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## RESTED

Comfortably During the Day.

SUCH IS REPORT From the Bedside of Mrs. McKinley.

TENDER WORDS OF REGRET

For her illness are Expressed from Many Quarters.

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Cal., May 13.—President McKinley returned late this afternoon from San Jose to the bedside of his wife at the Scott residence, where he will remain until tomorrow. He ran down to San Jose in a special car, arriving just as the cabinet train pulled in.

If Mrs. McKinley's condition is still favorable tomorrow the President will carry out the arranged program with some curtailment. He will visit the Leland Stanford, Jr., university at Palo Alto and make brief stops at San Mateo and Burlingame.

At Palo Alto he will be joined by his entire party and the President's official entry into the city will take place tomorrow afternoon, in accordance with the previously arranged schedule. Secretary Cortelyou said tonight: "Mrs. McKinley rested well and comfortably today."

## A FLORAL TRIBUTE.

By Associated Press. San Jose, Cal., May 13.—Thousands of people between Del Monte and San Jose, anticipating a sight of the President for months, were disappointed today.

The President's presence in San Jose for an hour this afternoon took the edge off the disappointment here where the rose carnival was being held in his honor and where the floral display surpassed anything ever before seen in this part of the country.

After leaving Del Monte this morning, the cabinet carried out the itinerary as originally planned, stopping at Pajaro and Santa Cruz and visiting the big trees in the San Lorenzo valley, but they had no heart to put into the festivities in the absence of their chief and the keen regret of the people was written on their countenances.

Many expressions of kindly sympathy were heard for Mrs. McKinley at each stopping place.

At Santa Cruz, Secretary of State Hay was the representative of the President to the address of welcome made by the Mayor. The President's presence here barely saved the day. He ran down from San Francisco in his special car, arriving here just as the cabinet train pulled in from the south. But he only remained for the formal exercises. At 3:30 o'clock when they were concluded he was driven back to the station and left immediately for San Francisco.

About the square opposite the court house a handsomely decorated stand had been erected and the formal exercises took place there, the President responding to the mayor's address of welcome.

Immediately in the rear of the platform was the big bouquet. It was 90 feet in circumference and stood in its frame 25 feet high. The stem was a pole sunk in the ground. It was composed of cut flowers of every variety. The idea of presenting this immense floral offering to Mrs. McKinley originated with the ladies of San Jose, and the presentation was made to the President by Mrs. E. O. Smith, who expressed tender words of regret for Mrs. McKinley's illness and her hopes for her quick recovery.

The members of the cabinet took the long drive through the orchards of Santa Clara valley planned for the President, visiting on the way Jesuit college at Santa Clara and the University of the Pacific.

Great preparations had been made

along the route to receive the President and the disappointment at not seeing him was very keen. Tonight a big reception had been planned for the President at the Vendome hotel and the program was carried out. The members of the cabinet and ladies of the party all attended this reception.

## CLEVELAND MEN

Will Construct new Lines in Ohio and Indiana.

By Associated Press. Hamilton, O., May 13.—The Southern Ohio traction Company, controlled by Cleveland capitalists, today announced its intention to build two new roads to be operated in connection with its main line. The incorporation papers for the new enterprises have been forwarded to the Secretary of State.

The Hamilton, Oxford and Western railway will extend from Hamilton to Oxford and College Corners, thence to Indiana.

The Cincinnati, Venice and Western Railway will extend from Cincinnati through northern Hamilton county and southern Butler county.

## COLOGNE GAZETTE

Advocates Tariff Understanding with Russia against United States.

By Associated Press. Berlin, May 13.—The Cologne Gazette, which often voices the views of the German foreign office, in the course of a leading article today, advocates a tariff understanding with Russia in order that the two powers may act jointly against the United States.

Ambassador White and Mrs. White gave a dinner tonight in honor of Frank A. Vanderlip, former assistant secretary of the United States Treasury.

## KINGS MEET

To draw more Closely the Relationship of the two Countries.

By Associated Press. Abbazia, Austria, May 13.—King Charles of Roumania, and King George of Greece, met here this afternoon on the Greek warship Psara.

