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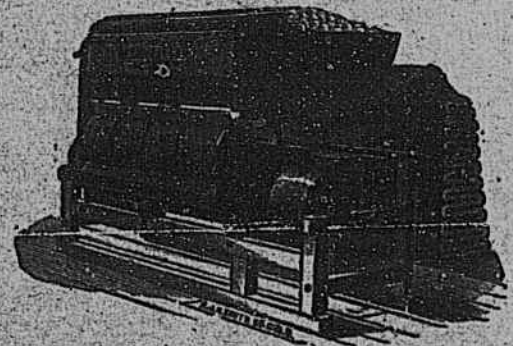
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FROM THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 1, 1900.

The United States soldiers have been ordered withdrawn from Pekin, leaving only a legation guard, and abandoning the native Christians to their fate. This is, of course, all right, from a Democratic standpoint. If the United States is not at war with China, its soldiers ought to be withdrawn as soon as possible after they accomplished their mission of rescuing the ministers.

If the United States is at war with China, Congress ought to be called in session to consider the question. In inner circles here, however, it is positively asserted, that the orders for withdrawal are not genuine and that, as soon as the election is over, the President will show his teeth without fear of consequences. Meanwhile, he avoids giving additional force to the charge of imperialism, and gains time to send battleships around to the Orient. It is said that almost immediately after the election, the United States will formulate an ultimatum to force China to comply with our demands.

"A high official of the government" is quoted as follows in the local press: "A proper interval of time will be allowed in which the Emperor of China may show his good faith by vigorously punishing the criminals. If the Emperor fails to do this as fully and as completely as America should do it herself, a peremptory demand will be made upon him by the United States envoys, accompanied by the designation of the persons whom America regards as guilty. If this demand is ignored, a final ultimatum will be presented to the same effect. If the ultimatum is ignored, then war upon China."

Germany apparently proposes to go to war with the Chinese empire unless the Boxer leaders are punished in advance of the peace negotiations. This "high official of the Government," who outlines our policy, declares that the United States is expected to give China after the peace negotiations are concluded if the Boxer leaders are not dealt with according to their deserts. If this actually be the situation, there seems, so far as results may be concerned, little difference between German and American policy. Truly, our "peace loving" President has moved a long way since March 4, 1897.

Senator Hanna has formulated the charges that Mr. Bryan has promised his cabinet places in the event of an election. Mr. Bryan has denied this and the only interest that remains in the subject concerns itself with Mr. Hanna's check in charging it. Anyone might suppose from this that it was Senator Hanna but some other man who promised everything four years ago, especially in the South, where the Republican leaders were consulted, and where they apportioned the Federal offices among themselves even before McKinley was nominated. Nearly everything of value in the way of Federal offices was mortgaged by Hanna long before he was able to deliver the goods. Without this, McKinley would never have been elected.

No one here justifies the attack on Colonel Roosevelt in Colorado, but it is at least true that it was no worse than Col. Roosevelt's attack on the men who attacked him. "Democrats," he shouted at St. Paul, "stand for lawlessness and disorder, for dishonesty and dishonor, for license at home and for cowardly shrinking from duty abroad." And he expected the men to stand by him. "None of the white regulars of Rough Riders showed the slightest sign of weakening, but under the strain the colored infantrymen (who had none of their officers) began to get a little shaky," Col. Roosevelt wrote.

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A very cunning scheme of Senator Hanna's to prevent the drummers of the country from casting their immense influence for Bryan this fall, has been discovered. Through his instrumentality, all the big trusts—which he says do not exist—have been induced to send letters to all drummers whose addresses they can learn, asking them whether they can accept a good job "in case McKinley is elected." Mr. Hanna suggested, it is said, that the trusts could so couch their letters that they would bind them to nothing, and would yet probably induce some of the drummers who were thrown out of work by trust consolidations to vote for and support McKinley in the hope of getting work. A somewhat similar plan was tried in 1896 and succeeded—whether it will succeed this year is a question.

