

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.

In a rear end collision between a Salt Lake freight and Santa Fe freight, two miles south of Victorville, Cal., L. B. Gould of Vanwert, Iowa, a brakeman on the Santa Fe, was killed.

William Thaw, the young millionaire, nephew of Harry Thaw, who awaits trial for killing Stanford White, will soon appear before a sheriff's grand jury to defend himself against the charge made by his mother that he is a habitual drunkard.

It was reported on reliable authority that the Mexican Central railroad has been purchased by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and is now a part of the Rock Island system.

The official election returns as they come in cut down Governor Hoch's plurality in Kansas, but there is scarcely a possibility now that they will bring his plurality below 2900.

Two masked men, each armed with a brace of revolvers, entered the saloon of Dempsey & Harris at San Luis Obispo, Cal., and held up R. L. Dempsey, one of the proprietors, and several others who were in the place.

Harris was compelled to open the safe, from which \$400 was handed over to the robbers, who, after rifling the cash register, taking a drink and some cigars and a bottle of whisky, left the saloon on a run.

Trial of the charges against the various Chicago companies indicted for alleged combination in restraint of trade and commerce has been postponed until December 10, neither the government nor the packers being ready for trial.

The trouble between the union switchmen and the 23 railroads entering Chicago has been adjusted, and all danger of a strike of the 20,000 men has been avoided.

Austin, Tex.—According to a dispatch received by Governor Latham from Captain McDonald, of the ranger force, the rioting has ceased at Rio Grande City.

In the famous old Harper Publishing house in Franklin square, New York, Saturday night nearly 250 men and women prominent in American literary life celebrated with Henry Mills Alden, for 37 years editor of Harper's Monthly, the seventieth anniversary of his birth.

During the dinner letters of congratulation from President Roosevelt and Samuel L. Clemens to Mr. Alden were read.

Cincinnati.—In resolutions calling the action of President Roosevelt in discharging the three companies of negro troops from the army for attack on citizens of Texas, "despotic usurpation of power," the Union Republican club condemned the action of the president.

William R. Hearst has left New York for California for recuperation.

During a quarrel in a gambling room near Fort Bliss, Texas, two soldiers of the Twenty-fifth infantry (colored) were shot and killed. Another soldier, also a member of the troop, has been arrested and charged with murder.

An official report says that several Boers, led by a man named Ferreira, recently surprised a police camp in the vicinity of Witkop, wounding two troopers, seizing their guns and subsequently capturing a corporal of police. The colonial government has adopted measures to suppress the disorder.

TRAVELING BANK IN AUTO.
Sends Machine to Call at Business Addresses of Depositors.

The Night and Day bank of New York has started an innovation which, it is expected, will please business men who make late deposits. To make late collections and to avoid the risk of sending deposits to the bank by messengers, the bank officials have had built a specially designed automobile, containing a huge safe, which will call on all regular depositors.

Each depositor who desires to have his money taken to the bank by the collector, receives a metal dispatch box, numbered and enclosed in a leather case. In this he puts his currency and checks, and when the machine comes around he turns the box, locked, over to the messenger, who gives him a receipt for the box. "Contents unknown."

On the stub of the duplicate receipts which the messenger is to take back to the bank is a memorandum of the box's contents. When the messenger gets the box he drops it into an automobile safe. As the safe is built like a letter box, the deposit boxes can not be removed save by some one knowing the combination of the safe. At the bank the boxes are taken out and the receipts checked off with the deposit slip that has been locked in the box.

Bad Fire at Mobile, Ala.
Mobile, Ala., Nov. 15.—Fire that broke out in the big sawmill plant of Hyromous Bros., Division and Water streets, caused a loss of \$100,000. The Hyromous plant was destroyed, and frebrands carried by the high wind set the mill of the Mobile Hardwood company, on the river front, on fire. The yards of the latter company were destroyed.

FOUR ORATORS FROM OUT WEST.

Transmississippi Commercial Congress to Be Notable Event.

At the meeting of the officers of the Transmississippi Commercial congress, held in Kansas City, the official program for the tenth session, which opens in Convention hall in Kansas City on November 20, was completed.

