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BRIEF CITY NEWS.

Mrs. Eugene Schmalz has gone to Chicago to visit relatives. Finis and Clarence Fleigh were the guests of Hyde Valley friends Friday.

LABOR DAY.

Preparations Under Way to Make Great Demonstration.

Preparations are already under way for the observation of labor day and it is proposed to make this year's celebration of the day the greatest yet held in St. Joseph.

GOOD SPORT AT LAKE.

Track in Fine Shape and Crowd Saw Good Races.

A good track and well filled races afforded an afternoon of fine sport at the Lake Contry track last Saturday afternoon.

BASE BALL NOTES.

The trouble about rejuvenation of the booster brand is that it don't seem to last. Ain't much use to talk about the Jobbers crawling up as long as a bunch like Colorado Springs can do such things as they did yesterday.

The Journal base ball bunch is proud today that Slater was ten days ago. Jake Putter can tell you why.

The J. S. Brittain Dry Goods company team defeated the Swift & Co., squad Saturday afternoon on the Morris diamond by a score of 16 to 2.

The South Parks yesterday defeated the Tenth Street Sluggers by a score of 6 to 1. The feature of the game was a triple play by the South Parks.

Putter's Palace team defeated the Skeeterville team yesterday morning on the Morris grounds by a score of 10 to 6.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table showing standings for various baseball clubs like Sioux City, Denver, Des Moines, etc.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.

Burglary circles were in circulation in south end circles again last night. The Hickey boarding house at Lake and Michigan streets was entered.

HIKE FOR HOME.

Curfew whistle is going to toot hereafter, and rising statesmen and coming society buds must hike for home and get their little pink toes between the sheets when the whistle blows.

CREATED CURIOSITY.

A brace of policemen were seen down on Lake street south of Michigan the other day and their presence created more neighborhood curiosity than would the coming of a circus.

MEET TONIGHT.

A meeting of the South St. Joseph Business Men's club will be held this evening and the matter of giving a bonus to the firm of Davis & Gould, which is now moving its mill from Wathena to the south end, will be taken up.

MOVEMENTS OF THE ARMIES.

Oyama is Gradually Closing in on the Russian Position in Manchuria.

Tokio, June 19.—The following report has been received from the Manchurian armies:

"In the Welyuanpomen district at nine o'clock on the morning of June 16, 800 of the enemy's cavalry advanced against Kuyushu, but were repulsed.

"In the Chamotu district our advanced force, after driving out the enemy stationed at Sumiencheng, occupied that village.

"In the Tasiamotun district our detachment, after dislodging the enemy's cavalry at Souhatzu, eight miles west of Sumiencheng, occupied that village.

"In the Kangpu district at one o'clock on the morning of June 16 our center column, after routing the enemy's cavalry outposts at Tienchiawopeng, 16 miles northeast of Kangning, and continuing a vigorous pursuit, attacked the enemy's position at the southern end of Liaoyangwopeng and to the eastward, between 4 and 8:30 o'clock and 9 o'clock we completely occupied Liaoyangwopeng.

"Our right column, after driving the enemy's cavalry before it, occupied Lochuapou, nine miles east of Liaoyangwopeng. This column again shelled the enemy's cavalry retreating to the northward, inflicting heavy injury. The enemy was finally thrown into great confusion.

"The left column poured a fierce fire upon a thousand of the enemy's cavalry retreating to the northward of Liaoyangwopeng and inflicting heavy damage.

"According to prisoners, 5,000 cavalry, with 20 guns, forming part of Lieut. Gen. Mischeako's army, occupied Liaoyangwopeng. The main force retreated northward and parts of it to the northward and northeastward in disorder.

"Our casualties were 39 killed and 185 wounded. The number of the enemy's casualties is not certain. His dead lie in front of the center column numbered 89 and therefore the total Russian losses in all directions seems to be great."

WILL NOT BE CHIEF JUSTICE.

Secretary Taft Denies That He is to Succeed Fuller as Chief Justice.

