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EVENTS OF THE DAY

A Comprehensive Review of the Important happenings of the Past Week Presented in a Condensed Form Which is Most Likely to Prove of Interest to Our Many Readers.

French Bark Asia Tipped over in the Portland Harbor.

Thomas Estrada Palma was elected President of Cuba.

The powers will present another collective note to Turkey.

Two British peace agents were treacherously shot by Boers.

Three new steel works are to be erected at Washington, Pa.

The Continental Tobacco Co. has secured another independent factory.

Great damage has been caused to property by freshets in the South.

A big dry goods warehouse in Dublin sustained a loss of \$150,000 by fire.

Kitchener has again informed the war office that he needs reinforcements.

Germany has delayed action against Venezuela in hopes of a peaceful settlement.

Northwestern governors have agreed upon a plan for fighting the proposed railroad deal.

One of the night clerks at the St. Paul postoffice has been arrested, charged with stealing money from letters.

Five persons were seriously injured, one fatally, in a collision between a cartilage and an electric car in Chicago.

All danger from flood in Pennsylvania has passed.

An inoffensive passenger was shot and killed by four men on a Mississippi train.

A missionary and several native converts have been massacred by Chinese troops.

The funeral of United States Senator Sewall, of New Jersey, was held with full military honors.

A legal battle between the Harriman and Hill interests in the Northern Pacific has begun in Minnesota.

Admiral Schley considers his case closed and will ask no further action. His friends will ask no concession to vindicate him.

Sir Thomas Lipton says he will challenge for America's cup until he has won it or is satisfied that it can not be won.

The governor of North Dakota will not attend the conference of governors as he sees no menace to his state from the railroads.

A prominent American, who has been in China for some time, predicts that before many years the world will see a war such as never before seen, in the Chinese empire.

The Maryland Councils of the Junior Order of Mechanics presented Admiral Schley with a beautiful medal as an evidence of their personal esteem and admiration of his services to this country.

England's coal supply may not outlast the century.

Germany has ordered another warship to Venezuelan waters.

Senator Dewey and Miss May Palmer were married in Italy.

Four hundred were killed in a battle in the interior of Colombia.

The battle ship Missouri was launched at Newport News, Va.

The death of Governor Rogers was due to worry as much as to ill health.

Insurgent sympathizers have murdered a number of friendly natives.

Four trainmen were killed near Scranton, Pa., on a runaway coal train.

Prominent Englishmen are coming to America to study its business methods.

Fire at Anderson, Ind., destroyed several business houses, causing a loss of \$40,000.

There is no friction between the military and civil authorities in the Philippines.

Generals Chaffee and Wheaton have gone to Batangas to personally investigate the conditions there.

United States Senator Sewall is dead.

A department store at Victoria, B. C., burned. Loss, \$250,000.

Germany is preparing to blockade Venezuelan ports and enforce her demands.

The Chinese court will soon return to Peking and extensive preparations are being made to receive it.

Governor Shaw will not discuss the policy he will pursue when he becomes secretary of the treasury.

A \$2,000,000 silk cargo has just reached San Francisco from the Orient.

The world famous Diesel engine is to be built at South Worcester, Mass.

Twenty-seven hour trains are hereafter to be run between New York and Chicago.

An immense 12,000 ton hydraulic press is to be erected in the Carnegie armor plate plant.

In 1900 England imported nearly 50,000 tons of German wines.

The French government has decided to investigate American trusts.

The organization of reserves will give Sweden a total army of 400,000 men.

The German minister to Venezuela urges the employment of warships to collect claims overdue.

A Nebraska supreme court decision deprives the Omaha mayor and the city council of the power to appoint police and fire commissioners and vests it in the governor.

GOV. ROGERS AT REST.

Late Executive of Washington Laid in the Tomb at Puyallup.

Tacoma, Jan. 2.—In the soft, misty twilight of a typical winter evening in the valley district, the body of John Rankin Rogers, third governor of the state of Washington was yesterday laid to rest in the hillside cemetery of Puyallup. Thousands of people thronged the streets, and there was hardly a house in the city that was not draped in black. Companies B and D, of the National Guard, and the First Regiment band had come from Seattle, and were in waiting at the depot when the funeral train arrived from Tacoma. The sidewalks were blocked by an impassable living barrier, and people had even climbed on the roofs of houses to view the procession. A great number of Masons were also in Puyallup when the train arrived.

