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JOB PRINTING. The Job Department of the Press is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work.

Graf von Walderssee, a relative of Field Marshal von Walderssee, of Germany, is making a tour through Texas for the purpose of investigating the cattle and the quantity of supply for a direct shipment of beef cattle from the ranches to Germany.

Maj. Hugh McGonagle, who led the old Ninth regiment in its famous charge up Malvern hill after all the superior officers had been killed or wounded, and who returned with what was left of the battered regiment, observed his sixty-fourth birthday last week in the company of his old friends.

Rev. David B. Matthews of St. John's Episcopal church, West Hoboken, N. J., is establishing quite a reputation as a life-saver. He jumped into the river there a few evenings ago and dragged out a boy, saving the little fellow's life.

To recover \$5,000,000 in gold believed to lie at the bottom of the East river is the project of the latest "treasure trove" company that New Jersey has produced.

Chickens are now plucked in a wholesale manner by the use of pneumatic machinery. There is a receptacle in which the fowl is placed after being killed, and into this are turned several cross currents of air from electrical fans revolving at the rate of 5,000 turns per minute.

Up to some time ago the Norwegian army was the only one in Europe in which snowshoes were used to any extent. After several years of extensive trials, however, the Austrian minister of war has now equipped several battalions of the imperial Austrian army with snowshoes.

The Czar has a larger number of physicians in attendance than any other sovereign in the world. There are no fewer than twenty-four, and needless to add, they are selected from among the most celebrated doctors of Russia.

The Egyptian pyramids soon to come out of the darkness of 5,000 years, and will be accessible to all tourists. General Director Maspero, of the society which has in charge the preservation of the antiquities of the country, has decided to light with electricity the inner passages and catacombs of the great pyramids.

Wireless telegraph equipment for the entire navy, including at all shore stations and apparatus on every ship, is to be installed as rapidly as possible, under plans made by Admiral Bradford and approved by Secretary Moody.

Air in pastilles is the latest novelty. The invention is the work of M. Georges Jaubert, of the Ecole Polytechnique, Paris, who has discovered a combination which, when dissolved in water, gives off oxygen.

THREE DEMOCRATIC ISSUES.

On Any or All of Them the Party Can Be Easily Defeated in Fall Campaign.

Ostensibly the democrats will have three issues in the congressional canvass of 1902. Some of their leaders, that is to say, are urging the party to make a fight on trusts, imperialism, and tariff reform.

On all these issues the democracy can be easily beaten. On tariff reform there is no approach to harmony among the democrats. It is certain that the country is not seeking any tariff reform or wants any tinkering with the tariff in any direction.

THE TRICK DONKEY.



Grover—Git on Dave, while I hold him for ye!

hundreds of thousands of new votes for the republicans in the country at large.

There is no issue in sight on which the democrats have the faintest chance to win. The most disastrous of all these three issues for the democrats would be that of imperialism. The people of the United States do not believe that there is any imperialism in the policy which the Roosevelt administration and the republican party in congress are pursuing in the Philippines.

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Mr. Bryan has never had many earnest supporters among newspapers of the better class, but the Indianapolis Sentinel has been one of these from the beginning. When the Sentinel finds it advisable to differ with Mr. Bryan and to lecture him on his fatuous policy he should begin to realize that he has few intelligent or influential friends left.

As a whole the work of the first session of the Fifty-seventh congress will stand inspection on its merits and reflects high credit upon the republicans, who have had control of both branches. The record is one with which they need not fear to face the voters next November.

Henry Watterson says that in attacking Cleveland he is merely trying to puncture a fraud. If that is the business Henry has really embarked upon he might strike a large box of tacks on the Nebraska cycle path.

FOR NOTHING BUT LOOT.

The Sole Purpose of Aguinaldo in Manila Laid Bare by Admiral Dewey.

Admiral Dewey's testimony before the senate committee on the Philippines has been of little comfort to the anti-imperialists. He has failed to regard Aguinaldo as a patriot, and he has upset several of the fanciful theories constructed by the "antis" in their effort to prove that faith was broken with the Filipino leader.

Most surprising of all, perhaps, says the Cleveland Leader, was the admiral's statement that the real surrender of Manila occurred on May 1, 1898, and there was no Spanish resistance after that date. The city was not occupied because there was no American army to occupy it, but the Spaniards refrained from hostilities because Dewey had threatened to destroy the city if they fired a shot.

The democrats on the committee tried to induce the admiral to say that Aguinaldo had gone to Manila to promote the independence of the Filipinos.

MANY LIVES LOST.

Two Powder Magazines Explode in a Silver Mine.

The Daly-West and Ontario Mines at Park City, Utah, Are Wrecked—Employees Suffocated by Noxious Gases—Severe Shocks.

Park City, Utah, July 17.—Two powder magazines at the 1,200-foot level of the Daly-West silver mine exploded early Wednesday morning, causing much loss of life. Up to a late hour last night 35 men had been taken out of the mine dead, and several others had been recovered in a half-dazed condition.