Washington, June 19.—Secretary of War Taft has emphatically put an end to reports that he would succeed Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller, of Chicago, on the bench of the supreme court.

PIPE LINE TO GULF.

Four Large Operators Dispose of Their Holdings to the Company Promoting Pipe Line.

Tulsa, I. T., June 19.—At a meeting of promoters of an independent pipe line to be built from the Kansas territory field to Port Arthur, Tex., four of the largest companies in the territory filed signed contracts to dispose of their entire plants, leases and outputs of the wells.

Jews Would Go to Palestine.

Philadelphia, June 19.—The eighth annual convention of the Federation of American Zionists, which began its sessions here Sunday, decided that Palestine was the place for the colonization of the Jews.

Revol in Russia.

Revol, Russia, June 19.—A riot of 260 prisoners owing to alleged maltreatment broke out in the prison here Saturday night and was only quelled at three o'clock Sunday morning with the aid of troops from the garrison.

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SPECIAL JUNE PRICES

Table of special June prices for various household goods like Alaska Refrigerators, Alaska Ice Boxes, etc.

FURNITURE DEPARTMENT 20 Per Cent. Discount Sale. Reed Bookers, \$2.50 Up, etc.

Advertisement for Moore's Hog Remedy, featuring an illustration of a pig and text describing the product's benefits.

Advertisement for Shamrock Whiskey, featuring an illustration of a shamrock and text describing it as a medicinal product.

HORSE MARKET

The usual Monday quietness prevailed in the horse trade. In fact, local men are not looking for much stir this week until Friday, on which day the regular auction will be held.

A feature of the closing trade last week was the loading out of a three-year consignee of mules for the southern, eastern and western trade.

Prospective consignees to the auction of next Friday should particularly note that a horse or mule without a job; that is, animals that are not well classified and of good quality, will not meet with favor and gross stock should only be handled subject to declines of around \$10 per head compared with the last auction.

The following quotations are those current and available for horses and mules at private sale.

HORSE QUOTATIONS. Light horses, heavy draft, common to good, small chunks, farm chunks, 150 to 1500 lbs., southern horses, choice to extra, southern horses, plain to good, small plucks.

MULE QUOTATIONS. 14 hands, extreme range, 14 hands, bulk of sales, 14 1/2 hands, extreme range, 15 hands, extreme range, 15 1/2 hands, extreme range, 16 hands, extreme range, 18 hands, extreme range, 18 hands, bulk of sales.

MURDERED BY PIRATES.

Siberian Tsuan Attacked and 150 Inhabitants Killed—Everything of Value Carried Away. San Francisco, June 19.—News of a terrible massacre of 150 natives on the Siberian coast has been received here in a letter from Petropaulovski on the coast of Kamchatka.

About the streets of the settlement, writes Morozaviof, were strewn the bodies of 150 of the inhabitants, shot and cut to pieces by the pirates, who, under the pretense of friendship, had gained a landing on the coast.

St. Louis Union Rescinds Action. St. Louis, June 19.—The St. Louis Typographical union Sunday rescinded its action of June 8 accepting a contract calling for a nine-hour day and an advance of \$1.50 a week in wages for the union job printers, and by a declaration to abide by the ruling of the executive council of the International Typographical union.

Portland Wants Peace Conference. Portland, Ore., June 19.—Portland has applied for the privilege of holding the meetings of the plenipotentiaries representing Russia and Japan which are to be named to effect an end of the war.

A Million Acres for Zion. The City of Mexico, June 19.—Gladstone Dowle and Judge Barnes, of Chicago, will leave here Monday for Zion City, having practically completed the deal for the purchase of the Gonzales ranch in the state of Tamaulipas where a tropical Zion City is to be established. The tract comprises 1,000,000 acres.

Eighteen Killed in Wreck. Baltimore, June 19.—Eighteen persons were killed and many injured in a head-on collision Saturday on the Western Maryland railroad at Ransom station, 28 miles from Baltimore.

GRAVE ROBBERING

THE MAN DETECTED, BUT NOT APPREHENDED.

