

The Avant Courier.

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News of the Week.

California is building another State prison. Gen. Sheridan has gone to locate the new military post in the Black Hills.

The hearing of the Fitz-John Porter case is now being had at West Point. Thirty-two officers of the regular army were placed on the retired list by the last Congress.

The Railway Age says the prospects for the completion of the Northern Pacific Railroad is good.

A grand reception was tendered Lord Beaconsfield on his return to England from Constantinople.

William Cullen Bryant usually slept through the sermon in church, and his days were long in the land.

The struggle at the election in Germany on the 30th inst., according to all reports, will be a severe one.

Congress appropriated \$8,000 for the purpose of observing the total solar eclipse to occur on the 29th of July.

The employees in the Brooklyn Tax Collector's office were promoted lately. An explosion did it for them.

A number of persons died from the effects of cholera in Illinois and Iowa, and about the middle of the present month.

Indian Commissioner Hoyt has recently unearthed an almost unlimited amount of fraud at the Crow Creek Agency, Dakota.

The gambling license at Carson City, Nevada, in one year and three months is \$17,000. Half of that sum goes to the State.

Edmond wants to move 200 miles from the Missouri river, and Spotted Tail is equally determined to remove 50 miles from the river.

Ten thousand nail makers are on a strike in England for an advance of 30 percent in wages. Ten thousand more were to join the strike last week.

Two camps of freighters were washed away by a water-spout on Rapid Creek, Black Hills, on the 11th inst., one man being drowned and much property destroyed.

Queer people they have in the Black Hills. The Central City Telegraph-Herald says: "Several Falsebottom ladies gave a pleasant surprise to some of their Bob-tail friends, at Lincoln, Saturday."

The heat on the 14th, 15th and 16th in Chicago, St. Louis and other eastern cities was very intense. Many persons and animals were struck down on the 15th inst., the deaths in St. Louis from heat reached fifty-four.

Bishop Merrill, of Logan, has the contract to grade 35 miles of the Ogden & Northern Railway, from Oneida to Pocatello, to be completed in fifty days. This will give Ogden control of the entire trade of Montana, Idaho and Eastern Oregon by next fall.—Ogden Freeman

On Tuesday the great Suro Tunnel of Virginia City, Nevada, was completed. The rush of air through was so strong that it put out lanterns, until the equilibrium was restored and the mine thoroughly ventilated. It is over 20,000 feet in length, and cost nearly \$4,000,000.

Half a mile of iron per day is the extent of shipments from here for the extension of the Ogden & Northern road. It has been decided to cross Snake river where Old Fort Hall stood, so as to build the winter terminus north of the Indian reservation.—Ogden Freeman

A simple act of justice was performed by the last Iowa legislature, in the passage of a bill to pay \$1,500 to an innocent man who was wrongfully imprisoned in the State prison four years, after which his innocence was fully proved. The only possible fault to find with the action above is that the amount appropriated by the bill is not large enough. The statutes of every State should make provisions for the payment of a good salary to every person imprisoned, for the time served in prison, on clear proof of innocence of the crime for the supposed commission of which such imprisonment was enforced.

During the last hours of the late session of Congress, the House of Representatives became a tumultuous mob, and at times the disturbance was so disgracefully violent that the sergeant-at-arms was ordered to quell it. While attempting to perform that duty, the speaker was pelted with "puck, dots, and other missiles" until he was nearly suffocated. He carried his "offensive" reports say, but the "offense" of authority was not sufficient to protect his bearer from insult. A policeman's lilly might have served the purpose better, if applied judiciously to the skulls of the howling mob.

On Friday the two passenger trains on the Ogden & Northern Railway "met on the main track," on Mendon Hill. In other words, two cargoes of human beings came within one of being wrecked, by two Mormon conductors "running by revelation" instead of by time card. It seems to disinterested parties very much as if rail road men were needed on that line.

A letter was received to-day from the agent at the Lapwai Reservation, in Idaho, stating that on the night of June 24 seven Nez Perce Indians, of White Bird's band, returned to the reservation and reported that "White Bird had a sick heart," and was very desirous of returning to that section of the country, but was afraid. They also reported that a part of the band would soon return to the reservation, and take their chances as to the result."

The Indians that have committed the depredations in the western part of the Territory are undoubtedly Nez Perces returning to their Idaho reservation. Not only is this proved by events transpiring there, but the following from Washington under date of 21st inst., confirms this view: "A letter was received to-day from the agent at the Lapwai Reservation, in Idaho, stating that on the night of June 24 seven Nez Perce Indians, of White Bird's band, returned to the reservation and reported that 'White Bird had a sick heart,' and was very desirous of returning to that section of the country, but was afraid. They also reported that a part of the band would soon return to the reservation, and take their chances as to the result."