Among the speakers who will deliver formal addresses are: W. J. Bryan, Elihu Root, secretary of state; former Secretary of the Treasury John G. Carlisle, Senator William J. Stone of Missouri, E. H. Harriman of New York, Congressman Joseph E. Randall, president of the National River and Harbor association; H. D. Loveland of San Francisco, John Henry Smith of Salt Lake city and John Barrett, American minister to Colombia.

The following named United States senators have accepted invitations to participate: J. H. Patterson and Henry M. Teller of Colorado, Elmer J. Burkett and Joseph H. Millard of Nebraska, Chester I. Long and Senator Benson of Kansas, William Warner of Missouri, Weldon D. Heyburn and Fred T. Dubois of Idaho, Samuel A. Piles and Levi Ankeny of Washington and Charles A. Culberson of Texas.

The governors of several states have accepted invitations to attend the congress.

WASHINGTON NOTES.
Ralph Doan, 16 years old, son of L. A. Doan of Endicott, while hunting for ducks on the Palouse river, was accidentally killed by the discharge of his shotgun.

One of the most up to date churches in the northwest is the new Christian church, just receiving finishing touches at Walla Walla. The total cost will be \$50,000.

A poultry show will be held in Spokane next January.

Spokane may get supreme court sessions.

The executive council of the Washington State Bankers' association has taken preliminary steps toward the framing of a new state banking law.

Superior Judge Albertson of Seattle has rendered an oral decision sustaining the legal validity of the proposed issuance of \$500,000 in King county bonds to reimburse James A. Moore after he has constructed the proposed Lake Washington canal.

Mrs. Maud Creffield, widow of the notorious "Holy Roller" Creffield, murdered by George Mitchell in Seattle, who in turn was murdered by Esther Mitchell, his sister, is on the verge of nervous collapse. Mrs. Creffield is held in the county jail in Seattle as a prisoner with Esther Mitchell.

Governor Mead has announced that he will name citizens' committees respectively to visit the state school for deaf and blind at Vancouver and the state reform school at Chehalis to investigate and make suggestions.

Strong pressure brought to bear by the Washington farmers has done much to induce the state of Oregon to continue the operation of the portage road along the Columbia river at Celilo.

Chester Thompson, accused of murder in the first degree for the killing of G. Meade Emory on July 7, will be tried in Tacoma, the county seat of Pierce county. Judge Frater has granted a change of venue asked for by Thompson.

Free letter carriers will soon be installed at Ellensburg.

B. Wagner, one of the most extensive fruit growers in the Wenatchee valley, is in Australia marketing six carloads of fancy apples which he shipped from here a few weeks ago.

Burglars recently entered the Oregon Railroad & Navigation depot at Garfield and dynamited the big railroad safe, blowing it into small pieces. They secured little cash.

The body of an unknown man was found by the Great Northern section gang near Winchester.

Action has been taken by the board of county commissioners to advance Pierce county from the third to the first class.

A telegram to Olympia from Walla Walla censures the board of control for not making more purchases of jute and stating that farmers of eastern Washington "would lose from \$500,000 to \$750,000 this season" because of the shutdown of the jutemill.

The new town of Harvard, 23 miles east of Palouse on the Washington, Idaho & Montana railroad, has been given a postoffice by the department.

Henry Vincent, one of the most extensive wheatgrowers in the Walla Walla valley, has acquired the entire equipment of farm machinery and live stock owned by John Hoffman, together with a lease of his 3500 acre ranch on Eureka flat for six years, with an option for 10.

W. H. Brown, aged 75, one of Walla Walla's early pioneers, is dead at his home in Walla Walla. He died of heart failure.

The Building Trades assembly of Tacoma has decided to adopt the "card rule" on all building operations in Tacoma, as a means of assisting the striking plumbers. This action will result in union men refusing to work where plumbers are employed who do not possess a card.

Whole Train Leaves Track.
Bloomington, Ill.—The Nashville special on the Illinois Central, northbound, was wrecked at Buckley, north of here.

