

Bohemia Nugget

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EVENTS OF THE DAY

Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented in Condensed Form, Most Likely to Prove Interesting.

Representative Grafenreid of Texas is dead.

Senator Hear celebrated his 76th anniversary on Friday.

The machinists' strike on the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe has been declared off.

Colombia accuses Nicaragua of aiding revolutionists and threatens to retaliate "when she gets up."

The forest fires that have been raging in Wyoming for the past two weeks are reported to be under control.

A loss of \$100,000 was caused by the burning of the concentrator of the Montana Ore Purchasing company at Butte.

The Canadian Pacific railway will shortly place the enormous amount of 23,000,000 acres of land on the market for settlers.

A steamer and rowboat collided on Lake Gogus, near Battle Creek, Mich., and resulted in the drowning of five employees of the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

Heavy rains have damaged crops in Kansas, and in the vicinity of Burlington hundreds of acres of corn have been destroyed and many bridges washed away.

Attorney General Knox has sailed for Europe. He goes abroad for the purpose of obtaining clear title to the property of the Panama Canal company.

Judge Richardson of Spokane has rendered a decision that a boycott is not illegal when peaceably conducted, and when not so conducted must be dealt with in the criminal court, not by a court of equity.

In an automobile accident at Long Branch, N. J., two persons were killed and three seriously injured.

George P. Clark, grand ruler of the Elks, denies the report that there is a shortage in the account of the grand treasurer.

Twenty-three Italians have been arrested at Geneva, Italy, on suspicion of being connected with a plot to derail the train bearing King Victor Emmanuel to Berlin.

"A husband takes a wife for better or worse, and because she does not conform to his notions of economy is not a ground for casting her from him." This is the opinion of Justice Sprig, of the New York supreme court.

It is probable the opening of the schools of Kansas will have to be postponed on account of the inability of the American Book company to furnish books. The company has been prevented from delivering the books by reason of an injunction issued by a Topeka court.

The strike of Havana dock laborers has ended.

Another street car strike is threatened at Chicago.

Ex-Governor George Hoadley, of Ohio, is dead.

Official reports show the continuance of good crop weather.

None and the outside world will be connected by telegraph by April next.

Edward C. Boyce of Denver has been nominated by Colorado Socialists for Governor.

Brigham Young, president of the apostles of the Mormon church is reported seriously ill.

Secretary Shaw has rescinded the order of ex-Secretary Gage for the purchase of bonds at stated prices.

Miss Julia Lamont, daughter of Daniel S. Lamont, ex-secretary of war, died at her father's cottage at Sorrento, Maine, Tuesday.

Christiania, Norway, is suffering from hard times, which may result in a crisis unless industrial conditions improve before long.

Peter S. Hoe, the last surviving original member of the original firm of R. Hoe & Co., manufacturers of printing presses, is dead at Upper Montclair, N. J. Mr. Hoe was born in New York 81 years ago.

M. Combe, the French premier, is to resign.

Rossland, B. C., has been visited by a \$75,000 fire.

Third district California Republicans have renominated Coombs for congress.

King Edward has gone on a cruise to Scotland. The time of his return is indefinite.

Parcels post arrangements have been concluded between this country and England.

John C. Bullitt, a prominent Philadelphia attorney, closely identified with public affairs, is dead.

Great veins of rich iron ore are reported to have been discovered at Vado, in the province of Tromsøe, Norway.

Experiments in wireless telephoning have been successfully carried on between Sassenitz and Kolberg, Germany, a distance of 105 miles.

The funeral of General Franz Sigel was held in New York Sunday. For three hours the body lay in state, and fully 10,000 people filed past and viewed the remains.

The Ohio legislature has convened in special session to enact laws to provide for the government of municipalities and to restore lost jurisdiction to the supreme court, these matters having been rendered chaotic by the action of that court during the early summer.

An edict has been issued in China ordering that the murder of an English missionary named Lewis and an Australian missionary named Bruce, be punished. The government expresses great regret at the occurrences and promises to make reparation.

HAVE ORDERS TO SHOOT.

General Gobin Will Take More Stringent Measures.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—Having exhausted every other means for preserving peace and in protecting non-union men from violence on their way to and from the mines, Brigadier General Gobin, in command of the troops now in the coal fields, has issued an order that the soldiers shall shoot any persons detected throwing stones and other missiles, and that if any mob resist the authority of the troops, they shall freely use their bayonets.

