

THE NEW BOAT IS NO GOOD

Columbia Runs Away from New Cup Defender

CONSTITUTION LOSES

Unless Subsequent Trials Show Better Speed, The Columbia May Defend Cup Again.

By Associated Press:
Point, R. I., July 1.—When the two racing yachts Constitution and Columbia hoisted their sails for the first race of the season between Americas cup defender yachts, the breeze inside the bay was very light and the yachts had some difficulty in getting out to the starting point. The contest was a windward and leeward affair of thirty miles. By the time the yachts reached the light ship they found a good breeze from the southwest. The starting gun was fired at 11:45 a. m. The Columbia crossed the line first. Both boats went across the line on a starboard tack under all sail, and stood about south, the wind being about southwest. At 12:40 p. m. the Columbia was running away from the Constitution and was almost a mile ahead of the new boat, going very fast. The Columbia turned the outer mark at 1:25:05 and the Constitution turned at 1:25:10.

At 2:10 p. m. the yachts have sailed about half the distance back to the finish line. The Columbia still seems in the lead with about half a mile to the good.
The Columbia won, crossing the line at 2:32:35. The Constitution crossed at 2:33:18.

SURVEYING ROUTE BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH

Great Northern Party Here Waiting For Supplies.

The surveyors in charge of the outfits who will leave in a few days to survey the most feasible routes for the new railroad in the northern part of the country are busy getting supplies.

The majority of the supplies needed are coming through from St. Paul by freight and were delayed by the washout of the track in Dakota and Montana. As is usually the case the parties in charge have very little to say in regard to their work or future plans. There is no doubt, however, that a thorough survey of the country will be made and a route for the railroad from Tobacco Plains to the main line of the Great Northern decided upon. There is no doubt but what Kalispell will be the junction, however, as this will be the junction for the road from here to Jocko on the Northern Pacific.

After completing their work north it is understood that at least one of the two surveying parties will make examination of the southern route across the reservation.

BOLT OF LIGHTNING KILLS TWELVE MEN

Who Were Fishing on a Lake Pier at Chicago.

By Associated Press:
Chicago, Ill., July 1.—Twelve men were killed and a boy probably fatally injured this afternoon by a single bolt of lightning. The victims were fishing at the foot of Montrose boulevard. The fatal bolt struck the pier where they were seated and all were thrown into the lake. Only the boy has so far been recovered.

MONTANA BASEBALL AS IT WAS PLAYED

Score of Various Games Throughout the State.

Butte, July 1.—Butte defeated Livingston. Dillon was victorious in a game with Pocatello. White Hall beat Butte Critics and Missoula straddled the Butte Montanas.

HEATED TERM IS UNABATED

Along the Atlantic Slope. The Hot Wave

CAUSES MANY DEATHS

In New York and Brooklyn. Milwaukee Was the Hottest Place of the Bunch Today.

By Associated Press:
New York, July 1.—The temperature of New York at 7 a. m. was 82 degrees, Boston 82; Philadelphia 86, Washington 86, Chicago 82, Minneapolis 70, Cincinnati 82, St. Louis 82.

The hot weather continued today. Seven deaths from heat are reported in the city and six in Brooklyn.

Chicago, Ill., July 1.—At 9 o'clock this morning the thermometer showed 89. The humidity intensified the suffering, the air showing 85 per cent of moisture.

Washington, July 1.—The hot wave shows no signs of breaking.

Pittsburg, July 1.—Last night was one of the hottest in years.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 1.—There is no abatement in the heat today.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 1.—Today the thermometer registered 92 with a hot breeze.

Baltimore, July 1.—This city is the hottest place in the United States. At 2 p. m. the thermometer indicated 101 degrees. No deaths are known to have occurred from heat.

St. Louis, July 1.—Intense heat continues unabated. Yesterday there were eight deaths and twelve prostrations, up to noon there has been reported four deaths from heat prostrations today.

Philadelphia, July 1.—Seven deaths today from heat. There have been twenty prostrations.

Washington, July 1.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon, the official temperature was 100 degrees. Twelve prostrations are reported.

ADD CHICAGO

At 12:30 p. m. suffering from intense heat was alleviated by a sudden drop in temperature to 71, and by a heavy fall of rain. Up to noon no prostrations were reported.

EXPORT COTTON.

The Remarkable Export of Raw Cotton From Seattle.