In the Daly-West mine between 100 and 150 men were at work. In the Ontario were nearly 100. It is not known how many of these are dead, but the disaster extends to the Ontario, as the noxious gases that were freed are known to be the cause of several deaths.

There are two powder magazines at the 1,200 level of the Daly-West, one at each side of the shaft, with a capacity of from one to two cars of powder each. A car of powder was added to the supply within the past few days.

The explosion was so tremendous that it awakened every one within a radius of miles. As an example of its awful force, it is said that two horses in the ore tunnel one and a half miles away were killed by it.

Experienced miners say that John Burgy, the "powder monkey," was a green man, and should not have handled explosives. A rescue party found a hand and foot, presumably those of Burgy. The majority of the men met their deaths from inhaling gas and not from shock.

FAILED.

Negotiations with the Vatican for the Removal of Friars from the Philippines are Unsuccessful.

London, July 17.—The Rome correspondent of the Morning Post declares that the failure of Judge Taft's negotiations with the Vatican is attributed to the influence of the heads of the religious orders, especially to the Jesuit cardinal, Steinhilber, and that the Vatican is considered to have sacrificed a splendid opportunity.

The Daily Chronicle's Rome correspondent, referring to the closing of Judge Taft's negotiations, says great indignation is felt among the Americans in Rome, who are astounded at the utter want of appreciation the Vatican has shown for American courtesy.

The correspondent reports an interview with an American prelate, in which the latter is quoted as saying: "The Vatican has befooled us and has missed the greatest chance offered for her prestige for a century. The treatment meted out to our representatives and the exposure of the unbusinesslike methods of Rome is an incident in our history which Americans will never forget."

Washington, July 17.—One week from to-day Gov. Taft will sail from Italy to Manila. If the Vatican has by that date concluded to accept the terms respecting the sale of the friars' lands and the withdrawal of the friars from the Philippines, the papers will be signed by Gov. Taft. If on the other hand the cardinal's committee, which is dealing with this matter, is unable to accept the terms proffered, or is not prepared to make a final answer, the governor will proceed on his way and the negotiations will be suspended.

The Big Strike Is Ended.

Chicago, July 17.—After ten days of strife the Chicago freight handlers' strike terminated yesterday in victory for the railroads. A meeting of the strikers resulted in an almost unanimous vote to return to work, leaving the wage scale and other questions for settlement between the men and roads. After the meeting the strikers went by hundreds to the warehouses to apply for their old positions and the teamsters who remained out in sympathy again took up their reins. By noon immense quantities of freight, which had been held back for days, were being rushed to the railroads.

Massacred a Caravan.

Vienna, July 17.—The newspapers of Vienna report the occurrence of trouble in the Koweit region of Asiatic Turkey. It is alleged that the sheikh of Koweit's warriors massacred a caravan escorted by Turkish soldiers and seized £40,000 which the caravan was conveying as tribute from the sheikh of Nejed to Basra. The warriors then surprised and massacred the Turkish garrison and the civil authorities of Elagier. It is reported that the sultan will send troops to punish the marauders.

Do Wind's Party Arrives at Dawson. Seattle, Wash., July 17.—A special to the Times from Dawson says: Harry De Windt, of Paris, traveler, explorer, author, journalist and globe trotter, has arrived with a party from Siberia on a river steamer. De Windt's companions are Viscount Des Clichamps Belgrade, of Paris; George Hardin, an Englishman, and Stephen Rastorgoueff, a Russian, whom the government insisted should accompany De Windt through the wilds of Siberia. De Windt and party left Paris December 16 and tell of harrowing experiences with cold and hunger.

RAID ON BALL CLUB

The National League Gets Six Baltimore Players.

Scheme Plotted by McGraw—Four of the Ball Tossers Go to New York and the Other Two Will Don the Cincinnati Uniform.

Baltimore, July 17.—John J. McGraw, representing Andrew Freedman, and acting, it is believed, as an envoy of the National league, on Wednesday secured a controlling interest in the Baltimore baseball club. At his instance 201 shares of the 400 shares of the stock of the company, representing the holdings of John J. Mahon, were transferred to Joseph C. France, an attorney of this city. Mahon's holdings included the shares formerly owned by Robinson, McGraw, Kelley and Rev. John G. Boland, a Catholic priest. The consideration could not be learned.

Six of the Baltimore players were released after yesterday's game. Four of them, Pitchers McGinnity and Cronin, First Baseman McGann and Substitute Bresnahan, left for New York early in the evening. The others, late Manager Kelley and Outfielder Seymour, are expected to leave to-day for Cincinnati. Great pressure was brought to bear upon Selbach and Williams to have them sign with National league teams, but they are under two years' contract, and unless they are released will remain in Baltimore.

Co-Manager Robinson was not in the city last night, but personal friends say that his playing days are over and that he will take this opportunity of retiring from the game.

