



MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 17, 1903.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S "lay sermon" before the Holy Name Society of Brooklyn yesterday is a prominent feature of today's newspapers.

"The future welfare of the nation depends on the way we can combine in our young men decency and strength. It is peculiarly incumbent on you who are strong to set examples. You can't retain your self-respect if you are loose and foul of tongue."

There is nothing in the above to which any one can take exception. A fixed and steady purpose of mind to follow these principles in the letter and spirit would produce much good.

AT THE meeting in Washington last week of the International Typographical Union a resolution calling for the monthly publication in the official journal of statistics of wage scales created a lengthy discussion.

IN A memorandum addressed to the powers the Bulgarian government accuses Turkey of practicing every known mode of oppression in its administration of affairs in Macedonia under the promised plan of reform in that disturbed province.

A DETACHMENT from Charlottesville says the meeting of the board of visitors of the University of Virginia, called for tomorrow to elect a president of that institution, has been indefinitely postponed.

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periodically informed that the war is over in the Philippine Islands.

THE Caesarian operation was performed two thousand years ago; it has been proved that the Aztecs understood trepanning and now it is reported that the skull of a woman who lived in the time of the ancient Romans has been found with a full set of gold teeth arranged on a plate.

THE RICHMOND pastors are stirred up over a query of a layman into the wisdom of preachers having vacations for rest and then working all during the time, taking their regular salaries and also what they earn as supplies.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Mr. Herran, the Colombian representative here, this afternoon received a later dispatch announcing that the Panama canal treaty had been rejected, thus fully confirming the State Department's view.

Officials of the Interior Department claim that the charges recently brought by Samuel M. Brosius, General Agent of the Indian Rights Association, have been the subject of investigation for some time in the Department.

Secretary Root will remain at the head of the War Department after his return from Europe and probably until the retirement of Lieutenant General Young, on January 9 next.

WARDEN ALLAGOOD RESIGNS.—The Georgia Prison Commission, which has been investigating the whipping of Mamie Decris, a white convict at the state prison farm, made its report on Saturday.

LANDSLIDE REVEALS MAMMOTH.—The Academy of Sciences in St. Petersburg lately received an extraordinary acquisition—a complete gigantic mammoth with even its skin in a perfect state of preservation.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

An earthquake shock, which lasted for several seconds, was distinctly felt in all parts of St. Louis yesterday morning.

Congressman Champ Clark declares that Senator Cockerell would make a strong candidate for the presidency, and that if nominated he would obtain every anti-republican vote.

Justice Brewer has written a paper in which he expresses the opinion that the lynching fever would be checked if appeals were not allowed in criminal cases, thus making the punishment of criminals more sure and prompt.

While crossing a trestle at Oak Point, yesterday, four women were struck by a Lake Shore electric car. One died soon after, while the others received injuries, which, in two cases, may prove fatal.

A woman's skeleton with a full set of gold teeth well arranged on a plate is said to have been recovered in digging for a cellar for a house on Bezzella street, Rome.

Miss Mabel Mansfield, a vaudeville actress, took a dose of carbolic acid at her boardinghouse, in Baltimore yesterday. She was removed to the Maryland University Hospital, where she died at midnight.

Cardinal Gibbons left Rome Saturday night for Switzerland, where he will remain some time to recover from his labors in Rome. He is only suffering from slight lassitude and is otherwise perfectly well.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Snyder, of Yellow Creek, W. Va., though married just 22 years ago, are now the parents of 28 children. Ten times has the stork visited their home.

The metropolitan police in Boston are drawing the line pretty tight. On Saturday evening they arrested a couple who were canoeing on the Charles because the man kissed his companion.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Mrs. William Blythe died in Winchester on Saturday.

The postoffice at Twyman's Store, Spotsylvania county, will be discontinued on August 31, and after that date mail should be sent to Belmont.

The Potomac fishermen report that the crab season of this year has so far been the most profitable in many years. It is claimed that the frequent heavy rains and cool weather are at fault.

