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AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Proposed by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for their approval or rejection at a special election to be held June 18, 1899.

AMENDMENT XIX

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Trains Dump 20,000 People at Guthrie, Interesting Scenes and Incidents.

GUTHRIE, I. T., April 23.—When the gates of Oklahoma were opened one of the strangest sights known to history followed.

The Cherokee strip came the great fleet of prairie schooners across the Canadian; from the Chickasaw nation came troop after troop of sturdy pioneers.

Every man carrying a boom, from the Arapahoe and Cheyenne reservations to the west came a yelling mob of horsemen, who fired volley after volley to celebrate their final victory.

The Kiowa, of the southwest, and the Cherokee and Creek nations, on the east, also furnished their contingent of boomers.

At the starting signal they moved all together, great waves of cheering breaking upon the air. The wagons continued on over the level green plains until they were about half way across the northern tier of claims, and then upwards of 100 of them were brought to a standstill.

The others rolled on to the other tiers. Men, women and children poured from the stationary schooners, and in an incredibly short time the foundations for the pioneer homes of Oklahoma had been laid by willing hands.

Contestants for Every Claim. Every farm had more than one claimant, all ready to swear that they crossed the border first and that their's were the first improvements.

So it is all over the territory, and especially on the sections adjoining Guthrie and Oklahoma City. Between 20,000 and 30,000 people were dumped here yesterday by the Santa Fe road, which ran twenty immense trains from Kansas City.

The trains moved across the Cherokee strip cautiously and slowly and arrived here scarcely five minutes apart. As they approached the land of promise, thousands of heads protruded from the windows and curious eyes feasted on the green panorama that lay before them.

There was much fighting to get out of the cars when the little building which answers for a station was reached. Nobody was hurt, however, and the coaches were soon emptied. It was a curious sight to watch the boomers after they had got fairly on foot.

The majority of them seemed to be lured by the vastness of their surroundings. Many of them gazed stupidly to the north, south, east and west and then moved ahead like men who were lost.

Others started for the hills and still others bent themselves to the task of raising tents, which they brought with them to open various kinds of business.

Those who went for the hills were after claims. Just how well their explorations succeeded is not known for a very few of them have returned.

The "Promised Land" All Taken. It is safe to say that every farm in the territory is in possession of one or more claimants, and that besides there are from 20,000 to 30,000 more wandering aimlessly about in search of land.

The rush at the land office here is terrific. The building is surrounded by a mob of howling men, which is being constantly augmented by horsemen, who are galloping in from every quarter.

Land Agent Dilley and his force of assistants are unable to give attention to a hundredth part of the business that is being forced upon them. The detachment of troops which has been detailed around the building with a view of keeping the mob in an orderly line is completely worn out.

A dispatch from Oklahoma City states that the rush there is even greater than here. Over at Kingfisher, or Lisbon where the crowds brought in on the Rock Island are gathering, there has been no trouble as yet.

Marat Halstead's Illness. CINCINNATI, April 22.—The improvement in Marat Halstead's condition was maintained throughout the night, and the action of the heart continues regular.

Ever since his return from the east shortly after the senate's refusal to confirm his nomination as minister to Berlin, Mr. Halstead has been sick. He was first attacked with an old complaint, erysipelas, which broke out in his nose and gave him much pain.

He improved for a time, but his physician, Dr. Cammery, refused to allow him to read any newspapers or letters.

During the past few days rheumatism set in and Mr. Halstead grew much worse. Dr. Whitaker was called in consultation and advised the family to telegraph for Mrs. Halstead and the children, who are in Berlin, at once.

High License in Michigan. LANSING, Mich., April 22.—The house, has passed the liquor tax bill, which requires retailers to pay \$600 a year; distillers, \$1,000; brewers, \$200; wholesale liquor dealers \$500; wholesale beer and wine dealers, \$500, and prevents drug stores from selling liquor except upon written application, which must be recorded in a public book. Under no circumstances can they sell by the drink or mix liquor with soda water or any other beverage to be drunk on the premises. The bill passed by the narrow margin of six votes. It cannot have immediate effect, as it lacks the necessary two-thirds vote, and consequently the liquor selling business will be governed this year by the law now in force.

Elections in Illinois. CHICAGO, April 18.—Municipal elections were held in a large number of towns and villages in Illinois. In nearly all of them the saloon question was a burning one, and all sorts of queer party divisions were the result. In one or two cases the Republicans and Democrats were united against the Prohibitionists, and in one case were defeated. In several of the towns women stood at the polls and worked for the prohibition candidates. A summary of the results reached shows that the Prohibitionists were successful in the choice of anti-license candidates in eighteen towns, and secured high license in two, that the license element carried the day in seventeen municipalities; that the straight Republican ticket was victorious in six and the Democratic in eight.

Belgium Warns Boulanger. BRUSSELS, April 20.—The Belgian government has decided to serve upon Gen. Boulanger a second notice that he will not be allowed to avail himself of the refuge he has taken in Belgium to conspire against the government of France, a friendly country.