A Water Spout. A water-spout on the 11th inst. struck Rapid valley, Black Hills, and played havoc with life and property. At Rapid City the river rose fifteen feet in an hour and a half, deluging farms and gardens, carrying away bridges, damaging freight in transit to the hills, and drowning a man by the name of Billings. The flood came up so rapidly that a camp of freighters on the bottom across the river from Rapid City was swept away. One of the freighters was drowned. A large bull train, belonging to Pratt & Ferris, of Sidney, was caught in the flood, and much of the freight destroyed.

INDIAN OUTRAGES IN BITTER ROOT.

From the Missoulian Extra.

CORVALLIS, July 18.

The Indians came down on Sleeping Child creek, twelve miles above here, on Wednesday morning. Jerry Fahy camped there the night before with his train on the way to Gibbonville. He slept in the corral with another man and left the cargo in Joe Bogditch's house. The Indians visited the premises about daylight and helped themselves to what they wanted. Jerry woke up and saw six Indians as they were disappearing over the hills. It is a remarkable thing that they did not discover Fahy. Men are scouring the upper country for the Indians. It is probable that it is the same party that were at Sun River, Dearborn, Deep and Rock creeks. People are fortified up in the valley.

BARBOUR.

LATER.

From Bill Keyes, the Bitter Root stage driver, we learn the following particulars: When Fahy awoke he heard the Indians talking, and he, together with a companion, laid low till the Indians went away; then they struck out for Corvallis for assistance. Subsequent examination showed the Indians had taken away one hundred pounds of sugar and a small keg of whisky. They had broken into the other packages, but did not take anything else. They drove off the mules belonging to the train.

Frank See and John Poole had hands of horses running in the hills, and it is believed they are captured.

The Indians then went up the valley to the Doolittle ranch; got up there at ten o'clock, found three men—Robert Bell, Wilson, and a third man, whose name is unknown. The men were eating dinner. Ten Indians walked into the house, and professed to be friendly. The men watched their opportunity and struck for the brush, which they reached. The third man was struck with a clubbed gun as he left the house, and severely cut in the back. Wilson was shot in the arm, but Bell escaped unhurt. The whites had one mule and one mule-load, with which they stood them off. Some fifteen or twenty shots were fired altogether. The Indians then ran off the stock and started up towards Ross' Hole.

Lieut. Wallace and twenty soldiers are in the neighborhood of Ross' Hole, and an engagement is expected. Ten men started on Wednesday afternoon to Wallace's assistance, and were followed soon after by six more.

As Joe Pardee, who is now here in search of arms, and a party of eight men were returning from Banhook on Wednesday morning, they met Lieut. Wallace and company 17 miles this side of Ross' Hole. He thinks they are probably now at the foot of Big Hole Mountain.

FORT CUSTER LETTER.

Fort Custer, Montana, July 13, 1878.

Fort Local.—Gen. Miles' Travels and Doings.—A Bride in Camp.—Gold Discoveries.—Other Local Matters.

Editor Avant Courier: The 25th of June and paid the troops of this command to April 30th at once, then stayed over till July, and paid for two months, ending June 30th. Major Arthur, to whom I allude, is a very pleasant man; his countenance always wears a smile. We feel "Oh so happy!" when he comes amongst us. There was much enjoyment amongst the troops; but men drank generally with discretion. This is the fruit of Gen. Buell's kindness in allowing the bar to be continued open throughout the day, and the men can get what they require when they need it. There were a good many deposits made.

I had informed you that Lieut. Allison, 2d Cavalry, would proceed to Ellis with Co. K. I am glad to say, for our own part, the order was, so far as is concerned, countermanded. A new order necessitated his taking over all papers pertaining to the Crow Indians from Lieut. Doane, 2d Cavalry, whose services I presume are required for a more important duty. Lieut. Doane left at the same time Capt. Egan, with Co. K, about the 28th of June. I do not know much of Captain Egan, but I am aware he had many friends here. The men of his company give him much praise. He took special care in seeing that they were well fed. You cannot get buffalo meat now for price, and beef cattle are scarce. We are getting to be vegetarians. Indeed, when a man goes on a spree, he often make the mistake to boom off to the post garden, two miles distant, to get some meat; others get passes and go out there to recruit their health. The post garden comes on splendidly. General Sherman, and his assistant, Michael Cameron, are here; then there are details from each company looking after company gardens.

