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The Dancing Star Papina, in entirely new and sensational dances...

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TONIGHT AND REMAINDER OF THE WEEK—MATINEE SATURDAY
FIRST TIME IN THIS CITY OF LINCOLN J. "The Tornado"

Peerless Santa Catalina Island
THOUSANDS NOW ENJOYING THIS FAVORED SPOT
Three and One-half Hours From Los Angeles

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50 Apache Indians
At Redondo Beach Saturday and Sunday

Redondo Beach
Leave Downey Avenue...
Leave La Grande Station...
Leave Central Avenue...

Hazard's Pavilion
Friday, Aug. 27, 1897
Who will appear in two contests during the evening...

Ostrich Farm—South Pasadena
79 GIGANTIC BIRDS, ALL AGES—The Strangest Sight in America.

Vienna Buffet
Free, Refined Entertainment, Classical Music Every Evening.

Cleveland Cycles
L. B. Winston
WE WANT A LIVE AGENT IN ALL SMALL TOWNS

NOT YET LYNCHEED
Chiefly Because the Men Are Not Yet Caught

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 25.—The reported wholesale lynching in Cleveland county proves to have been premature...

ELSON, Ark., Aug. 25.—B. O. Smith, Frank Matthews, Frank Wright and George Callahan, the main actors in the murder of T. Johnson near Kendall on Saturday last, are still at large...

A NEW PARTY
To Restore the Sentiments of True Americanism

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 25.—The first national convention of the American party, a new political organization...

Uruguay Affairs
NEW YORK, August 25.—A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: The Herald's correspondent in Montevideo, Uruguay, sends word that a battle has taken place between government troops under Gen. Benvenuto and rebels commanded by Gen. Lamar...

The Scale Signed
CHICAGO, August 25.—The Illinois Steel Company has signed the Amalgamated scale and the big mills at Chicago, Milwaukee and Joliet will start up after nearly two months' idleness...

Mexican Gold
SAN DIEGO, Aug. 25.—It is reported by Mexicans from Lower California that Gov. Sanguines has prohibited exports of gold bullion from that country...

Russian Politics
PARIS, August 25.—A dispatch to the Gaulois from St. Petersburg states that Baron Mohrenheim, the Russian Ambassador to France, will be recalled and will be replaced by Prince Ourousoff...

New Trial Granted
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—John Lundin, alias Thompson, convicted of forgery, has been granted a new trial by the supreme court on the same technicality that availed in the case of Whitman, who was convicted of forgery, but finally escaped punishment because the attorney for the prosecution did not prove that the name signed to the check was the name of a real person...

FOOD CROP FIGURING

By American and Foreign Experts

A CONTINENTAL SHORTAGE
MAKING A NEAR APPROACH TO FAMINE

Wheat Is Scarce, Rye Is Scarce, and of Potatoes There Are Almost None at All

Associated Press Special Wire.
SPRINGFIELD, Mass., August 25.—An extensive inquiry into European crop conditions conducted by the Orange Judd syndicate of agricultural papers...

European shortage compared with average follows: Wheat, 300,000,000 bushels; rye, 425,000,000; potatoes, 1,000,000,000.

ENGLISH OPINION
NEW YORK, August 25.—A dispatch to the World from London says: "I do not anticipate any private shipments of gold from England to the United States this autumn," said Hugh Smith, Governor of the Bank of England...

"I can't see any tangible reason for believing exceptional shipments are going. Exchange remains very firm for one thing and the American bankers I have seen on the matter do not consider anything likely to happen to cause such shipments from England."

"There has been recently a substantial improvement in the market for American securities due almost entirely to American buying."

"Has not the English investor recovered confidence in American securities?" "No, I should say not. There has been no change in that direction here. The difficulties of the Baltimore & Ohio have tended to check any inclination there might have been. That was considered among the soundest of American securities and had its effect."

"Then I may take it that banking opinion here is that American securities here are still uncertain, unreliable investments?" "Yes, there is a feeling that American finance is still in an unsettled condition. There has been no such restoration of confidence as would be calculated to make any difference in the impression that has prevailed for some time, and as to your original question, my view on the whole is that there is no ground at present for expecting any substantial movement of gold to America from England."

"But will there not be large payments coming due for wheat at its enhanced value?" "Yes, but mainly from the continent, not from England, where the harvest has been almost a bountiful one and to a large extent is saved already."

Francis Baring, manager of the Baring firm, took a similar view.

