

TWO CENTS.

SCRANTON, PA., MONDAY MORNING, JUNE 19, 1899.

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M'KINNEYS AT HOLYOKE

People of Massachusetts Give the President a Warm Reception.

EXERCISES AT COLLEGE

The Presidential Party Receive a Hearty Welcome at South Hadley. The Programme for Today Will Embrace a Journey to Northampton and Trip to the Top of Mt. Tom—A Performance of "Midsummer Night's Dream."

Holyoke, Mass., June 18.—Sunday for the president was anything but the day of rest that was hoped for. The continual crowding of the curious citizens, the immense jam at the church this morning and later in day an unexpected and totally unprepared for reception in connection with the baccalaureate exercises at Mt. Holyoke college made the day long and tiresome for all.

SENSATIONAL SERMON.

Rev. Dr. Broughton Roasts the Mayor of Atlanta. Atlanta, Ga., June 18.—In a sensational sermon tonight Dr. L. C. Broughton, pastor of the Baptist Laboratory, called upon the city council to impeach James G. Woodward, mayor of Atlanta. Dr. Broughton said the chief executive was a "confessed gambler, a libertine, a sot, and a disgrace to the city."

TO RECEIVE DREYFUS.

He Is Expected to Arrive at Brest by Next Saturday. Paris, June 18.—A dispatch from the Cape Verde islands announces that the French second class cruiser Stax carrying Captain Dreyfus, has passed en route for Brest, where she is expected before Saturday.

OTTO FLOTO WANTS A FIGHT.

Has Offered \$20,000 for a Battle Between Fitz and the Kid. Denver, Col., June 18.—Manager Otto F. Floto of the Colorado athletic association, confirmed the announcement sent from Chicago that he has offered \$20,000 for a fight between Bob Fitzsimmons and Kid McCoy for the middleweight championship of the world.

MINERS VICTORIOUS.

They Have Stopped Importation of Negro Labor in Kansas. Pittsburg, Kan., June 18.—The striking union coal miners appear to have temporarily stopped the importation of southern negroes by the mine operators. The hearing of the injunction cases in the federal court at Pittsburg, Kan., which was postponed until June 26.

WILL MAKE AUTOMOBILES.

Chicago, June 18.—The Illinois Electric Vehicle Transportation company expects within a month to have automobiles running in Chicago. The company will have an authorized capital of \$20,000,000. The works of the company will be the share of the Grant locomotive plant, which have been purchased and are being fitted up for operation.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

Cottage Grove, Ore., June 18.—Ex-Senator Benjamin E. Harding is dead. He was elected to the United States senate in 1882 to fill out the unexpired term of Senator Baker, deceased. Mr. Harding was born in Pennsylvania in 1822.

FAST TROTTER DIES.

Readville, Mass., June 18.—Nico (2,984), the fastest trotter bred in New England and owned by J. Malcolm Forbes, of Milton, died last night.

NO INCREASE OF TAX ON WHEELS.

Berlin, June 18.—It is announced semi-officially that any increase in the tax on American bicycles is improbable, because the commercial treaties with Austria, Russia and Italy exclude such a change.

DISTRIBUTION DIFFICULTIES

Generals Brooke and Gomez Are Trying to Sift Out Fraudulent Claimants—A Peaceful Precaution—Five Thousand Cuban Soldiers Awaited the Paymaster at Remedios—Seven Guards Are Killed by Bandits Near Santiago. Havana, June 18.—Governor General Brooke in an official letter to General Maximo Gomez says, in relation to the payment of the American gratuity:

"In the distribution of the money I have noticed that many men whose names are not on the rolls claim to belong to the Cuban army. As governor general I recommend you to take the necessary steps to ascertain if they have a right to a portion of the \$3,000,000, and hereby authorize you to make what arrangements you think proper to carry out the plan of distribution, with the idea in view that I wish no man who served in the army under proper conditions to be deprived of his just dues."

THE SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

Won by Imp in the Fastest Time Ever Made. New York, June 18.—The sixteenth annual suburban handicap was run at Sheepshead Bay yesterday and won by Imp as he pleased. Banastar, the favorite, was left at the post. Bannockburn was second, and Warrington third. Jockey Danny Maher, the rider of Banastar, was fined \$200 for abusing his mount. The winner, Imp, to 1, was heavily backed, and in the first stages of the race he showed the history of the suburban.

