

NEWS OF THE WORLD

SHORT DISPATCHES FROM ALL PARTS OF THE GLOBE.

A Review of Happenings in Both Eastern and Western Hemispheres During the Past Week—National, Historical, Political and Personal Events.

The town of Seneca, S. C., was visited by a fire recently and property worth about \$75,000 was destroyed.

A definite Anglo-French convention covering the future administration of the New Hebrides has been signed.

Sebastopol, Russia.—The peasants of two villages, Pukoshofka and Doretz, in this vicinity, have decided to emigrate in a body to the United States.

At the home of former President Cleveland it was announced that Mr. Cleveland is not ill.

London.—P. McFadyen & Co., the London house of Arbuthnot & Co., bankers of Madras, announce that they had been compelled to suspend payment.

St. Petersburg.—The ministry of education has finished the draft of a project for universal education involving an expenditure of \$193,690,000 yearly.

New York.—Subscriptions of \$200,000 for the building of a private automobile race course on Long Island were made in this city. It is said that the course will cost \$2,000,000.

Johannesburg.—The rope of a cage which was descending the East Simmer gold mine here Saturday snapped and the cage fell 1000 feet. Twenty-three Chinese who were being lowered were dashed to pieces.

Toms River, N. J.—The jury in the case of Dr. Frank L. Brouwer, after listening to the case for the last 16 days, returned a verdict of "not guilty."

Five persons were killed and about 100 injured by a gasoline explosion in the Meinersding dry goods and hardware store at Fort Recovery recently.

The city hall at Phoenix, A. C., was recently discovered to be on fire, but the flames were extinguished in a short time, with damage estimated at \$200.

What is regarded as the worst snowstorm that has occurred so early in the season since the settlement of northern South Dakota raged all day Saturday. Fourteen inches of snow fell in 12 hours.

A dozen bandits rode into the town of Caribo, between Nogales and Hermosillo, robbed stores and kept those present covered with rifles until they mounted and rode away with the plunder.

Two powerful battleships of the Russian navy were launched recently, the Andrei Pervosvanni of 14,000 tons, and a smaller vessel, the St. Eustace, at Sebastopol.

San Francisco.—Bernard Duffey, who was convicted of holding up and robbing a man of 85 cents, was recently sentenced by Judge Lawler to ten years in the Folsom prison.

It is announced from the White House that Merbert G. Squires of New York has been selected as minister to Panama to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Judge Magoon. Squires was former minister to Cuba.

It is feared that the sloop Daisy, presumably a fishing vessel, has been wrecked on the Vancouver island coast during the heavy weather of last week.

A report from Ottawa says that the department of justice has practically decided to elevate W. H. P. Clement of Grand Forks, judge of the county court, to the vacancy on the supreme court bench of British Columbia recently made vacant by the promotion of Mr. Justice Duff to the supreme court of Canada.

The United States district attorney, Dyer, father of D. P. Dyer, Jr., receiving teller of the United States treasury, who is under suspension pending the investigation of an alleged shortage of \$61,000 in the government funds, has sent a letter to the attorney general of the United States offering to resign if his connection with the government and his relation to Teller Dyer causes the administration any embarrassment.

GALE IN SAN SALVADOR.

More Than 100 Drown in Cotepeque—Volcano's Odd Eruption.

San Salvador, Oct. 23.—Telegraphic communication with interior points has been restored and news of the disaster wrought by the terrific storm which has swept over the country is being received.

More than 100 persons were drowned in Cotepeque. A vast quantity of sulphur water was thrown out of the Chulo volcano and inundated the town of Panchinaloo, killing most of the inhabitants.

From other points also reports of terrific devastation are coming in.

Tunnel in San Francisco.

San Francisco.—The Southern Pacific is going to bore a tunnel beneath Fort Mason in connection with the "spur track" along North beach, and plans to run under the government reservation to the new warehouses to be built in connection with the new transport dock west of Fort Mason.

Four hours' hard thinking exhausts the tissues as much as 10 hours of manual labor.

MANY ARE HOMELESS.

In Pinar del Rio Hurricane Slays and Fells, Wrecks and Destroys.

