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THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

CONFEDERATE veterans of Washington were said to be seriously considering the advisability of removing the 141 bodies of confederate soldiers now buried at Arlington cemetery to the confederate cemetery at Woodside, Md.

As a result of a conference between the president and Secretary Alger on the 27th it has been decided to begin the enlistment of volunteers for two years' service in the Philippines. It is proposed to arm and equip at once three brigades, or about 10,000 men, and to continue the work until the whole 35,000 men authorized by law are secured.

MRS. MCKINLEY, whose illness cut short the president's stay at Adams, Mass., stood the journey back to Washington on the 27th very well and was slightly better on arrival. She contracted a cold while in New England and the change in the weather seemed to affect her so that it was deemed wise for her to return to the white house.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY contradicted the reports that he had abandoned the idea of going west this summer. He still intends to go unless circumstances should intervene to prevent, but he has been unable as yet to consider detailed plans and both the time and extent of his trip are matters for future determination.

MRS. EMMA D. E. N. SOUTHWORTH, the authoress, died at her residence in Washington on the 30th, aged 79.

In view of the outbreak of yellow fever at Santiago Gen. Leonard Wood, the governor, who has been visiting in Washington, has decided it was his duty to return there at once.

The first order was issued at Washington on the 30th for recruiting the troops under the clause for authorizing the enlistment of 35,000 men. It contemplated enlisting men for the three skeleton regiments in the Philippines.

GEN. OTIS notified the war department that the transport Morgan City left Manila for San Francisco with 464 sick.

GENERAL NEWS.

THE failures in the United States for the week ended the 30th numbered 181, against 254 for the corresponding week of last year.

HUGH GRAHAM, a saloonkeeper, was shot and killed at Tecumseh, Ok., by Wade Crank, a policeman.

THE Forty-ninth district republican convention deadlock was broken at Sheldon, Ia., on the 30th by Sioux county's 13 votes being cast for G. W. Lister for state senator, making 18 for Lister against 17 votes for E. C. Roach.

The ministers of Marshalltown, Ia., announced that they will not preach sermons at the state institutions for \$3 each and that the rate must be \$5 per sermon, and the state board of control refused to pay that price.

ALL south, west and central Texas on the 29th was visited by terrific rainstorms, which practically tied up all the railroads around Houston. Many hundreds of acres of farming land were under water and much cotton was badly damaged.

A TERRIFIC storm visited the section around Morgantown, W. Va., the other night and dozens of houses were unroofed. The wind blew like a hurricane. Branson Troy was struck by lightning and killed. Tremendous damage was done to crops of every description. Bridges were washed away and roads were impassable.

FIRE in the convent of the Sacred Heart at New Haven, Conn., the other night caused the death from suffocation of Sister Mary Aloysius.

THE St. James Gazette on the 27th called to the British admiralty to take immediate steps to counteract the plans of the representatives of the Clan-na-Gael from the United States, who are now at Pretoria with a view of obtaining authority to start a fleet of privateers under the Transvaal flag with the object of looting cape liners.

THE steamer City of Macon, which arrived at New York on the 27th from Savannah, reported that she passed the burning wreck of the steamer Pawnee, 40 miles from Cape Henry. The fate of the Pawnee's crew was unknown. The Pawnee was a freight steamer and had a crew of about 34 men but no passengers.

ENGLISH capitalists have bought the Elkton gold mine at Cripple Creek, Col., for \$1,875,000.

CHAEBON is raising havoc in Claiborne county, Miss. One farmer lost nine mules in one night and another lost eight. It still seems to be spreading.

NORTH DAKOTA'S glory as a divorce Mecca is a thing of the past, as on the 1st the new law requiring a year's residence before filing suit for divorce went into effect.

THE Greater American exposition at Omaha, Neb., was opened on the 1st.

INDIANA'S wheat crop will be the lowest in 20 years. In February it was estimated that it would be 55,000,000 bushels, but now it is reported that it will not exceed 17,000,000.

A STRIKE was inaugurated at the Homestead Steel works at Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 30th through the discharge of some men belonging to the Amalgamated association. The fear was expressed that it would assume huge proportions.

