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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.

General Miles declares for small armies for all nations.

Supporters of the Irish land bill believe its passage is now assured.

The finishing touches are being put on Shamrock III prior to the big races.

Thirty-three more bodies have been taken from the Hanna, Wyoming mine.

The Casino gambling house, one of the most notorious in France, has been destroyed by fire.

The international typographical union has commenced its 49th annual session at Washington.

Penny postage rates between Great Britain and the United States are deemed impracticable.

A Kansas woman lost a bundle on a train containing \$7,500. Railroad detectives found it for her.

The Canadian Pacific railroad has declared a dividend of 2½ per cent for the six months just ended.

The textile workers of Philadelphia have given up their strike. Over 10,000 have returned to work.

Grain field fires near Bakersfield, Cal., have destroyed thousands of acres of wheat and pasture.

Three thousand men have gone on a strike at Cripple Creek, Colo., in order to stop shipments to smelters refusing to grant 8-hour days.

The insurrectionary movement in Macedonia is spreading.

Cruelty of nobles to their American wives will force many to ask for divorces.

Chinese of New York have petitioned Secretary Hay to save the reformers.

Senator Morgan says, Foraker and not Roosevelt, will be the republican nominee for president.

Sa's crackers blew open a safe within two blocks of the police station at Portland and secured \$150.

The pope gave his blessing to the world from inside and not from the balcony as was hoped by many.

Captain Charles J. Barclay, of the Puget sound navy yard, is now ranking officer on the list of navy captains.

A Hattiesburg, Miss., mob chieftain into the jail, secured the negro who shot a jailer, and then hanged him.

President Roosevelt and Secretary Root did not eulogize Miles because they felt that he was not deserving of praise.

A tornado swept the mining district of Pittsburg, Kan., killing four, wounding 60 and doing great damage to property.

Lieutenant General Miles has retired.

Roosevelt is in favor of a more elastic currency.

Bulgaria will be neutral in the Macedonia trouble.

More Russians have been killed by troops in labor troubles.

Fire at Barcelona, Spain, rendered 3,000 families homeless and destitute.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, Ohio, will be a candidate for governor.

Foreign consuls will not allow the delivery of reformers to China for execution.

Cape Colony will not be represented at the 1904 fair as was originally the intention.

An insane man has been killed by officers by mistake in searching for the Folsom convicts.

Pope Pius gave Cardinal Gibbons a private audience at which he expressed his interest in America.

T. A. Wood, a Portland attorney, may be debarred for practices in prosecuting Indian war veterans' claims.

Willard S. Allen, a prominent Boston attorney and treasurer of Methodist preachers' aid society, has confessed to embezzling \$80,000 of the society's funds.

A fire at Fort Scott, Kan., caused a loss of \$70,000.

Gorman feels confident of Democratic success in 1904.

Russian troops have whipped and otherwise cruelly treated striking laborers.

Lewis, the colored Folsom, escapee, has been retaken at Auburn, shot in the legs.

The gross earnings of the Union Pacific for the past year show an increase of \$3,574,900.

LIBERTY VERY BRIEF.

Murderers Break Jail at Cheyenne, Wyo.—Fierce Struggle With Jailor.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Aug. 12.—Tom Horn, the condemned murderer of little Willie Nickell, and Jim McCloud, in custody for postoffice robbery, escaped from the county jail at 8:40 o'clock this morning after overpowering Deputy Sheriff Proctor, but were recaptured after a brief but exciting chase. The ringing of fire bells brought hundreds of armed citizens to the scene and it looked for a time as though a lynching would take place, but the escapes were hurriedly brought back to the jail and placed in their cells before the crowds could form themselves into a mob. The men did not get but two blocks away before they were retaken.

The plot which led to their escape was well planned. Horn and McCloud were the only prisoners confined on the upper floor of the jail. They occupied steel cells, so arranged that communication was comparatively easy. This morning McCloud complained to Deputy Proctor of being ill and requested some medicine and a glass of water. Upon returning with the articles asked for, he discovered that the men had left their cells, which were not locked, and had walked to the end of the corridor through which they were allowed to exercise. When Proctor opened the door to the corridor, he was pounced upon by the two men and securely bound with a cord which they had secured in some manner. Horn and McCloud demanded that he give them his keys and although Proctor had them on his person, he replied that they were locked up in the safe.

Proctor was then conducted to the safe and directed to open it. The order was obeyed but on opening the safe, Proctor snatched from inside a gun and turned on the men. They were too quick for him, however, and soon bore him down. In the brief struggle Proctor fired his revolver at them four times, slightly wounding McCloud.

