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NEXT WEEK.

PLANTERS	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK	WEEK
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RECEIPTS OF TRAINS.

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THE SKAGWAY TRAIL.

Pushing the Work on the Road to the Gold Fields.

THE KICKERS IN THE MINORITY.

The Prospectors Perfect an Organization For Pushing the Work, and the Malcontents Must Submit—Canadian Police Promise Regular Mail.

Seattle, Sept. 6.—The following has been received from Skagway, Alaska, dated Aug. 28: Sylvester Scovel, of the New York World, landed yesterday morning at Skagway by a specially chartered tug from Juneau, with two tons of blasting powder and the necessary tools to equip seven complete crews for rock work on the Skagway trail, and as fast as horses and men could get at it was started to the front.

In the evening there was a meeting at the foot of the first hill, attended by over 500 miners, who organized for an executive committee, consisting of James Christie, Portland, president; Philip Adams, secretary; C. A. Cramer of Seattle, Mr. Heacock and Mr. Day, superintendents, who selected experienced men for the work on the rock hills and veteran loggers for the work of corduroying the muddy places.

There were 30 Canadian mounted police on the trail. They have pitched in with a good will, and say that the building of this trail will enable them to get in the 70 tons of provisions in time to build and provision the mail stations in their territory, so that they can operate the dog teams all winter, and they agree to deliver the mail every two weeks from the Klondike to the American line. Work is in progress for 15 miles along the trail, and all travelers' packing has been suspended until it is completed.

There have been some kickers, as usual, but they are so much in the minority that they have had to submit. While I believe this trail will be complete in ten days, so that travel can be resumed, don't start for this point expecting to get over it for at least 20 days, as it will take that long to get the trail in shape to get all the miners over that are now there. There would never have been so much trouble for small parties, but the swarm of people, 95 per cent of whom were tenderfeet and knew nothing about backing and mountaineering, has been the cause of congestion at this point.

The first reports about this trail were inspired by ill treated parties who are trying to start a town here, and who are also in the whisky business. Not nearly so many discouraged prospectors are selling their outfits for a song as has been reported, but a good many who started for the Klondike have given up that idea, have turned to town site buyers and are erecting all kinds of buildings and are establishing themselves for the winter as best they can. One week ago 200 men, mostly from Seattle, and the steamships Alki and Danube, of Victoria, have landed over 500 passengers, 800 tons of freight and 200 horses and mules since Aug. 25, and still there is more to follow.

The Klondike excitement has turned the whole attention of the world this way, and will result in opening this territory as nothing else would have done. On board the steamer Queen on this trip are two parties, one organized in Chicago, consisting of four gentlemen, comprising a doctor, lawyer, conmissioner, and a man who will all under the guidance of L. L. Bates, who has spent the past eight years in Alaska as a trapper, hunter and guide. They will stay along the coast in the Alexandrian Archipelago this winter, and in the spring will thoroughly prospect the Copper River country. The other party is headed by E. H. Fisher, of Los Angeles, Cal., and will push into the Copper River country this winter.

From New York to Klondike. New York, Sept. 6.—A company has been organized here which proposes to send a steamer from New York to the Yukon river, where they will connect with smaller steamers going direct to the gold fields. The steamer will carry about 200 tons of freight and a year's supply of provisions, and will sail via Patagonia through the Strait of Magellan, covering a distance of more than 20,000 miles. The vessel will stop at Newport News, Va., Bermuda, Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, Valparaiso and Callao.

Death of Mrs. John Drew. New York, Sept. 6.—Mrs. John Drew, the actress, died yesterday afternoon at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Drew, who was born in London in 1820, made her first appearance when only 6 years old, and came to this country a year later. She has appeared upon the stage with the elder Booth and Forrest, with Macready and Edwin Booth, and with Florence, Clarke, Jefferson and Coudock. Her portrayal of Mrs. Malaprop was said to be the best ever known.

There is nothing to prevent anyone concocting a mixture and calling it "sarsaparilla," and there is nothing to prevent anyone spending good money, testing the stuff; but prudent people, who wish to be sure of their remedy, take only Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and so get cured.

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Thomas Vassick Hawkins, colored, was arrested here Saturday night. Hawkins was formerly a laborer in the tax collector's office at Washington. On Aug. 31 he disappeared with some \$9,000. On Saturday he was located in a small boarding house on Bond street. When searched at police headquarters \$8,334 was found on him. Hawkins appeared to be quite startled when told of the amount of money taken from him, saying that he had never counted it, and had no idea the amount was so large.

