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SMUGGLED ARMS ON BOARD

Ship Bound for Orient Well Loaded With Arms and Ammunition.

SLY WORK DISCOVERED

Possibility That This May Be But One of Many Similar Acts

San Francisco, March 8.—The Examiner today says: "Twenty-two modern rifles and 10,000 rounds of ammunition were seized yesterday in the quarters of the Chinese crew on the Pacific mail steamer Manchuria scheduled to Salfor, in the Orient. This afternoon the company's officials thereupon ordered, it is said, as thorough a search of the vessel as possible and this resulted in two more boxes of rifles being found in the room of one of the assistant engineers. The engineer and Chinese were questioned and it was found that the guns were purchased in this country by the engineer and smuggled aboard the vessel. The officials say they believe that there are no more guns aboard but this will not be certain until the freight has been discharged from the steamer upon her arrival at Hong Kong."

ENTRIES AT OAKLAND

Fast Bunch at California Races to Be Run Today.

San Francisco, March 8.—Entries at Oakland today: First race, five and a half furlongs—Sandstone, 112; James A. Murray, Salem, 109; Lisaro, Claudio, Libertinus, Dick Wilson, Lazzie Mine, 107; Riley Dwyer, Nothing, Midmont, 104; Estmer, 102. Second race, four furlongs—Lassen, Alta Spa, Elmidae, Duke of Orleans, Lord Rossington, 112; Reha, Lugano, Kogo, Queen Allene, 109; Hermit's Cross, St. Lucar, 107. Third race, mile and eight—Wenrick, 110; No Remark, Expedient, Langford James, 107; Ethel Abbott, Jolly Witch, Lella Hill, 105; Spontoolish, 102; Chablis, 110. Fourth race, mile and eighth—Tarrigan, Supreme Court, Major Tenny Rensch, Rider, Provostator, Invictus, 107; Isabella, Ira's, 105; Canejo, 100. Fifth race, mile—Follow Me, Water Cure, 109; Tavannes, 97; Jake Moose, 94; Frank Richter, Merry Go Round, 92; Quick Kick, 89. Sixth race, five and a half furlongs—Henry Waite, 103; Yada, Callaghan, 10; Janeway, Chlano, 109; Delagon, Only Jim, Salable, 107; Montanus, Wrenne, I'm Joe, 100; Lotta Gladstone, 95.

SPENT CASH

Madison, Wis., Football Rooters at Minneapolis Were Expensive.

Madison, Wis., March 8.—A member of the state university football team testified today before the legislative committee investigating the university, that \$2 was spent for the team and friends following the ball game at Minneapolis last fall.

SCHWAB IS IMPROVED.

Conditions at No Time Alarming and Reports Were Exaggerated.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Kansas City, March 8.—Mr. Schwab's train passed through Hutchinson this morning. A dispatch received here quotes the conductor of the train saying that while Mr. Schwab was somewhat ill when he left Los Angeles, his condition had at no time been alarming.

REMOVED FROM OFFICE.

President Ousts Land Officials in Oklahoma.

Washington, March 8.—President Roosevelt has removed from office John D. Oliphant, register, J. A. Trotter, receiver and I. J. Chapman, clerk of the land office at Mangum, Okla., for irregularities in the conduct of the business of the office. Today he appointed George B. Roberts to be register of the Mangum land office in succession to Oliphant. The appointment is only temporary, as the Mangum office is to be discontinued in April.

It's hardly ever safe to propose to a girl unless she is married.

Clung to Ice Cake and Called Vainly For Help

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Duluth, Minn., March 8.—At 12:45 o'clock this morning Motorman Burns on the ferry bridge and Arthur Fortin, on Park point, heard the cries of a drowning man, who was clinging to an ice cake about a block west of the Booth dock. "For God's sake, can't someone help me?" exclaimed the unknown man. Every effort was made by Burns and Fortin, but to no avail. They then notified the police and Lieutenant Drannen and Officer Westlund attempted to get a flat boat out to him but the ice prevented and the unknown drowned. Trondhjem, Norway, March 8.—A snow avalanche at Lofoten islands yesterday night buried a number of fishermen's huts. Rescuers extricated 21 dead and 35 injured from underneath the snow and debris.

AT RIPE OLD AGE.

Wisconsin Woman Dies After Passing the Century Mark.

WOULD INCREASE THE DUTIES.

Turkey Importing the Powers for Radical Tariff Advance.

