# SUMMARY OF NEWS FROM WORLD OVER

## SHORT ITEMS CLIPPED FROM DAILY PAPER DISPATCHES DURING PAST WEEK.

**Review of Happenings in Both Eastern and Western Hemispheres During the Past Week—National, Historical, Political and Personal Events Told in Short Paragraphs.**

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt recently celebrated her 67th birthday.

Christian Lundberg, former Swedish premier, died recently in Stockholm.

Richard Groker will go to Florida, where he will remain until late next spring.

Felix Zeim, the celebrated painter, died recently in Paris. He was 90 years old.

Clubwomen of San Francisco are planning a system of pensioning widows with children.

The most dreaded of all labor troubles, a general teamsters' strike, threatens New York.

Martin Griffin, secretary of the American Catholic Historical society and a church historian, is dead.

"After Tripoli, what next?" is the question which is agitating the Swiss press and public. They fear Italy.

The imperialists have regained the upper hand in Nanking and the dragon flag again floats over Kiang Yin fort.

Mrs. Alexander B. White of Paris, Tenn., was recently elected president of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Near Couderay, Wis., mistaken, it is supposed for a deer, Jorda Sandberg, aged 4, was shot and killed by an unknown hunter.

According to figures compiled by the California state board of health, the deaths from tuberculosis there for the year 1910 were 4872.

Unqualified indorsement of the National Country Life congress, to be held in Spokane this month, is given by Theodore Roosevelt.

With his arrival in Boston 28-year-old Frank Hines of Halifax has completed 12,800 miles of a 15,000-mile walk that he is making for a purse.

Churches, cemeteries and homes and gardens in and about Los Angeles were battered by a windstorm which swept southern California early Saturday.

For the first time in many years a woman was elected to head the Wisconsin Teachers' association. The honor was bestowed on Mrs. Mary D. Bradford.

Chinese student clubs of 12 universities and colleges throughout the United States are protesting against the suggested interference in the Chinese revolution.

Comptroller of the Treasury Murray has undertaken to destroy by moral suasion the practice of banks of permitting customers to overdraw their deposits.

With the intention of joining the negroes in Liberia, an exodus from eastern Oklahoma has begun. Ten negro families left Saturday for Monrovia, Liberia.

Appeal direct to the supreme court of the United States from the decision of the commerce court on the Spokane rate case is planned by the interstate commerce commission, according to Washington (D. C.) dispatches.

Late Tokio papers bring news of an explosion of powder in the drying room building of the Meguro government arsenal near Shinagawa, Tokio, which killed 11 men and destroyed much property.

The two largest gold bars ever received at the assay office in Seattle were recently received. One bar weighed 1780 Troy ounces and is valued at $31,000, the other weighed 1684 ounces, worth $30,900. The shipment came from Fairbanks, Alaska.

Prince Ching still acts as premier of China, although in a succession of edicts from the hand of "the emperor" the crafty Yuan Shi Kai has been besought to some to the capital and take the post. Yuan reports that he is "sick."

C. W. Trickett, assistant attorney general, who has been conducting a campaign against liquor sellers and disorderly houses in Wichita, was horsewhipped in a hotel lobby by Mme. Marie Zeah, a fortune teller, who claimed he ruined her business.

### Democrats Claim Good Record.

Dodge City, Kan.—"The great battle of 1912 must be fought on the splendid record of the democrats in this, the Sixty-second congress, and upon that record we can win, not only next year, but for years to come."

Thus spoke Champ Clark, speaker of the national house of representatives, here.

### Tie Election Decided.

Canton, Ohio.—Arthur Turnbull, democrat, won the mayoralty of Canton over Henry Schilling, socialist, by the toss of a coin, the recent election having resulted in a tie.

### NORTHWEST NEWS ITEMS.

An explosion of gas in the coal furnace of the heating plant in a business block in Kalispell, Mont., did great damage.

Without having been impaneled to try a single case the trial jury in the federal court was discharged Saturday at Moscow.