The Great Northern steamer Kinshiu Maru, which sailed from Seattle, Monday, had in her hold 4,200 bales of cotton consigned to Japanese mills, every bale weighing 500 pounds. Last month's steamer took out 4,400 bales. This makes a total, roughly speaking, of 20,000 bales for the year, taken to Japan by the Great Northern boats alone. The Northern Pacific steamers have taken out as much more and the Canadian Pacific and O. R. & N., have been entrusted with probably 10,000 bales each. The grand total therefore of steamers leaving from north coast points is in the neighborhood of 60,000 bales, or 30,000,000 pounds of raw cotton, which represents a respectable profit for the north coast railroads.

Large as these shipments may seem they are insignificant compared with the consignments imported by the Japanese two years ago, when special boats were required to transport the enormous orders for cotton sent to this country from the Fowery kingdom. Railroads reaped an immense profit at that time, but the sagacious Japs did not, as was thought, overload themselves with cotton. The following season saw a big rise in the prices of cotton and the Japanese were then in a position to export raw cotton to Great Britain at greater profit than they could the finished product. Large sales of American cotton went to English mills from this source, and still the Japanese mills had plenty of cotton for their own use. Now their purchases are again approaching the normal volume.

CASES SET FOR TRIAL.

The following cases were set for trial on Monday, July 8, by the district court this morning:

Karl Augustus Lehman, rape; Jas. Smith, forgery; Brig Smith, obstructing county road; Josh Bell, assault in first degree. The court heard a few unimportant civil cases and adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

IRON WORKERS OUT ON STRIKE

Over Thirty-Five Thousand Men Are Included

WORKS AT PITTSBURG

Have Closed Down Pending the Result of the Amalgamated Association's Walk Out.

By Associated Press:
Pittsburg, Pa., July 1.—As a result of the refusal of representatives of the American Sheet Steel company and the American Steel Hoop company to sign the workers new schedule, circulars were sent out from the National headquarters of the Amalgamated association of iron and steel and tin workers, declaring a strike at all plants of the two combines. At the outset over 35,000 men are involved.

TWO LADIES HURT IN A RUNAWAY

A Rib of One and Hip of Another Broken.

Sheridan, Mont., July 1.—Mrs. Chas. Glasser and Miss Kittle Drummond sustained serious injuries today in a runaway, the former having a rib fractured and the latter her hip broken.

SIGN TAFT'S COMMISSION AS GOVERNOR GENERAL

The President Officially Recognizes the New Appointment.

By Associated Press:
Washington, July 1.—The president today signed the commission of William H. Taft of Ohio, as civil governor of the Philippine Islands.

BOOKKEEPER ARRESTED FOR ALLEGED DEFALCATION

A Butte Jeweler is Held Up For Court Investigation.

Butte, July 1.—Until recently Chas. R. Greene was bookkeeper for J. H. Leyson, a jeweler of North Main street. Greene a few weeks ago formed a partnership in the jewelry business with H. S. Tuttle. Today Greene was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Leyson, charging him with shortage in his accounts. The new firm, it is understood, was to have been backed by W. A. Clark, Jr. Greene insists Leyson was actuated by spite and that the charge is without foundation. Greene gave bonds and his examination will be held in a day or two.

CHINESE AGAIN IN CHARGE.

By Associated Press:
Pekin, July 1.—All parts of Pekin are occupied by the British for police purposes, were turned over today to the Chinese authorities.

FILED FOR RECORD.

Frank Smith to Wm. Johnson, lot 10, block 173; consideration \$400.

Andrew N. Smith to Finley S. Winnett, southeast quarter of section 8, township 30 north of range 21 west; consideration \$4,000.

Michael A. Schwahan et al, to John J. Stinger, mining deed.

Charles Johnson to B. Cusick, southwest quarter of section 22, township 27 north of range 25 west; consideration \$400.

Esther Jetty to Fred Langerman east half of the southwest quarter, the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter section 22, and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 21, township 27, north of range 20 west; consideration \$1 and other valuable considerations.

Marcus D. Baldwin et ux to William D. Hill, one-half of lot 18, block 56, Kalispell; consideration \$1,750.

William D. Hill to the Conrad National Bank, lot 18, block-56, Kalispell; consideration \$3,256.

WHEAT QUOTATIONS.

By Associated Press:
Chicago, July 1.—September wheat, per bu., 65 3/4c.
San Francisco, Cal., July 1.—Cash wheat, per cwt., 95c.

