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Kansas City, Dec. 2.—P. H. Morrissey, chief of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, said in an interview here:

"There will be no reduction of wages of trainmen in the event that congress passes a law providing for governmental supervision of rates and the abolition of rebates. The railroads may try to force economy in operation by stealthily increasing hours or by adding to the labors of trainmen, but I do not believe that there will be any reduction in wages. At the same time, we are with the railroads in their campaign to prevent any disturbance of the present situation. We declared in our last annual convention against any rate legislation that would tend to disturb present conditions.

THE CUBAN ELECTIONS.

President Palma With the Moderates Candidates Elected.

Havana, Dec. 2.—The political agitation which began six months ago with the national convention of the liberal party and which has dwindled since the withdrawal of Gen. Jose Miguel Gomez, the presidential candidate named by that convention, ended in an election that was so quiet and uninteresting as to cause scarcely a ripple of excitement. The vote cast was very light, this being due to the lack of interest in the wholly one-sided election and the heavy rains. The withdrawal of the liberals from all nominations as a protest against alleged injustices by the government and the people in conducting the primaries, left a clear field for the moderates and every moderate nominee was elected from President Palma to the provincial councillors.

Doctor Cleared of the Crime.

Boston, Dec. 4.—A verdict of not guilty was reported in the superior court by the jury which deliberated the case of Dr. Percy McLeod, charged with being an accessory after the fact to the illegal operations which resulted in the death of Susanna A. Geary, the victim of the suit case tragedy.

President Favors a Lock Canal.

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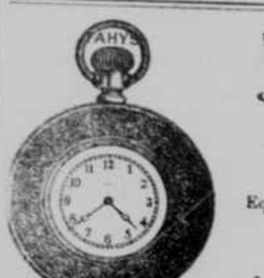

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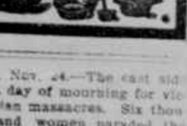

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7 41 a m		Maymead		5 52 p m
8 15 a m		Butler		5 18 p m
8 28 a m		Fish Springs		5 05 p m
8 58 a m		Hunter		4 32 p m
9 14 a m		Elizabethton		4 15 p m
9 41 a m		Bluff City		3 50 p m
10 15 a m	Ar	Bristol Union Station.	Lv	3 15 p m

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Number 8 Mixed Daily	Stations	Number 7 Mixed Daily
4 45 P. M.	Lv Rexford Ar	8 45 A. M.
5 10 P. M.	Carter,	8 22 A. M.
5 30	Ar Baladeen Lv	7 50

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A. M.	P. M.	Lv Bristol Ar	P. M.	P. M.
8.10	4.30	Union Station	12.40	[illegible]
9.22	5.15	Mendota	11.51	[illegible]
10.22	5.51	Gate City	11.19	[illegible]
11.04	6.11	Speers Ferry	10.46	[illegible]
11.15	6.19	Clinchport	10.38	[illegible]
11.23	6.26	Natural Tunnel	10.32	[illegible]
11.46	6.42	Duffield	10.17	[illegible]
12.39	7.31	Big Stone Gap	9.35	[illegible]
12.52	7.45	Appalachia	9.20	[illegible]
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" East,	"	23,	8:00	P. M.
V. & S. W. East	"	2,	9:15	A. M.
" West,	"	3,	12:00	A. M.
" East	"	4,	2:00	p. M.
" West	"	1,	6:40	P. M.

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