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THE EVENTS OF THE DAY

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OF INTEREST TO ALL READERS

Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Cullied From the Press Dispatches.

A dispatch to the San Francisco Merchants' Exchange says the bark *Mo-have* from Vancouver for Santa Rosalia is ashore at Sooke inlet, and will probably be a total loss. The crew was saved.

In Walla Walla fire destroyed two one-story buildings and the upper floor of a two-story building on Main street between Fourth and Fifth. The fire was caused by a lamp exploding in the rear of a millinery establishment.

Yale defeated, but not disgraced in the third heat of the Grand Challenge cup, which was rowed at Henley-on-Thames. Leander won by one and three-fourths lengths in 7 minutes and 14 seconds. The record is 6 minutes and 51 seconds.

The rush of tourists to Alaska this season is remarkable. The *Queen* which has just sailed, carried as passengers 180 first-class and almost as many more in the steerage. All the glaciers and points of interest are visited during these summer trips.

From advices received by the Australian steamer *Miower*, which has just arrived in Vancouver, B. C., it now seems probable that the Queensland government will join New South Wales and Canada in granting a subsidy to the Canadian-Australian steamship line. Captain Bird, on behalf of James Huddart, managing owner of the line, recently interviewed the Queensland government, and it is said the government will recommend that parliament grant a subsidy of \$6,000 per year for three years. The company is at present negotiating in England for the construction of larger steamers for the line.

At the first day's session of the national Democratic convention but little was accomplished. The convention was called to order by Chairman Har- rity, of the national committee, who reported Hill as the choice of the national committee for temporary chair- man. The announcement was greeted with great cheering from all parts of the house. Clayton, of Alabama, representing the silver forces moved that the name of Daniels be substituted for that of Hill, and on a roll call by states his motion prevailed, the silver men thus scoring their first victory. The temporary chairman was escorted to his seat amidst the applause of the vast crowd.

Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe died at Hartford, Conn. Members of the family were at her bedside.

A touching appeal comes from the Greeks asking for relief for starving women and children. It has been suggested that the United States send a vessel to rescue them.

Captain-General Weyler has yielded to insistent requests to extend until August the time for remaining in the island allowed to Jose Yznaga, the American newspaper correspondent sentenced to banishment.

Rufus Buck, Louis Davis, Lucky Davis, Maomi July and Sam Sampson, comprising the "Buck gang," were executed in Fort Smith, Ark., President Cleveland refusing to interfere. They were convicted of murder and criminal assault.

Brazilian commercial circles are not favorable to a treaty of commerce with Argentina, not regarding the advan- tages to be obtained as of sufficient importance. Purely Brazilian firms are favorable to renewal of the treaty of reciprocity with the United States.

Within a few weeks will be com- menced one of the most gigantic opera- tions in the history of the war depart- ment. Fortifications more powerful than those existing anywhere in the world will be built in New York harbor, the cost of the work being about \$10,000,000.

A special from Helena, Mont., says the Cheyenne Indians have donned their war paint and are holding pow- wows preparatory to a general uprising. Several troops of the Tenth cavalry have been ordered from Fort Custer to the Cheyenne agency at Lame Deer, Custer county, Mont.

A letter received in Havana gives the details of an important engage- ment in Pinar del Rio, near Cayo Redondo. The rebel leader, Brigadier Kiani and his thirteen followers were killed and many wounded. They were carried from the field. The insurgents were put to flight. The feeling in Pinar del Rio is now one of alarm.

The New York Postal publishes the following: The World Cable Com- pany has arranged for an extension of its lines into Southern territory, where it has not had a single wire. The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, of Texas, has been formed, and an agree- ment entered into with the New York company for the transaction of business. Wires will be strung to reach the lead- ing points, and ultimately will extend into Mexico.

