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(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.)

OUR NATIVE SONS.

Indians to be Instructed in the Arts of Peace and Industry.

WASHINGTON, December 10th.—A commission consisting of Bishop Doane of Minnesota, Major John V. Wright, of Tennessee, and Colonel C. W. Larrabee, of Indiana, officers appointed under an act of Congress to negotiate with the Indians of the various tribes and bands of Indians in Minnesota, Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington Territory, have submitted to General Atkins, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, a report of their operations up to December 1, 1886. The report says that two separate and distinct agreements have been effected as the result of the negotiations with the Indians of the White Earth, Leech Lake, Cass Lake, Winnepig and White Oak Point reservations, and the Gull River Reservation, in Minnesota, and the Red Lake Reservation. By the terms of the agreement with the former, and other scattered bands of Chippewas, concluded August 11, 1886, the unoccupied lands of the White Earth reservation are thrown open for all the tribes and bands of Chippewas in Minnesota, the Indians now occupying the reservation (which contains about 800,000 acres) to be made selections for themselves. The quantity of land each Indian will be entitled to receive under the agreement is as follows: Each head of a family, 160 acres; single person over 18 years of age, 80 acres; orphan child under 18 years of age, 40 acres; any other person over 18 years of age, 20 acres. The Indians are to have the benefit of, and to be subject to the criminal laws of the State in all offenses, the penalty for which is death or imprisonment in the State penitentiary. Provision is also made for the support of Indians removing to White Earth, to be continued until they are able to take care of themselves, but in no event to exceed two years. Each head of a family, and each male Indian over 18 years of age, when he becomes a permanent resident upon his allotment, will be provided with a comfortable household, consisting of a cow, oxen, plow, wagon, and cow and an ax and other implements of husbandry. Each Indian shall have five acres of land broken for him, and be provided with a cow and the first crop. Industrial and district schools are to be established for all children on the reservation.

National Capital Notes.

WASHINGTON, December 10th.—The death of Representative Downey, which was announced to-day, swells to twelve the death list of the Forty-ninth Congress. It is as follows: Vice-President Hendricks, Representative Downey, Representative New Hampshire, Representative Ellsworth of Illinois, Rankin of Wisconsin, Hahn of Louisiana, Beach, Arnot and Dowdney of the West, and the late Representative Cole of Maryland, and Duncan of Pennsylvania. The President was so much improved in health to-day that he was able to resume his public duties. In addition, he received about fifty callers in his private office, most of whom were members of Congress.

Sudden Death of a Congressman.

WASHINGTON, December 10th.—After reading a telegram from the State of New York announcing with sorrow and regret, the death of his colleague, Abraham Dowdney, and offered resolutions expressive of the respect which the House and Senate received by the House, and providing for a joint committee of the Senate and House to attend the funeral. The resolutions were adopted, and the adjournment to to-morrow. [Representative Dowdney died at his residence, in Madison avenue, New York city, at 10 o'clock this morning. He was stricken with apoplexy while entering his home last night.]

The Jersey Style.

A Wounded Duellist Whacks Away at His Adversary.

TRENTON (N. J.), December 10th.—Public attention has been diverted to a respective duel between two Jersey belles, which took place yesterday at a dueling site on the Delaware river, opposite this city, early yesterday morning. The duelists, a young man and a young woman, were both dressed in the latest fashion of honor, and were a Trenton duellist and a sporting man of this city, and the difficulty which led up to the encounter is said to have had its origin in a dispute as to the rights of the belligerents to pay court to a pretty Jersey belle. The immediate friends of the interested parties to the alleged duel, who were present, but a gentleman who said he knew all about the hostile meeting, and how it resulted, said: "There were seven persons in the party, which left Trenton by a train at 10 o'clock this morning. One of the seconds was a Princeton student. A Trenton physician also went along. The bill near the old brewery at Edgemoor Grove was the scene of the duel. The regulation distance was paced off, and the principals took their positions. Revolvers were the weapons. The first shots exchanged went wide of the mark. The second shot, which was fired by the young man, fell to the ground, being shot by the duellist. The bullet had entered his left shoulder. While he lay on the ground, the other duellist struck him in the right shoulder. The two duellists were then driven back to town, but unless their wounds prove serious, won't divulge their names."