Havana, Oct. 21.—Reports received by Governor Magoon this afternoon from the provincial governors show that the hurricane was less disastrous than at first believed. The storm was confined mainly to the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio. Batabano, 32 miles southeast of Havana, was the only town except the capital which suffered greatly.

The mayor of that place reports that nine persons were killed and that many are missing. The American steamers Campbell, plying between the Isle of Pines and the coast, and the Sava went ashore and many small craft were wrecked.

Numerous houses were blown down and hundreds of persons are homeless and destitute.

The loss there is estimated at \$600,000. Governor Magoon has directed Governor Nunez of Havana province to assist Batabano. The mayor of San Luis, province of Pinar del Rio, and in the center of the rich tobacco district, reports great damage to seed tobacco, but no loss of life.

Governor Silva of Camaguey says that no hurricane was experienced there.

At Matanzas, where the Twenty-eighth United States infantry is encamped, and at Cardenas, where the Fifth United States infantry is quartered, tents were blown down and considerable damage was done to property. No person, however, was injured.

All the southern portions of Havana province is flooded and great damage was done to crops and buildings. The Isle of Pines escaped damage.

EARTHQUAKES JAR MAINE.

Throw Down Flimsy Bridge—Rough on Crocker.

Portland, Maine, Oct. 21.—Two earthquake shocks Saturday night destroyed about 100 feet of temporary highway structure which crosses the upper harbor. The first shock was felt at 6 o'clock and the second at 7:07. Both shocks were light, but were distinctly felt by pedestrians.

Accompanying the rumbling was the sound made by the cracking of the timbers of the temporary structure. It is feared that great damage has been done to the foundations of the new highway bridge nearby, for which \$250,000 was appropriated recently.

MINING NEWS.

Announcement is made that the wages of miners in the Aspen silver district, Colorado, will be increased from \$2.50 to \$2.75 a day. Several thousand men are benefited by the advance, which is made possibly by the recent steady gain in the price of silver.

Official estimates given out by the Granby Consolidated are to the effect that the next fiscal year's output of copper will be 30,000,000 pounds, and 50,000,000 pounds annually within the next few years with much lower cost of production.

Owing to the closing down of the furnaces at Trail, because of a shortage of coke caused by the strike at the Crow's Nest Coal mines, the shipments were again small last week from Rosshad. The LeRoi continues to ship its output to Northport, where ore is stored pending the time when a supply of coke can be procured.

The Boundary ore output and smelter treatment for the week follows:

To Granby smelter from Granby mines, 13,205 tons; from Skylark, 20 tons; from Emma, 60 tons. To B. C. Copper company's smelter, from Mother Lode, 1950 tons; from Emma, 70 tons. To Dominion Copper company's smelter, from Brooklyns Stemwinder, 2871 tons; from Rawhide, 1353 tons; from Sunset, 576 tons; from Mountain Rose, 198 tons. Total shipment for week, 20,303 tons; total shipments for week to date, 964,609 tons. Boundary smelters treatment this week follows: Granby smelter, 12,167 tons; B. C. Copper smelter, 3256 tons; Dominion Copper company's smelter, 4998 tons. Total for week, 20,240 tons. Total treatment for year to date, 972,838 tons.

The Washington State Mining association, with headquarters in Seattle, has been in existence about four months, succeeding several former attempts to form a similar association, all of which were short lived.

The Hayes-Monette lease on the Mohawk mining property was robbed of \$50,000 worth of ore Saturday by a band of robbers, whose operations were most daring. Just before daybreak four men drove up to the Hayes-Monette shafthouse and jumped from the wagon. Entering the shafthouse they ordered the two engineers to throw up their hands. They were heavily armed and, under their drawn weapons, ordered the engineers to carry 28 sacks of high grade ore from the house to the wagon. After making the engineers load the wagon the robbers drove off. An alarm was given, but up to noon Saturday the robbers had not been caught. The Hayes-Monette had been preparing for a million dollar shipment of ore. Some of the ore being hoisted runs as high as \$30 per pound.

The sawmill which the Palmer Mountain Tunnel & Power company recently placed on Toastscoula creek near Loomis, Wash., is about ready to begin cutting. The mill is to be used for the purpose of sawing lumber and timbers for the big reduction works that the company intends to erect on its property this winter.

