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EVENTS OF THE DAY

GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE TWO HEMISPHERES.

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

Oregon wants the 1904 irrigation congress.

Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, says he is not a presidential candidate.

The torpedo boat Lawrence was badly injured in the gale off the New England coast.

Land Commissioner Richards says lien land law is largely responsible for the many frauds.

While Sir Thomas Lipton is seriously ill, his physicians say his condition is not dangerous.

New York has been swept by another gale. Shipping suffered heavily, although the damage on land was not so heavy as before.

Chamberlain, Ritchie and Hamilton have resigned from the British cabinet on account of protection issue. Other members are expected to follow.

A Tonopah, Nevada, mob compelled all the Chinese in the town to leave under pain of death. One old man died from the effect of a beating given him. The city officials have 18 men under arrest for the crime.

Sir Thomas Lipton is quite ill at Chicago.

Frost in the Nebraska corn belt has done much damage to that crop.

Bulgaria will take no steps for war until the powers reply to her not.

A heavy snow has fallen around Cheyenne and Laramie, Wyoming.

Russia's policy is said to be to let Turkey subdue Bulgaria, then she will seize the land.

Premier Balfour, of England, advocates retaliatory duties against protectionist nations.

An explosion in the basement caused the destruction of a seven story building in New York.

Ex-senator James K. Kelly, of Oregon, is dead. Of recent years he had lived in Washington, D. C. He was 84 years of age.

The loss from the recent storm along the Florida coast continues to grow as communication is established with the outlying districts.

The Japanese premier says his country will go slow in the Manchurian affair as a clash with Russia is to be avoided if possible.

Admiral Cotton reports all quiet at Beirut.

England is preparing to send a fleet to Salonica.

The British cabinet crisis has been temporarily staved off.

Macedonian rebels have decided to adopt a guerrilla warfare.

The physician to the Turkish embassy at Vienna thrashed the ambassador.

The national irrigation congress opened at Ogden with the largest attendance in its history.

Secretary Shaw has deposited \$4,000,000 in national banks in the cotton and grain growing districts.

France has sent a cruiser to Beirut.

Socialists of Rome threaten to hiss the czar when he visits that city.

Turks did not spare a single Christian in their massacres at Monastir.

It is feared a crisis is at hand in the British cabinet and that the entire body will resign.

The situation at Beirut is improving. The new wali is working hard to restore general confidence.

Russia has asked China to grant it more time for the evacuation of a frontier province in Manchuria.

The Portland ministerial association announces its intention of closing gambling and side entrances to saloons.

It is said the American trip of the Prince of Wales is all talk and that he is not planning to visit the St. Louis fair.

An excursion train went into a ditch near Kempton, Wis. Three passengers were killed and a number of others hurt.

WAR ON TURK.

Knights Templar Recall Old Wrongs and Consider Aid to Rebels.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—A 20th century crusade against their ancient enemy, the Turk, is being planned by the Knights Templar, with the Balkans, in place of Palestine, as the field in which they will protect Christians against the oppression of the infidels. Prominent members of the order are agitating the formation of a league that will send regiments of well drilled fighters to the aid of Bulgaria, and the crusaders of the 12th century may have their prototype in a movement of the Knights Templar against the troops of the Porte.

The plan has received consideration by the Chicago members of the organization for some time, and tonight was formally broached at a meeting of St. Bernard commandery. With 500,000 members under oath to "be ready to go and fight the enemies of Christ even to the death," it is expected that an international interest will be stirred in the movement, and 200,000 Knights from the United States and Europe may be massed in Macedonia to fight the soldiery of Turkey.

Among the 20,000 Knights Templar in Chicago, the outrage at Beirut and Adrianople have revived the spirit that led to the formation of the order eight centuries ago. At the convention at Peoria, leading members of the organization discussed seriously the expediency of issuing a call for volunteer regiments to be sent to the scene of depredations, with the result that tonight one of the eleven local commanderies was asked to take action. As yet the scheme is not perfected, but the general plan is to muster in regiments of Templars and send them to enlist under the Bulgarian government.

HIGHER THAN THE LAW.

Porto Ricans Who Insulted Stars and Stripes Sent to Prison.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Sept. 17.—Edward Conde and Leonidas Gillet, two socialists, who spoke in a recent meeting of the American Federation of Labor, were put on trial today for insulting the American flag and threatening the life of Governor Hunt.

Their speeches teemed with abuse of the government. One of the prisoners was accused of advising the workmen upon the return of the governor on October 1 from the United States to parade carrying black flags and then to make demands upon the government. If these demands were refused, the speaker added, the alternative of killing Governor Hunt remained.

The other orator was said to have declared that the American flag was a rag fit to cover rascals and criminals. The accused vehemently denied the charges. They were tried before Justice Kopf, convicted of anarchist conduct, and sentenced to six months in prison.