At Provo, Utah, Frank A. Clark, a resident, who faced trial on a charge of robbery of A. Pearson of $2400, was found guilty.

Paul Scheinmeister, a wealthy saloon man of Dairy, Oregon, is missing. When last seen by his relatives he had $2000 in his possession.

A correspondence course in proselyting for missionaries and prospective missionaries has been arranged by officials of the Mormon church.

The British Columbia herring fishery output this year is estimated at $2,000,000. The fish are salted, and most of them are sold in Japan and China.

At Baker, Ore., the United States postoffice inspector has brought charges of misappropriation of money received for money orders against Melvin Alexander.

The hearing of Harold Sawley, suspected of dynamiting the school house stove at Powderhorn bay, has been set for November 21, in Coeur d'Alene City.

The action of State Pure Food Inspector James H. Wallis in enforcing the pure food laws of Idaho is receiving favorable comment in all sections of the state.

Owing to lack of yard room and to reduce the stock of lumber on hand the Panhandle Lumber company shut down its sawmill at Spirit Lake, Ida., for the winter.

"Old" Bill Miner, one of the most notorious train robbers who ever operated in the northwest, was recently captured at St. Clair, a small town in Georgia, and placed in prison.

Jacob Nance, aged 61, was killed Saturday afternoon by a steam train on Summit avenue about eight blocks from the center of Coeur d'Alene City. Mr. Nance was sitting on the track.

President L. C. Crow of the Farmers' Educational and Cooperative union has called a convention of all of the officers of the union in Washington and Idaho, in Spokane, November 25.

Wednesday, November 29, has been fixed as the date for the assembling of delegates from commercial clubs for the purpose of organizing the Federation of Commercial Clubs of the Inland Empire.

The Humbird Lumber company, at Sandpoint, Ida., is testing a new stump puller. Experience has shown that the new machine, with a team and two men, will pull between 60 and 70 stumps a day.

Thomas and George Mische, aged 13 and 11 years, who stole a horse from Matthews of Whitefish and a $40 saddle from Mike Matt at Bigarm, pleaded guilty to grand larceny and were committed to the state reformatory.

In furtherance of the Idaho-Washington Development league movement a large party of Lewiston business men will leave November 21 and make a tour of all towns of the Camas prairie, the trip being made in a special train.

Fire at Victoria, B. C., destroyed the interior of the four-story brick building of T. N. Hibben & Co., wholesale stationery, entailing a loss of $100,000. Records of the British Columbia Pioneer association were entirely destroyed.

Speaking before the students of the John Marshall law school recently, United States Senator W. L. Jones of Washington declared that in his public life he had never heard of a senator or representative who sold his vote or his influence.

State superintendents of public instruction in 12 states of the Union have written to headquarters of the National Country Life congress expressing unqualified indorsement of the aims and plans of the meeting to be held in Spokane November 23 to 29.

Judge Dunn of Idaho has handed down a decision in which he held that a dray company can accept for transportation from a railroad company or express company at the office of such company, or any other common carrier, to the place of business or home of the consignee, intoficating liquors.

"I hope every township supervisor and road overseer in the northwest will make it a point to be present at the sessions of the National Country Life congress to be held on Tuesday, November 28, morning and afternoon, good roads day," said Frank W. Guilbert, vice president and secretary of the Spokane County Good Roads association.

### Money Couldn't Keep Him Alive.

Los Angeles.—A small iron-bound box, found at the head of the bed on which A. H. Odell, a recluse, aged 80, and a relative of former Governor Odell of New York, was found dead, is held by the police. The box, it is believed, contained papers disposing of $500,000 worth of property.

### Evidence at McNamara Trial.

Los Angeles.—Masses of twisted iron and photographs of great girders will play an important part in the McNamara murder trial in determining the cause of the explosion and fire which wrecked the Los Angeles Times building a year ago with a loss of 21 lives.

