

BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

William F. Davis, who, according to Harry Orchard, was a leader in several of the mine crimes in Idaho, was put on the stand by the Haywood defense and denied Orchard's statements. His testimony was weakened somewhat by Senator Borah's severe cross-examination.

The first direct testimony in the defense of William D. Haywood was given by Harry Orchard, blaming Frank Steunenberg for the loss of his interest in the Hercules mine, had threatened to have revenge by killing him, and that the conduct of Orchard and K. C. Sterling, both before the Independence explosion, when they were frequently seen together, and afterwards, when Sterling called off the bloodhound that was following Orchard's trail, justified the inference that the mine owners inspired the crime.

In an address that occupied two sessions of the district court at Boise, Idaho, Clarence Darrow, of Chicago, outlined to the jury the defense of William D. Haywood to the charge that he murdered former Gov. Steunenberg. In broad description, it is to be a denial of every material count in the testimony of Orchard, with a showing that Orchard killed Steunenberg because of a private grudge borne by the loss of a rich share in the great Hercules mine, and explanations of the independent circumstances that tend to connect the two defendants with Orchard's life and operations.

When the state closed its case against William D. Haywood, charged with the murder of Frank Steunenberg, the defense made an unsuccessful attempt to secure from the court an order directing the jury to acquit the prisoner. Judge Wood's ruling requires the defense to meet with evidence the case that the state has presented.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Col. Orestes Ferrara, secretary of the Cuban delegation at The Hague, has resigned because of attacks made on him due to his once having been sentenced to prison by an Italian court for writing a political pamphlet.

Cornell won the varsity eight-oared race at the Poughkeepsie regatta, Syracuse the varsity four-oared race, and Wisconsin the freshman eight-oared contest.

A block of hotels and other buildings adjoining the Jamestown exposition grounds were destroyed by fire. The oil fields of northern Indiana Territory were swept by a tornado that killed three men and destroyed hundreds of derricks. The loss was estimated at \$500,000.

Prospects of peace in the telegraphers' strike were made brighter by President Small's making an appeal direct to President Mackay, of the Postal company, and by the appointment of a conference committee of the striking operators.

D. Lee Oliver, of Pittsburg, a senior in Sheffield scientific school at Yale, was killed in an automobile accident. Three other men were injured.

Lightning struck and shattered a presidential banner pole which stands less than 100 feet from the executive office at Oyster Bay. No one was injured.

Richard Croker won the Irish derby with Orby, who won the English derby of 1907. This is the first time that these two great classics have been won by the same horse.

Premier Campbell-Bannerman's resolution in favor of curtailing the power of the house of lords in vetoing bills passed in the house of commons was carried by 425 to 147.

As a result of the premature explosion of a box of dynamite near Tola, Charlotte county, Virginia, eight persons were killed outright and six others seriously injured.

Andrew Bauer, cashier in the branch office of Simpson, Crawford & Co., New York, was knocked senseless by two thugs and robbed of \$2,000 while placing the money in the safe.

Vestment makers in east side shops of New York, numbering 4,000, have gone on strike for an advance of wages of 12 to 16 per cent.

A plea of "brava stork" resulted in the liberation at Superior, Wis., of Edward Duthery, who after serving part of a 14-year sentence in state prison on conviction of murdering his wife in Superior more than a year ago, had his case reopened by order of the supreme court.

Mrs. J. Wilbur Chapman, wife of the evangelist, died at Warsaw, Ind., of blood poisoning.

Capt. Jack Thornton, aged 63 years, for 12 years vice consul to Colombia, died at Montgomery, Ala. He was an officer of Forest's cavalry of the confederate army.

Albert Woltemade, cashier of the Alton (Ill.) branch of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing association, who had been missing for eight days, returned home after having traveled 2,500 miles with his mind a blank.

The formal opening of the first completed tract of irrigated land finished by the reclamation service of the national government took place at Billings, Mont.

It is rumored in court circles in Copenhagen that Princess Thyra, second daughter of King Frederik, is betrothed to Prince Adelbert, third son of the kaiser.

Bees swarmed on the handle of a switch in Sioux City, Ia., and delayed traffic on four railroads for a time.

Attorneys for the eight principal Missouri railroads and Attorney General Hadley for the state have practically agreed to take the matter of jurisdiction in the enforcement of the Missouri two-cent law to the United States supreme court.

Terrorists threw a bomb into Erievan square, Tiflis, killing and injuring many persons, and then robbed a wagon of \$125,000 belonging to the government treasury.

Four men were killed and five injured by the fall of a scaffold in San Francisco.

Chief Justice W. F. Frear, of Hawaii, has accepted the governorship of the islands.

John Chandler, 107 years old, was killed near Quincy, Ill., by being thrown from a buggy.

