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NUGGETS OF GOLD

FROM EVERY QUARTER OF THE GLOBE.

The Latest Intelligence Received by Wire From Distant Lands and at Home—The Cream of the News Gathered from All Quarters of the World.

THE SENATE ADOPTS RECIPROCITY.

Mr. Aldrich's Amendment Agreed To by a Vote of 37 to 28.

AFTER a debate that has lasted practically without intermission since July 22 the tariff bill was read a third time in the Senate on the 9th inst., and is now ready for its passage. The Senate met at 10 o'clock, and resumed consideration of the tariff bill. A number of amendments were proposed and rejected, after which Mr. Aldrich moved to insert a proviso that imported merchandise deposited in any public or private bonded warehouse prior to Aug. 1, 1890, may be withdrawn for consumption at any time prior to Nov. 1, 1890, on payment of the duties in force prior to the passage of the act. Agreed to—yeas, 32; nays, 27. Mr. Aldrich's amendment authorizing the President to remit under certain conditions taxes on sugars, molasses, coffee, and tea imported from countries where duties are abolished on the principal agricultural products of the United States was adopted—yeas, 37; nays, 28. All the Democrats and two Republicans (Edmunds and Evans) voted against the reciprocity amendment. The next vote was on the amendment to paragraph 703, lowering the sugar standard to be admitted free of duty from 16 to 10, 13. It was agreed to—yeas, 39; nays, 24. The bill was then reported to the Senate and all the amendments that had been adopted in committee of the whole were agreed to in the Senate except those on which separate votes were demanded. The first of these was Mr. Plumb's amendment for a customs commission, on which Mr. Gorman demanded a separate vote. The amendment was agreed to—yeas, 31; nays, 26. The commission is to be composed of five disinterested persons, to be appointed by the President by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. The commissioners are to continue in office six years, but any of them may be removed by the President for inefficiency, neglect of duty, or malfeasance in office. No more than three of them are to be appointed from the same political party. By a vote of 38 to 25—a strict party vote—the Senate ordered the tariff bill to a third reading and engrossment. The bill was ordered printed, with the amendments, and the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. The House wasted the day in an ineffectual attempt to call up the Virginia election case of Langston against Venable.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

How the Clubs in the Base-Ball League Stand.

Players.	W.	L.	P.	National.	W.	L.	P.
Boston	72	42	631	Brooklyn	77	40	658
New York	68	48	596	Boston	72	44	620
Brooklyn	70	50	593	Philadelphia	70	46	603
Chicago	63	58	585	Chicago	68	52	571
Philadelphia	62	55	529	Cincinnati	65	47	560
Pittsburgh	60	45	514	New York	56	62	474
Cleveland	44	66	377	Cincinnati	57	41	419
Baltimore	30	81	370	Pittsburgh	50	59	372

CONFIRMED BY THE SENATE.

A Batch of Presidential Nominations Agreed To.

The Senate has confirmed the following nominations: John H. B. Amick, special examiner of drugs at Philadelphia; George L. Dobson, of Norfolk, Iowa, register of land office at Buffalo, Oklahoma; W. T. Walker, of Harper, Kan., receiver of public moneys at Buffalo, Oklahoma; Thomas P. Hawley, United States judge for the district of Nevada; John W. Ross, a commissioner of the district of Columbia. Col. John G. Coffey, John Goffin, of Cherrytown, Pa.; James Brady, Jr., of Fall River, Mass.; William E. Blunt, Boston and Charlestown, Mass.

Among the recent Congressional nominations are the following:

For the Twenty-third Pennsylvania District, the Hon. W. A. Stone, Republican; for the Sixth Pennsylvania District, John B. Robinson, Republican; for the Fifth Indiana District, Major Dunbar, Union Labor; for the Sixth Wisconsin District, Charles B. Clark, Republican; for the Fourth Iowa District, Walter H. Butler, Democrat; for the Third Kansas District, the Hon. B. W. Perkins, Republican; for the Eighth Michigan District, A. T. Bliss, Republican.

Big Blaze at Ogdensburg, N. Y.

