

WORLD'S NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

CULLED FROM DISPATCHES.

Complete Review of Happenings in Both Eastern and Western Hemispheres for the Past Week—National, Historical, Political and Personal Events Tensely Expounded.

Fire at Jennings, La., recently destroyed property valued at more than \$500,000.

The payment to Indians of the funds appropriated by the last session of congress for their Siletz reservation lands has commenced at the agency.

Mrs. Alexander Drysdale, wife of one of the most prominent Eureka Flat (Wash.) ranchers, committed suicide by taking strychnine, recently, at her home twelve miles from Prescott.

G. G. Ross, an oiler at the Northport smelter, made a misstep and fell thirty feet to the brick pavement of the blast room. Internal injuries are feared.

Fire has practically destroyed the business portion of Clifford, N. D. Loss, \$50,000. Insurance, \$21,000. The fire probably was started by burglars in their attempt to blow a safe in a butcher shop.

In a fight between the crew of an O. R. & N. freight train and tramps, who were stealing a ride, Walter Rose of Shawneetown, Ill., was shot by Conductor Laughlin, ten miles east of Portland. Rose is in a hospital here in a serious condition, but he may ultimately recover.

At Port Huron, Mich., recently, fire destroyed two large adjoining grain elevators owned by the Botsford Elevator company, entailing a loss of \$300,000. The loss on the building is estimated at \$125,000; on the 265,000 bushels of grain, \$175,000.

John Morley, M. P., speaking recently at Forfar, Scotland, asserted that the ordinary annual expenditures of the British government had increased £26,000,000 during the last ten years, or including the suspension of the sinking fund, £32,000,000. He declared that there was a real danger ahead of the country.

News of a new Klondike strike was brought to Vancouver, B. C., by the steamer Amur. The strike is on Conglomerate creek, a tributary of Montana creek. The price of claims jumped from \$100 to \$5,000 in a few days, and undaunted by the nearness of winter on October 20 a party of eleven set out for Conglomerate on a prospecting tour.

President Roosevelt has decided not to make any more appointments of importance until congress meets.

A violent dispute with Paul Lessar, Russian minister to China, over the Manchurian treaty, appears to have been the immediate cause of the death of Li Hung Chang.

At Baltimore, Md., Peter Maher put a sudden stop to the championship aspirations of Jim Jeffords of California recently in the second round of what was to have been a ten-round contest.

At Omaha, Neb., the jury in the case of James Callahan, after being out thirty-six hours, brought in a verdict finding the defendant not guilty. This is the last echo in the Cudahy kidnaping case, and Callahan is acquitted of the kidnaping charge.

Minister Conger at Pekin has informed the state department that Yuan Shi Kai has been appointed to succeed Li Hung Chang as viceroy of Chi Li, and that Wang Wen Shao has been appointed deputy viceroy of the same province. Yuan is the present viceroy of Shan Tung province.

At New York Mrs. Archibald S. White, 46 years old, wife of the president of the National Salt company, was found dead in the bathroom of the residence on Eighty-sixth street recently. A slip on the floor of the bathroom caused her to fall backward, her head striking the edge of a marble basin fracturing her skull.

President James J. Hill will be the dominating influence in a new corporation which is to take in the Great Northern and Northern Pacific. A large number of the reorganized board of directors of the Burlington, probably half, will, it is understood, represent the Union Pacific directly, and that company will in any event have a half voting interest in Burlington affairs. There will, of course, be no extension to Salt Lake to meet Senator Clark's road, or to any other point not fully countenanced by the Union Pacific representatives in the Burlington's board.

The democratic party has adopted General Bartholomew Masso as its candidate for the presidency of Cuba. It is asserted that the brigands have recently been treating Miss Stone with more severity in order to exercise pressure and to compel a more ready acceptance of their conditions.

Fire broke out in mine No. 7 of the Pacific Coast company at Franklin near Seattle, and one miner, Jacob Rose, is missing. The other members of the shift reached safety without difficulty.

