

## SOUTH AMERICAN TO VISIT US

### PRESIDENT OF BRAZIL TO MAKE TOUR OF THIS COUNTRY

United States Buys Nearly 100,000,000 Worth of Goods From That Nation

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—The people of the United States will soon have an opportunity to show to a great South American general and statesman whether they are really interested in our sister republics or not. On August 5 there will arrive in New York city Marshal Hermes da Fonseca, president-elect of Brazil. He will remain four weeks in this country, calling first upon President Taft at Beverly, then upon Secretary Knox at Valley Forge, and afterward visiting such of the principal cities of the United States as he may see fit to accept invitations from. He will be accompanied by Dr. Jose Carlos Rodrigues, an eminent journalist of Latin America, and the proprietor of the "Journal do Commercio" of Rio de Janeiro, one of the greatest newspapers of the world.

The following facts will help the average man to appreciate why the visit of President-elect Fonseca has special significance: Brazil is rapidly forging ahead to a position as a world power, with corresponding development of closer diplomatic relations with the United States; it has an area so great that in it could be placed all the connected territory of the United States from California to New York, with room still left over for those two states; it has a population of 20,000,000, which is greater than that of any other American country aside from the United States; it has an annual foreign commerce valued at \$500,000,000 which is second only to Canada and Argentina after the United States; it is just entering upon a period of great material and commercial expansion, which will call for the investment of millions of United States money and a vast quantity of products manufactured by the capital and labor of this country; it has a coast line on the Atlantic ocean twice as great as that of the United States, and out of the Amazon river flows four times the volume of water that empties into the Gulf of Mexico from the Mississippi; its capital city, Rio de Janeiro, has a population of 1,000,000, while it has in Sao Paulo, Bahia, Para, Pernambuco, Manaus, Santos and Rio Grande do Sul, other places that are growing as rapidly as the Western cities of the United States; its largest state, Amazonas, covers 732,000 square miles, or nearly three times that of Texas.

The United States purchased from Brazil last year coffee, rubber, hides and skins, cacao and many other products, valued at nearly \$90,000,000, and it sold to Brazil iron and steel manufactures of great variety, mineral and refined oils, wheat flour and bread stuffs, manufactures of wood and cotton, chemicals and drugs, automobiles, etc., valued at approximately \$18,000,000. The fact that these figures show a large balance against the United States is the very reason why the business interests of our country should get into closer touch with the government, people and markets of Brazil. If they do this, there is no reason why the United States should not sell annually \$100,000,000 of products to that country as easily as it does \$18,000,000.

Of President-elect da Fonseca it can be further said that his title of "Marshal" comes from holding the highest position in the Brazilian army to which he has risen step by step from the rank of lieutenant. Although a great soldier, he is also a notably peaceful statesman, and while in this country he will make a study not only of our army, visiting West Point and several of the principal military posts, but of our collegiate and public school systems, of our river and harbor improvements and of our industrial enterprises. He is 54 years old, and therefore in the prime of his life. In Europe, where he has just been visiting, he has been shown great honors by Emperor William and other heads of nations. From the United States he will return to Brazil, where he will be inaugurated president early in March.

### GEORGE PAN SELLS HIS MAIN STREET PROPERTY

H. F. Tolliver of Kansas City, Mo., Is the Purchaser

George Pan, the old time Chinese restaurateur, has sold to H. F. Tolliver of Kansas City, Mo., his property on Main street. It is located opposite the Heidrich property, and the storerooms are occupied by Stuart & Lyon, Brunswick bowling alley and George Pan's restaurant. It has a frontage of fifty-seven feet on both Main street and Klamath avenue. The new owner came here some time ago with a corps of assistants to canvass this territory for a kitchen cabinet.

He believed that no place on the Pacific Coast offered better opportunities for investment than Klamath Falls, and after going over the field very carefully decided to purchase the Pan property. Mr. Tolliver stated that he had no plans in mind for the immediate improvement of the property, but added that he would see that it kept pace with that section of the city.

### ANOTHER ADDITION TO THIS CITY IS PLANNED

Irvington Heights Is the Name of the New Sub-Division

F. W. Hogg of Portland and A. J. Peak have platted another addition to Klamath Falls, which is to be known as Irvington Heights. It adjoins Knob Hill addition, and consists of forty acres, which is divided into blocks and lots of the usual size. The streets and alleys are extensions of those in the Knob Hill addition.

Mr. and Mrs. Peak and Mr. Hogg came here a short time ago, the former from Southern Nevada and the latter from Portland. They left for their home on Friday morning. In speaking of Klamath Falls Mr. Peak stated:

"Wherever we have gone we have heard no place more talked of than Klamath Falls. We came here to see what we could find, and after a careful investigation concluded that this city promises all that is expected of it by those on the outside. With this belief we purchased the forty acres adjoining Knob Hill, and have platted it and will place the lots on the market. We believe we have a good thing."

