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### PATRIOTS' ROLL CALL.

Twenty-Eighth Encampment of National G. A. R.

GRAND ARMY ASSEMBLES TODAY.

A Proposition to Do Away With General Encampments.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 10.—The full forces of the Grand Army have complete possession of the city. Over 10,000 are here and took part, under command of Rear-Admiral J. B. Osborne, in a naval parade this morning. They were cheered all along the line of march. Many historic relics of naval warfare were carried, among them a torn and stained banner which floated over the ill-fated Kearsage. The naval veterans went into annual convention this afternoon. Thirty-four associations are represented. Commander-in-Chief J. C. B. Adams, of the Grand Army of the Republic, arrived this morning with his staff. Ninety thousand men are to be in line in tomorrow's parade. Fully 50,000 visitors are now in the city.

THE GRAY REPRESENTED.  
Senator Gordon, of Georgia, second in command of the Confederate army at Appomattox court house in this city and met a number of men, who were in the Union army when Lee gave his sword to General Grant. General Gordon will deliver a lecture before leaving.

THE ARRANGEMENTS.  
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Bad Fire in Ohio.

MARSHALL, Ohio, Sept. 10.—Twenty acres in heart of Dalton, was devastated by fire this morning. Over 50 houses were destroyed with a loss of \$200,000. The streets are filled with homeless women and children. The fire originated in a stable where tramps were making their quarters.

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which they will likely ever enjoy.

THE WOMEN'S RELIEF CORPS HEAD-QUARTERS in the Mooningabela house was a place of activity all day. As each member of the corps would arrive she was taken to headquarters and made feel at home. Among the arrivals of this corps today are Mrs. A. A. Cheney, of Detroit, national treasurer, and Mrs. Elizabeth Kinney, of San Francisco, past-national president.

NO RAILROADS EXTRAS.  
About the only matter that would be called disagreeable with the encampment, so far, is the feeling of bitterness felt by the members at the action of the railroad people in refusing a one-cent per mile rate for near-by towns, thus keeping down the number of visitors by at least 20,000. It has cropped out that the subject will be introduced in the convention and a resolution offered, backed by the delegates from Pennsylvania and Ohio, that hereafter no encampments will be held, but that the delegates, 1200 in number, meet and transact the necessary business at the expense of their respective posts without asking favors from the railroads. The veterans cannot understand why, in the past, Columbus and Milwaukee were granted the one-cent rate, and Pittsburg denied it. From what has been learned, the Cleveland people are leading the revolt. It is not known how the resolution will be received.

HIS LAST ENCAMPMENT.  
The first fatality among the veterans to be reported is the sudden death of Comrade Louis Treasler, of McClure, Pa. He was a member of post 355. On arrival of the post, Treasler was completely exhausted, and died of a weak heart within 15 minutes after reaching the building.

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### THE POPE FOR PEACE.

A Chinese Transport Sank Off Formosa.

CHINESE SEARCH A FRENCH VESSEL.

All the Oriental War News Down to Date.

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LONDON, Sept. 10.—A special dispatch from Rome says the pope is said to have expressed a wish to arrange the troubles between China and Japan, but was prevented by France.

A TRANSPORT WRECKED.  
LONDON, Sept. 10.—A dispatch from Shanghai says the Chinese transport Chean, while proceeding to Formosa with 1400 troops on board, was wrecked in the Che Tung pass. All the soldiers and crew were landed safely in boats.

BOARD A FRENCH CRAFT.  
Saturday last Chinese officials boarded the French mail steamer enroute Japan and demanded to search the ship for Japanese officers coming from Europe. The captain refused to allow the ship to be searched and was obliged to threaten to ask for assistance from the French warship before the local officials withdrew. Enquiries made here today at the Chinese and Japanese legations show the officials both countries discredit the report. Negotiations for an armistice are in progress.

A SEA ATTACK.  
LONDON, Sept. 10.—The Central News' correspondent in Shanghai says that the Chinese have ceased sending reinforcements to Korea via Manchuria. Troops are now drafting from the interior of the coast garrisons, presumably in anticipation of a sea attack. The Japanese are repairing the roads around Seoul to facilitate the movements of the troops. Sickness is prevalent in the Chinese camp near Ping Yang, owing to the continued rains and bad condition of provisions.

BRITISH ANXIOUS TO INTERFERE.  
PARIS, Sept. 10.—The Republic France says it regards the reports that it is the intention of Japan to attack Shanghai as proof that Great Britain is seeking a pretext to interfere in the war between China and Japan. But this, the paper adds, the United States, France, and Russia will not permit.

FOOD SCARCE IN COREA.  
SHANGHAI, Sept. 10.—It is reported that the Chinese forces are cornered in Northern Corea without supplies and are killing their ponies for food.

All the foreign employes in the Japanese dockyards have been dismissed. This was done in order that the extent of injuries to the warships of the Japanese navy should not become known.

SHORT WAR PREDICTED.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Dr. W. A. P. Martin, who arrived from the Orient on the steamship Belgio, is probably as well posted on the subject of the relations of China and Japan and the causes which led up to the present trouble as any other American. He is not inclined to discuss the matter at any great length, however, for the reason, as he explains, that his connection with the Chinese government will not permit it. He did say, however: "This war was provoked by the dual influence in Corea, and such being the case the hostilities will be confined to Corea and Manchuria. The question to be settled will be decided within the territory almost that is affected."