The whole train left the track, but none of the coaches turned over.

Fifteen of the passengers and train crew were more or less injured, none fatally.

The accident was caused by a broken rail.

TWO TERMS PLENTY

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT SAYS HE IS NOT A CANDIDATE.

Makes the Statement at Recent Conference at Whitehouse—Thinks two terms is Sufficient for the President of the United States—Regards This as His Second Term.

It was announced at Washington, D. C., Sunday that President Roosevelt before starting on his Panama trip took occasion at a White House conference to again strongly reiterate his public announcement "that no combination of circumstances could induce him to become a candidate for reelection in 1908." It is said the subject was broached by one of the callers alluding to frequent publications which declared the president to be the logical man to lead his party to victory.

The president, in declaring that he had not changed his mind, expressed appreciation of the compliment implied. He said that while the suggestion was no doubt made in all sincerity, it was embarrassing because it created the impression that he could be swayed from his former attitude.

He said his decision to retire at the conclusion of his present term was irrevocable. The president subscribed to the time honored tradition that the president of the United States could not serve more than two terms. He regarded this as his second term.

He scouted the suggestion that the policies he had been pursuing could not, or would not, be carried to their conclusion by his successor, whoever he might be.

Late Message From Voyagers.
According to wireless messages received at the White House from the battleship Louisiana, President Roosevelt and party are experiencing fine weather and greatly enjoying the trip.

The president and Mrs. Roosevelt are greatly enjoying the trip, spending a great deal of time on deck.

MONTANA ITEMS.
William Penna, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Susie Bryant in Butte, has been sentenced to death by Judge Donlan.

Percival Simmons, a deserter from Company H, Fourteenth infantry, United States army, was shot and perhaps fatally wounded at Vancouver by Policeman Secrist while attempting to evade arrest. The shooting was accidental.

With the usual suddenness of attacks of heart disease, Antone Marceau, one of Butte's earliest pioneers, died recently at the age of 66.

August Mier, who is reputed to be the most skillful hunter of big game in the Lewistown section of the state, recently mistook a companion, S. E. Miller, for a deer, and fired on him with fatal effect. The men reside on Beaver creek, where both are engaged in ranching.

Steve Stanich, the young man who wandered away from his uncle's home at Anaconda about three weeks ago, is still missing and unheard from.

F. E. Garside, late cashier of the Aetna Banking and Trust company, is coming back to Butte in charge of Deputy Sheriff Frank Burke.

The Butte Elks have organized for their annual minstrel show, which is soon to be presented.

All the mines of the Amalgamated company, in Montana, are in better shape now than ever. So says Ben B. Thayer, official examiner, N. Y., who has finished inspection. He says shafts are going deeper and that two are now en route to the twenty-six hundred-foot mark. Electric pumping machinery may be installed in high ore property.

TWO DIE IN S. P. WRECK.
Trainmen Victims—Many Passengers Injured.

San Jose, Cal., Nov. 12.—Two men were killed, another fatally injured, and many passengers more or less shaken up and cut by broken glass by an accident to the Southern Pacific express No. 10, southbound from San Francisco to New Orleans, opposite the depot at Sargents station, 37 miles south of San Francisco, at 9:35 o'clock Saturday night.

The dead are Engineer Gillespie and Signal Construction Foreman Goodfellow.

The accident was caused by the explosion of the engine boiler, the force of which blew the depot to pieces, tore up the track for a hundred feet on both sides of the place, and turned over the first four cars of the train.

Horrible Death on Rails.
New York.—Three men were killed by being run over by a switch engine at Park avenue and Fifty-sixth street Saturday. The men were at work setting third rails for the New York Central road and the locomotive came upon them without warning. Two of the men were dragged several hundred feet and terribly mangled.

Steal a Memorial Tablet.
New York.—The bronze tablet on the monument erected in the Lutheran cemetery, on the outskirts of Brooklyn, to the memory of the victims of the burning of the steamer General Slocum has been stolen.

The cost of the tablet, which was three feet square, was about \$450.