The Democratic managers here are daily growing more confident that they will control the next House of Representatives. In fact, they will scarcely discuss the subject any longer, feeling that success is so certain that nothing short of a cataclysm can reverse it. Their confidence is based upon an intimate acquaintance with the condition in the Congressional districts. It is virtually assumed that they will gain two members in Kentucky, one in Missouri, three in North Carolina, one in Alabama, one in Texas, one in Iowa, possibly two in Illinois, and the same number in Indiana. They may lose two in Massachusetts, one in Pennsylvania, and possibly one each in Nebraska and Kansas. In this estimate, Populists are dealt with as Democrats. The gains here claimed are realized, it is certain, that the Democrats will have a safe working majority in the House of the Fifty-seventh Congress. Further, although not much is being said about it, even the Republicans admit that they probably will not have a solid delegation from Iowa in the next Congress.

Notice to Democrats.

The National Democratic Executive Committee has called for contributions to aid in carrying on the campaign for the election of Bryan and Stevenson. The Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee has issued a circular letter asking the County Chairmen to obtain contributions to the National Campaign fund.

Let every member of the County Democratic Executive Committee solicit contributions and send to me, and I will send to the State Chairman to be remitted to the National Committee. The time is short. Whatever is done must be done quickly. Shall we hesitate to lend a helping hand to preserve the government of our fathers?

J. E. BRAZEALE, Chm. Co. Dem. Ex. Com.

Negroes Overawed by the Militiamen.

GEORGETOWN, Oct. 1.—The Georgetown race riot does not materialize, at least it looks so up to midnight. The trouble arose Saturday evening when J. C. Scurry, a deputy sheriff, went into a barber shop to collect delinquent taxes from a negro barber, John Brownfield. A dispute arose and words were given. In the scuffle, a revolver followed Scurry's pistol dropped from his pocket and was snatched up by the negro, (Brownfield), who, in rapid succession, fired five shots at Scurry, each taking effect in some part of his body. The negro then fled. He was captured by a policeman and placed in jail. Scurry died at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Excitement ran high, for it was considered cold-blooded murder. The coroner's jury was composed of white men.

A rumor was circulated among the negroes that the white men during the night would ring the fire bell, and when the negroes would rush to their arms the door would be closed and the jail, take Brownfield out and lynch him. This is exactly what the negroes did themselves about 7:30, and before the bell was through ringing, by arrangement, between 800 and 1,000 negroes gathered around the jail with guns and rifles to protect, as they said, the negro from being lynched. The ringing of the fire bell was accompanied by screams and yells from the negro women and children.

Mayor W. D. Morgan, Sheriff Skinner and others went to the jail and tried to persuade them to disperse, but they told them flatly that they would not. Capt. S. M. Ward, of the Georgetown Rifles, called out his company, and they have been under arms ever since.

About two o'clock this morning the negroes left the jail but freely threatened to burn the town. Then it was that Major Morgan wired Gov. McSweeney for military help.

A number of negroes were in town to-day but no outward demonstration was made. Company H of Sumter, under command of Capt. H. Frank Wilson, in response to a telegram from Gov. McSweeney, called out his company, and in 35 minutes 37 men were at the depot and boarded the train for Georgetown. They arrived at 6:30 and were met by the Georgetown Rifles and escorted to the armory, where refreshments are now being served. A special from Charleston bearing 180 men with Gatling and Hockiss guns, in addition to other arms, left Charleston at 8:40. At 1:03 a. m. only a few negroes are to be seen on the streets and everything is apparently as quiet as a May morning. Some arrests will be made to-morrow, but this will not create any disturbances, for the negroes seem overawed by the presence of the militiamen.

Early this morning Mr. Josiah Doar was shot through the leg by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of a militiaman. He may lose his leg. —Special to the State.

A Letter About Your Orphans.

DEAR FRIEND: We need immediate aid for your orphans at the Thornwell Orphanage.

Think of it—a family of two hundred and absolutely no present provision for them—and this family is made up of your little orphaned brothers and sisters.

They are looking to you for their bread to-day, to-morrow and the next day—for all the winter clothing, and it takes thousands of yards—that must be bought—for the fuel that will warm them and the books that they must study.

We will be at great expense, as you see, to get ready for the winter, while every day demands a hundred-weight of flour and other things that go with it.

