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IRRIGATIONISTS SEND MESSAGE TO ROOSEVELT.

RECLAMATION OF ARID LANDS

Western Section of National Association Oppose Any Recommendation to Congress Intrusting Operations to State Control.

(By Associated Press.)

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 19.—The executive committee of the Southern California section of the National Irrigation association has formulated a telegram of protest which has been sent to President Roosevelt.

The telegram calls the president's attention to a telegram sent out from Washington to the effect that he would recommend to congress a line of action for the reclamation of the arid lands which would have the effect of intrusting to the states, instead of the agents of the federal government, the systematic development of the plans for irrigation works.

The telegram also calls the president's attention to his letter of November 16, 1900, to the National Irrigation congress at Chicago, which, it is said, "Crystallized the sentiment dominating that convention, that the reclamation of the arid lands must be kept absolutely within the control of the national government."

NEWS STORIES BRIEFLY TOLD

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Bessie Kessler, aged 9 years, died here of lockjaw. She had recently been vaccinated.

JUNCTION CITY, Kas.—An unidentified soldier from Fort Riley shot and killed two men on the street here.

MENOMINEE, Mich.—It is reported here that Indians are on the warpath around the headwaters of Eagle river.

BERLIN.—The sugar refinery at Neufahr, Wasser, western Prussia, has been destroyed by fire at a loss of four million marks.

MARION, Ind.—The affairs of the fruit jar combine have been closed, and from this time every firm will be independent.

SAN FRANCISCO.—G. S. Snow, a miner from Granite, Colo., was found asphyxiated in his bed at the International hotel.

WASHINGTON.—Army officers wholly discredit the published story of the reported conspiracy to secure the independence of Alaska.

LONDON.—Mrs. Victoria Woodhull Martin announces that the Humanitarian Magazine will cease publication with the December number.

LONDON.—The Indian government has abolished the sword for the cavalry, and a short rifle will be issued to all mounted troops in India.

WICHITA, Kan.—Mary Mark, convicted of killing her babe, born out of wedlock, has been sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary.

KANSAS CITY.—The annual flower show opened in Convention hall with a large attendance and exhibits from florists in many states.

SEATTLE.—Products of Alaska valued at \$200,000 were brought to Seattle as the cargo of a single vessel, the Senator, Capt. James B. Patterson.

BAKU, Russia.—An oil well on ground rented from the crown by the Baku Naptha company has started gushing at the rate of a million poods daily.

BERLIN.—It is authoritatively announced that the North German Lloyd Steamship company does not intend to raise a loan in the United States.

WASHINGTON.—The assistant treasurer at New York reported the purchase of \$1,715,000 of 4 per cent bonds \$1,614,000 short four and \$23,000 five yesterday.

WASHINGTON.—A dispatch an-

nounces that the postoffice at Freemansburg, W. Va., was robbed and burned Sunday morning. No loss is stated.

DALLAS, Texas.—News from Hardin county confirms the report that a well of almost pure lubricating oil has been brought in, that flows 150 barrels per day.

SEATTLE.—All the testimony and evidence for and against John W. Considine, charged with the murder of ex-Chief of Police Meredith, is now before the jury.

BRUSSELS.—The Petit Bleu asserts that the wife and family of former President Stein of the Orange Free State have been deported from South Africa.

LONDON.—Lord Kitchener cabling to the war office from Pretoria, reports that since November 7 the British have killed 45 and wounded 16 Boers and that 297 have been taken prisoners.

SEATTLE.—Winter travel to the Koyukuk will begin December 1. On that date Archie Burns of this city leaves for the most northern placer gold diggings of Alaska.

AUGUSTA, Me.—Although the legislature passed a law imposing a maximum penalty of 10 years' imprisonment for negligence or carelessness which should result in the shooting of a human being by hunters, the record of such fatalities in this state during the present season is very heavy.

CHICAGO.—Three hundred telephone connections on the South Side were severed by wire cutters and the long-distance service of several suburbs put out of business.

ST. LOUIS.—Chief of Detectives Desmond received a capias today for Ben Kilpatrick from Sheriff Howze of Paint Rock, Texas, where Kilpatrick is wanted for the murder of William Thornton.

