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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.

The arbitrators in the Venezuelan claims case is in session.

Surveyor General Eagleson, of Idaho, is to be removed from office.

The commandant of the Puget sound navy yard asks for appropriations of nearly \$3,000,000.

The Columbia river bar shows much improvement. There is nearly a foot more water now than this time last year.

A new disease similar to bubonic plague has broken out in Cuba and is puzzling doctors who are unable to do anything with it.

The third attempt to sail the third race of the present series was a failure on account of lack of wind. The boats did not even start.

A Japanese gunboat would not allow the American steamer Stanley Dollar to land at a Korean port. She was under charter by a Russian firm to load lumber.

A war is on between rival steamer lines from Portland to the Dalles. The passenger rate has been lowered to 25 cents and freight is carried for one dollar a ton.

The negro suffrage association, of Boston, declares Booker T. Washington is not a fit leader for the race and has asked Roosevelt not to take his counsel if he would hold the colored vote.

Ex-Mayor Ames, of Minneapolis, has been refused a new trial.

The present summer is the coldest ever experienced in New York.

All teamsters in Seattle are on a strike and other unions threaten to join.

Philadelphia and Baltimore have combined in an effort to hold the export trade.

Peru will prohibit the immigration of members of the religious orders expelled from France.

Colombia is facing a serious uprising of her subjects. The rejection of the Panama canal treaty is given as the cause.

Russo-Japanese negotiations are making headway and there is no doubt that they will soon be brought to a satisfactory issue.

The wind was again too light for a race Monday, but the Reliance was farther ahead of Shamrock than in any previous race.

The appointment of M. Witte by the czar to be president of the council of ministers is regarded by many as a victory for the war party.

German socialists are in a lively wrangle as to the policy they will pursue in the Reichstag.

The Chicago Northwestern railway will let out all of its women employes and hereafter employ only men.

The copyright of "Peaceful Henry," a new musical hit, has been purchased by the publishers of "Hiawatha" for \$5,000.

Minister Leishman's demands on Turkey for attempted assassination of the vice consul bring quieting answers.

Popular subscriptions will be asked from all parts of the United States with which to secure a testimonial for Sir Thomas Lipton.

The Turkish envoy at Washington, in discussing the attempted assassination of the American consul, blames missionaries for the rebellion.

Ex-Secretary of State Powers, of Kentucky, has been found guilty of complicity in the assassination of ex-Governor Goebel and sentenced to be hanged.

The recent attack on Vice Consul Magelsen was not the first. About two years ago he was knocked down and robbed by three men. He attacked his assailants, recovered his watch and gave them a severe beating.

Nebraska and Iowa are still suffering from floods.

Joseph Heworth, a well known actor, is dead from heart disease.

Captain A. J. Pearman, squatter governor of Nebraska under territorial government, is dead.

A San Pedro-Los Angeles electric car was held up by three masked men and the passengers robbed.

A cloudburst near Moorcroft, Wyo., washed out two large bridges on the Burlington and did much damage to other property.

Masked robbers looted the McFarland, Kan., depot, beat two men into insensibility, and escaped with booty, which was small.

Sir Thomas Lipton has given up all hope of winning a single race in the 1903 series and says he will never again challenge for the America's cup until England produces the equal of Nat Herreshoff.

Twenty Italian soldiers were killed and 80 injured in a train collision near Venice.

California growers want the Oregon growers to hold on for 25 cents for their hops.

RIVAL TO BIG TRUST.

Cattlemen Will Establish a Large Packing Plant at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 3.—Twenty-five stockmen from different parts of the Western grass country met in this city today and arranged to perfect the organization of a packing company to cooperate with the alleged packers' trust. The new company was named the Independent packing company. Articles of incorporation will be drawn up tomorrow and signed at a meeting to be held tomorrow afternoon. The company will have a capital stock of \$1,000,000, and will be incorporated under the laws of Arizona. Of the total capitalization, 51 per cent will be so disposed of as to be held in escrow by the board of directors of the company. This will assure stockmen who will interest themselves in the plan that the company will always be controlled by stock interests. The rest of the stock will be sold to stockmen, if possible, although no purchaser will be barred. The division of stock, as decided upon today, was made to prevent any possibility of the alleged packers' trust gaining control of the new independent company. Two million of the stock will be issued at first. The rest will be put out later. Formerly it was the plan to include the United States packing company, of Pueblo, Colo., in the scheme. Now it is predicted on good authority that the Pueblo plant will never be built, but that its capitalization of more than \$1,500,000 will either be transferred to the independent packing company or be allowed to revert back to the stockmen who subscribed it.