NEWS BREVITIES.

A large number of hot-bed and boarding houses at Pine Hill, in the Catskill mountains, have agreed not to receive Hebrews as guests.

The entire state militia of Vermont will attend the Washington centennial and pay their own expenses.

The Delaware house has passed a local option bill. A satisfactory agreement on the telegraph and telephone tax bill has been reached between the companies and the house.

Gen. Franz Sigel has resigned his position as pension agent in New York. Ministers Grant and Porter sailed on the Aller for Bremen.

Cholera is epidemic in the Philippine Islands and out of 1,500 cases 1,000 have proved fatal.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of sixty members of the Boulanger party.

Assistant Secretary Bussey has decided in favor of granting a pension to a soldier who was wounded by an officer while resenting the latter's unauthorized attempt to take an ax from him.

The Virginia state Sabbath school convention at Richmond adopted a resolution yesterday asking congress to change the day of inaugurating the president from March 4, to the first Wednesday in March. The convention also memorialized congress to enact rigid Federal Sabbath laws. The body is composed chiefly of ministers.

In the Boulanger trial several editors were examined in regard to the general's dealings with English capitalists.

The New Jersey legislature will probably adjourn today.

DeForest Osman, a poor bartender at Allentown, drew \$15,000 in a lottery.

Two gentlemen captured a cub bear near Shamokin, Pa., and narrowly escaped death from his mother.

The Lehigh Presbytery, in closing its session indorsed the proposed Prohibition amendment.

An express train on the Pittsburg and Erie railroad was derailed and the baggage car took fire. No one was seriously injured.

Cowboys, from Kansas ranches, started for Minneapolis to take the place of striking street car drivers.

A frightened cow caused a big disturbance in the streets of Philadelphia by running wild and knocking down several persons. The animal was finally killed by the police.

The New York baseball club will play at the Polo grounds as usual this season.

The contested election case at El Paso, Tex., came near resulting in bloodshed, but the court has interfered and quiet is restored.

Troubles have arisen on the Pacific coast between American and Mexican fishermen.

During a gale on the upper Mississippi the steamer Everett was capsized and five persons drowned.

White Caps near Millintown, Pa., cut off a man's hair and beard and compelled him to close up his store.

A reward has been offered for the discovery of the body of George W. Wentworth, missing from Allentown, Pa.

At Philadelphia a young woman drugged her infant daughter and left her on a street during services at St. Philip's Catholic church.

The president talked plainly with a congressman. He said he could not do everything at once. There was something else to be thought of beside office. People ought to wait until his policy was fully defined before judging the administration.

The New York assembly passed a bill looking to the annexation of Brooklyn to New York.

Gen. Boulanger will shortly leave Brussels for London.

Frenchmen are to celebrate their centennial the world over.

Dr. D. R. Conrad, superintendent of the Western lunatic asylum, at Staunton, Va., has been removed on proof of the truth of charges that he has been guilty of conduct unbecoming a physician and a gentleman toward his female patients.

The decorations of the Metropolitan opera house for the centennial ball and banquet are nearly completed. They are very elaborate.

The remains of the great fire in New York are still smouldering. The losses are \$3,000,000.

Rear Admiral Kimberly's official report of the Apia disaster has been received by the navy department.

George A. Beidler, of Philadelphia, has been appointed postmaster at Oklahoma City.

Whitelaw Reid has retired from the editorship of The New York Tribune. Col. John Hay will succeed him.

Atlanta had a \$100,000 fire Sunday.

Much apprehension is felt in naval circles for the safety of the Monongahela, now twenty days overdue at San Francisco. It is thought she must have been in the track of the hurricane.

William Muldon has accepted Duncan C. Ross's challenge for a mixed wrestling match, and has posted a \$1,000 forfeit to wrestle Ross, Cannon, "Greek George" and Pierie on one day and to throw them all in six hours.

Jack McAniff has accepted Jem Carney's challenge to fight for the light weight championship in a London club room.

A betting pool has been formed in London to back Jake Kilrain against John L. Sullivan, and the money will be sent to this country.

Count Herbert Bismarck has prepared a statement, which has been submitted to the British minister at Berlin and approved, in regard to the subjects to be discussed by the Samoan congress next week. Germany yields everything.

Gen. Gobin says that the New Yorkers have failed to make proper arrangements for railway accommodations for the Pennsylvania soldiers who will attend the celebration in their heavy marching suits.

Don Sebastian Lerdo de Tejada, ex-president of Mexico, died in New York, aged 64, after thirteen years of exile.

Admiral Kimberly reports that the Nipsic's engines work all right.

The corner stone of the Brna Memorial chapel at Gettysburg will be laid on May 16, instead of April 25, as heretofore announced.

Knights of the Golden Eagle gave a grand parade at Allentown, Pa.

The morality contest between Easton's two contestants is to be decided by a jury trial.

The czar has ordered the Russian ambassador at Paris to return home during the exposition celebrating the centennial of the revolution.

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