PURCHASED BY JAPAN.  
TACOMA, Sept. 10.—Officers of the steamship Sikh reported that the Mogul, whose place on the Northern Pacific line was taken by the Sikh, has been purchased by the Japanese government.

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and it is now manned by Japanese officers and crew. The Mogul will be used as a transport or refitted for a cruiser. The Sikh's officers understood that the Japanese government had given a Japanese steamship company \$2,000,000 with which to purchase steamers.

### THE MARKETS.

Hops Steady.  
LIVERPOOL, Sept. 10.—Pacific coast hops steady, demand moderate, at £2 10 shillings.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Wheat Cash 83 1/2 @ 85.  
CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—Cash, 54 1/2.  
PORTLAND, Sept. 10.—Wheat valley 75 @ 77 1/2; Walla Walla 68 1/2 @ 70.

### \$70,000 BOND ROBBERY

Quick Work of Sleek Daylight Thieves.

TWO VICTIMS OF A POISONED WELL.

Waterspouts Make Things Lively in Oklahoma.

CLARION, Pa., Sept. 10.—W. F. Collier & Co., storekeepers at St. Petersburg, this county, were robbed Saturday of \$70,000 in bonds, notes and cash. Saturday night the store was closed at 10 o'clock. Four members of the firm, bookkeeper and clerk had finished balancing the books, counted the cash and after putting the latter into boxes, locked the store and went across the street. In ten minutes when they returned to the store the door was standing wide open and boxes containing bonds \$60,000, checks and promissory notes \$5,000 and over \$6,000 in cash were gone. A search of the premises showed some one had been concealed in the store and as soon as the force had left, grabbed the boxes and followed, unlocking the door from the inside.

A POISONED WELL.  
PIEDMONT, Ala., Sept. 10.—Two members of the family of Ed. Downs have died from drinking water out of a poisoned well. Andrew Finley, a discharged servant, has been arrested charged with poisoning the well.

FLOOD IN OKLAHOMA.  
PERRY, O. T., Sept. 10.—This vicinity was visited by two waterspouts last night. Many houses were filled with water and the inmates compelled to wade out. In some streets the water is waist deep.

TURF TOPICS.  
The sulkies drawn by Alix and Azote weigh only 39 pounds.

Iago's 2:15 is the fastest mile gone on the Pacific coast this season.

George E. Smith has bought Tauron from Gideon & Daly for \$3,000.

Stamboul is in training for this fall, and a fast mile is expected from him.

Belle Hamlin, 2:13 1/2, is caring for her first foal by Mambrino King at Village Farm.

The stride of "sweet little Alix" when extended is tremendous, being over 22 feet.

Riley Graman, the famous young plunger, is said to have won \$12,000 on Lisak recently.

The average life of a London omnibus horse is five years, while that of a team horse is only four.

Kentucky Ban, a well known runner of a few seasons ago, dropped dead recently at Morris park.

Azote, 2:09 1/2, was first put to a plow on the Palo Alto farm, where a Gold-hound discovered his great speed.

C. J. Hamlin, the owner of some of the fastest trotters alive, has announced that he will race no more 3-year-olds.

Mrs. Casimir Parier has contributed 10,000 francs to the national subscription started by the women of France to fund a philanthropic establishment in memory of President Carnot and for which funds are being rapidly received.

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### THE TEXT BOOK TRUST.

Our Capital's correspondent sends opinions of "leading educators" on question of changes to be effected by putting in force the McElroy law, under which every county superintendent (probably appointed by McElroy) are to vote the choice of text books for the public schools in Oregon for the next six years. They are published by nearly two hundred publishers. As we have shown, there will be such diversity of choice that the real choice will be left to the state board of education, which is practically Mr. McElroy, who drew the bill himself and would practically have the designating of choice of text books for the next six years for the 400,000 people of Oregon, with school book depositories to establish in each county, probably controlling the sale and contract price of half a million dollars worth of school books.

It will be seen each of the "leading educators" has some change to propose. Each has a pet school text book that he prefers. The result of their votes would be that a great many changes would be forced upon the people. The slight change each one indicates would result in a complete change in the aggregate, with the changes the board would probably order. The state board should be enjoined from forcing a change of text books in these hard times when the people can hardly pay their taxes and live.

All these professors and school politicians and "leading educators" are saying: "We do not want a change. This law would not be favorable to a change. It would not be helpful to the school book trust" etc. If this is true, then why not leave matters as they are. Why set all this machinery in motion at a time when Mr. McElroy is going out of office? The people did not see fit to continue Mr. McElroy in office. Why should his machinery for control of the text book business in Oregon be imposed upon the people for six years more? Why should his dynasty be prolonged? If the people under their new state superintendent and their new state board of education, composed entirely of new men, could by any manner of means, secure cheaper text books, even by state publication in the next six years, they should not be barred of the privilege.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. Gladstone is able to cease the use of colored spectacles except for the purpose of reading.

Israel D. Condit of Milburn, N. J., who recently celebrated his ninety-second birthday, is the only living charter member of the Morris and Essex railroad.

Colonel James L. F. Warren of San Francisco is said to be the oldest military man in the country west of New York and the oldest living white pioneer of California.

Indianapolis has had a wedding which should certainly have been performed on the floor of the board of trade. Mr. August Rye married Miss May Wheat the other day.

The new president of Paraguay, Marcos Marinelo, was vice president of the republic under President Gonzalez. He is a relative of General Caballero, one of the three generals in the regular army.

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