A. D. 1901 Passed In Review

CHRONOLOGICAL RECORD NOTING ALL OF THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS.

ASSASSINATION OF McKINLEY.

Sep. 4—Pres. McKinley and party welcomed at Pan-American exposition in Buffalo.

Wm. McKinley.

5—Pres. made his notable Buffalo speech in favor of trade expansion and the isthmian canal.
6—Pres. shot twice by Leon Czolgosz in Temple of Music at Buffalo exposition; wounds examined and one bullet taken out; patient is removed to residence of Mr. Milburn, pres. of exposition.
10—Pres. McKinley thought to be out of danger and for first time takes food through the mouth.
14—Wm. McKinley, 25th U. S. president, dies at 2:15 a. m.; post mortem examination shows gangrene to have set in.... Pan-American exposition ordered closed for three days out of respect....Theo. Roosevelt sworn as president.
15—Funeral services held in Milburn residence at 11 a. m.; body lies in state in city hall until 5 p. m.
16—Funeral party leaves for Washington ....Czolgosz indicted on charge of murder in 1st degree.
17—Funeral services held in capitol at Washington, conducted by Bishop Andrews of Ohio with rites of M. E. church ....Special train bears remains of late pres. to Canton, O.
19—Pres. McKinley's remains placed in Westlawn cemetery at Canton. During funeral services every wheel in country stopped. Business generally suspended. Services held in all principal capitals of Europe.
21—Insanity experts find Czolgosz sane.
23—Jury completed; assassin pleads guilty, but attorney assigned to defend him enters plea of not guilty.
24—Verdict of guilty of murder in first degree reported by jury.
26—Sentence of death by electrocution pronounced on Czolgosz; assassin removed to Auburn state prison.
Oct. 29—Assassin Czolgosz electrocuted; autopsy shows healthy condition of brain.
Nov. 9—First McKinley monument unveiled at Tower, Minn.

BUSINESS FAILURES.

Jan. 8—Paragould, Ark., Greene county bank.
26—Montgomery, Ala., Josiah Morris bank.
Feb. 8—Ellettsville, Ind., bank.
21—Lacygne, Kan., Citizens' bank.
25—Ashley City, Ill., private bank; $60,000.
....Desplaines, Ill., Palmer and Meyer's bank; $20,000.
26—Ellettsville, Ind., Edmund Palmer's bank; $30,000.
Mar. 5—J. E. Searles, of New York, capitalist; $1,000,000.
8—Niles, Mich., 1st Nat. bank.
21—W. S. Eden, a Chicago hotel manager; $1,327,368.
30—Hannibal, N. Y., W. J. Brewster & Co., bankers; $125,000.
Apr. 13—City of Mexico, D. Ollivier & Co., dry goods; $900,000.
17—Lemars (Ia.) Nat. bank, on account of $30,000 shortage in president's accounts.
23—Salem, Ore., Gilbert Bros.' bank; $100,000.
27—Westerly, R. I., Mechanics' savings bank; $1,000,000.
May 6—Cleveland, O., Cuyahoga savings bank; $314,946.
11—Canton (S. D.) State bank.
23—Gothenburg, Neb., People's state bank; $60,000.
Jun. 3—Indianapolis State bank of Indiana; voluntary.
11—Dexter, Kan., bank.
25—Springfield, Mass., Pynchon national bank.
27—New York, Seventh national bank.
28—New York, Henry Marquand & Co., bankers and brokers; $8,000,000.
29—Buffalo, N. Y., City national bank; $3,802,003.
Jul. 2—Buffalo, N. Y., Niagara bank.
8—Mansfield, O., Sturges bank, also Mansfield machine works.
Aug. 1—Chicago, George H. Phillips & Co., board of trade firm; $500,000.
2—Avilla, Ind., bank.
8—Austin, Tex., First Nat. bank; $200,000.
24—Des Moines, Ia., Home Savings & Trust Co....Malvern, O., Sandy Valley Banking Co.
26—Carey (O.) Banking Co....New Matamoras, O., bank.
27—Jamestown, Tenn., Bank of Fentries county; $40,000.
Sep. 4—Broken Bow, Neb., Bank of Custer county; $60,000.
Oct. 18—Boyerton (Pa.) Nat. bank.
Dec. 5—Lenoir City (Tenn.) bank.
11—Omaha Loan & Trust Co.; $5,000,000.
18—Wanatah (Ind.) bank.
19—Gothenburg, Neb., state bank; $32,000.

CASUALTIES.