The object of the meeting of King Charles and King George is to draw Roumania and Greece into closer friendship.

## United Brethren Centennial.

By Associated Press. Frederick, Md., May 13.—The fifth day's session of the Centennial celebration of the Quadriennial conference of the United Brethren church in Christ was principally consumed in hearing board and committee reports which were referred to their respective departments. The feature of the day was another pilgrimage to the scene of the church's first conference.

## Murdered and Burned.

By Associated Press. Dover, Me., May 13.—The farm house of Wesley Allen, at Shoreley, was burned during the night and Mr. Allen, his wife and an unknown person were burned to death. Circumstances point to murder.

## Shot Him Dead.

By Associated Press. Little Rock, Ark., May 13.—A mob of masked men went to the house of Lee Key, colored, near Knoxville, Johnson county, and shot him dead. He had been terrorizing other negroes.

## Gambling Men Indicted.

By Associated Press. New York, May 13.—Twelve men were indicted by the grand jury for keeping gambling houses. Evidence was presented by the committee of Fifteen.

## Arrested for Embezzlement.

By Associated Press. Ponce, Porto Rico, May 13.—Carlos and Ramon Julia, respectively postmaster and assistant postmaster at Juana, Diaz, were arrested for embezzlement. The amount is not mentioned.

## Mustered Out.

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Cal., May 13.—The 26th Infantry, U. S. V., was mustered out at the Presidio today.

## SOLD

Government Rations at Manila.

WAS SENTENCED

To Five Years in the Bilibid Prison.

WOODRUFF IS INNOCENT

At Least such is the General Impression there.

By Associated Press. Manila, May 13.—It is considered certain that Col. Charles A. Woodruff, the chief commissary officer, had no connivance with the contractors' frauds.

A civilian, Sylvester C. Fletcher, an employe of the depot quartermaster, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in Bilibid prison, Manila, for selling government bacon and coffee.

The trial of Commissary Sergeant Henry Wilson on the charge of stealing supplies, was begun today. At a conference recently between Brigadier General Funston and General Lacuna, in the province of Nueva Ecija, Lacuna promised to collect his forces and arms and surrender as soon as possible.

## ORDERED HOME.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., May 13.—By direction of the Secretary of War instructions were today cabled to Gen. MacArthur to send to San Francisco at his earliest convenience the following organizations of the regular army: 14th, 18th and 23d regiments of infantry, 4th regiment of cavalry; 29th, 30th, 32d and 33d companies of coast artillery; 1st 8th, 10th, 12th and 13th batteries of field artillery.

## ASTONISHMENT

Expressed by Chinese over Derogations of the Powers.

By Associated Press. London, May 13.—Dr. Morrison, writing from Peking, May 10, says: "The Chinese plenipotentiaries are drafting a reply to the ministers of the powers expressing astonishment at the amount of indemnity demanded and urging a reduction on the ground of the empire's financial difficulties, but undertaking, if the full amount is exacted, to pay in thirty annual installments of 15,000,000 taels."

## Need Money.

By Associated Press. Jacksonville, Fla., May 13.—The Jacksonville relief association this afternoon decided that the amount of money so far contributed for relief of fire sufferers is inadequate and issued an address to the people of the United States asking for assistance.

## Oppose Union Contractors.

By Associated Press. Dayton, O., May 13.—Over 1000 carpenters were locked out today as the result of long continued agitation over wages and the recognition of the union. The contractors say they "prefer to close their shops and suspend operations rather than submit to further dictation by the unions."

## Ladies' Aid Society.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society to Dawes Camp S. of V. will be held this evening. All members are requested to be in attendance. A number of recruits will be mustered.

## Marriage Licenses.

Herbert Henry, of Marietta, and Ivy Bell, of Marietta. Rev. W. D. Cherington.

## CONSTITUTIONAL

Convention of Cuba Formally Considers Report of Commission.

By Associated Press.

Havana, May 13.—The Cuban Constitutional convention today formally considered the report of the commission that went to Washington to obtain more definite information regarding the intentions of the United States.

Gen. Sanguilly objected to the report on the ground of incompleteness, pointing out that the commission made no recommendations.