WAS SHOT AT FROM AMBUSH

But this Hunter Was Not Scared Out so He

RETURNED THE FIRE

But His Assailant Escaped Uninjured. Hunter Had \$550 of Wolf Bounty Money on Him.

Glendive, July 1.—Last night 30 miles north of here, William Newton of Aldeland, while returning home in company with a man named Walker, was shot at from ambush by highwaymen. The bullet grazed Newton's cheek and passed through Walker's coat sleeve. Newton returned the fire with a rifle and the bandit made his retreat apparently unhurt. Newton had just received \$550 bounty on wolf and coyote hides, and it is supposed that the highwayman was cognizant of this fact and sought to murder him for his money.

BUTTE'S SAUCER TRACK FOR BICYCLE EXPERTS

Races Were Opened Yesterday and Big Crowd Attends.

Butte, July 1.—The bicycle races at Butte were formally inaugurated last night at the new Board Saucer amphitheater which will seat more than 4,000 people. Much enthusiasm was evinced among whelmen and good races are being contested.

A VIRGINIA NEGRO LYNCHED BY A MOB

Taken From the Jail at Lawrenceville Yesterday.

By Associated Press:
Richmond, Va., July 1.—A negro who attempted criminal assault on a Brunswick county woman a few days ago, was taken from the jail at Lawrenceville Sunday night by a mob and lynched.

FIRE AT HOOSIAC TUNNEL PIER.

By Associated Press:
Boston, July 1.—Fire today destroyed the pier at Hoosiac tunnel dock, with a large quantity of merchandise. Six freight cars were consumed. The loss is \$200,000.

IT IS AN UNKNOWN LAND.

Will Prospect Mysterious Country to South of Coeur D'Alenes.

A Wallace, Idaho, special says some of the old prospectors of the Coeur d'Alenes plan to make a trip through the country south of here, beyond the St. Joe river. There is a region nearly 40 miles square on which, so far as known, the foot of white man has never trod.

To the north lie the Wardner and Canyon creek lead mines; to the east are the old placer camps on the upper waters of the St. Joe; to the south is Oro Fino; to the west lie the newly discovered mines of Santa and the famous old Hoodoo diggings.

For 40 years men have been going by on every side of it, but no man has ventured into its depths. From the summit of Stevens peak a birdseye view of the whole tract may be secured, but there is little in the sight to tempt any save a prospector. The main part of the tract is one mountain range after another, all covered with dense timber. The uniformity of the green foliage indicates underbrush. Most of the region is high, ranging from 4,000 to 6,000 feet above the sea level, where winter comes early and stays long. On a few of the higher peaks the ribs of the mountain have been broken off by the elements, forming acres of slide rock, but except for these there is the continuous green of the forest and its accompanying underbrush. The latter forms the principal obstacle to the prospector, and he might pass a score of times within a rod of great outcroppings of rock without seeing them.

With the present lack of transportation nothing but placer or free gold quartz would possess any value, but with mines of that character on all sides it is argued that there is almost a certainty that some of them will be found there.

YOUNG MAN HAD THE NERVE

Was Pinned Down by Falling Ridge Pole

DEBRIS WAS ALL AFIRE

And He Was in the Act of Unjointing Leg to Escape Incineration When Rain Came.

Glendive, Mont., July 1.—A young man named Farris was brought to this city Friday with a broken leg, which was amputated today. Farris was a sheep herder for William Norton of Sidney, and in a lonely region occupied a cabin that was blown down in the storm and set afire by an upsetting stove. Farris was pinned by a ridge pole in the burning debris and as it was impossible to extricate himself, he was in the act of disjuncting his own leg with a knife when the timely rain extinguished the fire. Farris was discovered almost dead after 18 hours of terrible suffering and brought to Glendive, where an operation was performed today.

PEKIN WILL REMAIN THE CAPITAL OF CHINA

No Credence Given Report That Court Will Remove.

By Associated Press:
Berlin, July 1.—Nothing is known in German official circles regarding the news from Shanghai that Kai Fong Fu, in the province of Ho Nan, is to become the Chinese capital. The latest report received here reiterates the statement that it is the court's intention to return to Pekin.

PITCHFORK PIERCED HIS HEAD.

By Associated Press:
Hillsboro, Ore., July 1.—Francis Davis, 15 years old, fell from a load of hay this morning and was instantly killed by a pitchfork piercing his head.

THE SALE OF TIMBER.

That on Homestead Entries May be Disposed of.

