

### ARMED NEGRO RUNS AMUCK

KILLS TWO POLICEMEN AND ONE NEGRO AT ASHEVILLE, N. C.

POLICE CAPTAIN IS WOUNDED

Restaurant Keeper and Another Black Shot Without Provocation Before Officers Take a Hand in the Melee. Murderer Takes Refuge in Biltmore.

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 14.—Fighting bravely in defense of their police captain, Patrolmen Charles Blackstock and William Bailey were shot to death on Main street by Will Harris, a negro desperado. Prior to the death of the two officers a negro restaurant keeper named Ben Allison was shot and killed by Harris without provocation. Another negro named Tom Neil lies mortally wounded, he too being shot before the officers took a hand. Harris started on his tour from a negro house on Valley street. At Eagle street he fired at and wounded Allison. On South Main street the desperado encountered Neil and fired at him. Police Captain Page and Officers Bailey and Blackstock rushed from police headquarters in pursuit. Captain Page met the negro in the center of Main street and received a bullet in the arm from the negro's rifle. Page called on Blackstock to fire, but before he could do so Blackstock fell dead with a bullet in the chest. Bailey fired twice without hitting and the negro then shot and killed Bailey. The negro at last reports had taken refuge in the Biltmore estate.

### GOLD SAVES RENNEKAMPFF

Explosive Used in Bomb Thrown at General Was Chilled.

Irkutsk, Siberia, Nov. 14.—It was owing to the chilling of the explosive that the bomb thrown at General Rennekampff, governor of Transbaikalia, failed to injure him. Rennekampff's two aides-de-camp escaped with slight contusions. The general has been on the terrorists' "death list" for some time on account of his severity in repressing mutinies and armed revolts in Transbaikalia in December.

The would-be assassin lay in wait for the general on Amur street, where he is accustomed to promenade. As the general approached the terrorist arose from a bench, threw the bomb and started to run, but was immediately captured, the general aiding in seizing him. A revolver was found on the prisoner's person. Within four hours after throwing the bomb he was placed on trial before a drumhead court-martial. The prisoner, who had not been identified, admits that he is a member of the social revolutionary organization.

Colonel Pitcher Makes Denial. Havana, Nov. 14.—Colonel William L. Pitcher's attention was called to an article in an American newspaper declaring that President Roosevelt had directed that an immediate report be requested from him as to whether he had been correctly reported as denouncing negro troops while at Fort Sheridan last year. In reply, Colonel Pitcher said he had never entertained and had never expressed such sentiments. He explained that he had served with colored troops in the past and had seen them do heroic fighting.

Four Shot by Enraged Man. Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 14.—Westley Hardway, a gang boss, was instantly killed and three negro workmen badly wounded by Fred Adkins, on the Deepwater railroad, under construction in Wyoming county. Adkins was passing the spot where a blast was set off and the fragments of stone from the blast showered about him, enraging him so that he emptied his revolver at the workmen, killing one and injuring three. He escaped.

Wholesale Arrests at Pittsburg. Pittsburg, Nov. 14.—The police express confidence in having under arrest the slayer of Harry F. Smith, who was killed in his home by a burglar. Charles Buccini, the Italian arrested with a wounded hand, had the bullet extracted. It is the size of the bullet fired from Smith's gun in the fight with the burglar. Many holdups were reported, the criminals in every instance escaping. Wholesale arrests are being made.

W. E. Thomas Adjudged Insane. Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 14.—W. E. Thomas, interested with the late C. J. Devlin of Topeka in coal mines, and who attempted to commit suicide here shortly after the Devlin failure, was adjudged insane in the private court of Leavenworth county by a jury. Thomas lost \$850,000 by the Devlin failure and has since been of unsound mind.

Leaps From Third-Story Window. Belleville, Ill., Nov. 14.—Grieving over the sudden death of her brother, Miss Petronella Romeiser, twenty-four years old, daughter of P. M. Romeiser, a prominent merchant here, leaped from the third-story window of her home, fracturing her skull and arm. The attending physician believes she cannot live.

Peary to Make New Trip. Bucksport, Me., Nov. 14.—Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, who is returning to the United States with the record of "farthest north," will make an attempt to reach the North pole in 1907.

### CLASH OVER UNION LABEL

FEDERATION REFERS MATTER TO NEXT CONVENTION.

GOMPERS' POLICY IS SANCTIONED

Plan of Creating Political Power Out of Union Labor Votes is Approved by Minneapolis Convention—To Form Labor Press Association.