Senor Juan Gualberto Gomez moved that the report be referred to the committee on relations whose last report has still to be acted upon. He admitted that the committee's visit to Washington had thrown new light upon the amendment, but he thought it only just that the committee should be allowed an opportunity to change the report in order to conform to the new conditions.

An attempt was made to take an immediate vote with reference to the amendment, but the motion of Senor Gomez finally carried, the committee being instructed to act promptly. It is expected that several days will elapse before the amended report is submitted to the convention. A majority of the committee on relations favor of accepting the Platt amendment.

## NINE HOUR DAY

Will be Discussed at a Meeting of International Machinists.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., May 13.—In view of the movement initiated by the International Association of Machinists for the establishment of a nine-hour working day on May 20, President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, called a conference of officers of the organizations particularly interested in the machinery trades of the country, the conference occurring at the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor here today.

James O'Connell, of the International Association of Machinists; John Mulholland, of the International Association of Allied Metal Mechanics; L. R. Thomas, of the Pattern Makers' League of North America, and R. J. Lynch, of the Metal Polishers', Buffers' Platers' and Brass Workers' Union of North America, discussed the various phases of the matter and plans have been determined upon so that a concert of action will be taken on or before May 20. It will dispose of the movement to establish a nine hour work day for all engaged in the machinery industry. The conference will be continued tomorrow morning.

## WENT TO ENGLAND

To secure Consolidation of Atlantic Transport and Leyland Lines.

By Associated Press.

New York, May 13.—President Bernard N. Baker, of the Atlantic Export Line, arrived here from London tonight on the steamship Minneapolis. He went to England a short time ago to secure through the aid of J. Pierpont Morgan the consolidation of the Atlantic Transport and Leyland Lines the fleets of which will next year aggregate 750,000 tons. Should the deal be consummated the combined lines will be the largest in the world.

## ATTORNEYS' FEES

Were Large and the Court Sustained the Demurrer.

By Associated Press.

Marion, Ind., May 13.—Judge Brownlee, at Kokomo today, rendered a decision for attorney fees claims against the Eel River Railroad Co. The case involves \$80,000 attorneys fees against which a demurrer was filed by the receiver. The court sustained the demurrer and refused payment of any part of the fees. The Eel river litigation is several years old and involved \$1,500,000.

## Two Gardeners Fight.

By Associated Press.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 13.—Eddie Gardner and Gus Gardner fought 29 rounds to a draw tonight. Gus was substituted for Jack McClelland, whose illness caused a forfeit of the match. This is the last fight in Wheeling, as the new anti-prize fighting law will become effective tomorrow.

## RIVER

Steamer Sank in the Ohio.

MANY LIVES LOST

Some Escaped by Clinging to Driftwood.

A TERRIBLE STORY TOLD

By the Few who were so Fortunate as to Escape.

By Associated Press.

Carbondale, Ill., May 13.—The steamer City of Paducah sank about 12 o'clock Sunday night and between 25 and 50 people were drowned, only seven escaping with their lives. The boat left St. Louis Sunday morning on its downward trip and stopped at Moss landing and loaded on freight, most of which was corn. Between 11 and 12 o'clock Miss Fannie Block, who in company with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Block were going from St. Louis to Evansville, Ind., were aroused from their sleep by a sudden jar. She asked her mother if her berth had broken down and no sooner had the words passed her lips than water rushed into the apartments and they were compelled to act quickly to save their lives. With four others they escaped to the Illinois shore by holding on to driftwood and swimming.

The seven survivors of the catastrophe made their way down the river bank to Grand Tower and aroused the proprietor of the Tremont hotel, where they were given lodging until this morning. They lost all their clothes and valuables and had nothing but their underwear and blankets about them. Among the drowned were about 25 negro rosbabouts.

Rev. Block, wife and daughter passed through Carbondale this morning on the way to Evansville, where they reside.

Frank White, whose home is in Kansas City, told the following story of the disaster: "I got on the boat at landing 76 to go to Cairo. After leaving Brunckhorst the boat started down the stream and just as she put off struck a snag, tearing a big hole in her. The crew then tried to place the stern of the boat toward the river and while turning her around she sunk. She was about 33 feet from shore and her cabin and pilot house above water. I jumped into a skiff and made for shore. I do not know how many were on board, but think about 25 were drowned. Among them were two engineers, one white woman and about 15 negroes."