Charles F. Martin, secretary of the National livestock association, who was one of the promoters of the United States packing company and a stockholder, is in Kansas City promoting the organization of the independent packing company. The independent packing company will build one plant in the Missouri valley, but the exact location has not yet been decided upon. It is to be in operation in the fall of next year. Another plant will be built later, probably in Texas.

WAR IS COURTED.

Macedonians Preclaim an Uprising—Leaders Head Outbreak.

Sofia, Sept. 3.—The Macedonian revolutionists awaited the anniversary of the sultan's accession to proclaim the long anticipated general insurrection in Northern Macedonia, the proclamation of which was issued today, signed by all the members of the insurgent general staff. The new outbreak is headed by the famous Macedonian leaders, General Zoucheff, president of the Macedonian committee and Colonel Jankoff, who was wounded in the rising of 1902. The new territory covers the districts in the valley of the Struma, at the base of the Rhodope mountain chain and to the north of the Sarradar river. Colonel Jankoff is directing the movements of the bands in the southern part. It is reported that Hilmi Pasha, the inspector general for Macedonia, refuses to leave his headquarters in the Konakat Monastir. The insurgent leader, Gruoff, in a letter to Hilmi Pasha, demanded that he prevent the barbarous acts of the Turkish soldiers and Bash Bazouks, otherwise the revolutionists would massacre all the Turkish inhabitants.

TEN THOUSAND FOR SHOW.

Multnomah Boys Spending This Sum on Portland's Big Fall Carnival.

Ten thousand dollars is the sum being expended by the Multnomah athletic club on Portland's big fall carnival, September 14 to 26 inclusive and it is safe to say that the biggest and best show of the kind ever seen on the Pacific coast will be that in September. The giants from the athletic field will be there and lovers of athletic events will have an opportunity to see the big fellows contest for prizes. Low rates have been granted by the railroads and the attendance no doubt will be very large. The boys have decided to make every day a special day and this will be something of an innovation in the way of a carnival.

Fair Exhibit Takes Form.

Berlin, Sept. 3.—Germany's exhibit at the St. Louis exposition is taking form. Some shipments have already been made, and it is possible to forecast the whole with tolerable accuracy. The collective exhibits of porcelain, bronzes, textiles, fobs, toys, leather work, interior decorations and 20 more specialties will be complete and will represent the best that Germany can do. The government exhibits, such as transportation, education and art, will be the finest ever sent out of the country.

Forty Hurt in Wreck.

Hastings, Ia., Sept. 3.—Passenger train No. 3 on the Burlington was wrecked here tonight in a head-on collision with a freight engine and three cars. According to statements of passengers, the train was running about 10 miles an hour when the collision took place. The passengers were thrown from their seats and about 40 were injured more or less severely, but none, so far as reported, sustained serious injuries.

Why Canal Treaty Was Rejected.

New York, Sept. 3.—Dispatches from a Bogota correspondent assert, says a Panama dispatch to the Herald, that the Panama canal treaty was rejected by the senate because of the imperative nature of the notes received from Secretary of the State Hay and United States Ministers in Europe. These notes, the correspondent declares, were regarded as offensive.

HAPPENINGS HERE IN OREGON

IRRIGATION CONGRESS PRIZES.

Silver Loving Cups for Agricultural Exhibits.

Governor Chamberlain is in receipt of a letter from Chairman Fred J. Kessel, of the executive committee of the National Irrigation congress, calling attention to the four \$500 prizes to be awarded at the session of the congress in Lane county, some 18 miles from Cottage Grove. The prizes are silver loving cups, one for the best exhibit of hops, one for the best display of barley, one for the best showing of varied fresh fruits, and one for the best showing of sugar beets, with the highest percentage of sugar. The cup to be given for the best display of fruit is described as being 23 inches in height and weighs 270 ounces. It is of silver and represents the Goddess Pomona distributing the kindly fruits of the earth. The letter urges Governor Chamberlain to be present, if possible, and to see that Oregon is fittingly represented, as the subjects discussed will be of great importance to this state. It will probably not be convenient for Governor Chamberlain to go to Oregon to attend the congress, which meets September 15.