COLLISION ON THE BURLINGTON IN IOWA

Freight Breaks in Two Fatally Injuring Several of the Crew.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Burlington, Iowa, March 8.—A rear-end collision here today between two sections of a freight train on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway resulted in the injury of four men. Stockman S. Heaton of Virginia, Iowa, was fatally injured. The others hurt were: Brakeman Stuckman, badly cut in the head and body; Wm. Kackman, of Burlington, arm broken; Brakeman Frank Mathews of Keithsburg, internally injured. The wreckage blocked the main line for several hours. A large amount of livestock was killed and fifteen cars and one engine demolished. The accident was caused by the first section of the train breaking in two.

EMPEROR OF CHINA IS ILL AT PEKIN

Associated Press Cable to The Evening Times. Peking, March 8.—The emperor of China, Tsai Tien, is ill. Telegrams have been despatched to all viceroys asking them to send their best physicians to Peking. The physicians at the palace here say that the emperor's illness is serious but not alarming.

RETURN THREE INDICTMENTS.

Against Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co. of New York.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. New York, March 8.—Three indictments against the officers of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company were handed down by the grand jury. Those indicted are Frederick A. Burnham, George B. Eldredge, first vice president and George Burnham, Jr., second vice president.

STATEHOOD

Senate Convened Early Today for Discussion—Few Were Present.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Washington, March 8.—The senate met at 11 o'clock, an hour earlier than usual, in order to afford additional time for the discussion of the statehood bill, but it looked for a while as though that object would be frustrated by the lack of attendance on the part of the senators. When the hour for meeting arrived not a single seat in the chamber was occupied, but Vice President Chaplain entered through the north door, McCumber and Gearin appeared at the opposite entrance and Teller and Patterson came in a few minutes later. The other senators were slow in making their appearance and at 11:05, when McCumber began to speak on the statehood bill, less than a dozen senators were in their seats.

SECRETARY OF STATE ROOTS NIECE IS A PLAYWRIGHT

Baltimore, Md., March 8.—"Mozart's Romance," a comedy by Mrs. Ivy Ashton Root, a niece of the Secretary of State, is to be given its first production in this city tonight. An adequate company has been engaged to support Howard Kyle in the leading role.

PINEHURST CHAMPIONSHIP BEING CONTESTED TODAY

Pinehurst, N. C., March 8.—The Pinehurst club championship golf tournament opened auspiciously on the local links today and will last through the remainder of the week. From all indications the tournament will be one of the most successful that has been played here this season.

BOY ESCAPES CAPTORS.

New York, March 8.—Antonio Bozoni, the 14-year-old boy who was kidnapped last Sunday and held for \$20,000 ransom, returned alone to his home today. He had escaped from his captors, he said, by stealing out of the rooms above the saloon in 59th street while one of his captors who had been left alone to guard him, turned his back for a moment.

MINERS ARE DENIED.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 8.—At a meeting here today of the Ohio coal operators it was decided not to concede the demands of the miners for an increase in wages. This action it is believed makes a strike of Ohio miners probable.

POLICEMEN MIXED UP IN CLAICHE GIRL CASE

New York Woman Says She Paid Them Hush Money While a Street Walker.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. New York, March 8.—Bertha Claiche, the young French woman who pleaded guilty to the murder of Emil Gerdon, her alleged master, was taken from the Tombs prison to the district attorney's office last evening. She had a talk there with Assistant District Attorney Ely. Although no official statement was made public, it was reported that the young woman gave Mr. Ely the names of four policemen to whom she said she paid \$2 a week for protection while leading the life of a woman of the streets. She also gave the names of about 50 other women in the district where she lived.

GIVING OF REBATES BY RAILROADS DISCOVERED

Attorney General Believes Big Fraud Has Been Unearthed.

Washington, March 8.—Upon being shown the publication in the New York American of today regarding the alleged granting of rebates on the transportation of sugar, Attorney General Moody said: "Some weeks ago a representative of that paper called on me and said that information was in possession of that paper tending to show that large rebates on the transportation of sugar had been given to the American Sugar Refining company by the trunk lines of railroads running out of New York city, and asked if the department of justice desired to use the information in legal proceedings. An examination of the matter showed clearly that it was highly important and tended to show the giving and receiving of large money rebates."

