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Assets	2,545,114
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We are now receiving these delicious berries fresh every day.

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A splendid assortment of fresh, crisp Oregon vegetables and fruits.

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Will like it; so will the cook.

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Actual paid up	1,250,000 00
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DYNAMITE AGAIN USED

Cleveland Strikers Make Another Attempt to Wreck a Street Car.

BUT NO ONE IS HURT

The Passengers Were Badly Frightened and the Car Is Somewhat Damaged.

ROOSEVELT ON POLITICS

He Says That the People Get Just as Good Government as They Deserve.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 3.—The withdrawal of several companies of troops was followed tonight by another dynamite outrage, but fortunately nobody was hurt. The explosion occurred under the Jennings avenue car in which there were six passengers. It smashed the flange of one wheel, and splintered the running board at the side.

The passengers were badly frightened, but none were injured and the car proceeded on its way to the end of the run.

PLAIN WORDS FROM ROOSEVELT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Governor Roosevelt spoke before the Ocean Grove, N. J., summer school of theology tonight on "Practical Politics and Decent Politics."

He said in part: "It is idle for the mass of good citizens to try to set themselves apart as not responsible for our political shortcomings. In the end, politicians must be exactly what the people allow them to be. They must represent the people, perhaps the vice, perhaps the virtue, perhaps the indifference of the people. This does not in the least excuse politicians that are bad, and we must keep in mind the fact that every vicious politician above all every successful politician tends to debauch the public conscience to render bad men bolder, and decent men, who are not far sighted, more cynically indifferent than ever. But in blaming the politician, do not forget that we are ourselves to blame for permitting his existence. Just at this moment, the nation is face to face with a duty that calls for heroism. I mean our attitude in the Philippines. We shall be guilty of a terrible wrong to humanity if in the Philippines we retreat before armed savagery, instead of organizing a suitable government which shall guarantee justice to every one and an ever increasing measure of liberty to those who show themselves worthy of it."

THE SHAMROCK SAILS.

She Gets a Good Send-off and expects to Make N. Y. in about 25 Days.

GLASGOW, Aug. 3.—The cup challenger Shamrock sailed from Paisley this morning, accompanied by Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht Erin, gaily decorated with flags. As the two yachts proceeded down the river, whose banks were thronged with spectators, they were greeted with enthusiastic cheers, intermingled with the singing of "Rule Britannia."

Crafts in the vicinity displayed flags in honor of the departing challenger. The sound of whistles and sirens, blowing in honor of the Shamrock, was deafening.

Captain Hogarth expects to reach New York within 25 days, as he does not intend to push the yacht to any extent. She is insured at Lloyd's for £40,000 at 50 per cent. It was noted as a good omen that the last racing yacht which sailed for America from Paisley was the unbroken Minerva, shipped by "Charley" Barr, now skipper of the Columbia. Captain Hogarth just before he started said he considered the Shamrock to be a perfect racing machine.

LADY CHURCHILL ENGAGED.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Aug. 3.—The sensation of the day was the announcement of the engagement of Lady Randolph Churchill to Lieutenant G. F. M. Cornwallis West, son of the famous

beauty, Lady Cornwallis West. It is said the marriage will occur in October. Countess and Comtesse de Castellane (Anna Gould) entertained the Prince of Wales at dinner this evening on board of their steamer yacht Yachtia.

SHOULD RETAIN PHILIPPINES.

Oregon Volunteers Unanimously Agree That This is the Only Course to Pursue.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—When a view to obtain reliable information regarding the agricultural and other wealth producing possibilities of the Philippines, the Call has interviewed a large number of the Oregon volunteers whose long stay on the islands afforded them excellent opportunities for observation. Most of the troops believe that the land of the Philippines is well adapted for American agriculture with the exception of wheat, but they add that nearly all of the agricultural land and certainly the best of it is in the possession of the church authorities and would have to be purchased by intending settlers. The soldiers of Oregon almost to a man are emphatic even to the suggestion of making natives of the Philippine citizens of the United States, although the opinion seems to prevail that American labor laws could advantageously be put in operation on the islands. As for Americans working in the Philippines, the soldiers declare that it is utterly out of the question. The heat is too intense and the climate generally too enervating. The Philippines, they say, are the last lands on the earth for poor men to seek with a purpose of improving their conditions.

GEER'S STINGING REBUKE.

His Reply a Complaint From an Alliance Labor Leader Who Attacks the War Department.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 3.—Governor Geer today received a circular from Ed Rosenberg, secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council, in the form of an appeal to him to protest to the war department against the further "criminal policy" of mustering out the returning volunteers in that city. The governor in answer to Rosenberg, says: "I have been a working man all my life, and while all my sympathy is with that class of fellow citizens, at all times and everywhere, your appeal in their interest is logical, untempered, uncalculated and demagogically extreme. Your declaration that the war department is moved by a desire to flood the labor market and thus check the struggle of workmen for improved conditions is absurd to the degree of imbecility, but equally rational with your other statement that the government desires to compel the volunteers, driven by want or destitution, to reenlist. "Such demagogical utterances as these, which are not only not based on facts, but bear unmistakable evidence of a studied perversion of them, do the real laboring man of the United States grave injustice and in the end infinitesimal harm."