# GREAT TORNADO SOUTH WISCONSIN

## SEVEN LIVES REPORTED LOST AND HUNDREDS INJURED SATURDAY NIGHT.

**Damage to Crops and Property Amounts to Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars—Vicinity of Orfordville Suffered Most—Michigan, Minnesota and Canada Heavy Losers.**

At least seven lives were lost and scores of persons were injured, some fatally, in a tornado which swept Rock county, Wisconsin Saturday evening. Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of damage was done to crops, buildings and other property.

Dozens of families whose homes were destroyed sought shelter in sheds or other small structures out of the path of the storm. In other instances many persons found themselves without a roof to shelter them and because the flooded roads made travel impossible they were forced to pass the night in the open fields.

Measures for the relief of the storm-stricken communities at Orfordville, Hanover, Milton Junction and Milton have been instituted by citizens of Janesville and Beloit, but much suffering necessarily must ensue.

A cold wave followed the storm and sleet and snow added to the misery of the survivors.

### Loss of Lives.

The greatest loss of life was at Orfordville. There Mrs. John Clowder, 80 years old, was killed, as were also a father and two daughters of a family whose surname is Smith, and a Mrs. Broede. At Milton one person, as yet unidentified, is reported dead.

Amy Korban, 8 years old, was killed when her home, Just north of Janesville, was demolished.

Footesville, Magnolia, Pewaukee and other villages are also reported to have suffered severely from the storm.

The storm broke with a fury never before equaled in this part of the country. Farmers and villagers were caught entirely unawares. A high wind had prevailed during most of the afternoon. About 4 o'clock the cloud lowered and became black as night.

Farmers who were in their fields sheltered themselves as best they could, and man yarrived home to find their buildings destroyed and in some cases wives and children missing.

The storm passed almost as quickly as it came up, and left the country desolate. The roads were almost impassable, but messengers were pressed into service and made their way to Janesville and Beloit as swiftly as possible. Orfordville is equally distant from both these cities, and assistance was hurried to the stricken villages.

In the vicinity of Orfordville the greatest havoc was wrought by the storm.

### Fierce in Minnesota.

Winter rode in Saturday night on a wind that cut like a two-edged sword. Out of the northwest blew a gale which was driving rain, snow and sleet alternately. Many trains are icebound.

### Snow 15 Feet Deep.

Barnesville, Minn., reports snowdrifts 10 to 15 feet high, and all eastbound trains delayed.

Southern Minnesota is storm-swept and snowbound.

Advices from Fargo, N. D., state that practically all wire communication was abandoned by telegraph companies in North Dakota. Six inches of snow is reported.

### Millions of Bushels Wheat Lost.

The weather at Winnipeg is reported to be the severest on record at this time of year, and it is said millions of bushels of wheat are frozen in shock.

Fully one-fourth of western Canada's 200,000,000 bushels of wheat, it is estimated, is lost.

### Also in Michigan.

Owoso, Mich.—Two dead, several badly injured and damage to $70,000 at least is the toll collected by the small-sized cyclone which swept Owoso.

### SETTLERS GIVEN TIME TO PAY

**Secretary Fisher Grants Extension on Reclamation Projects.**

Extension of time in which settlers on government reclamation projects can make payments on their entries and water rights applications has been granted by Secretary of the Interior Fisher. He rules that no steps would be taken until after March 16, 1912, to enforce forfeiture for failure to make payment on all entries and water rights applications on which payment becomes due in December.

### Tariff Talk Cuts Revenues.

The discussion of tariff schedules in congress and action reducing duties were responsible for the $19,000,000 decrease in customs receipts for the fiscal year 1911, according to the report of Treasurer McClung of the United States. On account of increases in receipts from other sources Mr. McClung points out, however, the receipts were $701,000,000, calling attention to the fact that the year closed with $77,600,000 as working balance in the treasury.

Writing a syllable at a time, a typewriter invented by a Belgian newspaper man has a speed of from 125 to 150 words a minute.

