

A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

DOMESTIC.

John Alexander Dowie, of Zion City, Ill., secured \$20,000 to aid the movement for the invasion of New York City by Zion hosts.

The Consolidated Lake Superior company, which operated industries at the American and Canadian "Soos," and which was capitalized for \$100,000,000, has been wrecked.

The University of Chicago has added \$1,000,000 worth of property to its holdings.

Gov. Yates has issued a letter to all Illinois sheriffs advising them to have the jails equipped with riot guns in order to be prepared to meet mobs.

Dimple, Daisy and Dot Redden, known as the prettiest triplets in the world, celebrated their twenty-first birthday at Buchanan, Mich.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson says that the corn crop will be far from a failure this year.

A monument erected to the valor of the Marylanders who fought in the Mexican war was unveiled in Baltimore.

The dedication of the monuments erected by Illinois on the battlefield of Shiloh, which was to have taken place in October, has been postponed until April 6 and 7, the anniversary of the battle of Shiloh.

Cardinal Gibbons arrived in New York on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. The cardinal says Pope Pius X. is deeply interested in America. He predicts that the number of American cardinals will be increased in the near future.

The corner stone of the fine new courthouse at Monticello, Ill., was laid with appropriate ceremonies by the grand lodge of Illinois masons, Gen. George Moulton, of Chicago, presiding.

Morris Gaylord, aged 22, in his senior year at the University of Wisconsin, was killed by the fall of a derrick at the Rock Island road's new shops, at Rock Island, Ill., where he was working during vacation.

Annie R. Sharpley, who caused the post office authorities much trouble through her swindling operations in raising the figures on postal money orders in many cities, has been sentenced to the Eastern Pennsylvania penitentiary for two years.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in session at Baltimore unanimously elected Gen. M. A. Raney, of Marengo, Ia., commanding general of the patriarchal militant for a term of four years.

The president has pardoned John Cummins, a 17-year-old school boy, who is serving a three years' sentence for robbing the post office at Birds Point, Mo.

Richard Watson Gilder, editor of the Century Magazine, who was solicited to run for alderman of New York as a Citizens' Union candidate, has declined the request.

The jury in the trial at Cynthiana, Ky., of Curtis Jett, charged with the murder of Town Marshal Thomas Cockrell at Jackson, Ky., July 21, 1902, rendered a verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment at death.

The proposition of the Hawaiian territory to secure a loan of \$1,229,000 for various public improvements is now before President Roosevelt for action, as required by the organic act.

Four section men on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad were killed near Mount Morris, N. Y., by being struck by a train.

There will be 85 fourth class post offices in the United States advanced to the presidential class October 1.

The government crop report says that damage by frosts has not been serious. A majority of the corn is considered safe.

Four masked men held up a Burlington train near St. Joseph, Mo., blew open the express safe, and are said to have secured from \$5,000 to \$10,000. None of the passengers were molested.

The industrial center of the village of Gardenville, N. Y., was destroyed by fire.

Robbers blew open the safe of the Baxter Springs (Mo.) post office and secured \$800 worth of postage stamps and about \$200 in money.

Fire destroyed nine business buildings at Ayrshire, Ia.

Fire destroyed F. B. Chase's sawmill at Morse, Wis., causing a loss of \$300,000.

The secretary of the treasury authorizes that, owing to the scarcity of two per cent. bonds, both for circulation and as security for government deposits, he will renew refunding operations to the extent of \$20,000,000.

Harry A. Garfield, son of the late President Garfield, has accepted his appointment to the chair of political jurisprudence at Princeton (N. J.) university.

In Kansas City, Mo., the convention of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron workers voted in favor of striking San Francisco and the other Seaports from last October 2, of New York.

At Mount Vernon, Ind., while resisting arrest, William Wilkerson shot and killed City Marshal Schwake. Chased by a posse the murderer took his own life before he could be captured.

Judge DeHaven, of the United States district court in San Francisco, sentenced W. H. Dillard, former internal revenue employe, to five years in the penitentiary for the forging of Chinese certificates.

Robert Allen, Jr., aged 70 years, a prominent lawyer of Red Bank, N. J., was found dead in a wagon house at his home with a bullet wound in his head. He is supposed to have committed suicide because of business troubles.

Officials of the Burlington Railway company and the Adams-Express company have offered a reward of \$4,000 for the arrest and conviction of the man who held up a train near St. Joseph, Mo. Gov. Dockery has offered a reward of \$300 for each robber.

At the Empire City track, near New York, Prince Albert went against the world's pacing record of 1:59 held by Dan Patch and beat it most decisively, going the distance in 1:57.

Three men were killed by a collision of trains at Marion, Ind.

November 10 has been named as the date of the opening of settlement of the 250,000 acres of ceded Chippewa lands in Minnesota.

