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EVENTS OF THE DAY

Epitome of the Telegraphic News of the World.

TERSE TICKETS FROM THE WIRES

An interesting collection of items from the two Hemispheres Presented in a Condensed Form.

Recent incendiary fires in Paris are attributed to anarchists.

The revolution in Venezuela under Castro is gaining strength.

Director Merriam, of the census, advises enumerators to do some studying.

Cornelius Vanderbilt died suddenly at his home in New York of paralysis.

Bush negroes of Jamaica have relapsed into savagery and gone upon the warpath.

The great council of Improved Order of Red Men opened in Washington with 1,000 delegates present.

Some of Aguinaldo's officers are tired of fighting for the Filipino cause and will seek capture by the American forces.

The yacht Nario has arrived at Honolulu on a trip around the world. She left New York four years ago and has made nearly 40,000 miles.

Oakland, Cal., has accepted the offer of Andrew Carnegie of \$50,000 for a public library building, and will guarantee the necessary \$4,000 a year for its support.

The Portland chamber of commerce will send Senator Simon to Washington to push recognition in the matter of embarking United States troops for the Philippines from that port.

At Tuckahoe, N. Y., Terry McGovern, an American pugilist whipped Pedlar Palmer, an English bantam, in the first round, and won the title of champion in this class.

Secretary Ray, of the interstate commerce commission, who has been in Hawaii investigating the labor situation, says he is of the opinion that the solution of the labor problem there is the employment of free white labor.

Extensive circulation has been given to a rumor in New York that the Chicago and St. Louis Central and the Union Pacific have entered into a combination and would form a trunk line from Chicago to the Pacific coast.

Chairman Van Horn, of the Canadian Pacific, says the Canadian Pacific is anxious to establish a great steamship line between Seattle and Halifax to take business away from New York lines, and expects to receive a subsidy from the Canadian government.

An uncorrected dispatch from Manila via Hong Kong says that Otis tried to slay Joe Wheeler, the veteran fighter, by sending him to an obscure post in the southern islands. General Wheeler now declares that he will apply for permission to return to this country unless there is some change in the management of affairs in the Philippines.

Northern railroads are involved in a rate war.

The transport Senator, with 10 officers and 600 recruits has arrived safely in Manila.

The steamer Homer has arrived in San Francisco from Cape Nome with \$200,000 in gold dust.

Lieutenant Perry had his feet frozen during his northern trip, but now walks without limping.

The banks of Guatemala City will ease the exchequer by a loan to the government of \$2,500,000.

The French mission at Tripoli, headed by Father Foucault and Major Lanay, has been annihilated by the natives.

The town of Dyea, Alaska, is to be moved across Lynn canal on scows to Skagway, to augment that growing town.

Two firemen and a child were killed by gas in a vault in Cincinnati. The firemen lost their lives in an effort to recover the child.

Captain Thomas Phelan, a crack broadswordman and pistol shot of Kansas City, challenged Eschschay to fight him a duel.

Recent tests practically assure the adoption of the Manner revolver by the United States government. It is being used by the German cavalry.

Captain Robert Noble and Captain Arthur C. Duerath, aides on the staff of General Shafter, have been promoted for bravery at San Juan hill.

The people of Cape Nome are to have a well-equipped refuge, which will be formally opened on Thanksgiving day. It will be the largest and finest structure north of Sitka.

The navy department has assigned Rear-Admiral Farquhar to command the North Atlantic squadron in place of Rear Admiral Sampson, who will assume command of the Boston navy yards.

The New York World publishes a purported interview with Admiral Dewey in which the admiral is credited with saying that he still believes that the Filipinos are more capable of self-government than are the Cubans.

William H. Bodwell, a well-known printer, ex-president of the International Typographical Union, died at Whitehall, N. Y., aged 67 years.

An imperial cable has been issued establishing a system of education for the children of the nobility in Russia, largely at government expense.

Salvation Army folks are forbidden to use trumpet, drum or tamborine in the streets of Philadelphia, and speech only is left to them in their public worship.

