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A FEW CONJECTURES.

The latest report of an intention to complete the chain of electric railways by the construction of a line between Ashland and Centuria seems better founded than the many others that have gained circulation...

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TO SETTLE THE MORA CLAIM.

But as Spain Declines to Pay Interest, the Settlement May be Refused. MADRID, Aug. 14.—At a meeting of the cabinet ministers it was decided to pay the Mora claim in a lump sum in September without interest.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Mr. Nathaniel Palce, who is Mr. Mora's attorney here, when shown the Madrid dispatch expressed gratification, but said he did not believe the United States government would agree to the settlement of the claim without interest.

Spain's Final Decision. SWAMPSCOOT, Mass., Aug. 14.—Senator Dupuy de Lome, Spanish minister to the United States, was shown the Associated Press cablegram concerning the decision of the Spanish cabinet regarding the payment of the Mora claim.

Alleged Murder for Insurance. WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—A negro boy, Campbell Hall by name, living with Rose and William Hammond, also colored, died here on Monday under circumstances so suspicious that the coroner decided upon an inquest, which was held yesterday, resulting in the holding of the Hammonds to the grand jury.

An Enraged Negro's Revenge. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14.—An enraged negro fired a number of bullets into a crowd of passengers and members of the crew of the steamer City of St. Louis as they came down the gang plank of the boat just after she landed at the wharf between 7 and 8 o'clock.

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Seventeen Mexican Bandits Shot. TUCSON, Ariz., Aug. 14.—Advices from Fronteras, Sonora, Mexico, says: Six weeks ago Colonel John Weira, a messenger, was killed and \$6,000 taken by highwaymen in Sonora, south of Bisbee.

Many Nihilists Arrested. BERLIN, Aug. 14.—A dispatch received here from Odessa states that seventy alleged nihilists were arrested in a restaurant in that city. After the police had raided the place the keeper of the restaurant committed suicide.

August Belmont Buys Two Speedy Racers. NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—August Belmont has purchased Henry of Navarre from Byron McClelland and Dorian from J. W. Rogers. Mr. Belmont paid \$50,000 for Henry of Navarre and \$7,500 for Dorian.

Killed for Declining a Marriage Proposal. OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 14.—Because Miss Jennie Lewis would not consent to marry Lewis F. Muhler he shot her through the head, and the doctors declare that death is only a few hours off. The murderer is still at large.

The Weather. For District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland. Fair; continued high temperature; variable winds.

THE ALLEGED JAPANESE CRISIS.

No Confirmation of the Report at the Legation in Washington. WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—No information has been received at the Japanese legation in confirmation or denial of the report that a cabinet crisis exists in Japan, though the legation would not necessarily be informed of such an occurrence until the formation of a new ministry.

The report of dissolution was, however, a surprise to the members of the legation and has aroused great interest. While accustomed to look upon Counts Ito and Yamagata as almost permanent parts of the Japanese government, they admit that there has been dissatisfaction expressed among the opposition politicians concerning the recession from the terms of the original treaty, and it is surmised that any cabinet changes will be due to this change.

Furthermore, they find it difficult to realize that there should be any misunderstanding on the question of rank. Both Ito and Yamagata are counts. The former holds the highest decoration within the gift of the emperor, and the latter is a marshal of the empire. It is not understood why men who have already been so highly honored should make much trouble over the question of the conferment of an honor which would be only a slight advance over their present status.

No one at the legation will venture an opinion as to who might succeed Count Ito as prime minister in case of his permanent retirement. YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

National League. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 14; New York, 8. At Baltimore—First game: Baltimore, 13; Boston, 8. Second game: Baltimore, 4; Boston, 2. At Brooklyn—Washington, 4; Brooklyn, 2. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 1; St. Louis, 2. At Cincinnati—Pittsburg, 13; Cincinnati, 11. Eastern League. At Wilkesbarre—Toronto, 2; Wilkesbarre, 2. At Scranton—Scranton, 23; Buffalo, 15. At Providence—Syracuse, 3; Providence, 1. At Springfield—Springfield, 21; Rochester, 3.

A Japanese Immigration Company. WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The bureau of immigration has information that a company has been formed in Japan for the purpose of sending Japanese laborers to this country under contract. Commissioner General Stump in speaking of the matter said that as yet the bureau had no positive knowledge on the subject, but he was inclined to give credence to the rumor.

Killed His Father by Mistake. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 14.—James McGonigle shot and killed his father, a rancher, six miles from this city, and fatally wounded a blacksmith named Eaves, of Antennum. He gave himself up to the neighbors and was brought to this place. The trouble arose over the slandering of Eaves' daughter by young McGonigle.

Four Years for Assaulting an Officer. WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Thomas Gill, a private in the Third artillery, stationed at the arsenal here, has been sentenced to four years' imprisonment, with hard labor, at the Columbus, O., barracks, for an assault upon Lieutenant Berkheimer, of the same regiment. Gill asserts that he has been confined in a cell so small that he could scarcely stretch out at full length, with shackles on his legs. The little cell is lined with sheetiron throughout, and is so hot and oppressive that Gill is submerged with perspiration all the time.

A Denial From Minister Ransom. WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Captain Arthur Barnes received the following telegram from Minister Ransom, who is at Welton, N. C., in reply to a letter calling Mr. Ransom's attention to a report that he had given offense to Mexico by an interview criticizing the conduct of Mexican officials in extradition matters between Mexico and the United States: "All a mistake. Not one word of truth in any statement reflecting on Mexico officially."