LO! THE POOR INDIAN.

He Plays Sad Havo on the Pale-faced Maidens.

NEW YORK, December 10th.—While Judge Wood was in the home of a Jersey City last evening, a carriage stopped at the door, and a richly-dressed young girl alighted. She was assisted from the coach by a young man of fashionable complexion. The girl wore a sashkin dolman, black satin dress and diamonds. Her companion was dressed in a Prince Albert coat, black waistcoat and a white cravat. They entered the house and told the Judge they were Cloud Foot, one of the Indians attached to the Buffalo Bill show at Madison Square Garden, and were a young man and a young woman. The girl's name is this is the third white girl who has eloped with a full-blooded Indian since Buffalo Bill's show has been here.

WORKED TO DEATH.

A Wealthy Banker Distracted from Overwork, Kills Himself.

CHICAGO, December 10th.—A special to the Inter-Ocean from Fort Wayne, Indiana, says: Oscar A. Simons, President of the First National Bank, and a man of distinguished position, had been suffering for some time from nervous prostration, the result of overwork. To-day his ailment became unbearable, and telling his brother-in-law, (Emmons) that he could endure no longer, Simons jerked a revolver from a bureau drawer and shot himself through the temple. The dead man was the wealthiest citizen of Fort Wayne.

Congressional Proceedings.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, December 10th.—The House amendment to the Senate bill for the relief of the graduates of the United States Military Academy, and to fix their pay was among the matters submitted by the presiding officer when the Senate met to-day. The amendment provides that cadets shall be allowed full pay as Second Lieutenants from the date of their graduation to the date of their acceptance of commissions. The amendment was concurred in, and the bill now goes to the President.

Roach and His Employees.

NEW YORK, December 10th.—A large part of John Roach's property was sold at auction yesterday. The sale proceeds today. Rumors of dissatisfaction among Roach's boiler-makers were current yesterday. It was said the foreman in the shop and another employe had, by direct of Roach, been trying to break up boiler-makers Independent Union by using and compelling men in the shop to join the Knights of Labor.

MATTERS ABROAD.

SPECULATIONS CONCERNING A EUROPEAN WAR.

Lifeboat Crews Lost—Proposed Pacific Cable—Legislation for Ireland—The Rival Oarsmen.

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O'CONNOR'S WAR.

He Has It All Arranged for February Next.

LONDON, December 10th.—O'Connor cables to the Star from London of the 9th: A European war is now definitely looked for. The commencement of hostilities is expected in February next, at the latest. It is generally believed that Russia hopes the weather at that time should permit military operations on the enormous scale necessary to carry out the plan of campaign supposed to have been decided on. It is generally believed that Russia hopes to first to move, springing upon Austria without warning. Travelers returning from Russia report extraordinary secrecy in military quarters, and cessation of movement of troops toward the German and Austrian frontiers. The work on ironclads is being pushed with feverish haste. Armies and navy yards are reported to be working night and day. It is believed here that the situation is the deliberate creation of Bismarck.

MEXICO.

Public Sentiment Opposed to Capital Punishment.

CITY OF MEXICO, December 10th.—Public opinion in this country is so strong against the death penalty that it is believed that it will not be generally adopted. Francisco Del Moral, whose execution was set for yesterday, would suffer the full penalty of the law. His crime was the murder of a French resident of this city nearly two years ago. His case has occupied much attention, and the French Minister, in his private capacity, expressed his opinion that his sentence should be commuted, but President Diaz refused to allow the law to be interfered with, and the criminal was shot by a file of soldiers, who, favorably protesting his innocence to the last.

FAVORABLE TO A NEW TREATY.

CITY OF MEXICO, December 10th.—President Cleveland's expression of a desire for negotiation for a new commercial treaty with Mexico has been warmly received by the press and Government of this country.

CANADA.

Arrangements Progressing for a Pacific Ocean Cable.

MONTREAL, December 10th.—Within the past month immense strides have been made toward the realization of a Pacific cable scheme, and now every prospect is that it will be an accomplished fact at an early date. The project was first announced by the Hon. J. G. Macdonald, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, in a speech made at Ottawa on the 27th of last month. He stated that the cable would be laid from Victoria, British Columbia, to San Francisco, California, and that the route would be through the Gulf of Alaska and the Bering Sea. The project has since been approved by the British Government, and the necessary arrangements are being made for the laying of the cable.