The shooting attracted the attention of Deputy Snow, who hastened to the scene, but was met at the doorway by McCloud, who had secured possession of a shotgun in some manner. Snow retreated and Horn and McCloud escaped through a rear door of the jail, after binding the arms of Deputy Proctor. McCloud secured the only horse in the sheriff's stable and mounted the animal and started toward the west. Horn ran in the opposite direction.

BUTTE JAIL YAWNS.

Murderers and Highwaymen Escape Easily—Get the Drop on the Jailor.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 12.—Three murderers, two under sentence of death, a stage robber wanted in Wyoming and two highwaymen, escaped from the Silver Bow county jail shortly after 6 o'clock this evening, without any difficulty. The men who escaped are: L. L. Felker, who escaped once before, Charles Lenox and James Martin, J. R. Woods, alias Joe Rodgers, and Patrick Rodgers. Frank Oestroff is wanted in Cheyenne for holding up a stage coach. The latter and Joe Rodgers were caught within an hour after they escaped. Oestroff was armed.

Oestroff and Rodgers planned the delivery. Oestroff complained of being sick and a doctor was called in. When the jailor opened the corridor, Oestroff dropped a revolver on Jailor William Dolan, and then took the keys from him. Oestroff then, with the aid of Joe Rodgers, opened the cells of the prisoners, and the jailor was overpowered.

Oestroff kept Dolan at bay while the other prisoners walked out of the jail. One of them secured a revolver from the jailor's office. Lenox and Martin went out the rear way of the jail, and the others coolly walked out the main entrance. Oestroff was run down by a horseman, and was completely exhausted when caught.

Senators on a Sandbar.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 12.—When the steamship St. Paul left Nome 10 days ago, United States Senators Nelson, of Minnesota; Patterson, of Colorado, and Dillingham, of Vermont, may be stuck on a sandbar in the Yukon river, 200 miles above Nulato. These senators compose part of the senatorial committee appointed to investigate Alaskan affairs. After visiting Skagway and Juneau, they went to Dawson and inspected Klondike mines. They started for the mining camps on the Lower Yukon on the steamer Van Vleet.

Meteor's Blaze of Light.

Chickasha, I. T., Aug. 12.—During a heavy thunder storm last night, a meteor fell here with a blaze of light and a shower of sparks that lit up the country for miles around. The aerolite struck the earth in the back yard of Mrs. Sarah Sibley. Mrs. Sibley was severely stunned. A terrific explosion occurred as the meteor struck and incandescent fragments flew in all directions. The telephone system was wrecked.

NINETY ARE LOST

TRAIN WRECK IN PARIS TUNNEL CAUSES A GREAT PANIC.

Officials Lose Their Wits and Allow Passengers to Die in Flames—Firemen Unable for Hours to Reach the Victims, Until They Finally Succeed in Flooding Burning Mass.

Paris, Aug. 12.—An awful catastrophe occurred last evening on the Metropolitan electric railway, which runs mostly underground, in which 90 persons are believed to have lost their lives. Eighty-two bodies have been recovered and the search continues. One of the trains broke down at Menilmontant, which is a poor and populous section of the city. This train was promptly emptied, and the train which followed was ordered to push it to the repairing sheds. On the way these two trains caught fire, but the employees succeeded in escaping. Meanwhile a crowded train reached Les Charonnes, the preceding station, and the officials seeing smoke pouring out of the tunnel, gave the alarm. A panic ensued, the passengers struggling to escape.

Amid the increasing smoke many attempted to return along the line toward Belleville and were suffocated. The officials seem to have lost their heads and are unable to say how many passengers went out. The firemen for several hours were unable to enter the station or the tunnel, owing to the dense smoke, which poured out in black clouds. Meanwhile tens of thousands of anxious people gathered about the station. All the police and fire engines were on the spot and the excitement was intense.

CZAR UP IN ARMS.

Says Turkey Must Punish Slayer of Consul.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 12.—The czar has demanded the exemplary punishment not only of the murderer of the Russian consul at Monastir, who was killed last week by a Turkish general, but of all the military and civil officials in any way responsible for the crime.

In reporting the occurrence to the foreign office, the Russian consul at Constantinople telegraphed as follows:

"The Russian consul at Monastir has fallen the victim of an atrocious crime. The grand vizier and the Turkish foreign minister have come to me with expressions of regret in the name of the sultan. Ferid Pasha, the grand vizier, informed me that the assassin was a gendarme named Halim, and that he will be subjected to the severest punishment, and the vali of Monastir will be removed from his post."