GRAVES ROBBED DAILY IN THE CITY.

Convincing Evidence Accumulating Every Hour—The People of St. Joseph Excited—Bobby Bold and Above Board—No Attempt to Conceal His Acts.

In all ages of the world, in all civilized countries, grave robbing has been, and is still looked upon as one of the most dastardly, diabolical and fiendish acts that a depraved and brutish man can commit.

Whenever a grave is despoiled, and some sacred remains that have been laid to eternal rest have been disturbed or stolen, the finer sensibilities of the entire community are aroused against such a profanation of the dead and no effort is spared to apprehend and punish the perpetrator.

Within the past four weeks seventy-four positive instances can truthfully be cited where grave robbing has been carried on with impunity under the very eyes of the police and with their approbation and sanction.

In fact, every day it is still being carried on to a degree that is astounding, and in place of protesting, they are commending the act.

But there are different ways of grave robbing, and one is to rob the hungry receptacle of its prey.

This puts another phase on the matter and makes the work the most exalted and Godlike that ever engaged the energies of man.

His private residence at 305 North Eighth street is where grave robbing is done with neatness and dispatch. Every hour of the day and every day of the week this wonderful healer stretches forth his magnetic hands and robs a grave of its victim.

For over three weeks there has been a constant incoming and outgoing, not of novelty hunting and curiosity seeking individuals, but among the number may be seen many of our most prominent citizens journeying toward this great Mecca of health in hope.

What a transformation has been wrought. Hope illumines their faces. Vitality marks their step and with head erect and firm, elastic tread they go forth to shower blessings on the head of the "Boy Phenomenon."

Among the 74 patients who have been cured, everyone of them had tried every known method and the most scientific skill of the medical profession, had been exhausted in vain efforts to effect a cure.

While all admit the cures are performing, many are afraid they are not lasting. That is the reason the names and addresses of prominent people who have been cured will continue to be published, all of whom will be glad to tell what the "Boy Phenomenon" did for them.

Vital magnetism not only cures such ailments as were treated at the Orpheum theater, but nearly all chronic diseases are amenable to this power, especially such as catarrh, incipient consumption, bronchitis, neuralgia, nervous prostration, diabetes, insipient Bright's disease, epilepsy, tumors, diseases of a delicate nature, diseased bones, hip disease, deafness, heart disease, bladder disorders, piles, hemorrhoids, flatula and all rectal troubles, rheumatism, constipation, diseases of women, catarrh of eye, sciatica, paralysis, asthma, liver complaint, kidney troubles, sorolula, gravel, throat disorders, impotency, nervous prostration, sexual debility, all bad habits, varicose, enlarged tonsils, Ho-n. 19. 10. 10. 10. 10.

Those who wish to ascertain if they can be cured and are able to pay a small price for treatment, may obtain consultation and examination by calling at 305 North Eighth street, any day except Sunday, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m., and on 8 Monday and Wednesday evenings.

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Another Week of Unprecedented June Selling

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Values that will cause a genuine sensation at the silk counter Monday. 19 in. Checked Silks, blue and white, brown and white, 67 1-2c per yard.

The June Sale of Fine Muslin Underwear begins its second week today with fresh, full assortments in all lines.

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In hot weather necessities and comforts, for a few days, commencing Monday June 19.

Tumblers, each, 20, 30, 50, 60, 70 Ice Tea Goblets, each, 7c, 9c Sundae and Ice Creams, each, 9c Pitcher and six Glasses, per set, 38c, 75c, \$1.38

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To Buy Eureka Lake Resort. Ahilene, Kan., June 19.—Central Kansas capitalists have decided to form a club and purchase the Eureka Lake hotel, west of Manhattan. A company with \$25,000 capital is forming. Improvements, including a golf grounds, will be added and a bathing beach is to be built. The Manhattan beach summer resort is owned by the G. P. Dewey estate.

AUCTION

The Mammoth Range Horse Sale of the Age

Under the Management of the Well-Known Horseman and Auctioneer, COL. I. C. GALLUP, South Omaha, Neb.

