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MAYOR SHANK QUITS OFFICE

Resigns When Told Another
Strike Is Brewing.

UNREST AT INDIANAPOLIS

Employers Threatened Impeachment
Proceedings in Case of Further
Industrial Disturbances.

Indianapolis, Nov. 29.—Rather than face impeachment proceedings Samuel Lewis Shank resigned as mayor and was succeeded automatically by Harry R. Wallace, city controller. A committee of business men had prepared proceedings to remove Shank from office in case of any further labor trouble in the city and when the mayor was told by labor leaders that a strike of union teamsters was imminent he sent his resignation to the city clerk.

"I feel that I did everything on my part to be fair to both sides during the recent street car strike," Mayor Shank said in announcing his resignation, "but after the criticism that has been heaped on me by the safety board of the chamber of commerce I feel that I probably could not retain my position and do my duty to the general public as mayor on account of the bitter feeling that has grown out of the labor controversy."

Mayor Wallace said the police situation is so critical that he will take personal charge of the department for a time.

New Mayor a Republican.
The new mayor has been prominent in Republican politics for some time. He served one term as county auditor and is on his second term as county chairman.

Shank is probably the most novel figure that ever occupied the mayor's office in Indianapolis. He achieved wide notoriety by his handling of the saloon problem early in his administration. Saloon keepers who violated the law were taken before the mayor and in many instances their licenses were suspended for periods varying from a few hours to sixty days. One saloon keeper's license was suspended until he could show the mayor a certificate, signed by a minister, that he had attended church.

Shank also gained nationwide fame in 1911 by his fight on the high cost of living. He found that the city market was falling in its original purpose to bring the producer and consumer together and he imported sixteen carloads of potatoes which he retailed at 75 cents a bushel. Potatoes then were retailing at \$1.40, but prices tumbled over night.

WEDDING OCCURS IN PARIS

Daughter of Former Ambassador
Leishman Now Mrs. Hyde.

Paris, Nov. 26.—In the presence of only a few relatives and intimate friends James Hazen Hyde and the Countess Louise de Gontant-Biron, daughter of John G. A. Leishman, former ambassador to Germany, were married here.

The civil wedding took place in the town hall of the Sixteenth arrondissement and the religious ceremony was performed in the American church of the Holy Trinity by Rev. Dr. Watson.

ZELAYA IS GRANTED WRIT

Arrest Will Be Reviewed by Federal
Court Monday.

New York, Nov. 29.—A writ of habeas corpus in behalf of General Jose S. Zelaya, former president of Nicaragua, was issued by Federal Judge Holt.

Zelaya was arrested here Wednesday night at the request of the Nicaraguan government on a charge of murdering two Nicaraguans. Zelaya in an affidavit filed denied the charge and said he has been unlawfully deprived of his liberty. He has been in the Tombs.

TRUST BUSTER QUITS JOB

Edwin P. Grosvenor Resigns to Take
Effect Jan. 1.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Edwin P. Grosvenor, special assistant to Attorney General McReynolds, in charge of the prosecution of the bath tub, harvester, moving picture and other so-called trusts, has sent his resignation to take effect Jan. 1. Mr. Grosvenor will return to civil practice in New York and will become a partner of former Attorney General Wickersham and Henry W. Taft, brother of the former president.

SCORE OF PERSONS INJURED

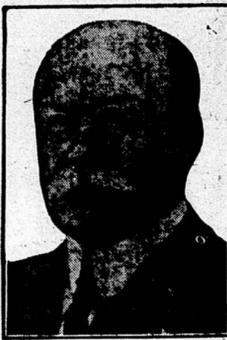
Gunpowder and Dynamite Explode
During Fire.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 30.—More than a score of persons were injured, none fatally, when an explosion of gunpowder and dynamite in a burning building showered debris over the surrounding territory for several blocks.

Firemen controlled the blaze after a hard fight. Property damage will exceed \$200,000.

WILLIAM W. FINLEY.

President of the Southern
Railway System Is Dead.



RAIL HEAD DIES SUDDENLY

President W. W. Finley of Southern
System Stricken.