During the international exposition, soon to be held at Buffalo, the Niagara falls will be illuminated by huge electric searchlights, equipped with multi-colored glasses and arc lights.

The American Automobile Company has been organized in New York to control the manufacture and operation of all the automobiles and motors in which kerosene or gasoline is used.

Prof. R. A. Fessenden, of Allegheny, Pa., addressed the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Columbus, O., concluded that the earth must be at least 500,000,000 years old.

LATER NEWS.

Circle City, Alaska, now has a population of but 100.

A big yield of wheat is reported in the Walla Walla valley.

The Nevadas, Iowas and Tennessees will soon be on their way home.

Six negroes were killed in a riot between white and colored miners at Carterville, Ill.

C. A. Pillsbury, the great flouring mill king of Minnesota, is dead at his home in Minneapolis.

The Dreyfus meeting held in London was a spirited affair. Interest in the subject seems to be lagging.

The plant of the American Fisheries Company, Promised Lagoon, I. I., was destroyed by fire; loss, \$50,000.

The British admiralty has prepared a war map of St. John's, N. F., as a preliminary to fortifying the town.

An adobe home, five miles from Mora, N. M., collapsed and killed Manuel Cordova, his wife and six children.

The memory of the martyred president, James A. Garfield, was honored in San Francisco with a parade and exercises at Golden Gate Park.

The Hungarian novelist, Mairis Jokai, now in his 75th year, was married at Vienna to the Hungarian actress, Anabella Grossgany, a girl of 18.

Tom Reed has published his farewell to his friends of the first Maine district. He says, "public office is man's opportunity, not a ribbon to stick in the coat."

The reply of the Transvaal is very unsatisfactory to the British, and Mr. Chamberlain declares it will compel the imperial government to consider the situation afresh.

Manila dispatch says the cruiser Charleston bombarded the fort at Subig Bay. Little or no injury was done. The Monterey and Concord were sent to continue the bombardment.

A Washington dispatch says the Tartar recently delayed in the Orient, was not overcrowded, that she had 125 less than her capacity, and that the trouble was entirely due to gumbling.

One of the most remarkable religious institutions in the country, the Monastery and College of the Holy Land, was dedicated with imposing ceremonies by the prominent Catholic clergy of this country at Washington.

Leaders of the different railroad employe organizations are discussing plans with a view to establishing employe's grocery stores at the division points of the various lines. If successful in this line other departments will be taken up.

Admiral Howell will succeed Parquhar as commandant at Norfolk navy yard.

A new cabinet has been formed in Venezuela, with Senor Calcano at the head, with the foreign portfolio.

John King and his wife, an aged couple, were killed by their drunken son at Southbridge, Mass.

The mill situation at Fall River, Mass., has been greatly simplified, as a combination of stock is likely soon to be effected.

Bonkie Cochran has advised President McKinley to establish his good offices in the settlement of the Transvaal muddle.

Harry Metzler, 12 years old, was washed from a raft by a passing steamer and drowned in the Willamette at Portland, Or.

The mammoth new Oceanic, the biggest old man in the world, arrived in New York, six days and two hours from England.

New York and Boston capitalists will form a livestock combination with a capital of \$20,000,000 to control the cattle business.

Attorney-General Blackburn has decided that a game warden cannot grant permits to hunt game out of season for scientific purposes.

The Earl of Yarmouth, who has been spending the summer at an Atlantic resort will go on the stage. Charles Colman has engaged him.

The troops quartered at the Presidio in San Francisco now number 12,000. This number includes 5,000 returned from the islands and awaiting muster out.

Emile Zola has published a protest against the Rennes' verdict, in which he shows conclusively the weakness of the prosecution's case before the eyes of the world.

The commissioners of Clallam county, Washington, have appealed to the secretary of the interior to modify the boundaries of the Olympic reserve. Four hundred and fifty thousand acres of agricultural land is included in the reserve.