In a drizzling rain the procession started from the depot. Down Meridian street the line slowly made its way under the arch of green at the intersection of Main street. This was an artistic work, being made of evergreens and draped with long black and white streamers, with many small American flags arranged at the top. The telephone poles were also decked with green, and the street, with these and the private decorations, made a fine picture.

On reaching the house of the late governor's son, the coffin was borne in by the same National Guardsmen that had acted as pallbearers while the body lay in state at Tacoma, and placed in the main room. Governor McBride, ex-Governor McGraw and the state officials occupied an adjoining room, and the others were filled with members of the Masonic order and friends. Outside the house was an enormous crowd of people. As the death march was played on the organ in the house the members of the family entered, Mrs. Rogers shaken with grief and needing support to reach the room set apart for relatives and friends. After the hymn "Jesus, Keep Me Near Thy Cross," had been sung the lesson was read and the choir sang "Abide With Me." Rev. W. O. Bernadon, of the First Methodist church of Puyallup, made a prayer, in which he referred to the glorious hope of resurrection. Rev. Spencer Sulliger, chaplain of the First Washington Regiment, then delivered an address, based on the text, "Thy shall shut down no more." When the choir had sung "Nearer My God, to Thee," the public were admitted to view the dead governor. The crowd was so great that many persons were unable to gain admittance.

On the road to the cemetery the First Washington Regiment band playing a dead march, took the lead, followed by Companies A and E, of the National Guard, of Tacoma; Companies B and D, from Seattle, and Troop B, dismounted, from Tacoma, and fifty files of Masons, who preceded the hearse, which was drawn by four black horses. A line of carriages followed, and a long procession of friends and the public. The services at the cemetery were conducted by the Masons, in the presence of fully 2000 persons, at the close of which the militia fired three volleys and sounded taps. The family of the late governor returned to Olympia on a special train.

PRESIDENT OF CUBA.

Will Receive Almost the Unanimous Vote of the Electoral College.

Havana, Jan. 2.—The indications are that the entire Palma ticket will be elected, and that Tomas Estrada Palma, the Nationalist candidate for the Presidency of Cuba, will receive the unanimous vote of the electoral college.

The adherents of Bartholome Maso, the Democratic candidate, who recently withdrew from the campaign, not only withdrew their candidates, but refused to go to the polls. A remarkably light vote was polled throughout the island.

La Discussion ascribes this indifference to the certainty on the part of the Palmaists of being victorious, and that consequently a majority of them stayed at home and did not vote. La Discussion says that the vote may be taken as a protest by the Cuban people against the imposition of official candidates.

The Diario de la Marina says that the result is an indication that the Cuban Democracy may look upon American policies as inevitable.

Palma's Policy.

New York, Jan. 2.—Thomas Estrada Palma, in his home at Central Valley, N. Y., tonight received the news that his election to the Presidency of the republic of Cuba was conceded. He announced that the new Cuba would be one of work and high endeavor, that it would be his aim to strengthen the friendly relations which exist between his country and the United States and to bring about reciprocity.

Double Duty on Bounty Sugar.

London, Jan. 3.—On the ground that in spite of the sugar duty imposed last year, the price of sugar is now lower than ever, owing to the enormous imports from Germany, the Daily Mail today advocates doubling the duty on bounty-fed sugar, but leaving the duty on colonial sugar unchanged. The paper says such a course would avert the ruin now threatening the West Indies and would be an effective means of persuading foreign nations to abolish sugar duties.

Perilous Trip to Hawaii.

San Francisco, Jan. 2.—The steamer Alameda brings particulars of the hard time the S. D. Carleton had during her run from Puget Sound to Honolulu. The vessel, when on her beam ends half a dozen times, and on many occasions the crew thought the masts would roll out of her. For two weeks the decks were washed, and most of the time from two to three feet of water was running through the scuppers, and members of the crew took their lives in their hands every time they went on the main deck. For twelve days the Carleton was off Honolulu.

NEWS OF THE STATE

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF OREGON.

Commercial and Financial Happenings of Importance—A Brief Review of the Growth and Improvements of the Many Industries Throughout Our Thriving Commonwealth—Latest Market Report.

Very good showings of platinum have been discovered near Grant's Pass.

C. H. Libby, a prominent farmer and highly respected resident of Jefferson, is dead, age, 79 years.

Fire at Cove destroyed four buildings in the center of the business portion of town. Loss, \$5000.

Highwaymen in Portland held up and robbed a man under the electric light opposite the court house.

Baker City has opened a free public library. It is the intention to ask Carver for funds for the erection of a building.