The executive committee of the Commercial Telegraphers' union addressed a letter to General Manager Nally, of the Postal Telegraph company, suggesting that the grievances of the operators be heard and considered by representatives of the company.

The formation of an \$8,000,000 combination of nine independent breweries in St. Louis, East St. Louis, Ill., and Granite City, Ill., was announced in St. Louis.

The possibility of serious trouble in Central America growing out of the disturbed conditions existing there incident to the alleged ambition of President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, to form a union of Central American states, has caused the administration to dispatch the new cruiser Milwaukee to that locality.

Henry Harnes, a wealthy farmer who was in jail in Kankakee, Ill., for shooting his wife with intent to kill her, committed suicide by hanging himself with a towel and a necktie.

Samuel Hill and John Hill were drowned in Conderay lake near Chipewewa Falls, Wis., as the result of the explosion of a gasoline tank aboard a launch.

Elizabeth Loving testified at the trial of her lover at Houston, Va., for murdering Theodore Estes, telling the jury the same story she told her father, of how Estes had drugged and assaulted her.

Charles R. Richardson was convicted in Pittsburg, Pa., of conspiring with Harvey P. Bostaph, Joseph Flaherty and J. H. Millholland to attempt to buy the coalmines to pass the Pittsburg & Tube City railroad franchise ordinance.

Sir John Hall, former premier of New Zealand, is dead at Welling, New Zealand.

Overcome with grief and humiliation at the action of the bar association in recommending that he be impeached for gross intemperance if he did not immediately resign, Superior Judge K. C. Hebbard, of San Francisco, tried to shoot himself. The revolver was knocked from his hand.

Andrew Felne, of Milwaukee, killed his sweetheart, Elsie Volkman, her lover and himself as a result of a father's quarrel.

Crown Prince George of Serbia, while rowing on the river, approached the Hungarian shore and was fired upon by customs officials.

Reports from China say the rebels there are attacking upon Canton, and refugees from the surrounding country are fleeing to Hongkong to escape from the brutality which the insurgents have displayed.

The gradual abandonment of Fort Assiniboine, Montana, as an army post is contemplated by the war department.

The plant of the Utica Drop Forge & Tool company, of Utica, N. Y., was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$200,000.

A plot to steal \$50,000,000 from the Russian government at Tschita, where the money was kept for enterprises in Siberia, has been discovered and 30 Russians arrested. They had made a tunnel 120 yards long from a hotel to the safe.

Earl Chism has confessed at Clinton, Ia., to robbing the banks and post offices at Reynolds and Taylor Ridge, Ill.

As a protest against the department officials in laying off some of their fellow workers, 250 employees of the street-cleaning department in Manhattan and Bronx boroughs, N. Y., went on strike.

President Roosevelt, through the interstate commerce commission, awarded railroad life saving medals to Charles Arms, of Clarksville, Tenn., and Edgar E. George, of Parsons, Pa.

John Bell, the Italian who killed a man and wounded two women passengers on a Rock Island train in Kansas, says he committed the murder in his sleep as the result of a dream.

Gen. William Duffield, for a number of years superintendent of the United States coast and geodetic survey, and said to have been the oldest living graduate of Columbia college, New York, died at his home in Washington.

Emory Foster, a well known newspaper man, died suddenly of acute kidney trouble. He was a son of Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, the lecturer.

A violent storm swept over a part of Indian Territory, causing damage to property estimated at half a million dollars. Lightning struck oil tanks all over the mid-continent field.

In a quarrel over a crap game on Columbus O. Utter Anderson, colored, was knocked senseless, after which another negro deliberately cut Anderson's throat, killing him.

W. R. Abbott, president of the American National bank, of Fort Smith, Ark., and one of the largest individual timber and owners in the state, died of heart failure, aged 40 years.

Owing to the action of the Venezuelan congress in condemning the policy of the minister of finance, the Caracas cabinet resigned.

The body of Seaman Frank B. Plumlee (the boy who was drowned in the launch of the battleship Minnesota, was recovered at Norfolk, Va.

Three distinct tornadoes struck Medicine Lodge, Kan., destroying 25 houses. Six persons were injured seriously and one is missing.

A man and three race horses were killed in a tornado which struck Recreation park, at Kalamazoo, Mich.

The Central Labor union of Washington asked President Roosevelt to order an inquiry as to whether the telegraph companies were in a combination in restraint of trade.

President Small, of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, said he would ask government aid in settlement of the strike.

The general manager of the Erie railroad said representatives of the International Association of Machinists had received \$10,000 a year from the road for years and when payment was stopped they called a strike.