The Filipinos have made their reply to our offer of autonomy. The document, which is contained in a recent appeal to the powers for recognition. It further says that the race prejudice of the Americans is to blame for the hostilities.

The Civic Federation conference on the uses and abuses of trusts and combinations opened in Chicago with distinguished representative men from nearly every state in the Union in attendance. Governor Tanager and Mayor Harrison each delivered an address of welcome.

Glasgow numbers among its population a man who is making a manuscript copy of the Bible. He expects to finish it in two years.

Wilbur F. and John Stiles are twins living in Wichita, Kan. They look so much alike that only intimate friends can tell them apart.

Near a certain quarry in Italy is a town the inhabitants of which pay no rent or taxes. They are quarry employes, who have dug dwellings in the face of a steep rock.

Captain Francis W. Dickens, for some time acting chief of the bureau of navigation, navy department, is to be given command of the battleship Indiana, succeeding Captain H. C. Taylor, who has asked to be relieved.

The official report on the mineral production of the United States for the calendar year 1898, has been made public by the geological survey. It shows that since 1880 the total value of the mineral production of the United States has increased from \$367,819,000 to \$679,880,000 in 1898, nearly 90 per cent.

GOLD UNDER THE SEA

Wardner Says Cape Nome Deposit Extends There.

EXAMINATION PROVES THEORY

Opens Up Great Possibilities in Alaska Mining—Pilgrims From Dearly Edmonton Trail.

Seattle, Sept. 18.—J. F. Wardner, the well-known mining man, who has just returned from Cape Nome, advances the novel theory that the gold deposits extend miles out to sea. In support of the theory, he says that two miners placed a caisson 120 feet from low tide. The dirt, which was taken out ran 15 to 50 cents per shovelful. Similar experiments were tried at a further distance from tide mark, with better results.

Deadly Edmonton Trail.

Wetland, Alaska, Sept. 13, via Seattle, Sept. 18.—The Stikkeen river steamer Strathcona arrived today with 67 survivors of the Edmonton trail. The majority of them are without means. They will be shipped to Puget sound at the expense of the United States government. About 50 of them will go to Seattle tomorrow on the steamer Al-Ki. Many are suffering from the effects of scurvy. Their stories of hardship and suffering in their 18 months on the trail will return here Tuesday and will precede them in those which have preceded them. It is thought that at least 75 prospectors are still on the trail. They will have to come down the Stikkeen in small boats, as the low stage of water will prevent the Strathcona from making another trip this year. On her last trip she was hung up on a sand bar five days, 80 miles above Wetland.

J. J. Hill in Spokane.

Spokane, Sept. 18.—President Hill and a party of 68 Northern officials and guests arrived here this evening on a special train. Mr. Hill announced his purpose of beginning at once preliminary arrangements for a new man-made improvement of the Spokane river involving an expenditure of from \$600,000 to \$1,000,000. He also stated that he will return here Tuesday and discuss with business men and miners the matter of settling here the ore of the surrounding country from Baker City, on the line of the O. R. & N., to British Columbia on the north. The train will leave in the morning for Puget sound.

Philippine Commissioners to Return.

Manila, Sept. 16.—Colonel Charles Denby and Professor Dan Worcester, members of the Philippine commission, have received instructions from President McKinley asking them to return as soon as possible. They will embark on the steamer India, which sails from Hong Kong September 25. It is not known whether the clerical force will return with them or remain here.

The commissioners had just removed into office and were working on a number of months' work on the establishment of municipal government.

The Nevada cavalry was unable to sail on the Newport. They will take the next available transport.

Can Not Tell Who He Is.

Seattle, Sept. 18.—Among the many unfortunate prospectors that have returned from Alaska this season is, or was, a man who is unable to tell who he is, or where he came from. There is a clot of blood in his brain which has caused a paralysis of speech, due to typhoid fever. The only words he can utter are an indistinct yes and no. By the aid of a map it was learned a man came from Cambridge, Mass. A man who accompanied him from Dawson says his name is something like "Flek." Efforts are being made to establish the man's identity. His limbs are also paralyzed.

