

# RECEIVERS LET OUT

**Resignations of the Northern Pacific Trio Accepted at Milwaukee.**

**Bondholders Urged Postponement but the Request Was Denied.**

**Attorneys for All Concerned Agree to Have Two New Receivers.**

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 30.—The resignations of the Northern Pacific receivers have been accepted, and Judge Jenkins will shortly appoint their successors or successor.

The representatives of the bondholders all urged the court to postpone action on the resignation of the receivers for several weeks and thereby enable the different parties interested in the Northern Pacific railroad to get together and harmoniously agree upon some one plan for the continuation of the administration of the property from one common head. In making this suggestion they also expressed the hope that the different courts of the districts traversed by the Northern Pacific railroad might mutually agree as to which of them is to have the general direction of the receivers and of the administration of the property as a unit, thus

**Preserving the Integrity** of the Northern Pacific. The arguments occupied several hours, and were listened to by one of the largest assemblages of lawyers ever seen in a court in Milwaukee. Finally Judge Jenkins announced his decision. He went briefly into the history of the Northern Pacific receivership, recalled the fact that the primary jurisdiction of the court of Milwaukee had been recognized for the past two years by all the courts along the Northern Pacific railroad, defined the relation of courts to one another under such circumstances, speaking of the comity recognized as a rule by courts, and with the remark that he would gladly wash his hands of the whole thing, but that duty compelled him to keep control of the case, he announced that the receivers' resignations were accepted, and that nominations of their successors were in order.

**Will Name Two Receivers.** Judge Jenkins will appoint two receivers, that number having been consented to by all sides. The attorneys interested, who are now on the way to Seattle, it is understood, will arrive at some agreement soon, and it is said to be practically decided among them to recognize the jurisdiction of one court, that of Judge Jenkins, and to have one receiver representing the interest of the stockholders. Brayton Ives is already on the way to Seattle and a general conference with him is likely to take place. If no agreement is arrived at the result may be the existence of two receiverships, the jurisdiction of one extending from Ashland, Wis., to Montana, and the other from Montana to the Pacific coast.

## AMERICAN BANK IN CHINA.

Consul General Jernigan Urges the Establishment of One.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The establishment of an American bank in Shanghai is strongly urged by Consul General Jernigan in a report to the state department. He says such an institution would evidence the permanency of American interests in China and would aid in enlarging the United States trade there. After comparing the commerce of Europe and America in China, the consul general asks: "Why should Americans not dominate the commerce of Asian lands and seas?" He adds that there is every reason why the business men of the United States, by well directed effort, should secure the banking supremacy in China.

## Spain Pays in Gold.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Secretary Olney has received information that the Mora draft for almost a million and a half dollars had been paid in London Friday by the Spanish financial agent. The money was paid in gold, and probably will be transferred to this country by cable drafts and placed to Secretary Olney's credit in the New York sub-treasury.

## The New Torpedo Boats.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Secretary Herbert has awarded the Herreshoff Manufacturing company the contract for building two of the torpedo boats authorized by the last act of congress. Mr. Herreshoff was the lowest bidder at \$144,000 for each boat. The third boat will go to Moran Bros. of Seattle, Wash.

## One hundred ministers Present.

LE MARS, Ia., Sept. 30.—The conference of the German Methodist church for the district embracing Iowa, Montana, Illinois, part of Wisconsin and all of South Dakota is in session here. Bishop Joyce of Chattanooga presides. About 100 ministers are in attendance.

**Manitoba Farmers Lost Heavily.** WINNIPEG, Sept. 30.—Manitoba farmers lost heavily by prairie fires during the high wind storm. Telegraph advices from Morris and Boissevain state that several farmers lost all crops and buildings, while nearly every farmer of the district lost stacks of hay.

## Royal and Select Masters.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 30.—The council of Royal and Select Masters and the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will meet in St. Paul the second week of October.