FRENCH IMPORT DUTIES
PARIS, Aug. 25.—M. Viger, the former minister of agriculture, has written a letter to the Matin opposing any reduction of the wheat and flour duties...

GRAIN AFLOAT
BALTIMORE, Md., August 25.—There are now in port loading full or part cargoes of grain fourteen steamers, including the Knight Bachelor of 4092 tons...

A Mine Bonded
RED BLUFF, August 25.—The largest mining deal ever made in Tehama county has been concluded. P. R. Kestner and Henry Thompson of Red Bluff have bonded their copper and gold mines to a company of San Francisco capitalists...

Cloak Makers' Strike
NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The general strike of the cloakmakers of this city and vicinity which has been threatened for a long time has been ordered. Henry Fisher of the board of walking delegates of the Brotherhood of Cloakmakers announced today that 12,000 cloakmakers in the brotherhood would be called out tomorrow. More than 5000 went out this afternoon.

Berkeley Building
BERKELEY, August 25.—The construction of a three-story classroom building has begun on the State University grounds. It will be situated in the rear of the Bacon Library and though intended as a temporary structure, will cost about \$18,000.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS
MAY ENTITLE HER TO ACT AS SAILING MASTER
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Eliza Tharold, widow of the Capt. Charles Tharold, deputy United States shipping commissioner, has made application to the authorities for a license as master of her own vessel. Mrs. Tharold is the owner of the steam tug Ethel and Marion, and ever since her husband's death four years ago she has carried on the business. During this time she has been obliged to have a licensed master on board, but now hopes, by passing the examination, to be master of her own vessel. If successful she will have the right to sail any vessel of 100 tons or under in the bay of San Francisco, and will be the first woman to pass such an examination in California.

MARCHING OF MINERS

Postponed on Account of Weather

THE STRIKERS LOSE GROUND
BUT THE COAL OUTPUT DOES NOT INCREASE

Associated Press Special Wire.
PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 25.—No marching was done by the miners in the De Armit region in the early morning. The roads are in bad shape from the recent heavy rains. The men sauntered out in small groups and continued their missionary work among the miners.

Strikers Accused of Incendiarism and of Poisoning Stock Belonging to Mine Operators

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PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 25.—The colored railroad laborers' camp at Unity, across the road from the strikers' camp at Plum Creek, has been in a turmoil for the last twenty-four hours. It was pay day yesterday and trouble started as soon as the men got their money. During the night three more colored men were shot, but none will die. Those who were shot were John Kelly Sunday, has not been captured. An armed force is still scouring the woods for him.

The camp of negro laborers at Unity near the striking miners' camp at Plum Creek, which has a record for lawlessness unequalled in this state, is to be broken up. During the past month there have been several murders and a score or more of shooting scrapes at the camp, in which many of the negroes were injured. Last night three negroes were shot, and on Sunday one man was killed and several more dangerously wounded. Yesterday was pay day at the tunnel and it almost marked the arrival of 100 colored women of the worst character at the colored camp. With the advent of these women and lots of bad liquor all records for lawlessness and disorder at the camp were broken and the wildest excitement ensued. So bad has the situation now become that even the railroad superintendents on the work are afraid to enter camp. Tomorrow the farmers will march a strong guard of heavily armed men into the camps and drive out all the women and gamblers at the muzzles of Winchester. This done, a dead line will be drawn about the camp and they will not be permitted to return. The whole neighborhood at Unity is in a state of terrorism. The miners are not to walk the road unless heavily armed, and then only by twos and threes.

DESCRIBE TO WORK
DUBOIS, Pa., Aug. 25.—The Rochester, London and Sandy Lock miners held a meeting today and voted to continue the strike. The general manager wanted the miners to work until Saturday, but the miners declined to do so.

SERIOUS CHARGES
PITTSBURG, August 25.—The powerhouse of the Federal Coal Company, operated by E. W. Powers at Federal, Pa., on the Pittsburg, Chartiers and Youngloshy Railroad, burned shortly after midnight. The flames spread rapidly and great difficulty was experienced in saving the tipples. There seems to be no doubt that the fire was the work of incendiaries, as three men were seen running down the railroad a few minutes before the flames were discovered. Powers made himself unpopular by threatening to import colored men and start his mines. The Federal mines were operated by machinery. Striking miners are accused of poisoning mules in Sterling mine No. 8 at Hastings, Pa. One mule died and another is missing and four more are extremely sick.