The French foreign office has announced that the sultan has signed an order for the execution of his engagements with the French government and that the Franco-Turkish dispute is at an end.

At Valley City, N. D., while an omnibus was on its way to North City, it was held up by masked men. Half of the 18 passengers aboard were robbed of money and other valuables to the amount of about \$400.

N. R. Murphy was drowned or suffocated to death. J. W. Russell was scalded to death and James McMahon and W. B. Hoover were each badly scalded at the Kansas City packing house of Schwarzschild & Sulzeberger,

while attempting to repair some pumping machinery below ground.

Ireland's hopes and aims were told in dramatic language to 2000 men and women in Mechanics' hall, Boston, Sunday by the Irish envoys, John P. Redmond, M. A. McHugh and Thomas C. Donnell. The president of the evening was William Lloyd Garrison. His address was in keeping with the sentiment of the evening.

A striking illustration of the growth of the American navy is presented in a single statement in the report of Rear Admiral R. B. Bradford, chief of the equipment bureau of the navy, that he spent \$2,227,111 the last fiscal year for 324,100 tons of coal at an average cost of \$7.01 per ton. The report says that this was nearly 95,813 more tons of coal than was used during the preceding fiscal year.

The corpse sent to Little Rock, Ark., from Jeffersonville, Ind., as that of Newell C. Rathbun, United States recruiting officer, who was reported to have died in a Jeffersonville hotel recently, is not the body of Rathbun, according to the statement of Manager Samuel Russell of the New York Life Insurance company, which company carried life insurance on Rathbun's life. Mrs. J. C. Watkins, with whom Rathbun boarded up to a short time ago, and others, also say the body is not that of Rathbun.

At St. Petersburg the ministry of agriculture has presented its annual report for the crop of European Russia. The crop was below average, it is said, and in some parts of the east and south "there were bad places very bad." The staple grain, rye, was particularly deficient. Winter wheat was "bad" in the Don province, Poland, and the Baltic provinces and good only in the southwest. All summer grains were below average and rye was "bad to very bad" in the east and southeast, summer wheat and oats being notably deficient.

Football Games.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 11.—The Yale university football eleven started with the ball at their own 45 yard line in the first moments of the game with Orange Athletic eleven Saturday and rushed it for 30 yards for the first touchdown in short order. Olcott kicked a goal. This process was repeated throughout the game. Total score: Yale 35, Orange 0.

New York, Nov. 10.—With an eleven made up largely of substitutes, Cornell defeated Lehigh here Saturday by the score of 30 to 0. The contest was marked by both brilliant and erratic work. In the second half there was a notable improvement in the showing of both elevens.

The Spokane high school football team lost to the Normal school at Cheney Saturday by a score of 10 to 6.

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The football game here Saturday between the West Point academy and Princeton elevens resulted in a tie score, 6 to 6.

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—The University of California won the eleventh annual football game Saturday from the Leland Stanford, Jr., eleven by a score of 2 to 0. California won by a safety play in the first half, when Overall cleverly blocked Hill's punt.

Pullman, Wash., Nov. 10.—Saturday afternoon on the college gridiron the home college eleven defeated the University of Oregon football eleven by a score of 16 to 0—three touchdowns and one goal, two touchdowns in the first half, one in the second.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—With a desperation born of long years of rivalry, Chicago and Northwestern universities battled on the gridiron Saturday and came out with honors practically even, although the score was Northwestern 6, Chicago 5.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—Harvard Saturday afternoon, on Franklin Field, administered to the University of Pennsylvania one of the worst defeats the latter has experienced since she has been in the front rank in the football world. The final score was Harvard 33, Pennsylvania 6.

Armenian's Annual Butcheries. New York, Nov. 11.—The sultan's yielding to the French demands brings out the full gravity of the possibilities of the effect of the French seizure of Mitylene upon the crumbling edifice of Turkish despotism, says the Constantinople correspondent of the World.