Minneapolis, Nov. 14.—The second day's session of the twenty-sixth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor in this city was full of interest, the most important action being regarding the adoption of a universal label design, referring the matter to the convention of 1907. This action, however, was not taken until after a lively discussion. The cigar-makers, printers and hatters led the opposition in regard to adopting a general label, claiming they have spent much money in advertising their respective labels, and are deriving much benefit as a result, which would be lost were the federation to adopt a general label.

President Gompers' plan of creating a political power out of combined union strength was indorsed by the convention, when it approved the report of Vice President James Duncan, in which he sanctioned the policy of Mr. Gompers. Mr. Duncan's report showed that the federation's campaign fund amounted to \$8,056.89.

One of the lively tilts of the day came when the committee on rules recommended that the convention adjourn at noon Saturday until Monday morning. Delegate D. D. Driscoll of Boston energetically started an opposition discussion.

"We are here to transact business and not to attend football games," said Mr. Driscoll.

The recommendation to adjourn Saturday noon was carried.

A mass meeting was held at the Auditorium, at which addresses were made by Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell, president of the mine workers, and John Duncan.

While the convention is in session an effort will be made to form a national labor press association.

### EAST LOOKS FOR NO STRIKE

No Trouble in Reaching Agreement With Railway Employees.

New York, Nov. 14.—There no longer appears to be any danger of a strike of railroad employees in the east, as the situation with reference to the demands of members of certain organizations has considerably cleared. The New York, New Haven and Hartford and the New York Central railroads came to an agreement with committees representing the firemen of the two roads affecting the status of the men on the new electric locomotives and the adjustment committee of the Erie locomotive engineers announced it had come to an agreement with the officials of that system.

It was stated at the offices of the Erie system that there will be no trouble in reaching an agreement with the firemen at the present time, as President Underwood's letter to Chief Hanrahan was not a refusal to grant concessions to the dissatisfied men, but simply a request to hold off until settlements could be made with yardmen, switchmen, brakemen and other employees of the company. It was said that when these adjustments shall have been made the demands of the firemen will be taken up and those considered reasonable be granted.

### FINE AND PRISON FOR BANKER

Wooster Man Pleads Guilty to Conspiracy to Wreck Bank in Ohio.

Cleveland, Nov. 14.—J. R. Zimmerman pleaded guilty to the charge of conspiring to wreck a national bank in the federal court here and was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$10,000. Zimmerman was the chairman of the board of directors of the Wooster National bank, which failed about two years ago.

### Thaw Trial in December.

New York, Nov. 14.—District Attorney Jerome said that the trial of Harry Thaw, for the murder of Stanford White, would be moved for the first week in December. He stated that the judge who would try the case had not been decided upon, but that it probably would be heard before Recorder Goff. Mr. Jerome said that he would conduct the prosecution and would be assisted by Assistant District Attorney Garvan.

### Conference With Moody.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Attorney General Moody held a final conference with Messrs. Morrison and Kellogg and Mr. Purdy, assistant to the attorney general, on the Standard Oil matters. While all concerned are reticent as to the action to be taken, there is no longer any doubt that suit will be entered within a few days against the Standard Oil company of New Jersey under the Sherman anti-trust law.

### Contract Let for McKinley Tomb.

Windsor, Vt., Nov. 14.—A contract has just been placed with a local granite firm for furnishing the material for the sarcophagi in which the bodies of the late President McKinley and Mrs. McKinley will rest in the mausoleum at Canton, O. The famous green granite quarried from Ascutney mountain will be the material used.

### CREDIT NOTES IN FAVOR

BANKERS DRAFT RECOMMENDATION TO CONGRESS.

MOST OF PLANS AGREED UPON

"Formulation of Principles" to Form Basis of Legislation Discussed—Evident Disposition Manifested to Get Together on Emergency Currency.

Washington, Nov. 14.—For more than five hours the currency committees of the American Banking association and the New York Chamber of Commerce discussed the "formulation of principles" which are to form the basis of legislation for the issue of the emergency currency in times of financial stringency. These "principles" will be recommended to congress for enactment into law at the coming session. Although the views expressed were not by any means harmonious at all times, some of the members say the discussion shows an evident disposition to reach common ground upon which a united appeal can be made to congress for the legislation desired. Substantial progress was made in the work of the committees and when adjournment was taken most of the "principles" which are to govern the plans to be submitted by the bankers had been determined upon.

The discussion developed a sentiment in favor of a currency to be issued on the general credit of a bank desiring to issue emergency currency during periods of financial stress, as is done in the case of various European countries. The alternative of this proposition—that of segregating the assets of the bank as a special security for these issues—was voted down. The tax on these general credit issues, it is proposed, shall form a guarantee fund to be placed in the treasury and to be used to meet the liabilities of any bank which fails. The question of what tax to place on the credit issues was referred to a subcommittee.

