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TWO HUNDRED MILLIONS

WILL BE SPENT WITHIN A YEAR FOR NEW 'FRISCO

DEBRIS BEING CLEARED

Street Railways Being Used to Haul off the Wreckage, and Steam Comes to the Aid of the Cars

San Francisco, Cal., May 3.—The Harney is arranging for a supply of water for the laundries. The inability of people to wash their clothing is causing fear that health will be endangered. Thus far only two laundries have been opened.

Stockton, Cal., May 3.—An unknown tramp was burned to death last night in the branch county jail, at Sutter creek, Amador county. It is believed he set fire to the jail in an effort to escape.

AFTER THE BIG GAME

Garfield's Report Puts Officers of the Standard Oil Up Against It

Washington, May 3.—Standard Oil is about to go against something stronger than the state of Missouri. The United States government has got around to the point at last where it has a case against the parent of all trusts, and, less all the advance reports are greatly exaggerated, magnate who have heretofore defied the authorities and the people will soon be in the hardest corner that has ever fallen to their lot.

Congress and the country will know all about it when Commissioner of Corporations Garfield's much-heralded report on his investigation of the oil combination is sent to the senate and house on Friday. It will be submitted by the President, who has received it from the commissioner, and it will be accompanied by an executive message.

Greatest Conspiracy on Earth.

The message in all probability will have for its objective the clinching of the effective railroad-rate regulation which the administration is determined to secure, as the report itself will show how favoritism in rates and rebates has built up the most stupendous politico-financial industrial institution in the world—a power that not only controls the output and the price of the commodity that gives its name, but which, through a handful of men, dominates practically every branch of trade and commerce in the country, and holds the transportation systems themselves within its grasp.

Imprisonment for Somebody.

Officials of the Standard Oil Company, moreover, have something more in store to worry about than an exposure of the rebates on which their corporation has fattened at the expense of the vast multitude of shippers, who have had to pay the freight on which the railroads in turn pay dividends. Criminal prosecution for conspiracy under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law stares them in the face.

Rebating, when the offenders are caught at it and brought to justice, means fines. Conspiracy, when apprehended, means imprisonment for somebody, if duty is performed fully. It is asserted on the best of authority that Mr. Garfield, in the language that is best understood, "has the goods" on the Standard Oil Company, the same as he had them on the beef trust, with the essential difference that immunity baths have not been administered in the present instance.

THE CAR LINES START

And Situation in San Francisco Grows Steadily Better

San Francisco, May 3.—With the rapid extension of the street car service, and the increase in the number of men at work in the ruins, the situation grows steadily better. Each day sees more lines in operation. Owing to the fact that the cable slots are badly twisted, the cable roads will be abolished and overhead trolleys substituted in most cases. The commercial banks opened at 10 o'clock this morning to receive deposits, which will be classed as special, and subject to withdrawal by check in any amount. This plan will be followed until the vaults are opened and regular business resumed. Owing to the influx of drunkards from Oakland, where the saloons are open, the police authorities are giving speedy trial to offenders, and putting them to work on the ruins under ball and chain, there being no prison available.

FIRE AT THE PRESIDIO

Laundry Burns Back of the Hospital in San Francisco This Morning

San Francisco, May 3.—Fire threatened the general hospital at the Presidio at 4 o'clock this morning, and terrified a thousand or more inmates. It started in the laundry back of the main building. By hard work the flames were confined to the laundry, which was totally destroyed. Ever since the fire, the department has had an engine stationed at the hospital, and it was this additional help which saved the hospital from destruction.

Will Meet at St. Louis.

New York, May 3.—The executive council of the American bankers' association has decided to hold its annual convention at St. Louis.

Turkey Loses a Boss.

London, May 3.—It is reported that the heir to the throne of Turkey is dead.

WIDOW CAPTURED WILLIE

And Dad Couldn't Go to the Wedding on Account of His Big Toe

London, May 3.—William Waldorf Astor and Mrs. Nannie Loughorne Shaw were married this afternoon at All Souls church, only relatives being present. The groom's father was absent on account of gout.