### OTHER MARKETS.

Dispatches concerning market quotations, conditions and phases are as follows:

**Chicago.**

Cash quotations were as fellows:
Flour—Off about 15c.
Rye—No. 2, 9c.
Barley—Feed or mixing, 80c@1.14; fair to choice malting, $1.16@1.26.
Timothy seed—$13@15.25.
Clover seed—$14@20.
Mess pork, per bbl., $15.62½@15.75.
Lard, per 100 lbs., $9.12½@9.15.
Short ribs, sides (loose), $8.10.
Butter, steady. Creameries, 24½@32c; dairies, 22@28c. Eggs, steady. At mark, cases included, 17@20c; firsts, 25@27c. Cheese, steady. Dairies, 14½@14 3-4c. Twins, 14@15c; Long Horns, 14 3-4@15c.
Cattle, steady for best, others weak. Beeves, $4.65@9.10; Texas steers, $4@5.15; western steers, $4.35@8.25, stockers and feeders, $3@5.80; cows and heifers, $2@6; calves, $5.50@8.50.
Hogs, market slow to steady. Light, $5.60@6.30; mixed, $5.80@6.40; heavy, $5.80@6.40; rough, $5.80@6; good to choice heavy, $6@6.40; pigs, $3.65@5.25; bulk of sales, $6.10@6.35.
Sheep, market slow to weak. Native, $2.50@3.85; western, $2.75@3.85; yearlings, $3.70@4.40; lambs, native, $3.75@5.85; western, $3.75@5.80.

**New York.**

Hops firm. Hides unsettled. Leather firm. Petroleum steady. Wool quiet.
Raw sugar easy. Muscovado, 89 test, 4.69c; centrifugal, 96 test, 5.12c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 4.37c. Refined easy.
Spot coffee quiet; No. 7, 15 5-8c; Santos, No. 4, 14 3-4c; mild quiet; Cordova, 16 1-2@19c nominal.
Standard copper, firm. Spot and November, $12.15@12.35; December, $12.20@12.40; January, $12.25@12.50; February, $12.25@12.55. Lake copper, $12.50@12.62 1-2; electrolytic, $12.50@12.62 1-2, and casting, $12.25@12.37 1-2.
Tin—Easy; spot, $41.30@42.20.
Lead—Dull; $4.25@4.30.
Spelter—Dull; $6:30@6.50.
Antimony—Dull; Cookson's, $8@8.12 1-2.
Iron—Quiet; No. 1 foundry northern, $15@15.25; No. 2, $14.75@15; No. 1 southern and do soft, $15@15.50.
Bar silver, 56 1-2; Mexican dollars, 46 1-2c.

**Portland.**

Wheat—Track prices: Club, 79@80c; bluestem, 82@83c; fortyfold, 80@81c; red Russian, 77@78c; valley, 79@80c.
Butter—City and country extras, solid pack, 35 1-2c.
Cattle—market steady. Choice steers, $5.60@5.95; good to choice, $5.25@5.50; choice, $4.40@5; fair to good cows, $4@4.25; extra choice spayed heifers, $4.75@5; choice bulls, $3.75@4; good to choice bulls, $3.25@3.50; choice calves, $7.50@7.75; good to choice calves, $7.25@7.50; choice stags, $4.50@4.75.
Hogs—market steady. Choice light hogs, $6.85@7; good to choice hogs, $6.50@6.75.
Sheep—Market steady. Choice yearling wethers, $3.60@4; choice twos and threes, $3.20@3.35; choice mountain lambs, $4.25@4.50; good to choice lambs, $4@4.25.

**San Francisco.**

Wheat—Steady. Barley—Firm.
Spot quotations—Wheat, shipping, $1.47 1-2@1.52 1-2. Barley—Feed, $1.95@1.97 1-2, brewing, $2.02 1-2@2.05. Oats—Red, $1.75@1.90, white, $1.85@1.87; black, $1.65@1.75.
Millstuffs—Bran, $27@28; middlings, $32@35. Hay—Wheat, $13@20; wheat and oats, $12@17; alfalfa, $9@11.

