the that your sub-committee have added trip bicycles could only be used part life and usefulness of the party. The sound money men of Illinois have fully son, and G. W. Woods, to said commit- thirty miles were made on wheel and made up their minds that a new Demotwenty-four miles on foot. The return cratic national convention should be We, your committee, have held two to the city was commenced at 2:45 in called for the earliest feasible day to

and Mr. Walter Robb was considerably Will Act Independent of the State Central Committee.

OREGON REPUBLICANS.

Portland, July 13.-The executive try the nerve and endurance of the committee of the Republican League very best. All of the ladies of the par- of Oregon held a meeting today at ty reached the summit of the moun- which it was determined to make a tain and exceeded some of the men in campaign independent of the state cenendurance. Parker, Bryce and Ingalis tral committee on McKinley and sound

carried off the palm, having made the money. This campaign will be carried or entire round trip between 4 a. m. and 9:15 p. m. Sunday. They are not anx- through the Republican clubs of the state. Secretary H. L. Wells has made One of the gentlemen graphically de- arrangements with the secretary of the scribed the beauties of the trip. While national league for a large amount of descending the mountain, the walk was new sound money literature which will a most delightful one, for the most part be thoroughly distributed throughout under the shade of evergreens. From the state. In addition to this the best anchored at George & Barker's boatthe summit of Saddle mountain a view speakers in the state will be sent out, house, near Booth's cannery. Mr. Utpar excellence is obtained. For hun- and an effort will be made to have the zinger first saw the flames, having been dreds of miles in every direction a speakers sent, at some time during the awakened by the barking of the dog. magnificent panorama of nature is campaign, to every voting precinct in. He ran to the scow, and thence to the view today: spread to view. To the south and the state. To facilitate this campaign dock near by, but finding nothing with west the vast mountainous country of the plan of the League is to have the which to extinguish the flames, gave north and west are seen the towns of paign in that county. The secretary cries, and immediately telephoned Envens and Fort Canby, like dots on a clubs on this subject.

AGAIN THE MILLIONAIRE Is Claimed by Half a Dozen Different

Young's river, Gray's river, and the Families. across the beautiful page. Even the San Francisco, July 13.-And now jetty and the railroad bridge could be sighted. Tongue point, Cape Disap- of the late millionaire, Thomas H. pointment and Tillamook Head were Blythe," as they themselves boldly asall clearly seen by the enchanted vis- sert, and are ready stoutly to maintain, and propose to reopen the long-Descending for the home trip, a drawn-out litigation with the United spring of pure, clear water was discov- States court as the forum this time. ered about one hundred feet below This new set of claimants, who are represented in San Francisco by one of the crest of the mountain, where all remend the following events to be held freshed themselves. The romantic spot their number, William T. Phelps, inknown as Devil's Kitchen was visited, sists that Thomas H. Blythe, who reached here in the ship Antelope, was Yesterday many of the excursionists not the bankrupt dairyman Thomas were seen to have a peculiar galt, a Williams, who smuggled himself sort of a limpity-limp manner of walk- aboard at the mouth of the Mersey to ing which they claim was the regular escape confinement for debt, but was Saddle mountain walk. Not one was Thomas, the tenth child and sixth son found, however, who was sorry to of the plous Thomas Williams, who died in Nashua, N. H., in 1835. It is alleged that Thomas Williams, who

> illes in as many parts of the world. BRYAN CONGRATULATED

was born on his father's farm March 29, 1828, was the Thomas Blythe who

has been claimed by half a dozen fam-

Salem, Ill., July 13 .- There was n ostentation or display made by W. J. "Remember that clear water is not necessarily pure water any more than Bryan, the Democratic presidential nominee, on his trip today from Chica-

#### go to this, the town of his nativity, go to this, the town of his nativity. OUR SPANISH at the Illinois Central depot and there was no special car provided.

The man upon whom the Democratic party thrust the greatest honor within its power, rode in a Pullman coach of the regular train, and every passenger It Requires Seventy-one Pages in the on board the train had access to the car, and nearly every one of them came back and shook hands with Mr. Bryan and his wife, and expressed their good wishes and congratulations.

GERMANY'S NAVAL PROSPECTS. Kaiser's Desire for More Ships Likely

To Be Gratified. Berlin, July 13 .- The emperor's speech

on the occasion of the launching of the new German battleship Kaiser Frederick III, at Wilhelmshaven, last Wednesday, has met with an echo of hear- enty-one printed pages in the volume of ty approval throughout the empire, foreign relations to set out the corwhich foreshadows popular assent to resopndence which has passed between a large increase of the German navy, the United States and Spain during one of the chief of the Kaiser's desires. 1895, yet in no case was there printed

point, expresses belief that the Reich- from United States officials touching stag will certainly vote to grant the the rebellion and its causes, progress or requisite amount of money to create a prospects. powerful navy and thus satisfy the to invade England. supremacy upon the sea, a strong Ger- with legitimate American com power in the world."

ANOTHER AMERICAN

Captured in Cuba and Placed in Solitary Confinement.