## Reserve Takes Another Drop.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The treasury lost \$1,500,000 in gold during the day, which leaves the true amount of the gold reserve \$92,075,067.

## SPORTING NEWS.

American athletes won every event in the contest with Englishmen on Manhattan field.

The report that a challenge had been sent from England for a cup race next year is confirmed.

The Mexicans at the Atlanta exposition say that they will have bull fights, notwithstanding opposition.

Justice Hurt has decided there is no law in Texas to prevent prize fighting, thereby assuring the big mill.

Governor Culbertson refuses to accept as final Justice Hurt's decision in the prize fight case, and still intends to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill.

## RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

The proposition to restore the temporal power of the pope is regarded as absurd by leading Catholics.

It is announced that Dr. Talmage will become copastor to Dr. Sunderland of the First Presbyterian church of Washington—the president's church.

## NEWS OF LEGAL NATURE.

The United States supreme court will meet on Monday, Oct. 14.

Cubans charged with filibustering at Wilmington, Del., have been acquitted.

The Grand Army proposes to test the question whether or not a pension granted is a vested right.

The department of justice at Washington has promised to aid Attorney General Moloney of Illinois in his fight upon the meat trust.

## UNFORTUNATE EVENTS.

Seven lives were lost by the sinking of a schooner on Lake Michigan.

Two boys perished in the snow and a man was nearly frozen to death in Wyoming.

Fire at Indianapolis destroyed a mercantile block and a bank building. The loss is \$500,000.

The steamer Edam was struck by the Turkistan off the English coast. All on board were saved.

In a Chicago and Alton freight wreck near Joliet, Ill., two tramps were killed and a third person injured.

A dispatch from Geneva, Switzerland, reports that a steamer ran into and sunk a rowboat there, drowning seven persons.

Dr. William Wilcox, the oldest medical practitioner in Irving Park, Ill., was almost instantly killed in a runaway.

## LABOR NEWS.

The convict labor system is said to be growing in Germany.

Two hundred employes of the Consolidated Steel and Wire company struck at Joliet, Ills.

Mrs. Lizzie Ficklin, a sister of the late Senator Alfred H. Colquitt, died at Charleston, Ills.

At Fall River, Mass., the Weaver's association at a meeting voted almost unanimously not to strike.

Naval machinists are kicking because when they re-enlist they are compelled to begin in the lowest grade.

The miners' strike in the Laurel (Va.) district, pending since May 1, ended by the acceptance of the old scale of 70 cents a ton.

## CRIMINAL NEWS.

The hoodling cases at Butte, Mon., have been dropped.

Seven indictments are expected in the legislative boodle investigation, Springfield, Ills.

Another attempt was made to assassinate Rev. J. F. Olney, the Parkhurst of Lemont, Ills.

The National Bank of Illinois at Chicago is mourning the loss of nearly \$20,000 by defaulters.

The Skelton brothers were acquitted at Scottsboro, Ala., for the murder of Banker R. C. Ross.

Dr. George W. Fraker waived examination and was returned to jail in default of \$20,000 bail.

The Merchants' Loan and Trust company of Chicago is out nearly \$35,000, the result of a defalcation.

John and James Howard, moonshiners, were mortally wounded by revenue officers in Knott county, Ky.

No indictments against legislative hoodlers have yet been returned by the Sangamon county (Ills.) grand jury.

A young Mexican was arrested in Chicago charged with smuggling. Diamonds valued at \$4,000 were found in his baggage.

A fraud order has been issued against the American Savings and Loan association of Saginaw on the ground that it is a lottery.

Corrupt practices at the late session of the Illinois legislature were disclosed by witnesses before the Sangamon county grand jury.

Dr. H. S. Town of San Antonio was arrested at Hot Springs, Ark., and confessed to drugging and robbing a prominent lady of Louisiana.

The prosecution in the case of Durant at San Francisco announced that its witnesses would be through with direct examination next Wednesday.