It is the early subscription paper that skims the cream.

HEAD-ON COLLISION

THREE TRAINMEN KILLED ON THE GREAT NORTHERN.

Also Three Seriously Injured—Crew of Freight Train Disobeyed Orders Near Everett, Wash.—Crash With Passenger Train Followed—Two Other Freight Trains Just Escaped.

Everett, Wash., Oct. 22.—The failure of a freight train to obey orders resulted in a head-on collision on the Great Northern at 8 o'clock Sunday morning a few miles east of Monroe, in which three were killed, three seriously injured and others bruised. The dead:

Freight Engineer J. E. Hudson. Freight Fireman A. W. Riddell. Freight Fireman Patrick Sheridan. The injured: Passenger Engineer George Lawrence, Passenger Conductor Wetzel.

The freight was an extra, east bound. It had orders to meet No. 277, the Skykomish local at Monroe. Arriving at Monroe the crew of the train believed they had time to make Sultan, the first station east of Monroe.

Immediately after leaving Monroe the train broke down and was delayed some time. Just after they had started up the collision took place. The track at this point is tortuous, winding around the Snohomish. Neither engineer could see the other train until they were within 100 feet of each other. The trains came together with terrific impact. Both engines left the track. Their crews stuck to their posts till the last minute. That there were not many fatalities among the passengers is due to the lightness of the train, consisting only of three cars, and that the heavy freight was going up grade.

Passengers hurried from the coaches and assisted in extracting the dead and injured. Fireman Riddell of the freight train was found sitting headless beside his engine. His engineer, Hudson, was not found until late in the afternoon, his body being buried under the ponderous freight engine.

Both the engineer and fireman of the passenger were badly scalded. Fireman Sheridan died on the way to the hospital in Everett. Engineer Lawrence was brought to the hospital here and the physicians say his burns are not fatal. Lawrence has a wife and two children in Seattle; Hudson also has family in Everett. All the others were unmarried.

Conductor Erickson of the freight train was placed under arrest by Deputy Sheriff Brown at Snohomish at the instance of Coroner Munn. The coroner will hold an inquest at Snohomish tomorrow afternoon.

The escape of the freight trains from a disastrous wreck between Leavenworth and Cashmere was a narrow one, and that the engines did not come together is due to the fact that when first seen by the engineers the trains were on a level stretch of track between the two towns. The wheels did not cease revolving until the engines nearly touched each other. A mistake in the train orders or their misreading is assigned as the cause of the blunder.

RACE ISSUE IS DANGEROUS.

Colonel Youngblood Says Tillman Speaks No Idle Words.

Colonel William Youngblood of Alabama, former auditor in the treasury department and a prominent republican, in an interview at the national capital, declared that a great danger is ahead of the nation, because of the race question.

"Senator Tillman speaks no idle words," he says. "A great danger is ahead of us. It is strange that a government which runs off to civilize the Filipinos, to relieve the oppressed Cuban, and which is so powerful as to bring peace between Russia and Japan, is too powerless or so indifferent to the protection of the life, liberty and property of its own subjects. The only remedy of the race issue is the election of a non-sectional, non-racial man to the presidency."

Lumber Scandal Looked for.

Nelson, B. C.—What promises to be a serious scandal involving the leading lumber mills in Kootenay, and government officials, was evolved Saturday out of evidence tendered by Inspector Martin of the British Columbia government, and former accountant George Boulton of the Fernie lumber mill, in a suit brought by the latter against the Crows Nest Southern railway, a branch of the Great Northern, for damages in the fire limits, arising out of a fire on the railway in clearing the right-of-way on July 23, 1904. The damages claimed are \$70,000 and admitted to be \$400.

Drunken Man Kills Family.

O. B. Heyworth, a well to do farmer living 17 miles north of Gage, Okla., recently shot and killed his wife, two daughters, aged 22 and 18, and a son, aged 20. He then turned the weapon on himself, inflicting a mortal wound. Family trouble was responsible for the tragedy.

In New York every minute two immigrants arrive—more than 1,000,000 in a year. Every six minutes a child is born. Every seven minutes there is a funeral. Every hour a new building is erected.