The Panther Creek valley has been in an almost continual turmoil this week, and the troops stationed there have had some difficulty in protecting the lives of the workmen. The situation in the valley has, however, improved greatly, and it is hoped by the military authorities that the lawlessness and abusive language directed toward the soldiers will now cease. The other sections of the coal regions are comparatively quiet.

The general strike situation remains unchanged. Some coal is being shipped, but the quantity is so small, compared with the normal shipment, that it has little or no effect on the market. The fuel now coming to the market is principally washery and loose coal.

COMING IN DROVES.

There is a Great Rush of Scandinavians to American Shores.

Stockholm, Sept. 2.—Driven from their homes by the unprecedented hard times and stringent conscription laws of Sweden, an unusually large number of Scandinavians are making their way to America this summer. Every steamer leaving for America is crowded, and the transport lines are coping with the greatest rush since the eighties. Many are unable to obtain passage at Scandinavian points and are obliged to go to Liverpool and Southampton.

It is estimated that 15,000 passengers for America have left Copenhagen alone during the last six months. The emigrants are mostly of an excellent class. They are bound chiefly to the Northwestern states, where they intend settling on agricultural land.

SULTAN AND ARMENIANS.

He Will Rescind Severe Orders if They Will be Loyal.

Constantinople, Sept. 2.—The sultan recently agreed to repeal the exceptional measures adopted against the Armenians if the Armenian patriarch would guarantee that no outbreak would follow. The patriarchal council having met and signed a document setting forth the loyalty of the Armenians and promising tranquility, an imperial decree is now awaited, the patriarch having refused to resume his office until the promises of the sultan are fulfilled.

Ninth Cavalry to Return.

Washington, Sept. 2.—General Chafee has cabled to the war department that he and his successor, General Davis, are of the opinion that another regiment of cavalry can now be spared from duty in the Philippines. The necessary orders have been forwarded to him to send home one regiment, and the headquarters and six troops of the Ninth Cavalry will be relieved from duty and will sail on the Logan for San Francisco Sept. 3, the remainder of the regiment to sail October 1.

Guidi is Appointed.

Rome, Aug. 31.—Mgr. Guidi has been appointed delegate in the Philippines. He is expected to hasten his departure for Manila in consequence of information received at the Vatican of the organization of a schismatic Catholic church in the islands. The Vatican does not attach much importance to the movement, and declares "it cannot develop under the leadership of persons whose sole reason for organization is because they are excommunicated from the Catholic church."

Will be Argued at Bismarck.

Bismarck, N. D., Sept. 2.—A writ of habeas corpus, sued out for the release of Charles M. Fay, of Portland, Or., before Judge Winchester, will be argued here in the morning. Fay was charged by the officials of Waupaca county, Wis., with obtaining money by fraud. The writ of requisition was secured from the governor of Oregon, but was afterward revoked and Fay was taken from a train on a writ of habeas corpus.

Oregonian Dies in Tennessee.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 2.—Owen Judd, state agent for Oregon for the New York Life Insurance company, is dead here at the residence of his father, Judge W. Judd. Falling health forced Mr. Judd to leave Oregon two months ago, and since that time his decline has been rapid.

Honors for Oregon Boy.

The Dalles, Or., Sept. 2.—Homer D. Angell, of this city, has been awarded the Morgan scholarship in the Columbia university school of law for the next year. The award was made in recognition of Mr. Angell's high scholarship for last year.

Dumont to Build Big Airship.

New York, Sept. 2.—Santo Dumont, the aeronaut, will, according to a Herald Dispatch from Paris, attempt the construction of an aerial vessel to carry eight persons. He plans to begin experiments with the machine in two or three months.

New Sumpter Smelter.

Sumpter, Or., Sept. 2.—Excavating has begun a mile below Sumpter for the smelting plant contemplated for this city. Manager E. W. Muller has a good force of men blasting and removing earth for the heavy machinery and furnaces.

Declines Offer of Presidency.

Seattle, Sept. 2.—Rev. Edward Lincoln Smith, of the Pilgrim Congregational church of Seattle, has declined the offer of the presidency of the Pacific University at Forest Grove, Or.