Attempt on Baldwin's Life.
During the process of Lillian Ash- ley's suit against E. J. Baldwin for \$75,000 for seduction, in San Fran- cisco, Emma Ashley, a sister of Lil- lian, tried to shoot the millionaire de- fendant. She fired at Baldwin, but the bullet missed. Emma Ashley is believed to be insane. During the trial she has spent her time in court reading the Bible. When taken to jail she sang "Nearer My God, to Thee" in a loud voice. Baldwin was crazy with rage and wanted a chance to fight some one. His hair was singed by the powder and the bullet passed within an inch of his head. His escape is ascribed to the woman's inexperience with firearms. The pistol was thrown upward by recoil after the trigger was pulled.

Wheeling Injures Women.
A remarkable circular has been issued by the Women's Rescue League of Washington, D. C. It is signed by Charlotte Smith, president, and Virginia N. Lount, secretary of the legisla- tion committee, and it calls attention in a most sensational manner to what these ladies consider the manifold, moral and physical ill effect of the riding of bicycles by women. The occasion of the issuance of the circular at this time is that next week there will be a bicycle parade in Washington in which it is thought that fully 40,000 wheels will participate. Of the 45,000 bicyclists in the city at least 15,000 are women.

Counterfeiters Caught.
A St. Louis detective has succeeded in capturing a gang of counterfeiters. A complete set of tools was found in their possession. Those arrested have hitherto borne good characters, one of whom is a regular practicing female physician. There was also found by the detective a photograph engraving of a \$20 bill, some of the bills, the copper plates and all necessary paraphernalia for etching the plates.

Jury Disagreed.
The jury in the case of John D. Hart, Captain John O'Brien and the others of the steamship *Bernuda*, charged with violation of the neutrality laws by aiding and abetting a military expedition to Cuba, have rendered a sealed statement of disagreement to Judge Brown. They were discharged.

Revolution in Bolivia.
Dispatches received from La Paz, the capital of Bolivia, announce that a revolution has broken out at Sucre, an important city, which was the capital of Bolivia until 1869. Election troubles are supposed to be the cause of the uprising.

The Lone Highwayman.
Another stage robbery is reported from California. The Sonora coach was held up by a lone highwayman. He secured a few registered letters, one of which was valuable. He then made good his escape.

Canadian Pacific in It.
It has been decided that the Canadian Pacific railway shall, at least tenta- tively, become a party to the joint traffic agreement.

News From Peru.
Severe earthquakes are reported as a daily occurrence near Lima, Peru. Much damage has been done to build- ings.

Cholera in Egypt.
A dispatch from Cairo says that the cholera returns for June show 4,419 cases and 3,598 deaths.

Squadron Drills.
Washington, July 6.—In the execu- tion of the broad plans for the in- struction of our naval officers in squadron drills and combined maneuvers, formu- lated by Secretary Herbert, the summer drills of the North Atlantic squadron, which will begin on the 15th inst., will find their counterpart in a series of squadron movements, target practice and fleet drills, to be conducted by the Pacific station by Admiral Beardsley.

Because many of the ships naturally attached to his station, have been nec- essarily transferred to the Atlantic sta- tion, Admiral Beardsley will not have as many vessels available for his drills as will Admiral Bunce, on the Atlantic coast. Consequently, in order to be able to carry out a programme of any value, from an educational standpoint, he must make the most of such ships as he can command, and it will be impos- sible, therefore, this season to with- draw any of the ships, even tempo- rarily, from the squadron to attend the local celebrations at various points on the Pacific coast, as has been custom- ary in the past.

English Company Shut Out.
New York, July 6.—The Hearld's correspondent in Rio Janeiro, tele- graphs that despite the presidents of the English Cable Company, the Brazilian government has granted to an- other company the privilege of estab- lishing a land telephone service to connect Rio with all ports north of Para. The concession is heartily supported by the press.

Troops for Cuba.
Madrid, July 6.—The first portion of the troops destined for Cuba will embark on twenty steamers at the end of August. These troops will consist of 85,190 infantry, 467 cavalry, 253 ar- tillery, 1,169 engineers, and several battalions of volunteers.

A CUTE CANADIAN CAPTAIN

How He Escaped An American Revenue Officer.

WAS NOT SERVED WITH SEIZURE

Sailed for Canadian Waters, Where He Ordered the Collector to Disembark—The Officer Was Compelled to Do So.

