

WILD DELIGHT

Making Is Relieved and London Is Celebrating.

PRESS DISPATCH TELLS THE STORY

And Throws the City into a Frenzy of Patriotism—Enthusiasm of the People Is Unparalleled.

LONDON, May 19.—London's millions spent half the night in the street, and even at 4 o'clock this morning troops of young men are promenading, singing and cheering, and there are crowds in front of the Mansion House, Marlborough House, the clubs on Pall Mall and the war office and in Parliament Square, waving flags and joining in National airs. Solger, phlegmatic London is beside itself with emotion. Gusts of patriotism have sent the town quivering twice or thrice before during the war, but nothing has quite equalled tonight's hundred square miles of almost furious demonstrations. It was a curious sight for the onlooker to see solemn, gray-haired men toss their opera hats into the air and join in the hurricane of cheers when the wreath-crowned banner, with portrait of Cobden-Powell on it, was borne along Piccadilly.

THE NEWS RECEIVED.

LONDON, May 18, 9:45 p. m.—A dispatch of the Associated Press announcing the relief of Mafeking, was posted outside the Mansion House, and the news rapidly spread. A large crowd assembled and at this hour the streets are resounding with cheers. The war office at 9 o'clock announced that no news had been received, and at 9:40 the Lord-Mayor, A. J. Newton, in his official robes of office, announced the joyful news to the crowd outside. The masses of people outside the Mansion House soon grew to such dimensions that the police were compelled to divert all traffic, omnibuses, etc., through the side streets.

Special editions of the newspapers appeared and the tickets announced the news in all public resorts. In the West End leading thoroughfares were impeded by the constant stream of the populace, cheering themselves hoarse and singing "God Save the Queen" and "Soldiers of the Queen." The enthusiasm, as this dispatch is sent, already promises to outlive even the scenes which followed the relief of Ladysmith.

The dispatch of the Associated Press, containing the news of the relief of the long besieged place, was sent to the Houses of Parliament, where it created great excitement.

STEYN IN PRETORIA.

Pretoria, May 17.—President Steyn arrived here last night.

ARE AT WAR.

Washington Democrats Find Discord in the State Convention.

Spokane, Wash., May 18.—At 11 o'clock tonight all efforts to patch up a peace between the warring contesting delegations from King county, to the state Democratic convention, which meets here tomorrow, have failed. This contest is by long odds the sensational feature of the convention.

WILL BE ARRESTED.

San Francisco, Cal., May 18.—Warrants were issued tonight, for the arrest of Mrs. Nellie Craven, Justice of the Peace Simpson, and Adolph Sylvia. The first two were indicted by the grand jury for perjury, and the latter with subornation of perjury in connection with the Fair-Craven case. Their bail was fixed at \$10,000 each.

WILL BE RECEIVED.

Washington, May 18.—At the cabinet meeting today, the question of the reception of the Boer envoys was discussed. It is understood they probably will be presented to the President by the Secretary of State. They will be received with every courtesy, but only as private citizens, and not in any diplomatic capacity.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, May 18.—Nearly the entire day in the senate was devoted to the pneumatic tube system service in the postoffice appropriation bill. The debate a times was sharp and almost personal. Senator Morgan introduced a resolution to investigate the Panama Canal Company, and in a speech he severely criticized that company.

A SYMPATHETIC STRIKE.

St. Louis, Mo., May 19.—At a meeting of 100 heads of labor unions, called last night, it was resolved to recommend to the controlling central bodies, that a sympathetic strike be inaugurated today of all the labor unions in St. Louis.

THREE CENTS A MILE.

Portland, Or., May 18.—The Northern Pacific railroad today announced that, beginning July 1st, passenger rates in Oregon and Washington will be reduced from four to three cents per mile.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

Washington, May 18.—For the first

time since the rebellion the House today passed a measure to pay Confederate soldiers for losses growing out of the Civil War. It was a bill introduced by Cox, Democrat of Tennessee, to pay Confederate soldiers, who surrendered at Appomattox, for the loss of horses and other personal effects taken from them in violation of Lee's capitulation to Grant, by which the officers and men of Lee's army were allowed to retain their baggage, side arms and horses. The bill originally carried \$600,000, but the specific sum was stricken out and the appropriation was made indefinite. The bill was passed out of its order as a compliment to Cox who, after ten years of service in the House, is to retire at the end of his present term. Many other claim bills were passed.

