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TODAY'S NEWS SUMMARIZED.

\$500,000 fire at Atlanta, Ga., caused by explosion of oil tank in grocery house. No change in joint senatorial vote today. United States Ex Senator Stephen White died at Los Angeles, Cal. Case against Mrs. Nation for smashing Senate saloon in Topeka discharged. Still in jail for last Sunday's depredations. Three transients are due from Manila, in a few days, with returning volunteers. Antarctic expeditions are being fitted out from England, Germany and Sweden. Dr. Mayo G. Smith, original of the "Doctor," in Mark Twain's "Innocence Abroad," is dead at Colorado Springs. No hope of getting pensions for Oregon War Veterans at this session of Congress. Kitchener narrowly escaped capture by the Boers. "Danny" Maher, jockey, will ride in England this season. Four murders and two disappearances reported from Santa Clara. Men were burning sugar fields. Sioux Indians near Omaha contemplating serious hostilities. Blizzard raging in northwestern Pennsylvania. Von Walderssee's expedition abandoned as unnecessary. Boxers emissaries joined by Chinese forces are causing trouble in Southern Manchuria.

TOOK CENTURIES TO BUILD.

Cologne Cathedral Was In Process of Erection 632 Years.

While the first stone of Cologne cathedral was laid on Aug. 15, 1248 and the body of the edifice was not opened until A. D. 1880, 632 years later to the very day, it was not, however, until Aug. 15, 1880, that the splendid structure was finally reported completed, having then occupied in building the record time of exactly 632 years. The castle of Kingsberg, which stands at the northern extremity of Juland, took 204 years from the laying of the foundation stone to the rigging of its master's banner on its highest flagstaff. Its foundation stone was the skull of its builder's bitterest enemy. Three months after its laying Count Florising, the builder of the castle, was killed. His son was then in swaddling clothes. He did not continue his father's work until aged 24. On his twenty-fifth birthday he was thrown into prison by the son of the man whose skull lay in the earth of Kingsberg's foundation stone. In this manner master after master of

Singapore was stopped during the founder's work till civilization intervened. Restored estate, in Cornwall, took 90 years to build, of which period exactly one-third was occupied in excavating the foundations. The solid rock upon which it stands is almost as hard as iron. Indeed Restormel means in Cornish "the palace of the iron rock." Milan cathedral was begun in 1380 and finished under Napoleon in 1850, 470 years. The Duomo, at Florence, was commenced by Arnolfo in the year 1294, the last block of marble being placed in position in the facade in presence of the king on May 12, 1887, a period of 593 years.—Stray Stories.

Mother—Goodness, how did you hurt your finger so? Little Son—With a hammer. "When?" "A good while ago." "I didn't hear you cry." "No, mother. I thought you were out."—Stray Stories.

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INVENTIVE CORNELIUS

Vanderbilt Making Wonderful Progress

HIS FIRE BOX AND BOILER

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NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 21.—Having invented a fire box for locomotives which is proving a great success, Cornelius Vanderbilt is now at work on a new form of boiler, a multi-tubular, which promises, he says, to work a revolution in boiler making and construction. "My inventions have just begun," he said to an audience of students and professors from the Sheffield scientific school. "I am now working on a multi-tubular boiler. I regard the possibilities of this as very great. Within a few years it will be in general use. Within a year I hope to appear before you and give a practical demonstration of its possibilities and of my ideas on the subject. "It appears to be very remarkable," he said, "that so few improvements have been made in the patterns of boilers since the days of Stephenson. There is plenty of room for more change in the construction, and many changes are likely to be made in the next few years." Mr. Vanderbilt spoke under the auspices of the Engineers Club. Practical men who heard him say his ideas are sound. They expect great things of him as an inventor.