Rat Portage, Ontario, July 8.—A large excursion left Rat Portage on Friday, and upon arriving at the mouth of Rainy river, the Canadian captain went ashore and got from the American customs office clearance to touch at Long Point, about twenty miles west of the mouth. The refresh- ment buffet of the steamer was not closed, as it should have been, upon the arrival at the American shore. Among those present was a revenue officer, who seized the craft as a smuggler and put every British sailor and passenger under arrest. The official called to his aid 12 fishermen, who boarded the boat and remained there all night.

Yesterday Captain McRithie was ordered to sail for the mouth of Rainy river. The captain, instead of going to the mouth, made straight for British water. There Mr. Carpenter, the revenue collector, was politely told he must disembark at once and take his men aboard the small tug *Ethel*, which Captain McRithie had towed behind from Long Point for the purpose. As the Canadians outnumbered the Ameri- cans ten to one, Carpenter eventually ordered all his men to get aboard the *Ethel*, which then sailed for Rainy river, leaving the steamer *Monarch* to pursue her way to Rat Portage.

The revenue officer made the mis- take of serving E. W. Bridges, part owner of the steamer, with seizure, instead of the captain, who alone is re- sponsible for the boat. The matter will now have to be settled between Washington and Ottawa.

RIVERS INLET STRIKE.

Eight Hundred Fishermen Outwitted the Cannermen.

Vancouver, B. C., July 8.—A number of fishermen arrived from River inlet today, and according to their story, fishermen to the number of 800 walked out from the canneries. Last season they received pay at the rate of 6 cents per fish, but claimed that amount was insufficient to live on. The cannery wanted work on the same terms this season, but were refused, the men demanding 10 cents per fish. The cannery in turn refused to accede to the demand, and, according to the latter, attempted to play a freeze-out game on the fishermen, closing all the stores, thinking that, as the men had no money, they would have to give in. The fishermen, however, found allies in the Indians, who joined the strikers, and who offered to feed them and bring them to Vancouver in canoes. Men, to the number of 800, camped at the head of the inlet and waited for several days to see if the cannery would give way, and then started for Van- couver, the majority coming down in sloops, and the others in Indian canoes. The Indians have nearly all gone home and say they will not fish this season, while the whites will fish on the Fraser. The men claim that no acts of violence were committed, and that, while they were willing to compromise, the man- agers refused to meet them in any way.

A PROSPEROUS MINE.

Good Work Done at the Le Roi—A Min- ing Swindle.

Spokane, Wash., July 8.—The Le Roi mine, at Rosland, the greatest mine in this district, is sinking 250 feet more of shaft. As the work pro- gresses on the new shaft, the character of the ore goes to show that the property is richer than ever. Already \$3,000,000 is in sight in the old work- ings, and if the developments hold up to those already shown by the time the shaft is completed, there will be \$7,000,000 worth of ore ready to be taken out. The mine is shipping 100 tons daily, averaging between \$40 and \$50 per ton, and is taking out ore faster than the smelter can handle it.

A Rosland paper prints an article that the Green Crown mine, which has floated a large number of shares in Spokane, is no mine at all, and owns not a foot of property. The allegation is made that the Crown grant never was issued, and that properties on either side own all the property which the Green Crown claims. Owners of the stock in Spokane, mostly poor peo- ple, including working girls and clerks on small salaries, are much ex- ceesed.

Steamship Wrecked.

New Orleans, July 8.—The steel hull steamship *E. L. Peten*, Captain Charles F. Hardie, which sailed from New Or- leans July 4, for Guatemala, via La- guna, in tow of the Norwegian steamer *Franklin*, capsized at 4:30 a. m., about 35 miles west of South Pass. The crew was rescued by boats from the *Franklin*. The *E. L. Peten* was re- cently built for the Guatemala trade, registered 520 tons net, and was valued at \$200,000.