The last of the prune crop around Corvallis has been sold. The purchases aggregated 150,000 pounds, for which 3 cents per pound was paid.

Flags on the Capitol building were placed at half mast as a token of respect to the late Governor Rogers of Washington.

Footpads near Grant's Pass held up an old man and beat him into insensibility because he would not give up money which they supposed he carried.

The installation of the smelter in the Quartzburg district, seven miles north of Prairie City, has been of great benefit to those owning mines in that neighborhood.

Buyers at Salem have offered as high as 12 cents for hops. Eleven cents is the ruling price, but the activity the last few days in that commodity has caused a raise in prices.

A wind storm at Astoria did \$16,500 damage to the city.

A gift of \$1000 in cash has been made to Philomath college.

The smallest scare at Marshfield has passed and the quarantine raised.

The December shipment of wheat from Portland exceeded 2,000,000 bushels.

The Douglas county poultry show at Roseburg last week was a success in every particular.

State Food Commissioner Bailey has started a crusade against light-weight California butter.

Weston had a small fire a few days ago, but the blaze was extinguished before much damage was done.

Arrangements have been completed for the registration of voters of Marion county, which begins January 6.

Real estate is moving quite lively around Weston. Several farms have been sold recently at good prices.

Six carloads of prunes just left Dalles for the Eastern market. The price paid for the fruit was 2½¢ per pound.

Preparations are being commenced all over the state for the primaries, which will select the candidates for the June election.

A counterfeiting outfit has been captured at The Dalles, but the owner, who is known, has escaped. It is probable that he will be arrested.

The Wasco Milling Company's flouring mill is now completed, and only awaits the turning on of the electric power from White river to begin grinding out 500 barrels of flour a day.

There is greater activity in the mines of Southern Oregon at present than ever before in their history. New wagon roads are being constructed, larger stamp mills put in and new workings opened.

Portland Markets.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 59¢@60¢; blue stem, 61¢; valley, 59½¢@60¢.

Barley—Feed, \$17@17.50; brewing, \$17.50@18 per ton.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$1@1.10; gray, 95¢@1.

Flour—Best grades, \$2.70@3.30 per barrel; Graham, \$2.50.

Milkstuffs—Bran, \$17 per ton; middlings, \$20; shorts, \$18; chops, \$17.

Hay—Timothy, \$11@12; clover, \$7@7.50; Oregon wild hay, \$5@6 per ton.

Mutton—Lamb, 3½¢@3½¢; gross; dressed, 6½¢ per pound; sheep, withers, 3½¢@3½¢; gross; dressed, 6½¢@6½¢ per pound; ewes, 3½¢@3½¢; gross; dressed, 6½¢@6½¢ per pound.

Cattle—Cows, 5½¢; dressed, 6½¢@6½¢ per pound.

Veal—8½¢ per pound.

Beef—Cows, 3½¢; steers, 3½¢@4¢; dressed, 2@2¢ per pound.

Butter—Creamery, 25¢@27¢ per pound; dairy, 18¢@20¢; store, 12¢@15¢.

Eggs—20¢@22¢ for cold storage; 22¢@25¢ for Eastern; 28¢@30¢ for fresh Oregon.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$2.50@3; hens, \$3.50@4; 8½¢@9¢ per pound; springs, 9¢@10¢ per pound; \$2.50@3 per dozen; ducks, \$5@6 for young; geese, \$8.50@9.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, 11¢@12¢; dressed, 13¢@14¢ per pound.

Cheese—Full cream, twins, 13¢@13½¢; Young America, 14¢@15¢.

Butter—Ordinary, 20¢@22¢ per cental; ordinary, 20¢@22¢.

Hops—8½¢@10¢ per pound.

Wool—Valley, 11¢@14¢; Eastern Oregon, 8¢@12¢; mohair, 21¢@21½¢ per pound.

The possibilities of wireless telegraphy were predicted by James Brown Lindsay, of Dundee, Scotland, in 1834.

The Pharaohs wore their beards when in mourning for a relative. Court mourning in Egypt seems to have lasted a year.

A Pittsburg offers to buy all the municipal and private street railways in St. Petersburg, Russia, and electrically equip them.

Locke is said to have spent over six years in the preparation of his essay on the "Human Understanding."

The first stage line was between New York and Philadelphia, and bi-monthly trips were first made in 1730.

The Texas authorities are about to establish a system whereby 4,000 convicts can be employed on 3,000 acres of sugar cane land.

A canal is being agitated from the Mississippi river, along the coast of Texas, to the Rio Grande, six feet deep and 60 feet wide at an estimated cost of \$1,500,000.