JUDGE MOORE, of the Eighth circuit, decided the liquor cases of Sturgis, S. D., in favor of the saloonkeepers. The grand jury recently brought indictments against the saloon men for violating the prohibitory liquor law. The decision practically leaves that part of South Dakota without a liquor law of any sort that can be enforced.

BOB SMITH, colored, was convicted of the murder of Arria Taylor, a white woman, in Sherman, Tex., and his punishment was assessed by the jury at death by hanging.

ARTHUR F. CARY reached Lynn, Mass., on the 30th after a tour around the world on a wheel. He wheeled from Lynn to San Francisco, through Japan and China, Australia, Egypt, Italy, Switzerland, France, England, Ireland and Scotland. His record shows 12,500 miles ridden on one wheel and 18,000 miles covered by sea.

THE recent heavy rains in Texas have done an immense amount of damage. At Calvert the rise was so sudden that when the water went through the town several negroes were drowned. It was rumored that many farmers, white and colored, living in the Brazos bottoms, were also drowned, one family of six persons perishing. The loss in cotton and corn alone will reach \$1,000,000, while another million will not cover the loss to railroads and other property.

MAJ. GEN. NELSON A. MILES was in Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 30th as the guest of "all organized labor." The general spoke to two immense audiences during the day and also took part in a parade.

CAPT. DREYFUS, the noted French prisoner, arrived at the prison at Rennes, France, on the 30th without incident.

ELEVEN lives were lost by the foundering of the steam barge Margaret O'will in Lake Erie in a gale on the 29th. Duncan Coyle, a deckhand, was the only survivor so far as known. He was rescued from the wreckage after being in the water for over four hours.

A COMPLETE lockout took place on the 29th in Pingree & Smith's big shoe factory at Detroit, Mich. The trouble was forced by a strike of employes of the turning and welt departments, because of new machines, which are operated partly by boys in place of men.

THE trial of August Becker, the Chicago butcher, charged with having murdered and then boiled the remains of his wife in order to leave him free to marry a 17-year-old girl with whom he had become infatuated, came to a sudden end on the 29th when it was found that the indictment named Mrs. Becker as Elizabeth, when it should have been Therese. The court at once nolle prossed the indictment. Becker was afterward rearrested. The result may be that Becker will escape punishment for having once been placed in jeopardy.

A RECENT dispatch from Pawhuska said that Oklahoma's greatest wheat harvest had just ended. The wheat area included 1,250,000 acres, the largest in the history of the territory. The product of the great crop is safely estimated at 20,000,000 bushels. In some of the counties the yield was 40 bushels per acre, but in others not so large, making 18 bushels per acre a conservative estimate for the territory.

JOSEPH S. HOLLINGER, a self-confessed murderer, was hanged on the 29th in the Dauphin county (Pa.) jail for the murder of his wife, because she would not live with him.

THE Indiana supreme court overruled the motion for a rehearing in the Sunday baseball case. This means that there will be no more Sunday baseball in Indianapolis if the law is enforced.

BESSEMER pig-iron was quoted on the 27th at \$20 a ton in the Mahoning valley and in Pittsburgh, Pa., the price was \$20.75. This is an advance of 100 per cent. in six months.

A DUEL with swords was fought at Paris on the 28th by M. Bertiaux (socialist) and M. Millevoye (republican nationalist), caused by an altercation in the chamber of deputies the previous day.

A SEVERE storm swept the section around Dubuque, Ia., on the 27th. The Illinois track at Julien was washed away and crops were badly damaged.

THE International Supreme Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars convened at Toronto, Ont., on the 27th. Delegates arrived from England, Ireland, Scotland, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and India.

THE transport Grant, loaded with troops, arrived safely at Manila on the 27th.

JAMES REDMOND was killed by lightning while plowing near Dubuque, Ia.

THE steamship Mariposa arrived at San Francisco on the 30th and reported everything quiet in the Samoan Islands.

WILLIAM KELLY shot and killed his wife while she was passing along the street at Lowell, Mass., because she refused to live with him.

MISS HALLIE PERRINE shot the seven-year-old son of Mr. Henshaw through the breast and then shot herself through the heart on Henshaw's farm near Raleigh, Ky. No motive for the murder and suicide was known.

THE Asphalt Company of America has been incorporated in New Jersey with a capital of \$30,000,000 and will probably be known as the "asphalt trust." The main business of the concern will be carried on in Philadelphia.