SPORTING NOTES.

While Hoppe of New York recently proved his right to the title of the world's champion at 18 inch balk line, one shot in. The young lad was challenged by the veteran Jake Schaefer of Chicago, and won at the Madison Square garden concert hall. Hoppe beat Schaefer by a score of 500 to 472 in 47 innings.

Kid Parker and Barney Mullin fought one of the toughest bouts ever seen in British Columbia at Phoenix Friday evening, the referee declaring it a draw after seven rounds. Mullin floored Parker half a dozen times during the night, but could not put the tough Denver veteran out. Parker finally dragged Mullin to the floor and the spectators broke into the ring to settle the fight by popular discussion. Then it was discovered that Parker was peculiarly injured and the referee gave the decision as a draw.

J. E. Mason of Latah, Wash., has received communications from parties in New Zealand stating they would accept his proposition for the purchase of "Cyclone," his Kentucky saddle, which he had made them some time ago. The horse created lots of comment at the Spokane fair.

They are already talking of purses of \$20,000 to \$30,000, and this should make Goldfields and Manhattan sit up and take notice.

According to Tom O'Rourke, who has been watching the prize fighting game out west pretty closely, Nevada refuses to be counted out and another place suitable for a ring has been discovered.

George Sutton of Chicago is now the acknowledged world's champion at 18 1/2 balk line billiards.

Los Angeles fight promoters have hopes of striking pay dirt in Searchlight, one of the boom towns in the desert state. It is proposed to bring Jack O'Brien and Tommy Burns together there some time in December, or if this falls through, Jos Gans and Jimmy Britt.

Sir Thomas Lipton will build a 21-foot racing yacht and enter the annual race of the Columbia Yacht club next year for the trophy given by himself.

Joe Gans says he is willing to fight Nelson again under terms much more liberal than he gave him. He will insist on only two conditions, and they are that the weight be 133 pounds stripped at 3 o'clock and that Gans receive the larger end of the purse.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL GAMES.

Inland Empire Games.

Blair, 0; S. A. A. C., 0. Spokane High, 14; W. S. C. "Preps," 0.

Idaho, 23; Coeur d'Alene High, 0. Normal, 6; Davenport High, 0. Colfax, 5; Idaho "Preps," 0.

Big Battles in East.

Yale, 10; Penn State, 0. Harvard, 44; Springfield, 0. Pennsylvania, 14; Brown, 0. Princeton, 32; Bucknell, 4. Cornell, 72; Bowdoin, 0. Chicago, 39; Purdue, 0. Michigan, 6; Ohio State, 0. Wisconsin, 19; North Dakota, 0.

In the Northwest.

Oregon, 10; Astoria, 0. Washington, 4; Seattle High, 0. Multnomah, 34; Albany, 0.

REFORMS MAY BE HELD UP.

Martial Law, as Enforced, Would Deprive Russian People of Benefits.

St. Petersburg.—Even the harshest opponents of the administration are agreed as to the great importance of the imperial ukase issued recently, which annulled the most burdensome and irritating restrictions imposed on the peasantry as a special class and embodied into law reforms which had been urged by government commissions and unofficial critics of the government for over two decades. Though the ukase was promulgated under the constitutional provision for temporary laws, it is in effect an organic reform affecting four of the most important features of the Russian system, namely, the special pass regulations for the peasantry, the hated rule by local administrative officials, known as rural superintendents, the administrative control of zemstvo elections, and limitations on the right of peasants to change their avocation and residence.

The peasant, who, under the old system, ordinarily was without a pass and could leave his village only by obtaining permission for a limited time, a renewal of this regulation being contingent upon the assent of the commune and the payment of all communal obligations, is now given a regular pass, which permits him to change his residence freely in Russia.

This ukase, however, is subject to several important limitations, one of which is the nullification of most of its provisions by the exceptional conditions of reinforced and extraordinary security and martial law prevailing in the greater part of Russia, under which discretionary punishment may still be inflicted by simple administrative orders; the regular pass system is subject to a mass of burdensome restrictions. The purpose of the promulgation of the ukase now is admittedly for political effect on the elections.

