The Danger Signal of Life

Mr. G. H. Snyder, a well known citizen of Lawrence, Kan, said: "I am now seventy years of age. About three years ago I experienced a coldness or numbness in the feet, then creeping up my legs, until it reached my body. I grew very thin in flesh, appetite poor and I did not relish my food. At last I became unable to move about. I consulted several distinguished physicians, one telling me I had locomotor ataxia, another that I had creeping paralysis. I took their medicines but continued to grow worse. Almost a year ago a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Before I had finished my first box I found they were benefiting me. I used twelve boxes in all, and was perfectly cured. Although it is six months since I used my last pill there has been no recurrence of the disease." *From Lawrence Journal.*

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CAVALRY FOR OTIS' ARMY

Third Regiment to Sail from Seattle.

MONEY FOR TROOPS

Sent from San Francisco to Manila Yesterday—Many Boxes of Gold and Silver Shipped.

SEATTLE, July 22.—Captain Robinson, assistant quartermaster United States army, was advised by the war department today that the Third cavalry would embark from this city for Manila. The transport Hancock will carry the men, and the horses will be carried on the Garonne, Port Albert, Victoria and Athenian. It is expected they will sail about August 20th.

TRANSPORTS CHARTERED.

Washington, July 22.—The quartermaster's department has chartered seven vessels for transportation of horses to the Philippines. They are: The Siam, City of Sidney and Aztec, of San Francisco, and the Atherian, Victoria, Garonne and Port Albert, of Seattle. General Otis has been directed to complete a skeleton cavalry regiment, if he deems it proper.

TO PAY TROOPS.

San Francisco, July 22.—Twenty-eight boxes of silver and twenty-three boxes of gold were loaded on the transport Tartar today, from the United States sub-treasury. The money will be used to pay soldiers, and defray other expenses of the Philippine campaign.

MANY RECRUITS.

Vancouver, Wash., July 22.—Officers and recruits, for the Thirty-fifth infantry regiment being recruited here, are arriving daily. About sixty recruits have arrived for the new regiment up to this time.

SICK IN MANILA.

Manila, via Hong Kong, July 22.—Chief Surgeon Woodhull considers increase in the military force in the Philippine islands will necessitate the employment of forty additional surgeons. Woodhull's recommendation to that effect has been disapproved by General Otis. There are nearly 3000 soldiers in the hospital. The official report last week showed 1800 in the hospital in Manila and there are several hundred at San Fernando and at other garrisons. There are also 275 sick in quarters at Manila. Regimental surgeons report that large numbers of soldiers who are on duty are unfit for service.

SAILING OF TRANSPORTS.

San Fancisco, July 22.—The sailing of the transport Tartar has been postponed until Sunday, owing to delay in the arrival of troops from the East. The Ohio and Newport will be ready to sail next Tuesday with recruits and two battalions each of the Nineteenth infantry.

ARMY PAYMASTER.

Washington, July 22.—The president has appointed Charles Newbold as paymaster, with the rank of major, in the regular army.

THE SURFACE OF INVESTIGATION.

Nature intended that our organism should perform its functions without our surveillance, and she purposely put it all out of sight and out of sound, but we have brought it to the surface of investigation, until it has gained the mastery over us.—Rev. F. E. Mason, Christian Scientist, Brooklyn, New York.

McDANIEL CHARGED WITH MURDERING CLARA FITCH.

PORTLAND, July 24.—The coroner's jury returned a verdict, that Clara Fitch, whose dead body was found in Cycle Park on Thursday, met death by strangulation, and charging Frank McDaniel, who was with the girl when she was last seen, with her murder.

TALK OF WAR.

ALASKA BOUNDARY QUESTION EXCITES CANADIANS.

Sir Wilfred Laurier Suggests That Only Arbitration or Armed Conflict Can Settle Matters.

TORONTO, July 22.—A special to the Telegram, from Ottawa, says:

Violent criticism of the American position concerning the Alaskan boundary question, by Sir Charles Tupper at this morning's sitting of the house, brought forth a statement from Sir Wilfred Laurier.