DISABLED STEAMER.

The Taulane Is Towing the Perthshire to Port. New Castle, N. S. W., June 18.—It has been learned here that the steamer Taulane is towing the disabled British steamer Perthshire to this port. It is expected the vessels will arrive tomorrow.

ELECTION IN HAWAII.

Has Been Postponed by Order of President McKinley. Vancouver, B. C., June 18.—Late Honolulu papers publish President McKinley's order postponing the election of the Hawaiian republic until the next year. The order is based on the fact that the Hawaiian republic is not yet a recognized state.

GASOLINE EXPLOSION.

Entire Front of a Brick House Is Blown Out. Cleveland, June 18.—The entire front of the brick house of Abraham Kohn at 23 Wadsworth street was blown out by an explosion of gasoline today. Kohn, his wife and child are in the hospital. The baby will surely die, and Kohn himself is believed to be fatally injured.

TRAIN ROBBER'S SENTENCE.

James Stubblefield Will Spend Ten Years in Prison. Sedalia, Mo., June 18.—The jury in the case of James Stubblefield, charged with the robbery of a Missouri Pacific express train near here in November last found Stubblefield guilty, today, and fixed his punishment at ten years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary.

MURDER AT A PICNIC.

He Killed Two Constables Who Had Attempted to Arrest Him. New Orleans, June 18.—Louis Guidry, a negro desperado, is now surrounded by bloodhounds in the swampy back of the Calumet plantation, St. Mary, and will probably be killed. Guidry has long been a terror to the community. An attempt was made to arrest him last week by Constable Henry Croch, of Berwick, but Guidry escaped after killing the constable.

DISASTER AT A FIRE.

A Magazine of Powder Explodes, Injuring Eleven Men. Omaha, Neb., June 18.—Fire in Allen's wholesale grocery this morning caused a loss of \$15,000, which is covered by insurance.

REPORT OF CASUALTIES.

Washington, June 18.—Major General Otis M. Blood, following the following deaths since the last weekly report: From wounds in action, June 11: Charles Gamble, private, Company C, Twenty-third infantry; 14th, George Marshall, corporal, Company M, Twelfth infantry; 16th, D. M. Mynott, private, Company D, Sixth artillery; John P. Braman, private, Company A, Second cavalry; 17th, George Schultz, private, Company A, Twenty-third infantry; June 11, Charles W. Edwards, private, Company E, First artillery; 12th, Charles Prouty, private, Company C, First South Dakota. From accidents, Charles Calkins, private, Company B, Twentieth Kansas. From dysentery, 15th, William Gray, private, Company H, Twentieth infantry; 13th, Joseph I. Madden, private, Company L, Twenty-third infantry.

PATRIE WAS A HERO.

A Railroad Section Hand Attempts to Rescue a Woman. Cleveland, O., June 18.—Blaise Patrie, a railroad section hand, proved himself a hero today, and was fatally injured in an attempt to save a woman from death.

THE SITUATION AT CLEVELAND.

NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN THE STREET CAR STRIKE. The Strikers Are Preparing to Make a Big Demonstration Today—It Is Expected That 10,000 Workmen Will Join a Procession—An Effort to Induce the Councils to Pass an Ordinance Unfavorable to the Street Car Company—Debs Advises Men to Vote the Socialist Ticket.

Cleveland, June 18.—There were no new developments in the strike of the street railway men today, principally for the reason that the company made no attempt to operate cars except on the Euclid avenue line. The police still afforded ample protection. The Euclid avenue cars were run on schedule time from 7 o'clock in the morning until 5 this evening. It is expected that an attempt will be made tomorrow morning to resume operations on some of the other lines and more trouble is looked for.

MISSIONARIES MURDERED.

Rev. H. S. Phillips and Party Killed by Chinese. Shanghai, June 18.—A telegram received by the North China Daily News reports that the doctors killed Rev. H. S. Phillips, Mrs. Phillips, a lady friend and three native converts while they were trying to make their escape from Kien Yang.

TO RECEIVE AMERICAN MEAT.

Belgium Has Raised the Prohibition Against Our Cattle. Washington, June 18.—Special Plenipotentiary Kason has just received an authenticated copy from Belgium of the decree recently enacted by the Belgian government raising the prohibition against importation into Belgium of American meat cattle. This will be formally published at once for the information of the various states which are included in the decree of 1897, prescribing the places where they may be landed and slaughtered.