"Three Friends" Pursued

Key West, July 8.—The steamer *Three Friends* passed here at 9 A. M., pursued by the Spanish warship *Alfonso XIII*. Both vessels were under full steam. The *Three Friends* was between eight and ten miles ahead of the war- ship. Observers say the warship fired upon the *Three Friends*. The warship is cutting the three mile limit very close, and is trying to head off the *Three Friends*. It is reported the United States warship *Maine*, and United States cutters are getting up steam preparatory to intercepting both vessels. Great excitement prevails.

Ugly Feeling Prevailing.

Cleveland, July 8.—Contrary to po- lice fears, there was no violent demon- strations last evening after the funeral of William Retzger, the striker at the Brown Hoisting & Conveying Company who was shot by a nonunion man. There was, however, a great deal of feeling manifest, and the authorities think the prospect for trouble tonight, when the men in the works go home, are fully equal to those of the preced- ing nights. The militia is still in its armories waiting orders. The funeral was an immense affair, fully 10,000 union men being in line.

General Young Dead.

Washington, July 8.—A dispatch was received by the state department today announcing that General Pierce B. Young, United States minister to Guatemala and Honduras, died at New York at 11:30 today. General Young arrived in this country June 24. He submitted to an operation at the Pres- byterian hospital, New York, and never recovered. He was a native of Georgia, and had a distinguished record for service in the Confederate army.

Earthquake at Cyprus.

Genoa, Italy, July 8.—Just arrived reports from Larnica say the island of Cyprus has been suffering from earth- quake shocks since July 1. A general panic is said to prevail at Larnica. The government and military authorities are providing tents for the afflicted peo- ple. The town is deserted.

For Union With Greece.

London, July 8.—A dispatch to the Standard from Athens says that the Cretans yesterday elected a provisional government, and decided to proclaim the union of the island with Greece, and, if pressed hope that autonomy will be granted to the island under surveillance of the powers.

Horrible Double Murder.

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 8.—A hor- rible double murder has been commis- sed here. The bodies of Mrs. H. R. Richardson, aged 60, and her daugh- ter, *Ethel*, were found. They had been stabbed and beaten with a club. Intense excitement prevails. There is no clue to the murder.

Walling Sentenced.

Newport, Ky., July 8.—Alonzo J. Walling, convicted of the murder of Pearl Bryan, was sentenced today to be hanged on August 7.

The School Population.

Washington, July 7.—The total en- rollment in educational institutions of all kinds in the United States for the school year of 1895-96 was nearly 16,000,000, according to the report for the year just promulgated by Commissioner of Education Harris. Of these all but 400,000 were in the regular schools, an increase of about half a million for the year. The percentage of total popula- tion enrolled in the schools was 20.55. School property gained in value during the year over \$26,000,000, and 1,103 more schoolhouses were in operation. In the past twenty years the South has increased 54 per cent in population, but its school attendance has increased 130 per cent, more than twice as fast as the population. In the twenty years from 1874 to 1894, the value of school property in the South increased from \$16,000,000 to \$51,000,000. Higher education has also made a good record. The report includes Special- ist McDonald's criminological in- vestigation. The latter seeks to prove that there can be no rational treatment of crime until the causes are investi- gated. He estimates nine-tenths of the crime to be due to bad social conditions.

Turkey's Folly Condemned.

Philippopolis, July 7.—The consuls of the European powers are sending pessimistic accounts of the way in which hostilities are being conducted in Crete. The situation is such that should the porte insist in its conduct, French men-of-war may land troops on the island. The Armenian patriarch, Isemin, has asked permission to resign. Further outbreaks seem inevitable. The Turkish battalions at Jeddah, who mutinied on account of receiving no pay, have deserted their arms. There are no troops available to put down this revolt. The porte, foreseeing com- plications in Greece, Macedonia and Syria, is about to mobilize all the troops of the bedif, or landwehr.

The Bones of the Skull are Arched

because in that form the greatest strength is combined with the least weight and quantity of material.

Satoli's Successor.

Rome, July 7.—According to a newspaper statement, Bishop Falconio, of Acoenza, will replace Cardinal Sa- toli as papal legate to the United States. Bishop Falconio was once en- gaged at St. Buenaventura college, Al- legheeny, N. Y.