"It is clear, he said, that there are only two ways by which the difficulty may now be settled—arbitration or war. I have no hope at this moment that we can settle the matter by a compromise. No one wants war. We must exhaust every means in removing the difficulty by peaceful methods. I have not given up hope that it is possible to agree to arbitration. Negotations are still going on. We must find some means of bringing about a peaceful settlement."

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ELIHU ROOT IS APPOINTED

Has Accepted the War Portfolio.

IS A NOTED ATTORNEY

Italian Lynchings in Louisiana Are Brought to the Attention of the State Department,

WASHINGTON, July 22. — Elihu Root, of New York, has accepted the war portfolio in President McKinley's cabinet. The tender of this position was made to Mr. Root last night after a conference at the White House. As the president will leave for the Adirondacks on Wednesday or Thursday of next week, it is hardly probable Mr. Root will come to Washington to confer with him before that time.

A NOTED ATTORNEY.

New York, July 22.—Elihu Root was born at Clinton, N. Y., February 15, 1845, and graduated at Hamilton college and the New York university law school. He was admitted to the bar in 1867, since which time he has been active practice in this city. He was one of the most prominent members of the New York state constitutional convention, where he served as chairman of the judiciary committee.

THE ITALIAN LYNCHINGS.

Washington, July 22.—The lynching of five Italians in Louisiana yesterday promises to assume an international aspect, through the action of the Italian government.

Count Vinchi, the Italian charge d' affairs, called at the state department this morning and made representations to the officials concerning the treaty. In order to get full information, as a basis for action by this government, Secretary Hay telegraphed the governor of Louisiana, requesting him to send all the facts in the case.

THE FRENCH TREATY.

Washington, July 22.—The final draft of the reciprocity treaty between France and the United States was made today, with a few minor details left open for final adjustment. Both sides now regard the signing of the treaty as assured.

Consideration of the treaties with Jamaica, Bermuda and Trinidad were concluded late today.

CANADIAN COMPLAINTS.

Vancouver, B. C., July 22.—There is much indignation among the Canadian salmon fishermen at what they consider the arbitrary action of the United States fishery officers in seizing a number of boats and salmon nets, detaining the men at Blaine several days and confiscating their nets. The cause is alleged to be fishing in American waters. The fishermen complain there are no buoys or lights to mark the line. The Canadians also declare that alien fishermen are harrying the halibut banks in British waters and destroying the industry. The Canadian government is being asked to put on a fisheries cruiser and seize American poachers.

ALASKA GOLD.

THE STEAMER HOMER ARRIVES FROM THE NEW ELDORADO.

A Million Dollars in Yellow Metal Is Brought to San Francisco —Few Rich Men.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—The steamer Homer arrived from St. Michaels this afternoon. She brought 150 passengers. Nearly $1,000,000 came down on the steamer. About $100,000 belonged to the passengers.

The miners who returned from the Klondike numbered about 100, and the majority had nothing to show for their work of two years, the most of the gold brought down being in the hands of a few men. The reports they bring regarding the Cape Nome district are very conflicting. H. P. Anderson, of Seattle, who had been on Sulphur creek for nearly two years, sold his claim for $20,000. Joseph Hurley, Geo. Taylor and F. J. Francis, of Colorado, who came from Gold Hill, said they had done fairly well, but might not return.

Frank Barker, of Los Angeles, thinks that most of the creeks near Dawson are nearly exhausted, and Captain Howland, well known steamboat man, believes that the future wealth of the arctic gold fields will come from new discoveries.

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A MILLIONAIRE DEAD.

San Francisco, July 24.—Lloyd Tevis, one of the wealthiest and best known residents of San Francisco, died tonight, at a private sanitarium. His wealth is estimated at from $8,000,000 to $15,000,000.

EXPECTS A LARGE YIELD.

Henry Butler, of Monmouth, has just cut a 16-acre field of a new variety of red chaff wheat that ought to thresh out ferty bushels to the acre.

MELTED HIS MATCH SAFE.

Queer Effect of the Lightning on Charles Moebus, Jr., of Paterson.