ECONOMY in taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, because "100 doses only one dollar" is peculiar to and true only of the One True BLOOD PURIFIER.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Tuesday, Aug. 31.

George Stielz, a Williamsburg sexton, was murdered by a thief at the church door.

All the cotton mills of Lowell, Mass., are running on full time, with plenty of orders.

The Behring sea sealing fleet has captured this season 20,000 skins, in spite of its reduced numbers.

Two children of Charles Page were killed by a railroad train at Ithaca. The father had been drinking and drove on the track.

In a fight with moonshiners in Pope county, Ark., B. F. Taylor, Joe Dodson and Bud Snow, of the sheriff's posse, were killed and two others fatally injured.

Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Three robbers tortured Louis Simons, a Chicago milk dealer, and then stole all his savings, leaving him bound and gagged.

Miss Fannie Hayes, daughter of the former president, was married at Fremont, O., yesterday to Ensign H. E. Smith, United States navy.

The clews to the murderer of Sexton George Stielz, in Brooklyn, are scarce. Two men are under arrest, but there is little evidence against them.

The contract for 20 of the 30 locomotives to be built in this country for the Japanese government has been awarded to Brooks Locomotive works, Dunkirk, N. Y.

Thursday, Sept. 2.

The 24th annual convention of the National Women's Christian Temperance union will be held at Buffalo, Oct. 29 to Nov. 3.

In a quarter mile race between bicyclist and bicycle skater, at Chicago, the skater won in 34.5 seconds, being given 20 yards start.

The London Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent says it has been practically settled that Prince Hohenlohe, the imperial chancellor, will retire in October.

Pennsylvania's Democratic state convention nominated Walter E. Rittler for auditor general and M. E. Brown for state treasurer. M. Coffey was selected to succeed W. F. Harry on the national committee.

Friday, Sept. 3.

Great damage was caused at Middletown, N. Y., yesterday by a cloudburst. The receipts of wheat at Portland, Ore., are the highest in its history at this time of the year.

Japan is reported in Washington to be secretly negotiating for the control of the Nicaragua canal.

The demand for horses to be used on the Skagway trails in Alaska is increasing. There are now there 4,000 horses.

Democrats, Populists and Silver Republicans of Nebraska united on a full fusion ticket, each party being represented.

The Durand bank at Rockford, Ill., failed to open its doors yesterday, and Charles A. Norton, cashier and general manager of the institution, has disappeared.

Saturday, Sept. 4.

The decision of Judge Stewart, of Idaho, that the anti-gambling law is unconstitutional has practically nullified all the state laws.

A carrier pigeon from Klondike has been caught at Portland, Ore. The message warned would-be prospectors to stay away.

Judge Ellsworth, of California, has ruled that the bicycle is personal property and exempt from execution if used by the owner in his daily business.

Joseph Guider and wife were killed, their 2-year-old boy fatally and 4-year-old girl seriously injured by a train at Sandy Hill, N. Y., while buggy riding.

Monday, Sept. 5.

The Kansas corn crop this year will amount to 165,677,280 bushels.

The tobacco crop all through Pennsylvania is the largest and best in quality of any since 1893.

More forged notes, amounting to \$12,000, have been found in the vaults of the Bank of Durand, at Durand, Ill.

Deputy State Game Warden W. B. Wilcox, of Denver, Colo., was assassinated by poachers while making an arrest.

Charles P. Rankin and another man were blown to bits, together with a horse and a wagon in which they were carrying nitro-glycerine, at Monongahela, Pa.

Many of our people are suffering from nervous troubles, Scrofula, Sores, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, and other diseases which can promptly be and permanently cured by that sterling remedy "PARKER'S SASSAPARILLA—THE KING OF BLOOD PURIFIERS."

It has been used by thousands and never known to fail. Only the finest selected purifying tonic herbs and roots are used in its manufacture. It has all the good qualities of other remedies, with none of the bad.

Train Plunged Through a Station. Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 3.—A New York vestibule train on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad jumped the track at Blodgett's Mills, the first station south of Cortland, and plunged through the station building. The locomotive, baggage car and two coaches went through the structure. Mrs. J. H. McQuillan, of Overbrook, Pa., was killed, and 17 other passengers injured. The passengers injured were in the last car, a Pullman, which was overturned. The little station was forced off its foundation.

Speedy Justice in Spain. Barcelona, Sept. 6.—Barril, the anarchist who, on Friday evening last, attempted to assassinate Chief of Police Portas and Assistant Chief Teixidor as they were leaving the circus, was tried by court martial yesterday, and it is expected that he will be executed at once. It is stated that the accomplices of Barril also fired at the officials, but succeeded in making their escape.

