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Eastern Railroads Sought to Have Former Trust.

Union Pacific and Denver Line Create Coal Combination.

Special Dispatch to the Call.

SALT LAKE, Nov. 12.—Charges of conspiracy and fraud with view to restraining trade, involving the Union Pacific and Denver and Rio Grande roads, are to be investigated by the Federal Grand Jury in session here. While the customary secrecy prevails as to the deliberations of that body, the identity of some of the witnesses served with subpoenas gives an inkling of the nature of the case. One of the cases which is evidently to be taken up involves the alleged agreement of the Harriman and Gould coal companies as to the price of coal in Salt Lake City. This is a competitive spot and it is charged that the companies by agreement exact an unfair price for coal. The fact that E. H. Harriman personally took a hand in settling a rate war on the part of the two companies four years ago, resulting in a fixed price for coal, is now being pointed to as significant.

As a result of the alleged agreement between the coal companies it is charged that one dealer, D. J. Sharp of Salt Lake, was driven out of business. He cut the retail price 25 cents a ton under that fixed by the alleged combine and his supply of coal was promptly cut off by all the coal companies. He was informed that he could not have any coal unless he maintained the agreed price.

FIGHTING A TRUST BEAT RESULT OF STORES WUG.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 12.—The warehouses of the American Snuff Company at Eddyville, Princeton and Fredonia, Ky., have been wrecked by dynamite. Two of them were blown up last night. The Eddyville warehouse was blown up by two men, who are identified of that place were awakened by the shock of explosion, which shattered windows for a wide radius. Bloodhounds were secured and followed the trail of the wreckers for ten miles into Caldwell County.

General Shafter Called by Death

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in bringing the remains of General Shafter to this city. WELL KNOWN HERE. General Shafter Was a Familiar Figure in San Francisco.

General Shafter had been a particularly well-known officer in this State, and particularly in this city, for the last twenty years. No other army officer in the last decade was so well known in this locality as Shafter. His portly figure as he drove about the city in his high trap was a familiar sight.

Since the Spanish war General Shafter had divided his time between this city and his ranch at Bakersfield, where his only daughter, Mrs. W. H. McKittler, lived. His home here was at the corner of Pacific avenue and Pierce street. He was prominent in club circles and was a daily visitor at the Pacific Union Club. He had an immense circle of acquaintances in this city in all walks of life.

General Shafter was born at Galesburg, Mich., October 15, 1835. He entered the Union army as first lieutenant of the Seventh Michigan Infantry August 22, 1861, and fought in the war of the rebellion to the close. He was brevetted brigadier general on March 13, 1865, for gallantry and meritorious services. He entered the regular army as lieutenant colonel on January 26, 1867. Soon afterward he was given a congressional medal of honor for gallant and meritorious services at the battle of Fair Oaks, Virginia, May 31, 1867. He took command of the Department of California. In May, 1898, he went to Tampa, Fla., and from there to Cuba, where he commanded the military operations ending in the capture of General Linares' army and the surrender of Santiago de Cuba, July, 1898.

He then returned to this city, where he commanded the Department of California and Columbia from 1899 to 1901. He was retired from the army with the rank of major general on June 30, 1901. General Shafter leaves a fortune estimated at about \$500,000. The general's wife died several years ago.

FIVE MEN ARE SLAIN IN WEST VIRGINIA CAMPS

Workman Kills Two Companions During Card Game Dispute, and Constable Shoots Three Negroes.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Nov. 12.—Tim Miller, a workman at the Mason & Munday railroad camp, shot and killed two companions, Abraham Arters and William Beals, during a dispute over a game of cards at Oakvale tonight. After the shooting he escaped. Constable Burosalt, of the United States Coal and Coke Company, shot and killed three of the company's negroes tonight. The men resisted arrest and the officer, in order to protect himself, was compelled to shoot them. The shooting was the result of a drunken brawl, which the officer tried to stop. Burosalt will not be arrested.

TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY EXPECTED TO MAKE OFFER

Proposition May be Submitted Within a Fortnight, According to Gustav Gutsch.

The Transatlantic Policy-holders' Association has received the following cablegram from Gustav Gutsch at Hamburg, Germany: "Still computing compromise sum. Expect final offer within two weeks. Advise all unrepresented policy-holders to join Transatlantic Policy-holders' Association." The association is receiving daily a number of inquiries with reference to the purchase in this city of Transatlantic policies. Speculators are endeavoring to buy policies at nominal prices, it is reported.

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HAYES OBSERVED SCORPEL.

G. W. Turner Will Not Sign Congressman's Account of Election Expenses STANDS BY THE LAW

The conscience of George W. Turner, a real estate dealer, threatens to stand between E. A. Hayes of San Jose and his qualification as Congressman from the Fifth district. Turner was selected as a member of the auditing or purity of election committee of the Fifth Congressional district, but the candidate and his managers neglected to confer with him in the matter of election expenses and when the time comes to file with the Secretary of State his electioneering expense account, there is a grave danger that Turner's name will not be signed to the statement, which has also to be filed by the purity committee.

The amendment to the election laws, passed at the session of the Legislature in 1903, provides for the purity committee of Congressional districts to file with the Secretary of State affidavits showing what expenses were incurred by the candidate. This Turner says he cannot do, since he has not been consulted in the matter. He adds that all Hayes' money cannot force him to do so. Turner's committee on the committee are Frank Montgomery and W. A. Beasley. If they should show the conscientiousness that distinguishes Turner, there will be a wall in the way of the Secretary of State's approval of the qualifying of Hayes as a Congressman. The Political Code absolutely clouds the issue by not stating what shall be done if the purity committee do not file its statement. It says emphatically, however, that it shall file such a statement.

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BOMBS THROWN AT TWO GENERALS.

Attempts Are Made to Kill Governor Rennekampff and Prefect Rheinbot ONE ASSAILANT SLAIN

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ENERGY REFORM PLAN OUTLINED.

Gratifying Progress Made by Committees Representing Bankers of Country SHAW MAKES SPEECH

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Gratifying progress, according to the members, was made at the secret meetings today of the committees representing the American Bankers' Association and the New York Chamber of Commerce who gathered here to endeavor to agree on a measure for the consideration of Congress giving authority to banks to issue emergency circulation in cases of financial stringency.

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