IN ST. LOUIS.

Several Men Shot in Riots During the Strike.

St. Louis, Mo., May 18.—John Kenna, a saloon keeper, was probably fatally wounded, and Robert Nelson, colored, and Emergency Officer Jacob Hollingsworth, slightly wounded tonight, in a riot. Several other cases of shooting were reported during the day. The house of delegates today passed an ordinance, annulling the franchises of all street railways in St. Louis, unless they run their cars in compliance with the terms of the city ordinances.

PLEASANT POINT NOTES.

Pleasant Point, May 18.—Mrs. Judith Hall went to Portland Thursday to attend the Adventist camp-meeting and to visit relatives.

M. H. Dexter went to Jefferson on Thursday.

James Burdett expects to start to Cape Nome this week.

Levi Herren had a fine clip of wool this season.

A certain conductor on the Southern Pacific railroad is liable to be reported for incivility to ladies at the Reform School station lately.

WANT OREGON ROSES.

Request to Send Samples to a Lady at Wilmington, Delaware, Will Be Complied With.

(From Daily Statesman, May 19.) The Statesman yesterday received the following letter from W. S. Jackson, editor of the East Oregonian, of Pendleton:

"I observe that you are to have a 'Rose Show' in Salem. I know it will be a success. I have a cousin in Wilmington, Delaware, whom I visited in January. I happened to speak of Oregon roses and stated that I had seen roses as big as saucers. She doubted it. I wish you to help me prove it. Can you not secure two or three very large roses and have them prepared or packed in such a way that they can be sent to Delaware by express? If you can, do so, and I will pay the expense. Prepay the expressage and send them to Mrs. Marion Ellingood, 1101 Pennsylvania Avenue, Wilmington, Delaware. Send me the bill for roses, and expressage and I will remit at once, and also write the lady. Let me know something about the roses, the names of them, who grew them, etc., and I will so write her and also make mention in the East Oregonian of the Willamette valley's capacity in this connection. I hope this trust will not give you too much trouble."

The request of the East Oregonian editor will be complied with, the ladies managing the Rose Show having kindly offered their assistance and excellent samples of Oregon roses will be shipped East. There was no reason to doubt Mr. Jackson's word, by his Eastern relative, as the fact of his being a journalist should have been sufficient guaranty of his truthfulness.

MILLIONS OF FLIES SETTLED ON BOARD.

Remarkable Experience of the Molasses Laden Steamer Gut Heil.

A rather curious story is related by the officers of the German steamship Gut Heil, which arrived in port last Sunday with a cargo of 750,000 gallons of molasses from Havana, Cuba, of a phenomenon off Cape Henry, when the vessel was about 200 miles from the Delaware Breakwater.

The phenomenon was a remarkable descent of flies on the steamship, which nearly drove the crew distracted for the remainder of the voyage. The presence of the flies was accounted for by the vast amount of molasses in the big tanks of the Gut Heil.

Thousands of the pests were brought to Philadelphia. Second Officer Heinrich said that the flies came out from the land in a dense cloud suggestive of one of the plagues of Egypt and settled down on the craft in a solid mass from stem to stern.

They were ordinary flies, such as are over the Virginia peninsula in great numbers at this season. No explanation was given of their long flight to the vessel other than that they detected the odor of the molasses.—Philadelphia Times.

NEW ELEMENTS OF THE SUN.

Two of Them Discovered on Earth—Two Others Not Yet Found Here.