Jan. 1—Near Hays, Miss., 7 in freight wreck.
5—Just outside the Golden Gate, 30 by wreck of steamer Iaqua, out bound from San Francisco....Smallpox reported in over 100 Missouri counties.
7—Minneapolis, Minn., 8 in burning lodging house....Model City, N. Y., E. H. Taylor and family, 5 persons in burning home.
8—Rochester, N. Y., 31 in burning orphan asylum....Anderson, W. Va., 6 in railway wreck.
Feb. 2—Milwaukee, 5 children in burning home during parents' absence.
7—Greenville, Pa., 5 in railway wreck.
21—Near Bordentown, N. J., 10 in railway disaster....Tokyo, B. C., 21 in burning hospital.
22—Steamer Rio de Janeiro wrecked while entering Golden Gate in fog; 128 lives lost, including Consul Wildman, of Hong-Kong, and family.
25—Diamondville, Wyo., 26 by fire in mine.
Mar. 4—Center Valley, Mo., 5 in zinc mine disaster.
11—Chicago, 8 by boiler explosion.
16—Little Cascapade, Quebec, 6 in burning home.
18—Wellston, O., 7 in burning cabin.
20—Gallup, N. M., 63 in mine explosion.
Apr. 9—Cripple Creek, Col., 6 by landslide.
26—Latrobe, Pa., 6 in mine fire....Houston, Tex., 5 in fire....Sunrise City, Alaska, 26 by snowslide.
May 3—Jacksonville, Fla., 6 in fire.
5—South Chicago, Ill., 7 in fire.
10—Steamer Bon Voyage burns and 5 of Altman family of Laurium, Mich., drown.
13—Near Grand Tower, Ill., 27 by sinking of steamer City of Paducah.
16—Fairmount, W. Va., 8 miners by explosion.
24—Near Au Sable, Mich., 12 by foundering of steamer Baltimore in Lake Huron.
25—Off Sheboygan, Mich., 7 by sinking of schooner.
27—Dayton, Tenn., 21 by coal dust explosion.
30—Near Philadelphia, 7 picnickers swept over dam in Schuylkill river.
Jun. 1—Off Charleston, S. C., 15 fishermen drowned.
4—Iron Mountain, Mich., 8 in mine explosion.
10—Port Royal, Pa., 16 in burning mine.
21—Paterson, N. J., 14 by explosion of fireworks.
25—Cass Station, Ind., 14 in railway wreck.
Jul. 1—Chicago, 11 by lightning striking pier.
4—Reports from all over country show 19 dead and 1,611 injured during celebration of day.
10—Norton, Mo., 19 in railway collision.
11—Springfield, Pa., 9 by train going through bridge.
13—Savannah, Ga., 6 picnickers drowned.
15—Near Muskogee, Ind. T., 5 in railway collision.
Aug. 18—Chicago, 5 in collision between trolley car and fast mail train....Off Douglass island, over 70 by collision of steamer with iceberg.
19—Near Paducah, Ky., 16 by capsizing of steamer City of Golconda....Herkimer, N. Y., 12 by dynamite explosion....Philadelphia, 6 by lightning striking benzine tank.
28—Near Torresdale, Pa., 21 by boiler explosion on steamer City of Trenton.
30—Near Kalispell, Mont., 38 in railway wreck.
Sep. 7—Jamestown, N. D., 7 in railway collision.
16—Near New Castle, Col., 8 by explosion in Gulch mine.
26—Newark, N. J., 7 by explosion in gas works.
Oct. 1—Cleveland, 5 mile waterworks tunnel under lake said to have caused 40 deaths to date.
18—New York, 5 by falling rock in rapid transit tunnel.
Nov. 1—St. Louis, 11 children of lockjaw after treatment with anti-toxin for diphtheria.
6—Hurley, Wis., 10 in fire following carousal in dance hall.
18—Blair, Mont., 10 in railway wreck....In Maine woods, 5 accidentally killed by hunters.
30—Near Telluride, Col., 22 in burning mine ....Near Needles, Cal., 7 in train wreck.
27—Detroit, Mich., 29 by explosion....Near Seneca, Mich., railway wreck on Wabash road; number of dead variously estimated at from 12 to 67.
Dec. 1—Gwynn Station, Pa., 5 in burning home.
4—Astoria, Ore., 28 by wreck of British ship Nelson.
9—Loss of life in navigation of great lakes during season reported at 132.
15—Near Rockford, Ill., 9 in railway collision....Near Essex, Mont., 7 in railway wreck.
18—Pittsburg, Pa., 10 by gas explosion, in the Soho furnace....Steamer Kanawha Bell, bet. Charleston, W. Va., and Montgomery wrecked; 9 lives lost.
20—Pittsburg, Pa., 5 by explosion of 4 boilers in Black Diamond steel works.
21—Summerville, Pa., 4 in burning home.
23—Allentown, Pa., 6 in accident on Coopersburg branch of Lehigh Valley Traction Co.
25—Memphis, O., 4 in burning steamer Sun.

FIRES.