MAYOR JOHNSTON'S STAND.

Denver's Mayor Does Not Favor Licensing Prizefighters, and Vetoes an Ordinance Accordingly.

DENVER, Aug. 3.—Mayor Johnston today vetoed the ordinance giving a license for athletic clubs which conduct sparring contests at \$100. In his message the mayor said: "I am unwilling to approve an ordinance which would make it possible in Denver for such a brutal contest as was witnessed in this city about one week ago at one of these so called athletic associations." It is not likely that the ordinance can be passed over the veto.

A RELIGIOUS JUNKEL.

The Washington Presbyterian Synod Containing Evangelism With Fun.

SEATTLE, Aug. 3.—A novel excursion to Alaska left here today on the steamer City of Seattle. It consisted of about three hundred persons, including the Presbyterian synod, of Washington.

The annual session of the synod will be held aboard the steamer during the voyage to Alaska. Gospel services and literary and musical entertainments will be given and revival meetings will be held in the cities on the Alaskan coast.

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TO KILL YELLOW JACK

Surgeon-General Wyman Thinks the Outbreak Can Be Suppressed.

WAS BROUGHT FROM CUBA

An Old Veteran Who Was at Santiago Brought the Infection Home.

THE HEAT IN THE EAST

Extremely Hot in the Eastern States and Many Are Prostrated—Crops in Danger.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Regarding the probable duration of the present epidemic of yellow fever, Dr. Wyman said today: "It is too early yet to make predictions as to the suppression of the outbreak, only four days having elapsed since the discovery of the fever."

The fact that Thomas, the original suspect, has gone north, takes considerable weight off our minds as he is now in a latitude where there is no chance of yellow fever doing any great damage. Our past experience, though has shown, however, that yellow fever can be suppressed and confined to the original focus of infection, when precautions are taken early enough in the outbreak."

BROUGHT FROM CUBA.

The Yellow Fever at Hampton Traced to a Spanish War Veteran

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The marine hospital officials at Hampton have succeeded in tracing and locating a former inmate of the soldiers' home, who is believed to have brought yellow fever to that place. His name is William Thomas. He arrived at home on a transport from Santiago, where he had been visiting from July 2 to 5 last. He was admitted to the home as a veteran and soon after developed chills and fever. In the light of subsequent events experts believe there is little doubt he was affected with a mild case of yellow fever, although it was not diagnosed as such at the time. When well enough to travel he left the home and his baggage was sent to Phoebus. The man himself went to Columbus City, Wash., where he now is.

SHAKING HIS MANE.

British Lion Don't Like Dunwoody's Seizure of the Canadian Fishing Vessels.

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An investigation is now being made and when completed the findings will be forwarded to the United States Attorney general.

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Park. He was brought to the city and revived under the care of a physician. Tonight he is much improved, and the doctors look for an almost complete recovery in time.

HOT WAVE IN NEBRASKA.

OMAHA, Aug. 3.—This is the third in a series of very hot days in Nebraska. The maximum temperature at Omaha was 96 Tuesday, 93 yesterday and 92 today. High winds make conditions very uncomfortable.

At Syracuse the thermometer recorded 102 in the shade today. Wynona reports 100 in the shade for today.

The corn crop is now in a critical condition and damage is likely to result if the extreme heat continues.

THE BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

Discovery That Canada Once Made an Important Concession to the United States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A special to the Herald from Ottawa, Ont., says: It has developed in connection with the Alaska boundary matter that Canada not long ago made a territorial concession of some importance to the United States.

In 1883 commissioners were appointed to get further data for the delineation of the boundary. These commissioners—General Duffield, for the United States, and Mr. King, Dominion astronomer for Canada, were empowered to engage surveyors who were to locate in particular the 113rd meridian, which is the boundary mentioned in the 66th treaty as dividing Canada from Alaska up to a certain point.

When the observation had been taken it was discovered that the 113rd meridian struck the coast over the western shoulder of Mount St. Elias. The United States authorities suggested that it would be more convenient to take the apex of Mount St. Elias as the starting point of the boundary line, thus moving it 2.41 statute miles further east. It was agreed that the new boundary line thus run should meet the true meridian 22 1/2 statute miles north from St. Elias. The United States by this arrangement secured 28 square miles of territory. Canada really consented to make this gift as the United States desired to share equally with Canada in having the highest mountain of North America within her territory. This fact is recalled as proof that Canada does not always adhere to the Chamberlain motto of "What we have, we'll hold," even in diplomatic dealings with the United States.

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