DENVER.—The charge against Attorney W. W. Anderson, for having shot F. G. Bonfills, one of the proprietors of the Post, has been nolle prossed in the criminal court with the consent of the district attorney.

COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Orders have been received at the Columbus barracks to forward 350 men, with six officers, to San Francisco, from which point they will go to the Philippines.

WASHINGTON.—Gov. William Jenkins of Oklahoma, in his annual report, makes a strong plea for statehood, saying that the past rapid development of the material interests of the territory insures its future.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind.—In all probability the trial of Newell C. Rathbun will go over until the February term of court, when the regular grand jury will be in session in Jeffersonville.

DENVER.—The third battalion of the Twenty-third infantry, now in the department of Colorado, has been ordered to Atlanta to relieve the Twenty-third infantry, which will probably go to the Philippines next month.

WASHINGTON.—The Irish parliamentary leaguers who are touring this country agitating the Irish cause, were given a special audience by President Roosevelt.

BERLIN.—Emperor William participated in the debate of the Society of Naval Engineers on the subject of placing heavy guns on battleships and its effect on their design and construction.

MADISONVILLE, Ky.—The man who was killed in the battle at Providence, Saturday, Garret Stevens, is a negro, living here. Bud Couch, mortally wounded, is also a negro, and both were union men in the attacking party.

NEW YORK.—O. B. Wheeler, Jr., charged with forging the names of a number of prominent business men of Chicago to a sheet of notes aggregating on their faces \$103,000, has been committed for trial.

WASHINGTON.—Baron von Hengel-muller, ambassador from Austro-Hungary to the United States, who has just returned from a vacation of several months, spent in Vienna, called upon President Roosevelt.

NEW YORK.—More than 50 delegates from various parts of the United States, were present yesterday when President E. W. Babb called the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic union to order.

OTTAWA, Ont.—Cables are passing between the imperial and dominion government in regard to the routing of an other contingent of troops forming in Canada for service in South Africa.

LONDON.—At the National Sporting club Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia last night defeated Frank Craig, the "Harlem Coffee Cooler," after seven rounds of a 10-round bout.

WASHINGTON.—General Chaffee has issued a general order highly commending the conduct of a detachment of the First infantry, which made a scout into the Island of Samar from August 13 to 25 last.

PHILADELPHIA.—William Fischer Norris, professor of ophthalmology in the University of Pennsylvania, and a widely-known oculist, died at his home here, aged 63 years.

SANTIAGO DE CHILE.—Henry L. Wilson, United States minister to Chile, has left Santiago on a tour of the country. He will visit all of the principal estates, mines and manufactories.

WASHINGTON.—The surgeon general of the Marine hospital service has been advised of the death of Acting Assistant Surgeon S. Eldridge, who was on duty in the office of the consul general at the port of Yokohama.

EVANSVILLE, Ind.—A bench warrant was issued today for Wilbur Sherwell, a patrolman of several years standing, on the charge of complicity in the murder of Lena Rinner, whose dead body was found on the highway recently.

SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamer Valerick of the Northern Salmon fleet has arrived with 20,000 cases of salmon. The whaling bark Gayhead also arrived. She brought 600 barrels of oil and 8000 pounds of whalebone.

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FEARFUL COLLISION ON GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.

TEN JAPANESE ARE KILLED

Freight and Work Trains Crash Together Near Culbertson—Beside the Dead 28 Others Are Terribly Injured.

(By Associated Press.)

Great Falls, Nov. 19.—Ten Japanese laborers were killed and 28 injured, three probably fatally, and the others more or less seriously, in a collision between a freight train and a work train on the Great Northern railroad, near Culbertson, a station close to the eastern boundary of this state, Sunday morning.

The freight train was running at a rate of speed estimated at 25 miles per hour; the work train was stationary.

Rounding a curve, the freight crashed into the work train and sad havoc followed.

One of the cars in the work train was a bunk or sleeping car.

In this there were 41 Japanese laborers. But three of them escaped death or injury.

The story told by the survivors is that the most awful scenes followed the crash.