Opening of the Oregon State Fair.

Salem, Or., Sept. 18.—Without ceremony the Oregon state fair of 1899 was opened to the public this evening. Fully 500 people were in attendance, a large crowd for opening night, and passed the time very pleasantly in inspecting the many fine pavilions, exhibits, in listening to instrumental music by Parsons' orchestra, an outdoor illustrated lecture on the war in the Philippines by Edward Shields, a recitation by Miss Helen Lamar, and vocal selections by Charles H. Whiting.

Execution of a Negro.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 18.—Henry Gardner, a negro, aged 18, was hanged in the jail here today for assaulting a white girl under 10 years of age, last June. When the trap fell the noose had not been properly fastened and the negro fell heavily to the ground. He was assisted to the scaffold, suffering great pain, and the trap sprung the second time, successfully.

Hurricane in Newfoundland.

St. John's, N. F., Sept. 18.—A violent hurricane swept this section of Newfoundland last night. Four fishing boats were driven off the St. John's coast, and three men and a woman were drowned.

Killed Her Children and Herself.

Scotts, Neb., Sept. 18.—As a result of domestic difficulties, Mrs. Earne Phillips forced her two children, aged 1 and 2 years, to take carbolic acid, and then herself. The husband, who was here, found all three lying upon the floor dead when he returned from the field where he had been at work.

Eastern capitalists are to establish a structural steel plant at Menominee, Mich., which will employ 6,000 hands.

In the Army.

Los Angeles, Sept. 18.—H. S. Starr, who resided near Pasadena, mysteriously disappeared on the night of April 24 last, under circumstances leading to the belief that he had been murdered. He now writes from Manila stating that he is in a military hospital, recovering from brain fever and a fractured skull. He professes ignorance of how he received the injury, and also says that he is in the Third infantry regiment under an assumed name, though he cannot explain how he came to enlist.

LIBERAL OFFER TO AGUINALDO

Remarkable Terms Which the Chief of the Tagals Refused.

New York, Sept. 18.—A special to the World from Ithaca, N. Y., says: Your correspondent is able to say on authority that the Schurman peace commission offered every inducement short of absolute self-government to Aguinaldo and his followers. Aguinaldo was promised as the price for the restoration of peace in the Tagal tribe a bonus of more than \$5,000 a year while the Tagals remained peaceful. He was told that he could choose men from his own tribe for the minor municipal offices. The commission went so far as to promise Aguinaldo the moral support of the United States government, if such were needed, to make his leadership of the Tagals thoroughly secure.

With all these inducements, tempting as they must have been, Aguinaldo, as the recognized head of the insurgent movement, declined to yield. He insisted upon immediate self-government, and his insistence was so firm as to make an agreement impossible, the American commissioners ceased negotiations.

President Schurman was frank in telling your correspondent a day or so ago that he favored giving the various tribes the largest possible measure of home rule at the earliest moment. He thought the several tribes could administer their local affairs, elect their municipal officers, establish courts and penal institutions, etc., but did not believe it possible to allow the natives to participate in the general government.

"How could they govern the islands, in view of the heterogeneity and multiplicity of the tribes?" he added.

MUST RECKON WITH SIBERIA.

American Wheatgrowers to Have Competition From a New Quarter.

New York, Sept. 18.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: American farmers are to have competition from a new quarter in the wheat market of the world. Consul Monaghan, of Chiennitz, in a report to the state department, gives interesting details of the agricultural possibilities of Asiatic Russia. Mr. Monaghan says that this vast territory is destined to be one of the world's richest and most productive places. It is particularly well adapted to the growing of wheat and other cereals, and the building of the trans-Siberian road, which from this region has already found its way to the European market.

At present the resources of this region are undeveloped, and must remain so for some years, as the population is as yet greatly scattered, being less than one inhabitant to each square mile. Immigration from Europe to Russia is setting in however, and 4,000 persons entered the region last year.

Hawaiian Capitalist Out and Injured.

San Francisco, Sept.