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3,000 PROSPECTORS

Blockaded at Skagway Bay by An Arctic Snow Storm.

OFFICE SEEKERS ON A MOVE.

Strikers Endeavoring to Bring Out West Virginia and Ohio Men.

OTHER LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Skagway Bay, Alaska, Aug. 19.—Three thousand gold prospectors are blockaded here by an arctic snow storm. It is uncertain when they can leave.

ON TO WASHINGTON.

Applicants Hurrying to See the President.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Applicants for office are arriving on every train to be on hand when President McKinley returns from his vacation.

TOLL GATE WAR.

Hot Times Anticipated in Mason County.—Fifty Guards On Duty.

Maysville, Ky., Aug. 19.—A toll gate war is feared in this county. Two gates, kept by Mike Young and John Cogan, were destroyed Tuesday night. They have been twice replaced and are now guarded by twenty-five men armed with rifles. The raiders threatened to attack the guards. Some of the men who destroyed the gates were recognized and will be arrested.

STRIKERS WORKING HARD.

Still Trying to Bring Out West Virginia Miners.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—The strikers are making great efforts to bring out the miners of West Virginia and Ohio that are still at work. The addition of those miners to the strikers would strengthen the strike greatly.

Hanged in Jail.

Memphis, Aug. 19.—Harvey DeBerry, a negro, was hanged this morning in jail for an attempt to assault Leona Elsman, a little girl. He protested his innocence.

DEADLY BOMBS

Create Almost a Panic At Constantinople—Explosions Near the Palace

Believed to Be the Beginning of a Big Plot, and Attributed to Armenians.

Constantinople, Aug. 18.—The city is almost in a state of panic tonight over the news of some explosions attempted or accomplished within the past three different places. The explosions are attributed to the Armenians. At 5 o'clock a bomb was thrown into outside the police headquarters of the Pera district. It failed to explode. Almost at the same moment an Armenian whose name it is believed is Ganyloff was killed in the Imperial Ottoman Bank, in the Galata district. He was carrying a package of explosives which he was trying to signalize. A second bomb was exploded in a private residence between the Yeni-Kapu (office of the Grand Vizier) and the state council chamber. One man was killed and several others were severely injured. The explosion shattered windows in the vicinity and did other slight damage.

The police have made a number of arrests. Reports of the outrages spread quickly through the city and caused the greatest excitement. The police and the guards at the Sultan's palace were ordered to be doubled, which have given color to the rumor that he will be taking is a part of a wide-spread plot.

The most alarming feature of the outrages is the fact that they were made by persons of some position, for the bomb thrown into the bank was in the hands of a person who was evidently a member of the bank. The Ottoman Bank was [illegible] to be robbed, or perhaps the bearer of explosives was one of the bank employes. It is known that some of the bank officials [illegible] bank would have made short work of him if they had not been [illegible].

The two [illegible] the reason for commencing the [illegible] and [illegible] gateways, and it is [illegible] the grand [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] of the Sublime Porte.

California Sugar Beet Colony.

San Francisco, August 18.—Arrangements have been closed for the colonization of beet lands on an extensive scale in Monterey county of this state, under the management of the German Colonization Association of California. The land consists of over 10,000 acres, located in Salinas valley. Claus Spreckels, who represents the sugar factory at Salinas, the largest in the world, as well as the factory at Watsonville, this state, has entered into a contract by which he agrees to take all the beets that may be raised by the colonists. It is understood that the price to be paid for the beets is at the rate of $4 per ton.

SIGNIFICANT NAVAL ORDERS

Torpedo Boats to Be in the Gulf When the Cuban Policy Develops.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Six torpedo boats are to sail from New York about October 1 and make their way to the Gulf of Mexico, where they will remain till spring. About October 1 the administration's Cuban policy is expected to assume definite and perhaps aggressive form. The torpedo boats go fully equipped and armed. They will be engaged in drill and in testing their efficiency. If not actually in Cuban waters, this formidable flotilla will be within a few hours' run of Havana.

At the navy department it is not only openly admitted that there is significance in the expedition at this particular time, but the coincidence of the flotilla order and the opening of the negotiations with Spain is striking. The orders issued to the commander of the Cushing direct several preparations for the winter's work.

"You are directed from this date," the order reads, "until joining the flotilla, to devote as much time as possible in exercising and training your command in (1) the maneuvering of the vessel and (2) torpedo practice."