Withdrawal of Foreign Troops.

Tien Tsin, Sept. 2.—According to the military commanders, all the troops, with the exception of the legion guards, will be withdrawn from China next spring.

NEWS OF OREGON

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF THE STATE.

Commercial and Financial Happenings of the Past Week—Brief Review of the Growth and Development of Various Industries Throughout Our Commonwealth—Latest Market Report.

Pendleton stores will close at six o'clock hereafter.

Five brick blocks are in process of construction at Salem.

The separator and threshing outfit of Frank Chute was destroyed by fire on the Gunn farm, north of Ashland.

Adam K. Wilcox, a prominent business man of Dallas, is dead, aged 88 years. He was the owner of two large farms in Polk county.

William Lewis, one of the oldest marine engineers in this section of the country, died Tuesday at St. Vincent hospital, Portland, from cancer of the stomach.

Farmers living at Highland are complaining of a bit beetle that is doing a great deal of harm. Nearly all the late garden stuffs, such as squash, cabbage, cucumbers, etc., are being devoured.

As a result of the range war now going on between Morrow county stockmen and sheepmen, M. C. Elliott, a shepherd, has been shot and wounded by supposed cattlemen from the John Day country.

At a meeting of the Salem Press Club Frank Davey was appointed to cooperate with the legislative committee of the State Press association on matters of legislative importance that may come up at the next session of the legislature of concern to the newspaper fraternity of the state.

Charles L. Fay, the well known Portland insurance man, whose arrest last Saturday created quite a sensation, was released from custody at Mandan, N. D., Governor Geer having revoked the requisition granted to Wisconsin officials, the same having been based upon misleading information.

Andrew White, charged with the killing of eter Boutekens at Portland, has been arrested at Vancouver.

Several heavy shipments of sheep are being sent from the vicinity of Baker City to California for the winter.

Negotiations are pending between the Portland City Railway company and the City and Suburban Railway company with a view of the purchase of the latter by the former, and the consolidation of both systems under one head.

State Senator John L. Rand, of Baker City, will make an effort to have a bill passed at the next session of the Oregon legislature giving Baker county a separate judicial district.

A decision of considerable interest has been received at the United States land office at Oregon City in the case of George L. Derrick against Arthur T. Merwin, involving a tract in section 8, township 9 south, range 8 west. The decision knocks out both parties on the ground that the entry conflicts with the Corvallis & Yaquina Fly wagon road grant.

Charles S. Wilkinson, who was arrested at Ashland two weeks ago for stealing horses in Minnesota, has been taken back to that state by Deputy Sheriff C. F. Hurst, of Polk county, Minn.

Near Huntington, Malheur county, a ledge of gold-bearing ore has been discovered that assays as high as \$2,000 per ton. The ledge averages about eight feet in width, and croppings have been traced on both sides of the mountain on which the find is located.

A contract has been let at Baker City for 1,000,000 feet of lumber by the Oregon Electric Power company. The lumber is to be used in constructing a flume and power plant on Eagle creek.

The Rev. J. J. Walter, formerly Methodist bishop of Alaska and recently in the service of the leading Methodist church at Spokane, has been appointed colonization agent of the Great Central railroad, projected between Coos Bay and Salt Lake City. He will at once enter upon his duties, which are to arrange the settlement of colonies along the projected line.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 60¢@61¢; blue stem, 62¢@63¢; valley, 63¢@64¢.

Barley—Feed, \$1.90 per ton.

Flour—Best grades, \$3.05@3.60 per barrel; Graham, \$2.95@3.20.

Middlings—Bran, \$17 per ton; middlings, \$21.50; shorts, \$18; chop, \$17.

Oats—No. 1 white, 95¢@1.00; gray, 90¢@95¢.

Hay—Timothy, \$11@12; clover, \$7.50@10; Oregon wild hay, \$5@8 per ton.

Potatoes—Best Burbanks, 60¢@5c per cental; ordinary, 50¢@55c per cental; growers price; sweets, \$2.00 per cental.

Butter—Creamery, 22¢@25¢; dairy 16¢@18¢; store, 12¢@15¢.

Eggs—20¢@22¢ for Oregon.