Mr. Hogg was formerly owner of Pelican bay, and is one of the leading opticians of Portland.

### LEAVE FOR NEW HOME IN KANSAS CITY

Prof. J. T. Butcher and Wife Will Reside in the Sunflower State Hereafter

Prof. J. T. Butcher and his estimable wife left Thursday for their new home in Kansas City, Kansas.

Mr. Butcher was for the past two years principal of the Klamath County high school and is an instructor of exceptional ability. He, however, has forsaken the task of "teaching the young idea how to shoot" and will embark in the feed and coal business in the Kansas metropolis, where he purchased an interest with a firm there.

Both Mr. Butcher and his wife made many friends while they were in Klamath Falls who are sorry to see them leave and who wish them every success in their new home.

### VANDERBILT'S OFFICE BOY DIES WEALTHY

SEATTLE, Wash. July 25.—Colonel George W. Mahoney, aged 68, widely known in the West and South as a real estate operator and capitalist, died at his home here yesterday following slight operation performed three weeks ago. Colonel Mahoney rose from office boy in the Wall street offices of W. K. Vanderbilt to the position of confidential agent and head of the Vanderbilt real estate interests. He held this position until 1882, when he retired to look after his private interests. For a number of years he was prominent in real estate and financial circles of Waco, Texas. He removed to Seattle eight years ago. One brother, Fred Mahoney, lives in New York and another, James Mahoney, resides in Pomona, Calif.

### STORM RAISES HAVOC WITH LAKESIDE STOVE

Rain Beats the Soot Down in the Pipe So It Would Not Draw—No Breakfast

Wednesday afternoon's rain raised havoc with the Lakeside Inn stove-pipe. The wind beat the water in the large chimney so hard that it beat the soot from the sides of the chimney and packed it at the bottom. When the cooks tried to start the fire this morning they found the stove would not draw, and by the time they discovered what was the matter it was so late that the guests had to go without a warm breakfast. It was necessary to take the pipe down and clean it, and it was not until 9 o'clock that the stove was in proper condition again.

### PRIZEFIGHTER MARRIES CANADIAN GIRL

BUFFALO, July 21.—Billy Papke yesterday was married here to Edna E. Pulver, a 20-year-old girl of Hamilton, Ontario. Mr. Pulver, who is wealthy, opposed the match. Papke arrived in an automobile, and when Miss Pulver had joined him they sped across the border and started on a transcontinental auto trip today. In September they will sail for Australia, where Papke is scheduled for a fight.

## BOHEMIANS ARE PROGRESSIVE CLASS

### MALIN IS RAPIDLY BECOMING A THRIVING COMMUNITY

Wonderful Improvements Have Been Made in the Raw Lands of the Tule Lake Country

The thrifty members of the new Bohemian colony which has been started on the shores of Tule lake, south of Merrill, have made wonderful improvements in the raw land which comprised their homes when the colony was first established a few months ago.

Some 6,000 acres were purchased and subdivided, and the town of Malin was platted. The raw land has been cleared and cultivated, and the new town now presents a thrifty appearance, and is growing rapidly.

The fertility of the soil is shown by the crops which are being grown there. Summer wheat will go sixty bushels to the acre, and other crops are equally prolific.

F. K. Vandriest was here Saturday from Malin, and speaking of the colony he said:

"The land in the colony can't be equalled. We can take the prize away from anyone for the first crops from new soil. Our oats and barley can't be beat, and the other crops are doing equally as well."

"The railway has secured a right of way through the town, and will put up a depot as soon as the rails are laid."

The growing of sugar beets will be an important industry there before long. Persons interested in the sugar industry have written to us, and we will give forty acres for a site for a sugar factory, and it is understood that the persons who are to erect the building will purchase 160 acres more. As soon as they are large enough a sample of the sugar beets being raised will be sent to these men for analysis, and if the proper amount of sugar is found in the beets the factory will be built, not later than next spring, and perhaps before.

"What we need is more land. We could use 10,000 acres more. This is our first year on the land, and everybody is satisfied."

"An experienced boat builder has purchased six lots on the shore of the lake, and will put up a boathouse and build a number of boats. One of them will be a steamer capable of carrying fifty persons, and it is his intention to run excursions across the lake to the lava beds every Sunday."

"We are more than satisfied with the progress we have made, and the outlook for a prosperous year is very good. We wouldn't exchange what we have there with any other portion of the state."