After the paymaster had left us for Fort Keogh, orders were received which necessitated a despatch being sent to bring him back. He had got as far as Terry's Landing—returned, and is still here. I think this has something to do with paying the Crow scouts of the summer campaign of 1877.

General Miles left Fort Keogh June 17th, crossed the Yellowstone on steamer Sherman June 18th, and traveled 22 miles on the 19th he traveled to the Rosebud; 20th to Big Porcupine, on the Yellowstone; stopped the steamer Yellowstone, and took Major Pease and six Crow chiefs, who were on their way to Keogh to speak with Gen. Miles, off, and dismounted three Cavalry men, of 2d Cavalry, and four 5th Infantry men; gave their horses to Major Pease and the big chiefs (four redmen); On 21st of June he made the mouth of Big Horn river; on 23rd laid over in camp, and in great part, was found to be there. As far as I can learn, the following were their sentiments: They complained much of citizens cutting timber on their reservation—men who had not married squaws; they said they could not stand it. They wanted ammunition to hunt the buffalo. They made offer to Gen. Miles of many hand-made presents of their own making, and gave him a beautiful gun cover worth about \$100 to present to the Great Father at Washington, and expressed an earnest desire that Major Pease and Lieut. Doane be appointed their agents. There were about thirty lodges of River Crow, who had left on this morning, who would not part with Gen. Miles after the council was broken up. There was a grand sham battle, in which numbers of Crows took part. It was a novel and grand sight. After it was over, the General had five of his soldiers, of the 5th Infantry, to perform, in the way of tumbling, for the edification of our beloved friends (?), and which was well done. In the evening there was a display of fireworks, which greatly astonished the natives. The signal morasses were well executed by private Joseph Baker, Co. F, 11th Infantry, now in charge of the signal station a few miles from Custer.

On June 23d the General broke camp, arrested a Nez Perce Indian who refused to go to his people, and had hard work to get him away from the Crows—traveled 18 miles; on 24th arrived at Custer, camped near Post, and visited the scene of the Custer massacre. On the 27th the troops turned out, formed by brigade, under command of Gen. Buell and Lieut. O. B. Head Post Adjutant and A. D. C., to General Buell. Gen. Miles being reviewing officer, Lieut. Baldwin, 5th Infantry, his A. D. C., rode up and down the line and inspected the command, which was turned out at his express wish, fully armed and equipped for field service, after which the troops marched past in review. General Miles was mounted on a thoroughbred Kentucky horse, purely white. This was an imposing spectacle, and should be seen to be appreciated. The General, I believe, stated to Gen. Buell his entire satisfaction as to the state of his command. The men's quarters were not visited. I thought this strange, as I believe Gen. Terry does so on such occasions, and particularly visits the kitchens to see how the men live, etc. The General left for Keogh about July 1st.

Lieut. Fowler, 2d Cavalry, has arrived here with his young bride. He looks as happy as a jolly man naturally would under the circumstances. He has been appointed A. A. Q. M. vice Lieut. Allison. It would have been difficult to have made a better selection. He is very busy seeing that the transportation, etc., is kept in good order for field service, and also seeing that men under him in the Q. M. Department are properly paid for their services, and is making numerous improvements otherwise in the post.

A theatrical performance came off on July 1st. I will not criticise on the merits of all the performers, as they were mostly amateurs; suffice it to say that, on the whole, the performance was excellent, there being a large audience. The paymaster and many other officers and their ladies were present. I must notice one of the actors, a Mr. Fletcher, Asst. Hospital Steward, in "A Regular Fix," which he got out of admirably. One would take him to be a professional. We were also promised a treat in ventriloquism, but "Valentine Vox" was taken suddenly with sore throat, and did not put in an appearance. Better luck next time. The music, under direction of Mr. Sullivan, leader of the 2d Cavalry band, assisted much to the pleasures of the evening.

Quartermaster's Sergeant, "Angus," 2d Cavalry, had a narrow escape of his life on the 12th. He was riding a spirited animal, which bolted with him, running towards a wood pile, between buildings, etc. I am happy to say that, being a good rider and one having great presence of mind, he steered clear of all obstacles and conquered the animal; otherwise it might have been a serious case.

Gen. Buell and family and a number of officers' ladies have gone to visit the Big Horn Canyon, about fifty miles from here. They expect to be absent about eight days in all.

Lieut.-Col. Brackett, 2d Cavalry, is unwell, so Major Gordon, 2d Cavalry, commands the post.