Similar orders will be sent to the other commanders. They certainly convey a very businesslike impression.

JAPAN'S NEW BATTLE-SHIP.

Said to Be the Fastest Fighting Machine Now Afloat.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 18.—Officers of the Navy Department are much interested in the report of the trial trip of the Yashima, the new Japanese battle-ship built in England. She is the fastest battle-ship afloat, and, it is claimed, from the showing made on her trial trip, that she is one of the most powerful. She is 372 feet long, with 75 feet beam and 26.3 feet draft, and has 15,400 tons displacement. Under forced draft pressure for four hours she made 19.22 knots an hour. She has very heavy armor, ranging in thickness from 18 to 14 inches. Naval officers say that there is no equal to her in point of speed, and while there is some discussion as to the amount of coal she will consume, there seems to be no question as to her splendid type.

DANGEROUS ANARCHIST

Arrested On a Train On Which Faure Was a Passenger.

London, Aug. 18.—A special dispatch from Paris this afternoon says that a man named Pauer was arrested yesterday on the train in which President Faure arrived from Havre. The prisoner was found to have a loaded revolver in his pocket, and is known to be a dangerous anarchist. He has already served a term of two years' imprisonment for having in his possession an infernal machine.

HIGH WHEAT.

Still Making Big Jumps on the Chicago and New York Market.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Wheat made a new record here today, going to 88½ cents. Ninety cents was bid on the curb.

New York, Aug. 19.—Wheat touched 91 cents here today on account of large export demand.

Talton Hodges Dead.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 19.—Col. John O. Hodges, one of the best known citizens of the state died at his home in this city today.

The final struggle seems at hand in the coal miners' strike. The operators of the Pittsburg district will today take the first step toward resuming work with nonunion men, under the protection of Pinkerton detectives. The injunction forbidding the strikers to march on the mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company was made permanent yesterday, and in consequence the great companies about Louisburg are largely deserted, though the few who remain decline to say that they will march in spite of the injunction.

Mexico's troubles are piling high on account of the continued decline in silver, and the Mexicans do not believe the decline will cease until the price goes down to the average cost of production, though there is no agreement as to what is the average cost of production.

P. M. O'Reilly, the Louisville man who sent the two $1,000 counterfeit notes to Washington for redemption, says they were found among his father's papers and were sent to the service of a broker, who thought they were good.

The Bethel Baptist Association adopted resolutions calling for the removal of Dr. Whitsitt from the Southern Baptist Seminary.

BICYCLE RACES.

The Continuous Electric Light Racing Association Goes Under.

NO RACES LAST NIGHT.

Bicycle Races Again This Afternoon—Bicycle Results.

WICKLIFFE BALL CLUB COMING.

TODAY'S BICYCLE RACES.

The weather could not be better for the races today. Quite a crowd was out, including a number of people from Mayfield, who arrived on the 2:40 train. The races began an hour later today on this account.

A BASE BALL CHALLENGE.

The Eclipse, a local base ball club, challenges any club in Paducah for a game next Sunday on the grounds at the foot of Eighth street. The Wickliffe club plays here Sunday week.

THE BICYCLE RACES.

There was a good crowd at yesterday's bicycle races at the new track in L. Belle Park.

Parker Cassidine, Leslie Thompson and Alva Ashcraft were entered in the first race, a one mile novice. At the fourth lap Thompson and Ashcraft collided and were thrown, but escaped serious injury. Cassidine won in 3:48.

Harry Castle, recently of Wisconsin, won the second race, a quarter mile open, in 38½. Moses Starr second and Bob McCune third.

Rivers and Castle were the only starters in the third race, a half mile, boys under 13. Asberaft, on account of his injuries, scratched. Castle won in 1:35½.

The one mile amateur open, was won by Moses Starr, Castle second and McCune third. Gleaver scratched on account of an accident to his wheel. The time was 1:19.

The one-mile McCracken championship, with Rivers, Castle and Hobson, starters, was won by Hobson in 3:26½.

There were five entries in the one-mile amateur race. McCune was third.

McCune, with a flying start, unpaced, rode a quarter for track record. Time, 34.

Moses Starr, paced by Allen Starr and Tolly, rode for the half mile track record. Time, 1:05.

ALL OF TODAY'S.

The continuous electric light racing in Paducah is a thing of the past. The races advertised for last night did not take place, although there was quite a number who boarded the cars and attempted to purchase tickets.