An Ogdensburg (N. Y.) dispatch says: A fire broke out in No. 10 elevator, owned by the Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain Railroad, and was soon entirely beyond control. The elevator was full of corn and oats, about 450,000 bushels, all of which was destroyed. The loss on building and contents is estimated at \$500,000. On the building there was an insurance of about \$150,000. The grain was well insured.

Regular Dividends Declared.

The directors of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. The Executive Committee of the Western Union Telegraph Company recommended that the directors declare the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 per cent.

Francis Murphy Wedded.

Francis Murphy, the temperance advocate, and Mrs. Rebecca Fisher, President of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Council Bluffs, were married in Rock Island, Ill., at the residence of the bride's father, J. R. Johnston. Mrs. Murphy is a handsome woman, many years her husband's junior. She will henceforth aid him in his work.

Another Failure at Boston.

William Bloom & Co., dealers in woollens 51 Chaucery street, Boston, have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors to Henry A. Gowing, of Gowing, Sawyer & Co. Their liabilities are stated to be \$200,000 and assets nominally \$80,000.

Minnesota Democratic Ticket.

The Minnesota Democratic Convention at St. Paul nominated the following ticket: Governor, Thomas Wilson; Lieutenant Governor, E. G. Pahl; Secretary of State, A. T. Lindholm; Auditor, Adolph Bierman; Treasurer, Charles M. Foote; Attorney General, David T. Cullison; Clerk of Supreme Court, T. F. O'Hare.

The Dual Sight Retained.

The World's Fair Directory met at Chicago and on the first formal ballot unanimously reaffirmed its original choice of the combined Lake Front-Jackson Park site as the location for the Exposition.

FIVE KILLED, THIRTY-EVEN HURT.

Fearful Result of a Rear-End Collision in Colorado.

The most serious accident which has happened on the Rio Grande Railway for years occurred four miles east of Florence, Col. Sections 1 and 2 of freight 61 left Pueblo at 3 o'clock for the West. The first section had attached a passenger coach loaded with forty-seven laborers. The first section had either stopped in the cut near Florence or had greatly reduced speed when the second section, the engineer of which was pre-occupied with the head of the cut, came to a full stop. The passenger coach, throwing the debris and the men, would not stop, and the passenger coach was a few feet away. Two loaded freight-cars ahead of the coach were derailed and completely wrecked. Of the 47 men known to have been sleeping on the car 5 were killed instantly and 37 wounded. The names of the dead are: H. L. Winters, Idaho Springs, Col.; Jonathan Falks, Pueblo; A. M. Meyer, Pueblo; James Donovan, Pueblo; C. B. Williams, Leadville. It is not yet known who was responsible for the accident, and an investigation will be made at once. The damage to the company's property will be in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

A Surveyor of Customs and Members of a Commission Announced.

A dispatch from Crescen Springs, Pa., announces that the President has sent a budget to Washington containing the nomination of Mr. Charles Scoville, of Indiana, as Surveyor of Customs for the Port of Evansville, Ind. He has also issued an executive order in pursuance of a section of the national appropriation bill providing for the appointment of a commission to select a suitable site for a dry-dock on the Pacific coast north of the northern boundary of California. The members of the commission are: Capt. T. O. Selfridge, United States navy, President; Col. George H. Mendell, Corps of Engineers, United States army; the Hon. Thomas C. Platt of New York, the Hon. Richard W. Thompson of Indiana, and Lieut. Andrew R. Wyckoff, United States navy.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

The Situation Throughout the Country is Good.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review says: Another large failure—that of Sawyer, Wallace & Co.—comes at a time when the effects of the Potter-Lovell failure at Boston prove more disturbing than was expected. The prospect of speedy action on the tariff bill in the Senate, and considerably better sales by clothing dealers, have made the wool manufacturers more hopeful, and purchases of wool are larger. At Boston reaching \$1,000,000 pounds. The dry-goods trade is decidedly larger than last year. The accounts of trade from most parts of the country are encouraging this week. At Boston the money market is pretty stiff, which affects some trades; leather is more quiet and hides firmer. Chicago reports smaller receipts of grain than last year, except of barley; a decrease of half in dressed beef, because of the Stock Yards strike; and a large decrease in butter; but an increase of 30 per cent. in cured meats, 30 per cent. in lard, and a heavy increase in cheese and wool, while sales of merchandise, and especially dry goods, must exceed last year's.