In reply, Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, telegraphed to the ambassador:

"His majesty has received a telegram from the sultan expressing his deep regret at the death of the Russian consul at Monastir. When I showed the telegram to the emperor, his majesty gave orders that you should not confine yourself to receiving explanations from the grand vizier, but should make the most energetic demands on the Turkish government for full satisfaction and immediate and exemplary punishment both of the murderer and of all the military and civil officials on whom responsibility for the audacious crime may fall."

ROOT NOT TO RESIGN.

Secretary of War Will Remain in the Cabinet.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 12.—The attention of the president tonight was directed to a circumstantial statement, published today, that Secretary Root expected soon to retire from the cabinet, to be succeeded by Governor Taft, of the Philippines. It can be said that there is no definite foundation for the story. The president, since the first intimation many months ago of Secretary Root's possible retirement, has hoped, and still hopes, that he will remain in the cabinet for a long time. He believes that the secretary will remain through the coming winter, and probably a much longer time.

Want Prices Raised.

London, Aug. 12.—The Daily News this morning prints a dispatch from Warsaw, dated last Friday, which says that an American association, said to contain 37,000 farmers, has addressed itself to the Russian ministers of finance and agriculture, requesting their assistance in raising the current prices of agricultural produce, particularly wheat, an saying that the association projects a great union between the wheat growing countries of the world for the purpose of fixing an annual minimum selling price.

Japanese Desire Peace.

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 12.—A number of public men, including Prince Konoye, president of the house of peers, and Counts Itagaki, ex-minister of the interior, and Kuma, have formed a non-partisan association for the purpose of urging the government to invite Russia to terminate the causes of the present international complications.

POPE IS FOR PEACE.

Vatican Officials However, are Strongly Opposed to His Policy.

Rome, Aug. 8.—The attention of Rome is now centered upon the solemn coronation ceremony, which is to occur on Sunday, and for which great preparations are being made. The throne of St. Peter, which Pius X will occupy, will be mounted by a canopy, 40 feet high. The function will consume five hours. The pope has informed the vatican officials that he wishes to be received on the threshold of the basilica by Cardinal Rampolla, who, as arch priest of the church, will address the formal greeting to him.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the pope will confer his blessing upon the people, but it has not yet been decided whether he will do so inside the church or from the balcony looking out upon the piazza, where many hoped he would bestow his benediction on the day of his election.

It is said that Pius is favorable to the latter plan, but the influence of the vatican officials is against it, on the ground that it might be interpreted as a recognition of the present state of affairs in Italy.

The holding of the coronation ceremonies in St. Peter itself represents a concession, as in the case of Leo it occurred in the Sistine chapel. Although it is expected that 60,000 tickets will be issued for the event, the demand for them is already very great.

In the consistories to be held Monday and Thursday next, the pope will confer the red hat upon Cardinals Adjuvi, Taliani, Katchthaler and Herrero y Espinosa, who were raised from the purple June 25, but who have not received these symbols of rank because of the illness and death of Leo. It is believed that the Spanish Cardinal Herrero will not be able to be present at the coronation ceremonies.

WAR TO COME SOON.

Macedonians Have Fixed Date of General Uprising.

London, Aug. 8.—A newsagency dispatch from Vienna says the Macedonian central revolutionary committee has fixed August 31 as the date for a general uprising, and that Boris Sarafoff, one of the leading Macedonian agitators, has been appointed commander of the revolutionary forces, with Alexieff as his principal lieutenant.

The London papers print mail letters descriptive of the Macedonian situation and dated the latter part of July, which indicate that the committee was vigorously preparing for an uprising at the close of the harvest. The members of the committee, according to these advices, have been vainly hoping for an outbreak of war between Turkey and Bulgaria or some other sensational occurrence, such as a massacre of Christians, then gave them an opening, but nothing has happened, and altogether the situation is critical, it is just possible that the committee may still further put off the date of the outbreak.

COLORADO SWEEP BY STORM.

Chunks of Ice Fully Ten Inches in Length Fall.

Denver, Aug. 8.—Details of the storm which prevailed along the eastern slope of the Rocky mountains in Colorado and Southern Wyoming last night show it to have been much more severe than at first reported. In some sections the hail fall was unprecedented. In the neighborhood of Greeley and Eaton, in the northern part of Colorado, chunks of ice measuring in some instances ten inches in length fell, and the damage wrought was immense. Sheep were struck dead in the corrals, and cattle and horses were severely hurt. Farmhouses and barns were wrecked, and crops utterly wiped out of existence.

Near La Fayette, Colo., there were two storms, the second following the first within 15 minutes and with greater severity. The streets of the town were flooded, cellars partially filled with water and trees and shrubbery stripped of foliage and crops destroyed. The damage in and around La Fayette is estimated at \$200,000. In Southern Colorado the rainfall was very heavy, approaching the proportions of a cloudburst in several places.

