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—VIA—

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Leaves Portland 8:30 a. m.; 8:30 p. m.
Leaves Albany 12:10 p. m.; 11:30 p. m.
Arrives Ashland 12:25 a. m.; 11:30 a. m.
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Our rigs are first-class and our horses good drivers. Prices reasonable.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

In a Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

HAPPENINGS OF TWO CONTINENTS

A Resume of the Less Important but Not Less Interesting Events of the Past Week.

James Wickersham will be reappointed judge in Alaska.

The Russian government is fearful of an uprising in the army.

A plot to kill the king and queen of Italy has been discovered.

Rockefeller's money has been refused by the National Juvenile Improvement association.

Governor Chamberlain has declared all laws ratified by the June election to be in effect.

Senator Tillman declares that Standard Oil interests have been at work on the rate bill.

San Francisco earthquake sufferers complain bitterly of the sale of flour by General Greely.

The trial of George Mitchell for the killing of "Holy Roller" Creffield has commenced at Seattle.

President Roosevelt has signed a bill authorizing St. Louis to erect and maintain a bridge across the Mississippi at that city.

The secretary of the interior rejected the bids recently opened in Portland for cement for the Umatilla and Okanogan irrigation projects. The price was too high.

Five ice men at Toledo, Ohio, have been found guilty of combining for the purpose of raising the price of ice and sentenced to one year in the workhouse and to pay a fine of $5,000.

General Greely has reorganized the relief work in San Francisco.

The friendship of Russia and Great Britain has been cooled by the Jewish massacres.

The sultan of Morocco has signed the treaty promulgated by the Algeciras convention.

Political signs in the East point to Roosevelt as the candidate to run against Bryan.

Cross Creek, a small Pennsylvania town, has been wiped out by fire caused by an electric storm.

The strike of bituminous coal miners in Michigan has been ended by the men accepting the 1903 wage scale.

The president will likely visit the canal zone next fall and see for himself the progress being made on the canal.

Canada proposes laws which will stop business of every kind on Sunday, even railway trains. No games or performances will be allowed where an admission is charged.

At a meeting of the board of supervisors of San Francisco city and county the tax levy was fixed at $1.322 per $100. The new levy is 16 cents and 2 mills higher than last year.

King Haakon and Queen Maud have been formally crowned as rulers of Norway.

The Russian douma blames the government for the recent massacres and calls on the cabinet to resign.

Experiments are being conducted in Kansas to ascertain the result of meat preservatives. Dogs are the subjects.

General Greely says at least 50,000 people in San Francisco are still dependent on the supply camps for food.

Formal announcement has been made by Attorney General Moody that he will prosecute the Standard Oil for accepting rebates.

The Transcontinental Insurance company is reported to have only assets sufficient to pay 10 per cent of its San Francisco losses.

Insurance companies have refused to pay a dollar of insurance at Santa Rosa, California, claiming the earthquake ruined the city. The state insurance commissions has pledged his support.

A grand jury at Portland has indicted 12 men for connection with frauds in the recent state election. More indictments will probably be made.

The peasant revolt is growing in Southern Russia.

English woman suffragists have been arrested for rioting.

Bryan says his kind of conservatism were he president would be to destroy the trusts utterly.

The passage of the lock canal bill by the senate is considered a personal victory for Roosevelt.

Idaho is asking for information regarding the insurance companies which refuse to pay their San Francisco losses in full.

Fresh mutinies have occurred in several big Russian garrisons.

A bulletin just issued by the census bureau shows that there are 83 manufacturing concerns in Alaska with a capitalization of $10,000,000.

Los Angeles physicians have just removed the heart of a man and after washing it replaced the organ. The patient's chances of recovery are good. In an accident the prong of a wooden rake pierced the man's breast, carrying in dirt which lodged on the heart.

TRADE OF UNITED STATES.

Foreign Commerce is Greatest With European Countries.

Washington, June 26.—An analysis of the foreign commerce of the United States, contained in a bulletin issued by the department of Commerce and Labor, says that in the fiscal year 1905, 48 per cent of the imports into the United States was drawn from Europe, 20 per cent from North America, 13 per cent from South America, 14 per cent from Asia. Of the exports from the United States in the same year, 67 per cent went to Europe, 17 per cent to North America, 4 per cent to South America, 8 per cent to Asia, 2 per cent to Oceanica and 1 per cent to Africa.

A comparison with the figures for earlier years shows a gradual decline in the share of our imports supplied by Europe and in the share Europe takes of our expots. This is due largely to the enlargement of our trade with the Orient.