Paterson, N. J., July 18.—Charles Moebus, a weaver, of 21 East Fifteenth street, Riverside, was sitting in his back yard when the storm came up last evening. He was under a large cherry tree, suspended from one of the branches of which was a hammock, in which C. Moebus, Jr., his son, was swinging. When the drops began to fall Mr. Moebus started for the house. Just then a blinding flash of lightning came, seemingly right from the middle to see his boy lying apparently dead in the hammock. The boy was taken into the house. He was only stunned.

It was found that the pores in the skin were filled with a metal that looked like lead after being fused. Over a dozen pieces as big as peas were sticking in the flesh and the eyelets in the boy's shoes were filled with the same substance. The boy had carried a leaden match safe in his pocket. It was entirely dissipated.

MORE SOLDIERS RETURN

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—The transport Morgan City arrived this morning from Manila with returning troops.

There were three deaths on the voyage, Private Bobbs, of the Tenth Pennsylvania; Private Cook, of the Twenty-second regiment, and Sergeant Jackson, of the First South Dakota. All succumbed to dysentery. All on board were ill when the steamer left Manila, but a removal from the tropical climate and the sea air so benefitted the invalids that on their arrival only twenty-two were unable to leave their berths. Every command and almost every regiment is represented among the returning soldiers.

DEWEY'S HEALTH.

Trieste, Austria, July 24.—A correspondent of the Associated Press today visited Admiral Dewey on board the Olympia, and was cordially received. Dewey said that, although he had received invitations from Americans in Carlsbad, he had never intended going there.

"Look at me," said the admiral, "do I look as if I required a Carlsbad treatment? I am quite healthy, and though I will be 62 years old next December, I feel quite young in health and spirits.

"I came to Trieste to recruit the health of my crew. They have passed seventeen months in the tropics. I expect to remain in Trieste about a week longer and then proceed probably to Naples."

THE PEACE CONGRESS.

The Hague, July 24.—The final act of embodying the results of the international peace conference, says:

"In a series of meetings in which the delegates have participated the conference has drawn up for approval by the respective governments the series conventions appended:

"A convention for a pacific settlement of international disputes.

"A convention concerning the laws and customs of war on land.

"A convention for the adoption of laws against the use of asphyxiating or deleterious gases from balloon projectiles, and for prohibition of the use of bullets that easily expand in the human body."

DUMDUM BULLETS.

Washington, July 25.—The United States will not be bound by the reported decision of the Hague conference to prohibit the use of the dumdum bullet in warfare. So far we have not been obliged to resort to the use of this bullet, but ordnance officers have been making experiments to secure an increased "stoppage" effect for the small calibre ball used in the Krag-Jorgenson rifle, and experiments here proceeded somewhat on the lines of dumdum balls. Great Britain also refuses to prohibit the use of dumdum bullets.

A DEATH TRAIL.

SURVIVORS OF THE EDMONTON ROUTE RETURN.

The Men Report Fearful Conditions on That Alleged Highway to the Klondike.

WRANGEL, Alaska, July 20, via Seattle, July 24.—The Stickeen river steamers Stratcona and Casca arrived here yesterday with fifty-five survivors of the Edmonton trail. These unfortunates had been on the trail nearly two years, and related tales of hardships and demonstrated the non-feasibility of both the land and water routes overland.

AWFUL CONDITIONS.

Seattle, July 24.—A Times Special from Vancouver says:

C. B. Maltby, who arrived yesterday from Dawson, was fifteen months on the Edmonton route. With about 100 other prospectors he wintered at Wind City. When he left in January, fifteen were sick with scurvy. Maltby urges that the Canadian government take action against those who are responsible for advertising the Edmonton trail as a feasible route to Dawson, when it is nothing but a death trap.

DANGER.

The Bank President—Are you aware the cashier has taken a half-interest in a yacht?

The Confidential Adviser—No. Perhaps we had better see that he does not become a full-fledged skipper.—Indianapolis Journal.

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THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY

An Adjustment of the Vexed Question

IS EXPECTED SOON

Authorities Not Alarmed at Utterances of the Canadian Premier—No War Threatening.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Senator Fairbanks, chairman of the American high joint commission, made a brief call upon the president today, before starting for home. He confirmed the report that there would be no meeting of the joint high commission on August 2d, saying he and Sir Wilfred Laurier had agreed upon a postponement for an indefinite period. Direct negotiations respecting the Alaskan boundary are now in progress between Secretary Hay and Mr. Tower, the British charge here. The negotiations are directed towards the adjustment of the issue by an amicable arrangement between the parties, though on somewhat different lines from those pursued during the spring and summer.