It was reported early in the evening that Ben B. Johnson, president of the American league, was in the city, but up to a late hour last night his stopping place could not be located. Friends who have been in close touch with him, assert, however, that he has been expecting this emergency and claim that he is fully able to meet it.

It is probable that the game scheduled for to-day with St. Louis will be allowed to go by default in order that the Baltimore franchise may be declared forfeited. Then the company will be reorganized by the present minority stockholders, namely, Vice President Sidney S. Frank, Secretary Harry Goldman and Theodore L. Straus. With the help of President Johnson, who holds a lease on the American league grounds, it is expected that a full team will be ready to continue the regular schedule by the close of the present week.

Washington, July 17.—President Ben Johnson, of the American league, expressed but little surprise when informed that McGraw had secured a controlling interest in the stock of the Baltimore club. He was little inclined to talk of the future except to say that he would give Baltimore a team with which to finish the season in spite of the schemes of the Baltimore people who, he asserted, had connived at the downfall of the league in selling out their stock to the National league.

TICKET NAMED.

Wisconsin Republicans Nominate State Officers.

Madison, Wis., July 18.—The republicans of Wisconsin finished their work in convention yesterday. Robert M. LaFollette was again chosen to head the republican state ticket, receiving the nomination over John M. Whitehead, by an overwhelming majority. With two exceptions, the ticket as a whole went through, as planned in advance. Those exceptions were the nominations for state treasurer and railroad commissioner.

John Kempf, of Milwaukee, won in the contest for state treasurer, by the aid of the stalwart faction, which switched its votes before the ballot was announced. This was the greatest surprise in the convention, as Joseph G. End, of Sheboygan, was looked upon as sure of the nomination. John W. Thomas, of Chippewa, secured the nomination for railroad commissioner over Jonas Swenholz, of Shawano, the slate candidate, in a similar way. Perhaps the most exciting contest of the day was for the place of superintendent of public instruction between Carey and L. D. Harvey, of Madison, Carey receiving the nomination.

A TERRIFIC CRASH.

A Freighter Runs Into the Revenue Cutter Michigan, at Erie, Pa.

Erie, Pa., July 16.—An accident happened to the revenue cutter Michigan yesterday that was quite serious. The Michigan was lying at her dock when the freighter M. B. Grover hove in from the Pittsburg dock. While under full headway, full for the Michigan, the captain of the Grover evidently lost control of his boat, for she stove into the Michigan, driving her down the bay fully 150 feet.

The crash was a terrible one. The nose of the Grover plunged into the Michigan, tearing her from her fastenings and held her in front while the Grover carried her all that distance.

Commander Winder, of the Michigan estimates the loss at \$10,000. This includes the ruing of two six-pound Drigg-Schroeder rapid-fire guns of an improved pattern and a whale boat.

An Inter-State Shooting Match.

Titusville, Pa., July 17.—The inter-state sportsmen's shooting tournament at inanimate targets opened here Wednesday under the auspices of the Titusville Gun club. Fifty of the best trap shooters in the country participated in the ten events. Le Roy Woodward, of Cincinnati, was high gun, breaking 160 out of a possible 170. "Buck" Fanning, of New York, was second with 157, while Kirkover, of Fredonia, N. Y., and Fox, of Philadelphia, tied for third place, with 155. The tournament will continue until Friday afternoon.

Worthy of Enduring Fame.

President Alderman, of Tulane university, was one of the speakers of the occasion when Nicholas Murray Butler, who has just received the degree of doctor of laws from the University of Pennsylvania, was installed as president of Columbia university. Mr. Alderman incorporated several jokes and anecdotes into his address, among which was one of a Louisiana negro which deserves rank among the more amusing of Irish "bulls." The negro was asked by an acquaintance:

"Where are you going, Sam?"

"Ain't gwine nowhere," was the reply. "I've done bin whar I see gwine."—Chicago Chronicle.

Supreme Court Sustains the Foot-Ease Trade-Mark.

Justice Laughlin, in Supreme Court, Buffalo, has ordered a permanent injunction, with costs, and a full accounting of sales, to issue against Paul B. Hudson, the manufacturer of the foot powder called "Dr. Clark's Foot Powder," and also against a retail dealer of Brooklyn, restraining them from making or selling the Dr. Clark's Foot Powder, which is declared, in the decision of the Court, an imitation and infringement of "Foot-Ease," the powder to shake into your shoes. Allen S. Olmsted, of Le Roy, N. Y., is the owner of the trade-mark "Foot-Ease." Similar suits will be brought against others who are now infringing on the Foot-Ease trade-mark and common law rights.

"Folly," commented the large-voiced philosopher, "when personified, is feminine; not because of her possession of the attributes of femininity, but because she is so persistently pursued by man."—Indianapolis News.

You have a good deal of sense if you have enough not to drink whisky or gamble.—Athens Globe.

KIDNEY TROUBLES.

Mrs. Louise M. Gibson Says That This Fatal Disease is Easily Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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