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## PACIFIC COAST.

Forest Fires Raging in the Cascades.

## THE WASHINGTON MILITIA.

Sealing Poachers Are Reaching Victoria, B. C., Every Day With Fine Catches.

A \$6,000 ice plant for Riverside, Cal., is projected.

The Alaska salmon pack exceeds that of last season.

Santa Barbara, Cal., has voted to build an outfall sewer system.

The entire system of Portland street railways is now owned by one company.

Coal has been found at Hollywood, three miles outside of the city limits of Los Angeles.

Terrible forest fires are raging in the Cascade Mountains in the vicinity of Hot Springs, Wash.

The carpenters at Vancouver, B. C., are striking against the employment of non-union men.

Frank Chaves, Sheriff of Santa Fe county, N. M., is said to be short about \$33,000 in his accounts.

Portland has just voted \$30,000 for a municipal building, \$45,000 for sewers and \$55,000 for water works.

Roseville, five miles from San Diego, is to be the site for the new iron plant so long talked about in that section.

Low wages and poor food are causing large desertions from the railroad gangs at work on the Great Northern extension in Montana.

Coal of good quality has been discovered by accident at Chemainus, a little village about midway between Victoria and Nanaimo, B. C.

The Washington militia is to sue the State to compel it to take the pay rolls for services during the late troubles in the mines in King county.

The news from the Pine Nut region by way of Carson continues to be of an exciting nature to prospectors and miners. New strikes, all rich, are reported.

The Union Pacific instituted a suit against the Oregon Railroad Commission to annul the rates adopted by the board, which are 40 per cent. lower than those fixed by the railroad.

The owners of the Bonanza mine at Tombstone have come to no conclusion concerning the resumption of deep mining. The Contention-mine people have the subject under deliberation.

Prof. George H. Bryant of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute has been appointed director of the work shops and Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering in the Stanford University.

The steamship Zambesi of the Upton line has been labeled for \$20,000 at Victoria, B. C. Damages are claimed by the schooner Fanny Dutar, with which the Zambesi collided in the Straits of Fuca.

Sealing poachers are reaching Victoria every day from Behring Sea, and some of them have fine catches. The Sapphire has 2,435, the Walter A. Earle 1,021 and the schooner Carmelite 760 skins.

The midsummer harvest number of the Los Angeles Times is brim full of interesting reading and statistical facts of a reliable character about the progress of Southern California and its great resources.

The Portland Council, which was elected on a platform of economy and reform, is attempting to increase the salaries of city officers, including their own, some \$39,000 over the old list, and their conduct is severely criticized.

Charles Raskin, editor of *Le Gaulois* at Los Angeles, and J. P. Goytino of *Le Progres* have not been friendly for a long time. Raskin left for Europe, but prepared an edition of his paper for circulation, charging Goytino with innumerable crimes. Goytino got out a warrant, and the officers arrested Raskin at Barstow. He was taken to Los Angeles to answer the charges of criminal libel.

The following cities in the State of Washington have over 1,500 population: Seattle 42,837, Tacoma 36,006, Spokane Falls 19,922, Walla Walla 4,709, Olympia 4,498, Port Townsend 4,558, Fairhaven 4,476, Whatcom 4,059, Vancouver 3,545, Ellensburg 2,768, Centralia 2,026, Snohomish 1,993, Dayton 1,880, Puyallup 1,732, Sprague 1,689, Colfax 1,649, Aberdeen 1,638, Montesano 1,632, Blaine 1,563, North Yakima 1,535.

The Yuma Sentinel claims that at the mouth of the Colorado river and the upper end of the Gulf of California are to be found sea bass that weigh from 250 to 750 each, claims as large as a common dinner plate, millions of sardines and smelt, oysters small but delicious, millions of soft-shelled crabs and other shell fish, myriads of wild geese, brants, ducks, cranes and other sea fowl and birds. It is a paradise for fish and game.

## EDUCATIONAL.

Of the Five Highest Graduates at West Point the South Has Four.

Out of 250,000,000 people in all India less than 11,000,000 can read and write. The receipts at Chautauqua this season were 25 per cent. above those of last year.

A high school is to be established at Casadaga Lake, N. Y., in connection with Spiritualistic views of education.

The gain in school enrollment in New Mexico in 1890 is 283 per cent., while the gain in population is only 28 per cent.

Throughout France gardening is practically taught in the primary and elementary schools. There are about 28,000 of these schools.

About 1,400 members of Cambridge University, England, have signed resolutions protesting against the admission of women to the university.

The University of the City of New York has just added a school of the science of education to itself, and hereafter will confer the degrees of Master and Doctor of Pedagogy.

The school census of Louisiana shows that out of a total school population of 370,226 only 85,000 children attend the public schools, and many of these attend two months in the year.

The University of Upsala in Sweden during the present term has an attendance of 1,658. Of these 254 are in the theological department, 740 in the philosophical, 443 in the law and 221 in the medical.

Of the five highest graduates at West Point four come from Southern States, counting Maryland as of the South, and the fifth is from Pennsylvania. Charles D. Hines, who stands the highest in Virginia, is also from the South, being a Virginian.

Eight institutions have each an enrollment of over 1,000 students, and seven report from 500 to 1,000. Nor is it the old colleges in the East alone which draw their pupils by the hundreds, but Harvard's 2,271 students and Yale's 1,645 are paralleled by Ann Arbor's 2,153 and Oberlin's 1,709.

The head mistress of the high school for girls in Birmingham, England, suggests that parents who are anxious as to the career and future of their daughters should train them to be teachers of cookery. She finds from the Liverpool cookery school that there is a constant demand for qualified teachers, and that more applications were received than could be satisfied. The remuneration varies from \$7.50 to \$15 a week—excellent wages for England.