Washington, Nov. 26.—William Wilson Finley, president of the Southern railroad and a leading figure in movements for the development of the South, died here as a result of a stroke of apoplexy a few hours before. Mr. Finley's family, friends and associates were wholly unprepared for his sudden death. Scarcely yet past the prime of life he was vigorous and energetic and seemingly in the best of health until a moment before he was felled by the stroke.

MURDERER ENDS HIS LIFE

Frank McAdams, Who Killed Wife at
Dance, Ends Life.

Canton, Ill., Nov. 29.—After fighting against several hundred men for thirteen hours, Frank McAdams, who murdered his wife at a Thanksgiving dance at Cuba, killed himself. Hundreds of shots were fired. The jaw of Policeman Hagaman, who attempted to make the arrest, was shattered with a bullet. A four-year-old daughter of the dead couple escaped injury, although she was on her mother's lap when Mrs. McAdams was killed.

ASKS MORE MONEY FOR ARMY

Secretary Garrison's Estimates Bigger
Than Last Year.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Record breaking estimates for army appropriations were laid before congress by the war department.

Secretary Garrison transmitted to the house his estimates for the military establishment during the next fiscal year, aggregating \$106,000,000, which is roundly \$10,000,000 greater than the figures submitted a year ago for the army bill.

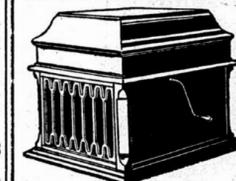
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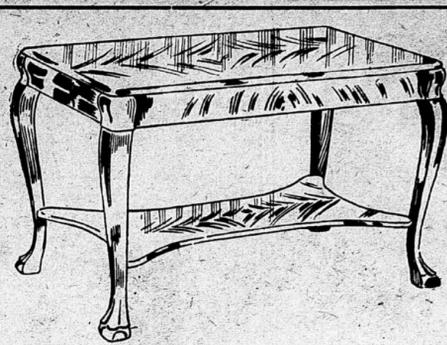
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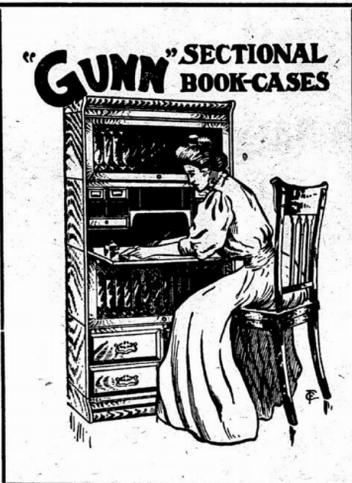
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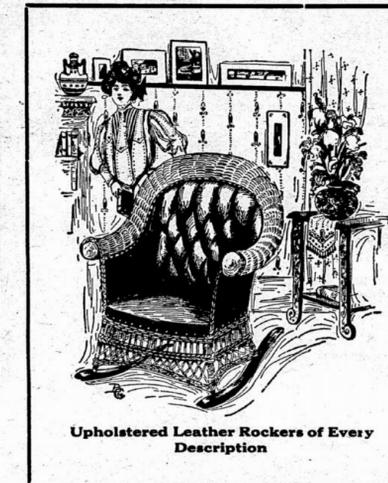
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ABOUT THE STATE

News of Especial Interest to
Minnesota Readers.

ALL WANT INHERITANCE TAX

Several States Seek to Secure Probating
of Will of Charles G. Gates
in Their Courts.

What may result in a long drawn out fight in the courts as to in what state the will of the late Charles G. Gates, millionaire, shall be probated was begun at Minneapolis.

The collection of a large inheritance tax is the bone of contention. W. J. Stephenson, assistant attorney general, filed with the Hennepin county probate court a copy of the Gates will, the original of which was filed recently in Texas, where Gates also had a residence.

The attorney general's department petitions the court to have the Minneapolis Trust company appointed administrator, with will annexed. It was also learned on what is claimed to be reliable authority that New York legatees under the will are to start a fight against the probating of the will in Minnesota or any other state but New York.