Men Horribly Mangled. Wounded men lay about everywhere, horribly mangled. The ground was soaked with blood and the shrieks of the injured were agonizing.

The car contained a stove and the wreckage was soon ignited. The train men and the three uninjured Japanese worked swiftly to save the victims from the certain death in the flames.

By dint of extraordinary effort on the part of the uninjured, none were incinerated. The fire communicated to the other cars in the train and altogether seven of them were burned.

Such help as Culbertson offered was speedily summoned and as soon as possible a special train was sent from Glasgow, a division point, with surgeons and other assistance.

Wounded Taken to Great Falls. The wounded men were brought to Glasgow, where they remained until this morning, when the more seriously injured were brought to Great Falls, on a special train.

Those who were not so badly hurt were cared for at Glasgow.

The special train from Glasgow with its ghastly burden of dead and dying, was met at the station in Great Falls by willing men eager to lend every assistance. The injured were taken to the hospitals where their wounds were dressed. It is the opinion of the surgeons that three of the men in the hospitals will die, and perhaps others may also succumb.

Few of the Japanese are able to tell a correct story of the disaster, owing to their inability to speak English. Their tales, however, simple and broken as they are, tell the horrible experience which they underwent.

Inquest at Glasgow. Wrecking crews have cleared the track and traffic has been resumed. An inquest was held at Glasgow last night.

Sunday's disaster is the second of the kind that has occurred on the Great Northern within recent months. The previous accident took place near Kalispell, in the extreme northwestern portion of Montana, when 36 laborers were killed.

Colon Rawles in Command. (By Associated Press.) San Francisco, Nov. 19.—Col. J. B. Rawles, artillery corps, will be commanding officer of the department, during the absence of General Young, who has gone to Washington to serve on a board appointed to make arrangements

for the establishment of new army posts, the abandonment of others and the improvement of some which are not adequate to meet the present needs of the army. It is expected that the general will return about the middle of December.

JESUITS ARE RETURNING. M. Waldeck Rousseau's Law of Associations Strengthens Orders. (By Associated Press.)

New York, Nov. 19.—A Paris correspondent points out that the proceedings of congress at Lille have opened the eyes of foreign observers, who had exaggerated the practical importance of M. Waldeck Rousseau's law of associations.

The Jesuits are either returning or are already back in France, while, if the Assumptionists have really received a severe blow their propaganda, through secular instruments, is not seriously compromised.

The new law really strengthens such orders as secure authorization. The socialists and radicals are beginning to accuse M. Waldeck Rousseau of being reactionary and of giving a charter of liberty to the religious orders.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—Rev. Dr. H. Greer, of St. Bartholomew's church, will today be unanimously elected bishop of the new Episcopal diocese of Western Massachusetts.

ENLARGE LOCOMOTIVE WORKS. Future of Rogers Plant Discussed by Prominent Railroad Men. (By Associated Press.)

New York, Nov. 19.—It is reported that the Rogers Locomotive works at Paterson, N. J., recently purchased by a syndicate, will be enlarged. A visit by a party of prominent railroad men has started considerable discussion concerning the future of the plant.

The visiting party consisted of President F. D. Underwood of the Erie railroad; his assistant, Daniel Williard, William C. Van Horn, K. G. C., president of the Canadian Pacific railroad, and E. B. Hopkins, a New York banker and broker. They were met at the works by John Havron, president of the new Rogers company, and escorted over the premises.

There is said to be a scarcity of heavy draught locomotives throughout the country, and a constant demand for them from all the great freight lines.

OPPOSE OLMUTZ UNIVERSITY. Religious Conflict Between Germans and Czechs in Moravia. (By Associated Press.)

New York, Nov. 19.—A Vienna correspondent says the Germans are opposing the foundation of a Czech university at Olmutz, Moravia.

Public meetings have been held, at which it has been proclaimed that the Czechs are determined to revive the nationality contest in its most acute form.

The pope has issued an apostolic brief to the Moravian and Bohemian bishops enjoining them to keep out of the conflict, lest they inspire hatred and aversion on one side or the other.