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CHINESE LOOTING

Denounced By a Returned New Yorker

LI HUNG CHANG POKES FUN AT US

How Boer Prisoners are Being Treated—Americans Among Them

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—J. Martin Miller, of this city, who has just arrived, having reached England from China, by way of Ceylon, said in an interview: "I attended two sales of loot in the Boxer palace which the Rev. Dr. Ament occupied in Peking after the relief of the allies. Dr. Ament took possession of the treasure which he found there, held sales and kept account of the proceeds, crediting them against the claims which he makes for mission property destroyed. Much of the loot was bought by an American speculator, of Shanghai. "I had an interview with Li Hung Chang, which indicated that he was preparing to effect the claims of the powers for indemnity by giving an account of the loot taking. His excellency was in very good humor. "I have just had the Christian commandments read to me," he said through his interpreter, "and I think they need revising. The eighth commandment should be made to read 'thou shalt not steal, but thou mayest loot'." "It has been said that your excellency is favoring Ross in the negotiations because you have an understanding with that country and are to be the governor of Manchuria. "I suggested: "I am simply grateful to Russia for having withdrawn her troops," his excellency replied. Speaking of his visit to Ceylon, Mr. Miller said: "Up in the hills at an elevation of 3,500 feet in a delightful climate and in a fine sanitary situation, I saw the encampment where 4,700 Boer prisoners were confined with a series of high barbed wire fences. "There were two or three hundred Americans among them, and those I talked with seemed to owe their plight to having gone to South Africa rather than to a love of adventure than from any sympathy with the Boer cause. They have a good deal of liberty. "There does not appear to be any great desire among the Boers for having the war end so that they can go home, and they appear to be fairly contented. Boer officers are at liberty, being required only to report twice a week."

AMERICAN JOCKEY TO RIDE IN ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—"Danny" Maher, the jockey, has sailed for England, where he will ride this season for Pierre Lorillard, at a salary of \$10,000. Maher will also ride for Sir J. Miller, who owns Marconi, favorite for the Lincolnshire handicap. Sam Lutes, the English jockey, who arrived here two months ago, sailed with Maher. Lutes said that he enjoyed his trip here.

MIRROR MAD.

"What!" exclaimed the astonished reader, "is it possible that there are any civilized persons on the face of the earth who are not in the habit of beholding their visages reflected from time to time in a mirror of some kind? Surely this cannot be so." Wrong, quite wrong, gentle reader, for at the present time, strange as it may appear, there are hundreds of men and women in the United Kingdom who have not gazed into a mirror for years. The convicts confined in British prisons form members of this community. From the moment of a convict's entrance to a jail to the moment of his exit he is not permitted to have the use of a mirror of any kind, the smallest piece of glass being rigidly denied him. To the women convicts this absence of a mirror forms one of the chief hardships of confinement, and many a female warder can tell piteous tales of women who have actually fallen upon their knees and sobbed out entreaties for the loan of a morsel of mirror—"just for a second." All these entreaties have perforce to be disregarded, and it therefore comes about that many a female convict passes three or four years without being permitted to gaze upon her own features.—London The-Bits.

He Got a Pass.

"Halt!" cried an alert patrolman in Manila as a beautifully caparisoned carriage drove up containing a portly gentleman. The driver reined his steed, and the sentry, standing firmly in the center of the street, shouted, "Who is there?" "Not knowing what else to say, the occupant of the carriage answered, "Judge Taft, president of the civil commission." "Advance, Judge Taft, to be recognized," lawled the sentry. The Judge advanced, and the following dialogue took place: Sentry—Have you a pass? Taft—No, sir; do I require one? Sentry—You do, sir, and it's my duty to run you in. Taft—But I am the civil governor of the Philippine Islands. Sentry—That doesn't cut any figure. You're a civilian and out after hours. I'll let you go by this time, but the next time I catch you you'll have to see the captain. "Thank you," murmured Judge Taft as he drove away. And there and then he formed a resolution to put in an application for a pass. According to the Manila Freedom, he got it.

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CLYDE VAUGHN PLEADED GUILTY

To Assault With Dangerous Weapon

Young man Will be Sentenced Monday Afternoon—Court Adjourns Until Then

The case of State vs Clyde Vaughn, which promised to be a long drawn case came to a speedy and rather unexpected termination at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the case was called for trial. By agreement of counsel for prosecution and the defense, the charge in the indictment of "assault with intent to kill" was changed to "assault with a dangerous weapon." To this charge Vaughn pleaded guilty and Judge Burnett set 1 o'clock Monday afternoon as the hour for pronouncing sentence. The latter part of last October, Vaughn committed an unprovoked and desperate assault with an axe upon Miss Lulu Jones, a pupil attending the Jefferson school building, in the basement of the school building. The victim of the assault has fully recovered from the injuries sustained but public sentiment is of the opinion that her assailant should be punished for the cowardly deed. The offense to which Vaughn pleaded guilty is punishable by imprisonment in the state penitentiary from 6 months to 10 years; incarceration in the county jail from one to twelve months or by a fine of from \$100 to \$1000.