THE feature of Milwaukee's great midsummer carnival on the 30th was the gorgeous pageant of 20 floats, the subjects being nature and the elements, the emotions and stories of myth and fable.

THE military party in France is making strenuous efforts to knife Dreyfus with a second condemnation. The 94 generals who at first merely entertained an antipathy for Dreyfus and selected him as a scapegoat, are now fighting to "save their own scalps."

AT the national social and political conference at Buffalo, N. Y., on the 29th Rev. H. W. Thomas, of Chicago, in speaking of the war in the Philippines, declared it the saddest thing in the history of the United States. During Dr. Thomas' remarks not a syllable of applause greeted Admiral Dewey's name.

AT New London, Conn., on the 29th Harvard's university eight won from Yale over the four-mile course by 6 1/2 lengths in 20 minutes and 52 seconds.

ALLEN RIGGS and Deacon Daniel Herbin were jailed for killing Paul Gilbert over a game of euchre at Bobtown, Ky. They were all church members.

AFTER an unsuccessful strike of 17 days' duration the freight handlers at Buffalo, N. Y., returned to work on the 28th at the old rates.

THE annual commencement of Yale university at New Haven, Conn., was celebrated on the 28th by conferring 615 degrees.

NEARLY all the white puddlers employed at Moorehead Bros. & Co.'s iron works at Sharpsburg, Pa., have been replaced by negroes because the former affiliated with the Amalgamated association. There was no trouble.

GRASSHOPPERS were reported as destroying the cotton in the Hickory creek bottom, southwest of Denton, Tex., and leaving a path behind them utterly destitute of anything green.

THREE strikers were killed in a riot at the Bochum coal mines in Germany. Mrs. A. C. ABBOTT, of Huntington, Ind., gave birth to three boys the other day. Her husband is a freight conductor on the Erie road.

OSwego voted bonds to put in a natural gas system. ALL the coal companies in the Pittsburgh, Pa., district have combined.

ADDITIONAL DISPATCHES.

Gov. PINGREE addressed a letter to Secretary Alger denying a recently-published interview and saying that he voted for President McKinley and will do so again if he is a candidate.

A CALL has been issued for a meeting of the national democratic committee to take place July 20 at Chicago.

A BULLETIN from Calvert, Tex., stated that from 30 to 50 lives were lost in that town and vicinity by the recent flood in the Brazos river. The estimated damage to the country tributary to the Brazos valley is \$4,000,000.

PROF. SCHURMAN, of the United States peace commission in the Philippines, returned to Manila on the 3d from a three weeks' tour of the southern islands. He says the citizens desire an American protectorate, but are awaiting the settlement of the war in Luzon before declaring themselves.

THREE boys were drowned while bathing in the Cedar river at Waterloo, Ia., on the 2d.

GANTLY, a lumbering village in Quebec, was nearly wiped out by fire, 50 of the 60 houses being destroyed, as well as a large quantity of lumber.

As a result of a street car collision at Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 2d two people are dead, five seriously injured and ten others more or less hurt.

WILLIAM CODY, a lineman living at Hinsdale, Ill., shot and killed his wife and then committed suicide.

HARRY GRIMES and Fate Watson, colored, engaged in a duel on the steamer Gertrude near Evansville, Ind., on the 2d and the former was instantly killed and the latter fatally wounded. The men had been drinking and quarreled over a woman.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON will take the North Atlantic squadron to Fayal, in the Azores, and await Admiral Dewey, receive and salute him in the name of the president and people of the United States and then escort him home across the ocean.

JAMES R. SOYREIGN, ex-general master workman of the Knights of Labor, denounced the action of Gen. Merriam in the Cœur d'Alene trouble before the Central Federated union at New York and declared that a national issue would be made of Gen. Merriam's conduct.

PACKING-HOUSE employes at Chicago on the 3d held a meeting and decided that the time was not ripe for a strike.

THERE is war among the big tobacco trust men, a New York dispatch states, and talk of the formation of a rival trust.