The officials here are not alarmed at the recent developments at Ottawa, feeling confident that Sir Wilfred Laurier's utterance, in which he mentioned the word "war" as an alternative to arbitration, was given a meaning not intended by the Canadian premier.

Inasmuch as Canadian officials have laid stress upon the refusal of the United States to accept a fair arbitration pending the question, it may be proper to explain the reason for a refusal as pointed out by a high official.

In the first place, our government, it is contended, is absolutely certain of the soundness of its claims in the matter. That would seem to be a good reason for submtting the matter to arbitration, but our government holds that arbitrators are almost all subject to the fatal weakness of compromising. In our case, a compromise would amount to the loss of our whole contention, for once Canada is admitted to the Lynn canal, we would be deprived of the only weapon which we now possess for the protection of our miners, going into the Klondike, from extortion and perhaps expulsion.

Then, too, it is realized that any agreement to arbitrate might be extremely unpopular in the West, so that the officials will be glad to adjust the matter without resorting to arbitration, if possible. This has caused a revival of the project to allow Canada free port privileges at some ports on the Lynn canal, while allowing the sovereignty over them to remain in the states.

It is realized that this plan would meet strong opposition from that element, which favors no concession whatever to Canada, but under such an arrangement, American miners might reasonably expect to benefit a good deal from the construction of the proposed railroad, running from a free Canadian port on Lynn canal, straight through to Dawson.

BRITISH COMMENT.

London, July 24.—Commenting upon the debate in the Canadian parliament regarding the Alaska boundary question, the St. James Gazette says today:

"The brisk air of the United States and Canada is conducive to strong words, which would never pass the lips of a European statesman until an order to mobilize was on the point of issuing. Nobody thinks of war in connection with the Canadian-American dispute. Yet, since it is we who will have to fight if Canada makes a quarrel, we must plead with our fellow subjects to use a quieter style."

TREATY WITH FRANCE.

Washington, July 24.—The long pending reciprocity treaty negotiations between the United States and France were brought to a successful close at the state department this afternoon, when Ambassador Cambon, in behalf of France, and Commissioner Kasson, in behalf of the United States, affixed their signatures to the reciprocity treaty concluded under the reciprocity clause of the Dingley law, and the only one affecting trade with a large commercial nation. The negotiations were marked by rather sharp and long continued discussions.

In the end the spirit of compromise prevailed, and each side yielded something. As a whole both expressed satisfaction at the general results secured, for while the compromise necessitated minor sacrifices, the general effect of the treaty will encourage commerce betwen the two countries.

The treaty will result in placing the products of the United States on the same basis in France as the products of Germany and Great Britain.

THE ATLIN TROUBLES.

Skagway, July 19, via Seattle, July 24.—One hundred and thirty thousand dollars in gold dust came in on the morning train from Atlin. Mr. Botsford had with him an assortment of nuggets, the largest of which was over sixteen ounces of pure gold. Judge Irving is settling the disputed claims in the Atlin district as rapidly as possible, and in every case is showing preference to the original locator, generally an American. His decisions give satisfaction.

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As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

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NEW FALL WHEAT.

C. Buchner exhibited in Albany, on Saturday, a fine specimen of new fall wheat. It stood higher than a man's head, and one grain made thirty-four stalks. The wheat was well filled, whole and plump. The seed came from Wisconsin and cost 25 cents per pound. Mr. Buchner raised about a bushel and a half from a pound of seed, and will give the wheat a thorough trial next year.

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WOOL FROM CROOK COUNTY.

J. S. Bogue & Sons, of Roslyn, Crook county, Oregon, were in Albany on Saturday. They brought 6000 pounds of wool across the mountains with teams and sold it in Albany, and have been purchasing supplies to take back across the mountains. The three tons of wool netted them about $1000.

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"No; he married her."—Boston Traveler.

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