The announcement was first made by Norman Lockyer that certain bright lines in the solar spectrum indicated the presence in the sun of a hitherto unknown gas which he proposed to call "helium," says the Literary Digest. In 1868 Ramsay isolated this gas. "But at the same time," says Cosmos, abstracting an article in Prometheus, "Lockyer found in the spectrum of the corona other colored lines which he attributed to the presence of another

Skin Diseases



When the excretory organs fail to carry off the waste material from the system, there is an abnormal accumulation of effete matter which poisons and clogs the blood, and it becomes sour and acid. This poison is carried through the general circulation to all parts of the body, and upon reaching the skin surface there is a redness and eruption, and by certain peculiarities we recognize Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Salt Rheum, Psoriasis, Erysipelas and many other skin troubles, more or less severe. While the skin is the seat of irritation, the real disease is in the blood. Medicated lotions and powders may allay the itching and burning, but never cure, no matter how long and faithfully continued, and the condition is often aggravated and skin permanently injured by their use.

The disease is more than skin deep; the entire circulation is poisoned.

The many preparations of arsenic, mercury, potash, etc., not only do not cure skin diseases, but soon ruin the digestion and break down the constitution. S. S. S., nature's own remedy, made of roots, herbs and barks, of great purifying and tonic properties, quickly and effectually cures blood and skin troubles, because it goes direct to the root of the disease and stimulates and restores normal, healthy action to the different organs, cleanses and enriches the blood, and thus relieves the system of all poisonous secretions. S. S. S. cures permanently because it leaves none of the original poison to reformation in the blood and cause a fresh attack.



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WAYS OF TURKISH CENSORS.

It is well for those having business with the Turks to have a good understanding of the laws and regulations in force in the sultan's domain if they would avoid trouble. An honest German merchant met with a sad adventure a few weeks ago on account of something which he had not dreamed of—violating the laws of the Turkish censor. The German was in the porcelain business and the only thing that he ever thought of writing was entries in his ledger. But he got an order from a Turkish merchant for 25,000 coffee cups, and he filled it, and straightway he became a violator of literary laws. He had packed up the coffee cups in old German newspapers, and that settled it. The Turkish censor seized the whole shipment. He insisted on reading each newspaper, and only after he had become convinced that there was neither intention nor danger of smuggling insults to the sultan or his harem into the country, of the prophet was the shipment released.

Now the German is wondering whether, if he packs his next shipment in straw, the Turkish censor will hold it as being a reflection on his mental furniture.

also will see the point. A word to the wise is sufficient.

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Dr. Annie F. Jeffreys, vice president-at-large.

CHIPS.

Yokrode—I see they have a new cure for rheumatism. They roast the patient.

Towson—My wife must think I have it.—Baltimore American.

Mrs. Peck—You know very well, Henry, that I'm a woman of a few words.

Henry—True, my dear, but the few are shamefully overworked.—Chicago News.

Josh—You don't find many men as good natured as Silas.

Hiram—No, indeed! I never heard him say a hard word about nobody—not even about Congress or Legislature.—Pack.

RUGGED THROUGH OUTDOOR EXERCISES.

Lord Roberts is a striking instance of what an active life the open air will do for a man. As a youth he was extremely delicate and had to take far more than his share of gruel and physic. Yet today "forty-one years in India," he is as hale as possible, and has few equals in the army at lemon cutting, tent-pegging and other kindred sports. Some one pointed out the other day that if present measurements had been enforced in his early days, Lord Roberts, who is a very small man, would have been debarred from entering the army.

CABLE STATISTICS.

The cost of constructing a cable system is about \$2000 per mile, and the total amount invested in submarine lines at present is upward of \$200,000,000. The value of the land line is, of course, much greater in America, pays salaries, a capital of \$125,000,000, pays salaries, and last year carried over 60,000,000 messages. These figures are inadequate but they serve to show that telegraphs form one of the world's greatest business interests.

ONE ROSE.

'Twas but a rose, a bright, fresh thing, And in its heart were thoughts of spring. Of lands where bloom and birds have

Little Johnny wanted his mother to give him laughing gas before she whipped him so he could laugh instead of cry. A pretty good idea, that.

At Bed Time

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c. and 50c. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y. 5.

HAVE COMPETITION.