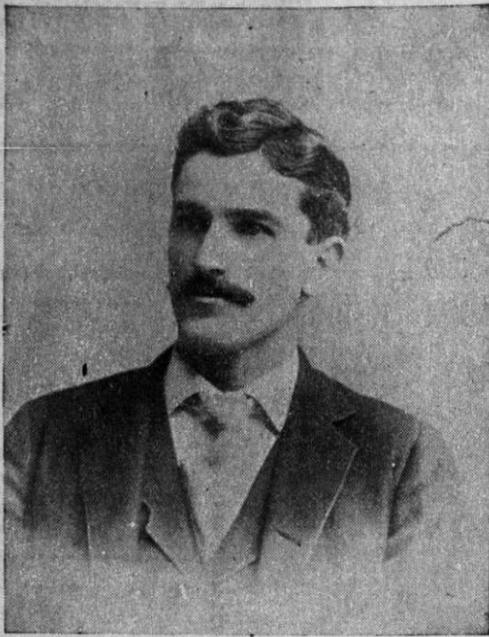
The whole of European Turkey is seething with disorder. In Armenia the annual butcheries have been in full swing for the past three months, and in the remainder of the empire there is the perennial violence, corruption, waste and lawlessness. From the army down to the magistracy every part of the machine of government is in a hopeless condition.

Found No Mineral. Helena, Mont., Nov. 11.—Assays of the material taken from the lead discovered on the federal building site in this city show that there is neither gold, silver nor any other valuable metal in the supposed rich strike of rock.

The certificate of the assayer making an analysis of the rock was filed with B. H. Tatem, assayer in charge of the United States assay office in Helena, who is custodian of the site.

Twelve Captured. Kansas City, Nov. 11.—Armed guards at many points kept up an unceasing search in the woods and on the highways between Leavenworth and Kansas City and the Kansas river for the convicts fleeing from the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth. As a result of the day's work three prisoners were taken, unarmed. This makes a total of 12 captured thus far, leaving 14 still at large.

Earthquake at Brescia. Brescia, Italy, Nov. 11.—A severe earthquake shock was experienced here today. The inhabitants were panic stricken and fled to the streets. A number of buildings were damaged, but no fatalities have been reported.



EXPRESS MESSENGER C. F. CHARLES.

Who refused to open the express car for the robbers that recently held up the Southern Pacific express train near Eugene, Oregon. His action prevented the robbers getting a large sum of money. Mr. Charles will be transferred to San Francisco and given substantial promotion by the Wells, Fargo Express Company.

IDAHO GLEANINGS.

Dr. T. A. Bishop has been appointed health officer of Bonners Ferry.

G. A. Roberts has been appointed postmaster at Magnolia to succeed E. T. Brandon.

Boise has voted to refund \$90,000 of 6 per cent bonds, hoping to float the new bonds at 5 per cent and a premium.

The mystery surrounding Lawrence Lingvall, the man who disappeared from Wallace, Idaho, recently, is no nearer being solved.

The state land board has completed the contract for the improvement of the St. Joe, St. Maries and Pack rivers, in Kootenai county.

One hundred and thirty prominent farmers have signed a protest against the new rates fixed by the Ridenbaugh canal and have refused to pay the same.

The Idaho Wool Growers' association has determined to test the validity of the law prohibiting the taking of sheep within two miles of a farmhouse or residence.

Illion Thurston was drowned recently in the St. Joe river, just above the Chatcolet bridge, about seven miles from Harrison, Ida. His body was brought to Harrison in a rowboat.

One hundred and thirteen documents were filed for record with the county recorder at Wallace last week, making a total for the year to date of 2815, as compared with 3381 for the same period last year.

The people of Salmon City are now for the first time burning coal. This is from the Pollard mine, but a short distance from the city. The fuel sells for \$5 per ton and is said to be satisfactory for all purposes.

While out hunting for duck near Medimont, Idaho, Otis Wolf accidentally shot his brother in law, Ed Yarber, in the flesh part of the thigh, inflicting a wound which will necessitate amputation. The whole charge, including wads, remained in the leg.

ORDER OF WASHINGTON.

Charges Against Supreme Officers Are Not Sustained.