BUILDING COLLAPSED

TWELVE WORKMEN KILLED IN LONG BEACH, CAL., HOTEL.

The \$75,000 Bixby Hotel in Ruine—150 Men Were Scattered Through the New Structure—Was Built on Beach Sands, Facing Ocean—Rescuers Went to Work Immediately.

With no warning save the cries of workmen who first felt the floors sag beneath their feet, five stories of the central wing of the new \$75,000 Bixby hotel at Long Beach, Cal., collapsed, carrying 11 men to death in the tons of tangled wreckage. About 150 artisans and laborers were scattered through the structure at the moment it fell, and nearly a hundred were carried down.

Twelve bodies have been taken from the mass of debris in the basement. Three other bodies have been located under the ruins, making 15 the total known dead. All of the men on the contractors' rolls are accounted for save one, and nine injured are being cared for at the hospital. None of the injured will die.

The new hotel is built on the beach sands facing the ocean. To this fact Contractor A. F. Spaulding attributes the disaster, claiming that the footings were insecure and weakened the structure.

John A. Austin of the firm of Austin & Brown, architects for the building, ascribes the disaster to the premature removal of the support of the concrete work on the fifth floor, alleging that the cement had been given but three instead of six weeks to set. Almost without exception the men contend that the building fell from the top, carrying the lower floors with it.

Immediately after the collapse of the structure hundreds of bystanders lent willing aid in the work of rescue.

At the first call for help the women of Long Beach began preparing food for the rescuers and established commissary tables near the building.

Forty Lives Lost in Wreck Near Chicago

Chicago, Nov. 13.—The officials of the Baltimore & Ohio announce that they have received positive news from the wreck at Woodville and it was known that out of the 185 persons on the train 40 were killed, 85 others injured and 60 escaped unhurt.

Later Report—A wreck occurred Monday on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Woodville, Ind., about 80 miles from this city. Reports so far are conflicting, but the majority of them place the number of dead at five killed outright in the collision, 20 to 30 others caught in the wreckage and burned to death and 25 seriously injured.

The accident is said to have been caused by a confusion regarding signals, which allowed the immigrant train to pass a station when a freight was approaching from the opposite direction.

Gen. Shafter Is Dead

Major General William Rufus Shafter, U. S. A., retired, died last Monday at the ranch of Captain W. H. McKittrick, his son-in-law, 20 miles south of Bakersfield, Cal., after an illness of seven days, despite the best medical attention in California.

ROGERS AS TRUST BUSTER.
Standard Oil Magnate on Trail of Offender.

Fairhaven, Mass., Nov. 14.—Henry H. Rogers of the Standard Oil company is about to start out as a "trust buster." The company to which he will first turn his attention is one of the strongest combinations in the United States, the United Shoe Machinery company. All this has come from the announcement just made that a new shoe machinery company is at once to be started in this town, in which Mr. Rogers is deeply interested.

Disarm Negro Troops.
El Reno, Okla., Nov. 11.—The members of Companies B, S and D of the Twenty-fifth infantry (colored), recently ordered dismissed by President Roosevelt as a result of the riotous disturbances at Brownsville, Texas, on August 13, were formally disbanded Sunday. Many of the men, some of whom had been a service more than 20 years, shed tears when they gave up their guns.

Rioters Shoot a Priest.
Mitchell, S. D., Nov. 11.—Shot while attempting to quell a riot on a Milwaukee railroad train, the Rev. John Phelan, a Catholic priest of Sibley, is dying. Eight men were engaged in the fight, and Father Phelan rushed among them just as weapons were drawn. One of the number sent a bullet through the priest's head.

Curb Unions Too Much.
Superior Judge McEwen of Chicago agrees with organized labor that "government by injunction" has gone too far.

FOOTBALL GAMES SATURDAY.

At Champaign—Illinois 6, Wisconsin 16.

At Hanover—Dartmouth 4, Amherst 0.
At Andover—Andover 6, Exeter 0.
At Topeka—Washburn 0, Kansas university 0.