Havana, July 13.—George A. Guirre, statement in which he says: an insurgent captain, who is said to be an American citizen, is reported to special purpose, not to hit her, she behave been captured in a boat by the ing outside of the jurisdictional some gunboat Antonio Lopez near Pacurano, of Spain. This was an involuntary er-Guirre is in solitary confinement at the for which no one could lament more navy yard.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

the most successful and enthusiastic to the flag of a friendly power." gatherings known in the history of the organization, the fifteenth international sent to the commanders of ships of the tonight. The local committee of nine- is disavowed by the government of ty-six has every reason to feel satis- His Majesty." fied with the result of its work and is congratulating itself on its splendid state, closed the incident by accepting achievements.

DAKOTA POPULISTS.

Huron, S. D., July 13.-The Populist state convention will convene tomorrow to nominate a state ticket and name delegates to the national convention. Senator Pettigrew is here to form a silver party and elect delegates to the national convention.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool, July 13.-Wheat, spot, firm; demand, poor; No. 2 red winter, 5s 1d; No. 1 California, 5s 2%d.

UPPERTOWN FIRE.

Boat House Burned Early Yesterday Morning.

At about 1 o'clock yesterday morning fire was discovered on Johnson's scow. from spreading to adjacent buildings. near by, was lost, and the boat shed. together with the scow, making a total loss of about \$700. Mr. Utzinger stated come "the real heirs and next of kin that he saw a pile of sticks covered with coal tar burning on the scow the ground that the fire was incendiary. follows: Mr. Johnson lost everything he had on the scow.

FIRE ALARM BOXES,

Box 5-Trullinger's Mill.

Box 6-Bond and Seventh street. Box ?-Ninth and Duane.

Box 8-Commercial and Fifteenth.

Box 9-Clatsop Mill.

Box 12-Car Stables. Box 14-McGregor's Mill.

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# CORRESPONDENCE

Volume of Poreign Correspondence.

ALLIANCA AFFAIR EXPLAINED

For the First Time the Conclusion of the Incident Is Officially Made Public-His Majesty Says That He Didn't Mean to.

Washington, July 13 .- It requires sev-The Tageblatt, in an article upon this any matter in the nature of reports

The conclusion of the Allianca inciwishes of the emperor. The Hamburg- dent, in which a Spanish man-of-war er Nachrichten, Prince Bismarck's or- fired on an American steamship, is for gan, compares the naval strength of the first time known officially. Secre-Germany with that of England, and tary Gresham made a demand upon concedes the hopelessness of so en- the Spanish government for a prompt larging the German navy as to enable disavowal of the act of conde venadio it to successfully support an attempt in firing upon an American steamship; The Nachrich- for an expression of regret and the isten's article concludes by saying: "Al- suance of orders to Spanish naval comthough we cannot contest England's manders to refrain from interference man navy would assist other means in whether within three miles of the Cu paralyzing the extension of English ban coast or not. The Spanish government showed its entire readiness to do everything that international law required to smooth away the bad impression made by the incident. The Spanish minister of foreign affairs delivered to the United States minister a

"The Alilanca was fired upon with a than the government of His Majesty. whose purpose never was to set obstacles or hindrances to the legitimate commerce of the United States, and Washington, July 13.-After one of much less to give the slightest offense

He adds that instructions have been navy to "Avoid a repetition of events began last Thursday, came to a close similar to that now in question, which

> the duke's statement as a sufficiently satisfactory explanation.

Mr. Uhl, then acting secretary of

DELAWARE IS SEPARATE.

Wilmington, Del., July 13.-Senator Gray said today in reference to the Chicago platform:

"The financial plank of the platform is contrary to all my beliefs and to what I consider sound currency. I shall not change those beliefs, even at the bidding of the Democratic national convention. Convictions cannot be compromised. The Delaware Democracy is an organization separate from the national Democracy and has history and traditions of its own. It is too early to say what its course will be. Democracy in this state has always had, and is likely to continue to have a strong sympathy with that of New York, New Jersey and Maryland."

NOT TO BE TRUSTED.

Indianapolis. July 13 .- Ex-Congressman W. D. Bynam said in an inter-

"I have already said that I could not support the Chicago platform and the southern coast, stands out like a clubs in each county organize them- the alarm and started himself for Col- ticket. Personally, I like Bryan, but clear-cut cameo only lost to sight in selves as a county association of clubs umbia engine house. Mr. Burley, of his views are so at variance with what the shadows of the distance. To the for the purpose of handling the cam- Ross, Higgins & Co.'s store, heard the I believe, for the best interests of the country, that I would be false to my Astoria, Knappton, Ilwaco, Fort Ste- will at once address a letter to the gine Company No. 2. The department convictions were I to support his canwas on the ground as soon as possible, didacy. The influences which domiand succeeded in preventing the flames nated the Chicago convention were not such as can safely be trusted with the The plunger Alert, which was anchored administration of affairs of this great country."

NATIONAL REPUBLICANS.

Cleveland, July 13,-The Hon. M. A. when he first reached the spot. It was Hanna today announced the Republithe opinion of those who were first on can national executive committee as

M. A. Hanna, chairman, Cleveland; William M. Osborne, secretary, Boston; General Powell Clayton, Arkansas; Charles G. Dawes, Illinois; W. T. Durbin, Indiana; Cyrus Leland, Kansas; Joseph H. Manley, Maine; Hon. M. R. Quay, Pennsylvania; H. C. Payne, Wisconsin; N. D. Scott, West Virginia. One member has not been selected.

A cable line railroad has been planned to the crater of Popocatapetl.