Jan. 9—South Brooklyn, N. Y., $500,000 fire along river front.
23—Montreal, Que., $3,000,000 fire in business section.
29—Des Moines, Ia., $600,000 fire started in Frankel Bros.' store.
31—New York, Wicke cigar box factory and other buildings; $1,500,000.
Feb. 6—Near El Cerro, Cuba, lumber yard and sawmill; $700,000.
9—Pittsburg, Pa., cork factory and machine shop; $700,000.
11—Rochester, Pa., Am. Glass Co.'s plant; $1,500,000.
Apr. 7—St. Louis Elevator & Storage Co.; $500,000.
May 2—Between Somerfield and Addison, Pa., forest fires.
3—Jacksonville, Fla., district 2½ m. long by ½ m. wide, 6 lives lost and $15,000,000 in property.
4—Dallas, Tex., Southern Rock Island Plow Co.'s block; $500,000.
12—Detroit, fire in lumber district; $800,000.
18—Meadow Brook, Pa., country home of T. B. Wanamaker; $500,000.
Jul. 2—Hot Springs, Va., Homestead hotel; $500,000.
4—Baltimore, Hoen & Co.'s bldg.; $650,000.
8—Kansas, 15,000 acres wheat.
16—Wichita, Kan., Jacob Dold & Sons' packing plant; $1,000,000.
20—Mattoon, Ill., 18 incendiary fires in past 4 weeks; $2,400,000.
25—Davenport, Ia., business and residence property worth $700,000.
Aug. 26—Tiptonville, Tenn., almost entirely destroyed 2nd time in year.
Sep. 11—St. John's, N. F., business property; $500,000.
Oct. 7—Arkansas City, Ark., Paepke-Leicht Lumber Co.'s yards; $500,000.
8—Chicago, fire in docks of Peabody Coal Co.'s docks; $458,000.
15—Beaumont, Tex., fire in business center; $1,250,000.
20—Sidney, Cape Breton Island, business property; $1,000,000.
23—Hammond (Ind.) Packing Co.'s plant; $500,000.
25—Philadelphia, Hunt, Wilkinson & Co.'s furniture store; $500,000 loss and 19 persons killed.
Nov. 12—Cleveland, O., 1 block; $500,000.
28—New York, lumber yards and mills in E. 10th St.; $1,000,000.
Dec. 11—Worcester (O.) university, main bldg.
22—Hamilton, O., Champion coated paper works; $750,000.
Following is list of towns and villages entirely or almost entirely destroyed by flames: Blackford, Ky., (Feb. 5); Mantua, O., (Feb. 27); Cloveport, Ky., (Mar. 13); Bismarck, Mo., and Memphis, Ind., (Mar. 18); Tiptonville, Tenn., (Mar. 20); Augusta, O., (Apr. 18); Kensett, Ia., (May 1); Gridley and Ewart, Ia., (May 3); Kendall, N. Y., (May 7); Stoutsville, Mo., (May 18); Globe, Ari., (Jul. 2); Dallas Center, Ia., (Jul. 4); Versailles, O., (Jul. 6); Ledyard, Ia., (Jul. 9); Joshua, Tex., (Jul. 10); Riceville, Ia., (Jul. 21); Chipley, Fla., (Aug. 14); Landesville, Ind., (Aug. 16); Clayton, Ia., (Sep. 29); Alba, Tex., (Oct. 11); Clinton, Mont., (Oct. 16); Cooksville, Ill., (Oct. 28); Thomas, W. Va., (Nov. 12); Jonestown, Miss., (Nov. 26); and Waukee, Ia., (Nov. 29).

CRIMES.

Jan. 12—Louis Currier kills wife, son and self, in Albany, N. Y.
Feb. 15—Jos. B. Hinton (22) kills Maggie Shurtz (17) at Logan, Kan.; disappointed love.
24—Mrs. Rose Wurzer, drowned her 6 children, at Uniontown, Wash.; insanity.
Mar. 1—Henry Warne burns his stock and buildings and kills son and self, near Denison, Ia.; insanity.
21—Mrs. Naramore kills her 6 children, at Cold Brook, Mass., but fails in attempt to suicide.
23—Mrs. Nathan Townsend kills self and 2 children, at Cass City, Mich.; family trouble.
29—Emil Segerlin while insane kills himself and 3 daughters near Devil's Lake, N. D.
Apr. 9—T. L. Arrington kills Mamie Cleghorn and self at Somerville, Ga., on account of a broken engagement.
May 4—Manuel Mess kills wife and self at Hebronville, Tex.; jealousy.
20—Elmer Lane kills wife and self at Osceola, Ia.; domestic trouble....Mrs. Elmer Quimby kills her 2 children and self, near St. Louis.
Jun. 5—Wm. Arnell, Jr., of Beaverton, Mich., kills daughter, and wounds wife, 2 sisters and brother; was intoxicated.
6—Leroy Groves (aged 16) kills brother, sister and self near Napoleon, O., crazed by sensational literature.
7—Dallas, Tex., 4 men killed in street duel.
27—Jessie Morrison found guilty of manslaughter in 2nd degree for murder of Mrs. Olin Castle.
Jul. 20—Chas. McClumsy shoots Mamie Reed and self; lovers' quarrel.
29—E. Kirby kills wife and self at Dodge City, Kan.; disagreed over property.
Aug. 3—Actor Thad Brookie kills Millie Lighthawk and self during rehearsal at Omaha; jealousy....Alex. McCullough kills wife and self at Crawfish, O.; was intoxicated.
7—Frank Schutz kills wife and daughter at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; drunk and jealous.
21—At Reynolds, Miss., 4 shot in fight in court during trial.
23—Blake Logan, 2 sons and 2 Wilson brothers killed by West Mays and George Golden at Williamsburg, Ky.; trouble over woman.
27—Mrs. Perry throws her 4 children and self into well near Northfield, O.
Oct. 7—Faction fight near Middlesboro, Ky., results in 4 killed, 5 wounded.
26—Andrew Israelson wounds father-in-law, kills wife, sister-in-law and self, at Iron River, Mich.
Nov. 1—Walter Schneider kills Minnie Reichsteller and self, near Reading, Pa.
25—Robert Wilking kills Jacob Stokes (his father-in-law) and Mrs. Stokes, at Unionville, O.; is then killed by a son of Stokes.
Dec. 4—At Opp, Ala., double murder causes race riot; 2 negroes killed.
10—Rev. John Kinnunen kills wife, 2 children and self at Copper Falls, Mich.; was insane....Mrs. Gilbert fatally assaulted in Washington, D. C.
17—Pearl Warner, Louise Kline, Sherman Lothouse and John Jacobs, all suicide in Columbus (O.) boarding house.
19—John P. Bull kills wife and self at Parsons, Kan....L. T. Exum kills wife and self, near Centerville, Tex.
25—Quarrel over land near Wilmot, Ark., results in killing of 3 persons.