BRIEF PACIFIC COAST NEWS

A Resume of Events in the Northwest.

EVIDENCE OF STEADY GROWTH

News Gathered in All the Towns of Our Neighboring States—Improvement Noted in All Industries—Oregon.

Strawberry shipments have about ceased at The Dalles and Mosier.

A barbers' union has been formed in Salem, the object being to establish uniform rates and uniform hours on Sundays.

The sawmill on Lobster creek, in Curry county, will soon be at work cutting lumber with which to build a fish hatchery.

The streets of Westport have been under water, because of the flood, and the inhabitants have been compelled to travel on elevated sidewalks.

A telephone line is being constructed from Willamina, through Sheridan and Ballston, to McMinnville, where it will connect with the long-distance line.

Mrs. Malinda Cole, aged 59, a well-known pioneer of Baker and Malheur counties, died at her home on William creek in Malheur county last week.

Philip Brogan, jr., who lost a num- ber of sheep from poisoning in Dry Hollow, near The Dalles, has found that 500 head, instead of 150, as was at first thought, were killed.

A field found a young sea bird in his spring four miles below The Dalles last week, apparently enjoying a bath in fresh water. He thinks the bird was blown over the Cascades by the high winds.

The Goodale logging crew have com- menced scaling and rolling logs at Co- burg. The drive will consist of between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 feet. It is not known just when the run will be commenced.

Charles Raymond and R. S. Radford, two Southern Oregon miners, are re- ported to have made a rich strike on the Umpqua divide, near the head of Salt creek. Their discovery, it is said, is a large porphyry reef, which shows up rich in free gold and will, accord- ing to reports, run from \$200 to \$500 a ton.

County Treasurer Kern, of Umatilla county, has remitted \$2,000 of state tax to Treasurer Metchan, at Salem. This makes \$27,000 which has been sent to the state treasurer this year, leaving \$5,500 yet to be remitted to satisfy as- sessment of state tax upon Umatilla county of \$33,000, as compared with \$23,000 for last year.

The Southern Pacific company is re- pairing the roadbed of its lines through- out the valley. A train of twenty-nine flat cars, carrying about 7,000 ties, are being distributed between Portland and Salem along the main line. Other trains are distributing ties along the branches and south of Salem, and as rapidly as possible the material will be used in repairing bad places along the line.

A hop contract was recently signed by Salem growers in which they agree to furnish a Cincinnati firm 10,000 pounds of hops, for which they are to be paid 7½ cents per pound for the first year's crop, and 8½ cents for the two following years. An advance of 4 cents is to be made annually at pick- ing time, and the product is to be de- livered at Gervais not later than Octo- ber 15.

Washington.

The first annual fair of Pacific coun- ty will be held at South Bend Septem- ber 23, 24, 25.

The directors of the Adams County bank, at Ripitzville, contemplate increas- ing its capital stock to \$50,000.

The Spokane river apparently has reached about its highest for this year. It is still three feet below high-water mark.

Colfax's school population has in- creased to 734 from 681 since last year, according to the school census just taken.

The county commissioners of Pacific county have been officially notified that that county is entitled to a free scholarship at the state agricultural college at Pullman.

One thousand cords of wood burned near Hartford, on the Monte Cristo railway last week. The forests were on fire in that vicinity and much valu- able timber was burned.

The cargo shipments from fourteen mills in Washington during May were: Foreign—Lumber, 15,266,587 feet; lath, 1,105,670. Coastwise—Lumber, 20,747,593; lath, 4,511,590.

Large quantities of cedar and spruce siding, and cedar roofing and siding are being shipped from New Whatcom to Eastern points. The spruce siding sells in some sections for white pine.

The hot wave which has been preva- lent in the Walla Walla valley has re- tarded the shipments of fruit to a marked degree. It is said that the strawberries have been ripened so fast that they will not now stand shipment to a market at any great distance, and will barely hold up to points as far as Spokane.

BRUTAL DOUBLE MURDER.