**Liverpool.**

Close: Wheat—December, 7s 2 1-2d; March, 7s 2 1-2d; May, 7s 1 3-4d. Weather cloudy.

**Pacific Northwest Wheat.**

Tacoma.—Bluestem, 83c; fortyfold, 81c; club, 80c; red Russian, 78@79c.
Portland.—Track prices: Club, 79@90c; bluestem, 89@83c; fortyfold, 80@81c.
Lewiston, Idaho.—Bluestem, 73c; fortyfold, 71c; Turkey red, 70c; club, 69c; red Russian, 68c; oats, $1.30; barley, brewing, $1.60; feed, $1.30.

### AT SPOKANE.

**Prices to Producers.**

The following list may be taken as a fair standard of prices paid to producers for the commodities named:

Fruits and Vegetables—Potatoes, $1 cwt; cabbage, $1 cwt; apples, $1@5 box; California red onions, $1.75 cwt.

Butter—Ranch, 20c lb.

Eggs—Ranch, $7.75 case; eastern, $6.75 case.

Hay—Baled oat hay, $14 ton; wheat hay $15@16 ton; alfalfa, $13 ton; timothy, No. 1, $19 ton.

Grain—Oats, $1.35 cwt; barley, $2.30 cwt; wheat, $1.25 swt.

(Hay and feed prices are f. o. b. cars, Spokane.)

Poultry—Live hens, 13c lb; dressed, 16c lb; live springs, 13c lb; dressed, 16c lb; old roosters, 9c lb; dressed, 12c lb; live geese, 13c lb; dressed, 16c lb; live ducks, young, 13c lb; old, 13c lb; dressed, 18@22c lb; fancy turkeys, 20c lb; dressed, 25c lb.

**Retail Butter, Eggs and Flour.**

Best creamery butter, extra fancy, 45c lb; eastern brand, 35c lb; best ranch butter, 35c lb.

Strictly fresh stamped, 45c and 50c doz; eastern fresh, 35c, 40c and 45c doz; storage eggs, 35c doz.

Foreign, first grade, $2.15 for 49 lbs; XXX Montana, $1.85 sack of 49 lbs; Big Leaf, Olympia, Red, White and Blue, $1.40 to $1.50 sack of 49 lbs; Ceretana and Kalispell, $1.85 per sack of 49 lbs; Climax, $2.15 per sack of 49 lbs; Sapphire, hard wheat flour, $1.75 per sack of 49 lbs; graham, whole wheat and rye, 85c per 24 lbs, 9-lb sack for 35c; rolled oats, 45@50c per 9-lb sack.

Sugar cane, $7 and $7.50 cwt; sugar syrups, 65c to 90c gal; best Vermont maple syrup, $1.25 to $1.95 gal; honey, 20c each or 3 combs for 50c; strained, 15c, 30c and 50c can; coal oil, best, $1.65 per 5-gal can; Pearl oil, $1.50 per 5-gal can. Coffee—The price of coffee has advanced, now at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 45c per lb, all according to quality.

**Retail Meat Prices.**

Dressed Poultry—Hens, 20c lb; squabs, 45c lb; ducks, 25c lb; geese, 22c lb; broilers, 50c and 75c each; turkeys 30c lb.

**Retail Fuel Prices.**

Fuel—Tamarack and fir, 4-foot wood, $5.75 per cord; pine, 4-foot wood, $5 and $5.25 per cord; sawed tamarack and fir, $2.75 rick; sawed pine, $2.50 rick. Coal—Carney, Sheridan, Tabor, $8.25 per ton; Rock Springs and Owl Creek, $8.75 per ton; Monarch, $8.25 per ton.

**Wholesale Meats.**

Dressed beef steers, 8½c to 9c lb; cow beef, 7½ to 8c lb; hogs, undressed, 7c lb; dressed pork, 11c lb; bacon, 20c lb; short loin beef, 22c lb; shoulder steak, 10c lb; hindquarter, 13c lb; rump, 10½c lb; loin of beef, 17c lb.