FOREIGN.

Jan. 1—Earl of Hopetoun, 1st gov. gen. of Australian federation, takes oath of office, at Sydney, N. S. W....Su Hai, murderer of Von Ketteler, German minister to China, beheaded at Peking....Boer invasion of Cape Colony considered grave.

King Edward VII.

2—Lord Roberts arrives in England from South Africa, and is made an earl by Queen Victoria.
4—Sir Alfred Milner appointed gov. of Transvaal and Orange River colony.
12—French kill 1,000 Boxers in battle near Poa-ting-fu.
22—Queen Victoria dies after reigning 64 years. Flags are half-masted over government buildings at Washington. Prince of Wales becomes Edward VII., king of Great Britain and Ireland and emperor of India.
24—King Edward formally proclaimed in London after the quaint customs of earlier times.
Feb. 4—Queen Victoria's remains laid beside those of her husband in Mausoleum at Frogmore.
6—Foreign ministers demand death of 10 leading Chinese officials.
7—Queen Wilhelmina of Holland marries Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin ....Dynamite explosion in San Andres mine in Mexico kills 87 prisoners.
Apr. 3—China refuses to sign Manchurian treaty with Russia on account of protests of powers.
May 2—Final terms of powers to China fix indemnity at 450,000,000 taels....Glasgow exposition opened.
9—First federal parliament of Australia opened by duke of Cornwall (now Prince of Wales) at Melbourne.
Jun. 3—Field Marshal Count von Waldersee departs from Peking amid great military demonstration.
21—Hoshi-Toru, former Japanese minister to U. S., assassinated in Tokio.
25—Leipziger bank at Leipzig, Germany, suspends; $18,000,000.
27—Austria and Mexico resume diplomatic relations, broken off in 1867 by execution of Maximilian.
Jul. 6—Prince von Hohenlohe, former German chancellor, dies at Hagatz, Switzerland.
10—Sultan of Turkey deposits $95,000 with Am. minister to settle claims of Americans growing out of Armenian troubles.
15—Earl Russell pleads guilty to bigamy at bar of house of lords in London; sentenced to 3 mos. imprisonment.
Aug. 5—Dowager Empress Frederick of Germany dies at Friedrichshof.
9—Columbia opens war on Venezuela with an invasion.
Sep. 3—Miss Ellan M. Stone and Mrs. Tsilka captured by brigands near Bansko, Macedonia, and taken to mountains whence letter is sent demanding $110,000.
19—Boers capture 200 British troops at Scheepers Nec....British torpedo boat destroyer Cobra founders in North sea; 67 lives lost.
Oct. 4—Uprising against Pres. Castro's government reported at several points in Venezuela.
5—Martial law proclaimed over all Cape Colony.
22—Gen. Sir Redvers Buller deprived of command of First army corps and reduced to half pay.
31—Near Guaymas 15 Yaqui Indians killed in fight with Mexican cavalry.
Nov. 1—Boers defeat British in battle near Bethel.
5—French squadron seizes 3 Turkish ports of Mitylene to enforce claims....Worst of 10 years cripples business in London.
6—Li Hung Chang dies in Peking; aged 79 ....Panama city captured by Colombian insurgents.

The Late Li Hung Chang.