The opinion of the majority of the bankers was that these credit notes are not to have any preference over any of the other obligations of the bank issuing them, but are simply to be a lien as in the case of all other bank note issues. The scheme also contemplates the daily redemption of these issues through the instrumentality of the clearing houses in the cities in which the banks issuing them may be located.

### REBATERS ARE INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury at Kansas City Returns Three Important Bills.

Kansas City, Nov. 14.—Indictments were returned here by the federal grand jury as follows:

Against David H. Kresby of Kansas City, a freight broker, charged him with manipulating the routing of flour shipments from Wichita to New York for export in order to secure concessions below the tariff rate.

W. A. McGowan, the agent of the Nickel Plate, who collected the rate for the shipment covering the entire distance and distributed it among the participating railroads, is charged with making a concession of 3.1 cents a hundred pounds on that portion of the distance between Kansas City and Chicago.

Henry S. Hartley is charged with securing, through irregular billing, concessions of 5 and 8 cents respectively on different shipments of cotton seed meal from Indian territory.

The three indicted men were arrested and arraigned before Judge Carland, sitting in the United States district court. They were released on furnishing a \$5,000 bond each.

Kresky and McGowan are liable to a fine of from \$1,000 to \$10,000 and imprisonment in the penitentiary for a term not exceeding two years, or both the fine and imprisonment. Hartley is liable to a fine of from \$1,000 to \$20,000.

### Southern Immigration Conference.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 14.—The southern quarantine and immigration convention, which assumed its new title of Southern Immigration and Industrial association, concluded its business. The sentiment of the delegates is largely in favor of welcoming any desirable class of white immigrants without regard to nationality, yet there appeared at times some desire to keep the black man, with all his faults, where he is.

### Mindil Dismissed From Service.

New York, Nov. 14.—Following an investigation by direction of the treasury department of the alleged undervaluation of precious stones in the customs service at the port of New York, General George W. Mindil, for many years chief examiner, has been dismissed from the service by order of Secretary Shaw.

### Death of Sister Mary Julia.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Sister Mary Julia, founder and mother superior of St. Vincent's orphan asylum in this city, who gained an international reputation in religious circles because of her benevolence and assistance to the poor, died at the orphanage of pneumonia after an illness of a few days.

### Bribery Charges in Standard Oil Trial.

Findlay, O., Nov. 14.—Prosecutor David had the members of the Standard Oil jury before him, examining them. An attempt at bribery at the recent trial is given as the cause.

# You Should Know ALUM'S WORST WORK

Some Mothers, unconscious of the injurious effects of Alum, are daily giving it to their Children by the use of so-called Cheap Baking Powder.

What Mother would do so if she only knew?

Alum's Worst Work is its early harmful influence on the child's digestive organs. Positively Never should Children of tender years be required to eat it in their food.

Secure your Children against Alum in their food.

## AVOID ALUM

Say plainly—

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ROYAL is made from Pure Refined Grape Cream of Tartar—Aids Digestion.



The exasperating delay in final election returns ought to make voting machines popular. It required all night Tuesday night and until Wednesday 6 o'clock, for the count in Union township to be completed, and the same delay occurred in almost every other precinct. Such long protracted work on the part of the clerks and judges—30 to 40 hours, is an imposition on these officials. The removal of the circle from the ballot of necessity causes great delay in the count. All this needless labor and waste of time and anxiety could be avoided by the use of the voting machine. While the machines cost about \$600, and sixteen of them to a county would be expensive, yet it would not take long for them to save their cost. They would save the expense of printing ballots, which runs into the hundreds of dollars each year, and also the cost of voting booths and almost all of the expense of election boards, only two men being required at the polls as judges. The machines are operated in this manner: The name of each candidate is placed opposite a button on the machine. The voter presses the button opposite the candidates for whom he wishes to vote and this registers his vote. The machine adds the vote in an instant, and there is no possibility of a mistake in the count nor in the registration of the votes. The circleless ballot makes the voting machine a necessity.—Coon Rapids Enterprise.

The Geo. Wells and the Wm. Jensen families were raised from quarantine Monday, the children afflicted with scarlet fever having entirely recovered. These are the last of the families under quarantine in Schleswig and as no new cases have developed within the last three weeks the spread of the disease must have been checked by the strict and timely quarantine.—Schleswig Leader.