# TAFT FINALLY FINISHES TRIP

## LAST DAY SPENT IN GOING THROUGH TENNESSEE AND VIRGINIA.

**Traveled More Than 16,000 Miles and Delivered Over 350 Speeches to Crowds Estimated to Contain 5,000,000 People—Preparing Message to Congress.**

Bristol, Tenn.—His second long swing around the circle practically concluded, President Taft rushed through Tennessee and Virginia en route to Washington. At Bristol, the last scheduled stop on the trip from Knoxville, where he spent Saturday morning, Mr. Taft was a little less than 300 miles from home. He reached the capital Sunday. He will take a day or two of rest before beginning the work of writing his third annual message to congress.

The message, friends say, will be one of the most important he has ever written.

The presidential train has covered more than 15,000 miles, and if automobile trips were to be included in the calculation the mileage would easily top the 16,000-mile mark.

The president has delivered close to 350 speeches, passed through about 30 states and been seen by crowds that Mr. Hilles estimates at more than 5,000,000 persons.

Saturday the president's last day on the road, was given up to eastern Tennessee. Knoxville got six hours of the president's time, and on the way to Bristol he made speeches from the rear end of his train at five small towns. At Greenville the president caught a glimpse of the home and the burial place of Andrew Johnson.

Before he boarded his private car in Knoxville the president called on Mrs. W. G. Brownlow, widow of "Parson" Brownlow, one of the famous governors of Tennessee. Mrs. Brownlow is 92 years old, but her mind is alert and she chatted with Mr. Taft for several minutes. Every president of the United States who has visited Knoxville since the civil war has called at the Brownlow home to pay his respects and Mr. Taft did not wish to leave until he had done so.

For the last dinner on his car the president, Mr. Hilles, Major Butt and Dr. Thomas L. Rhoades, Mr. Taft's physician, who have made the long swing together, were served with Tennessee the car by citizens of Johnson City.

### HE GETS BACK EYESIGHT.

**Rushes to Save Daughter, Falls—Blind for Seven Years, Now Sees.**

San Francisco, Cal.—A fall, sustained when he rushed to the aid of his daughter, who had burned herself on a hot stove, brought back the eyesight of Henry Penniman of Paris Valley, who had been blind for seven years as the result of a runaway accident.

Penniman was dragged over a plowed field on his farm seven years ago, and when he was picked up he was blind. Saturday he heard his daughter's cries for help and while groping his way to the kitchen, fell over a chair. When he rose he could see almost perfectly. Doctors who have examined him say the shock of the fall has restored some optic nerve which had been injured in the runaway accident.

### CHANGES OF NAVAL OFFICERS

**Rear Admiral Winslow Goes to Naval War College at Newport.**

Several important changes in the details of naval officers have been announced. Rear Admiral C. McR. Winslow, now supervisor of New York harbor, is ordered to the naval war college, Newport; Captain T. S. Rogers, commander battleship Georgia, to be president of the naval war college; Captain J. Oliver, now at naval war college, to command battleship New Hampshire; Captain M. Johnston, commander of the navy yard, Portsmouth, to command the Georgia; Captain J. C. Leonard, detached as president of the general courtmartial, New York navy yard, to command Portsmouth navy yard.

B has a pair of tan shoes and is applying tan polish to them. A says he is blackening them. But B says he is polishing them. Which is right?

### LATE SPORTING NOTES.

Wolgast should dispose of Welsh on Thanksgiving day without much effort

Jim Flinn, conqueror of Kaufman and Morris, is barnstorming in Oklahoma, meeting all comers.

The Spokane Amateur Athletic Club Indoor Baseball league, composed of upon the 1911-12 schedule.

Battling Nelson, former lightweight champion, recently stopped Tommy Moore of Chicago in nine rounds.