Orders for a restriction of the anthracite coal output have affected nearly all of the collieries in the Wilkesbarre, Pa., region. Over 43,000,000 tons of coal have been mined since January 1.

An itinerary of 1,836 miles and traversing ten states and two Canadian provinces, for the coming trip of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston, with the guests, the Honorable Artillery company of London, has been completed.

A grand jury returned two indictments against George H. and P. N. Ford, the bankers of Burton, O., who several months ago failed with liabilities aggregating \$1,125,000. They are said to have accepted deposits after knowing the bank was insolvent.

The cotton crop of this season for Georgia is 1,076,000 bales, against 1,470,000 last year.

At the Milwaukee convention G. H. Hohengarten, of St. Louis, was chosen president of the United Master Bakers of America.

The state bank of Roberts, Wis., was robbed and more than \$3,000 was secured from the safe by the robbers.

Ernest Spitzel was instantly killed and Joseph Doddie was probably fatally injured by a Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville train at Converse, Ind.

Yale university has entered upon its two hundred and third year.

The big Armour packing plant which was destroyed by fire at Sioux City, Ia., last winter, is to be rebuilt at once.

The president has approved the Hawaiian bond issue of \$1,229,000.

The general executive board of the Knights of Labor, meeting in Washington, adopted a resolution opposing the proposed law of union labor on President Roosevelt and attributes the hostility to politicians who would disrupt the ranks of labor.

A writ of habeas corpus issued by the court against officers in charge of militia at Cripple Creek, Col., was ignored by the military and a clash between civil and military authorities was averted by prompt intervention of the governor.

Joseph Munzer, a theatrical manager in Cincinnati, tried to kill members of "Marked for Life" company by shooting at them. He wounded three, none seriously.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Col. C. V. Deland, one of the oldest and best known newspaper men in Michigan, died at his home in Jackson.

Mark Smith, well-known comic opera comedian and the original Pook Bah in "The Mikado," died at his home in New York, aged 48 years.

Colorado populists have nominated Judge Frank W. Owens, of Leadville, for justice of the supreme court.

The executive committee of the Greater New York democracy voted to stand by the fusion ticket headed by Seth Low for mayor.

Gov. Yates, of Illinois, has announced his candidacy for another term.

After living in three centuries, John Chrapsey, 104 years of age, died at his home in St. Paul, Minn.

Former Congressman Edward Overton died at his home in Towanda, Pa., aged 87 years.

Alison S. Sherman, who was mayor of Chicago in 1844, died at his home in Waukegan, Ill. He was 92 years old.

William Macabee, of the United States naval home in Philadelphia, celebrated his one hundredth birthday.

Charles B. Farwell, former United States senator, merchant and public man who had been a resident of Chicago since 1844, died at his country home in Lake Forest, aged 80 years.

Turkey is reported to have asked Bulgaria's aid in averting war. Bulgaria demands withdrawal of troops from the Bosphorus and end of the massacres. America is urged to protest against atrocities.

Authorities in Bulgaria believe the question of peace or war in the Balkans will be settled within a very short time. The feeling is more hopeful in Sofia and the Turkish ministers are said to be near an agreement on disputed points.

Yellow fever has broken out at Monterey, Mex.

Great Britain is made to realize that King Edward VII. is a ruler who means to rule by the vigor with which he has taken hold of the cabinet situation and the African war and army scandals.

Bulgarians still anticipate war and little confidence is felt in the sincerity of propositions made by Turkey.

Six hundred Turks were killed in a fight at Kotschani, September 18. The Turkish force numbered 7,000. After the fight the troops, enraged at their losses, pillaged and burned a number of Bulgarian villages.

LATER.

Two lives were lost and several persons were injured in a fire that destroyed the Hotel Brunswick at Rochester, N. Y. The dead are Mr. and Mrs. George Harwood, of Concord, N. H.

A. W. Machen will be the first person involved in the postal frauds to be tried, a practical agreement between the attorneys representing both sides to begin the trials in October having been reached.

A movement is on foot by the railroads of the entire country to bring about a general advance in freight rates, the general reason assigned being the big increase in the wages of all classes of labor and in the price of all material used by the railroads.

Dynamite was exploded under the buggy of Contractor Ferguson, of the Wabash railroad, near West Middletown, Pa. Ferguson was killed and his bookkeeper, Martin, was severely hurt.

The strike on the Great Lakes of the masters and pilots has been settled by arbitration.

A new Turkish cruiser named Abdul Hamid was launched at Elswick on the Tyne, England. She will carry 30 quick firing guns.

The sultan of Turkey asks that the American warships be withdrawn from Beirut. It is not thought the United States will consent.

According to a dispatch from Vienna, the Austrian emperor has decided to fight if the Hungarians push their opposition to his wishes to the extreme. The Austrian war minister and a number of officers have already gone to Hungary.