Walsh Is Held.

Chicago, May 3.—John B. Walsh, president of the defunct Chicago National and Home Saving Bank, waived examination before Commissioner Foots this morning, and was held to the federal grand jury, under \$50,000 bonds, which were furnished. The indictment charges several violations of the national banking laws.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, May 3.—Wheat 78 1/4 @ 79 1/2, corn 47 1/4 @ 46 1/4; oats, 32 1/4 @ 32 1/4.

CHICAGO STORE

PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

Do You Appreciate The Real Buying Power Of Your Money?

IF YOU READ OVER CAREFULLY THE FOLLOWING PRICE LIST WHICH GIVES YOU THE SAME ADVANTAGES IN BUYING HONEST REliable DRY GOODS AS IN NEW YORK CITY OR CHICAGO. OUR BUYERS ARE BUSY AWAY BACK EAST SENDING US SNAPS FOR CASH. READ ON:

- 50c Band Gray Panama Suitings; this is a fine wool dress goods and looks like \$1 cloth, yd.35c
- 45c Heavy Wash Silk, yd.19c
- 55c Chiffon Taffeta Dress Silk in all the new shades, yd.49c
- 75c Silk Finished Velveteens, in all the new shadings, yd.39c
- 1000 yds of the most beautiful Ribbons that ever were shown in Salem at about half what you have to pay elsewhere.
- No. 5 Silk Taffeta Ribbon, yd.3c
- No. 40 Fancy Persian Neck Ribbons, 18c quality, yd.10c
- 50c Silk Maline Velling, yd.11c
- 50c Silk Chiffon, yd.25c
- 50c Cover Embroidery, yd 25c
- 50c Black Darning Cotton, yd.1c
- 50c Spool Cotton, spool.2c
- Best White Silk, ball1 1/2c
- Ladies' 30c hose supporters, pr 10c
- Children's Percale and Calico ready made dresses, price25c
- Children's Double Thread 18c
- Best Black Stockings, pr.10c

We are agents for the Black Cat and Buster Brown Hosiery, the best in the world.

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Summer Underwear, price 9c, 12 1/2c, 18c and \$3.45

Ladies' \$16.50 Band Gray Panama Cloth Suits, Man-tailored and handsomely trimmed; price \$9.90

Ladies' New Pony Jackets; sale price \$3.45

Better Jackets and Long Coats all at small prices.

The Chicago Store does the business in Millinery.

We are agents for the Standard Patterns, the best on earth.

Ladies' beautiful snow white Shirt Waists in lawn linen and silk, short and long sleeves. Prices 49c, 75c, 98c and \$1.25.

We are agents for the Warner's Rust Proof Corsets; try one; you will never wear any other; prices, 49c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49

50c Girdle Corsets, sale price.39c

50c Gold Belts, new arrivals.25c

Silk Mitts, elbow length, price 65c

Soiled Lace Curtains.Half Price

WILL VOTE TO STRIKE

Seranton, Pa., May 3.—The district convention of anthracite miners met this morning. The day was occupied in the formalities of organization. The situation is uncertain, although members of the scale committee assert the convention will vote to strike. Mount Carmel is enraged at most of the delegates.

BERKELEY LOST \$1,500,000.

Damage to California University Is Greater Than Estimated.

Berkeley, Cal., May 3.—It was reported at first that the University of California had escaped loss by the earthquake and fire. This was a mistake. President Benjamin Ide Wheeler is authority for the statement that the University of California was a loser to the extent of \$1,500,000.

The losses of the university from the fire include the loss of annual income of \$60,000, derived from the two buildings in the city, the prospective loss of \$50,000 in the 2-cent tax, the destruction of the equipment of the clinic of the department of dentistry, and the destruction of Mark Hopkins Art Institute.

The affiliated college buildings and equipment have been damaged to the extent of about \$25,000.

The insurance upon the two income-producing buildings in the city was \$176,000.

Charges Dismissed.