Drank Two Quarts of Whisky and Died. New York, Sept. 6.—George Molinari, a laborer of this place, yesterday drank two flasks of whisky, one after the other, and then fell to the floor a corpse.

Why take Johnson's Chill & Fever Tonic? Because it cures the most stubborn case of Fever in ONE DAY.

MRS. NACK'S CRIMES.

Remarkable Statement by the Alleged Murderess' Husband.

HAS KILLED A SCORE OF BABES.

Nack Declares That His Wife Made a Living Through Child Murder. Charges Several Physicians and Undertakers With Aiding Her.

New York, Sept. 3.—District Attorney Olcott made public yesterday a remarkable statement made by Herman Nack, the husband of Mrs. Augusta Nack, who, with Martin Thorne, is charged with the murder of William Golden-suppe. In the statement Nack says that his wife has been illegally killing children.

The whole career of himself and his wife during their married life from 1886 to the time he left her in October, 1896.

Nack states that his wife made a living through illegal operations involving the murder of children. He said that she was a so-called midwife.

but that she never had a diploma. At one time, Nack states, there were as many as six dead children preserved in some kind of spirits in bottles in his room. He also states that his wife murdered from two to three children every year for a period of from eight to ten years.

Nack also alleges that his wife was assisted in all the details by a number of physicians. He also states that he charged all of them, both physicians and undertakers, with complicity with his wife. He says that they aided her in making way with the bodies of the children.

Nack further alleges that many of the children were born dead, the result of Mrs. Nack's illegal business.

The statement of Nack was got from him through the persistent efforts of Assistant District Attorney Mitchell.

BRYAN ON DOLLAR WHEAT

Law of Supply and Demand Regulates the Price of All Commodities.

St. Louis, Sept. 6.—The Post Dispatch prints a letter from William J. Bryan, the first utterance after three months of travel and observation during the return of prosperity. Among other things he says:

"Wheat has risen because the foreign crop has been exceedingly short. The fact that silver and wheat have parted company will cause no dismay to the farmer, who understands that the law of supply and demand regulates the price of both. Nothing can better disclose the weakness of the Republican position than the joy manifested by the Republicans over events for which their administration and their policies are in no way responsible."

"If the Republicans desire to claim credit for the price of wheat they must assume the responsibility for the famine in India. A great rise in price should be followed by a rise in wages."

Mr. Bryan says that the joy over the increase of wheat is evidence that we have too little money; that if the farmers are benefited by the rise in one of their products how much better it would be if the rise was universal; that the price of wheat will fall when the present spasmoid rise will aid rather than injure the cause of bimetalism.

The President's Movements. Canton, O., Sept. 6.—President and Mrs. McKinley are having a delightful visit here in their old home. The weather is delightful. The president went to church yesterday morning, accompanied by his aged mother and her sister, Mrs. Osborne, of Cleveland. The president and Mrs. McKinley will remain here until this evening, when they will leave for Somerset, Pa., the summer home of Abner McKinley, the president's brother. They remain there a day, and they may remain longer, depending upon circumstances. They will reach Washington the latter part of the week.

A Mexican Edict. Sedalla, Mo., Sept. 6.—J. W. Corkings, a Socialist, capitalist, and Leo Cloud, an expert mining engineer, of Cincinnati, representatives of a St. Louis and Cincinnati syndicate, left here today for the west coast of Mexico to practically verify the value of gold placer and quartz mines which have recently been secured by the syndicate through concessions and mineral land grants from the republic of Mexico. The placer mines are said to be marvellously rich in scale and nugget, while the quartz rock in the upper ledges contains veins of free milling ore which assays 45 to 55 per cent.

Crozier Still at Large. Trenton, Sept. 6.—Peter W. Crozier, the defaulting treasurer of the Mercer and the Mechanics' Mutual Building and Loan association, is still at large. A further mortgage of \$2,000 has been discovered in Class 12 of the Mercer Building and Loan association. It is generally understood that there will be no opposition before Vice Chancellor Grey, in Camden on Tuesday, to the appointment of a receiver for the wrecked concerns.

Ayer's Hair Vigor tones up the weak hair roots, stimulates the vessels and tissues which supply the hair with nutrition, strengthens the hair itself, and adds the oil which keeps the shafts soft, lustrous and silky. The most popular and valuable toilet preparation in the world.

GENERAL SOUTHERN NEWS.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 3.—The official count of the votes cast in Tuesday's primary election for United States Senator shows 46,689 votes were cast. McLaurin received 29,250; Evans, 10,690; Irby, 6,149.