Bloodhounds have been put on the trail of C. Driscoll and Harry Parsy, who dug out the O'Brien county jail at Pringhar, Ia. They were in jail for robbing Worth's store at Sheldon, Iowa, a month ago.

Sheriff Davidson, of Lynchburg, Tenn., saved the life of a negro by firing into a mob which was stoning the jail. An unknown man was severely wounded.

At Middletown, Ky., John Jones shot and killed Lawrence Duffy in a quarrel over 30 cents.

F. M. Hubbell gives \$3,000,000 to found a college at Des Moines, Ia.

James Keffer was hanged at London, Wyo., for murder. He spent a large portion of his last night in singing, dancing and telling stories.

A negro was lynched near Whigham, Ga., for assaulting a little white girl.

The government has decided to keep the U. S. warships at Beirut.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to kidnap Gov. Mickey's 8-year-old daughter at Lincoln, Neb.

W. A. Smith, a business man of Butte, Mont., was killed by the overturning of a tally-ho in which he was riding.

Robbers blew open the vault of the bank at Downing, Mo., but were frightened away without securing any money.

The creamery at Grand Rapids, Wis., was destroyed by fire.

A safe in the office of C. McDonald & Co., contractors at Thebes, Ill., was taken from the building by burglars, robbed from its contents, and supposedly dumped into the Mississippi river.

Patrolman Dennis Fitzgerald of Chicago was knocked down and beaten with his own club and then shot twice with his own revolver by two negroes whom he had stopped.

General Oia, leader of the band of insurgents which has been creating considerable trouble in the provinces of Albay, Luzon, has surrendered to the American troops, with twenty-eight officers and men of his command.

Thousands of visitors to Coney Island, N. Y., were thrown into a panic by the escape from an amusement park of a lion which ran through the streets pursued by policemen and animal trainers until it was driven into a corner and secured.

Floyd T. Ferris arrived at Boston, Mass., by American express from Columbus, Neb., on the way to Lynn, where he is wanted, charged with the larceny of \$250 from the company which transported him.

SEARCHING FOR THE MURDERERS

Friends Who Committed Dastardly Crime in Pennsylvania Are Not Yet Located.

FORMER EMPLOYEES OF COMPANY HAVE BEEN ARRESTED AS SUSPECTS

Claim They Can Prove Their Innocence—Excitement Is High and Armed Searching Parties Are on the Trail, But Are Without Any Clues.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 28.—There are no further developments in the dastardly crime resulting in the murder and robbery of Contractor Ferguson on the West Middletown road Friday afternoon. The two men who were apprehended as suspects of the deed are now in the Washington jail.

They were identified as Frank Francis and Joseph Huston, former employes at the Ferguson camp. They disclaim any knowledge of the crime and say that on Thursday night they slept in McClay's schoolhouse, about four miles northwest of this place, and on the main road to West-Middletown. They say they can prove that they had nothing to do with the robbery of the tool house, which was entered by the men who fixed the fuse that blew Ferguson to death.

The abandoned mine on the Patterson farm, near the scene of the tragedy, which was supposed to have been used as a refuge by the criminals, was closely guarded all night, and Saturday morning was thoroughly explored without any evidence being discovered that the men had been hiding there, and the searchers left satisfied that the mine was empty.

Early Saturday John Welsh, a resident of West Middletown, found the satchel in which Contractor Ferguson had carried the money. It was rifled of the roll of bills amounting to about \$3,500. Some \$20 in silver were left in it, also some valuable papers. A coat, vest and collar were also found, but it is not yet known to whom they belonged. Mr. Welsh found the satchel at nine o'clock Saturday morning in a cornfield a little north of the scene of the explosion. It had evidently been rifled shortly after the tragedy by the man who was seen by Louis Liggett, the farmer working near the scene who guarded his treasure with a drawn revolver and was allowed to go unmolested for that reason.

Mr. Martin, the bookkeeper of the Ferguson Construction company, who was in the buggy with Mr. Ferguson and seriously injured, did not rest well Friday night and Saturday morning was complaining of pain in his side.

The excitement in Washington county is very high and general indignation is expressed. No such crime, so ingenious, so scientifically executed and so tragic in its results has ever been recorded in this section. Many citizens formed independent armed searching parties and went on the trail of the fugitive desperadoes.

A Fiendish Murder.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 28.—One of the most fiendish and bloodthirsty murders and robbery in the history of Washington county occurred Friday afternoon on the Middletown road, about 15 miles from here. Samuel T. Ferguson, of the Ferguson Construction company, of Pittsburg, was instantly killed and his secretary, Charles L. Martin, of Cincinnati, was fatally injured. The two men were driving along the road in a buggy, carrying \$3,600 in cash, with which to pay off some of their men employed on construction work along the line of the Wabash railroad, when suddenly an explosion of dynamite in the roadway literally tore the rig to pieces, killed Ferguson outright and threw Martin 200 feet and tearing his left arm almost from the socket.