Cheese—Full cream, twins, 12¢@13¢; Young Americas, 13¢@14¢; factory prices, 10¢@15¢ less.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$3.00@4.50; hens, \$4.00@5.50 per dozen, 11¢@11½¢ per pound; springs, 11¢@11½¢ per pound, \$2.50@4.00 per dozen; ducks, \$2.50@3.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 15¢@16¢, dressed, 18¢@19¢ per pound; geese, \$4.00@6.00 per dozen.

Mutton—Gross, 2½¢@3c per pound; dressed, 6c per pound.

Hogs—Gross, 6½¢; dressed, 7¢@7½¢ per pound.

Veal—7¢@8¢ per pound.

Beef—Gross, cows, 3¢@3½¢; steers, 3½¢@4¢; dressed, 7¢@8c per pound.

Hope—10¢@11¢; new crop 17¢@18c.

Wool—Valley, 12¢@15¢; Eastern Oregon, 8¢@14¢; mohair, 25¢@28c pound.

BIG LAND SCANDAL.

Speculators Alleged to be Taking Unfair Advantage of Indians.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Investigation develops the beginning of what promises to be a great scandal growing out of the purchase by syndicates and individuals of lands of deceased Indians, allotted at prices considerably below their value—an abuse which the Indian office is trying to check. As yet it is confined to the Southwest states, but the speculators are rapidly advancing westward and northward, threatening in a short time to penetrate every Indian reservation containing allotted lands in Oregon and Washington. There are strong intimations, backed by evidence on file, to show that several agents are in collusion with the speculators, and are inducing heirs to sell at ridiculously low figures.

Commissioner Jones advocates the advertising of all lands belonging to deceased allottees, the tracts to go to the highest bidder, but congress must first sanction this plan. There are in Oregon 470,000 acres of allotted lands, 372,000 in Washington, and 188,000 in Idaho, a large portion of which belongs to the heirs of the original allottees, now dead. About 178,000 acres of the Oregon allotments are at Kamath, 140,000 at Warm Springs, 77,000 at Umatilla and 33,000 at Grand Ronde, with the remainder at Siletz.

Commissioner Jones says these lands are very tempting to speculators, and unless some remedy is soon devised, the Northwestern Indians will be swindled out of valuable possessions. No complaints have yet been had from that section, but are expected.

The most desirable lands in Washington are 81,000 acres at Colville, 17,000 acres at Puyallup and 211,000 acres at Yakima. The Lapwai reservation, Idaho, contains the most coveted lands in that state.

CHARGES AGAINST PALMA.

Cuban President Said to be in Danger of Impeachment.

Havana, Aug. 31.—Charges against President Palma, of the Cuban Republic, arising from certain executive concessions he is credited with having made to friends and others for, perhaps, financial or political considerations, which are to be preferred by the house, have been prepared and printed, and impeachment proceedings against this high official are likely to be sprung any day. At present it is impossible to tell what action Palma will take in the matter.

Washington, Aug. 31.—The state department announces that although it is in daily communication with Minister Squires, it has not been advised of any crisis in the Cuban government, nor has it been notified officially of any effort being made to impeach President Palma.

GOOD ROADS TRAIN.

It Will Remain at Portland from October 13 to 20.

Washington, Aug. 31.—The good roads convention in connection with the Minnesota state fair, on the grounds between St. Paul and Minneapolis, Sept. 1, 2 and 3, is expected to institute the most far-reaching and effective demonstration of the value of good roads so far given. The office of road inquiry of the department of agriculture will take a leading part in the convention. At the time of the convention a good roads train will be equipped by the Great Northern and put at the disposal of the department of agriculture officials and others interested in the work. It will visit the most central points and promote the holding of meetings similar to that at the Minnesota fair. The train will be at Seattle October 6 to 12; Portland, Or., October 13 to 20. The department of agriculture will be represented by Director Martin Dodge, of the office of road inquiry, and his assistants.

HALF DOZEN WOUNDED.

Encounter Between Strikers and Troops at Lansford, Pa.

Tamaqua, Pa., Aug. 31.—In an encounter between troops and strikers at Lansford, Captain W. H. Heim, of Company K, Twelfth regiment, was slightly injured. Half a dozen strikers were bayoneted in the fracas. Major Gearhart, in command of the troops here states that he will appeal to the military authorities to put the town of Lansford under military law.