THEY THREATEN MIZNER.

The Citizens of Guatemala Incensed at Our Representative.

A Guatemala dispatch to the authorities at Washington says: "Death to Yankees" was the cry of an angry and excited mob that surrounded the United States Legation to-day. Threats of stoning the building and mobbing the inmates were freely uttered, but no overt act was committed in the face of the strong force of police that guards the premises day and night. Every visitor is closely questioned before being admitted to the offices, and is more or less under surveillance while inside. Whenever Mr. Mizner has occasion to leave the Legation he is surrounded by a bodyguard of armed police. Rumor has it that these are to be superseded by blue jackets from the Thetis, who are also to form a cordon of safety about the Legation. Sympathy grows for Gen. Barrios, the Guatemalan, who is kept a prisoner for her attempt upon Mr. Mizner's life.

A SUDDEN SUMMONS.

A Premature Explosion Results in the Death of Sixteen Workmen.

A Spokane Falls (Wash.) dispatch says: A premature blast killed sixteen men and possibly more. The full extent of the disaster is unknown at the time of this writing. It was just before the hour of quitting work, and a large force of men were engaged in the task of blasting out a huge rock pile in the Northern Pacific freight yards in the eastern part of that city. From fifty to seventy-five men were at work in a cut at the time. Fifteen have been taken out dead, a number are injured, and a still others have come out alive. One blast had been prepared, and in putting it in it exploded. The first blast, twenty-five thousand cubic feet of rock was thrown over a wall of the unsuspecting mass of humanity, with terrible results.

TO INVESTIGATE THE WIND.

What Causes the Hot Blasts that Sweep Over Kansas.

Some time ago Senator Plumb brought to the attention of the Signal Service Bureau the phenomenon of the hot winds that occasionally sweep over Kansas, destroying or damaging the vegetation. They occur irregularly, and the theories of their origin are many and diverse. This year the winds extended into Iowa, Nebraska, and Dakota. Senator Plumb has been advised by Gen. Greely, Chief of the Signal Service, that an investigation into the causes which produce the winds would be made, and an effort made to ascertain whether or not the disastrous effects of their presence can be averted.

PURCHASES OF SILVER.

How Secretary Windom Will Interpret the New Law.

Secretary Windom and the Director of the Mint have had a consultation in regard to the new silver law, one result of which was a decision that the department will purchase 4,500,000 ounces each month, reckoning from Aug. 13, the date when the law took effect. It was suggested that the department purchase 54,000,000 ounces a year, and merely average the monthly purchases. But this plan was thought to be open to objection, and it was decided to adhere strictly to the letter of the law.

SIX MORE DUELS IN PROSPECT.

M. Mermex Gains a Victory in the First of His Seven Duels.

M. Mermex, who was recently assaulted by friends of Gen. Boulanger because he published alleged revelations concerning the General, has fought one of the seven duels which he has on his hands. Labruyer, who was Mermex's adversary, was slightly wounded.

TO PROTECT AMERICAN INTERESTS.

A United States War Ship Ordered to Aspinwall.

Orders have been issued by the Navy Department for the United States steamer

Kearsarge, now at New York, to proceed at once to Aspinwall. It is supposed that this action is based upon rumors of a threatened railroad strike at that place. Information to that effect has been received at the State Department from Consul General Adamson at Panama. The latter said he heard the rumors through the Consul at Aspinwall, and that he had requested the Colombian authorities to protect American interests in the event of trouble, and had been assured that it would be done.

FATAL HURRICANE IN ITALY.

Twenty-two Lives Lost in the Zolda Valley.

A fatally destructive hurricane in the north of Italy did much damage at Belluno and destroyed bridges and houses in the Zolda Valley. Twenty-two bodies have already been recovered from the debris of ruined buildings, and it is feared that the remains of other victims of the storm still lie buried under the ruins of dwellings.

Took the Girl Away from Him.

