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LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.

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The Outlook in Regard to the Chinese Immigration Question.

PASSENGERS PASSING OMAHA.

Concluding Proceedings of Wednesday's State Conventions.

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MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF FOREIGN NEWS.

Serious Outlook in England and France in Regard to Labor.

Etc. ..... Etc. ..... Etc.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

Washington Notes, from our own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, May 13th.—Next Saturday evening has been assigned by the House of Representatives for the consideration of bills reported by the Committee on Education and Labor. The members of that committee held a conference to-day, for the purpose of determining the order in which its various measures shall be called up from the calendar for action in case the committee actually obtains the day, it being well understood that all special assignments of this sort are liable to be set aside towards the close of the session in favor of the appropriation bills, etc. The committee, after some discussion, decided that it would be impracticable, or worse than useless, to attempt to pass the Chinese immigration bill at the present time, in view of the recent appointment of the Commission to negotiate a treaty on that subject, and it was therefore arranged that if the committee obtains the floor on Saturday the House shall be asked to make the 15-passenger bill a special order for the first Tuesday of next December, which will be the next day after the commencement of the session. The committee are of the opinion that by that time it will be clearly manifest whether or not the diplomatic agencies now provided for the solution of the Chinese problem will have rendered further action at the hands of Congress unnecessary. If the Commission shall then have failed to accomplish the desired result the pending bill will be urged for immediate passage, with the chances of success incomparably greater than could be hoped for at the present time, while both House and Senate are far from giving their sanction to the creation of a Commission appointed for the sole purpose of dealing with the same subject.

The Secretary of War sent to the Senate to-day a copy of the report of Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. Stewart, upon an examination of Trinidad harbor, made in compliance with the river and harbor law of March 3, 1879. Colonel Stevenson says the examination made last July developed that no change in the depth of water or in the character of the material of Trinidad harbor appeared to have taken place since the United States coast survey was made in 1872. It was thought, therefore, that a complete new survey was not needed. He says the harbor is exposed to a heavy swell from the south and west in heavy southerly weather, and if this were cut off the anchorage would be quite secure at all times. As it now is, it forms a good shelter against summer northwest winds. The approaches are free from hidden dangers, and the rocks to the west of the head are close in shore and can be easily avoided. There are but few sunken rocks in the harbor. The head is a good landmark, and the holding ground is equal to that at most of the anchorages on the coast. "There, the Colonel says, "are all the favorable points, and those interested in this place are desirous to have it made the site of an artificial harbor by the construction of a breakwater from the head to Pilot Rock." He remarks that the expense of such a work would be altogether out of proportion to the amount of commerce to be benefited, if that of Trinidad alone was to be considered. Colonel Stewart estimates the total cost of constructing the breakwater at $5,293,227. This amount, be it noticed, is more than double the estimate by Colonel Williamson in his recent minority report on the subject of the selection of a site for the proposed Pacific coast harbor of refuge.

Representative Horace Davis appeared before the House Committee on Appropriations to-day and urged the insertion of an item in the sundry civil appropriation bill to reimburse the city of San Francisco for about $23,000 expended in street improvements in front of Federal property.

The *Star* this evening publishes the Presidential views of Judge Hastings and Mr. McHoon, whom it describes as two very prominent Democrats from California, and who are quoted as saying: "Judge Field can carry California by 10,000 majority against any candidate the Republicans can name. California is Democratic when the party is united, and it would be united with a will on Field. The coast is enthusiastic for him." They recount his distinguished services in shaping the present mining laws and establishing the beneficent principles of land jurisprudence, etc., in California, eulogize his Supreme Court opinions on great constitutional questions, and predict that California will send a delegation to Cincinnati who, although uninstructed, will vote for his nomination as President.

Senator Don Cameron has returned from his visit to Philadelphia, and was in his seat to-day. He says the reports of an extensive revolt in the Pennsylvania delegation to Chicago are not true; that he has investigated the affair thoroughly, and that he is confident the delegation will vote as instructed for Grant; that a few of the delegates—not over half a dozen—may disregard the instructions and vote for Blaine, but the revolt will not go beyond that. He believes Grant will get them all. His report of the result of his trip to the other Grant leaders was, "Everything is satisfactory to Pennsylvania."