WARNER VALLEY CONTROVERSY.

Settlers Are Very Anxious Over the Outcome of It.

A number of residents of Warner Valley, Lake County, were in Salem recently to interview members of the state land board regarding the outcome of the controversy over the possession of their homes. The litigation before the federal land department referred in favor of the Warner Valley Stock company. The settlers claimed as homesteaders while the company claimed under provisions from the state under the swamp land laws. The settlers, having been defeated, asked the board to aid them in retaining the homes they had taken. The board listened to arguments and has taken the matter under advisement. In the meantime, Governor Chamberlain telegraphed the federal land department not to issue a patent conveying the land to the state until he requested it. The land company cannot secure title to the land until a patent issues to the state.

Coming Events.

M. A. A. C. carnival, Portland, September 14-26.

Multnomah Fair Association, Irvington, Sept. 14-26.

Oregon National Guard, September 7-9; Salem, September 9-11; Vale, September 10-12; Oregon City, September 13-17; Klamath Falls, September 18-20; Lakeview, October 1-3; Hillsboro, October 25-30.

Oregon National Guard, September 12-13; Third Infantry, Gearhart Park; Separate Battalion, Roseburg, September 3-12.

Carnival, Oregon City, September 6-8.

Labor Day, Portland, September 7.

State convention of mining men, Portland, September 7.

Joint concatenation of Hoo Hoos, Portland, September 9.

Lincoln County Fair, Toledo, September 10-12.

Stock Growers' Association, Baker City, September 14-18.

Harney County Fair, Burns, September 14-20.

Races, Astoria, September 17-19.

Exhibit and race meet, Portland, September 21-26.

Fair, Toledo, September 22-24.

Second Eastern Oregon District Fair, The Dalles, September 22-26.

Carnival, Pendleton, September 26-October 1.

Carnival, The Dalles, September 28-October 3.

Second Southern Oregon District Fair, Eugene, September 29-October 3.

Race meet, Portland, September 15.

Crook County Jockey Club meet, Prineville, October 27-29.

Scotch reunion, Fossil, October 27.

Five Contest Cases.

Five contest cases, involving 800 acres of valuable timber land, located 25 miles east of Albany, are engaging the attention of the Oregon City land office. The cases are of more than ordinary interest, since the lands upon which were issued in January, 1902, have since been sold to disinterested parties. Contestants now appear before the land office officials and allege that the persons making proof on the lands failed to maintain a residence on the premises and resorted to irregular practices in making final proof.

Looking for Dam Sites.

Civil Engineer F. H. Newell, chief of the United States reclamation service, with a party of advisers consisting of Civil Engineers J. B. Lippincott, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is in charge of the reclamation surveys in California; and John P. Whistler, in charge of the Oregon work, are in the neighborhood of Westfall and Willow Creek to investigate the proposed sites for government reservoirs in Malheur country.

New Building for Ashland Normal.

The Southern Oregon state normal school will open for the coming year on September 14. President Mulkey, who has been traveling extensively over the state in the interest of the institution, says the prospects for attendance are the brightest in its history. The new academic and administrative building, provided for by the last legislature, is being rushed to completion. It will be a fine structure and will cost about \$8000.

School District Bonds Bought.

The state land board has completed its sixth purchase of school district bonds, the last purchase being \$5500 No. 2 and grade, \$3436. These bonds, the correspondent declares, were regarded as offensive.

BIG PLANT AT COTTAGE GROVE.

To Work the Largest Cinnabar Deposit in America.

A 300-ton quicksilver plant is going up on the Black Butte mines near Cottage Grove, in which G. B. Dennis, of Spokane, is interested.

"Four years of uninterrupted development," said Mr. Dennis, "has exposed the most extensive imbedding of cinnabar ore on the American continent if not in the world. The work represents an expenditure of nearly \$500,000.

The Black Butte quicksilver mines are located in Lane county, some 18 miles from Cottage Grove. During the four years 12,000 feet of work has been done, which includes a vertical shaft to the 1000-foot level. At each 100-foot station a drift running on the foot wall has been driven either side of the shaft the full length of the pay shoot, 227 feet, and at each level the ledge has been crosscut for its full width of 80 feet.