The register and receiver of the Missoula United States land office has received from Commissioner Binger Hermann, of the general land office at Washington, a decision in the case of a contest of the United States vs. W. A. Grow, involving a homestead entry of 160 acres in the upper Bitter Rott valley, in which the decision of the local office holding that Grow's entry was correct is affirmed.

The decision covers the points of the case decided some few days ago similarly, and as the points of selling timber from homestead claims is involved, and the ruling is here made, the text of the commissioner's opinion is here given:

"May 22nd, 1895, William A. Grow, made homestead entry No. 1365 for the south half northeast quarter north half southeast quarter, section 23, township 4 north of range 31 west. Commutation proof was made in support thereof April 18th, 1898, and on April 21st, 1898, cash certificate No. 967 issued.

"By letter 'P' of November 9th, 1898, said entry was held for cancellation upon the report of Special Agent Orner, charging that he made a personal examination of the land October 6th, 1898, and found it to be timber land, wholly unfit for cultivation; that the timber was cut and removed, and sold by the entryman in 1896 and 1897, to the Bitter Root Development company; that there has been no attempt at cultivation; that the improvements consist of a log cabin 8x10 feet, stable 10x12 feet, and a couple of sheds; that claimant has never maintained an actual bona fide residence on said tract; that the entry was not made for a home, but for speculation in the timber, and is now abandoned.

"Upon the application of the claimant a hearing was ordered in the case by letter 'P' of March 7th, 1899, and the same was duly had, at which both parties appeared and submitted evidence.

"January 23rd 1901, you rendered your decision, in which you recommended that both the original and cash entry be allowed to remain intact. "From careful examination of the

HOLDING UP A CHINK BROKER

Americans in the Country Near Pekin, China

HOLD UP A PAWNSHOP

And Secure All the Ready Money as Well as Five Cart Loads of the Plunder.

By Associated Press:
Pekin, July 1.—Five men, calling themselves Americans, were captured by Chinese troops, fifty miles from Pekin and were today turned over to Major Robertson, commander of the United States legation guard here. The men demanded 50,000 taels from the keeper of a pawnshop and got 500. They filled five carts with plunder and then began shooting.

HIGH SCHOOL BONDS REJECTED IN CHICAGO

The Beaverhead County Bonds Not Considered Good Security.

Dillon, Mont., July 1.—The recent purchase of \$30,000 of high school bonds of Beaverhead county by a Chicago firm of brokers has been repudiated by the latter on the ground that the election authorizing the issue was illegal owing to the fact that some districts refrained from voting. It is thought the matter will be adjusted, but not in time to erect a building as first expected.

OREGON MURDERER TO SERVE FIFTEEN YEARS

Supreme Court Sustains the Lower Court on Appeal.

By Associated Press:
Portland, Ore., July 1.—A special to the Evening Telegram from Salem, says the supreme court has sustained the judgment of the lower court in the case of Frank Daniel, convicted of the murder of Claire Fitch, in Portland, in July, 1899. McDaniel was sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary.

KYLE MAY NOT RECOVER.

By Associated Press:
Aberdeen, S. D., July 1.—U. S. Senator Kyle suffered a relapse today. It is believed he cannot recover.

BROUGHT DOWN A MILLION.

By Associated Press:
Seattle, Wash., July 1.—The steamship Victorian arrived this morning with seventy-five Dawsonites and between \$800,000 and \$1,000,000 in gold.

testimony I find that claimant made settlement on said land in 1895 and has resided thereon continuously except at short intervals, until the time of making said proof; that he placed improvements thereon during said time, consisting of a log house 16x36 feet and a log barn of the same size; that he dug a drainage ditch and drained about twenty acres of meadow land that was not timbered; that he got out posts and fencing and cleared off brush from the meadow to the extent of about one acre, and that his improvements are of the value of \$300.

"Much of the evidence introduced relates to the cutting of timber on said tract, which it seems was sold to the Anaconda Copper Mining company; but for the purposes of this case, it does not appear necessary to decide whether the timber was cut primarily for the purpose of clearing the land for cultivation or for speculation. If cut for speculation, the trespassers are liable for prosecution, and it appears that proceedings have been already commenced for trespass on this and other lands in this vicinity, but the unlawful cutting of timber on a homestead is not sufficient in the absence of other evidence of bad faith to warrant the cancellation of the entry.

"In view of the foregoing, I am of the opinion that your decision on said entry is correct.

"Said decision is accordingly affirmed and the proceedings dismissed. So note on your records and advise claimant of this action."