State Conventions.

WEST VIRGINIA—REPUBLICAN.

WHEELING, May 13th.—Last evening the first two districts appointed Blaine delegates to Chicago. In the third the majority report was in favor of Sherman delegates, and the minority for Blaine. A hot discussion ensued, in the course of which Mr. Dye asserted that the Third District would not vote for Blaine at Chicago, and if smothered here, it would send a delegation to Chicago and demand recognition from the National Convention. This caused much excitement. The minority report was finally adopted. The delegates at large are W. J. Burley, Samuel P. McCormick, John H. Riley and A. W. Campbell. The whole delegation was instructed for Blaine. The delegates were also instructed to support General Nathan Goff, Jr., of this State, as a candidate for Vice-President.

MICHIGAN—REPUBLICAN.

DETROIT, May 13th.—Yesterday afternoon resolutions were adopted that the choice of the Republicans of Michigan for President is Blaine, and that the delegates are requested to use all proper means to secure his nomination. The resolutions favor Thomas B. Ferry for Vice-President. A resolution recognizing the services of General Grant, but opposing a third term, was tabled with some expression of impatience. James F. Fay, O. D. Conger, Perry Hannan and E. C. Watkins were chosen delegates at large, all being strong Blaine men.

WISCONSIN—DEMOCRATIC.

MADISON, May 13th.—Upon reassembling yesterday John W. Carey was made Chairman of the Convention. Five counties were unrepresented and many delegates had proxies. The resolutions adopted declare for an indissoluble union of the States, that the United States are a Nation, and that the States have certain undefined powers, but the Nation has a proper supervision over all interstate and international affairs; they denounce the heresy of civil war, as also that of centralized despotism, and the rebel war claims are bitterly denounced. They declare for an interchangeable gold, silver and paper money, and the economy of the Democratic Congress is commended. The Union soldiers are praised, and the troops at the polls denounced. Delegates from the Congressional districts were then chosen, but not instructed.

VERMONT—GREENBACK LABOR.

MONTPELIER, May 13th.—The Greenback Labor Convention appointed the following delegates at large to the Chicago Convention: C. F. Clough, Fletcher Tarbill, John J. Burgess and C. E. Martin.

The Great Trotting Match Between Maud S and Santa Claus.

NEW YORK, May 13th.—The next issue of the *Spirit of the Times* will contain the following concerning the great $50,000 match between Maud S and Santa Claus: We are gratified to give this week a letter from P. A. Finnegan, owner of Santa Claus, stating the conditions upon which he is willing to trot his stallion against Maud S. One chief fear had been that the challenged party might insist upon the mare going to California, a condition that might have resulted unfavorably to the match; but as Mr. Finnegan is willing to come East, we do not think that there are now any obstacles of consequence. His letter is pure business and renders it evident that he is anxious for the race. The manager of Maud S is no less in earnest, and both parties verily believe they have the fastest trotters in the world. The response of Captain Stone to the propositions of Mr. Finnegan ought to settle the matter. The following is the letter of Mr. Finnegan:

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4th.

E. A. Buck, Spirit of the Times: Your telegram in relation to a series of races between Maud S and Santa Claus has been received. My proposition was to trot five races, mile heats, best three in five, in harness, for $5,000 a side each race, National Association rules, which in accordance with the usages of the turf would be half forfeit. This I am willing to do under the following conditions:

First—$12,500 forfeit to be deposited with E. A. Buck, or any other person Buck may designate, and forfeits to be deposited on or before Tuesday, June 1, 1880.

Second—The whole amount of stakes must be put in the hands of stakeholders before the horses are called for the first race, and before the drivers are weighed, after which the races shall be "pay or play."