POWDER WORKS GO UP.

Four Men Killed at the United States Mills in Marin County, Cal. San Francisco, June 18.—The United States Mills in Marin County, California, blew up at 1 o'clock this afternoon, killing Joseph Seccombe, his son, Ed Seccombe, Edward Morrissey and P. Hollenbeck, carpenter. Joseph Farrell and Charles Webster were seriously injured. The first explosion was in the grinding mill. It was followed by explosions in the mixing and incorporation houses. About five tons of the powder exploded. Two bodies have not been found.

ROCKEFELLER STRANDED.

The Cottage City, on Which He Was Going to Alaska, Goes Aground. Seattle, Wash., June 18.—The steamer City of Seattle, which arrived today from Skagway, brings the news that the ocean steamer Cottage City and Humbolt are reported aground in Alaskan waters. John D. Rockefeller and Captain J. J. Healey, the Yukon pioneer, are on the Cottage City among a party of 150 excursionists from Boston and New York.

RUBBER DEALER BANKRUPT.

Akron, O., June 18.—Frank A. Wilcox, of this city, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. He is general manager of the Pennsylvania Rubber works at Erie. His liabilities are about \$200,000 and his assets \$100,000. The creditors are numerous. The action was hastened by execution proceedings commenced against him by the Erie National Savings bank of Cleveland.

GERMAN STEAMER SINKS.

Bremen, June 18.—In a collision off Friedrichshaven between the German steamer Aridhuu and the British steamer Mauritius today the Aridhuu was sunk. Ten of her crew being drowned.

THE FARRELL EXPLOSION.

West Chester, Pa., June 18.—As a result of the explosion in the Farrell quarries, this place, yesterday afternoon, Peter Crossley died today. The other men will recover, but all are badly bruised and burned.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Southampton, June 18.—Arrived: Bremen, New York for Bremen. Sailed: Friedrichsberg, Bremen for New York. Arrived: La Champagne, New York.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Weather Indications Today: FAIR, LIGHT, WESTERLY WINDS.

THE CRISIS IN PARIS

Pierre Waldeck Rousseau Will Undertake the Cabinet Act. DESIRES PERIER'S AID. It Is Probable That the Ex-President May Take a Hand in the Effort to Destroy the Germs of Irritation—A Socialist May Be Included in the Cabinet—M. Poincare Still Remains in Paris.

Paris, June 18.—President Loubet received in audience early this morning, M. Casimir Perier, former president of France and consulted with him regarding the ministerial crisis. The interview terminated about 11 o'clock, after which M. Loubet received Senator Pierre Waldeck Rousseau.

TRIBUTE TO PERIER'S AID.

M. Waldeck Rousseau is meeting with considerable difficulty but he appears determined. He will confer with M. Loubet again, probably tomorrow morning before submitting a draft list of colleagues.

PERIER INVITED.

M. Waldeck Rousseau waited upon M. Casimir Perier early this morning, endeavored to induce him to accept the portfolio of war, on the ground that his presence at the ministry of war would simplify the difficulties of the situation.

WOMAN IN A FENDER.

Carried Fifty Feet, But Neither She Nor Her Bicycle Is Hurt. New York, June 18.—A woman bicyclist had a narrow escape yesterday afternoon while riding on Red Lane, Grant City, S. D. She was on her way to Hilland Beach, and over a No. 13 of the Midland railroad came up behind her. She was riding between the tracks. Motorist William Gibson rode the left, but the woman still remained between the tracks.

MONUMENT AT SAMOA.

Will Be Erected in Memory of English-Speaking Soldiers. Vancouver, B. C., June 18.—Australia advises that the officers of the British and American warships who have been fraternizing during the recent trouble in Samoa, have decided to erect a joint monument to the memory of the English-speaking soldiers slain in the various engagements.

JOHNSON'S ISLAND SOLD.

Port Clinton, O., June 18.—Johnson's Island, Lake Erie, which was famous as a prison for rebel soldiers during the Civil war, has just been sold at auction for \$45,000. The island lies in Sandusky Bay a few miles from the city of that name.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, June 18.—Forecast for Monday: For eastern Pennsylvania, Tuesday light, Wednesday probably sunny. Light westerly winds.