

the chamber formally signified willingness to support the proposed revision and aid in effecting a substantial reform. Yesterday the strike ended and the workmen are jubilant. Should there be any faltering on the part of the ministry, the workmen stand ready to come out again at the call of their leaders.

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THE PRIZE FIGHT.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—No pugilistic event occurring on the Pacific coast created more interest or excitement than the heavy weight battle between Jim Corbett, of San Francisco, and Peter Jackson, of Australia, which was fought at the gymnasium of the California Athletic club last night. The purse was ten thousand dollars, fifteen hundred of which went to the loser.

It was some minutes after 9 o'clock when Jackson and Corbett with their seconds entered the ring. Both principals were received with cheering. The weights, as near as could be obtained, were, Jackson, 197, Corbett, 185, though it was claimed by some that the difference was even greater than that.

Up to the twelfth round it was a scientific battle, but after that it was all dodging and ducking. Sixtieth—When time was called for the sixtieth round Referee Cook called the men to the ringside and warned them that they would have to fight if they wanted the ten thousand dollars. The men resumed their fiddling tactics in the center of the ring, neither striking a blow or making an attempt to lead.

At the end of the sixty-first round the referee said: "It is evident that this contest is unsatisfactory to the members of the club, and I now declare it no contest." The crowd cheered and hooped. Both principals entered a vigorous protest, but the decision went and the crowd left the room.

CHILIAN TREASURE.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—Captain Scott, of the British steamer West Indian, believes that the Chilean steamer Esmeralda, now at Acapulco, is a treasure ship. "When I was in Chili," he said, "a few months ago, and gave a large bond that none of the cargo of my steamer should get into the hands of the congressional or insurgent party, I was informed by a wealthy merchant of Corefel, that months before the war broke out it was looked for, and besides hoarding large supplies of coal in bunkers on the islands of the Chilean coast, over \$10,000,000 in gold and silver was collected and placed on board the Esmeralda, after the war broke out, for safe keeping. That vessel is without doubt the treasure ship of the fleet and sinews of war of the congressional party."

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.
DETROIT, May 22.—At the Presbyterian general assembly this morning the report of the committee on the confession of faith was read by the chairman, Rev. Wm. C. Roberts, president Lake Forest university, aided the reading of the report. It was moved it be sent down to the presbyteries as recommended by the committee, and the committee continued to make a final report to the next assembly. The motion was unanimously adopted and the great debate was over for this year as far as the general assembly is concerned.

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DENVER, Col., May 22.—At the morning session of the Trans-Mississippi congress representatives from different sections urged the selection of their cities as the next place of meeting. Omaha seemed to have many friends. The matter was not settled. A large number of resolutions were introduced: Favoring the Nicaragua and Hennepin canals; urging the early admission of Arizona and New Mexico; favoring the restrictions on immigration; recommending an amendment to the naturalization laws; favoring the free coinage of silver, defenses for deep-water harbors and navigable rivers; the Torrey bankruptcy bill, etc.

EX-CONGRESSMAN BELFORD, of Colorado, made a speech for free silver, for river and harbor improvements, etc. The time, he said, was not far distant when the clamor of the West would demand that the nation give its attention to the development of the West's resources.

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MILLIONAIRE INDICTED.
DES MOINES, Ia., May 22.—The federal grand jury has indicted J. C. Newton for conspiring to defraud the government by "padding" the mails. Newton is vice president and general manager of the Des Moines & Kansas City railroad. During April the mail matter is weighed on the trains to form a basis for yearly contracts. It is charged that Newton secured large quantities of old newspapers and shipped them back and forth on his line, making a sufficient difference in the weight to increase the compensation for carrying the mail from \$5000 to \$10,000 per year. The indictment caused great surprise here. Newton is a millionaire. He came to Iowa from Holyoke, Mass. It is said he shipped a lot of papers to relatives in California and Texas.

THE PULLMAN COLLEGE.
PULLMAN, Wash., May 22.—Pullman is at a fever heat over the action of the Pierce county court in granting a temporary order against the college. The people here are ready to furnish an indemnity bond of \$500,000 to carry out the work. While they do not fear that Pullman will lose the college, they will take the necessary steps to protect the site. Prominent attorneys will be employed, and Judge Turner, of Spokane, has been telegraphed to take charge of the case. The Agricultural college regents will meet here, and President Kelley, Mr. Hopp and Architect Prusse have arrived. Mr. Bellingher, of Colfax, has refused to meet with the board. Telegrams have been pouring in from the surrounding towns offering Pullman their support.