ALASKAN RAILROADS

Throne Speech To Parliament Favors Them

BRITISH COLUMBIA BIDS FOR POPULARITY

Mining Laws will be Amended—Nova Scotia's Large Gold Output

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 21.—Among the measures foreshadowed in the speech from the throne which will be read at the opening of the house tomorrow, is understood to be one to grant aid to the railway from the coast to the Kootenay, a railway through Northern British Columbia and to the Yukon, and a railway to the north end of Vancouver Island. Some changes will be made in the mining laws and inducements will be offered to immigrants and a grant of land will be made to each British Columbia volunteer who went to South Africa. HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 21.—The government returns for 1900 show that the production of gold in Nova Scotia was 10,000 ounces, valued at \$5,000,000. This is the second highest annual yield since gold was discovered in 1880. The yield of 1899 was 35,000 on account of new findings.

MANCHURIA UPRISING

Boxers Joined By Chinese Forces

VON WALTERSEE'S EXPEDITION IS OFF

And the Chinese Plenipotentiaries Accede to Foreign Demands

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21.—Despatches report that trouble is again raking in southern Manchuria. Boxer emissaries have already arrived there and Chinese forces are joining the Boxer movement. PARIS, Feb. 21.—A correspondent of the associated Press has excellent authority of the statement that Field Marshal Von Walderssee's expedition will not start as it is believed the decree will be published in Peking today, accepting the terms demanded by the ministers. An expedition therefore will not be necessary. WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A cablegram has been received by the state department from Minister Conger stating that the Chinese plenipotentiaries have informed the foreign ministers that the Emperor has agreed to all the punishments named in the telegram of February 6th.

STATE SCHOOL FUND FRAUD EXPOSURE

Fight is Now on Before the Senate Committee

Geo. G. Bingham on Geo. W. Davis' Bond, Which Explains Some Things

The Brownell report showing a \$51,000 shortage of school funds was considered by the judiciary committee, and Mr. Brownell hopes to get a favorable report on his recommendations asking for a thorough investigation. A fight will be made to suppress the report. The report of the Brownell committee on the Land Office defalcation has been referred to the Judiciary committee in the Senate, of which Senator Adams is a member. Mr. Adams is the Silverton attorney who has been closely associated with Geo. G. Bingham. Geo. G. Bingham, it is on Geo. W. Davis' bond. Unless barred by the statute limitations Bingham may be liable for any defalcation that may be shown to exist. Brownell proposes to move a reference of this investigation to the attorney-general, with specific instructions as to how to proceed, and whom to employ as experts to carry the work to a conclusion.

80 and Not Gray

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for a great many years, and although I am past eighty years of age, yet I have not a gray hair in my head."—Geo. YELLOTT, Towson, Md., Aug. 3, 1899.

A traveler in the west, the Rev. C. T. Brady, says that of all the manifestations of power he ever witnessed, from an earthquake down, a cyclone is the most appalling. The lightning blackness of the funnel, the lightning darting from it in inconceivable fierceness, the strange crackling sound from its bosom, the suddenness of its irresistible attack, its incredibly swift motion, its wild leaping and bounding, like a gigantic beast of prey, the awful roar which follows, all this but feebly characterizes that strange ravager of the plains. He continues: The cyclone plays odd pranks. I have seen two horses lifted in air and carefully deposited, unharmed, in a field about an eighth of a mile away. I have seen chickens and geese plucked clean of feathers and yet feebly alive. One house, I remember, had a hole ten feet in diameter cut out of its roof, as if by a circular saw. I have seen the black, whirling cloud lift a building and sink it to pieces, as one shakes a paper box. One of the worst cyclones I ever knew threw a heavy iron safe about as a child might toss a wooden alphabet block in play. It is an irresponsible as well as an almost omnipotent monster, and it seems to love the hideous jokes of its own catastrophe.

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