Frank Glen of Hildreth, Neb., some days ago secured the company of Miss Loer to attend a party. While on the way to the party the couple met William Young, who requested of Glen that he be allowed a private conversation with the lady. The accommodating young fellow having given his consent, Young assisted the lady to alight and helped her into his own buggy with the request that Glen remain a few moments where he was, while Young and the lady took a few moments' drive over the hill. Glen sat and held his horses until he became tired and then started in pursuit, only to find that Young and the girl had skipped to Kearney and got married.

Mrs. Tourgee Goes to Jail.

In the Supreme Court at Buffalo, N. Y., Judge Lewis affirmed the order for the imprisonment of Emma K. Tourgee for contempt of court in failing to appear before a referee in Jamestown to answer as to the financial relations existing between her husband, Judge Albion W. Tourgee, the author, and herself, thus disobeying the order of Judge Butts, of Chautauque County. Mrs. Tourgee was sentenced to pay \$35 fine and spend thirty-five days in jail. The prosecution, failing to discover any available funds, claimed that Tourgee turned over the receipts from his lectures and books to his wife.

Disasters of a Day.

In Philadelphia last week three women lost their lives in a fire. In New York a workman was burned to death at No. 227 East Fifty-sixth street, where a roofing gang were at work on a new building. A fire broke out in a rooming house at No. 340 West 12th street, and destroyed 1,000 houses and most of the public buildings. In Milwaukee, Kan., the center of the business section was destroyed, including the First National Bank and its vault, containing \$50,000 in currency. In Terre Haute, Ind., a fire occurred in the Riverside Wool Mills; loss, \$15,000. Several stables at the race track at that city also burned.

Death of Lillian Grubb.

Lillian Grubb, actress and singer, died at Fall River. She had been on the stage six or seven years. Mrs. Grubb was twice married, her second husband being David Hayman, the theatrical manager, who, with his brother, Albert Hayman, is proprietor of "The Grandstand." Her last appearance on the stage was in Baltimore in "The Gondoliers." After the company disbanded she retired from the stage and removed to her home, where she died.

Annual Statement of the Washab.

Following is the annual statement of the Washab Railway Company: Gross earnings, \$13,352,872.40; operating expenses, \$9,673,221.18; net earnings, \$3,679,651.22; received from rent of tracks, etc., \$272,434.51; total, \$3,952,085.73; taxes, rentals, etc., \$851,473.41; net revenue applicable to interest, \$3,100,612.32. Interest on bonds (including two dividends on debenture bonds) and rental of leased lines, \$2,862,820.82. Surplus, \$237,791.50.

Carried a Shot in His Brain for Years.

A post-mortem examination of James Massey, who died at Nebraska City, Neb., a few days ago, resulted in the finding of a large bullet in his brain. He applied for a pension twelve years ago, alleging that he was shot in the head at Fort Donelson and that his mental faculties had been impaired in consequence. His application was refused because no outward sign of the wound appeared.

Wants New Metal for Guns.

Herr Krupp, son of the great German manufacturer, recently visited the Sudbury nickel and copper mines, west of Ottawa, Ont., with a view to testing the quality and quantity of ore produced and its adaptability to the manufacture of a new gun metal. Nickel is employed very largely in the manufacture of this new metal, and if Herr Krupp's report is satisfactory it will mean a great deal for Sudbury.

Explosion of a Gas Tank.

One of the gas tanks at the pumping station of the Reading Railroad at Philadelphia exploded while being refilled. Charles Abbing was knocked down and received a scalp wound. A wrench which he had been using was hurled a distance of two squares and crashed through the back window of a grocery store. The concussion broke many windows in the neighborhood.

A Missing Witness.

It is reported that Miss Smith, of Eastwood, Ont., the principal witness in the Burchell murder case, has mysteriously disappeared, and detectives are searching for her. A cablegram announces that Col. Benwell, the father of the murdered man, is dying, and therefore will not give evidence at the trial. He was to have left England last week.

War's Expense Too Great.

Receiving a deputation of Kissinger veterans while en route to Homburg, Prince Bismarck said the inventions for making war were becoming more and more murderous. No indemnity could compensate for the misery and expense caused by the new methods of warfare; therefore, happily, every one thought well before beginning a war.