At Washington—Georgetown university 0, University of Virginia 12.
At Columbia, Mo.—Missouri university 11, Arkansas university 0.
At Columbus, Ohio—Ohio State university 10, Kenyon college 0.
At Omaha—Nebraska 17, Creighton 0.

At Fort Collins—University of Colorado 0, State Agricultural college 0.
At Washington—Virginia 12, Georgetown 0.

At Berkeley.—Stanford gained a victory over the University of California in the first Rugby intercollegiate contest by a score of 6 to 3. Ten thousand spectators crowded the big football arena to witness the struggle.

At Philadelphia.—Despite the fact that Pennsylvania showed marked improvement in her play its team was played to a standstill by Lafayette and the game ended without a score by either side.

At New Haven, Conn.—Speed, staying and running power won at Yale field a victory for the Yale eleven over the Brown team in one of the hardest football battles of the season. The final score was 5 to 0.

At Spokane speed, generalship and luck won the game for the Spokane high school against Coach Johnny Bender's heavy "preps" from the Washington State college. The final score was 21 to 11.

At Seattle, for the third time, the University of Washington has played a tie game of no score. Willamette was much stronger than was expected, forcing Washington to put forth her best efforts. From the kickoff it was plainly evident that there would be many hairbreadth escapes, as each team was playing tricky football.

At Chicago Minnesota's giant eleven defeated the University of Chicago football team by a score of 4 to 2. The game was one of the most remarkable ever seen in the west.

At West Point Princeton defeated the West Point cadets on the football field by a score of 8 to 0.

SPORTING NOTES.
Tacoma will play ball in 1907 and George Shreeder, the head of the club, promises that the team will be stronger and better than ever.

In a football game at Menominee, Wis., between the Stout manual and high school Saturday Arthur Olsen of Oconomowoc, quarterback for the manuals, was crushed in a mass play and sustained a serious injury to the brain.

In a football game at Fort Shaw, Mont., between the Great Falls and Fort Shaw Indian team, James Curtis, fullback for the Great Falls team, was killed in a scrimmage. Curtis was 22 years of age and a native of Syracuse, N. Y., where his parents live.

Louie Long was given the decision over Kid Harrison in the 14th round of their fight at Palouse City, Wash., Saturday night, after a bout which proved fairly satisfactory to the Palouse fans, despite its unfortunate ending with a foul.

GOT \$650,000 IN COIN.
Men Who Robbed Rogow Station Worked in Good Order.

Rogow, Russian Poland.—The Cosacks have thus far been unsuccessful in their pursuit of the revolutionist train robbers, numbering 100 well armed men, who at 9 o'clock at night surrounded this station, threw three bombs at the mail car of a train while engines were being changed, derailed the car, robbed it and fled with a sum of money now said to amount to \$650,000.

The station master declares the revolutionists hid in the neighboring forests and were excellently disciplined, their commander giving orders through bugle signals. When the robbery was completed the revolutionists transported their booty to two wagons and marched off in military order, singing socialistic songs.

Fights Burglar; Is Slain.
Pittsburg.—Henry F. Smith, the 25 year old son of Joseph Smith, a wealthy business man, was shot twice and almost instantly killed by a burglar, whom he surprised in the dining room of his father's residence in the east end. That a desperate battle took place between young Smith and the burglar is evident from the disordered condition of the dining room and kitchen.

California Train Wrecked.
Marysville, Cal.—A northbound local Southern Pacific train was derailed here, the engine, tender and baggage car going off a 15 foot embankment. Engineer McManara was hurt internally and badly scalded. Fireman Ed Allen had his left leg broken and his body and limbs fearfully scalded.

Trouble Over the Language.
Berlin.—Fifty thousand Polish children persist in refusing to respond in the German language to religious instruction in the public schools and the Prussian government continues to apply measures designed to convince the children and their parents that their resistance will be of no avail.

Pet Buck Deer Slays Him.
It has been definitely established at Mont Clair, N. J., that a pet buck deer killed Herbert Bradley, a wealthy flour exporter, whose dead body was found on the preserve at his home there.

A THEATER TRUST

WILL INCLUDE 350 OF LARGEST THEATERS IN THE U. S.