New York, May 3.—The board of review of the National Trotting Association dismissed the charges made by Murray Howe, secretary of the Memphis Trotting Association, that Lou Dillon had been tampered with just prior to the race for the gold cup at Memphis in October, 1904, when Major Delmar defeated her.

Big Forest Fire.

Pestigo, Wis., May 3.—Hundreds of men are fighting fire in the forests at Jerald, in Boone county. Vast stores of cordwood are doomed, and it is feared the great fire of 1871 is to be repeated.

We have taken the agency for the U-ALL-NO after dinner mints. Fresh shipment just received.

THE SPA

CANDY FACTORY
222 State Street.

SENT SPECIAL MESSAGE

Washington, May 3.—The President this afternoon sent a special message to congress, recommending the expression of gratitude of the nation for the condolences extended by foreign governments, municipalities and individuals upon the occasion of the San Francisco disaster.

TREATED LIKE PIRATES.

American Fishermen Cast Into Mexican Prison.

Galveston, Tex., May 3.—Manager Munn, of the Gulf Fisheries Company, of this city, yesterday received dispatches from the Warren Fish Company of Pensacola, Fla., stating that the firm had just received word from their fishing smack Silas P. Stearns, seized by a Mexican gunboat Thursday last, stating that ten men from the schooner were held in prison and communication was absolutely denied them.

The cargo of fish, in the meantime, is rotting.

Manager Munn sent a cablegram to the captain of his company's detained smack at the same time the Pensacola and Mobile boats were seized, but nothing can be learned from that officer, and it is feared that his crew have been thrown into prison and denied communication with the American consul.

Manager Munn communicated with Senator Culberson and requested him to report to the state department and secure action.

Von Buelow's Birthday.

Berlin, May 3.—Von Buelow celebrated his 57th birthday today. He was visited by the emperor. The chancellor is unable to resume his duties before October, and perhaps may never return to official life.

A Hard Name for Justice.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—Following the resignation of Witte and the appointment of Coreykin, it is announced Stolypin will be minister of the interior and Schegolouloff minister of justice.

Omitted Suicide.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 3.—Frank Fowler, supervisor, indicted six times on charges of graft, committed suicide by shooting himself in the presence of his wife today.

COULD NOT SEE STAIRS

Newark, N. J., May 3.—The Duke divorce cases continues today, witnesses testifying that it was impossible to see anybody ascend the stairs to Mrs. Duke's room from the point where the maid said she saw Hunton accompany the woman to her chamber.

Biscuit King's Daughter Married.

Greenwich, Conn., May 3.—St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church was the scene of a brilliant wedding this morning, when Miss Jane Green, one of the four daughters of A. W. Green, the "biscuit king," and president of the National Biscuit company, became the wife of Orville Browning Carrott, of Quincy, Ill., a trusted employe of the company. Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco, who married Mr. and Mrs. Green, officiated at the nuptial mass this morning, assisted by his brother the Rev. Daniel Riordan of Chicago and the Rev. J. J. Fitzgerald, pastor of St. Mary's. A special train from New York will bring a large number of prominent society people to this city to attend the reception, which will be given at Belle Haven, the beautiful country seat of the Greens near this city.

Gathering of Oklahoma Germans.

El Reno, Okla., May 3.—The annual meeting of the German-American Society of Oklahoma opened here today and nearly two thousand members from all parts of the territory are in attendance. An elaborate and interesting program, including an outing and games, has been prepared for the occasion.

Will Debate on Time.

Washington, May 3.—Consideration of the amendment of the rate bill in the senate, under the rule limiting speeches to 15 minutes each, will begin tomorrow. Sixty-two amendments have been offered. The amendment intended to bring under supervision the operations of the Standard Oil will be the first to be voted upon.

Panama Canal.

Washington, May 3.—The senate committee has practically decided on a lock canal.

Lexington, Ky., May 3.—H. W. Ratson, of Louisville, asks for a receiver, declaring the investigations in Chicago show the company to be insolvent to the extent of \$5,000,000.

SALEM'S GREATEST GROWING STORE.

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