CASH CONTRIBUTIONS
PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 25.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen has contributed \$1000 to the coal miners fund. That is believed to be a larger sum than any other organization has given.

DOLAN ARRESTED
PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 25.—Patrick Dolan, district president of the United Mine Workers of America, was arrested in Washington county this afternoon while leading a body of marchers past the Allison mine of Cook & Sons, near McGovern station.

Ever since the strike started the miners have been making daily marches from their camp to the mine. They were forbidden by deputy sheriffs to march today, but Dolan arrived shortly after 4 o'clock and made a speech to the strikers. He said that the deputy sheriffs had no right to stop them from marching, and told them he would lead the procession. When Dolan attempted to start the line he was arrested.

A Potato Famine
SKIBBORENE, August 25.—The potato crop in North Cork and Limerick has been partially destroyed by blight and in those districts it will be the worst had in the last half century for potatoes.

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SKAGUAY BOOMING

But News From Klondyke Is Scarce

RAIN, MUD AND DISCONTENT
DESCRIBES THE CONDITIONS IN ALASKA

Associated Press Special Wire.
SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 25.—The steam collier Willamette of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, which left Seattle August 9th with 800 men bound for the Klondyke, arrived back this morning at 10 o'clock.

She brought no gold, as the only offer was of \$20,000 made by a party of four men who wanted to winter at Juneau. As it was uncertain that the steamer would stop there the pursers refused to take them. One party said that a friend who had buckets full of gold was compelled to live on beans and a small piece of bacon not as large as a hand per day.

Among the returning passengers was Thomas Stanton of Seattle, who missed connections and decided to wait until spring. He said it was shameful the way in which the Skaguay trail was advertised, as it was more impracticable every day. He went over to Porcupine river and gave up in disgust. He says that there is no trouble at Dyea, the town is booming and tents are being replaced by frame buildings. Saw mill will be in operation next week and men are making wages getting out lumber for it. Six stores are started and do well.

Entering the straits when everyone was looking for the Portland, the Willamette was mistaken for that vessel. She was spoken by three tugs in the straits, the last one stopping her about 10 o'clock this morning out from Port Angeles.

The Willamette took up the largest number of passengers ever to go to Alaska, but brought back only seven. Of thirty-six sailors who went up only six returned, the others either deserting or quitting at Skaguay. The Willamette of the side of an unknown man on the Dyea trail and the poisoning of several Indians at Sitka. There are conflicting stories as to the condition of the Skaguay trail.

The first day or two out on the up trip there was much confusion and annoyance at meal time, especially in the steerage, where 600 men were fed. The tables would only accommodate about sixty-five, and consequently every plate had to be set nine or ten times. As fast as a man would get up another would slide in. The organization known as "the committee" took things in hand at once and endeavored to arrange with the steward some plan to avoid confusion. The first plan was for the committee to allow only enough men in the saloon at one time to fill the tables. But every one wanted to be at the first tables, so that plan failed.

The story of putting eight men in chains was denied by the officers, but they admit that one man who was drunk and threatening was handcuffed and thrown out of the steamer's deck, where it was very warm. The cold water at once chilled it through and it soon sank in the icy water.

Another accident occurred while the unloading was in progress. Fred Lafferty, one of the crew, was knocked into the water by the bungling work of one of the sailors who was handling the tackle. There was great excitement for a minute and the icy water almost paralyzed Lafferty. A rope was thrown him, however, as quickly as it could be procured and he was hauled out. A small amount of supplies belonging to the miners was also lost overboard.

The city of Skaguay is described as a city of 5000 people. For five miles up the trail there are tents all along on both sides, but a greater share of the people have never been any distance at all up the trail. Rain and mud and discontent and confusion prevail everywhere.

The men have a severe respect for the vigilance committee, but they refuse to obey any authority when it comes to working on the trail. Buildings are going up rapidly and stores and saloons are opening every day. The first dance house and saloon was opened while the Willamette was in port. It is run by Billy Chapman, formerly of Juneau. He took up a piano and the "opening" was celebrated with a grand free dance. Chapman took in \$134 the first hour that the dancehouse was open for drinks, and the venture had not been very well advertised either. On the outside of the dancehouse is a tree upon which several significant notices are posted, and from a limb of which dangles a new one-inch rope with a noose. This was put there by the vigilance committee, and it is more effective than a hundred volumes of statutes against crime. The notices read: "Free dance tonight." "Packers wanted on the trail. Apply to Mack &

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