DULUTH MAY LOSE THE FARMERS BUSINESS

Ashland, Wis., Makes Bid for Grain Trade of the Central West.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Minneapolis, March 8.—The Farmers' Exchange, an organization which is operating and promoting independent elevators in the spring wheat territory, was addressed in convention today by Bert Williams, mayor of Ashland, Wis. Serious consideration is being given by his offer from public interests at Ashland to co-operate with the exchange in establishing farmers' independent grain houses and shipping facilities there. A recent revision of rates places Ashland more nearly on a parity with Duluth and Superior with regard to wheat from the west and the exchange is dissatisfied with the treatment of the independent shippers at the latter points.

NEW LEAGUE THE OUTCOME.

President Price Returns From Duluth and Reports on Baseball.

Winnipeg, Duluth, Fargo, Grand Forks, Calumet, Hancock, Houghton and Lake Linden are the cities that have practically decided to become identified with the Northern Baseball league during 1906. This will make the strongest combination by far that the Northern league has had.

NO MINISTRY

France Finds Herself in Embarrassing Status at Critical Time.

Associated Press Cable to The Evening Times. Paris, March 8.—The government finds itself without a ministry at the culmination stage of the Moroccan conference at Algiers. A semi-official announcement on the subject says: "The ministerial crisis does not effect the French policy at the conference." This is designed chiefly to warn Germany not to take advantage of the situation. The fact that the ministerial status confuses matters and threatens an agreement which otherwise might have been reached today. The vote in the chamber of deputies last night, resulting in the defeat of the government and the resignation of the cabinet, also requires that the government temporize with the church manifestos who are becoming increasingly demonstrative, particularly the peasants. President Fallieres today began a series of consultations relative to the formation of a new ministry. He first conferred lengthily with M. Dubost, president of the senate, and later received M. Doumer, president of the chamber of deputies. No announcement of the president's course of action has been made.

ASSOCIATION 100 YEARS OLD CELEBRATES ITS BIRTHDAY

Boston, March 8.—The one hundredth anniversary of the granting of its charter is to be celebrated by the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic association and banquet in Paul Revere hall tonight. Governor Guild, Mayor Fitzgerald and other prominent men are among the announced speakers.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND

St. Paul Sails From New York Today for Europe.

New York, March 8.—Archbishop John Ireland of St. Paul sailed today for Europe on the steamer LeGascogne.

Italians in Train Wreck Fight Their Rescuers

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Greensburg, Pa., March 8.—Three Italians were killed outright and four or more injured, several it is believed fatally, in a collision on the Pennsylvania railroad near Radebaugh, Pa., today between a milk train and a work train filled with foreigners. The work train was composed of flat cars loaded with pipe for the pipe line which the Pennsylvania railroad is building from India Creek to Pittsburgh. About 75 Italians employed at this work were also aboard and the train had just pulled onto the main line from a siding when it met the milk train in a collision. The two trains came together with terrific force and the men and iron pipe were hurled in all directions. The last flat car was telescoped and two others demolished, but the milk train was not seriously damaged.

Immediately after the accident the crew of the milk train went to the assistance of the injured, but were forced to flee from the infuriated Italians who were crazed at the sight of their dead countrymen. A number of Italians rushed at the train crew with threats of vengeance and the crew had to take refuge on their engine to escape the wrath of the foreigners.

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT.

Opens at Ottawa, Canada, Today—Tariff Revision Talk.

Ottawa, Ont., March 8.—Parliament opened this afternoon with the usual ceremonies. The session promises to be an interesting as well as a protracted one. The principal work of the session, as is well known, will be tariff revision.

SLIT AGAINST ONTARIO.

Big Sum Involved in Action Brought by Dominion Government.

Toronto, Ont., March 8.—The suit of the Dominion government against the Ontario government for a claim for \$1,352,335.30 came up for hearing today in the Exchequer Court of Canada. The claim is made against the Ontario government for the repayment of certain annuities and other sums paid by the Dominion to the Saulteaux Indians under the terms of a treaty concluded in 1872. It is that year the Crown purchased 47,000 square miles of land from the Saulteaux tribe of the Ojibway Indians and settled annuities upon the chiefs. In 1878 the land was made over to the Province of Ontario. Now the Dominion asks that Ontario repay the amount it spent on the Indians and improving the land. The Province in reply says that the Dominion government made the treaty and therefore should carry out the conditions.

WHITE SOX GO SOUTH.

Comiskey's Team Start For Land of Perpetual Sunshine.