Two of the three Newport News social clubs which were tried in the Police Court on Saturday on the charge of selling liquor to others than their members were found guilty and fined \$425 each.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington on Saturday to Alfred A. Carneal, of Baltimore, Md., and Mildred A. Clarke, of King George county, and to Charles Henry Kent and Elizabeth Hall, both of Prince William county.

John Lawrence, who has figured in the criminal courts of Virginia, was shot and killed on Saturday by Deputy Officer Sandy Lawson, who had arrested him in Tazewell county on the charge of robbery. The officer was also fatally wounded.

Mrs. George C. Wille, of Charleston, S. C., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rheta, to Rev. Augustus Davison, of the Congregational Church of that city. The wedding will take place in December.

Senatorial, legislative and county primaries were held on Saturday in Shenandoah and Frederick, contrary to the instructions of the State committee. Senator Lupton declined to appear in the primary for the Senate and may not run at all.

A tornado accompanied by heavy fall of hail swept over a portion of Mecklenburg county on Saturday, destroying all crops in its path, the tobacco leaves being beaten off the stalks.

Receivers have been appointed for the Oliver Refining Company, of Portsmouth. The Olivers came to Portsmouth from North Carolina, where they had the reputation as successful and rich manufacturers.

THE YACHT RACE.—The first race of the thirteenth attempt of British yachtsmen to get back the historic bit of silver which was won by the schooner-yacht America, at Cowes, in 1851, and then given to the New York Yacht Club as a perpetual challenge cup for yachts of all nations, will be sailed on Thursday.

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TURKEY ARRAIGNED.

The Bulgarian government has presented a memorandum to the powers setting forth at great length the condition of affairs during the last three months in Macedonia since the Turkish government undertook to start the promised reforms.

The most precise details, dates, places and names of persons are given in the memorandum, the whole constituting a terrible category of murder, torture, incendiarism, pillage and general oppression committed by Ottoman soldiers and officials. These particulars were obtained entirely from official sources, such as the reports of the Bulgarian consuls and other agents of the government.

The memorandum begins by stating that during the last three months the Ottoman government has taken a series of measures, with the alleged intention of inaugurating the era of promised reform and of assuring peace and tranquility to the Bulgarian population of European Turkey, but which have had the contrary effect of further exasperating this population and reviving the revolutionary movement.

Wholesale massacres, individual murders, the destruction of villages, pillaging and setting fire to houses, arrests, tortures, arbitrary imprisonment and banishment, the closing and disorganizing of churches and schools, the ruining of merchants, the collection of taxes for many years in advance—such, proceeds the memorandum, are among the acts of the Ottoman administration in the vilayets of Salonica, Monastir, Uskub and Adrianople.

The memorandum next relates in detail a number of such cases in each vilayet. Beginning with the vilayet of Salonica, it states that in the city of Salonica itself, the Bulgarian professors of the university, the students and shopkeepers, in fact all the intelligent Bulgarians in the city, have been cast into prison.

During the first three weeks of July 25, villages in the district of Tikvech were subjected to the depredations of the Turkish soldiers and bashi-bazouks. The villagers were beaten and tortured, the women violated and the houses plundered while the administrative authorities looked on.

In the vilayet of Uskub, it is charged the entire Bulgarian population has been systematically persecuted since last May. The director of the normal school at Uskub was imprisoned because his library contained the "revolutionary" works "Othello" and "Les Miserables."

In the districts of Palanka, Koschani, Koumanova and Gostigar the prisons are filled with Bulgarian priests, schoolmasters and merchants. During June soldiers and bashi-bazouks terrorized the inhabitants of the Shtif district, torturing the people with red-hot irons.

At Smerdesch over 200 Bulgarians were shot, killed with swords or burned to death. Over 250 dwellings and the churches and schools were pillaged and set on fire with petroleum, the property being sold by the soldiers and bashi-bazouks in neighboring places.

