

SOUND MONEY MEN IN SESSION

The Indianapolis Committee Begins Its Work.

IS A NON-PARTISAN BODY

The National Commission Composed of Representative Business Men from Every Section of the Country.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—To carry forward its work, the sound money executive committee appointed at Indianapolis last January met in this city today to proceed with the task of creating a national mission, which President McKinley has been prevented from naming by the failure of congress to pass the measure presented during the closing hours of the extra session.

The committee is composed of 15 representative business men residing in various parts of the United States. It is a strictly nonpartisan body. Hugh H. Hanna, of Indianapolis, is at its head as the chairman. The other members are:

- W. L. Crawford, Dallas, Texas; W. H. Dean, St. Paul; J. W. Frost, Salem, N. C.; J. A. Hanson, Macon, Ga.; C. C. Harrison, Philadelphia; Rowland Hazard, Peacocks, N. I.; John P. Irish, Oakland, Cal.; H. H. Kohlman, Chicago; J. J. Mitchell, Chicago; A. E. Orr, New York; George Foster Peabody, New York; J. C. Power, Helena, Mont.; E. C. Standard, St. Louis; A. E. Wilson, Louisville.

WHEAT UP AGAIN.

Bull Market in Chicago and Paris—Hops Bring Good Prices.

Liverpool, August 10.—Wheat—Firm; cargoes of sound, firm cargoes on passage, rather firmer; English country markets, quiet.

HOME MARKETS.

Portland, August 10.—Wheat—Walla Walla 74c; Valley, 81c.

Chicago, August 10.—Wheat fully re-established its reputation as a friend of the bulls by the manner of its opening. The bids of September were at from 77 1/2 to 78c, and after fluctuating a few minutes between the opening figures and 77 1/2, it commenced to add a few larger fractions to the advance. In half an hour from the opening it had risen to 78c, and by 11 o'clock it was bringing 79c, or 1 1/2c over the previous day's closing price.

The foreigners sent the most influential news contributing to the strength thus indicated. Mail advices from Paris were of the most bullish character and telegrams showed that since ten days ago the French market situation had become strong enough to be characterized as "excited."

September wheat closed at 79 1/2c.

New York, August 10.—Bar silver, 55c; Mexican dollars, 47c.

HOPS BRING GOOD PRICES.

San Francisco, August 10.—Hops—Good to choice, 7 and 8c fancy, 10 and 11c.

Waterville, N. Y., August 10.—The first bale of New York state 1897 crop of hops was shipped today to Boston. The price paid was 25 cents per pound.

SPOKANE MAN CRAZY.

Mortally Wounds Two Men and Injures Two Others.

Spokane, August 10.—Either crazed by liquor or laboring under the delusion that he was being persecuted, John Thomas, a prospector from the Fort Steele district, started a fusillade this afternoon which resulted in mortally wounding two men and painful injuries to another man and boy. The list of the wounded are: John Thomas, aged 35, shot through the liver and in the left shoulder, will probably die within 24 hours. Ole Olsson, aged 18, of Avoka, Minn., shot above the left breast; probably mortally wounded. C. E. Davis, Spokane, shot in the left shoulder; flesh wound; will recover. Max Jackson, aged 11, shot in the left wrist, third finger; wounds are slight.

BROWN'S CARE.

It Will Be Reconsidered by the Bay Conference of Congregationalists.

Oakland, Cal., August 10.—The Bay conference met this afternoon in the First Congregational church. The Rev. J. K. McLean, D. D., acted as moderator. The case of the Rev. C. D. Brown, the discredited divine, who was admitted to the Dubuque conference, was introduced by the report of the committee, composed of Rev. George H. Hatch, Rev. J. A. Crum, Rev. W. W. Scudder, Prof. Geo. Moran, of the Pacific Theological Seminary, and S. W. Condon.

RED ROUGH HANDS

Itching, scaly, bleeding palms, chapped nails, and painful finger ends, pimples, blackheads, oily, sticky skin, dry, thin, and falling hair, itching, early sepsis, all yield quickly to warm baths with CUTICURA soap, and gentle sootings with CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure.

Itching HUMORS. It is sold throughout the world. PUTTAN DAVIS AND COMPANY, 100 N. 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn. "How to Prepare Skin, White Hands, Feet."

This committee had met and the Rev. George Hatch, of Berkeley, had submitted a report for its approval. His report embodied the fact that the reorganization of the committee were of no avail in inducing the Dubuque and Chicago conferences not to admit Brown to fellowship. He recommended that Brown's request for a new council be granted, but only upon the condition that question discussed "was the Bay conference justified in suspending Rev. C. O. Brown?" Mr. Hatch declared Brown's moral character had never been vindicated, as the latter claimed. Hatch's views were practically adopted by a unanimous vote of the committee. The report was later brought before conference.

A DASTARDLY DEED.

Portland, August 10.—In Sullivan's Club, on the East Side, this afternoon a sailor giving the name of Novall attempted to assault a five-year-old girl. Thos. Powers, who was passing, heard the child crying and at once went to the rescue. He had just bought a razor and with it in his hand Powers attacked Novall, and in the scuffle he cut the sailor in the forehead and in the back. The sailor escaped, but was arrested two hours later. The child was not injured.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Washington, August 10.—Washington 7, Philadelphia 6. Louisville, August 10.—Chicago 15, Louisville 6. Cincinnati, August 10.—Cincinnati 9, St. Louis 6. Cleveland, August 10.—Cleveland 9, Pittsburgh 7. Brooklyn, August 10.—Brooklyn 3, Baltimore 2. Boston, August 10.—Boston 1, New York 0.