Seattle, Nov. 11.—Supreme President W. W. Terry, Supreme Secretary J. L. Mitchell, Supreme Captain Paul Pfordner, and T. B. McDevitt, of the Order of Washington, have answered charges made by John R. Parker, president of the local union, regarding the organization. The supreme officers were indorsed in every possible manner by the members of the union, and whatever dissent there might have been disappeared when President Parker threw down his badge and withdrew from the meeting. A unanimous vote of confidence in the head officers was expressed by the Seattle union, and peace reigns, with the exception that Parker is to be tried under impeachment proceedings.

The Order of Washington has unions in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, and has a membership of over 12,000. The supreme officers are leading citizens of Portland. It is incorporated under the laws of Oregon, and was the first society authorized to do insurance business in Washington under the new law.

Miss Stone Suffers.

Sofia, Nov. 11.—In the latest letter received from Miss Stone she says she is exposed to much hardship and suffering owing to the constant movement of the band over hills and ravines, notwithstanding the rigors of the winter. In consequence of this activity, which has lately been increased by the Bulgarian troops, the condition of Madame Tsilka, Miss Stone's companion, is even more pitiable owing to her expected confinement.

The belief that Miss Stone is concealed in a village is thus discredited, as is the reported birth of a child to Madame Tsilka. The monastery Rilo was searched by the authorities, as the prisoners were reported to be concealed there. Troops are also searching the neighboring hills.

Consul General Dickinson conferred today with M. Raneff of the foreign office,

and it is understood that Mr. Dickinson made representations against the movements of the troops.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

A movement is on foot in Seattle to establish a state humane society.

Strawberries, fresh and ripe from the gardens, are still seen in some quantity on the Walla Walla market.

Contracts have been let to construct considerable new road down the San Poil river between West Fork and Keller.

Farmers around Pullman are changing their methods of farming, so that live stock will form an important part of it.

The proposition to have a reunion at Waitsburg of Spanish-American war volunteers living east of the mountains is talked of.

Thomas springs are to be developed with a view to getting a permanent water supply for Walla Walla. The decision was reached recently.

Phil McNulty is dead. He was a familiar figure in Spokane for over a dozen years, known to almost every politician in the state of Washington.

The Spokane county commissioners have offered a reward of \$250 for the arrest and conviction of W. A. Lewis, the fugitive attorney, who is wanted on the charge of embezzlement.

Fred Barnard, of Port Hill, Idaho, who was brought into Spokane from Camden, desperately wounded from a gun shot, died. The mystery surrounding the shooting is still unsolved.

Judge Linn, of the superior court of Thurston county, has declared the license section of the state game law unconstitutional, and this decision will probably nullify the law unless later the supreme court shall reverse the lower court.

Charles Adams ended a life wrecked by strong drink in Salties, Mont., last week by shooting himself through the head. He was well known in Spokane, and Waverly. He killed John Gaston in Waverly in a saloon row in the summer of 1900.

The work of the construction of the capitol annex is not proceeding as rapidly since the decision of the capitol commission to grant to the Goss Construction company no extension of time, but to hold to the contract for its immediate building.

C. R. Moys, a farmer living near Almeta, has two chestnut trees which he planted nine years ago, and they have been bearing for several years. Mr. Moys says the trees do well, and he thinks the raising of chestnuts could be made profitable.

A. D. Thayer of Waverly, is a farmer who has found the culture of sugar beets a profitable industry. This year he had 43 1/2 acres of land devoted to the raising of beets, from which he received 858,642 pounds, realing a net profit of \$950.51, or \$21.85 per acre.

The body of an unknown man in an advanced state of decomposition was found floating down the snake river 53 miles above Wallula last week. The corpse has been brought to Walla Walla, and will be interred at the county's expense. It is supposed to be the remains of Ole Olson, a Swede steambot hand, who disappeared at Texas Ferry, October 19.

The state board of control has concluded a lease of 160 acres of land from Adam Wonch of Spokane county. The land adjoins the Medical Lake insane asylum. All but a few acres is under cultivation. The state is to pay \$250 annually for the land, and has secured an option upon it at \$20 per acre in case the legislature concludes to purchase it.