THE PHILIPPINE SITUATION

Postmaster General Smith Gives His Opinion About the Work of the Administration - Gen. Otis Commended

New York, July 3.—In an interview with the Philippine situation, Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith said yesterday:

The situation in the Philippines is the most important and absorbing public question just at present. I am well aware that there is some restlessness on the matter and in some quarters no little impatience. There is a notion that the administration should have called for and sent forward more troops. But those who make this criticism do not know that the administration has recruited nearly 2,000 men a week right along since congress adjourned March 4. They do not know that under the law authorizing the creation of the army for the Spanish war of the regulars above 37,000 as well as all of the volunteers, had to be mustered out at the ratification of the peace treaty and that while the new army bill provides for a force of 65,000 men the whole number above 37,000 had to be raised afresh.

Gen. Otis has managed affairs in the Philippines with skill and judgment. He has never indicated a belief that he needs more than 30,000 effective troops. There is no trouble in the Philippines outside of the island of Luzon. Aggressive fighting is now restricted for about three months because of the rainy season, but as soon as aggressive operations can be resumed short work will be made of the conflict. Meanwhile the president will hold the islands for the American people and will give the inhabitants the largest amount of freedom and self-government consistent with the recognition of our sovereignty and the maintenance of peace, order and lawful administration in the archipelago. The exact terms and measures cannot be defined, however, at present. They will be subjects of conference. The first business is to establish peace; and that will be done at all hazards.

BATTLE OF SAN JUAN.

Tablets Unveiled at Fort Thomas in Memory of Fallen Heroes of the Sixth Infantry.

Cincinnati, July 3.—The anniversary of the battle of San Juan was celebrated at Fort Thomas Saturday with imposing ceremonies. The Sixth United States infantry formed the first garrison of Fort Thomas and left there April 19, 1898, for Tampa. The regiment landed at Balquidri June 22 and eight days later was engaged at San Juan hill. One year ago the Sixth regiment lost in killed at San Juan hill Capt. Wetherill, Lieuts. Ord, Turman and Benchley and 25 men. The citizens of Cincinnati, Covington, Newport and vicinity have placed on one side of the stone water tower at Fort Thomas a fine tablet in honor of Col. Egbert, killed near Manila March 26, 1899, and on the other side a rich tablet in memory of other fallen heroes of the Sixth infantry. These tablets were unveiled to-day before a multitude of people with addresses by Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Senator Foraker and others. Miss Wetherill, a daughter of the late Capt. Wetherill, and Miss Mason, a niece of the late Lieut. Ord, unveiled the tablets amid the national salute, followed by massed bands.

CURRENCY MEASURE.

Representative Overstreet Thinks That the House Bill Will be Regarded Favorably by the Senate.

Washington, July 3.—Representative Overstreet, of Indiana, secretary of the republican congressional committee, who was a member of the house caucus committee which met at Atlantic City recently to frame a currency bill, says, speaking of the measure:

Members of the senate sub-committee on finance now have our bill under consideration. They were furnished a copy of the measure agreed on, with the idea that its provisions would meet their concurrence. I feel confident that the bill will be regarded favorably by the senate. In my opinion it is a wise measure and will result in improving the financial situation materially. When its provisions are made public and thoroughly understood they will be commended by business men generally, for the bill was not drawn in the interest of the bankers alone, but for the benefit of the entire business community.

Bold Attempt to Loot a Bank.

Joliet, Ill., July 3.—A bold attempt to loot the First National bank at Wilmington, Ill., was made at a early hour this morning. Five robbers were concerned in the raid. They had effected an entrance to the bank, when Cashier James Whitten, who lives opposite, was aroused. He went to investigate and the robbers on watch ordered him back. Whitten returned to his house and securing a rifle opened fire. The robbers returned the fire and then fled. No one was hurt.

Drainage Canal Inspection.

Chicago, July 3.—The board of trustees of the Drainage canal will leave La Salle, Ill., on July 6, for a six days' trip of inspection down the Illinois river aboard the steamer Juliet. The state dams at Henry and Copperas creeks, and the government dams at La Grange and Kempsville, will be inspected and plans for their removal will be considered. The trip will probably extend to St. Louis.

The Saengerfest Closed.

Cincinnati, July 3.—The musical portion of the Saengerfest closed with Saturday night's concert. Many short excursions were made to points of interest. From midnight till early in the morning there was a novel stroller provided for the visiting members of the press by the local press committee.

Recruits Start a Riot.