At Stamford, Conn., Mrs. Henry Dudley, a young mulatto woman, was murdered by Mack Simpkins, a colored plumber, who afterwards ended his own life by cutting his throat with a razor.

## THE DEATH RECORD.

Receiver Wilson of the Santa Fe, died suddenly in New York.

Dr. W. F. Wright, one of the best known surgeons of the South, died at Nashville.

Dr. Burnette, the New York physician who became inoculated with cancer while treating a patient, is dead.

S. Corning Judd, postmaster of Chicago during President Cleveland's first administration and a leading lawyer in Illinois, died Sunday.

Mrs. Colonel Eadie, wife of Colonel William Eadie, second in command of the Salvation Army of the United States, died Sunday in New York.

Ex-Congressman Charles Stewart of Houston, Tex., is dead. He was elected to congress from the First Texas district to the Forty-ninth congress and served until March 4, 1894.

## WEEKLY NEWS SUMMARY

Important Events Far and Near Briefly Reported.

## NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

It is authoritatively stated that no bond issue is in contemplation.

Washington Italians celebrated Italy's national day with various festivities.

The postoffice department is experimenting with some new mail pouches.

Requisition has been made upon the treasury for \$10,000,000 pension money.

Uncle Sam is preparing to satisfy himself whether France is juggling with the Waller case.

The schooner Lark has been seized near Cedar Keys, charged with attempted filibustering.

Secretary Olney is said to be ready to recognize Cuban belligerency as soon as Cleveland gives the word.

Secretary Lamont is preparing to cover the deficiency of salaries to enlisted men as well as to officers.

President Cleveland has extended civil service to consuls receiving salaries between \$1,000 and \$2,500.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Maxwell has about finished his annual report on fourth-class postoffices.

Secretary Olney may not distribute the Mora claim money until all assignment entanglements are adjusted.

President Cleveland is said to have determined to repudiate the third term idea in a speech at the Atlanta exposition.

Minister Denby has called the state department that China has withdrawn opposition to the investigation of the Cheng-Tu riots.

The treasury Friday lost \$150,000 in gold for export, and gained \$75,000 by deposits, leaving the true amount of gold reserve \$95,712,398.

Naval officers say that the reason American whites do not enlist in the navy more is because they have to meet negroes on an equality.

## POLITICAL NEWS.

The consolidation of several silver leagues was completed at Chicago.

Senator Vest denies that he changed his views upon the silver question.

G. A. R. ex-Commander Lawler is said to have a hankering after becoming governor of Illinois.

Senator Peffer has bought the controlling interest in the Topeka Advocate, a Populist paper.

Congressman Stone of Kentucky says that Democratic chances in that state are improving every day.

The political situation in North Carolina is regarded with some apprehension by straight out Democrats.

Kentuckians in Washington are hot over the alleged interference in their politics by ex-Secretary Whitney.

It is said to be doubtful if the senate would confirm Hornblower to a seat on the supreme bench, even if Hill supports.

A dispatch to a New York paper from Louisville that Whitney had called a halt to the administration fight on the state ticket in Kentucky is believed to have emanated from Whitney's presidential bureau.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

Spain has appointed four new consuls to watch filibusters in Florida.

Trouble has broken out on the Brazilian border with French colonists.

In two provinces of Russia 2,581 deaths from cholera have occurred.

The Turkish government is preparing to lay torpedoes in the Dardanelles.

Reports from China state that thousands of deaths from cholera occur daily.

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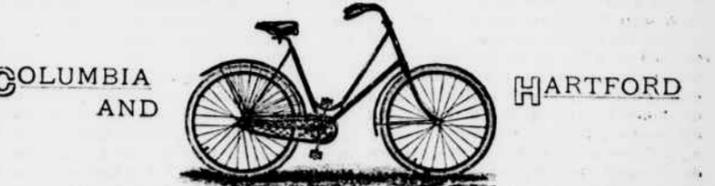
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