Emperor William of Germany had for his imperial yacht in his cruise along the Norwegian coast the sumptuous Hamburg-American liner Hamburg. The Kaiser wore civilian clothes at all times, tabooed all talk of politics and changed daily those privileged to sit at his table that there should be no thought of favoritism. The one royal prerogative that is never foregone is the demand that no one shall address him until spoken to.

NEWS OF NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, IDAHO, OREGON AND MONTANA ITEMS.

A Few Interesting Items Gathered From Our Exchanges of the Surrounding Country—Numerous Accidents and Personal Events Take Place—Fa. Trade Is Good.

IDAHO NEWS.

The steamers Spokane and Lewiston, which have been tied up at Riparia dock for the last six weeks undergoing repairs, started Monday.

A small wreck occurred in the Northern Pacific yards at Sand Point Saturday morning.

The Moscow barbers have again patched up their differences. On and after November 1, 1906, all shops will close on Sundays; also on week days at 7 o'clock, except Saturdays, when the hour is 11.

No regular session of the United States court will be held at Moscow until November 8.

An ordinance has been introduced in the Lewiston city council to regulate the prices which hackmen may charge.

Judge E. C. Steele in the district court announces that the trial of jury cases will begin November 12 at Lewiston.

The installation of the Gamewell fire alarm system has been completed in Wallace.

Wallace is to have another daily newspaper, the initial issue appearing Monday afternoon. It is to be an evening daily, published every day except Sunday, by the Idaho Press, now a weekly.

County Attorney Shea of Washington county has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Robert Lansdon, sheriff, who is republican candidate for secretary of state, charging him with misappropriation of public funds and mutilation of records while serving as assessor.

T. A. Ross, one of the prominent farmers on the prairie at Forrest, holds this year's record for the largest harvest of timothy seed. His threshers returns show a yield of 20,880 pounds. As timothy seed yields big returns to the farmer, it is expected that when the Culdesac extension of the Northern Pacific road is completed and transportation is cheaper to market more farmers will be induced to raise the product.

MONTANA ITEMS.

Charles Smith, a colored man, is at a Butte hospital with a bullet in his side as the result of a shooting scrape. The shot was fired by George Stewart, also colored.

Patrick Green was found dead recently in a woodshed at the rear of the family residence in Butte. One hand clutched a bloody razor, while the head rested in a pool of blood that had gushed from the wound. He was a Spanish war veteran.

A special says that two men were killed five miles east of Anaconda by a runaway car of ore Saturday. The dead are Rosario Lalucci and Basil Hoyt. Lalucci was torn to pieces. A faulty coupling was the cause of the accident.

The case of the United States against H. L. Haupt of Spokane, convicted last winter before Judge Hunt of conducting a lottery, has been dismissed by the circuit court of appeals. Haupt will now have to serve his sentence of six months in the Lewis and Clarke county jail, and to pay a fine of \$1500.

A telegram to the Miles City police says the cashier of the Bank of Terry was sandbagged recently by two men who were after the keys of the bank. The box was not hard enough to stun the cashier, and he put the robbers to flight, though he was considerably bruised.

Missoula is suffering from a scarcity of coal.

William S. Reese, aged fifty years, a resident of Silver Bow county since 1875, was found dead in his bed recently at the Reese ranch near Butte.

Frank T. Robertson of Helena, general manager of the Montana railroad, died recently in Kansas City.

There are at present 370 pupils attending the Sacred Heart academy and St. Joseph's school at Missoula.

A sharp earthquake shock which occurred at Montpelier recently, was felt over a wide area, points 50 miles north of Idaho and 50 miles east in Wyoming reporting the disturbance. No damage is reported.

John Kelly is dead at Butte following a fall of 25 feet into an excavation for a new building.

C. S. Whitney was instantly killed at the Butte Reduction works Sunday afternoon, being crushed to death beneath a descending elevator.

J. E. Morse of Dillon, who is recognized as the leading grain raiser of Montana, predicts a great future for all the haymakers and irrigatologists.

OREGON SQUIBS.

Fred De Ford, formerly of Canyon City, is under arrest. He formerly ran a butcher shop in that place. About three months ago he disappeared and an investigation is said to have developed the fact that he stole a great amount of beef. In fact, it is said he seems to have stolen all the meat he handled.