Give children a remedy with a pleasant taste. Don't force unpleasant medicine down their throats. Kennedy's Laxative (containing) Honey and Tar is most pleasant to take. Children like it, and as a relief for colds, coughs, etc., there is nothing better. No opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Lamborn Drug Co.

John Magill and Mrs. Wahlin were returning to the Magill home Saturday afternoon, when at the John O'Boyle home just east of town, the tugs came down and Mr. Magill got out and fixed them, but soon they came down again, and this together with the rattling of a milk can, frightened the team which ran away, throwing out both occupants. Mr. Magill struck with considerable force upon his head, and when picked up was unconscious. He was carried to the O'Boyle home and a physician called who dressed his wounds and bruises. Mrs. Wahlin was bruised up considerably but neither party will be laid up long. It is very fortunate that it was no worse.—Vail Observer.

Congressman Conner received a very handsome majority of nearly 900 votes in Greene county. Such an endorsement this year is flattering evidence that the people are satisfied with his services.—Jefferson Bee.

Wm. Dannels of Denison is here this week with his cement crew getting things ready to put a big arch in the gully a short distance east of the Fritz Vogt place. The bridge that has done duty there has become too old and decayed to be safe, and the board thinks a good arch is the cheapest way to make the repairs. When the road there is fixed it will have an 8-foot arch 60 feet long, with head-walls and wings to protect it, and the whole covered with a grade. It should stand until the present board have been in their graves a thousand years. We rode with Dr. McWilliams over that road the other day, and one of the reminiscences he gave us of early days was the statement that he had ridden over that "draw" when it could have been jumped easily by the average man. There used to be a little culvert-like bridge over it, with about four boards in its decking. The wash of the waters, however, has gradually cut it deeper until now its care is a puzzle to the board which has to deal with the roads. This country is changing more rapidly than the people think.—Charter Oak Times.

A Reliable Remedy for Croup. Mrs. S. Rosenthal, of Turner, Michigan, says: "We have used Chamberlain's Cough Medicine for ourselves and children for several years and like it very much. I think it is the only remedy for croup and can highly recommend it." For sale by W. E. Koeneman, Broadway Druggist.

Joe Beckmen is spending this week in Schleswig visiting with Robt. Meisner. Mr. Beckmen and Bob are old acquaintances but have not seen each other for sixteen years, in fact, they were chums in the west. Mr. B. is now in Alaska where he has extensive mine operations. His visit to Bob came as a great surprise, but a welcome one.—Schleswig Leader.

We were told in Berne this week that that thriving metropolis is soon to have another store. Wm. Ruchti is to move his implement business there and combine with it a stock of hardware and probably groceries. He has selected the best lines to make him money in a country store, and we hope he may do well.—Charter Oak Times.

\$500 DOLLARS WILL BE GIVEN. For any case of rheumatism which can not be cured by Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedies. The proprietors do not hide this offer, but print it in bold type on all their circulars, wrappers printed matter and through the columns of the newspapers elsewhere. It will work wonders. One bottle will cure nearly any case. If the druggist has not got it he will order it, or it will be sent to any address by express on receipt of price \$5. Drummond Medicine Co. New York. Agents wanted.

Hon. J. P. Conner congressman from this district made a splendid run for re-election having a plurality of 525 over his democratic opponent. Mr. Conner has been a useful member of the lower house and did much to further the peoples interests in the last session of congress and deserved the handsome majority that he received. Palo Alto Republic.

John Bayles and daughter, Miss Nannie, took their departure Wednesday evening for a two months' visit with relatives in "Merrie" England, nearly all Manila being at the depot to bid them "bon voyage." As the train pulled in, goodbyes were said, and when the travelers were seated in the coach, the old song, "God be with you 'til we meet again", was started and taken up by many voices, which swelled into a grand chorus, other songs following in quick succession, the touching music, together with the cordial greetings of the many friends assembled, all bearing ample testimony of the warm place in the hearts of the people that is occupied by Mr. Bayles and his daughter. This demonstration of respect and devotion upon the part of his many friends moved Mr. Bayles to make the declaration that old England is not strong enough to hold him, and that he will soon be with us again.—Manilla Republican.

Mr. E. J. Brown of Denison has made arrangements to open a cream station here and will be here every Wednesday and Saturday to buy cream from the farmers, and prepared to pay the highest price the market will afford for the same. He will make the tests right here so that all can see their cream tested. We have known Mr. Brown for a number of years and he has always borne an excellent reputation for honesty and will doubtless give the farmer a square deal.—West Side Journal.

If you want Perfect bread, order GOLDEN SHEAF FLOUR try to-day and be convinced. 41-1f.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1906. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the mucous surfaces of the system. See testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists.



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