To Earn Their Promotion.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The president today declared to Senator Cullom of Illinois that in making the promotions to the brigadier generalships soon to become vacant he would be governed entirely by the records; that it was his intention to promote those whose records showed they were most deserving of promotion; that neither personal considerations nor influence would count.

NORTHPORT FATAL QUARREL.

Between Union and Nonunion Men—Story of an Eye Witness.

Northport, Wash., Nov. 11.—Edward Kennedy, formerly blast foreman at the smelter, was probably fatally wounded in a battle between union and Joplin smeltermen, which occurred in Altmstrum Bros. saloon on Fourth street shortly after 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

An eye witness of the shooting gives the following account: "When I went into Altmstrum's saloon this afternoon Kennedy was standing at the bar singing. He stopped singing and said: 'I am a good union man and I don't care who knows it.' However, he did not seem to be trying to pick a quarrel with any one. The next moment the Joplin men went into the restaurant next door and came back with their coats off and they told the crowd to get out of the house. At this time another Joplin man came in at the back door and began shooting. He had two guns, and at least half a dozen shots were fired. Kennedy was hit by the last shot just as he was leaving through the back door."

Kennedy is well known both here and in Butte, where he was for some time blast foreman at the Heinze smelter.

Excitement is intense, and a great deal of feeling has been stirred up. This is the first serious shooting scrape which has resulted from the labor troubles here.

M. A. Stark of Joplin was arrested at the smelter about 5 o'clock this evening charged with assault with intent to kill City Marshal Deitrick and Deputy Sheriff Chris C. Anderson made the arrest after Stark left the Altmstrum's saloon this afternoon. He returned to the smelter and reported the trouble, and when the fliers came up he submitted to arrest without protest. He is accused of firing the shot which hit Kennedy. Deputy Sheriff Anderson took Stark to Colville on a light engine, which was chartered for the purpose, and left here at 8 p. m. This action was taken to avoid trouble which might arise on account of the bitter feeling here. A. L. Coons, another Joplin man who participated in the fracas, was also arrested and is in jail here. He is accused of pounding Kennedy over the head with a gun.

Kennedy is quite low, and is not expected to survive the night. The bullet entered his back on the right side, just below the shoulder blade, and ranged downward and to the left, perforating both lungs and the diaphragm, and probably lodging in the stomach or intestines. Peritonitis has set in, and there does not seem to be one chance in a hundred for him to pull through.

Many guns have been in evidence of late, and the expected has happened. The Joplin men have come down evenings and have gone home at times shouting and firing off their guns on the way.

Northport, Wash., Nov. 11.—Another Joplin man is under arrest. He is a big Missourian, but when he went into Paul Podany's saloon and displayed two revolvers he was thrown down, disarmed and thrown out of the place. He started after reinforcements and more artillery, but was overtaken by Deputy Sheriff Anderson, who placed him under arrest.

Ed Kennedy, who was shot yesterday in Altmstrum Bros. saloon, is in a slightly more encouraging condition this morning. The internal hemorrhage has stopped a little, he is somewhat stronger and there is thought to be a good fighting chance for his recovery. The bullet has not yet been located.

Will Hold Longbaugh.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 10.—The following telegram has been received by Chief of Police Kieley from Fort Benton, Mont.:

"Press reports say Harry Longbaugh is under arrest there and positively identified. Is this true? Must have official confirmation of this report in order to prepare necessary papers for extradition. Longbaugh was indicted here for Wagner train robbery and assault with intent to murder."

"CHARLES PRAY, County Attorney."

In reply the following was sent:

"We have under arrest John Arnold, alias John W. Rose, alias Cunningham, alias Harry Longbaugh, partially identified today as Harry Longbaugh. We have about \$7000, money known to have been taken from the Great Northern express car at Wagner, Mont., July 3. This man is undoubtedly one of the robbers. Am sending by today's mail his picture and description. If you want him, answer at once."