It is said, will petition to have Mrs. J. W. Gates, mother of the testator, named administratrix of the estate. Arthur Castle, clerk of the Hennepin county probate court, said that hitherto published statements as to bequests in the Gates will are correct except that Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Hopwood, parents of the young widow, are bequeathed \$25,000 each, instead of Mr. Hopwood getting \$50,000 and Mrs. Hopwood \$10,000.

RESULT OF SHOOTING AFFRAY

One St. Paul Italian Dead and Another
Badly Wounded.

Facius Daminas, twenty-eight years of age, a laborer, was murdered and Peter Domaro, thirty years of age, also a laborer, was dangerously wounded during a gang fight among Italians at a St. Paul boarding house conducted by Dominick Colosina.

Louis Sabo, aged thirty-six, and Pizutti Amedeo, aged thirty-three, are under arrest charged with having done the shooting. According to Mike Rosmaro he and Domaro and another man visited the Colosina home at the invitation of Domaro. When they reached the house Domaro attempted to get in by opening the door with a key. The door was nailed shut. They broke it

ON CHARGE OF EXTORTION

Two St. Paulites Indicted for Taking
"Protection" Money.

Charging Samuel Koplivich with obtaining \$1,000 from Dottie Hazard, a former St. Paul resort keeper, by the use of force and fear, a bench warrant was served on his attorney, Henry Weiss. The warrant was issued from Judge Orr's court after the grand jury had returned indictments against Koplivich and Willie Wolf, now in the county jail.

The grand jury indictment came after two secret sessions in Judge Orr's chambers. The jury had reported once that it had nothing to return, but after a short extra session with County Attorney O'Brien brought in the indictments against Koplivich and Wolf. It is rumored that others were included in the true bill, but no definite information on this point could be obtained.

SPICER-ON-GREEN LAKE.

Spicer-on-Green Lake, Nov. 25.—John Ahlstrom enjoyed a visit from his brother, Ole Ahlstrom of Willmar and his sister, Mrs. S. Aune of Duluth the first of last week.

Miss Sybil Sullivan was a guest of relatives at Minneapolis last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baklund and son from Eagle Lake, were guests at the A. Embertson home from Wednesday until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson are the happy parents of a little daughter, born to them Sunday, Nov. 23. Willie Ekblad accompanied his brother, Emil to Rochester Saturday, where the latter will seek medical aid.

Mrs. Carrie Swenson will entertain the Ladies' Aid of the Sw. Saron church Dec. 5th, thruout the afternoon and evening. Everybody cordially invited.

Miss Alma Samuelson entertained the Girls' Sewing Circle of Saron church last Saturday p. m. A social time was enjoyed by all.

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Mr. and Mrs. Peter Thorvig will leave Friday for their home near Powers Lake, N. D., after a couple of weeks' visit here with relatives and friends.

Christ O. Carlson assisted G. Hultberg with some work the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Barager arrived from Grand Rapids Friday, where they have been visiting relatives. They will spend about a week here before leaving for their new home at St. Cloud, Florida.

C. G. Isackson is enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. Oscar Miller from Princeton, who arrived Friday evening.

Edw. Quam returned Thursday from a business trip to the cities.

The railroad track was delayed for a short time in the local yards last Saturday evening. The head truck of a potato car of the local freight train was derailed, while switching on to the passing track, to give way for the passenger train, caused by a sharp flange. The wrecking crew from Willmar arrived on the scene and soon put the car back on the track.

of New London has been engaged as

the speaker. Further particulars next week, remember Dec. 13th.

The Girls' Sewing Circle of the Saron church will be entertained by Mrs. Enock Lindholm in the afternoon.

Mrs. Ansar W. Lundquist and son, Edmund of Parnell township, near Barry, Minn., visited relatives of Edenwood farm last Friday.

Christ O. Carlson left for the cities Tuesday to visit over Thanksgiving with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Youngquist of Tripoli, south of Kandiyohi, drove out to visit at Mrs. Carrie Swenson's last Friday.

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