The average of the ore is about 16 in quicksilver or \$10 a ton, and there is now blocked out more than \$2,000,000 in quicksilver. The present 400-ton smelting or distilling plant is being enlarged to a 300-ton capacity and the mine equipped with a complete electrical waterpower plant, furnishing power and light, which places the property in position for working upon a very large scale."

Brick Supply Equals Demand.

The force of workmen has completed the burning of a kiln of 200,000 bricks, and now the supply of material is sufficient to keep construction work in progress at the penitentiary, reform school and asylum. At each of these places the new buildings and additions are under construction. Superintendent James says that although the contract for the construction of an execution chamber at the prison does not require its completion before January 1, the building will be ready for use before that time, and, so far as he can see now, it will be ready before the date of any hanging now in prospect.

Hood River Apples Contracted.

Joseph A. Wilson, manager of the Hood River Applegrowers' Union, has just consummated a \$20,000 apple sale. The Davidson fruit company of Hood River, is the purchaser, and has deposited \$1000 to bind the sale. The price for fancy four-tier Spitzensbergers is \$2 a box; yellow Newtowns, \$1.80, the apples to be delivered at railway at picking time. Before the recent reorganization of the union, buyers were paying \$1.45 a box for Spitzensbergers. This is the largest fruit sale ever made in Hood River.

Much Building at Ashland.

It is estimated that the value of building improvements just completed, or now under way, in Ashland will reach \$50,000, and the high tide of building activity in that city for the past two or three years promises to be equaled before the close of the present season. A number of new business buildings have recently been completed and many new and substantial residences are now in course of construction throughout the city.

Sales of School Land.

Though sales of school land have practically ceased, the receipts of the land department, are undiminished. The monthly statement made by Clerk George G. Brown, shows that for August the collections were \$30,638.11, or over \$1000 a day. This is equal to the normal receipts while school land was selling. The money now coming in is composed chiefly of deferred payments on sales heretofore made.

Will Back Meat on a Large Scale.

Rehor and Hulac of Omaha, Neb., have bought out Kerr & Housler's meat market and cold storage plant at McMinnville. They are making a deal to carry on an extensive pork and meat packing business. McMinnville was their choice, due to extensive stock raising the farmers have gone into this last four or five years. Yamhill county has ten times the stock today it had six years ago.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 78c; bluestem, 80c; valley, 78c.

Flour—Valley, \$3.65-\$3.85 per barrel; hard wheat straight, \$3.60-\$4.00; hard wheat, patents, \$4.10-\$4.50; Graham, \$3.35-\$3.75; whole wheat, \$3.55-\$4.00; rye wheat, \$4.10.

Barley—Feed, \$2.00-\$2.10 per ton; brewing, \$2.10; rolled, \$2.12-\$2.50.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$1.07 1/2; gray, \$1.00-\$1.05 per cental.

Millet—Bran, \$22 per ton; middlings, \$25; shorts, \$22; chop, \$18; lined barley food, \$19.

Hay—Timothy, \$14.00 per ton; clover, nominal; grain, \$10; chest, nominal.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22c @ 25c per pound; dairy, 18c @ 20c; store, 15c @ 16c.

Cheese—Full cream, twins, 14c; Young America, 15c; factory prices, 10c @ 11c less.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, 11c @ 12c per pound; spring, 14c @ 14 1/2c; hens, 12c @ 12 1/2c; broilers, \$2.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 10c @ 12c per pound; dressed, 14c @ 15c; ducks, \$4.00 @ 4.50 per dozen; geese, \$5.00 @ 5.50.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 18c.

Potatoes—Oregon, 75c @ 85c per sack; sweet potatoes, 2 1/2c per pound.

Wheat Sacks—In lots of 100, 5 1/2c; Beef—Gross steers, \$3.75 @ 4.25; dressed, 60c @ 7c per pound.

Veal—8 1/2c per pound.

Mutton—Gross, \$3; dressed, 5c @ 5 1/2c; lambs, gross, \$3.50; dressed, 6c @ 6 1/2c; gross, \$5.50 @ 5.75; dressed, 8c.

Hops—1902 crop, 20c per pound.

Tallow—Prime, per pound, 4c @ 5c; No. 2 and grade, 3c @ 3 1/2c.

Wool—Valley, 17c @ 18c; Eastern Oregon, 15c @ 16c; mohair, 3