JAPAN JOINS THE RANKS.

San Francisco, August 10.—Special to the Astorian.—The steamer Peru arrived this morning from Yokohama, via Hongkong, with the following Japanese advices: "There is no doubt whatever that from October 1 next Japan will have a gold currency circular issued by the special bank, which announces that from that date it will pay gold for the bank of Japan notes. The Osaka mint is very busy minting new gold coins."

BIG FIRE IN TEXAS.

Houston, Tex., August 10.—At Barnum, Polk county, between 12 and 1 o'clock, fire destroyed the planing mill and dry kiln, lumber yard, lumber store and a number of tenant houses belonging to W. T. Carter & Bros. a number of cars, two small bridges belonging to the Kansas & Texas railroad. Loss, \$250,000; insurance as yet not ascertained.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Victoria, B. C., August 10.—H. M. S. Alger, one of the survey ships of her majesty's navy, will soon arrive, here to take part in the survey for the Pacific cable. Late advices from Honolulu are to the effect that H. M. S. Porpoise has completed the survey from Australia to Honolulu and the Alger will make the survey from here to Honolulu.

BIG STORM IN WISCONSIN.

Iroquois, Wis., August 10.—A wind, rain and hail storm which passed over this part of the country did more than \$100,000 damage to the tobacco farmers on Coon prairie, the heart of the growing section of the county. Fully four-fifths of the crop is destroyed.

THE KENTUCKY CONVENTION.

Louisville, August 10.—The republican state convention met at 2 o'clock today. All the leading republicans of the state are present. There will be a bitter fight between the Bradley and Hunter-Tod factions.

IRON WORKS RESUME.

Wilmington, Del., August 10.—After a shutdown of six weeks, the Delaware Iron Works at New Castle resumed operations yesterday, giving employment to between 40 and 50 persons.

ORNAMENT A WINNER.

Detroit, August 10.—Ornament won the international derby, distance mile and a half, Misadownhorse second. Monroeligh third. Time, 2:38.

TIE YOUR HORSE.

The ordinance introduced at the last council meeting, making it compulsory to hitch horses while their drivers are away from the vehicles for any length of time, should meet with the hearty support of every citizen. There is at present absolutely no protection from a runaway team. Safety of women and children on the streets should be carefully guarded, but this is not the only danger from runaways. Every other team and driver on the street down which a runaway horse is plunging is in the greatest danger, and general sentiment among citizens seems to be that the greatest good to the greatest number should be served in this as in all other society matters.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has purchased the store of the Webfoot Commission House and will hereafter conduct the business at the old stand. All accounts due the Webfoot Commission House are payable to me. E. A. DE YO.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will not pay any bills contracted in his name, except upon a written order signed by himself. SAM OLIVER. August 9, 1897.

MARINE NEWS.

VESSELS ON THE WAY TO THE COLUMBIA RIVER FROM ASTORIA.

Table with columns: Vessel, Tonnage, Rate, Days. Lists various ships like Oneida, Dunbar, Zephyrus, etc.

ASTORIA & COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD.

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THE STEAMER STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

The steamer State of California will arrive this morning from San Francisco.

THE BRITISH BARK DUNBARTON.

The British bark Dunbarton, which has finished discharging coal in Astoria, will leave up for Portland this morning.

THE UNITED STATES MONITOR MONTEREY.

The United States monitor Monterey was sighted yesterday, and like Pingone's railroad train, was off again, on again, and gone again.

THE BRITISH BARK EUPHROSINE.

The British bark Euphrosine, Captain Thomson, which left Antwerp March 16 with a general cargo of cement, glass, etc., for Portland, arrived in yesterday afternoon in tow of the Relief.

THE CASTORIA.

Linens grown have been so much reduced in price that they are now as much within your reach as the shirt waist.

THE CASTORIA.

There is a possibility of a Japanese market for the horses now roaming loose about the plains of Oregon.

THE CASTORIA.

Ornament in the bath is used by women who do not in the odor of violets.

THE CASTORIA.

American cut glass is used on the most elegantly appointed tables.

THE CASTORIA.

At many of the fashionable resorts horseback riding has quite driven the wheel to the wall.

THE CASTORIA.

Is there anyone quite so autocratic as the man playing the hose.

THE CASTORIA.

Notice of sale of shares of stock in the Astoria Exchange Company.

THE CASTORIA.

I am instructed by the First National Bank of Astoria, Oregon, to sell for its benefit the shares of stock hereinafter described, to satisfy the sum of \$52.19, together with interest thereon from July 10, 1897, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, being the balance due said bank from D. Morgan, on his certain promissory note executed to said bank June 25, 1896, for the sum of \$604.29, payable on demand, in U. S. Gold Coin, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from June 25, 1896, until paid, and to secure which said shares of stock, to wit: One hundred shares of the capital stock of the Astoria Exchange Company, a private corporation, organized under the laws of the state of Oregon, and having its principal office at the said city of Astoria, in Clatsop county, state of Oregon, were assigned and pledged to said bank by said D. Morgan, and has been by said bank delivered to me to sell for its account, or to sell so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy said sum due said bank, with interest and costs of sale, and which said shares of stock are each of the par value of \$100; and,

THE CASTORIA.

Also, pursuant to three executions—two thereof issued out of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop county, and one issued out of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Multnomah county, to-wit: One listed out of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop county on the third day of July, 1897, upon a certain judgment rendered on the 21st day of May, 1897, in favor of C. W. Fulton, as administrator of the estate of Daniel McInnis, deceased, plaintiff, and against D. Morgan, defendant, for the sum of \$43 and the sum of \$5.20 costs, and inter-

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