Hal Brewster, 27 years old, the son of Col. P. H. Brewster, a prominent lawyer of Atlanta, Ga., was shot and mortally wounded on an excursion train by a negro named French Early, whom he had been deputized by the sheriff to arrest.

Intense heat in Pittsburg caused 11 deaths in 24 hours.

A suit for \$500,000 was started in the United States court at New York by Henry M. Walker, a resident of New Jersey, against H. Harniman and other defendants, alleging breach of contract, and conspiracy to prevent the construction of the Portland, Nehalem & Tillamook railway in Oregon.

The president instructed the secretary of commerce and labor to have the census bureau make a special enumeration of the inhabitants of the proposed state of Oklahoma.

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DIDN'T COMMIT CRIMES

Senator Borah Puts Him Through Severe Cross-Examination—Editor of Miners' Magazine Testifies.

Boise, Idaho.—William F. Davis, of Goldfield, Nev., one of the most important witnesses for the defense of William D. Haywood, accused of the murder of Frank Steunenberg, was called to the stand at noon Wednesday, and his cross-examination had not been completed when court adjourned in the evening. Harry Orchard testified that Davis led and commanded the mob that destroyed the Bunker Hill and Sullivan mill in 1899; inspired, as the agent of Haywood, and Moyer, the Victorio explosion and the train wrecking plot at Cripple Creek, and was an accomplice in the Independence strike crime.

On direct examination by Clarence Darrow Davis went over the story of his working life, including the safety of the mine, the death of his wife and babe at Cripple Creek, at which he wept, and made positive denial of every statement of Orchard that involved him or his assistants in any form of crime.

The cross-examination of Davis by Senator Borah was severe and searching and was chiefly devoted, as far as it proceeded, to the Bunker Hill and Sullivan affairs. Davis said that he remained in the mill because he was blown up because he did not want to be deported or thrown into the "bull pen," and that he changed his name when he departed for Butte shortly after because he feared the mine owners' "blacklist," made up from a petition that the employees of the Bunker Hill mill had sent to Gov. McConnell protesting against the unjust state of Oklahoma.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Lightning Kills Clara and Son.

St. Paul.—Mrs. Clara N. Lemmon and her 14-year-old son, Clarence Loraine Lemmon, were instantly killed by lightning at their home, 17 1/2 Van Buren street, Hamline.

Death came instantly to them. Mrs. Lemmon, 12 years old, was unharmed, although he was only a few feet away.

Mrs. Lemmon had been cleaning house and when the storm came up she was hurrying to get several articles from the clothesline. The last was a carpet which hung across two wire lines between two trees. Under the carpet, which formed a tent, the two boys had been playing, and the mother called them to come out and help her. They both came out and the older boy stood directly under one line with his mother while Mount stood about six feet away. Just as they were about to reach for the carpet the bolt came. Mrs. Lemmon fell backward and Clarence forward, almost at the feet of his brother.

Over the Falls on Logs.—Minnesota.—Over St. Anthony Falls on two logs and alive is the remarkable experience of Anthony Aspinatis, a seventeen-year-old Chicago boy, who made the perilous trip involuntarily.

The young fellow shot over the falls clinging desperately to two small logs on the river bank above the falls. He was whirled in the rapids below the falls and thrown from the logs. By hard swimming he managed to reach Spirit Island, from which place he was rescued in a boat by Patrolmen Anderson and Larson.

Aspinatis is believed to be the only person who has shot the falls and lived.

Fall From Wagon Kills.—Little Falls.—Herman Carlson, an aged resident of Darling, died as the result of an injury received at Darling station. Carlson had been drinking and was sitting on a wagon when he suddenly lost his balance and fell to the ground. He picked himself up saying that he was not hurt, but it later developed that he had sustained two broken ribs and other internal injuries, causing pneumonia, from which he died. The deceased was seventy years old and is survived by two sons.

Two Trainmen Killed.—Detroit.—Chas. Anderson, stationary engineer, and Brakeman Lennin were killed and Engineer W. C. Greenbaum was seriously injured by the derailment of a passenger train on the Northern Pacific near Detroit. The accident occurred at a work train which was hauling gravel to what is known as "the mud dump."

CORNELL FIRST IN BIG RACE. Wine 'Varsity Eight-Oared Contest in Poughkeepsie Regatta.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y.—Cornell won the 'varsity eight-oared race at the intercollegiate regatta for the eighth time late Wednesday evening in the most exciting contest ever rowed over the four-mile Poughkeepsie course.

Cornell's time over the course was 20:02.5 seconds. Columbia was second; United States Naval Academy third; Pennsylvania, fourth; Wisconsin, fifth; Georgetown, sixth, and Syracuse did not finish, her shell being swamped a half mile from the finish.