Chicago, Ill., March 8.—Led by Chief Comiskey, the White Sox took the southern trail today and will spend the next two weeks or so in the land of eternal sunshine, getting into fighting condition for the American league pennant race. Over twenty men are taken along, and the entire party will remain in New Orleans until near the end of the month, when the squad will start north. On the way northward games will probably be played at Montgomery and Birmingham. The entire team will be kept together until Memphis is reached, at which point a squad of pitchers and extra men will be detached and sent across the Mississippi to do battle with the teams at Kansas City, Omaha and Lincoln. The regulars, after playing two games in Memphis, will continue the homeward trip, playing enroute at Louisville, Dayton, Springfield, Grand Rapids and Detroit, the regular season opening in the last named city.

GREAT BIBLE CONFERENCE.

Ten Days' Session of Eminent Divines at Atlanta, Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., March 8.—Enthusiasm was the keynote today at the opening of the eighth annual Tabernacle Bible conference. The conference will continue ten days, during which time Bible work will be gone into, and sermons and addresses on it will be delivered by eminent authorities. Among the noted speakers to address the conference are Rev. Samuel Chadwick of England, Rev. A. C. Dixon of Boston, W. R. Moody of East Northfield, Mass., Rev. Melvin Trotter of Grand Rapids, Mich., Dr. H. M. Hamill of Nashville, Dr. Arthur T. Pierson of Brooklyn, and Dr. James M. Gray of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

FUNERAL OF SCHOFIELD.

Washington, D. C., March 8.—In the presence of the president and members of the cabinet, justices of the supreme court, members of the diplomatic corps, high ranking officers of the army and navy, and veterans of the civil war and war with Spain, the funeral service over the body of the late Lieut. General Schofield and former secretary of war were held at St. Johns church this afternoon. Interment was made at Arlington.

MAYOR OF SEATTLE.

Seattle, March 8.—Judge Moore, municipal ownership candidate for mayor was elected by 15 votes.

NO WOMAN EVER CONSIDERS HERSELF FAT AS LONG AS THERE IS ANOTHER ONE FATTER.

MUTINY ON STEAMER IN N.Y.

One Man Killed as Result of Desperate Fight on the Massachusetts.

Complained of Food.

Firemen Array Themselves Against Officers But Are Finally Put Down.

New York, March 8.—A mutiny in which one life was lost occurred today on board the steamer Massachusetts which was lying at her dock at Brooklyn. James Stumm a fireman, was killed during a revolver battle on the steamer's deck, in which the steamer's firemen were ranged on one side and opposing them were the ship's officers and members of the crew. Sounds of the fighting caused a reserve of police to be hurried to the steamer but the firemen who had started the trouble had been driven into submission before the police arrived. Six members of the crew were arrested as were also First Officer Albert J. Evans and Fourth Officer Elmer H. Kerwin. All were held as witnesses. Kerwin's home is in Baltimore, Md. The mutiny had been brewing, according to the officers of the Massachusetts, ever since the steamer left Cardiff, Wales, on Feb. 5. The firemen complained continually about the food furnished them.

BULLET FROM THE SKIES.

German Soldier Struck By Ball Fired From Distance of Three Miles.

Berlin, March 8.—A remarkable accident is reported from the littlearrison town of Ortelburg. A private soldier was walking in broad daylight on the outskirts of the town, when he suddenly fell to the ground. Persons who came to his assistance found that he had been struck by a rifle bullet, though no one, including the wounded man himself, had heard or seen a shot fired. In investigations resulted in the discovery that long range firing exercises had been going on at the time at thearrison range three miles away, and that a gun had accidentally gone off. The bullet from this rifle had passed over a wood, and in dropping down on the other side from a considerable height had retained sufficient velocity to inflict a critical wound.

PENNSYLVANIA ELKS PLAN A STATE BODY

Harrisburg, Pa., March 8.—Members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks in Pennsylvania, to the number of nearly 200, met in this city today and took the initial steps for the organization of a state body. Several of the national officers of the order were in attendance.

BY A BULLET

A Minneapolis Man Wounds His Own Brain.

Minneapolis, March 8.—Henry Morrisette, aged 28, driver for the Tribune, this morning shot and slightly wounded his wife, aged 26, and then fired a bullet into his brain, dying instantly. The couple had been quarreling frequently and last evening Mrs. Morrisette called in a policeman, saying she wouldn't live with her husband longer, as she was afraid he would kill her. Morrisette asked to be allowed to stay in the house one night more and then said he would go away. This morning when his wife stepped out of her room he was waiting for her and fired. Seeing her fall to the floor and believing her dead, he went to the kitchen and killed himself. Mrs. Morrisette will recover. The couple had three children.