HUNTED BIG GAME.

President Gets a Bear in New Hampshire Forests.

Newport, N. H., Aug. 31.—President Roosevelt was entertained here in a manner to his liking. Instead of making numerous addresses, meeting committees and indulging in handshaking, he plunged into the forest of the Crocyden mountain region and hunted big game, and just before dark succeeded in shooting a bear. Senator Proctor was the president's hunting companion.

Siberian Exiles Revolt.

Vienna, Aug. 31.—The Neue Freie Presse declares that the terrible treatment of the Alexandrovsk settlement has led to a strike of the convicts, who are refusing all nourishment until they are confined in dark and damp cells, according to the paper, whose sanitary conditions have resulted in outbreaks of disease. The sick and dead are allowed to remain to contaminate the living.

Starving Indians.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs Jones has received a telegram from Senator Rawlins of Utah representing that 6,000 Indians on the Navajo reservation, in the southern part of his state, are starving, and requesting that assistance be dispatched to them.

Bodies Still Held in Paris.

New York, Aug. 31.—The bodies of Charles L. Fair and wife, who were killed in an automobile accident, are still here, cables the Paris correspondent of the American. Nothing can be learned as to the date on which they are to be shipped to New York.

NOTHING FOR HER

STATE DISALLOWS MRS. WAGGONER'S CLAIM OF REWARD.

Not Entitled to Anything for Delivering Merrill's Body—Claimants for Tracy Reward Have Agreed Upon a Division—Boy Who Notified Police is to Have Equal Share.

Salem, Or., Aug. 30.—Secretary of State Dunbar has announced his decision disallowing the claim of Mrs. Waggoner for finding and returning the body of Convict Merrill. All the papers in the case are set forth, and after a lengthy review of the facts Mr. Dunbar concludes as follows:

"In view of the foregoing, after due consideration, the claim is hereby disallowed for the reason that from the facts and evidence offered it does not appear that the claimant rendered the service claimed, or by her acts in finding and returning the body of Merrill, complied with the provisions of the law or the offer of reward, and is therefore not entitled to the amount claimed or any part thereof."

Spokane, Aug. 30.—It is understood that peace has been declared between the men who have been claiming shares in the Harry Tracy reward, and that now there will be no fighting over its payment. Sheriff Gardner is authentically said to have made an offer to the five members of the posse to the effect that if they will sign an agreement to give Goldfinch, the boy who betrayed the outlaw, an equal share with each of them in the reward, he will step aside and do all in his power to assist them to draw down the prize money.

The sheriff states that throughout the controversy the rights of young Goldfinch have been his objective point, and he asserts that he is determined to see that the boy gets his full share. The offer of the sheriff will probably be accepted and will thus settle the dispute over the reward, which, it has seemed, could only be adjusted through the courts. It is understood that the Croston men do not believe the youth has a particle of claim legally to the reward, but that in order to get the matter settled without litigation they are willing to comply with the terms of Sheriff Gardner.

POSSIBLE STRINGENCY.

Secretary Shaw Will Take Steps to Ease Up the Money Market.

Washington, Aug. 30.—In view of rumors as to Secretary Shaw's plans for relieving the money market in the event of a possible stringency, the secretary, who is now in New York, has authorized Assistant Secretary Ailes to make the following statement:

"The secretary recently invited some of the larger national banks in the principal cities to order additional amounts of circulating notes to be printed. National banks are entitled to issue notes to the full amount of their capital. The aggregate capital of national banks is \$700,000,000, but the banks have outstanding only \$358,000,000 of circulation. The secretary has hoped to introduce an element of elasticity into the present system. His suggestions to the various banks in the larger cities that they make preparation for additional circulation have met with very favorable response. It is not his intention that they should issue this additional circulation at all, now, but only in case of actual necessity and emergency. With this in view, those banks which have made arrangements to deposit United States bonds as security for such additional circulation have sent in their orders and the secretary has had all branches of the treasury service busily engaged in expediting the preparation of the notes pending a possible emergency."

THREATENED WITH DEATH.

American Missionaries Ordered to Leave Their Field in Mexico.