### TRAINS RUNNING ON CANADIAN ROADS

TORONTO, July 25.—The through Grand Trunk trains are running practically normally now. The trainmen have been ordered to run slowly through the terminal yards, owing to attempted derailments. President Hayes asserts that he is ready to operate on the regular schedule if he will be protected. The strikers assert that the non-unionists are inexperienced, and predict chaos when the suburban and local freight service starts.

## BELIEVED TO BE IN CALIFORNIA

### STORY THAT SHE WAS IN LANGGELL VALLEY FALSE

The Most Plausible Theory Is That She and Stark Walked Down the Railroad Track

Sheriff Barnes returned from Poe Valley and the region in that vicinity where he had been searching for Cora Seaton, but he came back without the girl, nor was any trace of her found.

Alex Watson, an uncle of the girl, who lives at Merrill, stated to Deputy Clay Cann that a sister of the girl had told him that the girl had stayed at a cabin on a place owned by her sister. Mr. Cann immediately informed Sheriff Barnes of the rumor, and Mr. Barnes at once set out for the place where the girl was said to have been seen. It was directly after the rain, and any tracks which the pair might have made would be plainly seen. Strict lookout was kept for any tracks the girl and the man who accompanied her might have made, but none were observed.

The most plausible theory that has been advanced is that the girl became frightened over the possible result of her act in setting fire to the buildings, and made her escape. It is thought that she and Stark walked down the railroad track as far as the California line, and when they had reached there they disappeared.

A warrant will be sworn out for the arrest of the girl.

### SAN FRANCISCO MAN MAY LOCATE HERE

J. H. Stephens Expects to Open Dry Goods House in Klamath Falls

J. H. Stephens of Sacramento arrived here last night and will make Klamath Falls his future home. He has been with Hale Brothers' great house in the California capital for several years, and may open a dry goods store in this city. In speaking of the large amount of trade that goes to the mail order houses from this city he said:

"I believe that most of the persons who send away for goods could be persuaded to buy what they want here at home. The thing to do is to let them know that there is a place to trade where they can get goods at living prices and one price to everyone. With the proper advertising and the right kind of goods I believe that most of the money that is sent away could be kept at home."

Mr. Stephens has had the benefit of years of experience in some of the best houses in California, and will be a distinct addition to the business men of this city.

### SURGEON'S KNIFE TO BE DISPLACED BY ELECTRICITY

PARIS, July 25.—A revolution in surgery is impending, according to a report made to the Paris academy of sciences by Professor A. d'Arsonval, whose researches are well known throughout the world. Twenty years hence it is prophesied a strong electrical current will have replaced the surgeon's knife and saw, and possible even the forceps.

"With a powerful apparatus," said Dr. d'Arsonval, "we have been able to pass through certain animals electrical currents which raised their bodies to a high temperature without affecting either sensitiveness or mus-

cular contraction, the animals not seeming to feel the heat.

"The electrical currents, however, literally cooked the posterior limbs, whither the effect was directed. Still the animal in each case showed no suffering and some days later the limbs operated on dropped off, leaving a wound perfectly cicatrized."

### BERTILLON HAS NEW SCHEME

Proposes to Track Criminals by Their Hair—Will Beat Other System

PARIS, July 25.—Dr. Bertillon, who originated and perfected the Bertillon system for identifying and tracing criminals, is now working out a plan which, when completed, he says, will make the escape of criminals doubly difficult. He proposes hereafter to track criminals by their hair. He is completing a collection of human hair, which he says will be so minutely graduated that it will be possible to make identifications in this way when all other means fail.

Hair for Dr. Bertillon's experiments is being gathered from all parts of the world. He declares it will be necessary to collect specimens from every nation in the world, as climate frequently governs the color of the hair.

## STRIKE SITUATION SERIOUS

### TRAFFIC ON BRITISH RAILROADS AT A STANDSTILL

Thousands of Workmen Are Idle and Business Has Been Paralyzed

NEWCASTLE, England, July 21.—The Northwestern railroad strike is assuming a serious aspect. Last night's conference failed to accomplish anything. President Brixton of the board of trade is supervising the efforts toward arbitration. Thirty thousand railway men are striking, and the traffic is paralyzed. Thousands of other workmen are idle. Owing to the inability to ship coal 17,000 miners were forced out this morning. Five thousand dock workmen are idle and many factories have been closed.

Dr. E. E. Straw, mayor of Marshfield, and one of the boys of which Klamath county is proud, arrived from Marshfield Wednesday evening for a brief stay with his old friends.

# AUCTION AUCTION

at the

# Goodrich Cash Store

We will wind up our successful sale of a \$10,000 stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Groceries, etc., by closing out the balance of my stock of merchandise at

# Auction

From 2 to 4 in the afternoon and from 7:30 to 9:30 in the evening

Everything will be sold Regardless of Cost

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR if he takes the Republican. If he does not urge him to do it, so as to lend a hand in the fight for his rights