Third—All of the series of races shall come off over one track, which is mutually acceptable to both parties, said track to be in a city which has a trotting club and is a member of the National Association, the course to be agreed upon before one deposit of forfeit. Should the parties controlling Maud S agree to trot these races in California, the owner of Santa Claus will allow them $500 on each race trotted and the privilege of selecting any track in the State which is a member of the National Association.

Fourth—The time of trotting shall be, if not in California, at any time the other party may select from August 1st to November 1, 1880, races to be one week apart. If on an Eastern track, the time of the first race to take place shall be Saturday, August 28th, and others on the Saturdays following, there being a week between each; provided, however, that the track and day are good; and in case there should be a postponement on account of weather or track, the race shall take place on the first good day and track following; provided there are three days between that and the next race of the series. In case there should not be three days intervening, then the next race to be postponed one week, and so throughout the series; judges to be the persons who shall say if the track and day are good, and their decision in this case to be final.

Fifth—Judges shall be selected in the following manner: Parties to these matches to select a judge each, and these two to select their associate. In order not to confine one set of men to judge the whole series, the selection shall be made for each race and on the day of trotting. In case the judges selected by the parties cannot agree on a third person, the President of the Trotting Club, or some person he appoints, shall make a selection. Furthermore, the owner of Santa Claus will give the other party the privilege of naming for the trots to take place one of four States, viz: Illinois, Ohio, New York or Pennsylvania, and he (the owner of Santa Claus) or his representative will select the track to trot upon. In any case, the course selected shall be a mile in circuit.

Sixth—The receipts from any and every source shall be divided in the following proportions, viz: Seventy-five per cent. to loser of the race, settlement to be made at the conclusion of each race, and the winner of each race to receive the above proportion, and the loser his quota of the money when the race is trotted. Yours, P. A. FINNEGAN.

A HITCH IN THE ARRANGEMENTS.

CINCINNATI, May 13th.—Captain George N. Stone, who has the management of Vanderbilt's Maud S, having seen the letters of P. A. Finnegan, owner of Santa Claus, in which he states the terms upon which Santa Claus will trot a series of five races with Maud S, says he cannot accept the challenge for $5,000 a side for each race with so large a forfeit as Finnegan proposes, nor can he agree to trot the five races on one track, as suggested by Finnegan. Captain Stone's original offer was for $5,000 a race—$2,500 a side—and was distinctly expressed in his letter to Mr. Finnegan of April 29th, namely, to trot the series of five races for $2,500 a side for each race, with $2,500 forfeit, the races to be trotted on five different tracks, to be agreed upon by him and Mr. Finnegan before the races begin. Captain Stone has been released from the obligation to enter Maud S in the stake races both at Chicago and Buffalo in order to enable him to make this match.

Advantage of the Northern Pacific Railroad to the Military Arm of the Government—General Sherman's Views.

WASHINGTON, May 13th.—General Sherman's report to the House Committee on Pacific Railroads, in regard to the Northern Pacific route, says:

In a military sense the extension of this railroad from Bismarck to the Yellowstone, and up the valley of that river as far as the mouth of the Big Horn, will be beyond any estimate of advantage the Quartermaster-General may make, because this railroad will transport men and supplies for ten if not twelve months in the year, while the Missouri river and Yellowstone are barely navigable for light-draft steamers for two, at most three months in the year. The extension of the road will stimulate emigrants to occupy the line of the Yellowstone east and west to such an extent as to form a barrier to the nomadic Indians who have heretofore gone back and forth from the Sioux reservation south, to British territory north, and will enable us in a very few years to give up Forts Keogh and Custer, each requiring for garrison a full regiment of infantry and four companies of cavalry. These could then be moved north to the British line. By this process we could divide the hostile Sioux, and can subdue either moiety with more certainty and much less cost than now.

The committee will meet to-morrow, and it is expected that they will agree to report favorably on the bill introduced.

Pursuit of Papers—Preparing for the Campaign—The Fishery Question.

CHICAGO, May 13th.—The *Journal's* Washington's special says: The Clerk of Senator Voorhees' exodus committee left for Georgia a few days ago, carrying with him all the papers belonging to the committee, and Senator Voorhees has started the Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms after him to obtain the papers if possible.

