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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Great Scheme to Re-Claim the Colorado Desert.

HAWAII KNOCKING FOR ADMISSION.

Justice Jackson is Dead—Kentucky Women's First Vote—Fatal Fire at Pendleton—Palouse Bank Fails.

(From the Oregonian, Sun and Statesman.)

A PROTEST FROM AMERICANS.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 8.—The Americans here have sent a cable message to President Cleveland, protesting against United States Minister Denby's action in consenting that the British consul should represent America in the Se Chuen inquiry. They recommend that a reconstruction of the commission be made by sending an American official of adequate rank, and the exclusion of implicated Chinese officials. They also recommend that a marine escort accompany the commission.

FERDINAND MUST ABDICATE.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The correspondent of the Standard, at Sofia, says: The Bulgarian delegation at St. Petersburg was virtually told that Russia would do nothing for Bulgaria unless Prince Ferdinand abdicated.

AMERICAN SCHOOLS IN TARSUS ATTACKED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 9.—Advices from Tarsus, Asia Minor, say a mob attacked the American school at that place, maltreated several students and threatened the missionaries.

WILL OF MRS. TALMAGE.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 9.—The will of Mrs. T. DeWitt Talmage was filed for probate today. She leaves some \$166,000 of which \$30,000 is real and \$136,000 personal property. Her husband is the sole legatee.

SUICIDE OF AN ALBANY MAN.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 9.—In a fit of despondency John Mullen, lately a real estate dealer in Albany, Oregon, jumped from the E. & N. railroad bridge last evening and this morning his body was found floating in the harbor.

KENTUCKY WOMEN'S FIRST VOTE.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 9.—Last evening the ladies of Lexington met in mass meeting and selected four candidates, one from each ward of the city, for the board of education to be elected next November. This is the first time women have ever been given the right to vote in Kentucky, but their suffrage is restricted to voting for the members of the board of education. The meeting was harmonious. It was presided over by Miss Laura Clay, daughter of ex-minister to Russia, General Cassius M. Clay.

PALOUSE BANK FAILS.

PALOUSE CITY, Wash., Aug. 9.—The bank of Palouse closed its doors this morning. An unexpected demand from its largest creditors, which the bank could not meet, was the immediate cause of the closing. The bank had a capital stock of \$80,000. Chas. T. Cross president and J. R. Payne vice president. The assets of the bank are \$165,000; liabilities, \$65,000. The officers of the bank say they will pay dollar for dollar, but it will take time.

PROTECTING FISH.

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 9.—Fish and game protector McGuire will leave for Astoria tomorrow for the purpose of preventing any fishing after the close of the season tomorrow night.

STARTLING THEORY OF THE PENDLETON FIRE.

PENDLETON, Or., Aug. 9.—There are many reasons to think some one was murdered before fire was set to the Transfer house, and that the hotel was burned to wipe out

the evidence of guilt. A woman who was carried out during the fire said she saw a man lying in a pool of blood. The story was at first discredited, but now it is again being made the subject of inquiry, and the opinion is general that she was right, and there is much evidence to prove the statement true. Officers are making a quiet search, and are neglecting no means that may lead to ferreting out the fiends who are responsible for this terrible calamity.

AMERICAN MISSIONARIES IN DANGER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The World tomorrow will print the following special dispatches from Foo Chow, China:

A mob has just looted the American mission chapel at Ingkok, 50 miles from here. Unless prompt and effective action is taken, there is danger of great riots in other places. The Chinese soldiers sent to Ku Cheng to protect foreign property plundered the Stewart residence. No American gunboat has come here. The situation is critical.

JUSTICE HOWELL JACKSON DEAD.

NASHVILLE, Aug. 8.—The Hon. Howell Edmunds Jackson, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, died at his residence at West Meade, six miles west of this city, this afternoon in the 64th year of his age, of consumption.

COLLIDED IN MID-OCEAN.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—The British ship Prince Oscar, from Liverpool, Captain Henderson, collided in mid-ocean, July 13, with an unknown sailing vessel. Both ships sank in less than ten minutes. Six members of the crew of the Prince Oscar and all on board the unknown vessel were lost. The survivors, 17 in number, were rescued by the ship Dharwar, after being in an open boat with neither food nor water for three days.

JOE PATCHEN AGAIN DEFEATS ROBERT J.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 8.—A magnificent crowd today witnessed the Grand Circuit races, and were well repaid by the spectacle of a noble struggle between Joe Patchen and Robert J. for the supremacy. Patchen repeated his Cleveland victory on Robert's own ground, but was forced to make four faster heats than last week. The four heats averaged 2:05½. Match race, \$5000—Joe Patchen won the first, second and fourth heats in 2:04½, 2:04½, 2:06½, and Robert J. the third in 2:05½.

JACKSON'S PROBABLE SUCCESSOR.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The World will say tomorrow: "It can be announced as a fact that Frederick R. Coudert can be successor of the late Justice Jackson on the supreme bench if he will accept the honor. A more or less formal tender of the place has been made him, and a cablegram from him announcing his decision is now being awaited. Mr. Coudert has been abroad for some time, and is understood to be in Paris."

JAPAN PREPARING FOR WAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—Japan is evidently preparing for another war. The little island wants 20 new warships, and on Thursday, Irving M. Scott will sail for Japan to secure the contracts for building some of them. San Francisco is the nearest point to Japan where fighting ships can be built.

THAT MORA CLAIM.