The villagers abandoned their homes and fled to the mountains. Over 3,000 men, women and children fled from the sanjak of Seres and even more from that of Kırklisse.

It is difficult, says the memorandum, to obtain the exact number of Bulgarians who were imprisoned, mostly on the flimsiest pretenses, as when they were released others were immediately arrested. The estimates obtainable give for the vilayet of Salonica 900 prisoners, for Uskub 500, for Monastir 850 and for Adrianople 550; a grand total of 2,800.

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THE MOTHER'S FRIEND.—When nature's supply fails, is Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk. It is a cow's milk adapted to infants according to the highest scientific methods. An infant fed on Eagle Brand will show a steady gain in weight.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Washington, Aug. 17.—A cablegram to the State Department from U. S. Minister Beaupre, at Bogota, announces that the Colombian Senate rejected the Panama canal treaty on August 12. The dispatch contains no details.

Acting Secretary of State Adee is somewhat in doubt as to whether this rejection by the Senate finally kills the treaty or not. It may be that after action by the House, there will yet be a chance of the Senate approving it.

The Balkan Insurrection.

Constantinople, Aug. 17.—An irade has been issued calling out fifty-two fresh battalions from the European provinces of Turkey, to cope with the Bulgarian insurrection.

A despatch from Uskub today reports that the insurgents on Saturday night dynamited a bridge over the Valdar, between Kupriil and Selinco, as a military train was passing. One person was killed, and nineteen injured.

Rome, Aug. 17.—A body of volunteers is being organized to land on the coast of the Adriatic, at the first opportune moment, their ultimate aim being to join the Bulgarian insurgents who are opposing Turkish methods in the Balkans.

The Roumanian war office has ordered the immediate manufacture of large quantities of ammunition. The order is significant, as indicating that the government is planning to take a hand in the Balkan trouble.

A despatch from St. Petersburg states that the Russian squadron, ordered to the Turkish waters last week, consists of four warships, five destroyers and six torpedo boats.

"Haunted" House.

Bloomsburg, Pa., Aug. 17.—For many years the old Beers house, on Eighth street, has had the reputation of being haunted, and was unoccupied until Newton Lyons, of Central, came to Bloomsburg to work, and took up his residence therein, living alone.

Lyons says that shortly after going to bed he heard strange noises about the house, which he could not account for, but did not make an investigation, and at last went to sleep. About daylight he was awakened by a cold hand clutching his throat.

Serious Complications Expected.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 17.—Complications of a serious nature are expected when the anthracite mine conciliation board meets Thursday, at Pottsville, if, as reported, District President Dettery, of the United Mine Workers, will refuse to abide by a possible decision by Carroll D. Wright, the umpire of the board.

Russian Consul Reported Shot.

Belgrade, Aug. 17.—A message from Uskub reports that Russian Vice Consul Mandelstram has been shot near Monastir. No official confirmation of the report is obtainable. Dr. Mandelstram was recently appointed to succeed M. Rostkowski, the Russian consul at Monastir, who was murdered. The governor of Monastir refused to give him an escort to his new post, but later he consented to do so.

Army Officer Turns Bull-fighter.

Madrid, Aug. 17.—A well known Spanish grandee, Senor Jose Macedo, has resigned his post as lieutenant in the Spanish artillery to become a bull-fighter. He made his debut yesterday in the amphitheatre of Porto, killing six bulls, in dexterous fashion.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Russian government is about to inaugurate a trans-Pacific passenger and freight service from Odessa to American Pacific ports, carrying passengers and freight.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Berlin Tagblatt wires that the sacred Jewish relics of Thora, which were desecrated during the Kishinev riots, have been deposited in the Israelite cemetery of that place.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Two passenger trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, collided while running at full speed today between Long Lake and Round Lake stations, Wis. One person was killed and a dozen injured, five seriously.