8—Turkey yields to French demands ....Duke of Cornwall and York made prince of Wales and earl of Chester.
12—Gen. Santos J. Zelaya reelected pres. Nicaragua.
13—Storm on British coast result in 180 drowned.
21—Colombia appeals to U. S. to prevent interruption of traffic across isthmus of Panama.
25—U. S. marines take possession of Isthmian railroad.
29—Liberals surrender Colon to Capt. Perry, of U. S. battleship Iowa, who holds city until arrival of government force.
Dec. 1—Pu Chun, Chinese heir apparent, deposed on ground that his father, Prince Tuan, was author of Boxer trouble.
14—Colombia liberals, supported by Venezuela troops, capture Rio Hacha.
21—At Zacatecas, Mex., appalling loss of life attends burning of municipal market.
23—Kitchener reports severe fighting at numerous points in S. Africa; losses about equally divided between Boers and British.
24—U. S. decides to cut its claim against China of $25,000,000 to $7,000,000, which represents actual damage and cost of military operations....Peace protocol between Argentina and Chili signed; both continue preparations for war.

LYNCHINGS.

Jan. 2—Louis McAdams (negro), near Wilsonville, Ala.; assault.
3—Geo. Reed (negro); charged with attempted assault on Mrs. J. M. Lockleer at Rome, Ga.
4—Jim Densen and brother (negroes), at Madison, Fla.; murder.
15—Fred Alexander (negro), at Leavenworth, Kan.; murder of white girl....Chas. Lang (negro), near Elko, S. C.; assault.
16—Norman McKinney (colored); wrecked fast train near Dunnellon, Fla.
Feb. 11—Geo. Carter (negro), at Paris, Ky.; assault.
16—Thos. Jackson (colored), at St. Peter, La.; murder of Alexander Bourgeois, wife and 2 children.
20—Peter Berryman (colored), at Mena, Ark.; assaulted 12-year-old girl.
21—Thos. Vital (negro), near Fenton, La.; assaulted 12-year-old girl.
26—Geo. Ward (negro), at Terre Haute, Ind.; murder of Ida Finkelstein....John Knox (white), at Scranton, Miss.; murder of stepson.
Mar. 2—Dewey Smith (negro), near Richmond, Va.; murder.
6—Will Davis (colored), at Shreveport, La.; assault.
9—Thos. Applegate (white), at Eatonville, N. J.; killed by white caps for wife-beating.
13—John Henderson (negro), at Corsicana, Tex.; murder....Sherman Harris (colored), near Spellman, Ga.; murder.
16—Ike Fitzgerald (colored), at Tiptonville, Tenn.; assault....Negro woman near Rome, Tenn.; was suspected of theft.
20—Jerry Bell (negro), at Terry, Miss.; robbery.
Apr. 6—May Hearn (white), at Osceola, Ark.; murder.
23—Wyatt Mallory (colored), at Springfield, Tenn.; assault.
May 2—Three negroes, suspected of being implicated in murder, shot near Selma, Ala., by unknown parties.
11—Jas. Brown (colored), at Springfield, Ala.; assault.
13—Lee Key (colored), near Knoxville, Ark., charged with inciting negroes to riot.
22—Milt Calvert (negro), at Griffith, Miss.; attempted assault on 10-year-old girl.
25—Wm. Campbell (colored), at Pond Creek, Okla.; had shot Deputy Sheriff Geo. Smith.
31—Calvin Hall and 3 sons and Dan Yantis, at Lookout, Cal.; petty thievery.
Jun. 7—Mob of lynchers routed by Sheriff Merrill at Carrollton, Ga., killing 1 and injuring 3.
11—Jas. McLold (white), at Hamburg, Ark.; horse-stealing.
19—Frank Smith and F. D. McLand (negroes), near Shreveport, La.; implicated in Foster murder....D. B. Jones (negro preacher), at La Grange, N. C.; assault.
Jul. 1—Negro who attempted assault on white woman at Lawrenceville, Va.
15—Alex. Herman (negro), hanged by negro mob; charged with murder....Louis Thomas (negro), near Girard, La.; stole bottle of pop.
22—Wm. Brooks (colored), at Elkins, W. Va.; shot Chief of Police Lilly.
Aug. 1—Betsey McCray (colored), her son and daughter, at Carrollton, Miss.; murder.
2—Chas. Davis, at Smithville, Tenn.; criminal assault....Chas. Bentley (negro), at Leeds, Ala.; confessed to murder.
3—Will Price (colored), at Carrollton, Miss.; complicity in Taliaferro murder.
19—Will Godley and Jean Carter (negroes), near Pearce City, Mo.; suspected of murder.
20—All negroes driven from Peace City, Mo., by 1,000 armed men; 1 negro cremated....Abe Wildner (negro), near Whitesboro, Tex.; assault and murder.
24—Henry Noles (negro), near Winchester, Tex.; assault and murder.
Sep. 3—Bill Fourney (colored), at Chestnut Grove, Ala.; assault.
12—Ernest Harrison, Sam Reed and Frank Howard (negroes), at Wickliffe, Ky.; murder.
Oct. 1—Five negroes and 1 white killed in race war in Harrison county, Tex.
24—Wm. Morris (colored), at Ball Town, La.; assault.
29—Near Ball Town, La., 2 whites and 15 negroes slain in race war.
Nov. 1—Negro who attempted assault on wife of Representative Daugherty, at Allenton, Ga.
23—Unknown negro near Columbia, S. C.; shot Mrs. Craft.