The steamer F. Y. Bachelor, arrived here June 28th. She is a splendid looking vessel. Mr. Borup and family arrived on her. We are glad to see this worthy gentleman back amongst us. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family were also passengers on the Bachelor. Mr. Smith is Notary Public for Montana, and chief clerk in the Quartermaster's Department. He looks very well after his trip. It is pleasant to notice our friends' return after even so short an absence. Mr. Borup brought a large supply of new goods. I hear that there are three boats now at Terry's Landing with heavy freight for the Government.

There is a signal line open now (by flags) between this and Keogh, soldiers being on signal stations. Lieut. Hunt, 5th Infantry, signal officer at Keogh, was up here with Gen. Miles and Lieut. Wheeler, 11th Infantry, chief signal officer on the line between Custer and Keogh.

I hear of gold in paying quantities being found at Pryor's creek, about 75 miles from this place, also some 40 miles from Custer. Citizens let in numbers for these localities a few nights ago.

Lieut. O'Brien, 2d Cavalry, was up here from Keogh on the 11th inst., with a detachment of 20 men of 2d Cavalry, bringing wagons for Post. He left again yesterday for Keogh, taking a pack train with him in exchange.

Mr. Borup has put up several large buildings in addition to his store, and has also erected an officers' club-room. The restaurant does well; the proprietor is very attentive to customers and is as polite as most Frenchmen are.

The days are excessively warm. The thermometer stood 101° in the shade on the 4th of July, but the changes are sudden. On the 5th one could enjoy a fire under a blanket or two. The river is low.

The men's quarters are being whitewashed, which presents a nice, fresh appearance. Patches are being applied to officers' quarters.

There are no rumors of a campaign, but I am sure Gen. Buell is fully prepared, although he cannot, I fancy, muster many men, the companies being so small, and it would not do to leave the Post desolate.

We noticed with pleasure the excellent and lengthy speech of the Hon. Member for Montana, Mr. Maginnis.

I don't remember of having informed you of the first marriage which has taken place in Custer. A short time since Sergt. Grinnyslatton, 2d Cavalry, became the happy man; Miss Elmore, the bride, thank God! so this balances the account. Messrs. Tibbets and Chris were very busy for some days in the soldiers' saloon after pay days. They merit our esteem, always willing to oblige. Mr. George Tibbets attends permanently to this saloon, and is a great favorite. It is a pity the General has not tried the experiment of having the bar open for one hour on Sundays. It would give general satisfaction I think.

Lieut. Allison will see to the erection of the water wheel or windmill, which has arrived. Lieut. Fred Grant, 4th Cavalry, has arrived at Terry's Landing, en route for Custer on an inspection tour. Lieut.-Colonel Brackett, 2d Cavalry, leaves here to-day or to-morrow for Terry's Landing; ultimate destination—can't say. Steamer Katie P. Kountz is on a snail's pace. Steamer Government freight, etc. She was expected to go to places at any moment when witnesses to the scene late to-day. The General Sherman is unloading at Terry's Landing. Lots of Crow Indians around here. The Crow scouts will be paid off to-day. I remain, dear sir, Yours very truly, HAWKSHAW.

THE INDIAN WAR.

Hard Fighting in Oregon and Washington.

Walla Walla, July 13-8 p. m.—A man who left Weston to-day says the troops are fighting between the mouth of Lodi Willow and Cayuse station, 12 miles from Weston on the Meacham road. They commenced firing between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning, and they were still fighting when he left. There are about 350 soldiers under arms. They expect Major Sanford at Cayuse station to-night. Six companies that left Walla Walla for Lewiston have been turned back, and are now en route for Walla Walla. Many wagons have arrived in the city containing families coming in for safety. They are still arriving from various directions.

The following dispatch was received from Walla Walla, dated July 13th, 11 p. m.: This place was thrown into excitement this afternoon upon the receipt of a report that the hostiles were on Wild Horse creek, and that fighting was going on there between the artillery and Indians, and in all probability the reds would come down Van Sickle canyon and make for the mouth of Snake river, passing within two or three miles of this place, and likely calling upon us. Upon learning of the fighting on Wild Horse, Gen. Wheaton stopped seven companies of cavalry, under General Forsyth, who were just leaving for Lewiston, and ordered them immediately to Walla Walla, or to aid Miles, who, it was supposed, was engaged.

A message was just received confirming this supposition, and a courier was sent from here to Gen Forsyth, instructing him to make all possible speed and by the shortest route to Miles, who has doubtless a long and hard fight to-day, as five hundred Indians are reported to have been in the band that burned Cayuse station. It is undoubtedly the same band that Miles, and perhaps Throckmorton are fighting to-day. We have in the women and children about the what boat. No one here, however, has any fears for personal safety, we are so well fortified. Runners sent out to ascertain the whereabouts of the hostiles and report their appearance at 6 o'clock this evening have not yet returned.