To fight a general walkout in Portland and to deal a deathblow to union organizations a fund of \$100,000 is being raised.

It is said to be the beginning of the war to the finish in this city between capital and labor.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

E. F. McClure has purchased from George F. Stivers 232 acres near Garsfield for \$78.50 an acre, or \$18,212.

It is said work is soon to begin on the \$500,000 building with which August Paulsen is to replace the Marion block at Spokane. There are buildings either completed during the present year or under way which will total in value fully \$2,000,000.

The unveiling of the Monaghan monument took place October 25.

No further developments have come out in the case of Reno Hutchinson, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, who was murdered Monday night at Spokane.

In celebration of the most prosperous year in the history of the Wenatchee valley and Chelan county the residents of the counties of Douglas and Chelan joined in a harvest festival and race meet at Wenatchee on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Sheriff Painter of Walla Walla has in custody Nelson Melander, suspected of being implicated in the murder of an unknown man near Simmons Siding on Snake river, about two weeks ago. So far as known there is no direct evidence connecting Melander with the crime.

The contract for the construction of the new city hall building at Walla Walla has been let. The building will be of Tenino stone and will cost \$20,000.

Two collisions on a piece of track 20 miles long, occurring within an hour of each other, is the record made Saturday evening by the Great Northern at Malaga and at Trinidad. As a result two men, both engineers, are in the hospital in Wenatchee, Engineer James E. Barr with a crushed foot which it is feared will necessitate amputation and Engineer Harry Haller injured in the back so seriously that his life is in danger, and a fireman is injured more or less seriously.

To prevent an invasion of Seattle during the winter months by the crooks now said to be operating in San Francisco and the northwest Chief Wapenstein declares that he must have 30 additional patrolmen at once and if necessary he would ask the public to subscribe \$6300 to pay their salaries for six months.

Safe crackers got in their work at Tyler early Saturday morning. Two safes in the store of S. Wolf and company were blown and \$125 belonging to the postoffice taken.

Dates have been settled for the second annual school of music of the Washington state college for May 2, 3 and 4, 1907.

The Potlatch fire department has been organized with a membership of 100.

The first horse show ever held in Franklin county took place in Connel Saturday.

A cave-in in a sewer recently at North Yakima caught Newt Green and Dick Noreen, two laborers, and before they were rescued both had died. Great quantities of rocks and loose dirt fell upon the men.

William Constantine, worth \$150,000, who shot and wounded his son-in-law, Jesse Hall, on October 2, at Seattle, because of stories of domestic infelicity told him by his daughter, has been re-arrested and placed in jail. He had been out on bail but the prosecuting attorney feared that he would make an attempt to leave the city should Hall die. Hall is not expected to live.

M. E. Kincaid of Seattle, chairman of the state board of control, has resigned that position and was appointed superintendent of the state penitentiary at Walla Walla in place of A. F. Kees. Governor Mead has announced the appointment of Mathew Piles of Olympia, brother of the United States senator, as member of the state board of control to succeed M. E. Kincaid.

While going to Coulee City recently with her husband and his mother, Mrs. Mary G. Whiteley was accidentally killed in a runaway.

Mrs. Reed Gets Fortune.

The estate of Thomas Brackett Reed, ex-speaker of the house of representatives, has nearly trebled in value since the death of Mr. Reed, in December, 1902. At that time the approximate value of the estate was about \$200,000. This week Augustus G. Paine, who was an intimate friend of the ex-speaker, sent to Mrs. Susan P. Reed, the widow, over \$500,000, which represented the original holdings of the estate and the profits from these and other investments in the last four years.

Duke and Duchess at Outs.

London.—Disagreements between the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, which have been prolonged over a period of eighteen months or more, English society is convinced, will result in their separation unless the earnest efforts now being made by the father of the duchess result in a reconciliation. W. K. Vanderbilt, the father of the duchess, has arrived in London.

World's President of Temperance.

The countess of Carlisle, president of the British Woman's Christian Temperance union, was Saturday elected world's president of the association at the closing day's session of the convention in Tremont temple. The countess received 263 votes out of the 311 votes cast on the nominating ballot.