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**Kentucky Feud Cases**

Cynthiana, Ky., July 28.—When the Jett-White case was called this morning the defense filed a prayer for a continuance of the case, claiming the presence of the militia created a feeling tending to unjustly influence the minds of the jurors against their clients. The court overruled the motion, and issued a notice that any witness desiring military protection may have the same on application.

**Missouri Boodlers**

Jefferson City, Mo., July 28.—The case of Senator Harris, accused of bribery in the alum baling powder scandal, was called this morning. His attorney immediately filed a plea in abatement. Similar pleas in two other cases were filed, and a tedious legal battle is expected. Lee arrived this morning. A strong effort will be made by the defense to discredit his testimony.

**WHEAT MARKETS**

Chicago, July 28.—Wheat, 77 1/2 @ 78 1/2c.

**Car Shortage in the East**

Chicago, Ill., July 28.—In the opinion of well-posted traffic officials, all lines of business could not be in a more healthy condition. Naturally, attention is concentrated upon western territory, particularly that in which the great crop-growing areas which serve as a guide for future business operations. Careful investigation has failed to disclose anything in the prospective conditions which would justify anxiety in New York's financial district. In the Northwest railroad men are equally optimistic and fully as confident that, not only in the crop outlook encouraging, but the indications point to a greater volume of traffic for the railroads than was assured one year ago.

In the Southwest traffic conditions are rapidly becoming such that officials say they have difficulty in handling it promptly and are looking for a car shortage earlier than usual, although they claim to be better prepared for tonnage than ever before. There is now a great volume of merchandise going to the recently flooded districts, and the railroads touching those points are overburdened with traffic additional to that which has been pouring into other parts of the country for weeks. Officials of the lines directly west from Chicago say their reports from all distributing points could not be of a more encouraging nature.

The West is consuming an increasing tonnage of everything manufactured, and vast quantities of supplies are moving forward now that were held back by the cold spell in June. The Southern lines also report a steadily increasing business in both directions, and officials say they have few, if any, idle cars.

**Have Negro Surrounded**

Logansport, Ind., July 28.—Several hundred men are surrounding a 1000-acre corn field near Suttles, where the negro who yesterday assaulted Mrs. Joe Matka has secured temporary hiding.

**All Quiet in Panama**

Washington, July 28.—A cablegram this morning from Consul-General Cudger, at Panama, reports all quiet along the isthmus. He asked for a 60 days' leave of absence, which the state department refused to grant.

**Wheat Crop is Light**

Washington, July 28.—The weekly crop report says the condition of spring wheat is generally unfavorable, especially over the northern portion of the spring wheat region.

**Arrested in Seattle**

Seattle, July 28.—Frank Bell, alias James Redmond, wanted in Kansas City for the murder of Miss Schumanter, December 8, 1897, was arrested here. He admits he is the man wanted, but denies the murder. He served with distinction in Roosevelt's Rough Riders in the Cuban campaign, but did not return with the regiment, in order to avoid arrest, as his identity had become known to the Missouri authorities.

It will be a relief when the last of the Fourth of July lockjaw returns are all in. It might be remarked in passing that the connection between patriotism and lockjaw cannot be satisfactorily explained.—Washington Star.

The introduction of golf into Milwaukee looks like an attempt on the part of the Scotch whisky people to destroy the brewery interests.—Chicago Journal.

**WILL MEET IN UTAH**

**National Irrigation Congress in September**

**Thirty Thousand Dollars Already Raised to Entertain the Crowds of Visitors**

The eleventh irrigation congress, to be held in Ogden, Utah, September 15 to 18, 1903, promises to be the most important session of any congress or gathering held in the United States outside of the national capital. The legislature of Utah has appropriated \$6000 to defray the expenses of this congress, and the citizens will contribute enough more to make the total fund \$15,000. The Utah people are said to be the most hospitable people in the whole West, and the delegates who visit this congress at Ogden, Utah, will have a delightful time.

In addition to visiting the famous Ogden canyon, said to be one of the beauty spots and wonders of the world, the delegates will be treated to a free excursion through the northern part of the state, inspecting the Bear River Irrigation Company's canal, stated to be one of the most expensive irrigation systems in the West. The United States experimental station, Logan, Utah. A dip in Great Salt Lake, the most exhilarating bathing on earth. The Great Dead Sea of America is now being bridged by the Southern Pacific railway, and the trestling, 45 miles long, will be so nearly completed as to allow the irrigation delegates to run the first excursion train across the cut-off over Great Salt Lake. The scenery of this moonlight trip will be the treat of a lifetime. The Ogden sugar factory will slice 400 tons of beets daily and turn them into sugar while the delegates of the irrigation congress inspect the plant.