This form of racing was an innovation in Paducah, and it was thought by many at the start that the racing fraternity, upon which the chief principally for support, could not maintain it. One mistake the association made was in not having the track lighted as it should have been, at the very start.

It is said that the bookmakers failed to pay off the bets as promised, yesterday afternoon, and there is some little indignation in sporting circles on the account.

PADUCAH HORSES IN IOWA.

Mayflower and Dyersburg, the two well known Paducah horses start today at Independence, Iowa.

THE FREIGHT WAS PAID.

The three horses shipped away from the Illinois Central yards yesterday and carried to Metropolis on the Cowling, were seized there yesterday and the man in charge was required to pay the charges, $18.50, to the Illinois Central agent, Mr. Hall, at that place.

A SAD CASE.

The Downfall of a Sixteen-Year-Old Girl—Case Tried in Court.

Judge Sanders Said It Was the Most Revolting of the Kind He Ever Knew.

The case against Tom Fowler and Lizzie McIntyre, charged with immorality, being uncle and niece respectively, was called in Judge Sanders' court this morning, and on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Reeves they were fined $20 and costs each, and the judgment against the girl was suspended and she was called before the judge and given some good advice.

Somewhat serious developments have been made in the case since the arrest. Judge Sanders said that of all cases of his character that ever came before him this was the worst, and that Fowler ought to be arrested for a felony if there had been any statute covering the case.

The girl said to the court that she had left her husband because she contracted a loathsome disease from him. She claimed she was with her uncle under treatment. She is now in a hopelessly deplorable condition, and will be sent to the city hospital.

Fowler and his family, accompanied by the girl, came to Paducah from Riverton, Ala., a few weeks ago, where the girl, whose maiden name was Terrell, and who was married at the age of 15 last February, left her husband on account of cruel treatment.

Fowler abandoned his wife and two children for his own niece, it seems, which adds to the revolting aspect of the case. The girl was asked to wait until after court was over in Judge Sanders' office, that arrangements might be made to send her to the city hospital. Ladies of the Home of the Friendless volunteered to provide her a home there, but on account of her condition the hospital is the proper place for her.

A SLICK 'UN.

Calvert City Man Arrested Today.

Brought Here to Be Taken Care of By Uncle Sam.

Deputy U. S. Marshal LaRue went up to Calvert City this forenoon and arrested W. A. Berryman, a young man of that place, on a charge of violating the internal revenue laws. It is said that he has sold whisky in quantities ranging from a drink to a barrel. He came in at noon with his prisoner and quite an array of witnesses.

Berryman was tried before United States Commissioner this afternoon and held. His arrest created considerable sensation in Calvert City where it seems he was a Sunday school teacher, singer in the choir, and by many in the church generally.

NINETY CENTS

The Price Paid For Wheat in Paducah.

Louisville Only Paid Eighty-Seven and a Half Cents Yesterday.

Paducah is taking the lead in high prices for wheat. Both yesterday and today the local buyers paid 90 cents, while 87½ was the price in Louisville yesterday and 88½ cents the price in Chicago. The local buyers are Paducah Milling and Elevator Company.

STOCKHOLDERS NAMED.

The People's Light, Power and Railway Company Incorporated.

Plants Will Be Consolidated—Officers to Be Elected Later.

The People's Light, Power and Railway Company was incorporated this forenoon, and the following well-known citizens are named as stockholders: Messrs. W. F. Paxton, G. C. Wallace, C. F. Recke, H. C. Overley, T. J. Flournoy, G. C. Thompson, F. M. Fisher, Joseph L. Friedman, John W. Kelser and S. B. Caldwell.

These gentlemen will take charge of the old plants and consolidate them. The election of officers will take place later.

It is said that when the officers are elected Monday, Mr. W. F. Paxton will be President, and Mr. Geo. C. Wallace Vice-President. The directors will likely be Messrs. Thompson, Flournoy, Friedman, Paxton and Wallace.

USED HIS FIST.

Isom Elam, a Cook at the Palmer, in Trouble.

Made a Punching Bag Out of Thomas Miller's Countenance.

Thomas Miller, a colored man who appears to be about 60 or 70 years of age, was a visitor at the city hall this morning. The blood flowed from his spacious nostrils down in rivulets through his grey beard.

The stalwart arm of Isom Elam, of Harrison street, a cook at the Palmer House is what smote him.