Prejudice Against New Coins.

Manila, Aug. 8.—The effort of the United States government to introduce its new currency into the Philippine islands has not met with the success that was anticipated. Although a large quantity of the coins have reached the islands, there exists considerable prejudice against their use, especially in the provinces. The bankers of Manila, having become convinced of the necessity of action in the matter, held a conference with Governor Taft, and after a full discussion promised to render all the aid possible.

Firemen Overcome by Gas.

Tiffin, O., Aug. 8.—Fire Chief Weimer, Captain Grogg and four firemen were overcome by carbonic acid gas today while investigating a supposed fire in Wilson's cold storage plant. The men were rescued by the crowd watching the dense gaseous vapor, which was supposed to be smoke, rise from the building. All the firemen are in serious condition.

FOSTER TO HELP

WASHINGTON SENATOR APPROVES OF LEWIS AND CLARK FAIR.

Thinks an Appropriation of \$1,000,000 by Congress Not Too Much to Ask For—All Delegations From Coast States Should Work to That End—Oregon Becoming Better Known.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 5.—United States Senator Addison G. Foster pledged his support today to an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the Lewis and Clark exposition and strongly urged the co-operation of Oregon and Washington congressional delegations, not only for the purpose of securing this appropriation, but also for aiding river and harbor work and other Northwest interests.

Senator Foster accepts it as a matter of course that the coast representatives will aid the Oregon delegation in securing a big appropriation for the Lewis and Clark exposition. He regards the exposition as an enterprise of equal interest to both Washington and Oregon and of industrial value.

"Oregon has done exceedingly well in behalf of the Lewis and Clark fair," said Senator Foster today. "I doubt if there is another city on the Pacific coast where over \$400,000 could be raised by private subscription. It is doubtful, too, whether any other coast state than Oregon would appropriate \$500,000 to encourage the exposition. Such enterprise is worthy of encouragement."

"The exposition will be of great value to the entire Northwest and will aid in the development of the whole coast. The co-operation of neighboring states should be hearty and effective."

"I have not had any opportunity of discussing the exposition with other senators and I do not know how a request for a \$1,000,000 appropriation would be received. But it is certain the fair will not receive this recognition unless Oregon asks for it."

"The federal government has been exceedingly liberal with St. Louis. It remembered the expositions at Atlanta, New Orleans, Nashville, Chicago and elsewhere in a generous manner. It is hard to understand how Portland's efforts can fail to be encouraged. The Lewis and Clark exposition has a historic value that is only secondary to the Louisiana Purchase exposition."

"The people of America now thoroughly appreciate the value of the 'Oregon country' and the great value of the work that saved it to the United States. It is especially fitting that the 100th anniversary of the arrival of the intrepid explorers, Lewis and Clark, should be observed."

PROTECTION TO WATER SUPPLY.

Mount Warner Land Withdrawals Made With an Eye to the Future.

Washington, Aug. 5.—At the request of the bureau of forestry, the secretary of the interior has temporarily withdrawn from all entry a tract of about 2,500,000 acres in the Warner mountain region of Southern Oregon, with a view to determining its fitness for incorporation into a permanent forest reservation. This land adjoins a large tract similarly withdrawn from entry several months ago.

Field representatives of the forestry bureau who have been in Southern Oregon during the early summer report that the timber stand on these lands is such as to make their reservation desirable, as a watershed is formed that promises to grow in importance with the development of irrigation in Eastern Oregon.

None of the lands in the withdrawal are said to be valuable for agricultural purposes, but are of considerable importance on account of their timber, and because of the influence of a permanent forest on the water supply.

More detailed examinations of the lands will be made during the summer and fall, with a view of determining what portion of the withdrawal should be eventually included in a reserve.

This withdrawal is considered as an extension of the original Warner mountain withdrawal, which extends southward into California.

Rioters are Slain.

St. Petersburg, via Frontier, Aug. 5.—There are reports that troops were fresh collisions between the troops and strikers on the Trans-Caucasian railway, near Tiflis, last Thursday. The troops were ordered to fire on the rioters, who were using revolvers, with the result that 21 workmen were killed. The removal of a rail by the strikers wrecked a Trans-Caucasian train. Twelve carriages were smashed and two persons killed. It is asserted that the Armenians are inciting the strikers.

Production of Petroleum.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The United States geological survey gives out the following information as a preliminary statement of the production of petroleum in 1902. Total production for the year 80,894,590 barrels, valued at \$49,410,348, or 86 cents per barrel.