While arranging the details of a duel with daggers in a vacant lot at Brooklyn, Frank Farra shot and killed his opponent, Altairia Romanello, after the latter and his two brothers had knocked him down and were beating him. Farra escaped.

There were a number of callers Sunday at the Covington, Ky., jail, all bent on seeing Thomas White, one of the convicted slayers of J. B. Marzou, who was brought to Covington Saturday night from Cynthiana. None of the callers was admitted as the jail authorities were not satisfied as to their intentions.

One man was killed and two others were injured in a collision today between a trolley car and a freight train at the junction of 13th street and Willow avenue, New York. The trolley car was derailed and was damaged by falling to lower the safety gates.

According to some people President Roosevelt has made up political slate as follows: For mayor of New York this year, Seth Low; for governor of the State next year and for President in 1908, Edith Rodd.

A Detroit doctor a few days ago, by means of electricity, was successful in restoring to life a child which had apparently died shortly after birth.

Fire originating from a defective electric light wire, caused damage to the extent of \$12,000 at Franklin, Pa., today.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.—The Freeholders' Committee on County Hospitals has begun an investigation into a surprising condition of affairs that has come to light in the County Insane Asylum in Newark, New Jersey. Mrs. Laura E. Gemeinder, twenty-six years old, was admitted to the asylum about two years ago, soon after the death of her only child.

Naval Review. San Francisco, Aug. 17.—The Grand Army encampment which opens here tomorrow promises to be one of the greatest held in years, despite the distance that most of the veterans have had to travel.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 17.—President Roosevelt assisted by Secretary Moody, Admiral Dewey and a distinguished party of guests, among them Sir Thomas Lipton, today reviewed the warships in the Sound from the deck of the Mayflower. The manoeuvres took place nearly midway in the Sound off Centre Island, which lies at the entrance of Oyster Bay.

Body Found. Gloversville N. Y., Aug. 17.—The body of George Evans, one of the young people missing at Canada Lake, came to the surface of the lake this morning. Evans disappeared last Monday, and at the same time Miss Florence Brown, of New York, who had gone with him for a row on Canada Lake, also vanished.

Berlin, Aug. 17.—It is stated that some reactionary courtiers of the Kaiser are advising him to purchase the island of Pichelswerder, in a lake a few miles west of Berlin, as the site of a new imperial residence. The new palace, according to their scheme, could be strongly fortified and special roads be made from the military barracks to the shores of the lake so that it would be possible to concentrate protection for the Kaiser as quickly as it was needed.

For the Kaiser's Protection. The well being dug by Mr. William Jenkins, on Fulton Hill, in Richmond, which has attracted much attention because of the number of shark's teeth and prehistoric bones found in the earth at a great depth, has now reached 65 feet without sign of water.

Miss Mary Gordon, of Chillicothe, Mo., who married a colored man and was then put in an asylum, now claims that her marriage is a blank to her.

Lord Salisbury, who has been ill for several days in London, passed a restless night.

GOOD ADVICE. The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Gnawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Violent up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc.

Boy Cured of Colic After Physician's Treatment Had Failed. My boy when four years old was taken with colic and cramps in his stomach. I sent for the doctor and he injected morphine, but the child kept getting worse. I then gave him half a teaspoonful of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and in half an hour he was sleeping and soon recovered.

Save the Children. Ninety-nine of every one hundred diseases that children have are due to disorders of the stomach, and these disorders are all caused by indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is just as good for children as it is for adults.

ROASTED COFFEES.—Coffee carefully selected in green state, freshly roasted, for sale at 10c to 35c per lb. J. C. MILBURN.

CANNED SOUPS.—30c. Doan's Campbell Condensed Soup, full variety, 10c can, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

JELLY GLASSES.—3 barrels Jelly Glasses, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

On August 16, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilkerson, 310 North Patrick street, EMMA ELIZABETH, aged 53 months, funeral from residence on Tuesday, August 18, at 4 p. m. Friends of family are invited to attend. (Baltimore and Pittsburgh papers please copy.)