LAWS FOR PHILIPPINES.

Root in Daily Conference With Lodge and Platt—Bills Being Prepared.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Secretary Root has been in almost daily conference with Senators Lodge and Platt, of Connecticut, during the past week, in regard to the legislation for the government of the Philippines. Bills are in course of preparation to carry into effect the recommendations made by the Philippine commission and endorsed by the president and secretary of war, looking to the material and political welfare of the islands. These bills authorize the granting of franchises for railroads, electric lights, telephones, etc., the issue of bonds of the insular government to purchase the agricultural holdings and property of religious orders; provide for the acquisition of homestead rights, regulate mining and provide a special system of coinage and banking for the islands.

Memorial Services for Rizal.

Manila, Jan. 2.—Memorial services and a procession were held December 30 in honor of Jose Rizal, the Filipino leader. The services were celebrated on the Luenta, where Rizal was executed by the Spaniards, December 30, 1896. The procession called at the town hall, and Acting governor Wright addressed a few words to those who took part in it. The manifestation was chiefly remarkable for the intense hatred displayed toward the friars.

Generals Go to Batangas.

Manila, Jan. 2.—General Chaffee and General Wheaton have gone to Batangas in order to make a personal investigation of the state of affairs in that province and confer with General Bell. Generals Chaffee and Wheaton will return here tomorrow.

Bonner Accepts Appointment.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Hugh J. Bonner, of New York, has accepted the tender of an appointment as chief of the fire department of Manila.

TRAGEDY ON A TRAIN

Inoffensive Passenger Shot and Killed by Four Men—All Now in Jail.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 2.—Four white men killed J. M. Rhea, an inoffensive passenger on a train of the Illinois Central Railroad, at an early hour this morning near Leland, Miss., cut the locomotive from the train and forced the engineer to run to Cleveland, Miss. All four men were arrested. One is in jail at Leland, and three are locked up at Shelby.

The four men, who had been drinking, boarded the northbound train at Leland at 3 A. M., to return to Shelby. Rhea, who is an engineer, was on his way to Tutwiler to take on a locomotive there, and was sleeping on a seat in the sleeper. The four men came down the aisle and the foremost one ran into Rhea's legs, which were extended out into the aisle. Rhea was awakened and a quarrel ensued, during which one of the four men told him that they could not all stay in the same car and that he would have to get out.

Rhea remarked that, in order to prevent trouble he would have to do as they told him. Thereupon he started out of the car. He had just reached the door when the men opened fire upon him and he fell.

ADMIRAL CASEY SAILS.

He Will Probably Change His Flag to the Iowa on Reaching Peru.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The navy department has been informed of the departure of Admiral Silas Casey, of Mexico, Rear Admiral Silas Casey, commanding the North Pacific squadron, aboard his flagship, the Wisconsin, bound for Callao, Peru. By the time the Wisconsin arrives at the latter port it is expected that the battle ship Iowa will be ready to emerge from the dock at Talcahuano, Chile, and at the navy department it is thought probable that Admiral Casey will transfer his flag back to the Iowa, from which vessel it formerly flew. This state of affairs will leave the two largest battle ships of the Pacific squadron cruising in the waters of the coast of Chile, Argentina and Peru, so that in case the threatened hostilities between Chile and Argentina materialize American interests in that quarter would be well looked after.

Russia's Reply to United States.

The Hague, Jan. 2.—M. Komaroff, the Russian chamberlain, has handed the members of the permanent arbitration court, and arbitrator of the claims of American sealers, on the seizure of their vessels by the Russian government about six years ago, Russia's reply to the last note of the United States on the subject of the Behring sea seal fisheries differences.

\$100,000 Damaged to Power Dam.

Anderson, S. C., Jan. 2.—Three hundred and fifty feet of the Anderson Light & Power Company's dam at Portman Sohals, in Seneca river, was washed away last night. The damage is at least \$100,000.

Prairie Sails for Port of Spain.

Noorloik, Va., Jan. 2.—The United States cruiser Prairie sailed today for Port of Spain, Trinidad, near the coast of Venezuela.

Demonstration to Gomez.

Havana, Jan. 2.—The return of General Maximo Gomez to Havana yesterday evening did not produce the demonstration which had been predicted for the occasion. Although some women in the United Kingdom were shown than in the Masso manifestations. The Masso followers had arranged a demonstration last evening, in opposition to the one to welcome General Gomez, but this was prohibited by the authorities, who feared trouble.