MADRID, Aug. 10.—It is reported that the United States government claims that Spain shall pay interest on the Mora indemnity. It is understood the Spanish government has decided to refuse this demand.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The following is the weekly bank statement: Reserve, decrease, \$1,976,400

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

Loans, increase, 1,640,300
Specie, increase, 5,700
Legal tenders, decrease, 2,138,300
Deposits, decrease, 627,200
Circulation, increase, 9,800
The banks now hold \$38,940,775 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent rule.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The exports of specie from the port of New York for the week amounted to \$2,098,800 in gold and \$897,618 in silver. The imports for the week were:
Gold, \$40,934
Silver, 58,150
Dry goods, 3,078,922
General misc., 7,234,406

PROMPT ACTION BY ENGLAND DEMANDED.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The Times will publish a dispatch from Tien Tsin tomorrow, which says that Amoy dispatches received there stated public meetings of Europeans have been held demanding that England act with energy and make reprisals if necessary to protect her subjects.

VOICE OF THE HAWAIIAN LEGISLATURE.

VICTORIA, Aug. 10.—The following advice from Honolulu under date of August 1 are at hand per steamer Warrimoo: The following resolution was adopted the 20th inst. by the legislature:

"Resolved, That the senate and house of representatives of the republic of Hawaii hereby declare new fealty to the policy of annexation of this country to the United States of America.
Resolved, That we put forth the sentiment in the firm belief and sincere hope that all who have the true interests of the nation at heart and that all who support or are friendly to the republic of Hawaii, will be impelled to even greater continued effort to bring about the relations sought."

PASSING OF THE OREGON PIONEERS.

OREGON CITY, Aug. 10.—Joseph Hedges, a pioneer of 1852, died at his residence in Canemah, a suburb of Oregon City, last night at 11:30. He was 68 years and 7 months old, and had resided almost continually at this place since he emigrated from Ohio.

A PECULIAR AND FATAL ACCIDENT.

MEDFORD, Or., Aug. 10.—B. Simpson was pushed from a sidewalk here this afternoon and his neck broken. He had been having some trouble during the afternoon with W. M. Gainey, but nothing serious resulted from the altercation. After Gainey had gone home, Simpson mistook William Crane for Gainey and came at him with a board. Crane, in his own defense, pushed Simpson backwards and the latter fell from the sidewalk to the street, a distance of about two feet, resulting as above stated. Simpson had been a resident of this county since 1852, and was about 60 years old. No blame is attached to Crane.

CANADA COMPETITION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The extent of the competition of Canada with the United States in foreign markets is pointed out in a bulletin, to be issued by the secretary of agriculture in a few days. The bulletin is the fourth of the world's market series in course of publication by the department, and embodies the reports of 80 of our consuls in the Dominion. It shows that the total exports of Canada increased from \$89,000,000 in 1885 to \$118,000,000 in 1894, or 33 per cent; the imports from \$119,000,000 to \$123,000,000, or 13 per cent; and the total trade from \$198,000,000 to \$241,000,000, or 21

per cent during the same period. The largest proportional increase was in 1892, when the value of the total trade exceeding that of the preceding year about 11 per cent. From 1888 to 1891, inclusive the trade of Canada with the United States exceeded that of any other country, but since then the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland has taken the first rank, with the United States second.

GREAT IRRIGATION SCHEME.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—The Examiner says a number of Eastern capitalists are in this city hard at work on a scheme, which, if carried out, means the revolution of the fruit industry of the country, and perhaps a business boom such as the state has never seen. The scheme is nothing less than the reclamation of the Colorado desert by turning the waters of the Colorado river over it. But that is only part of the great scheme. The company has a grant of 1,500,000 acres in Mexico. The promoters evidently mean business, for they have just handed the Southern Pacific Company a check for \$1,500,000 in return for its title to the alternate sections of land in the Salton basin. The land turned over 7000 up something like 45,000 acres.

A STRAY WAIF FROM MARSHFIELD.

OREGON CITY, Aug. 11.—Frank Lind, of Marshfield, aged 18, lies in the hospital with a badly crushed foot. He was stealing a ride on the brakebeam of a southbound freight train last night, and when near Milwaukie his foot caught in the air brake apparatus and was badly crushed. He was brought to this city and turned over to the county authorities. He has no money and claims his partner robbed him while he was asleep. His parents reside at Marshfield, Coos county.

THE FORMOSAN REBELS DEFEATED.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12.—The Japanese army of South Formosa decisively defeated the rebels, after a severe engagement the 7th and 8th of August.

CAMPOS HAS RESIGNED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Special correspondence of the World, dated Havana, Cuba, Aug. 8, says: "General Campos has resigned the captain-generalship of Cuba. It is generally believed he strongly urges the home government to grant the island self-government."

A RAID ON THE TREASURY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The treasury today lost \$1,650,000 in gold for export to Europe, leaving the reserve only about \$1,300,000 above the \$100,000,000 point. The telegram which announced the withdrawal reached the department just as it was closing at 4 o'clock, and gave no information as to the name of the exporter or the exact destination of the shipment. Mr. Curtis, the acting secretary, said he had no specific information and could not say whether the syndicate would allow the \$100,000,000 to be encroached upon or not. None of the other officials would talk in the absence of Secretary Carlisle.

THE DEAD JURIST.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 12.—The funeral of Justice Howell Edmunds Jackson occurred today at Bellemeade, the famous home of his brother, General W. H. Jackson, six miles west of this city, in the presence of many distinguished men from a distance, and a very large concourse of personal friends. Services were conducted by Rev. J. H. McNeill, of the Presbyterian church, and Rev. R. T. Lineave, of the Christian church. A special train went to Bellemeade.