

THE WALES DISASTER.

Cholera Making Rapid Progress in Europe—Other News.

THE CHOLERA. News from England, Holland, Germany and France. LONDON, Aug. 27.—Another death from cholera occurred today. It is thought an outbreak is inevitable.

IOWA RADES.

Martha Wilkes and Jay Eye See Make Good Records. INDEPENDENCE, Iowa, Aug. 27.—A free-for-all trot was the event of the day yesterday. Martha Wilkes was conceded the winner, and barred from pools. The race record was smashed in two consecutive heats. Double then driving her out the third heat in 2:39.

Opera House Burns. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The Metropolitan opera house was destroyed by fire this morning. Scene painted badly hurt. Loss about half million.

PRESIDENT HARRISON. Mak's a Visit to the City of Malone, N. Y.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—The Park-Slip coal mine, at 6 o'clock this evening the rescuing party came to the surface with two men whom they found near the bottom of the pit. Both were badly burned and unconscious, with little hope of recovery. Shortly after this, fire suddenly burst forth from the mouth of the pit. This cut off all hope for those who escaped death.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—All night long volunteer parties kept up the work at Park-Slip pit, the scene of the disastrous explosion in Wales yesterday. At six o'clock this morning they had penetrated 900 yards into the main shaft. In all this distance no sign of life was discovered. Here and there was a body of a miner but the attitude invariably showed death had come suddenly. Ten bodies were recovered.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—At half past one this afternoon the drift was finally penetrated and 39 imprisoned miners were rescued. Work of clearing galleries is still being pushed in hope of saving others.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Late this afternoon eight more imprisoned miners were rescued. Fourteen more are waiting to be dug out.

Against Cholera. CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 27.—The local health department has issued strict regulations to guard against the introduction of cholera. The summer quarantine, which is in operation, is being strictly enforced. A new extra precaution has been taken; the quarantine station is provided with the Hoel system of steam sanitation and disinfection, and is very complete.

Full Five Stories. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—While three workmen were washing mortar from the brick work on the Mill, a building yesterday afternoon, a platform suspended by ropes, on which they were standing, broke. Two men clung to the ropes, and were taken in at the windows. The third man, Fred Dyer, fell to the ground, five stories below, and was instantly killed.

Letter from Laborers. LONDON, Aug. 27.—Laborers have written a letter to Gladstone commending him upon his chivalry in accepting the responsibility for the arrangement of the ministry. In the letter laborers declare his unwavering loyalty to Gladstone but advise him not to permit pressure of home rulers to swamp radical measures.

From Baker City. BAKER CITY, Aug. 27.—News is received of the drowning in Snake river at the Union Pacific crossing, of John E. Porter, of the Pacific hotel. Body not recovered.

A Barn Belonging to S. L. Baer and J. L. Halsey was consumed by fire last night, burning three horses. Loss \$1000. No insurance. Origin unknown.

A Mob Lynched Him. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 27.—At Alamo, Tenn., this morning, a negro was taken from the jail by a mob and lynched. He was said to have been guilty of attempted rape.

PAPER BURNED OUT. Worked on the Edition. While Building Was in Flames. AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 27.—A destructive fire which broke out here early this morning totally destroyed the Augusta Chronicle office and five business houses. Total loss, \$400,000 insurance about \$300,000. Entire morning edition of the Chronicle was worked off while the building was in flames. Files of papers from 1800 to date and books were saved.

The Futurity Stakes. Sheepshead Bay, Aug. 27.—Futurity stakes was won today by Morelle, Lady Violet, second; Belladonna, third. Time 1:22.

Fire at Butte City. BUTTE CITY, Cal., Aug. 27.—Fire last night destroyed the warehouse belonging to the estate of Jos. M. Jacobs, containing 6000 sacks of wheat. Jacobs' wife building, Pook's store, station, military store, Seaman's and barber shop were destroyed. Loss is between \$20,000 and \$30,000. Cause entirely unknown.

LETTER FROM CLEVELAND.