It Might Do in Arizona.

NEW YORK, December 10th.—The statement has been published that Captain Ericsson is in the vicinity of some of the hot springs in Arizona, and is engaged in an experiment to utilize the heat of the sun's rays. The rays are concentrated upon a boiler, and the steam produced is used to drive a small engine. The experiment is said to be successful, and it is believed that the same principle might be applied to the production of power in other parts of the world.

INCREASED HIS EARNINGS.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), December 10th.—A Winnipeg special to the Pioneer Press says the earnings of the Atlantic Pacific for the month last year.

Thirteen Persons Drowned.

LONDON, December 10th.—A life-boat was wrecked on the coast of Ireland, and thirteen persons drowned. The life-boat was carrying a crew of thirteen, and was en route to assist a vessel, and was also lost. The survivors of the one of the life-boat crews say that instead of righting her self the boat remained bottom up, and that five of her number were under it or among the wreckage. Three of the crew were drowned, and two others were rescued.

HANLAN TO TACKLE BEACH.

LONDON, December 10th.—Edward Hanlan, the oarsman, sails for Canada to-day, being asked when his match with Beach on the Nepean river, New South Wales, would be taken place. It is believed that it should be taken place in June; the stakes would be \$5,000 a side, and Beach would allow him expenses.

HANLAN'S ULTIMATUM.

LONDON, December 10th.—Hanlan has deposited his ultimatum to Beach, and has stipulated that the race shall be according to the same articles, and over the same course, as his race with Laycock. Hanlan will sail to Australia to-day, and will accept of a receipt of a message from Beach, confirming his acceptance of the challenge.

Vigorous Measures for Ireland.

NEW YORK, December 10th.—The Star's London special says the final draft of Irish measures submitted to Lord Hartington. They have been fully approved by Hartington. It is expected that immediate action against the Irish Land League will be taken by the British Government. The measures include a bill to amend the Land League Act, and a bill to amend the Land League Act, and a bill to amend the Land League Act.

The Car Meant No Harm.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 10th.—An official messenger says the recall of the Russian Agents was not intended to sever the relations between Russia and Bulgaria. It only signified that Russia refused to recognize the legality of the condition of affairs under which an insignificant minority seized the supreme power in Bulgaria. It was entitled to guide Bulgarian destinies and make the people its tool. Revolutionary passions have had a pernicious effect upon the public morality in Bulgaria.

A Naval Pestilence Guaranteed.

LONDON, December 10th.—The Queen has forbidden the admission into the household of Windsor Castle, or within the precincts of newspapers containing reports of the Cambell divorce case. Lady Campbell gave her evidence to-day with perfect composure and the fullest self-possession. She gave ready responses to the questions asked. She wore a plain blue serge dress and black bonnet. Her whole style was that of simple elegance. She is tall, lithe and shapely, and has full black eyes, with a clear, plain complexion.

Parliament's First Work.

LONDON, December 10th.—The Cabinet met to-day and will not come together again until after Christmas. The order of business in the coming session of Parliament was revised. The session will open with the introduction of a coercion bill, including special provisions for the suppression of boycotting.

PACIFIC COAST.

BONANZA OF BONES.

Ghastly Discoveries Made in the Mud Flats of the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 10th.—(Special.)—A few days ago, in the mud flats of the bay, near the Potrero, in the southern part of the city, a skeleton was found. This led to prospecting the locality for means to identify the bones, with the result that the next day another skeleton was unearthed, and to-day a large number of skeletons were brought to light. In the ghastly collection there are no less than seven skulls, and the femurs and tibias found represent the remains of fifteen persons. The locality where the bones were found is known as the Bonanza of Bones.

ASTER WITH TAKES.

Of foul deeds and wholesale murders. The fact that two of the skulls have holes in them is believed to confirm such a supposition. Another theory is that they are the bones of pauper inmates of some public institutions that have been dumped into the bay by men employed to bury them, as the easiest way of disposing of them. A full investigation will be made by the Coroner.

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