Monroe, Ga., Sept. 2.—Mrs. Guthrie, wife of Luther Guthrie, a prominent citizen of Walnut Grove, was killed by lightning Tuesday night. She had one of her children in her arms when the bolt fell. Mrs. Guthrie was killed instantly. The child was burned, but not seriously injured.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 2.—Thirteen members of the family and people living on the farm of Henry Mill, near Metropolis, Ills., were poisoned yesterday, and three are dead. It is thought at least eight of them will die. A hired girl, who is insane, threw a package of "rough on rats" in the well. She has been arrested and admits her crime.

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 21.—Today the primary election for the purpose of selecting a Democratic nominee for election by the legislature for the full unexpired term of the late Senator Earle is being held in this state. There are three candidates, United States Senator J. L. McLaurin, ex-Senator Irby and ex-Governor Evans. McLaurin is expected to lose, but it is doubtful if he will go in on the first ballot.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 2.—At a meeting of the Lamb faction of Virginia Republicans held in this city last night, Colonel Lamb, who was deposed from the chairmanship of the Lynchburg meeting of the state committee, issued a call for a Republican state convention to be held in Lynchburg on Oct. 5 next, to nominate a state ticket. Colonel Lamb says he has been requested by Republicans from all over the state to take this action.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 2.—The miners strike in the Jellico district is practically at an end. The operators gave notice to the striking miners that unless they returned to work at the scale offered they would have to vacate the company houses. As this threat of homelessness in addition to the risk life the strikers have returned to work in large numbers, and the operators expect to have all the mines in full operation within a week.

Tappanahannock, Va., Sept. 2.—The prospects for a fine exhibit and large attendance at the agricultural exposition to be held here next week are excellent. Wednesday, Sept. 8, has been set apart by the managers of the fair as Confederate day, and the Wright-Latane camp of veterans, of which Judge T. R. B. Wright is commander, has invited the company from the south to attend in person to participate in a grand love-feast and revival of old memories on this occasion.

Holmes, Ark., Sept. 4.—The pearl hunting industry, which has been exciting the whole country, is spreading all over this end of the state. The St. Francis river, the mouth of the white river to Jeffersonville, is lined with white people and negroes, all engaged in unearthing and prying open the richly laden mussel shells. One planter told a press correspondent that he expected to have difficulty in securing hands to do his work on account of the pearl hunting.

Charlottesville, Va., Sept. 2.—Fitzhugh Fry, a member of the Charlottesville Bar, was arrested today by Officer Stratton on a warrant charging him with the misappropriation of money.

The warrant was returned by the District Attorney and the sheriff of the Edgewood Distilling company, of Cincinnati. Mr. Diehl charges that Fry, acting for the Edgewood Distilling company, had collected a certain account from that company, aggregating more than \$100,000, and that Fry had misappropriated certain receipts which, he alleges, had been given by the attorney in attestation of the payment of those accounts.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Sept. 3.—One of the largest transactions of years in West Virginia land has just been completed by the sale of the Greater Wildlife to a New York syndicate. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Dr. J. Seward Webb and H. McKay Twombly are the principal buyers. This syndicate has purchased from John T. McGraw, a member of the Democratic central committee of the West Virginia, a tract of about 200,000 acres for \$250,000. Mr. McGraw retains a fractional interest. The tract is about 50 miles long, and averages ten miles in width. It is immensely rich in timber, coal, marble and iron.

Danville, Va., Aug. 31.—The sales of house lot tobacco on the Danville market in August amounted to 2,524,122 pounds, which is 788,326 pounds more than was sold in August of last year. The sales from Oct. 1 to Aug. 29, being 13,341,656 pounds, being 6,820,636 pounds more than the sales for the same period of the last tobacco year. Advice received today are that a destructive hailstorm passed over the eastern part of Pennsylvania last night, doing great damage to the growing tobacco crop, or at least such of it as has not been cut. A small portion of the crop remains uncut.

Quinine and other fever medicines take from 5 to 10 days to cure fever. Johnson's Chill and Fever Tonic cures in ONE DAY.

Denouncing Samuel Gompers. Pittsburgh, Sept. 6.—The United Labor League of Western Pennsylvania, at a largely attended meeting last night, broke into revolt against Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and serious charges were made. The trouble originated in expressions made by Gompers in reference to the recent convention of labor leaders in St. Louis. He is credited with making unkind remarks about the gathering, and casting reflections on those who were foremost in the meeting, and at one time there was danger of a free fight.

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