NECROLOGY.

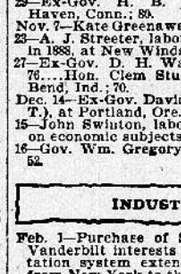
Jan. 1—Ignatius Donnelly, author and ex-cong., in Minneapolis; 70
5—Ex-Gov. C. H. Brogden (N. C.), at Goldsboro; 55.
6—P. D. Armour, millionaire packer and philanthropist, in Chicago; 68....Ex-U. S. Senator Jas. W. Bradbury, in Augusta, Me.; 99.
16—Ex-Gov. Jas. A. Mount, in Indianapolis.
17—Ex-U. S. Senator H. H. Revels (Miss.), in New Orleans.
Feb. 3—Ex-Cong. Geo. D. Tillman, at Clarks Hill, S. C.; 76.
4—Ex-Cong. Jefferson Long (negro), at Macon, Ga.
8—Gen. B. M. Prentiss, hero of Mexican and civil wars, at Bethany, Mo.; 81.
10—Cong. Col. Albert D. Shaw (N. Y.), in Washington; 59.
14—Ex-Cong. Judge Jas. M. Jackson, at Parkersburg, W. Va.; 76.
16—Maurice Thompson, poet and novelist, at Crawfordsville, Ind.; 57....Ex-Senator G. A. Pierce (N. D.), in Chicago; 67.
21—Ex-U. S. Senator Stephen M. White, in Los Angeles, Cal.; 48.
22—John W. Tower, smallest man in U. S., 44 inches tall; in Bennington, Vt.; 62.
28—Ex-U. S. Senator Wm. M. Evarts, in New York; 83.
Mar. 13—Benj. Harrison (23rd U. S. pres.), in Indianapolis; 68.
16—Cong. Marriott Brosius, at Lancaster, Pa.
25—Charlotte M. Yonge, celebrated author in London, Eng.; 78.
30—Roland Reed, actor, in New York; 49.
31—Miss Josephine E. Barry, novelist, at Indianapolis; 21.
Apr. 12—Geo. Q. Cannon, leader of Mormons, at Montercy, Cal.; 74.
20—Ex-Gov. Chas. C. Stockley (Del.), at Georgetown; 87.
May 1—Cong. Rosseau E. Crump, in West Bay City, Mich.; 58.
17—Edwin F. Uhl, ambassador to Germany under Cleveland, at Grand Rapids, Mich.; 60.
21—Ex-Cong. C. A. Boutelle (Me.), at Waverly, Mass.; 63.
23—Ex-Gov. John R. Tanner, at Springfield, Ill.; 57.
Jun. 2—Jas. A. Herne, actor and playwright, in New York; 63.
9—Dr. W. H. Daly, chief surgeon of volunteers in Spanish war, who started embalmed beef inquiry, suicided at Pittsburg.
11—Gov. Wm. J. Sanford, at Tuscaloosa, Ala.; 56.
18—Ex-Gov. Hazen S. Pingree (Mich.), in London, Eng.; 59.
23—Adelbert S. Hay, former consul to Pretoria, at New Haven, Conn.
25—Rev. Jos. Cook, lecturer and reformer, at Ticonderoga, N. Y.; 63.
Jul. 1—U. S. Senator Jas. H. Kyle, in Aberdeen, S. D.; 57.
4—Prof. John Fiske, historian, at E. Gloucester, Mass.; 59.
6—Congressman Dr. J. Wm. Stokes, at Orangeburg, S. C.
12—Ex-Gov. R. B. Hubbard, at Tyler, Tex.
Aug. 8—Wm. A. Newall, ex-gov. of N. J. (1847) and of Washington Ter. (1876), in Allentown, N. J.; 84.
29—Ex-Gov. Chas. A. Busiel, at Laconia, N. H.; 59.
Sep. 16—Rt. Rev. H. E. Whipple, of Episcopal church, at Faribault, Minn.; 79.
Oct. 10—Lorenzo Snow, 5th pres. and head of Mormon church, at Salt Lake City; 86.
18—Ex-Gov. John S. Pillsbury, in Minneapolis; 73.
20—Rear Admiral F. M. Bunce (retired), at Hartford, Conn.; 65.
26—Joslah Turner, at Hillsboro, N. C.; elected to congress after civil war and refused seat; 80.
29—Ex-Gov. H. B. Harrison, at New Haven, Conn.; 89.
Nov. 7—Kate Greenaway, artist, in London.
23—A. J. Streeter, labor candidate for pres. in 1888, at New Windsor, Ill.
27—Ex-Gov. D. H. Waite, at Aspen, Col.; 76....Hon. Clem Studebaker, at South Bend, Ind.; 70.
Dec. 14—Ex-Gov. David P. Thompson (Ind. T.), at Portland, Ore.
15—John Swinton, labor leader and writer on economic subjects, in New York; 71.
16—Gov. Wm. Gregory, at Wickford, R. I.; 52.