Do you complain that we did not tell you this sooner? Well, we are to blame for it—for we waited and waited. There were the starving Hindoos to help, and poor devastated Galveston to aid—and there were our Chinese missionaries to relieve. We could not speak till this was done. Now, dear friend, it is our time. Help us quickly, in dimes or dollars, sacks or barrels just as you can afford it.

Our little people are well and happy, and all are at school. They haven't the remotest idea they are near an empty table and a cheerless winter. They think that God will send them their dinner, as He did Elijah. Shall they be wakened to find that the angel has forgotten. Dear friend, you are the angel.

Send your gifts to Rev. Wm. P. Jacobs, Clinton, S. C.

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The Woman's Missionary Rally.

WILLIAMSTON, S. C., Sept. 29.

MR. EDITOR: The Woman's Missionary Societies of the Second Union of the Saluda Baptist Association held a missionary rally in the Williamston Baptist Church on Friday, Sept. 21. Representatives from the different Societies came with their contributions for the box to be sent to Rev. J. W. Barker in the Statesville. Mr. Barker is one of 871 missionaries of the Home Board of Southern Baptist Convention. The contributions amount to more than \$100. The meeting was addressed by Rev. L. M. Roper, pastor of the first Baptist Church of Spartanburg, S. C. Mr. Roper is young, handsome, fluent, scholarly, and withal a man of great faith and earnestness. The pastor of the Williamston Church conducted the preliminary exercises, and read the Saviour's dialogue with Peter (John 21:15-19). This Scripture furnished the text for Mr. Roper's address.

He said in part: There are two words used in this dialogue which mean to love. Jesus uses the stronger word, which means to love devotedly. He says, "Simon, son of Jonas, do you love me more devotedly than these others do?" Simon takes the weaker word and says, "Yea, Lord, thou knowest that I love thee." He says to him, "feed my lambs." He says to him the second time: "Simon, are you devoted to me?" He says to him, "Yea, Lord, thou knowest that I love thee." He says to him: "Shepherd my sheep." He says to him the third time: "Simon, son of Jonas, do you love me?" Peter was grieved because he said to him the third time, "do you love me." And he said to him: "Lord, thou knowest all things, thou knowest that I love thee." Jesus says to him: "Feed my sheep."

Mr. Roper continued: The first question Jesus would have settled is whether or not the disciple loved him. Every Christian ought to know whether he loves Jesus. Our fathers used to sometimes sing:

"This a point I long to know,
Oft it causes anxious thought,
Do I love the Lord or no;
Am I his or am I not?"

I do not like this song. There should be no doubt about this question. Do you not know whether you love your neighbor? It would conduce to domestic felicity for a husband to be singing, "This a point I long to know,
Oft it causes anxious thought,
Do I love my wife or no?
Am I her or am I not?"

Our fathers used to sing the strength of our love for the Lord as the fruit of it. Do we love him at all! Jesus has no work for the unloving professor. There must first be love, and on the strength of this Jesus issues his command to his disciples, shepherd my sheep, feed my sheep. Jesus has sheep already in the fold; but there are other sheep yet to be sought and gathered in. These sheep are hungry, sick and helpless. If you love him feed them.

It was in prayer that the Holy Spirit to open our hearts to liberal giving. If we pray earnestly we will give liberally. When I was pastor of the First Baptist Church in Canton, Ohio, there came a lady there to ask us to give in support for foreign missions. I told her I thought the time inopportune. Our Church was in debt, and we were making a special effort to raise a large endowment fund for Denison University, and besides we had never given much for foreign missions. But she, my wife and myself read the Scriptures and prayed over the matter. And we all felt that it could be done, and that we should never give half as much for foreign missions. My faith revived. I began to doubt the success of the undertaking. But my friends asked me to read Jer. 33:3. I read, "Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things which thou knowest not." My faith revived. The plea was made and subscription cards distributed, and the congregation bowed in silent prayer, then an audible prayer was made and the collection was taken. The amount collected that morning was over \$500, and at the evening service it was increased to \$538. And our general contribution was increased. I have had a similar experience in Spartanburg with even greater results. Let us love, pray and give.

Mr. Roper's address cannot be reproduced on paper at all, and this effort several days after, and that without notes, does his address but scant justice.