Packey McFarland and "Harlem Tommy" Murphy will fight 20 rounds in San Francisco Thanksgiving day.

At the Yale-Princeton football game this week, spectators will be denied the privilege of smoking. Afraid of fire.

"One Round" Hogan of California and "Knockout" Brown of New York have been matched for a 10-round bout.

The first eight hours of keen racing failed to alter the lineup of the eight teams in the six days' bicycle race at Buffalo.

According to an eastern paper, the retirement of Frank Klaus, via a defeat at the hands of Bob Moha, leaves the field open.

A decision of Circuit Judge D. E. Blair, in Missouri, upholding boxing exhibitions in Joplin, practically affected every athletic club in Missouri.

Harold S. Brautigan, Tacoma high school distance runner and former basket ball captain, has been named as alternate appointee to the West Point military academy.

Moving forward the date for beginning the world's baseball series next year to October 7 will not change the number of games to be played by either of the big leagues—154.

After shifting preliminaries about in an effort to present the best possible lineup of talent for the big Vancouver-Spokane mitt-mat smoker, which will open the P. N. A. interclub season in Spokane Friday night, Matchmaker Cisco Bullivant of the Spokane Amateur Athletic club announces a 13-bout program, consisting of four wrestling and nine boxing bouts, four of which, divided into three boxing and one wrestling, comprise the interclub headline division.

**Northwest Football Games.**

Spokane 11, Tacoma 6.
Idaho 5, Whitman 0.
O. A. C. 6, W. S. C. 0.
California 21, Stanford 3 (Rugby).
Queen Anne 10, Aberdeen 5.
Wenatchee 96, Ballard 0.

**Eastern Football Results.**

Princeton 3, Dartmouth 0.
Carlisle 18, Harvard 15.
Yale 15, Brown 0.
Cornell 6, Michigan 0.
Chicago 9, Northwestern 3.
Pennsylvania 23, Lafayette 6.

### MINING NOTES.

Porcupine, Ontario, is developing into a great gold camp.

German mining experts last week inspected the Germania mining camp near Deer Trail, and expressed satisfaction at the showing of tungsten ore.

The discovery of a second beach line at Blue City, 60 miles to the eastward of Nome, has given a new lease of life to prospecting in Seward peninsula.

During the last week the British Columbia Copper company treated 10,807 tons of ore at its Greenwood smelter, making a total for the year to date of 522,545 tons.

The Gold Cube Mining company, nine miles northwest of Chewelah, Wash., has encountered an ore body after running a tunnel 150 feet. The four-foot vein of chalcopyrite ore carries silver running about $20 to the ton.

What will eventually be the main working tunnel of the Stewart mine, near Kellogg, Idaho, now is in 1200 feet. It will be 2000 feet long when it reaches the main ledge, at an added depth of 500 feet below the present main working tunnel.

Henry L. King, secretary-treasurer of the W.-K. Mining company, who has just returned from an inspection of the properties between Madison and Rogers, in Kootenai county, Idaho, reports the main ore vein has widened to 44 inches at the bottom of the shaft, now down 100 feet.

Recent development of the property of the Sterling Silver Lead company at Metaline, Wash., by a crosscut tunnel, has exposed one ore shoot over 80 feet wide at a depth of 75 feet, declares W. W. Warner, president and general manager of the company, who has just returned from a trip of inspection of the properties.

P. E. Peterson, a young mining engineer of Butte, Mont., has devised a plan for utilizing electricity for the smelting of zinc ores. He has built an experimental plant at Butte, in which, by the use of his electric furnace, he saves 95 per cent of the mineral contents of the ore, against 85 per cent, the maximum which can be saved by the retort process.

The coal mine at Corbin, B. C., is unique. It has developed two coal measures of such unusual thickness that nothing like them is to be found anywhere else. The second seam is just now being got into shape for production. It will be mined on the quarry system, with steam shovels, and the management expects to mine and load the coal on the cars at a cost of between 25 and 50 cents a ton.