Remitting Some Charges Against Himself by Opponents. CHATTANOOGA, Aug. 27.—As an outcome of the political discussion between Democrats and Republicans in this city, the letter having asserted that "during Cleveland's administration, his (Cleveland) permitted Land Commissioner Sparks to turn out twenty thousand families from homes in Minnesota and other northwestern states." Mr. Cleveland has addressed the following letter to Mr. Shelly, Democratic opponent in the case: "Personal. Gray Gables, Buzzards Bay, Mass., Aug. 26, 1922. Mr. Shelly, Esq., Chattanooga, Tenn.—My Dear Sir:—Your letter of the 12th inst. to hand. In reply I have to say that I have not the least idea of what your worthy friend meant when he declared that I had been the medium through which twenty thousand families were made homeless and had lost their all fighting for their rights. I am perfectly well aware that I have often been the means of saving some homes to my countrymen, and have tried ever to make the burden of their lives easier. I am amazed at receiving from the Southern country letters containing charges like that which you bring to my attention. I am surprised, first, at the legitimacy necessary for their concoction without the least semblance of foundation. I am the more amazed that with my record before the people of this country that such baseless lies should be deemed sufficient arguments to prejudice me and the cause which I represent. In the time being, in the midst of the Southern people. GROVER CLEVELAND."

Stuck in the Sand. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—The steamer Noyo arrived from Fort Bragg and reports that the big timber raft which was to have been launched at Fort Bragg Wednesday and towed to this city by the Noyo is fast in the sand at the point of launching. Arrangements were completed for the launching on Wednesday, and at high water the raft was started on the cradle. The incline was a little too steep, and as soon as the pile of lumber got started it gained considerable headway, and when about fifty feet it struck the water the bow end suddenly took a down shoot and imbedded itself some depth in the sand. A portion of the cradle on which the raft rested is also underneath. The raft is 365 feet long, and contains over 1,000,000 feet of lumber. It is valued at between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

The Pixley Train Robber. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—John Griffith, a sailor arrested in Berkeley last night, says he was one of the four men who robbed a Southern Pacific train near Pixley, Tulare county, in February, three years ago. Griffith says the others concerned in the robbery were two white men named Barker and Ramsberg, and an Indian, Ramsberg committed suicide seven months after the robbery, and Barker is still living in the hills in Fresno county. The Indian whereabouts are not known. After the robbery Griffith says he went to Honolulu as a sailor or whaling bark Northern Light and came back on the same vessel a few days ago. He says that he has been conscience-stricken for the past three years and is ready to stand trial for the robbery. Griffith is about 25 years of age and his father is a well-known real estate dealer in Fresno. The authorities will investigate his story.

The Borden Murder Case. FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 27.—The Borden murder hearing was resumed in the district court. Lizzie Borden, the prisoner, walked frumly and took her usual seat. Dr. Dolan resumed his testimony. He described the wounds and how he supposed they were inflicted. Witness said the bodies had been buried, and skulls removed from the bodies by instruction of the attorney general. The skulls were photographed and were now in witness' possession. In the doctor's opinion Mrs. Borden was dead two hours before her husband, Treasurer Hart, of the Union savings bank, testified he had seen Mr. Borden in the bank the morning of the murders, and he had complained of feeling unwell.

Illinois Democrats. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 27.—Democratic campaign opened today by a big demonstration in this city. There were thousands of Democrats in attendance and Hon. James J. Ewing, Stevenson's law partner, president. Senator John M. Palmer was the first speaker, A. E. Stevenson, Democratic candidate for vice president followed in a speech devoted to tariff.

Death of a Wanderer. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Baron Roger de Selliers died here Thursday. The baron was born in France half a century ago, and in early life an attack of scarlet fever robbed him of his senses of hearing and speech. His parents lavished love and wealth upon the boy, but nothing could divert his sensitive nature from his affliction. When his aged parents passed away he became a wanderer upon the face of the earth. He was handsome, brilliant and rich, having 100,000 francs a year, out Roger de Selliers could not forget his affliction. For years he wandered through all lands, stopping only long enough to recuperate for another voyage. Many persons here knew this strange character. He was a frequent visitor to the city.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

The Second Day's Proceedings-Programme. PORTLAND, Aug. 27.—A large attendance was noticeable at the Methodist conference in session at the Centenary church yesterday morning, and every one seemed to manifest great interest in the exercises. After devotional services, which were conducted by the Rev. J. W. Miller, the conference reopened its session for business.

The first thing in order was the adoption of resolutions of sympathy with Bishop and Mrs. Thoburn, and the secretary was instructed to transmit a copy of the resolutions to the interested persons.

Bishop Walden, on motion of Rev. W. S. Harrington, was requested to address the class for reception into the conference at 10 o'clock this morning.

On motion of Rev. W. S. Harrington, the committee on the Portland hospital was appointed: Revs. G. A. Lewis, Alfred Kummer, J. W. Dennison, T. P. Boyd.