After the address a sumptuous picnic dinner was served by the women of Williamston in the Spring Park to friends and visitors. The occasion was a delightful one, and we hope that many good souls have received from the expensive box, which was packed after dinner.

Mrs. Jesse McAdams, of the Fork, came down to the Union Meeting.

Miss Ella Townsend, who has been spending awhile at Landonia, Ga., visiting her sister, has returned home.

Mr. W. P. Hall, formerly of this place but now of Greenville, came down last week and took his little daughter back with him.

The members of Rocky River Church will elect their pastor for the ensuing year on their next meeting day.

Mr. Bas. Taylor has rented J. J. Gailey's gin.

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For Infants and Children.

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Bears the Signature of *Wm. W. Parke, Jr.*

STATE NEWS.

Clinton has a real case of small pox, brought there from North Carolina.

Three storerooms, with all their contents, were destroyed by fire at Troy last Friday night.

Miss Sarah Thomas, an aged lady of Allendale, while standing on the doorsteps fell, breaking her neck.

The South Carolina college has 190 students enrolled, the largest number present at the opening for years.

This season's rice crop in South Carolina promises to be an unusually profitable one for both planters and dealers.

The Synod of the Presbyterian Church of South Carolina will meet in annual session at Florence on Tuesday, 23rd inst.

The freight depot of the Southern at Winnsboro with all its contents was burned one night last week. The loss will be about \$15,000.

Specimens of your finest grains, vegetables, finely bred stock, including poultry, should be shown at the State Fair, Oct. 29th to Nov. 2nd.

The managers of the State Fair propose to hold a military encampment in Columbia Fair week. General Floyd will have tents enough for the militia.

The safe cracker has visited Spartanburg and made an attempt to enter a safe. This makes the second attempt to enter safes in Spartanburg in the last two months.

The State Agricultural Society will pay freight on all exhibits raised in the State and sent to the Fair at Columbia released. Take advantage of this and send something to the Fair.

The Mormon missionaries are still at work in Fairfield county near the Kershaw line, where their house of worship was burned a year ago. They say they have 50 elders at work in this State.

Greenville is soon to have a first-class opera house. The foundation has been laid, and the superstructure is steadily going up. It will be a neat and commodious building when completed.

The Newberry Observer thinks that there is a prospect that those who have for years been pegging away at what is known as the three C's Railroad through Saluda, Newberry, and Edgefield may yet be rewarded.

Col. Jas. A. Hoyt, Jr., aid de camp to Gov. McSweeney, has resigned his position on the Governor's staff. Very complimentary letters passed between him and the Governor, and there are no ill feelings as a result of the election.

In Charleston a negro's leg was amputated while the negro was perfectly conscious and yet the negro felt no pain. This was accomplished by injecting cocaine into the spinal column between the fourth and fifth lumbar vertebrae.

Another tragedy occurred in Greenville a few days ago in which the victim was Mattie Lindley and the slayer Duff White. Both parties in the drama were colored, and the origin of the trouble seems to have been the angry jealousy of the victim.

In Georgetown recently a gentleman shipped 200,000 rice birds to the northern markets. They were captured, picked and cleaned by laborers on the rice plantations, one man alone receiving \$85 for his lot of birds. They bring fancy prices in the north.

A lively race for the position of clerk of the House of Representatives is opening. Clerk T. G. Hamer has announced his candidacy for re-election. Gen. Walter Clark, who was for several years the clerk, will oppose Mr. Hamer, and Mr. Haynes of Newberry will also be in the race.

Florence has just experienced another destructive conflagration. Last Tuesday night a fire broke out in that town, which gained headway rapidly. Three brick store houses, a frame ware house and a residence were burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at from \$12,000 to \$15,000.

In Spartanburg County Joe Watts, a grown white man, and his younger brother, Tom Watts, decided to take a hunt, Joe carrying a shot gun. They went through the pasture on a plantation and while Joe was crossing a wire fence the gun was discharged, the load of shot taking effect in the side of the boy, Tom Watts, who died in a few minutes.

A negro preacher was shot and seriously wounded in his own pulpit in his Church in Newberry County a few nights ago. The congregation had been in a big row a few nights preceding the shooting, and the preacher was told by some of the congregation that if he attempted to preach there again they would kill him. Ten negroes have been arrested.