Imports from Europe have grown from $384,000,000 in 1895 to $541,000,000 in 1905; from North America, $134,000,000 in 1895 to $227,000,000 in 1905; from South America, from $112,000,000 to $151,000,000, but the bulletin adds that in 1906 they will fall about $14,000,000 below those of 1905, chiefly on account of a reduction of the quantity of coffee and India rubber imported. From Asia the imports have grown from $78,000,000 to $163,000,000 in 1905.

Exports to Europe have grown from $628,000,000 in 1895 to $1,021,000,000 in 1905; to North America, from $108,500,000 to $260,500,000; to South America, from $33,000,000 to $50,000,000, and to Asia from $17,330,000 to $128,500,000.

MARINES ARE READY.

May Be Called Upon to Quell Incipient Revolution at Panama.

Panama, June 26.— The administration of President Amador has been perpetuated as the result of the elections here today, but the conditions are now such on the isthmus that were it not for the presence here of a large body of American marines, well armed and equipped, and several gatling guns mounted along the canal strip, a revolution would already be in progress. As matters stand there is a feeling of sullen discontent among the more progressive of the inhabitants of the Panama republic, which may yet break out in open revolution.

Threats of assassination are freely made and it is openly asserted by the Liberals that Dr. Amador will hardly live much longer.

Today's election, while only for members of the Municipal council, was admitted to be a test, and upon its outcome depended the result of the general elections to be held later.

It is rumored that a large number of Guatemalans are on the way here for the purpose of aiding in an attempt to overthrow the Amador administration. Color is lent to this report by the presence on the outskirts of the city of a detachment of 300 American marines with gatling guns. They were sent by Governor Magoon, who has so far declined to explain their precence.

IMPORTED YELLOW FEVER.

Single Case is Reported at Mississippi Quarantine.

New Orleans, June 26.—One case of yellow fever was reported today at the Mississippi river quarantine station, 95 miles below New Orleans. This is the first case of yellow fever reported in Louisiana this year by the state board of health. The patient is a Cuban sailor who arrived at quarantine June 18 on the steamer Holstein from Havana. The Holstein is still detained at quarantine, having been disinfected. No other cases of elevated temperature have yet appeared on the Holstein.

Dr. C. H. Iron, president of the state board of health, said to the inspecting party that he does not believe yellow fever is epidemic in New Orleans or in Louisiana. The existence of yellow fever at Rio Janeiro and also of two cases of bubonic plague at that port were reported to the state board by officers of the steamer Sallust, arriving here today. The Sallust was disinfected at quarantine.

Rebels Gaining Ground.

Mexico City, June 26.—Several travelers from Salvador arrived here tonight. They report that the Guatemalan ports of Champperico and San Jose are well fortified and provided with the best artillery. They state that the revolution has by no means ended, and that the revolutionary leaders are popular in Guatemala. The defeat suffered at Manguay by the revolutionists has not discouraged them. It has brought about reorganization of their forces and they have received additional artillery.

Track Cast Into Swamp.

Salt Lake, June 26.—A gang of 100 men in the employ of the Oregon Short Line picked 60 feet of Rio Grande Western track at 3:30 this morning and threw it into a swamp. Ignoring a deputy sheriff who attempted to serve a writ of injunction from the District court, the men put down Short Line steel and ran a train of flat cars on the new track. The contested right of way is in the northern part of the city and gives access to a factory.

Governor Harris Ill.

Chicago, June 26. — A special to the Record-Herald from Cleveland says: Governor Andrew L. Harris, of Ohio, is ill at his home in Eaton, Preble county. He is suffering from exhaustion and acute indigestion and it is doubtful if he will be able to return to Columbus to take up his duties.

INJUSTICE TO WEST

Congress Likely to Divert Money Meant for Irrigation.

USE IT TO DRAIN PRIVATE LANDS

Bills Now Pending for North Dakota, Virginia, North Carolina, Florida and Other States.

Washington, June 23.—Early in the present session of congress Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, introduced a bill authorizing the expenditure of $1,000,000 out of the national reclamation fund for draining swamps in his state. When the bill went before the committee on irrigation it was found that every acre to be benefitted was in private ownership, and the bill, if enacted, would not open to entry a single acre of public land. Notwithstanding these disclosures, the senate committee ordered a favorable report out of courtesy because Hansbrough is a member of the committee. It was then stated that a majority of the committee believed the bill a bad one, and it was stated by several senators that it would never be permitted to pass the senate. Nevertheless the bill did pass and is now before the house, where its chances of passing seem equally good.