San Francisco, July 15.—Walla Walla dispatches give the following account of the fight at Unatilla reservation: News reaches Col. Miles, who was at Pendleton, that the hostiles were at the reservation. He at once started for the scene with three hundred regulars. After a march of about six miles, and when within a short distance of Cayuse station, he encountered between 400 and 500 warriors. This was about 8 o'clock in the morning. Getting his men into position Col. Miles opened fire on the hostiles, who returned it, but without effect, neither side sustaining any injury. This was continued without intermission until 12 o'clock, when the Indians attempted to charge through Miles' lines, but were driven back, the rebels being unable to stand the fire from the howitzer.

In the charge the Indians sustained considerable loss; those present estimated their dead at fifty. Miles' casualties consisted of two men wounded, one in the arm and the other in the leg. Shortly after 1 o'clock the Indians fell back towards the mountains. During the whole of the fight they shot wild. Miles' object, in view of the overwhelming numbers against him, was to prevent the advance of the hostiles, and it possible hold them in check until reinforced. This he did, although his force was so foot and the savages well mounted.

During Friday the Indians completed the destruction of Cayuse station, and it is feared that Meacham's has met a similar fate. Among the interested spectators of Miles' fight were a large number of Unatillas, who took sides with neither party, but appeared to relish the sport. It is said that a number of young men belonging to this tribe, under Wednesday, have joined the hostiles.

Col. Conroy reports that the young warriors have passed beyond his control. At 10 o'clock this morning, Col. Forsyth with his command was at Weston, having been ordered to the scene of yesterday's conflict, and was moving as rapidly as his horses could travel. The forces now in the Unatilla country amount to 700 men, and it is thought will be sufficient to bring the hostiles to terms in a few days, notwithstanding the reports to the contrary. It is almost certain that a portion of the hostiles have succeeded in crossing the Columbia, and the danger, so far as the future is concerned, is with them. Several mill men have just come into town and report that they were driven out of the mountains by Indians who appear to be in large numbers. A winter company has been organized here, and have placed themselves at the disposal of Gov. Ferry.

Converging Forces.—The Hostiles in a Trap. San Francisco, July 15.—The following dispatch was received from Pendleton: The troops under Capt. Miles drove the Indians into the foot hills near Cayuse station. They fought four or five hours at long range in the valley, and finally the troops and the volunteers made a charge and drove them four miles to the hills and captured several horses on the field. The volunteers did well, and the officer in command complimented them highly. Quite a number of Indians were killed, but the number could not be learned. Nothing is doing to-day but scouting. The Indians had not moved late in the day, and are watched close. To-night, Col. Eastman's cavalry arrived on the Unatilla river near the other command, and will move on the Indians early in the morning. Col. Sanford is coming up from Legrande to be near the Indians on the Meacham roads. The Indians are surrounded and warm work is expected to-morrow.

Settlers Still Fleeing to the Towns for Protection. San Francisco, July 16.—The following dispatch has been received from General Wheaton, dated Unatilla Agency, 15th: The hostiles are reported to be moving from their position near the head waters of Mackay's creek. I send Forsythe with a cavalry column in quick pursuit, and will follow him with Miles' column. McBean, the Unatilla interpreter, with the Unatilla scouts, are now fighting the Bannack raiding parties, and the Snake chief, Egan, is reported killed.

A gentleman who arrived here from Yakima valley brings the following news concerning the state of affairs at the Agency: There are 2,000 Squoes there, commanded by chief Joseph Squire, but he has little or no influence with the tribe. They have a few arms and no ammunition, and even if so inclined, could not offer the hostiles battle. Thus far they are peaceably disposed, and agent Willbur apprehends no danger from them, although some of the renegade and disaffected Indians have been missing of late. Chief Moses, with all his quintillions are camped in Kittitas valley, and the settlers are afraid they may conclude to commit depredations, in consequence of which they are seeking the protection of the towns. Yakima City, on the boundary of the Simcoe reservation, is full of people. Last Wednesday thirty bottles Bannacks and Snakes crossed the

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lower end of the reservation, stealing and driving away stock. They shot at a boy on horseback who returned the fire, killing one of the redskins. He escaped by hard riding.

A Boise City dispatch says: It is not true that the Unatillas have joined the hostiles. On the other hand one hundred warriors have joined Col. Forsythe, and fought the hostiles yesterday and brought in twenty-four scalps and 300 horses.

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