Denver, Col., July 3.—A party of recruits from Cleveland, O., en route to the Philippines started a riot in the railroad yards here by assaulting a car repairer with a razor. In the fight which ensued a large number of railroad men took a hand. One soldier had three ribs broken and several others received severe wounds.

Advertisement for Hood's Sarsaparilla with the headline "He That Stays in the Business." and an illustration of a man.

HIS BUSINESS ABILITY. As a Hanger On Young Mr. Blank Was a Gritty and Glorious Success.

This fair maid will have a handsome dot some time, and it is the ambition of her father to have her marry one whose fortune will at least equal her own.

"I want you to stop that young Blank calling here," he remarked, recently, in the autocratic way that some fathers have. "He has no prospects worth speaking of, there is nothing to show that he has any business ability, and I don't want him hanging around here any more."

"What is business ability, papa?" "Why, you know. Everybody knows, of course. Let me see. Why, it's the ability to see the main chance, to grab it, and hang on till you get the money. That's what it is, and there's plenty of young men in Detroit that have it. Blank lacks it woefully."

"Oh, he does? I'm afraid, papa, that you're speaking without proper information. He knows that I'll have \$100,000 some time. That is a main chance worth looking after. Mr. Blank saw it. He reached out and grabbed for it. He's hanging on, and he's going to get it. Do you happen to know of any other young man of his age and limited opportunities whose business ability has assured him so handsome a fortune?"

The old gentleman's answer sounded suspiciously like smothered profanity, and it was fully five minutes before the bewitching creature could bring the sunshine of a smile to his face. Now he tells a few confidential friends that young Blank has the making of one of the best business men in the city.—Detroit Free Press.

ORDINARY CIVILITY.

The Advantages and Pleasures of It as Elucidated by Mr. Gobbieby.

"I should recommend as an investment," said Mr. Gobbieby, "the practice of civility. As a matter of fact, I don't suppose that a very great number of men have suddenly become wealthy through this means; that is, I don't suppose that a large number of very rich people have left fortunes to men who had been at one time or another polite to them, but I don't doubt, either, that there have been just such cases, and I don't for a moment doubt that substantial advantages have often accrued to men through their consistent civility."

"But aside from any question of material profit (though there is still always the chance of that involved in it) I should say that the exercise of civility would pay for another reason. There are lots of people who like civil treatment, who are, in fact, really pleased by it, and though we might not get anything in dollars and cents out of civility extended in this way toward people in general, yet I should say it would pay, for we should get from it, at least, the pleasure that is always to be derived from affording pleasure to others."

"So I should say that from whatever point of view we look at it, civility is a good investment; we are sure to get something out of it, anyway, and it doesn't cost us a cent."—N. Y. Sun.

Revised Proverbs.

A thing of beauty is a joy forever, if some other fellow happens to possess it.

You can lead a horse to water, but you cannot make him drink, but when you succeed in getting a man up against the bar he loses his horse sense.

It's a long lane that has no turning when the treasure you are in search of is "just around the next bend."

Fortune knocks at many a man's door when he is out chasing the growler.—Chicago Times-Herald.

"No," said Fido through the fence to the tramp dog, "I don't mind being washed. It is such fun to roll in the dirt afterward."—Indianapolis Journal.

Half our lives we sit up nights perfecting plans to get gold. The other half we lie awake nights fearing someone will rob us.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Advertisement for "What a Little Faith Did FOR MRS. ROCKWELL."

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 69,881]

"I was a great sufferer from female weakness and had no strength. It was impossible for me to attend to my household duties. I had tried everything and many doctors, but found no relief.

"My sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did; before using all of one bottle I felt better. I kept on with it and to my great surprise I am cured. All who suffer from female complaints should give it a trial."—Mrs. ROCKWELL, 1209 S. DIVISION ST., GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

From a Grateful Newark Woman.

"When I wrote to you I was very sick, had not been well for two years. The doctors did not seem to help me, and one said I could not live three months. I had womb trouble, falling ulcers, kidney and bladder trouble. There seemed to be such a drawing and burning pain in my bowels that I could not rest anywhere. After using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sensitive Wash and following your advice, I feel well again and stronger than ever. My bowels feel as if they had been made over new. With many thanks for your help, I remain, L. G., 74 ANN ST., NEWARK, N. J."