INDUSTRIAL.

Feb. 1—Purchase of Southern Pacific by Vanderbilt interests completes transportation system extending without break from New York to the orient.
23—Morgan steel combination (known as U. S. steel corporation) organized; capital, $1,100,000,000.
Apr. 8—Combination formed in New York to control practically entire silver and copper output of country.
10—American Soap Manufacturing ass'n composed of 25 factories) organized in Chicago.
May 3—Ill. Central R. R. establishes pension system for old employes.
7—Street railways of Albany, Troy, Cohoes, Watervliet and Rensselaer, N. Y., tied up by strike.
20—In all parts of country 50,000 machinists strike for 9-hr. day.
Jun. 26—Many injured in fight between laborers and police at Rochester, N. Y.
29—Employes of Am. Sheet Steel & Am. Steel Hoop Cos. ordered to quit work because of wage disagreement.
Jul. 14—Pres. Shaffer, of Amalgamated ass'n, orders strike in all U. S. steel corporation mills.
Aug. 12—Total number of steel workers out is 69,000.
14—Charters of lodges of steel workers at South Chicago revoked because of refusal to join strike.
Sep. 4—Pres. Shaffer refuses Schawb's peace offer.
14—Steel strike ended on terms originally offered by Pres. Schwab of U. S. Steel corporation.
Oct. 1—Combination of 23 leading plowmakers effected in Chicago; $100,000,000 capital.
4—At Fall River, Mass., 30,000 mill operators strike for 5 per cent. wage increase.
Nov. 11—Dennis Mulvihill, coal heaver, elected mayor of Bridgeport, Conn.
Dec. 5—Am. Federation of Labor in 21st annual convention, at Scranton, Pa.
13—U. S. Steel corporation adopts civil service system for 2,000 employes on lake boats.
14—Samuel Gompers reelected pres. Am. Federation of Labor, at Scranton, Pa.
16—Representatives of capital and labor meet in New York to devise plan of settling labor disputes.

THE SCHLEY INQUIRY.

Jul. 19—Sec'y. Long bars Maclay's naval history from Annapolis academy on account of harsh criticism of Schley.



Rear Admiral Schley.

24—Sec'y. Long grants Admiral Schley's request for court of inquiry.
25—Admiral Dewey and Rear Admirals Kimberley and Benham (retired) named as members of court.
30—Admiral Kimberley asks to be relieved from serving because of ill-health; Admiral Howison named in his stead.
Sep. 12—Schley court opens. Admiral Dewey sustains protest against Admiral Howison serving.
13—Rear Admiral F. M. Ramsay appointed to take Howison's place.
20—Schley inquiry resumed after intermission caused by Pres. McKinley's death.
24—Judge Jeremiah Wilson, aged 73, senior counsel for Schley, dies suddenly in Washington.
27—Court refuses request of Admiral Sampson to be represented at trial by counsel.
Oct. 24—Admiral Schley takes stand, tells story of Santiago battle, and denies charges against him.
Nov. 4—Evidence all in and arguments begun.
7—Capt. Lemly makes closing argument and court adjourns to digest evidence presented.
Dec. 13—Schley court of inquiry unanimously votes censure for "vacillation, dilatoriness and lack of enterprise" prior to June 1 and for inaccurate official reports and misleading statements on coal supply. Admiral Dewey, in separate finding, gives Schley entire credit for the victory at Santiago.
18—Admiral Schley files bill of exceptions to majority findings.
20—Admiral Sampson files protest against Admiral Dewey's minority report.
21—Sec'y Long indorses findings of majority of court, and orders dismissal of Historian Maclay from service in Brooklyn navy yard....Pres. Roosevelt personally reprimands Gen. Miles for discussing Schley case.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Jan. 4—Earthquake at Mound City and Pleasanton, Kan....Six ft. of snow in parts of California.
Feb. 3—Severe snowstorms throughout Ill., Ia., Neb., Kan. and Mo., and parts of Wis., Mich. and Ind.
Mar. 9—Will's Point, Tex., tornado; 8 killed....Tornado in Arkansas kills 16 and destroys much property....Red Bud, Ill., tornado.
25—Birmingham, Ala., cyclone; 40 persons killed, and $300,000 of property destroyed. ....Tornado wrecks buildings at Muscash, O....Cyclone at Pavilion, Mich.
26—Adamsville, Mich., cyclone destroys buildings.
Apr. 19—Biscayne, Fla., wrecked by tornado.
Jun. 5—In n. w. N. Dak. 2 in. of snow.
8—Cyclone in E. Oklahoma; 12 persons killed and village of Eddy entirely destroyed.
17—Gate City and Big Stone Gap, Va., wrecked by cyclone.
21—Near Naper, Neb., cyclone; 8 killed.
23—W. Va., in Elkhorn river valley, cloudburst; 100 lives lost; towns Keystone and Vivian destroyed.
26—La Crosse, Wis., tornado.
Jul. 1—Record breaking heat causes 94 deaths in New York, 14 in Philadelphia, 18 in Pittsburg, 14 in Baltimore and 5 in Chicago.
17—Drought in Kan. and the west somewhat relieved by showers.
21—Heat smashes all records in western states; official thermometers register 118 deg. in Ill., 110 in Ia., 104 in Wis., 106 in Neb., 102 in Mich., 110 in Ind., and 100 in Kan.
26—Topeka, Kan., thermometer drops below 100 mark 1st time in 28 days.
27—Drenching rain breaks drought in corn belt; excessive heat had continued 40 das.
31—Kilmar, Kan., cyclone.
Aug. 8—Late wheat damaged by frost near Bottineau, N. D.
15—Tidal wave on gulf floods New Orleans, Mobile and other places; navy ships lost and 6 persons drowned.
21—Anadrako, Okla., wrecked by cyclone.
26—Centralia, Ill., tornado.
Sep. 1—Cleveland, O., cloudburst devastates district 8 miles long by 1½ wide; damage, $1,000,000.
Oct. 14—First snow of season in Kan. and killing frost.
Nov. 3—Snowstorms in Ill., Wis. and Ia.
13—Severe earthquake in southern Utah.
16—Meteor sets lake of oil afire, near Tulsa, I. T.
25—Storm on Atlantic coast destroys property worth $1,000,000; 5 lives lost.
Dec. 6—Extreme cold in Catskill mountains; 33 below recorded.
15—Coldest Dec. day in 25 yrs. in Chicago; 12 below 0. Intense cold throughout west. ....Floods throughout Pa. and N. Y.; 16 lives lost....Worst earthquake since '68 in Manila.