Mrs. Denmead Gets Her Divorce. BALTIMORE, Aug. 14.—Arthur Denmead, aged 17, and Margaret M. Carey, 19, were married in this city May 9, 1890. Separations and reconciliations with occasional charges of desertion and cross bills for divorce have marked their marital career. All is over now. Mrs. Denmead has secured an absolute divorce and \$15,000 alimony, besides two houses. Mr. Denmead is also required to pay \$2,500 to the counsel of Mrs. Denmead.

Philadelphia Weavers on Strike. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—One hundred and thirty-six weavers on upholstery goods, employed by Hoyle, Harrison & Kaye, Third street and Lehigh avenue, left their looms yesterday and went out on a strike, owing to an announcement by the firm of a 10 per cent. reduction in their wages to be made at once. There are about 4,000 weavers of upholstery goods who will stop work if the strike becomes general.

Beat an Old Man to Death. HAMPTON, S. C., Aug. 14.—Prince Graham, Jason Blake, William Frazier, William Blake and Cato Graham, all colored, are in jail for killing E. R. Meares, aged 73, last Friday night. They have confessed that they beat him to death in order to rob him. There was a strong disposition to lynch them, but the advice of law respecting people prevailed, and they will be given a regular trial.



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WHITE MEN THE AGGRESSORS.

Bannock Indians in No Way Responsible for the Latest Uprising.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—A report sent to the war department by Captain J. T. Van Orsdale, of the Seventh infantry, late acting agent at the Fort Hall Indian reservation, on the subject of the trouble with the Bannock Indians, has been forwarded to the secretary of the interior. The report says in part:

"Being short rations and far from self supporting, the Bannocks hunt for the purpose of obtaining sustenance. By treaty they are granted this privilege. It would seem that the killing of these Indians under the circumstances is nothing more or less than murder. Further, I believe that there is no wanton slaughter of game by them, while it is a notorious fact that hundreds of animals are killed by white men for nothing more than heads and horns. There are men in that country who make it a business to pilot hunting parties from the east and abroad which not only slaughter elk, but capture and ship them out of the country. The killing of game by Indians interferes with their business."

"The Indians can hardly be expected to submit to the killing of their people while engaged in an occupation which they think they have a right to follow more quietly than white men would do, and failure by the government to take proper action is liable to result in loss of life and property."

Desperados Overawed. EUPAULA, I. T., Aug. 14.—Five desperate outlaws, charged with having committed almost every crime in the calendar, were captured in the center of Eupaula. Heavily armed and appropriately mounted, they rode boldly into town, apparently intent on making a raid, and believing that they would receive but little opposition. They were mistaken, however, for they were quickly surrounded by armed deputies. The officers dropped on them in a complete surprise, and the quintets meekly gave up their arms and submitted to arrest without making the least effort to escape.

Michigan's Striking Miners.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Aug. 14.—The striking miners are in conference with the managers at the various mine offices in Ishpeeming and Negaunee concerning the advance in wages which is offered if the men will return to work. The companies will make no discrimination against the members of the union, but will not treat with men except as individuals. If it were put to a ballot the majority of the men would vote to return at the wages offered, but with a viva voce vote the men may decide to stay out.

Says the Fight Cannot be Prevented.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 13.—Speaking of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight, Mayor Holland, of Dallas, Tex., who passed through St. Louis today, said: "The great physical culture exhibition between Corbett and Fitzsimmons will come off as scheduled, on Oct. 31 at Dallas, Tex. It is a sure thing. We expect to have an enormous number of the best people of the country in October, and that is the main reason that the business men of the state, and particularly of Dallas, are supporting Mr. Stuart."

Great Damage by Hail.

OWATONNA, Minn., Aug. 14.—A tornado swept over Steele county last evening, doing immense damage. It centered at Belle Plaine, striking that place at 9 o'clock. Hall stones from four to six inches in circumference fell to a depth of four inches, breaking all glass fronts in the business places and all the windows in the dwellings, churches and the city hall. Horses standing on the streets were knocked senseless. The corn crop in that region is totally destroyed.

The Afflicted Negro Colonists.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Aug. 14.—Of the 340 negroes confined in the government quarantine camp at Eagle Pass, 150 are afflicted with smallpox. The deaths average about four daily. The remainder of the 1,500 rations furnished by the United States government to Consul Sparks for the use of the refugees has been turned over to Dr. Evans, state quarantine officer of the quarantine camp, for use there, it being found impracticable to forward them to Mexico.

The Guest of the President.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Aug. 14.—Attorney General Harmon, who has been spending a part of the vacation season at Nantucket, is the guest of President Cleveland at Gray Gables. Yesterday Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Harmon took an early start on the president's new launch and passed the day in fishing down the bay.

Youthful Burglars Sentenced.

SAVANNAH, Aug. 14.—Ernest Kobbe and Robert Rossally, two white boys under 12 years of age, plead guilty to several burglaries yesterday and were sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Struck Against the Company Store.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 14.—The 600 miners at the Saw Mill run mines went on strike yesterday against the company store. The store was at once abolished and the miners resumed work.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Tuberculosis has again broken out among cattle in the Haverhill, Mass., district. Brazil is negotiating a commercial treaty with the United States of America. Two gentlemen from Vienna ascended the Jungfrau yesterday without guides, and one of them was killed. The Kansas Republicans will not hold a convention this year, as had been projected, to take action on the silver question. Fires were lighted last night in the plant of the Morehead-McClellan company at Pittsburg, which has been idle for four years. It employs 1,000 men. Rev. Dr. William Dunn, distinguished as the first Baptist missionary to China and Siam, where he labored fifty years, died at San Diego, Cal., yesterday. James Amick was shot and killed by Mrs. Ella Amick, his divorced wife, ten miles northeast of Eureka, Kan., in the presence of Mrs. Amick's brother and the latter's wife.

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