**Firemans Tournament**

Sioux City, Iowa, July 28.—The Iowa State Firemen's Association began its annual meeting and tournament here today. Firemen, accompanied by bands and citizens, poured in on every train. The city is decorated, and numerous immense arches welcome the fire-fighters. Tomorrow morning a grand parade of all the firemen present will take place. In the afternoon the hook-and-ladder and hose races will be held at the interstate fair grounds.

New York, July 28.—The most important matter to consider which the officials of the Gulf lines, assembled in conference at the Manhattan Beach hotel, have today is the cotton-rate war, which threatens to be precipitated by the attitude of the Rock Island road. While the Rock Island originates very little cotton traffic on its line in Texas, it may concentrate at Fort Worth and Dallas and pay Texas lines a liberal proportion of any through rate it makes. Besides, the Frisco and Houston & Texas Central can also feed the Rock Island. Hence, when the Rock Island announced recently that it would waive the two cents differential on insurance in hauling cotton from Texas to the New England seaboard, it meant a general war in rates for the handling of the coming cotton crop. It is in order to avert this threatened disaster, if possible, that the traffic officials of the leading Gulf lines are in conference here.

**Natural Gas Explosion**

Columbus, Ohio, July 28.—A natural gas explosion this morning wrecked a two-story building on North High street. Mrs. Lewis is believed to be dead beneath the debris. Edwin Hale, Chas. Vette and Chas. Jachi were buried, but were rescued alive though severely injured. A number of women were pinned in the ruin, but were removed with but slight injuries.

**Out of the Dry Dock.**  
The chief of the fire department expects to take out the old Silsby fire engine, which has been repaired and fitted with a new Fox boiler, and will give it a trial. The engine is now in better condition than it has been since it was built, and will be a valuable addition to the fire-fighting apparatus of the city.

**Desperate Battle is Expected**

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left the store about 6 o'clock in the evening, and had not gone far when the first encounter took place. A posse of about 30 men had taken a position of advantage on the top sides of the road. When the convicts discovered them, they opened fire, which was immediately returned. The convicts shielded themselves by holding their captives in front of them. The men in ambush kept up the fire, killing two of the horses driven by the convicts, and one of the convicts, Joe Murphy, he being shot in the head and through the heart. The range was about 200 yards, and about 150 shots were fired altogether, the convicts exhibiting very poor skill in shooting, none of the posse being injured. After the horses were shot down, the convicts left the wagon and made for the hills, it being too near dark to follow them. It is said that the officers and guards held in captivity by the desperate convicts have been released. If this is so, the capture of the men is almost certain, as it will be almost impossible for them to escape the large posse if the members of the latter are free to shoot. It is not expected that any of them will be taken alive.

Sacramento, July 28.—All the guards have been released by the convicts. J. Kenschendorf has returned to Folsom. The others are expected this afternoon. The convicts have taken an oath to stand together, the penalty of violation being death. In spite of this, one R. M. Gordon, a 45-year man, from Sacramento, escaped from them, and is at large. At 11 o'clock the convicts are still surrounded. They have abandoned their wagon, and are hiding among the rocks. It is hoped they will stick together. Guard Brown, who was reported dangerously wounded is unhurt.

Placerville, July 28.—News of a conflict is expected at every minute. The entire country north of the South Fork of American river is in arms, and a party of 100 men, under Sheriff Bosquit, plan to head off the convicts should they escape from Black canyon.

**American Consul Dead**

London, July 28.—Judge John Long, American consul-general at Cairo, died at Dunbar, Scotland, this morning, after an accidental fall. Judge Long was from Florida, where he was a lawyer of distinction.

**Reliance to Defend Cup**

Newport, July 28.—Iselin this morning is pleased with the Reliance's selection to defend the cup, and says he is confident of winning. The challenger this time has more friends than ever, but the betting stands 2 to 1 in favor of the Reliance. The Columbia today sailed to Cat Island, where she will be hauled out and placed on stilts, and it is probably her last race. The Reliance will be taken to Herreshoffs' to undergo an overhauling.

Harry Lehr, who is distressed because he was detected wearing a red rose in his hair recently, ought to be glad he was not wearing his baby-blue kimono.—Kansas City Star.

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