A Woman and Her Daughter Killed Near Santa Barbara.

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 8.—A double murder was committed last night in the Montecito valley, the vic- tims being Mrs. H. C. Richardson, aged 55, and her 17-year-old daughter *Ethel*. A workman discovered the body of the daughter in a vacant field near the Richardson house, and her throat had been cut and there were several wounds on her head. Near the body was a club, which had evidently been broken in the hands of the murderer. The news of the crime soon roused the whole countryside.

The Richardson house was found locked, and when an entrance was forced, the coroner and sheriff found a trail of blood leading from the front door to Mrs. Richardson's bedroom. Near the bed lay the body of Mrs. Richardson, face downward, in a pool of blood. A bullet hole in the head of the bed and one in the window-casing told of her efforts to escape the pistol of her assassin. Below the woman's left eye was a bullet hole, and there was another through the left hand. About the face and forehead were deep gashes and the back of her head had been beaten by a stick loaded with lead. When found Mrs. Richardson was still alive, but did not recover consciousness and died at noon.

The murder was probably committed last night, the victims being in their night-clothes. Citizens are greatly ex- cited, and the murderer, if caught, will undoubtedly be lynched.

The suspicions that the officers first entertained, throwing the blame on Thomas A. Richardson, were entirely dispelled by the startling developments tonight. If Cyrus Barnard was the man who murdered the Richardsons, he was certainly brought to a swift reckoning for his crime. While re- sisting the attempt of Officer W. W. Hopkins to arrest him tonight, and af- ter he had shot twice at the officer, the latter returned the fire, killing him in- stantly. Barnard was under strong suspicion of having committed the crime, and was kept under close sur- veillance. About 9 o'clock tonight, Hopkins saw Barnard on his way home, and followed him. Approaching him just as he was entering his house, he called to him, asking him to go to his office. Barnard at first objected, but finally agreed, telling the officer to wait until he left a package in his house. The officer followed him to the door and struck a match. Almost in- stantly two shots were fired and two bullets whizzed by the officer's head. Hopkins fired one shot, the ball pass- ing through Barnard's head, killing him instantly.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

Report of What They Have Done Dur- ing the Last Six Months.

Salem, Or., July 8.—The board of railroad commissioners was in session at the capitol today. A new freight and passenger schedule for the seashore railroad is being considered. Now that trains are being run, freight handled and passengers carried from Astoria to the seaside, instead of from Young's Bay bridge, as before, it is necessary to make some changes. Since its last meeting, the board has made its semi-annual inspection of the roadbed, trestles, bridges and equip- ments of the Oregon Central & Eastern Railroad Company. The commission found that a great deal of work had been done since the last inspection. The bridges and trestles east of Albany are in fair condition, and new ties are being put down rapidly. The bridges and trestles from Albany to Yaquina have been overhauled and strengthened, and a number renewed entire. New ties have taken the place of old ones, and many more are distributed along the line of the road ready to be put in. A force of bridge and trackmen was found at work. The road is in very fair condition for the summer travel.

During the last week of June, an official inspection was made of the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern railroad. This road extends from Marshfield to Myrtle Point, having a branch to Beaver Hill, a town of 800 inhabitants, where are the Beaver Hill coal mines. The railroad is about 32 miles in length, and has been built about three years. It is well constructed, and the track is of 56-pound steel. The bridges are uniform standard, well built and substantial. The motive power and equipment are sufficient for the traffic demand, and are kept in good condi- tion. The road was found to be in very fair condition throughout. When the road is extended to Roseburg, 63 miles from Myrtle Point, the present eastern terminus, it will give rail con- nection to a thrifty section of a now comparatively isolated country.

Floods in West Virginia.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 8.—Traffic on the Baltimore & Ohio River roads is practically suspended, many bridges having been washed out between here and Parkersburg and Grafton. The bridge at the passenger station of the Baltimore & Ohio in this city has just fallen, and the Ohio river railroad bridge is in great danger.

An Official Inquiry.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 8.—Official investigation into the Twin shaft dis- aster began today by three inspectors appointed by Governor Hastings.