Justice Kopf said the flag is higher than the law and anarchists need never expect any mercy in his court. The case has established a precedent as a Porto Rican official warning that attacks on the flag and government must stop. The Americans and loyal Porto Ricans are jubilant, while the socialists are angry at today's decision. The convicted men will appeal from the judgment declaring that Justice Kopf had no jurisdiction and there is no law covering the offense. The interest in the case is intense.

EXPECTS NO BIG BOOM IN SILVER.

Department Official Denies Philippine Coinage is to Be Melted.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Colonel Edwards, chief of the insular bureau of the war department, denied the widely circulated report that the new Philippine coinage will soon disappear in the melting pot, owing to the greater value of silver as bullion.

"The present rise in silver is, in my opinion, merely a reaction from a long period of depression. Looking back over the last six years, the increased use of silver in the arts has been too small to warrant anything of the sort, and the leading continental nations of Europe that use silver in their coinage are not enlarging their purchases. So where is the pretended great use to come from?"

To Prevent Monopolies.

Wellington, N. Z., Sept. 17.—Premier Seddon has introduced a very drastic bill for the prevention of monopolies in New Zealand. It proposes to establish a monopoly court, with full powers of a supreme court, to investigate all complaints regarding the enhancing of prices by the formation of trusts and prescribes heavy penalties for offenders.

STORM IN NEW YORK

WIND AND RAIN WREAKS RUIN ON LAND AND AT SEA.

Big Buildings Badly Shaken and Steeples Loosened—Shipping Suffers Great Damage—Cabs Are Blown Over and Hundreds of Windows Broken—Rain Falls in Sheets.

New York, Sept. 18.—Greater New York and its environment for several miles in all directions was visited today by the fiercest wind and rain storm known hereabouts in years. The day began with rain, which increased with the wind, and for about two hours about midday the combined fury of the elements wrought damage on land and water amounting to many thousands of dollars. The gale culminated at noon in a wind velocity of 54 miles an hour.

The gale was especially severe at sea, causing havoc to the shipping down the bay, where many vessels were sunk or wrecked. The worst of the damage was reported from Staten Island. The entire fleet of the Staten Island Yacht club at anchor was either sunk or wrecked. The pilot boat Hermit was driven ashore and there was a collision between a schooner and a barkentine.

A tugboat was wrecked in Hell Gate. The hurricane burst with cyclonic force on the center of the city, loosening the 250-foot spire at St. Bartholomew's Protestant church in Madison avenue.

The steeple of the South Congregational church in Brooklyn also was loosened. Trees were torn up and the streets of the city were littered with signs and umbrellas of unfortunate pedestrians who happened to be out in the fury of the storm. Telegraph and telephone wires above ground were broken in all parts of the Metropolitan district.

The tugboat James Kay was blown on Hog's Rock in Hell Gate and completely wrecked. The captain and crew saved themselves by swimming towards the island. The streets of Manhattan borough were strewn with broken signs and other debris. Scores of plate glass windows along Broadway were broken, the vicinity of the Flatiron building at Twenty-third street suffering severely in this respect.

In the Flatiron itself 40 windows were smashed. Occupants of the building said they felt the huge structure sway in the gale and many were so badly scared that they left the building.

An express wagon was blown over while turning the Flatiron corner, and the driver and another man injured. Several cabs on fifth avenue were also blown over. A score of others were more or less injured in this neighborhood.

MASSACRES MUST CEASE.

Powers Point Out Danger of Their Continuance to Turkey.

London, Sept. 18.—The efforts of the powers, according to the latest telegrams, are directed both at Constantinople and Sofia toward an endeavor to avert war. It is stated that all the ambassadors at Constantinople have drawn the Porte's attention to the danger of permitting a continuation of the excesses in Macedonia by the Turkish troops and irregulars.

Most of the special correspondents in the near East consider war inevitable, but think it may be delayed neither the Bulgarians nor the Turks being really prepared for it. The former are not sufficiently armed, while Turkey does not feel safe until lines of communication are less at the mercy of Bulgarian insurgent bands.

A Vienna paper asserts that Prince Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, has sent a trusted agent to King Peter inviting co-operation against Turkey.

The correspondent at Sofia of the Daily Telegraph says Bulgaria's reply to the Porte's protest against the continual crossing of the frontier by bands and the smuggling of arms and ammunition from Bulgaria was couched in most uncompromising language, leaving no prospect whatever of an amicable arrangement. The Sofia correspondent of the Times says that the decision of Bulgaria to partially mobilize the army is universally approved.

Fanatics Storm Fort.

Manila, Sept. 18.—One hundred fanatics attacked the headquarters of the constabulary at San Jose, in the province of Nueva Ecija, island of Luzon, and attempted to take the place by storm. After a lively fight the attacking party were repulsed with a loss of eight. The constabulary force lost five men in the fight.

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