From the mountains of Greenville county comes the news that a giant has fallen. A water oak known to have been over eighty years old, and said to be the largest tree in the State, perhaps in this part of the South, split into three parts and came to the ground, one part completely demolishing a house in which a family lived, but the loud reports of splitting wood aroused them in time to escape before it fell.

At the base the oak was thirty-three feet in circumference and at midday shaded a quarter of an acre of ground. At city prices its value for firewood is \$52.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

Richard Croker is said to have wagered \$100,000 on Bryan.

The pecan crop of Texas promises to be the largest known in many years.

The dog population of Chicago is 40,206. The license of these is \$80,592.

Governor Sayers estimates the dead in Texas as a result of the storm at 12,000.

It will take 20,000 men, working every day three months, to clean up Galveston's streets.

Nashville, Tenn., is dissatisfied with the census returns, and is to take a recount at its own expense.

The total increase in the value of the farm animals of the United States in the last three years was \$70,000,000.

Life insurance experts estimate that New York companies will have to pay out for loss of life in Galveston about \$10,000,000.

Cotton may no longer be king, but it is still a princely product. Our exports of unmanufactured cotton last year amounted to more than \$240,000,000.

Dr. Hunter H. McGuire, who was the physician of Stonewall Jackson, died on September 20th at his home in Richmond in the 64th year of his age.

It is estimated that three million dollars will be needed to carry the sufferers of Galveston and other Texas towns until they can take care of themselves.

The United States treasury will issue a number of bills of small denomination, for there is general complaint all over the country about the shortage of change.

The late census proves that the United States contains a greater number of cities with a population of over 1,000,000 inhabitants than any other country except China.

There have been further riots reported near Canton, China. The Presbyterian churches at She Klung have been destroyed. The Catholic convents have been looted and the Catholic missions burned.

The epidemic of cholera in India is carrying off natives at the rate of 3,000 per week. The trouble is due to pollution of the scanty water supply during the famine. It is much worse than the bubonic plague.

Mr. Richard Croker says the democrats will carry the city of New York by 100,000 majority. If he can make his word good, and it is believed he can, the electoral vote of New York will be cast for Bryan and Stevenson.

In the Cuban elections the revolutionary delegates will have a majority in the constitutional convention, and will doubtless favor an immediate and absolute independence without the intervention of a protectorate by the United States.

What is said to be most densely populated patch of ground on earth is the block between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets and Tenth and Eleventh avenues, in New York, which contains 6,888 people, not counting those that got away when the census man hove in sight.

The vegetarians of the country are planning a colony in the South, where they can live by their own rules and compel everybody in the colony to abide by these laws. The president of the Vegetarian Society of America, the Rev. S. H. Chubb, of Philadelphia, is now in the South looking for a suitable location.

An order has been issued to the post-masters throughout the country to observe the strictest economy with rubber bands and to reuse old bands as much as possible, and to save all pieces of string for future use. The famine in India and the war in the Philippines have advanced the price of both these articles.

Texas has just been visited with another calamity. Unprecedented floods are reported from various points south of Austin. Some of the rivers are higher than ever before known, and the crops on the low lands have been utterly ruined. The cotton crop has been seriously damaged and a large number of cattle have drowned in the floods.

The Chicago News says: "Nearly 2,000 prehistoric skeletons were discovered in Galveston just previous to the great storm which wrecked the city. Apparently a city in prehistoric times was engulfed on the spot on which Galveston stands—a fact which at least shows the Galvestonians of today fared somewhat better than their predecessors."

James B. Howard, who has been on trial for several days at Frankfort, Ky., charged with the murder of Governor Goebel, was found guilty, the jury, after a number of ballots were taken, fixing his punishment at death. The first ballot was unanimous as to guilt, but the disagreement was as to the degree of punishment, ten of the jury voting for the death penalty and two for life imprisonment.

During the night of Galveston's awful flood a roof to which a man, his wife and two children were clinging, was swept into the raging waters. One child was six years of age; the other four. Under the fury of the storm the structure separated and husband and wife were swept apart. When the break occurred the four-year-old baby rolled into the water. Next day this child was rescued. It had fallen upon a table and clung to this slight support throughout the night.