THE ETATA.
PARIS, May 22.—The Sicile today reaffirms the truth of the reported Etata agreement, and says the Chilean steamer will be taken to a United States port and an embargo placed on her.

STATE.

MISS WHITEFIELD.
PORTLAND, Or., May 22.—The body of Miss Bessie Whitefield, who was drowned in the river Sunday last in the vicinity of Ross' Island, has not yet been found. This is only the fifth day after the unfortunate accident, and as it usually requires from seven to ten days to bring the body to the surface, the relatives of the young lady yesterday procured the services of L. Tilden, a diver, to search the river bottom in the vicinity of the accident. He went down and searched diligently for some time, but was unable to find any trace of the remains. It may be that the undercurrent has carried them further down the river, but this would be somewhat unusual, for, as a rule, the weight of the body prevents it from floating until it becomes charged with gases and rises to the surface. Another attempt will be made to find the remains, and, in the meantime, a close watch will be kept on the river in the vicinity of the scene of the accident.

FOR A CHURCH IN PORTLAND.
DECATUR, Ill., May 22.—At yesterday's session of the Women's Missionary Association of the United Brethren church, it was decided to raise \$3000 by voluntary subscription for a church building at Portland, Or., and the association pledged itself to support a minister there for five years. The nominating committee decided to suggest the election of a board of officers almost the same as last year.

PORTER IN PORTLAND.
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HOTEL ARRIVALS.
"WILLAMETTE"
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E Long, Lafayette, A B Neal, Albany, D S Mattison, Aumsville.

A Companion for Your June Outing. With over 120 illustrations, the Cosmopolitan for June sets a fast pace in the handicap for magazine honors. The personal element enters largely into its composition, and an impression of beautiful women is the first received by the reader who turns its pages. The frontispiece is a portrait of Madame Pompadour, and pertains to a bright sketch of a summer spent in the home of that famous woman by Anelie Rives and her guests. Miss Julia Magruder, the writer, was one of those guests, and instantaneous photographs are used to illustrate the scenes of a delightful holiday amidst unusual surroundings. A pleasant insight into the attractiveness of Japanese women is given in a paper by Henry T. Finck, illustrated by a large number of photographs of pretty faces. The art of the month describes the work of Gustave Dore, with elaborate engravings which illustrate very well the masterpieces of that wonderful artist, Thomas B. Conroy, formerly managing editor of the New York Herald, gives interesting reminiscences of the first work of Stanley for that journal, and of his neighbor, Thomas A. Edison. S. G. W. Benjamin, ex-Minister to Persia, tells the true story of Noor Mahal, the Light of the Harem, celebrated by Thomas Moore in Lallah Rookh. Perhaps the most valuable article of the number is that contributed by Mr. Abner L. Frazer to the literature of the Farmers' movement. The Cosmopolitan prize of \$200 for the best article on "the needs of the farmer, his hours of labor, and the national legislation necessary to his prosperity," was awarded by the judges to this gentleman. The article itself is brightened by a series of cartoons by the famous artist, Attwood of Boston and Dan Beard of New York.

INSTRUMENTS FILED FOR RECORD AT THE COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE.
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J L Dublin to H S Oleson, lot 4 in blk 3 in Woodburn, Pk'g & Co's add to Woodburn 165

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A young man with a mathematical turn of mind has solved the following: Axtel was sold for \$105,000, he weighed 1050 pounds, the purchaser paying \$100 per pound. Pure silver is worth \$16 per pound, and if the syndicate had paid in bullion it would have required 6762 pounds, or six times the weight of Axtel and 2023 pounds over.

Dalles Exchange: The wool clip of the Inland Empire this season will reach 9,000,000 pounds, according to the estimates of some persons who are conversant with this industry for a number of years past and have canvassed the country during the past two months, and the Dalles will handle nearly two-thirds of this amount, direct from the producer.

The Albany Herald has a few facts about the new attorney general: He was elected district attorney of the third judicial district in 1884, and though the district was republican by a majority of 800, Mr. Chamberlain carried it by 375 majority. He has always been a consistent democrat, and shortly after the death of General M. V. Brown, he succeeded to the editorial management of the States Rights Democrat. He is at present cashier of the Linn County National Bank.

Eugene Register: A disgraceful wrangle took place in Portland recently between Mayor DeLashmunt and James Lotan, the would be boss. The occurrence was such as might be expected in gambling dens and haunts of vice and only serves to show to what low and despicable position political affairs in that city have been degraded. The worst loss in this city would be ashamed of such performances, and there it was the mayor and political boss.

The sooner such men are left to wallow in their own filth, the better for the city of Portland.

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