Bishop Walden then followed with an instructive address on the value of prayer-meetings. The subject-matter of the Deaconess' home was appointed: Revs. W. J. Gardner, G. W. Gue, J. H. Dennison, C. R. Kellerman.

Rev. S. P. Wilson, of the Salem district, read an interesting and encouraging report of the work in his district during the past year.

Rev. E. L. Thompson was elected conference postmaster. Revs. W. S. Harrington and H. Doane were added to the board of stewards.

A draft on the book concern in the sum of \$731 was ordered issued for the support of superannuated and worn-out preachers, and one for \$25 was issued for the same purpose on the chartered fund.

Most of the yesterday's session was occupied in receiving reports from various ministers as to the work of their respective churches during the past year. These reports almost universally showed well, in respect of the building of new churches, large accessions to the membership, new and effective points in preaching, and a good increase in charitable collections.

During the session the appended preamble and resolutions setting forth Dr. Alfred Kummer's worth were read and adopted:

Whereas, Rev. Alfred Kummer, D. D., has just closed a highly successful pastorate of five years in the First church of Portland; and Whereas, it is understood that he is to be transferred from our conference at the close of the present session; therefore, be it Resolved, That we recognize in D. Kummer a brother beloved in the Gospel of Christ.

Resolved, That we recognize in him a minister of varied attainments, of ability and fidelity, and that we part with him with sincere regret.

Resolved, That we commend him to the confidence and fellowship of the conference to which he goes.

Resolved, That we shall follow him in his new field with prayerful interest, and predilection for him, by the good hand of his God, a useful and prosperous future. C. C. STRATTON, G. W. GUE.

Dr. Kummer thanked the conference in his customary felicitous and eloquent style for the good wishes expressed.

Yesterday afternoon matters pertaining to the Women's foreign and home missionary societies were taken up; and last evening at 8 o'clock the subject of church extension was discussed.

TO DAY'S PROGRAMME. 8:30 A. M.—Conference session. 2 P. M.—Anniversary of Sunday-school union and tract societies. Addresses by C. A. Lewis and G. Sikes.

7:45 p.m.—Educational anniversary. Addresses by William S. Harrington and C. R. Kellerman.

PROGRAMME FOR SUNDAY. 9 A. M.—Conference love feast, led by T. L. Jones. 10:30 A. M.—Preaching by Bishop Walden, followed by the ordination of deacons.

2:30 P. M.—Young people's and children's meeting. Addresses by S. P. Wilson, J. R. Cooley, followed by ordination of elders.

7:30 P. M.—Anniversary of Portland hospital. Addresses by A. Kummer and J. N. Denison.

Agreement is Reached. UNIONTOWNS, Pa., Aug. 27.—The Columbia Steel Company and its employes, who are members of the Amalgamated Association, reached an agreement as to wages last night. The scale has been signed. The mill will resume at once. Six hundred men are affected by the settlement.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVES. W. F. Cowham, proprietor of a large implement warehouse in Jackson, Mich., failed Thursday for \$300,000.

The affairs of the order of the Iron Hall, in Philadelphia, were brought to a crisis by the filing of a bill in equity against the officers of the supreme sitting of the Iron Hall.

The Democratic state convention of Idaho yesterday nominated John M. Burke, of Shoshone county, for governor, and J. W. Jones, of Blaine county, for lieutenant-governor.

The agents of the anthracite coal companies in New York have advanced egg coal 20 cents, broken coal 10 cents, and chestnut and stove coal 25 cents per ton, to take effect September 1st.

"Thick and Glossy."

THE PRODUCTION of an abundant growth of hair, of a silken texture and of the original color, often results from the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is a thick and glossy, and is the original color was restored. M. Aldrich, Cannan Centre, N. H.

A trial of Ayer's Hair Vigor has convinced me of its merits. Its use has not only caused the hair of my wife and daughter to be abundant and glossy, but it has given my rather scanty mustache a respectable length and appearance. R. Britton, Oakland, Ohio.

I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for the past four or five years, and find it is the most satisfactory dressing for the hair. It is all that I could desire, being harmless, causing the hair to retain its natural color, and requiring but a small quantity to render the hair easy to arrange. Mrs. M. A. Bailey, 9 Charles st., Haverhill, Mass.

Ayer's Hair Vigor, PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by Druggists and Perfumers.