The Result of Carelessness.

At South Norwalk, Conn., the Boston express crashed into the commuters' train on the Danbury & Norwalk branch of the Housatonic Railroad and did considerable damage to the train, besides injuring some thirty or more of the passengers. The accident was seemingly the result of carelessness.

To Help the Needy.

The Oklahoma Council has passed a bill providing for the distribution of aid for those in a destitute condition. The capital question is still the all-absorbing topic. The bill for its removal has been reported back to the Council favorably and it will soon come up for passage.

A New York Failure.

Three concerns in New York run by Karelson Bros. were closed by the Sheriff. Liabilities, \$100,000.

Ticket Forgers Nabbed.

At Chicago two men were captured by detectives, charged with forging and counterfeiting \$1,500 worth of tickets of admission to the picnic given at Ogden's Grove by

the Trade and Labor Assembly of Chicago Sept. 1.

Severe Storms in West Virginia.

A Parkersburg (W. Va.) special says: A terrific rainstorm has visited this section, lasting forty-five hours. The streets were flooded and ran as rivers, doing great damage. Many cellars were flooded. In Ritchie County the storm was in the shape of a cloud-burst, raising small streams to torrents in a few minutes. In Jackson County the storm took the form of a cyclone, and along a path 400 feet wide swept everything before it.

Serious Charge Against the Knights.

Robert A. Pinkerton charges that the wrecking of the Montreal express on the New York Central was done at the instigation of one high in the councils of the Knights of Labor.

Ohio's Corn Crop.

A bulletin issued by the State Board of Agriculture at Columbus, Ohio, shows that the present condition of the corn crop in Ohio is only 54 per cent. of an average crop and that of potatoes 45 per cent.

A Price on Fifteen Lives.

Damage suits aggregating \$250,000 have been brought at Baltimore against the Bay Line and Colchester Steamboat Companies by relatives of the fifteen victims of the Louise-Virginia collision.

Survived Twice Remuner's Dose.

Herbert Burns, a San Francisco electrician, received a shock of 2,000 volts of electricity and was picked up for dead. He gradually regained consciousness, however, and will recover.

Diamond Smuggler Captured.

A young Englishman, a passenger on the steamer Tower Hill, from London, attempted to smuggle in \$20,000 worth of diamonds at New York, but was detected and the gems seized by the customs officers.

Strike of Freight Brakemen.

The freight brakemen and switchmen in the employ of the Toledo, Columbus & Cincinnati Railroad have gone out on a strike for an advance in wages from \$1.75 to \$2.

Too Much Work and Worry.

Adam Amalung, of the firm of A. & W. Amalung, hosiery manufacturers at Cincinnati, committed suicide by shooting. The cause was overwork and worry.

Killed by Lightning.

Near Doland, S. D., Peter Peterson was killed by lightning while standing on a haystack in which the bolt made a hole from top to bottom.

Twelve Thousand Houses Burned.

Fires broke out almost simultaneously in four different parts of Salonica, in Turkey, and destroyed 12,000 houses and most of the public buildings.

American Bankers' Association.

The annual convention of the American Bankers' Association is in session at Saratoga. A large number of the representative financial men of the country are present.

National Reform Party.

In St. Louis a convention composed of Labor Union men, Greenbackers and Prohibitionists, met for the purpose of organizing a National Reform party.

Dock Laborers Strike.

The dock laborers, coal porters, sailors and firemen at Southampton, England, have struck against the employment of non-union men.

A Kentucky Abolitionist Captured.

Hume Clay, of Paris, Ky., who absconded after forging the names of his father and grandfather to the extent of \$75,000, has been captured.

Nominated for Congress.

John L. Mitchell (Dem.) in the First Wisconsin District; P. C. Smith (Rep.) in the Fifth Tennessee District at Nashville.

Jews Leaving Russia.

During the last ten days 750 Jewish families have left Berditschev, Russia, for England, America and Australia.

Senator Farwell's Illness.

Senator Farwell has been very ill at Waukesha, Wis. Physicians pronounce him better, however.

Forty Thousand Are Homeless.

Forty thousand persons are made homeless by the overflowing of the Elbe and Danube Rivers.