The barbers of the Capital City are again obliged to compete with an unwelcome competitor. He is unwelcome to local barbers because he has located in this city, cut prices and will conduct his shop on Sundays. As a consequence, the rules that have been observed for a number of months past will not be longer regarded by the majority of shops. Some of the smaller shops, whose trade will be affected by the cut in prices for shaving, which has been reduced to 10 cents by the newcomer, have met the cut and have increased their facilities for handling the trade. While the large shops have not cut the price for shaving, it is understood they will conduct their shops on Sundays. The barbers all dislike to make any reduction and to depart from their hours of labor to which they have become accustomed, but are obliged to do so on account of competition.

A Thousand Tongues.

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard St., Philadelphia, Pa. when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding my praises throughout the Universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at DR. STONE'S Drug Stores; every bottle granted.

IT IS UNDONE

The Governor of Montana Appoints Another Senator.

REVOKES COMMISSION OF CLARK

He Charges Collusion and Fraud and Protests Against the Seating of Spriggs' Appointee.

BUTTE, Mont., May 18.—Governor Smith today sent dispatches from here, to Senator W. A. Clark, Senator Chandler, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, and Senator Frye, president of the Senate, saying he had disregarded and revoked the action of Lieutenant-Governor Spriggs in naming Clark to succeed to the vacancy caused by his own resignation; and saying he had named Martin Maginnis, of Helena, to fill the vacancy. The Governor gives as his reasons his opinion that the appointment of Clark, by the Lieutenant-Governor, was tainted by collusion and fraud. The dispatches are practically the same, that to Mr. Clark reading: "I have this day disregarded and revoked your appointment as United States Senator, made by Governor Spriggs on the 18th instant, as being tainted with collusion and fraud, and having this day appointed Hon. Martin Maginnis United States Senator to fill the vacancy caused by your resignation."

Those to Frye and Chandler are of the same tenor, notifying them of his action. The Governor also sent a formal protest to Chandler, detailing his reasons. He has issued an open letter to the people of the state, denying any knowledge of the contemplated step when he left Montana for California. He says he went to California at the request of Thomas R. Hinde, to look into the title of some mining property in which Miles Finlen was interested. He owed Finlen \$3000 and thought by going he might earn a fee that would be applied on the indebtedness.

"I shall prove by my conduct in the future," he concluded, "that I was not guilty of any wrong-doing or any idea of wrong."

Miles Finlen is one of the Democrats in the Legislature who voted against Clark. Martin Maginnis was a delegate in Congress for the territory when Montana became a state.

OREGON UNIVERSITY LOST

THE DEBATE IN SEATTLE WON BY WASHINGTON.

Government Ownership of Railroads Discussed by the Two Teams of Debaters.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 18.—The University of Washington tonight gained a decision over the University of Oregon in the debating contest. The question debated was, "Resolved that Government ownership and operation of railroads is the best solution of the railroad problem." The Washington University had the affirmative.

POLITICAL NOTES.

State officers are to be voted for this year in North Dakota, now a Republican state, and the conditions under which their Populist opponents (there are more Populists than Democrats in North Dakota) are to make the fight does not give much promise of success. The regular Populists are to hold their state convention for the nomination of candidates in Grand Forks on July 10th, and the Democratic convention will be held at the same place and time. The Middle-of-the-Road Populists are to hold a rival convention on June 26th for the nomination of a state ticket also. In 1896 the Prohibition Presidential nominations were made on May 27th, the Republican nominations on May 18th, the Socialist nominations on July 4th, the Democratic nominations on July 24th and the Gold Democracy nominations on September 3d. This year there are two Socialist parties and there are to be two Populist National conventions.

In other men we faults can spy, And blame the mote that dims their eye; Each little speck and blemish find, To our own stronger errors blind.—Gay.

A correspondent asks the Roman notation for 1900. The weight of authority seems to favor MDCCC, although the form MDCCC has its supporters. Still a briefer form would be MCM.

Some people learn enough in six weeks foreign travel to bore others for a lifetime.—Buffalo Times.

FIR FENCE POST, coated with ..Carbolineum Avenarius..

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