THE YEAR REVIEWED

SUMMARY OF THE IMPORTANT EVENTS OF 1901.

Year Witnesses the Deaths of Queen Victoria and President McKinley—Many Other Notables Pass Away—Disasters, Fires, Accidents, Strikes, Etc.

The year 1901, firstborn of the new century, is made memorable by the death of two of the best loved rulers the world has ever known. In its first month Victoria, England's good queen, breathed her last quietly and peacefully at the one of her royal abodes. The forcible taking of the life of the misguiding anarchist youth, Czolgosz, in September, is in harsh contrast with her serene passing, and is a sad commentary upon the laxity of our democracy, which favors the intimate contact of the chief executive with the general public and fails to provide adequate means for his physical protection.

Many others of the great ones of our time have passed away. The death of the statesman, author, churchman, musician and business man—have also heard the last summons and responded thereto.

The Boer-British war in South Africa has continued through the year, rather to the advantage of the latter, and the armed resistance of the Filipinos against the rule of the United States has been fitfully in evidence.

There have been several mine and railway accidents, in which many lives have been destroyed. The number of destructive fires has also been quite large.

The most important happenings of the year may be briefly summarized thus:

1. Lord Hopetoun installed as first Governor General of Federated Australian colonies.

2. Death of Ignatius Donnelly.

3. Death of Bishop W. X. Nield at Detroit, Mich.

4. Death of Philip D. Armour. Eight lives lost in small hotel fire in Minneapolis.

5. Fred Alexander, colored, burned at stake by Leavenworth, Kan., mob.

6. Death of ex-Gov. James A. Mount, of Indiana.

7. Death of Queen Victoria of England and accession of King Edward VII. Burial of Grand Opera House in Cincinnati.

8. Board of building in Montreal burned. Loss \$3,000,000.

9. Death of Giuseppe Verdi, Italian composer.

10. Disastrous fire in Des Moines, Iowa. Twenty-one patients burned to death in Tokyo hospital.

11. Funeral of Queen Victoria at Windsor.

12. Marriage of Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and Duke Henry of Mecklenburg in Mexico, July 8th.

13. Sudden death of Col. Albert D. Shaw.

14. Marriage of Princess of Asturias and Prince Charles of Bourbon.

15. Death of ex-Secretary of State, Charles F. Smith.

16. Death of ex-Gov. James A. Mount, of Indiana.

17. Nine persons killed in collision near Bordentown, N. J.

18. Steamer Rito de Janeiro sinks outside Golden Gate, California; several lives lost.

19. Fifty miners imprisoned in burning mine at Remerburg, Wyo.

20. Fire at New York, N. Y., caused by gas, and burned and killed three persons.

21. Death of Wm. M. Everts.

22. State penitentiary near Lincoln, Neb., burned.

23. Immigration of President McKinley and Vice President Roosevelt.

24. Twenty persons killed and many more injured by explosion in Doremus laundry, Chicago. Hay-Pannocote treaty reprobated by Great Britain.

25. Death of ex-President Benj. Harrison.

26. Chief Aguinaldo, fugitive, captured by Gen. Fred Funston.

27. Tornados at Birmingham, Ala. Death of Charlotte M. Yonge, author.

28. Death of Comedian Roland Reed.

29. China refuses to sign Manchurian convention.

30. Japan issues ultimatum to Russia.

31. Logan station involved in Washington, D. C., fire.

32. Cuban Constitutional convention rejects Platt amendment. Death of Gov. Q. Cannon.

33. British war loan voted by House of Commons. Peace manifesto issued.

34. Unprecedented snowstorm and floods in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Kentucky and the Virginia.

35. Fifty persons killed by explosion near Frankfurt, Germany.

36. President McKinley starts on long trip through the country.

37. Opening of Pan-American Exposition.

38. Gov. Dietrich, of Nebraska, resigns and is made United States Senator by his successor, Gov. Savage.

39. Burning of Jacksonville, Fla. Civil government established at Manila.

40. Suicide of R. N. Follick, fugitive bank president of Cleveland, at Seattle, Wash.

41. First Australian Federal Parliament opened in Melbourne by Duke of Cornwall and York. Panic in Wall street.

42. Steamer Palawan goes down in Mississippi six miles north of Grand Tower, Miss. President's tour broken off by Mrs. McKinley's serious illness.

43. Riot in Albany, N. Y.

44. Death of Mrs. Lyman J. Gage. Death of Edwin F. Uhl, of Grand Island, Neb.