A bill is now pending to divert $1,000,000 from the reclamation fund to drain the Dismal swamp in Virginia and North Carolina; another is pending to drain the Everglades of Florida; only a few days ago a bill was introduced to take another $3,000,000, and expend it in draining the big swamps of Arkansas and Missouri, and, in addition, there are two bills pending for the drainage of swamps in Minnesota, and three general bills providing for the government drainage of swamps in all parts of the United States.

If the Hansbrough bill passes, it will open the way for these other measures of similar character, and it will be only a short time before the greater portion of the reclamation fund, instead of being used for irrigating the desert lands of the West, as originally intended, will be expended in reclaiming swamps in states that have contributed not a cent to the reclamation fund and never will contribute. This legislation is a rank injustice to the West, which is counting on using its own public land receipts for the reclamation of its deserts, and unless somebody calls a halt, the work of government irrigation will soon be brought to a standstill.

It must be remembered that, once this precedent is established, it will be easy for delegates from the East and South to combine and force through bills for the drainage of the swamps in the non-arid states, and if the East and South ever do combine for this purpose, the West will never have enough votes to check the onslaught.

REGISTER FOR CROW LANDS.

Crowds of Easterners Are Arriving at Billings, Montana.

Butte, June 23.—A Miner special from Billings states that Easterners are flocking to that place by the hundreds to register for the Crow lands. Today they numbered approximately 850, which is 200 greater than it was yesterday. The crowds which arrived today were larger than any since the registration began, which was a week ago.

The delegation of 200 came in this morning on the Burlington train from the East. Most of those on board came from Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska points. But one hailed from Connecticut, while another gave his address as South Carolina.

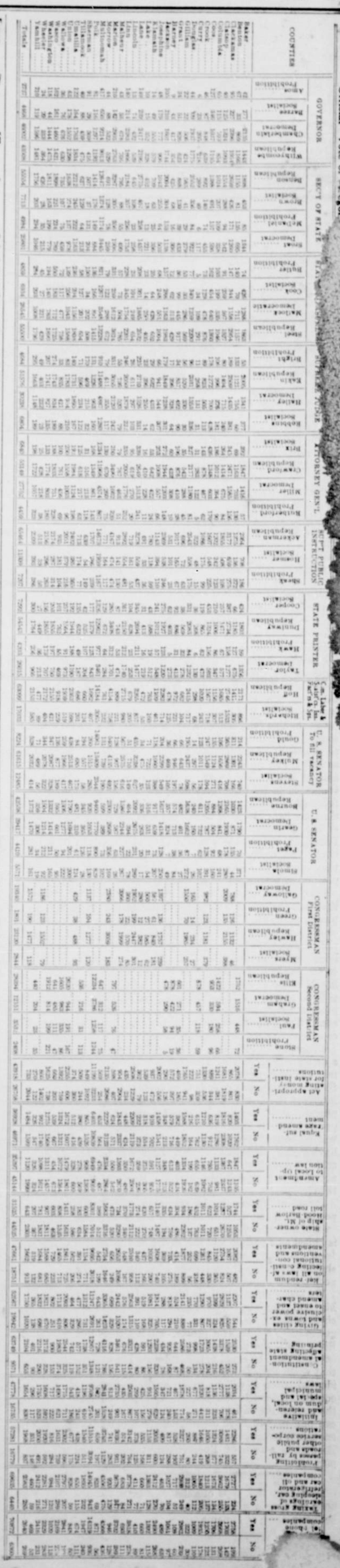
The Northern Pacific brought in numbers from Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. Many of the prospective settlers have secured tents and have gone to the reservation, where they will establish camps and make a thorough inspection of the lands. At the present rate the registration in this city will not exceed 10,000.

Appeals to English Women.

London, June 22.—The newspapers this morning print an appeal from the women of Georgia, Russia, to the women of England, complaining that by order of the Russian government Cossacks invaded the central and western provinces of Georgia and destroyed, burned and looted four towns and 200 villages, treating the population with the utmost brutality, not even children escaping murder. The names of the signers are withheld at their own request, but they include a princess and the wives of many high officials.

Dowie's Place of Refuge.

Chicago, June 23.—Wilbur G. Voliva was again on the stand in the Dowie hearing today. He told of a secret room in the basement of Dowie's residence, the door of which was lined with steel. He said Dowie had told him many times that he had constructed this chamber for a refuge because he believed members of the Masonic order were constantly plotting against his life. Dowie frequently declared, he said, that he was in constant danger.

Root Considers Action on Massacre.

Washington, June 23. — Secretary Root is giving consideration to the Jewish massacres in Russia, having already discussed them with the president. So far he has taken no action.