Thomas had just finished washing Judge Sanders a receipt to his woes, when Isom appeared and talked so long and fast that he had to be put out. He was arrested and told the court when his name was called that Miller "Traded on his wife." The case was continued, and after court he stated to those about him that Miller went around to his wife and offered her money yesterday, and upon her rejection he picked up and down the street and applied many objectionable epithets to her. He has not met the dusky Lothario this morning and what he did will be told to Judge Sanders tomorrow.

On next Monday, August 23, Rodney C. Thompson's new electric steam laundry will be opened for business. Telephone 129. 1t

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BY THE WAYSIDE

Is Where Town Marshal, Bob Frazier, of Wickliffe, Fell.

He Was Asleep on the Sidewalk But Thought He Was Sober, Though Evidence Was Against Him.

Bob Frazier, town marshal of Wickliffe, Ballard county, was arrested by Officers Frank Eaker and Henry Seamon on a charge of drunkenness about 3 o'clock this morning. He was found on the pavement in front of Mr. J. J. Guthrie's residence at Court and Fifth asleep.

He claimed he was sober, and employed Judge Campbell to defend him. The lawyer asked Officer Eaker if he did not say he put Frazier in the lockup because he was insolent. Mr. Eaker declined to answer the question, and after some discussion by the attorneys the court decided he did not have to answer it.

Officer Seamon stated that when they first found him he could not walk, but shortly afterwards braced up and said he could walk by himself and denied being drunk.

Frazier himself stated that he did not at first know who it was that awoke him. He said he had sat down to wait for a friend intending to go to bed at Buck Mount's and leave on the mail back at 7 o'clock this morning. He fell asleep, however, and was discovered. He was here on government official business, he said. He claimed the principal thing he was locked up for was for attempting to convince the officers he was sober.

Frank Haffey, who was in the lockup, said he had worked in Wickliffe three months and knew the marshal, and that he did not think he was drunk last night. He saw Frazier drunk one day in Cairo, he said, and he did not look like he did then when locked up last night.

Prosecuting Attorney Reeves observed that this might be due to the difference in Paducah and Cairo whiskey.

Judge Sanders commented at some length on the case, but said the evidence showed that the Marshal had come here on official business, had started out at 7 p. m. and imbibed drinks and sundry receptacles of beer, and wound up in a Court street saloon. About 2 a. m. he started to leave and was found asleep on the pavement, and was found asleep on the pavement in front of the unfortunate marshal, who seemed to feel the humiliation of the unpleasant notoriety.

NEWS NOTES.

Col. John O. Hodges, of Lexington, was so ill last night that his doctors thought it probable he would not live until this morning.

A prominent Ohio silverite says Ohio will go against silver this fall owing to the high prices farmers are getting for their products.

The chief incident of President Faure's departure from Paris to visit the czar was the explosion of a bomb on the route he had followed. No one was hurt.

Mrs. Lena Collinsworth of Clairborne county, Tenn., who refused to eat because her husband had left her, is dead, after a fifty-eight-day fast.

Constantinople is in a panic over bomb explosions in three different parts of the city. The explosions are attributed to Armenians, one of whom was arrested with explosives in his possession.

Representatives of the Pullman Palace Car Company were before the state board of valuation to protest against the attempt to collect county taxes on the company's equipage.

W. B. L. Davis, a wealthy farmer near Rockmart, Ga., was killed and his house partially wrecked by the explosion of dynamite cartridges which had been placed under the stove to dry.

The schooner Aurora, which left Victoria, B. C., last April to search for buried treasure on Cocos Island, has returned without finding any money, though a creditors passenger claims to have located $50,000,000.

As the outcome of a feud between their husbands Mrs. Jane Young and Mrs. Minerva Young, of Leslie county, Ky., met at a spring and fought, and the former was cut to death with a butcher knife in the hands of the latter. They were sisters-in-law.

Wider and wider opens the breach between wheat and silver. September wheat yesterday advanced at Chicago to 88½ cents, the highest point it has reached since 1891. Silver yesterday declined to 51¾ cents, in consequence of which the bullion value of a silver dollar this morning was only 40.13 cents.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

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Misses' Tan Sandals, all sizes, $1.25 and $1.50 shoe at 68c
Child's Oxblood Sandals, 8 1-2 to 11, $1.50 at $1.15
Child's Dong. Sandals, 8 1-2 to 11, $1.50 shoe at 98c
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