A Negro Lynched.

Thomas Smith, a negro, was lynched at Poplar Bluff, Mo. He had broken the skull of a white man with a stone in a quarrel.

Tried to Wreck a Train.

An attempt was made to wreck the Chicago and St. Louis express on the New York Central near Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Railroad Offices Burned.

The Pennsylvania Railroad offices at Altoona, Pa., were destroyed by fire started by a flash of lightning.

Five Italians Killed.

Five Italians were killed and many injured near Canyon City, Col., by an express running into the rear of a derailed train.

Failed for Half a Million.

Hoxie & Mellor, extensive lumber dealer in Wisconsin, have failed for over \$500,000 with nominal assets of \$600,000.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Common to Prime	3.00 @ 5.25
Hogs—Shipping Grades	3.75 @ 4.75
SHEEP—Good	3.00 @ 5.00
CORN—No. 2	30 1/2 @ 31 1/2
OATS—No. 2	25 1/2 @ 26 1/2
RYE—No. 2	45 @ 46
BUTTER—Choice Creamery	21 @ 22
CHEESE—Full Cream, Nats.	10 1/2 @ 10 3/4
HOGS—Fresh	16 @ 17
PORK—No. 1	17 @ 18
INDIANAPOLIS.	
CATTLE—Shipping	3.00 @ 5.00
HOGS—Common to Prime	3.00 @ 4.50
SHEEP—Common to Prime	3.00 @ 4.75
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	97 @ 97 1/2
CORN—No. 2 White	51 @ 52
OATS—No. 2 White	37 @ 38
ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—	4.00 @ 5.00
HOGS—	4.00 @ 4.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	99 @ 99 1/2
CORN—No. 2	44 1/2 @ 45 1/2
OATS—No. 2	32 @ 33
RYE—No. 2	67 @ 68
CINCINNATI.	
CATTLE—	2.00 @ 4.00
HOGS—	4.00 @ 4.50
SHEEP—	3.00 @ 5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	99 @ 1.01
CORN—No. 2	45 @ 46 1/2
OATS—No. 2 Mixed	37 1/2 @ 38
MILWAUKEE.	
CORN—No. 3	35 @ 36
OATS—No. 2 Spring	40 @ 41 1/2
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	1.15 @ 1.21
CORN—No. 2	51 @ 51 1/2
BARLEY—No. 2	64 @ 65
DETROIT.	
CATTLE—	3.00 @ 4.50
HOGS—	4.00 @ 4.50
SHEEP—	3.00 @ 4.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	97 @ 98
CORN—No. 2 White	45 1/2 @ 46 1/2
OATS—No. 2 White	37 @ 38
TOLEDO.	
CATTLE—	3.00 @ 4.50
HOGS—	4.00 @ 4.50
SHEEP—	3.00 @ 4.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	97 @ 98
CORN—No. 2	45 @ 46 1/2
OATS—Mixed Western	35 @ 36

FIGURES FROM MAINE.

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET GETS A LARGE MAJORITY.

Speaker Reed's Re-election by an Increased Vote—The Estimated Plurality of the Republican Ticket Approximately 19,000—Figures from the Towns—The Successful Ticket.

Governor	EDWIN C. BURLEIGH
CONGRESSMEN.	
First District	THOMAS B. REED
Second District	NELSON DINGLEY
Third District	SETH L. MILLIKEN
Fourth District	CHARLES A. BOUTELLE

Portland (Me.) dispatch: Gov. Burleigh and the four Republican Congressmen, including Speaker Reed, are elected by majorities larger than were expected. Mr. Reed's majority will be almost double that of 1888, and the vote cast all over the State was much larger than the Republicans had even hoped for.

In this city four Republican legislators and one Democrat are elected—the latter on account of local dissatisfaction. There is great enthusiasm in the city among the Republicans over the result of Reed's election, and a big meeting was held in City Hall, with an address by Reed, under the auspices of the Young Men's Republican Club.

Chairman Manley of the Republican State committee sent at midnight the following dispatch to President Harrison:

"Maine gives the largest Republican majority thrown in an off year since 1886 and a larger majority than given in a presidential contest since