Plainfield, Ind., Aug. 30.—Word has been received from Everett Morgan and wife, formerly residents of Plainfield, now missionaries at Covict, Mexico, that natives of that place have warned them that unless they leave the city by September 17 they will be put to death. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan were sent out by the Board of Foreign Missions of the Western yearly meeting of Friends about four years ago, and have been at Covict about a year. Appeals for protection have been sent to the government authorities.

SPRECKELS IN CANADA.

Sugar King is Organizing a Big Company Across the Border.

Montreal, Aug. 30.—Claus Spreckels, president of the Federal Sugar Refining company, and his counsel have arrived here. It is understood they contemplate the organization of a Canadian company with a capital of \$6,000,000. Beyond the fact that papers for the incorporation were signed and forwarded to Ottawa, nothing could be learned.

Crater Lake and Rainier Exhibits.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The Interior department is anxious to secure an impressive exhibit from the Crater Lake and Mount Ranier, together with other national parks, for the St. Louis exposition, with a view to attracting public attention to these locations and giving the public generally a better idea of the natural wonders of these spots. A more definite idea is yet to be formed as to the nature of the exhibit to be made, and suggestions and solicited from interested Oregon are Washington people.

Weyerhaeuser Buys More Timber.

Olympia, Wash., Aug. 30.—The Weyerhaeuser Timber company has become the owner of what is virtually one-eighth of the land in Thurston county. A deed has been filed in the office of the county auditor transferring to the Weyerhaeuser all of the timber lands owned by the Northern Pacific in this county, amounting to 84,229.04 acres. The deeds bore revenue stamps to the value of \$447, showing that the purchase price was \$521,863, representing the largest transfer of property ever made in this county.

MAY BE GREAT STRIKE.

Railway Trainers Will Demand Increase of Twenty Per Cent.

Milwaukee, Aug. 29.—The Sentinel Says: By September 15 the large railway systems of the country will be confronted with a demand by 100,000 members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainers for an increase in wages, which will mean an additional outlay of \$1,000,000 a month for wages by railroads in the country or the alternative of a strike which will collapse in extent all previous strikes, including the demonstration of the American Railway Union in 1894. The demands which have been formulated are for an increase of 20 per cent in wages.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 29.—Assistant Grand Master Lee, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainers, said: "It is true that a concerted movement has been inaugurated by trainmen and conductors employed on railroads west of the Mississippi river to secure uniform rates of compensation. A vote of the men, which will probably result in the officers of the two organizations being authorized to present requests to the various roads for these concessions, is now being taken. It will, however, be at least 90 days before the vote has been completed. There is absolutely no talk of a strike, and the possibility of such a movement is extremely remote."

GAGUE DEFEATED.

California Republican Nomination for Governor Goes to Pardee.

Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 29.—After fighting one of the most bitter political battles in his career, Governor Gage of California, suffered defeat in the Republican state convention in this city. Dr. Pardee of Oakland was his strongest opponent from the start. He received the unanimous nomination of the convention on the sixth ballot.

This result was accomplished by a coalition of the supporters of Gage and Pardee. During the roll call of the sixth ballot, before a quarter of the counties had been called, it became apparent that the tide was setting toward Pardee. His own delegation was wild with excitement, and the contagion spread like wild fire, his supporters acting like mad men. When the chairman declared him the nominee there was another prolonged outbreak. In response to repeated demands, Pardee thanked the delegates and expressed appreciation of the honor conferred upon him. Aides were then unanimously nominated for lieutenant governor.

MOUNTAINS OF TIN.

Rich Discoveries Reported in the Vicinity of Mount Wrangell.

Seattle, Aug. 29.—A special dispatch from Valdez, Alaska, to the Times says: Robert Biel, the expert sent into the Nazina district by Captain Delamar, has just reached Valdez and reports that the Nazina district has the greatest mine in Alaska, and that the copper property there is the greatest known in the world. The richness of the country, Captain Biel says, insures the building of a railroad at the earliest possible time.

The most important discoveries in Alaska have been made by A. W. Tibbitts, in the finding of mountains of tin near Mount Wrangell, 150 miles distant, in which district lie located forty-five claims.

This is the greatest season of discoveries Alaska has ever known.

GOOD COMMON SENSE.

President Says That is All That's Needed in Government.

Waterville, Me., Aug. 29