## TRAIN WRECKERS

Plan to Derail and Rob a fast Wabash Express.

By Associated Press.

Mishawaka, Ind., May 13.—Train wreckers, whose motive evidently was robbery, made an unsuccessful attempt to derail the fast express on the Wabash road last night.

At a point near Wyatt, railroad ties were piled across the track. A heavy freight train, running extra and slowly, preceded the express. It struck the obstruction, but caused only a slight damage. The ties were removed before the train carrying a large sum of money arrived. Railroad detectives are at work.

## For Speculative Purposes.

An option has been taken by parties, whose names are withheld, for the purchase of the land occupied by the green house of Schramm Bros., about a mile up the Muskingum. The parties wishing to purchase the property desire it for speculative purposes, and if sold the green house will be moved from it.

## OIL NEWS

Of Interest From the Several Fields on Both Sides of the River.

Tiona	.....\$1.27
Pennsylvania	..... 1.07
Corning	..... .94
Newcastle	..... .87
North Lima	..... .84
South Lima	..... .74
Indiana	..... .74

## FIFTEEN BARREL WELL.

Special to the Leader. Elm Run, W. Va., May 13.—The Granite Oil Co. drilled in its No. 3 J. P. Marshall and it is showing for a 15 barrel well in the salt sand.

## ARE DRILLING.

Special to the Leader. Cairo, W. Va., May 13.—Patterson & Tait are drilling their No. 1 J. Taylor.

## TWO DUSTERS.

Special to the Leader. Wolf Creek, May 13.—The Gusele Oil Co.'s No. 1 W. W. Gadd is dry. Cameron & Co.'s No. 4 H. Milligan is dry.

## STARTED SPUDDING.

Special to the Leader. Macksburg, O., May 13.—Patton & Co. started spudding on No. 1 James Gordon.

## PRODUCER AND GASSER.

Special to the Leader. Cornwallis, W. Va., May 13.—Max Drey's No. 8 Harkness tract is showing for 10 barrels per day in the salt sand. The Mountain State Gas Co.'s No. 1 B. Bell is a gasser in the Keener sand.

## WILL ABANDON IT.

Special to the Leader. Petroleum, W. Va., May 13.—Rutherford Bros.' No. 2 Rutherford heirs did not respond to the shot in the first Cow Run sand. They have pulled the casing and will abandon the hole.

## TEN BARREL PRODUCER.

Special to the Leader. Joy, O., May 13.—Liken & Breckenridge's No. 7 J. Gall is showing for a ten barrel well.

## ALMOST DRY.

Special to the Leader. Marietta, O., May 13.—D. F. Sherboudy's No. 6 R. Way on Big Run is so nearly dry that it will likely be abandoned.

## THEY ARE DRILLING.

Special to the Leader. Hebron, W. Va., May 13.—J. B. Atken's No. 2 J. M. McKinney is drilling at 75 feet.

## DRILLING COMMENCED.

Special to the Leader. Bull Creek, W. Va., May 13.—They have started drilling at H. Suhr, trustee's, No. 6 J. A. and W. S. Harness farm.

## A NICE WELL.

Special to the Leader. Joy, O., May 13.—The Lockwood Oil Co. completed its No. 5 M. Ball today. It shows up for a nice well.

The Dual State Oil Company has made the location for No. 19 Dye in the Moore's Junction field. Neubeck, Best & Winnick expect to drill in their well on the Schantz farm some time today.

## Smallpox Among Indians.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., May 13.—Reports reaching the Interior Department show that the smallpox is widespread among Indians of the western reservations. Numerous deaths occurred.

## National Charities.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., May 13.—The general session of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections today was devoted to a discussion of the division of work between public and private charities.

## Single Tax Meeting.

There will be a single tax meeting at the Soldiers' monument tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by local single taxers.

## Weather Forecast.

Ohio—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday. Warmer in eastern portion. Wednesday variable winds, mostly northerly. West Virginia—Fair Tuesday, variable winds, mostly northerly.