MATTHEW KIELEY,

"Chief of Police."

At a conference between Chiefs Kieley and Desmond, United States Prosecuting Attorney Rosier, Secret Service Agent Murphy and Pinkerton Agent Scumacher it was decided to keep the man supposed to be Longbaugh in St. Louis and prosecute him on the charge of forging the signatures of bank officials of Helena. This case and that of the woman, Laura Bullion, will be presented to the federal grand jury next Tuesday for whatever action they may take.

Were Killed in Samar Fight.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Rear Admiral Rodgers at Manila has cabled the secretary of the navy as follows:

"Privates George Lynch and E. A. Klonn killed in action at Sajoplalan, near Basey, Samar, on the 7th inst."

This probably refers to Major Waller's storming of the insurgent stronghold at Sojton, where it was reported two marines were killed.

Cracked an Indiana Safe.

Bedford, Ind., Nov. 11.—Crickmen gained access to the Campbellsburg bank at Campbellsburg, Washington county, 20 miles from here, early this morning and secured between \$12,000 and \$15,000 by blowing open the safe. The robbers escaped.

Vigorous Campaign.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The reorganization of the war department of the Philippines, which is to take effect on the 1st of December, will be divided into only two divisions, to include within their entire Philippine archipelago, be known as the department of Luzon, Mindanao and the south Philippines. The department will be commanded by General Wheaton, and will include the large islands of Luzon, Mindanao, the Visayas, and all the intervening islands of the southern department, which are commanded by brigadier general, who will include the remainder of the islands in accordance with the plan to institute a vigorous campaign against the insurrection which has recently become a troublesome in the islands of Leyte and in the southern Luzon.

It is said that the reduction of the number of the departments, in making the military forces efficient, will result in a saving of expenses.

Roosevelt on Commerce.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—The president in his message to congress will incorporate recommendations regarding the commerce commission, and will urge the passage of reorganization which will place the commission to become a power for traffic world.

Concerning the matter Chairman of the Commission said: "I am reliably informed that the president will treat of the commission make some recommendations that will enable the commission to make the law which created it should accomplish. I know the president is very much interested in the subject, and I believe he is giving the commission more power than it now possesses."

The essential facts secured in investigation which closed roads east and west out of the country and do not publish rates; that a condition exists in the freight association which proves that the roads eastbound are pooling on grain and products; that the cut rates in the routes which are not under the control of the commission; that the bill for domestic use moves as they thereby being granted a cut in the substantial discrepancy in the rates on grain and flour, and is a classification higher than products.

REPORT ON TRADE.

Bradstreet's report on the week says:

Colder weather throughout the country stimulated retail trade in cloths, shoes, drygoods and goods, and this has already reflected in an improved record from Western and Southern Collections, too, are more numerous. Country merchants are reporting a good financial shape, and this is found in the better sales of the week. The strength of the community generally. High prices have been made for certain street's figures for the world supply favors bears but little cables are better, and exports has been improved, both for corn, the strength of the market shared in by flour, the product which at Minneapolis and other centers is very heavy, and by price situation is one of the worst though some hesitation was during October.

While nearly all industries, special strength and activity been displayed in iron and steel. The coal trade was in good condition previous to the cold weather, the only source of complaint in the stocks in dealers hands, and the growing out of the scarcity of raw sugar is lower, in sympathy with the continued bearish feeling abroad, and refined is lower all around. Coffee is lower on smaller crop estimates.

Wheat, including flour, against 5,469,645 bushels last week, 3,555,507 bushels in this week. Failures in the United States gate 194, as against 172 last week in this week a year ago, 182 and 188 in 1898.

Canadian failures number against 18 last week.

Tacoma—1c higher; blue steel, club, 57c.

Portland, Ore.—Walla Walla bluestem, 57 1/4 @ 58c; valley, 57c.

Treasurer of Porto Rico.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The president has appointed William F. Willard to the District of Columbia treasury island of Porto Rico. Mr. Willard succeeded Jacob Hollander of New York who resigned some time ago.