They Will Plan All Tours—To Be Represented in Every City in the United States—Is \$50,000,000 Combine—To Include Klaw & Erlanger, the Frohmans, Al Hayman and Others.

Chicago.—The Tribune says: The most gigantic theatrical combination in the world of which the biggest syndicate now in existence will be only a part is in the process of formation in Chicago. The new combination is to include 350 of the most important theaters in the United States, from New York to San Francisco and from Portland to New Orleans, will dictate matters of bookings, tours of all big companies, and, in a word, do the theatrical business of the United States, if not the world.

Although the combination is still in the process of formation the following interests as slated are those to go into it:

Klaw & Erlanger, Daniel Frohman, Charles Frohman, Al Hayman, Nixon & Zimmerman, Rich & Harris, Orpheum circuit.

Is \$50,000,000 Combine.
It is estimated by some of the managers who expect to go into the new combination that the properties controlled by the corporation will value far in excess of \$50,000,000. According to present plans a new corporation will be formed, probably under the laws of Illinois. Its capital stock will be placed some where between \$50,000,000 and \$100,000,000.

IDAHO NEWS.
Heavy rains the past week caused a rise of four feet in the Clearwater river and put a stop to construction work on the railway bridge.

The Hope postoffice was robbed recently, the robbers securing about \$15 from the till, which was found later on the lakefront.

Judge Dooley is still the court at Hope. Although Hope went republican by a large majority Justice John Dooley was reelected. He was the only democrat elected.

Fire originating from a defective flue in the Reynolds hotel, Orofino, destroyed the building and store and contents of the White Front Furniture company; total loss, \$3500.

It is said plans are being perfected for the building of a tie treating plant by the Northern Pacific to be located in Sandpoint. Its cost is estimated at from \$150,000 to \$200,000, depending upon the process decided upon for treating the timber.

It is definitely settled that Judge Frank J. Smith of the Seventh district, before whom the Moyer-Haywood cases are pending, has been defeated by Edward L. Bryan by about 50 votes.

A brickyard may be established at Spalding soon, where fire and paving brick will be made in large quantities, also white pressed brick.

A monster wildcat was captured recently in a steel trap by C. W. Bittle of Hatwal creek.

When President Roosevelt, before leaving for Panama, issued a proclamation creating four new forest reserves in Idaho, and enlarging two others, he added to the reserve area of the state 7,406,556 acres. He created every reserve recommended by the forest service, including the Shoshone reserve in northern Idaho, which was so vigorously fought by Senator Heyburn.

The Shoshone reserve is created in conjunction with the Coeur d'Alene reserve, adjoining it on the north, and two others to be known as the Coeur d'Alene reserve. Their aggregate area is 2,250,000 acres. They lie in Shoshone and Kootenai counties, extending northward to the middle of Lake Pend d'Oreille.

The Lemhi reserve, next in size, embraces 1,464,400 acres in Lemhi and Custer counties. This reserve consists of three narrow strips of land running northwest and southeast adjoining the Montana boundary. Innumerable streams that empty into the Lemhi river head in this territory.

In extreme northeastern Idaho, on the British Columbia and Montana lines, 165,240 acres have been reserved, forming but a small segment of the larger Kootenai reserve in Montana. Like the Lemhi, this reserve lies on the west slope of the Rocky mountains.

The Salmon river reserve in Lemhi and Custer counties embraces 2,201,120 acres. It comprises a solid block of mountainous country lying between the Salmon river and the middle fork of the Salmon river.

In Cassia and Oneida counties 291,976 acres have been set apart as the Raft river reserve, embracing many tributaries of Raft river and Deep creek.

Numerous additions are made to the Sawtooth reserve, their aggregate area being 1,371,760 acres. These additions are made at various points along the present boundary.

Drink Evil in the U. S. Army.
Washington.—The resolutions favoring the restoration of the army canteen for the sale of beer and light wines to soldiers under proper restrictions, unanimously adopted by Advance tent, Independent Order of Rechabites of this city, perhaps the oldest temperance organization in the world, have aroused great interest in temperance circles.