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IT IS AGAIN SETTLED

Russia Once More Accepts Washington for Peace Meeting.

EMPEROR PREFERRED THE HAGUE.

Not Little Headway Seems to Have Been Made With Arrangements for Conference of Plenipotentiaries.

St. Petersburg, June 19.—Russia has finally definitely accepted Washington as the meeting place of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries, the foreign office having waived its request for reconcentration at the personal direction of the emperor, whose desire to give the fullest and fairest opportunity to President Roosevelt's proposal for a peace conference is thereby manifested.

After his conference with Ambassador Meyer, Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, went Saturday night to Peterhof and laid the matter before the emperor who is learning that insistence on The Hague might endanger the negotiations, directed Count Lamsdorff to inform Ambassador Meyer that Russia would accept Washington.

It was after midnight when the foreign minister returned from Peterhof, but Ambassador Meyer was forth with notified and a dispatch was prepared and sent to the state department at Washington at an early hour Sunday morning.

The result is looked upon as added triumph for American dip'lomacy. In certain quarters here envy and jealousy of the United States are ill concealed. The entire collapse of the negotiations was predicted Saturday and there was almost open exultation at what was declared to be a "rebuttal to Roosevelt."

Even in peace circles gloomy faces were drawn at the report that Russia would insist upon the Hague, but thanks to the personal attitude of the emperor and to the well-put representations of Ambassador Meyer, the threatened diplomatic mountain has decreased to a mole hill over which negotiations can now proceed rapidly.

Although the way has thus been smoothed for a peace conference the conditions in Manchuria appear to be in full march toward a big engagement, the Japanese having pushed as far as Liaoyangchukeng (Liaoyang-wopeng) west of the Liao river, 33 miles north of Fakuken. The Japanese have strong forces here as well as in the rear of Lieut. Gen. Linevitch's advance detachments near Chantufu, and even threaten the flank of the fortified positions at Lipingki, where Gen. Linevitch intended to offer battle but from which he pushed far to the southward during the months of inactivity on the part of the Japanese army.

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TO OBSERVE ECLIPSE.

Scientists Will Make Observation of Total Eclipse of Sun from Three Points.

San Jose, Cal., June 19.—Prof. W. W. Campbell, of Lick observatory, accompanied by other scientists, will go on an expedition to observe the total

eclipse of the sun which will occur August 30. These scientists will be sent out by Lick observatory, one to Spain, one to Egypt and one to Labrador. Prof. Campbell will head the expedition to Spain, accompanied by Prof. Perrine, of Lick, and another assistant from Marietta, O. college. The point of observation will be between Madrid and Saragossa. A complete apparatus, including cameras and spectroscopes, will be taken along. It will take six weeks to get them located and adjusted, the work being wholly photographic. Some of the most distinguished scientists of England, Germany and Sweden will go to the above named points for observation. The expedition to Labrador will be under charge of Dr. H. D. Curtis, accompanied by Prof. Stebbins, now of the University of Illinois. They will locate about 300 miles north of Newfoundland, on the eastern coast, at a Hudson bay company station called Cartwright. They will be assisted by Dr. Wilfred Grenfell, the celebrated missionary among the natives of Labrador.

The expedition to Egypt will be under charge of Prof. Hussey, of Lick observatory. He will have as an assistant Prof. West, of Beirut, Syria, formerly a student of astronomy at Princeton university.

CHURCH AND STATE.

Bill for Their Separation Likely to Pass French Chamber of Deputies.

Paris, June 19.—The question of the separation of church and state is still occupying practically the whole attention of the chamber of deputies. The debate has lasted since March 29, but when it is considered that the reform means an utter reversal of the long-standing policy which regarded the church as a constituent part of the nation, it is not surprising that discussion has been animated at times. However, the ardor of the debates appears to have died out since the passage of the first four sections, though the opponents of the measure continue to obstruct its passage to the best of their ability. This and the long interruptions occasioned by the celebration of the three religious festivals, Easter, the ascension and Pentecost, much has been accomplished. Sixteen sections of the total of 37 have been adopted, the fundamental principles of the new enactment therein comprised including the delicate questions declaring that the state does not give official recognition to religion; suppression of the public worship budget and the settlement of the great problem of the disposal of church property, the latter forming one of the most difficult questions raised by the bill.