Syracuse captured the honors of the 'varsity four-oared shells from Cornell, Pennsylvania and Columbia. Wisconsin won the freshmen eight-oared shell race over the course of two miles, leading Syracuse over the finish line by one length.

TORNADO HITS OIL FIELDS. Indian Territory Storm Kills Three Men and Wrecks Derricks.

Muskogee, I. T.—A tornado, followed by a cloudburst, swept the oil fields of northern Indian Territory Wednesday morning. Three persons are reported killed at Sapulpa, the heart of the great Glenn oil pool, where the storm was fiercest.

Over 150 derricks are reported down in the Glenn pool and it is said all the oil derricks in the Osage nation have been swept away. Fifty-four derricks are reported down at Turley. At Maize houses were overturned and brick buildings demolished. The total loss is estimated at \$500,000. Many oil wells are running wild.

Commons Vote to Curb Lords. London.—The three days' debate in the house of commons ended at midnight by a majority of 104 the French chamber of deputies voted confidence in the government and gave the ministers a free hand to employ the measures they think best to establish the sovereignty of the law in the disturbed departments of the south. The funeral of the victims of the Narbonne riot was held without disturbance, as there was bloody fighting in several other cities. One battalion of infantry, mutilated but afterward surrendered.

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SCANDINAVIAN NEWS

Principal Events Gathered in the Old Scandinavian Countries

Old Fate has proved that she is none too old to play a prank. June seventh is the anniversary of the smashing of the Swedish-Norwegian union by the Norwegians. This happened in 1905. On that day the duke of Uppland was born. Being a great-grandson of the king of Sweden on the male side, he will have his birthday celebrated with a good deal of show in Sweden, therefore the colors of the two countries will be flying at the same time on that date.

DENMARK. The volunteer rifle clubs of Denmark are making no gain in their membership.

It now looks as if the kaiser and the kaiserin of Germany are going to spend the Fourth of July in Copenhagen.

Two Danish actors who were giving public recitations in Slavia were notified by the German authorities that they had to leave the country within twenty-four hours.

A Swedish football team which has the reputation of being the best in the world, went to Copenhagen and was beaten by a Danish team, the score being 2 to 1.

Prof. J. L. Helberg, a noted philologist, found an interesting story in a little church in Constantinople. It is a mathematical demonstration written by a no less authority than Archimedes.

The London Times states that the independence of Denmark is of vital importance to Europe, and its mission is to guard the gates to the Baltic sea. Therefore the interests of Denmark and England are identical.

The Danish rigsdag has voted \$4,500 for the purchase of reproductions of works by Danish artists, to be hung in the waiting rooms of railway stations all over the country. The pictures are to be changed at regular intervals. The object is to increase the knowledge of art and Danish artists among all classes of the nation.

The Social Democratic members of the Danish rigsdag have declined to go to Iceland with the other members because the premier has given instructions to have the steamer carrying the party escorted by a warship, and to have the crew of the steamer replaced by marine soldiers.

SWEDEN. Prince Wilhelm of Sweden has been visiting at the Russian court.

A group of Danish school boys have visited Stockholm and Dalarna. Many medals were awarded to Swedes at a tourist exposition in London.

Two prominent Hungarian educators are studying the school system of Stockholm.

The field maneuvers of this year will take place thru the country north of Goteborg.

Over \$12,000 has been raised for starting a new "people's high school" at Engelholm, Skane.

The national government is to contribute \$41,000 to the construction of a dry dock in Malmo.

The Catholics of Stockholm celebrated the golden wedding of the king and queen by a special service.

The crops were in a very poor condition in the first part of June, especially in Southern Sweden.

The temperance people of Karlskrona are going to start a temperance restaurant at an expense of \$2,700.

A Stockholm photographer sold 53,000 pictures of the king and queen at the time of their golden wedding.

Twenty-two German importers of lumber have just spent two weeks traveling in the lumbering districts of Sweden.

The surplus of the postoffice department for the past year, amounting to \$22,955.58, has just been turned into the National treasury.

C. Feron, a Stockholm jeweler, has donated two chandeliers of pure silver to the national museum as a sample of Swedish jewelry of our day.

It now looks as if the empress of Japan is going to be an aggressive competitor for the literary Nobel prize which is to be awarded Dec. 10, 1907.

The pressure in the water works in Lund is so low that no water is carried to the upper stories of the buildings located in the elevated portions of the city.

The ethnological society of Lund has issued an appeal to the people who work in peat bogs to save whatever relics they may find from past ages, or they remain of plants, animals or men.

August Karling has resigned as music teacher at the Ystad high school after a service of 41 years. A sum of money was presented to him by his scholars on the occasion of his resignation.

The city council of Malmo voted \$27,000 for the abandonment of a home for the poor, abandoned in 1867, to be known by