Colonel Keogh, Secretary of the National Republican Committee, left for Chicago to-day, where he will open an office on Tuesday next to furnish information to delegates and others.

Secretary Evarts will transmit to the House to-day or to-morrow the correspondence with the British Government relating to the Fortune Bay outrage, accompanied by a letter taking a bold stand in favor of legislative action regarding our fishing interests. It is believed that he will favor the restoration of the duty on fish as the only means by which they can be brought to their senses in regard to the rights of American fishermen under the provisions of the treaty of Washington.

The Forest Fire in Pennsylvania.

BRADFORD, May 12th.—Shortly after noon to-day a fire again started in the timber-land at the head of Fosterbrook valley, eight miles from Bradford. That section is thickly studded with derricks and tanks. The wind was blowing a gale, and the fire swept over the ridges, consuming everything like so many reeds. Continuing, the fire swept down Train Hollow, a prolific portion of the oil-field, burning rigs, small tanks and buildings. The villages of Oil Center and Adamsville, with the exception of one or two houses, were entirely destroyed. To-night the 25,000-barrel iron tank of Mitchell & Jones is in flames. No villages being located near, the danger from that source is not great. At Baker trestle, on the Kendall and Eldred Railroad, seven miles from the place of starting, a 5,000-barrel tank is now burning. The railroad trestle will be destroyed, preventing trains from running. About dark this evening the town of Duke Center, a place of one thousand inhabitants, was threatened. The fire organization from this city went to that place in response to a telegram for assistance. Near that town are a dozen huge iron tanks, from which hundreds of men are now driving back the flames. A mile above Duke Center a nitro-glycerine repository came in the course of the flames and exploded with terrible force. The territory over which the fire swept is so wide, and the points so inaccessible, it is impossible to gain correct information as to the actual loss. It is estimated that two hundred rigs, besides the volume of oil, have been destroyed. Duke Center is still safe at midnight. A falling tree struck a man named William Reed, inflicting fatal injuries. No other person was hurt.

BRADFORD, May 13th.—The fire among the wells in the neighborhood of Duke Center have been subdued, and the town is regarded out of danger. The 25,000-barrel iron tank of Mitchell & Jones on the White farm is still burning. To-day the 10,000-barrel tank at Baker Trestle, on the Kendell and Eldred Railroad, made an overflow, and the trestle was burned, interfering with the movements of trains. Rather formidable fires broke out this evening near Coleville and Bardell, but a large force of men have fought it bravely, and now have them under control. The number of rigs destroyed last evening will reach 300. Fires still prevail in some sections of Tram Hollow, but the greatest danger thereabouts is regarded as past.

NEW YORK, May 13th.—Oil City dispatches say that two Tide Water tanks, containing 36,000 barrels of oil are burning, three having already been destroyed.

SCRANTON, May 13th.—The forest fires on Pocono mountain, on the line of the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad, cover an area of twenty miles wide. Over 1,000,000 feet of lumber is already destroyed at Tobyhanna.

Destructive Fire.

POUGHKEEPSIE (N. Y.), May 13th.—The foundry and railway buildings, a large ice-house and stores at Stuyvesant are burning. The Hudson River Railway track is blocked with the ruins of the fire and the rails are warped. Trains are stopped each side of the fire, and the telegraph wires are down.

THE VILLAGE DESTROYED.

HUDSON (N. Y.), May 13th.—The village of Stuyvesant, 11 miles north of this city, was destroyed by fire this morning, involving a loss of over $200,000. The fire caught in the storehouse of the New York and Catskill Steamship Company. Among the buildings burned are the Postoffice, house of the New Jersey Ice Company, railroad depot, Clapp's Hotel, Stuyvesant iron foundry, St. Mary's Church and all the buildings on both sides of the railroad track, covering a radius of over a square mile. Among the fine residences destroyed is that of Senator Wendover. A tramp giving the name of James Smith was arrested charged with causing the fire.