Panama Purchasing Agencies.

Cleveland, O., June 19.—Purchasing agencies for the materials required in the construction of the Panama canal are to be located shortly in Washington, New York, New Orleans, San Francisco and Seattle, according to a statement made Sunday night here by Colonel Clarence R. Edwards, chief of the bureau of insular affairs.

New York, June 19.—The rifle team from the Seventh regiment N. C. New York which will meet a team representing the Queen's Westminister volunteers in a competitive match at Bisley, England, on July 6 and 7, sailed on the steamer St. Louis Saturday.

TO AVOID MORE WAR.

French and German Diplomats May Reach Agreement.

MOROCCO QUESTION THREATENING.

Germany Asked to State Object of International Conference Before France and England Agree to Enter One.

Paris, June 19.—The improvement in the Franco-German situation took a more definite turn Sunday as the semi-official between Premier Rouvier and Prince Radolin the German ambassador, became known. This version shows that the ambassador asked France to accept in principle the plans of an international conference, leaving the details to be adjusted later. Premier Rouvier answered that he desired at first to be advised upon Germany's object in securing the conference and the questions would be called upon to consider. As a result of instructions from Berlin Prince von Radolin was able to respond to these inquiries and to give definite information regarding the German government's ideas upon the scope and limitations of the conference plan from any appearance of being a menace to France or of being a preliminary step to over ride French prestige in Morocco.

With these explanations our papers will continue with a good prospect of resulting in a definite agreement. There is however a necessity for further exchanges between the governments with the view of fully defining the extent of the conference. Premier Rouvier also conferred at considerable length with Paul Cambon, the French ambassador to Great Britain, following the latter conversations with Lord Lansdowne, the British foreign minister. These conversations showed that the British declination to participate in the conference had been entirely free from the belligerent tone ascribed to it.

Moreover, Great Britain is resolved to adhere to Article 9 of the declaration of April 8, which says: "The two governments agree to lead each other diplomatic support for the execution of the clauses of this declaration."

Great Britain intends to loyally interpret this article and according to the indications furnished by her will assist France in settling Moroccan affairs. Therefore, if the conference takes place Great Britain will partake therein with the proviso that the scope of the conference must first be clearly defined.

Berlin, June 19.—The expression through a semi-official newspaper of Paris that Great Britain does not support France steadily in the Morocco dispute pleases German observers, because that is precisely the view upon which the German foreign office presses France to participate in the international conference. Germany maintains that Great Britain offers no serious objection and has informed Germany that she will participate in the conference if France does.

Opinion here Sunday is that German diplomacy has inserted a wedge between France and Great Britain and destroyed the growing friendship between them by putting France in such a position that she made demands on the friendship which Great Britain would not meet. Dispatches from Prince von Radolin, the German ambassador at Paris, which were received Saturday night were forwarded during

the night to the emperor at Hamburg, where he was aboard the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern preparatory to going to Haliogland.

Boiler in Subway Explodes.

New York, June 19.—By the explosion of a boiler in the air compressing plant for the subway construction at 163rd and North river Sunday more than a dozen persons were injured, at least one of whom may die.

Statue of Kosciuszko Unveiled.

Milwaukee, Wis., June 19.—A statue of Kosciuszko, the celebrated Polish patriot was unveiled in Kosciuszko park in this city Sunday. The ceremonies were attended by several thousand persons.

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Fraternal Aid Association \$2.00 ROUND TRIP EXCURSION TO Lawrence, Kas. Sunday, June 25. Grand Island Route. Train leaves 8 A. M.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS EXCURSION Sun., June 25 \$1.25 ROUND TRIP Train leaves Union Station 8:20 A. M.

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