A plan for furnishing a technical education to the boys who have to work is to be put into operation by the trustees of Bell-street chapel, Providence, the free-thought institute which James Eddy's money founded. The scheme is that in that in use in England, the science classes, which are carried on under the direction of the government and the guilds in London, and which are doing a large work in providing proper technical education. James Tribe, mechanical engineer, graduate of the science classes and of Central Institute, will be instructor, and there will be a committee to overlook the work, consisting of Isaac Whitehead, Robert Grieve, J. Bowle and George Whitehead. The first course will open Tuesday, October 2, students being required to pay only \$5 for fifty-two lessons.

## THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Rioting Chinese Destroy the American Mission at Yehang.

An additional proclamation, signed by President Harrison and Assistant Secretary of State Wharton, has been issued in regard to the timber reserve in Yellowstone Park. The boundaries are the same as described in the first proclamation. It concludes with a warning to all persons not to enter or to make settlement in the section reserved for Yellowstone Park.

The Department of State has received a telegraphic dispatch from the Minister at Peking, reporting a riot at Yehang, on the Yang-tse-Kiang river, in the province of Hoopes, and that the establishment of the American missionaries there has been destroyed. No further particulars are given. Yehang is about 200 miles above Hankow, which is about as far up the river as vessels of war can go.

The Board of Managers of the National Home for disabled volunteer soldiers has concluded its quarterly meeting in Washington. At the last meeting a provision was made for the creation of medical boards at each branch to examine the inmates and ascertain what proportion of them were able to maintain themselves and not disabled. These reports are now under consideration. The board at the California branch reports there is not a single inmate who could be properly excluded. In the Central branch the board found thirty-three inmates who should be excluded, because they have a sufficient income to maintain themselves, and seventeen because they were physically able. The Milwaukee branch has not reported. The board has not yet determined upon a line of policy to be pursued in these cases. It is the desire to rid the home of inmates really able to take care of themselves in order to afford room for deserving veterans, but so many considerations arise that it is not practicable to apply the general rule.

## EASTERN ITEMS.

Coinage for the Month of August.

## THE SAN CLEMENTE ISLAND.

Valentine Scrip Cannot Be Used in the Location of Tide Lands on Puget Sound.

Indiana saloonkeepers are forming a State union.

Chicago unveils her Grant monument on October 7.

The Vermont Legislature voted \$15,000 to the World's Fair.

Old Crow, a Cheyenne chief, is trying to set up a Messiah craze.

Mrs. Robert Ray Hamilton's theatrical venture has gone to pieces.

The North German Lloyd Company will run a line of steamers between New York and Genoa.

The Cincinnati tax commission is unearthing millions of securities not placed on the tax duplicate.

Typhoid fever has broken out in the State idiot asylum at Syracuse. Impure water is the cause for it.

Only 5 per cent., or 18,270, of the total immigration to this country during the last fiscal year settled in the South.

It is estimated that 20,000-horse power will be required for the electric-lighting plant of the Columbian Exposition.

The Delaware fish commission has placed 4,000,000 shad in the Delaware river at Bull Island during the present year.

Additional instructions concerning the smuggling of lottery tickets into the United States from Mexico have been issued.

The substitution of the cable for horses on the Broadway and Third-avenue lines will throw 6,000 horses out of employment.

The Navy Department will at once issue orders concerning the survey of the Pacific-cable route. The Thetis will probably do the work.

Some of the roads in the Northwestern blind passenger pool have been furnishing erroneous statements of the business to the Advisory Board.

An electrically illuminated cross is to be placed on the spire of a Methodist church in Minneapolis. Fifty-two incandescent lamps will be used.

The South Dakota people are so jubilant over their big crops that they have set about the work of raising a huge "grain palace" in celebration thereof.

The land office refuses to restore San Clemente Island on the southwest coast of California to the public domain, owing to its future availability as a naval station.

The Secretary of the Interior decides that Valentine scrip cannot be used in the location of lands lying between the high and low-water mark in Puget Sound district, Wash.

Already apprehensions are beginning to be expressed at the possible fate of Peary in his Greenland explorations. There are fears that he and his party will meet the fate of the Greeley party.

The Boston Advertiser gives the particulars involving \$1,000,000 worth of stock of the big Quincy copper mine in Michigan and serious allegations reflecting upon the honesty of the managers.

The census returns for Pennsylvania show that the unfortunate city of Johnstown has increased in population since 1880 from 8,380 to 21,805, a growth which makes it now the thirteenth city in the State.

Conservative estimates place the yield of Minnesota and the Dakotas at 125,000,000 bushels of wheat, against 90,000,000 last year. It is asserted that the wheat crop of the three States would fill a train 250 miles long.

Black ants threaten to take possession of Boston, and State street, the citadel of Boston's moneyed men, is literally swarming with them. They are on the streets, on the sidewalks and crawling up the side of buildings.

A rumor has been published at Winnipeg that the Grand Trunk is about to extend its line to Winnipeg via Sault Ste. Marie and Duluth, and that when the former city is reached the line will be extended to the Pacific Coast.

The coinage of the United States mints during the month of August was: Double eagles, \$1,000,000; eagles, \$120,000; half-eagles, \$60,000; standard dollars, \$1,180,000; dimes, \$584,000; 5 cents, \$74,200; 1 cent, \$40,200. Total coinage, \$3,718,400.

The Tennessee Legislature has decided that it is unable to abrogate the present lease of convicts. The session was called for the purpose of breaking the lease, and the call was necessitated by riots at the place where convicts were employed in the mines.

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