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS.

Jan. 1—Benj. Odell, Jr., inaugurated gov. N. Y....Gov. Bliss (Mich.) inaugurated.

Pres. Roosevelt.

2—Briefs to support argument that constitution follows flag in Porto Rico case filed in U. S. supreme court.
8—W. W. Crane (Mass.), C. P. Jordan (N. H.), J. F. Hill (Me.) and C. H. Dietrich (Neb.) —all republican governors—inaugurated.
7—Gov. Robt. M. La Follette (Wis.) inaugurated.
8—Govs. Jas. B. Orman (Col.), M. B. McSweeney (S. C.), W. S. Jennings (Fla.) and Herreld (S. D.) inaugurated.
9—U. S. senate agrees to house amendment abolishing sale of liquor in army canteen....Gov. Sam. R. Van Sant (Minn.) inaugurated.
14—U. S. supreme court holds that Cuba is foreign territory, and that C. F. W. Neely, accused of embezzling postal funds in Cuba, is subject to extradition....Govs. Richard Yates (Ill.), W. T. Durbin (Ind.), A. M. Dockery (Mo.) and W. E. Stanley (Neb.) inaugurated....National electors cast ballots for pres. and vice pres.; returns show 28 states cast 292 votes for McKinley and 17 states 155 for Bryan.
16—M. S. Quay (rep., Pa), Geo. F. Hoar (rep., Mass.), W. P. Frye (rep., Me.), H. E. Burnham (rep., N. H.), Jas. McMillan (rep., Mich.), Thos. M. Patterson (fusionist, Ind. T.) elected U. S. senators....Gov. Sayers (Tex.) inaugurated....Thirty Filipino leaders deported from Manila to Guam.
16—Gov. Allen signs 1st bill passed by Porto Rican legislature, providing for jury trials....W. A. Clark (Mont.), B. R. Tillman (S. C.) and F. W. Carmack (Tenn.) elected U. S. senators.
18—Gov. Jefferson Davis (Ark.) inaugurated.
22—U. S. senators elected: S. M. Cullom (Ill.), Knute Nelson and M. E. Clapp (Minn.), R. J. Gamble (S. D.), W. J. Sewall (Me.), J. E. Burton (Kan.), S. B. Elkins (W. Va.), Jas. H. Barry (Ark.), J. W. Bailey (Tex.) and F. M. Simmons (N. C.) ....Gov. McMillan (Tenn.) inaugurated.
Feb. 2—Pres. signs army reorganization bill.
4—War department prohibits sale of liquor in military reservations.
5—A. Miles appointed lieutenant general under new army law.
12—First Filipino provincial government launched in province of Pampanga....Congress makes official count of electoral votes for pres. and vice pres.; McKinley and Roosevelt declared elected by 292 votes against 155 for Bryan and Stevenson.
20—J. G. A. Leishman, U. S. minister to Switzerland, transferred to Turkey....W. R. Shafter nomin