The New Jersey Fires.

ATLANTIC CITY, May 13th.—Although there are no forest fires within ten miles of this place, clouds of cinders are continually falling over the city. The loss in this county in live stock, buildings, timber, etc., destroyed, is estimated at $200,000, and to vineyards around Egg Harbor City at $20,000. In Galloway county thirty buildings were destroyed.

Factory Burned.

MILWAUKEE, May 13th.—Early this morning the factory of the Mihills Manufacturing Company, at Fond du Lac, was entirely destroyed by fire. The works consisted of the main building, warehouse, storehouse and several outbuildings. Five cars, loading from the factory, were burned. The loss is estimated at $125,000; insurance, $70,000. One hundred and fifty men are thrown out of employment.

Westward-Bound Passengers.

OMAHA, May 13th.—The following through passengers were on to-day's train, leaving at 12:15 P. M., to arrive in Sacramento May 16th: Frank B. Knight, Omaha; L. L. Robinson, O. D. Lambard, San Francisco; J. B. Lippincott and wife, Philadelphia; J. M. Holcomb, Plainfield, N. J.; J. A. Curtis, New York; —— Millerford, Morristown, N. J.; G. A. Crittenden, New York; R. S. Barber and family, Horicon, Wis.

Eighty-eight through emigrants left on last night's emigrant train, to arrive in Sacramento May 19th.

Pedestrianism at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 13th.—The walking match which has been in progress since Monday morning, and in which each pedestrian walks twelve hours out of the twenty-four for six days, is developing some new men and some very fast walkers. Three of them have beaten the best time on record. The score at 1 P. M. stood: Olmstead 189, Sherry 188, Crowley 188, Campagna 179, Crossland 171, and five others following at some distance.

Attempted Assassination in New York.

NEW YORK, May 13th.—A dastardly attempt was made yesterday by some party or parties unknown to kill Spanish Consul-General Hypolito Duriarte by means of an infernal machine by means of a package concealed among his letters, about eight inches long and three wide, done up in a brown paper box. He used his penknife to open it, and immediately he took the cover off the box there was a loud explosion, and some balls of fire shot out of the box, burning the carpet and the Consul's coat, and scorching his hands; but otherwise doing no further damage. Examination of the box showed that its purpose was to kill the person who opened it. Inside of it was a quantity of gunpowder, a large percussion cap, and what is supposed to be nitro-glycerine. It was postmarked "Philadelphia, private." Detectives have been set to work. The Consul-General has no idea as to who sent him the deadly package, but surmises that it is a Cuban plot to destroy the life of a Spanish official.

The M. E. Conference—Fourth Bishop Elected.

CINCINNATI, May 13th.—On the second ballot E. O. Haven had the most votes, Fowler and Walton next; on the next ballot Haven was elected.

FURTHER ELECTIONS.

CINCINNATI, May 13th.—The M. E. Conference to-day elected Revs. J. M. Reed and C. H. Fowler Missionary Bishops, the vote being by ballot.

Sympathy for Kearney in New York.

NEW YORK, May 13th.—An indignation meeting, protesting against the confinement of Denis Kearney in California, was held last night by the English-speaking section of the Socialistic Labor party. Addresses were made denouncing the sentence, and resolutions passed sympathizing with the prisoner. Subscriptions will be taken up to pay the fine of $1,000 imposed on Kearney.

The Death Penalty.

BRIDGEPORT (Conn.), May 13th.—Edwin Hoyt was hanged to-day. His death was instantaneous.

LEBANON (Pa.), May 13th.—The execution of Brindt, Humel and Wise, for the murder of Ruber in order to obtain his life insurance, took place this morning. Wise made a statement on the scaffold confessing the guilt of all. Religious services were held on the platform, and all the prisoners appeared reconciled to their fate. The death of all three seemed to instantly follow the springing of the trap.

Judge Field in Indiana.

CHICAGO, May 13th.— Indiana develops quite a boom among the Democrats in favor of Judge Field, some of the most promin