FOREIGN ITEMS. Revolt in Venezuela. THIMUDA, W. I., Aug. 27.—Startling news comes here from Venezuela, which puts a new phase on the revolution in that country.

Urdeneta, so it is said, has declared himself dictator of the Republic and formed a cabinet with Casanas as minister of the interior. Congress was dissolved and several senators arrested. Crespo is massing all his forces about Victoria in preparation for a general and decisive engagement. The banks of Caracas are all closed, and the inhabitants of the city are in a state of excitement.

Afghanistan Complication. LONDON, Aug. 27.—There is a growing apprehension that the Afghan complication may prove serious for Great Britain. The appeal of the amir for aid against the Russians renders action necessary on the part of the imperial government. The Times recalls the fact that an agreement to support the present amir and to protect him against foreign invasion was made when Gladstone was premier. The Globe (conservative) expresses the opinion that it is hopeless to expect that the government will strongly remonstrate with Russia. All reports show that Russia is encroaching upon well-known Afghan territory and killing those who resist the invasion.

Depreciation of Silver. CALCUTTA, Aug. 27.—The Indian currency association, at a public meeting received a report stating that the branches of the association were circulating petitions calling upon the government to act in the matter of the depreciation of silver. To these petitions it was said 11,000 names had been signed already.

The president proposed and the maharajah of Bettiah seconded a resolution requesting the government to do its utmost to arrest the depreciation of silver. The resolution was carried without opposition.

Trouble Between Miners. PARIS, Aug. 27.—A dispatch from Lievin, a mining town near Calais, states there has been serious trouble between the French and Belgian miners there. The Frenchmen in a body attacked the dwellings occupied by the Belgians and smashed the windows, and when the officers attempted to quell the disturbance the rioters showed such an ugly disposition that the troops had to be invoked. The Belgian miners have been advised to leave France to avoid further trouble.

Conferring the Pallium. EIMBERG, Aug. 27.—The ceremony of enrolling and conferring the pallium upon the most Rev. Augustus MacDonald, Catholic archbishop of St. Andrews and Edinburgh, took place Thursday in the Roman Catholic cathedral here. It was the first ceremony of the kind in Scotland since the days of Cardinal Beaton, who became archbishop of St. Andrews in 1528, and who was assassinated in his own castle on May 9, 1546.

FOR TOWN LOTS, FRUIT TRACTS AND FARMS. A. H. FORSTNER & CO. Machine Shop, Guns, Sporting Goods, Etc. J. J. HARKINS, Scientific Horseshoeing, Fruit and Cigars, CANDLES, OPPOSITE FOUNDRY, ON STATE STREET. P. O. Block. R. T. HUMPREYS, Cigars and Tobacco, BILLIARD PARLOR, 243 Cornl Street. T. W. THORNBURG, The Upholsterer, Removers, restorers and repair work, Furniture, First class work, Chemist, street, State Insurance block.

Notice of Assessment. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by order of the common council of the city of Salem, made on the 24th day of July, 1922, an assessment was duly levied upon all property abutting on Commercial street from the south side of Hill street to the southern limits of the city. Said assessment is made for the improvement of said street. Said assessment shall be due and payable to the recorder of the city of Salem, Oregon, on or before the 15th day of August, 1922. A list of property abutting on said street and the owner thereof, and the amount assessed to each, is hereby filed in the recorder's office in this city, and copies of said list are filed in the recorder's office, and in the office of the clerk of the city of Salem, Oregon, for a period of ten days, to-wit: Beginning at 8 o'clock on the morning of August 1st, 1922, and ending at 4 o'clock on the morning of August 11th, 1922. Any person who has any claim or objection against the assessment made, shall file with the recorder of the city of Salem, Oregon, a written statement of the same, or the grounds thereof, on or before the 15th day of August, 1922. After that date, no objection will be received.

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SCROFULA. How Can It Be CURED. By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by its remarkable cures it has accomplished, is every morning my wife and children have been troubled with scrofula, sores breaking out on them in various places. My little boy, three years old, was one a terrible sufferer. Last spring he was one of the most miserable cases I have seen. I was advised to use Hood's Sarsaparilla, and we have had a great deal of success. The result is that all have been entirely free from scrofula, my little boy being cured of his sores, and all four of my children look bright and healthy. W. B. ARNOLD, Pasadena, Cal., N.Y. Hood's Sarsaparilla Sold by Druggists. \$1 a bottle. Prepared by L. H. HOOD & CO., Apolothecaries, Lowell, Mass. 100 Doses One Dollar

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