The Catholics of the Tyrol refuse to attend a meeting called and addressed by Dr. Lueger, burgo-master of Vienna and leader of the Ultramontane Christian socialists.

Sultan Appoints Grand Vizier. (By Associated Press.)

New York, Nov. 19.—Commenting on the selection of the sultan's new vizier, a Constantinople correspondent says Abdur Rahman Pasha, when the grand vizierate was offered to him, made the removal of two ministers the condition of his acceptance.

The sultan thereupon appointed Said Pasha, whose aptitude for combining the internal difficulties and counteracting the designs of young Turkey partly recommended him to his majesty.

Morgan Wants London Shipyard. New York, Nov. 19.—According to a London correspondent, the Daily Express publishes a rumor that J. P. Morgan is negotiating for the purchase of one of the largest of the British ship yards, where he can build twenty-one knot steamers.

BUTTE CURRENT NOTES

Card party, Nov. 27, Fidelity hall.

For the three months ending October 31 there were 256 deaths in Butte.

Orton Bros.—Pianos and organs. Local sportsmen are preparing to hold a turkey shoot on Thanksgiving day.

Dr. John McIntyre is attending to Dr. Renick's practice during his absence.

Mrs. Adele Teague has come from Townsend to teach in the Butte schools. Tablets, envelopes and writing paper of all kinds at the P. O. News Stand.

E. B. Howell, attorney-at-law, Rooms 54 and 55, Silver Bow block. At Sutton's new theater tonight "The Casino Girl" will be presented.

Ella Knowles Haskell, attorney at law; offices, Silver Bow blk., room No. 32. According to statistics from Washington, there are 2832 Chinese and 6 Japanese in Montana.

J. G. Bates, tuner, Montana Music Co., 119 North Main st. Telephone 504. Maggie Grosso was buried this afternoon from the residence of her parents in Meaderville.

We are the agents of the Hall Safe Co.; large safes made to order, smaller sizes carried in stock. Montana Liquor company.

The body of Patrick Toher, a miner, who fell dead Saturday, has been sent to his old home in New Jersey for burial.

There is no odor of burning tarred rope or shoe leather in the aroma of a Harvard cigar. All the best Havana tobacco filler.

Owen McFadden, a miner employed at Dillon by O. K. Drybrough, this city, was crushed to death by the cars while at work.

All the members of the William Tell Benevolent society are requested to be present at the funeral of their deceased brother, Peter Patrall, Wednesday at 2 p. m. at 18 South Arizona.

There was no meeting of the Walkerville council last evening, not enough aldermen being present to constitute a quorum.

The boys in the trenches in the Philippines are looking forward to their Xmas boxes from the states. Are you going to forget them? It is time to think about getting the Xmas box ready. Be

sure it includes a box of Harvard cigars.

A number of Butte carpenters quit work yesterday because some of the contractors declined to advance wages from \$4.50 to \$5 per day.

There will be a match bowling game at the Thornton alley tonight between Kitto and Perham on one side and Fisher and Sheehan on the other.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to M. Kirschwing and Alecia Demars, both of Butte; A. P. Griffin and Lulu Fowler, both of Butte; D. A. Porter and Mabel Myers.

Trial Jury Chosen. A panel of jurymen was today selected and sworn in to try criminal and other cases in Judge McClernan's court.

Out of 50 men brought in by summons on a venire for 100 \$3 were retained. They will try the murder and other felony cases set for trial and on the docket.

The names of the jurymen are as follows: Bert Selfridge, Emery Saville, Fred Schassberger, Mike Perko, Henry Northey, William Schultz, J. W. Wilson, Edwin Gavin, Richard Mulholland, Morris Neer, Frank E. Pettit, John Nance, Archibald Woodberry, A. C. Leech, Michael Boran, John Kelsey, E. J. Bretherton, W. T. Allen, I. J. Marks, Peter J. Sullivan, F. G. Chace, W. C. Young, Joseph V. Long, D. E. Liddle, Michael Martin, H. H. Harris, Pat Walsh, Andrew Linquist, James L. Casey, George Tippet, William Trudeau, James Bertona, John Hosking.

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