Distinguished Visitor Here.

New York, Sept. 28.—Lieut. Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton, who participated in the defense of Ladysmith, arrived from Liverpool on the Lucania Saturday.

and 19 in Canada compared with 22 a year ago.

Bradstreet's says: Relatively the best reports come from parts of the northwest, due to better weather and crop conditions; the southwest, which has escaped crop injury and the south, where despite crop deterioration and declining cotton prices the general outlook is still good. Eastern advices are of fair trade, but quietness in general business is noted in New York.

SOLDIERS ARE ARRIVING.

Regular Army Troops Are Invading Kentucky to Participate in the Fall Maneuvers.

Camp Young, West Point, Ky., Sept. 28.—The first excitement in this part of Hardin county since 1864, when Gen. Buell placed a small detachment of infantry on Fort Hill, a short distance from West Point, was upon the people Saturday as they gazed in astonishment upon the arrival of train load after train load of enlisted men and their equipments. Altogether the railroads had 18 troop trains on the schedule, and many of them had arrived and the commands had been assigned to their quarters before noon.

The dust is six inches thick over everything and the soil as hard as flint, making the throwing up of ground works a laborious task. The arrivals Saturday were nine troops Seventh cavalry, Chickamauga; five troops Eighth cavalry, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; four companies Twentieth infantry, 700 men of the Third and 300 of the First, all of Fort Sheridan.

Indiana Manufacturer Dead.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 28.—Martin V. Heiger, president of the Mishawaka Woolen Manufacturing company, died Saturday in Epworth hospital, following an operation for appendicitis. He was about 58 years old. He served in the civil war as a member of the One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Indiana. At his death he was president of the board of trustees of De Pauw university, and a trustee of Chautauqua assembly, Chautauqua, N. Y. He leaves a widow.

Explosion in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Sept. 28.—A Daily News special from Menasha, Wis., says: With a report which shook the entire town and started the inhabitants of the Twin Cities, a huge pile of refuse in the "waste coop" of the Menasha Woodware company exploded, killing one man and injuring four others, two seriously, one of whom may die.

Reward Offered.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 28.—Friday afternoon a reward of \$2,000 was offered by the county commissioners and the Ferguson company for the arrest of the guilty parties.

REVIEW OF WEEK'S TRADE

Conditions Are Unsettled, But Volume of Business Large.

The Shipping Facilities Are Heavily Taxed to Keep Pace with the Demands of Distributors.

New York, Sept. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Notwithstanding several unsatisfactory features the volume of trade continues large and the distribution of merchandise taxes shipping facilities. Announcement of a concerted effort to restrict production of pig iron indicates that supplies have begun to accumulate. Railway earnings continue to show gains, for September thus far, exceeding last year's by 8.7 per cent. and those of 1901 by 17.2 per cent. Traffic blockade occurred to some extent, although the movement of farm products is still unseasonably small.

New labor controversies have begun, but a number of serious troubles have been averted, and on the whole the number of men idle voluntarily has diminished. Enforced idleness in the iron and steel industry is more than offset by the resumption of spindles at cotton mills, and there is great activity at footwear factories, although the margin of profit is narrow. Lower prices for the leading agricultural staples indicate a general belief in improved crop prospects.

Failures this week numbered 232 in the United States, against 207 last year.

NEW OUTRAGERS BY THE TURKS

Returning Macedonian Refugees Are Driven Into a Ditch and Then Massacred.

WERE TAKEN FROM THEIR FIELDS BY FIENDISH TURKISH TROOPS

Minister Leishman Cables That All Is Quiet at Beirut, But Admiral Cotton's Fleet Will Probably Remain There for the Present to Prevent Renewal of Disturbances.

Monastir, Macedonia, Sept. 22 (via Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 28).—Snow has fallen on the higher mountain ranges, and the refugees must either leave their hiding places or suffer the greatest hardships. The Turkish troops continue to slaughter refugees who return to their former homes at the invitation of the government, which promises them protection. Near the village of Zlatan, in the neighborhood of Resna, troops found 15 returned refugees working in a field.

They bound their hands, drove them into a ditch, and massacred 14 of the peasants. One of them survived his wounds. The refugees' women subsequently discovered the bodies and carried the survivor before the lieutenant governor of Resna, who refused to hear their story.

One hundred and twenty Bulgarians, including four priests who had been exiled by the Turkish authorities, left Monastir Friday.

Withdrawal of Ships Unlikely.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Withdrawal of the American warships from Beirut seems unlikely for the present, in view of a cablegram received at the state department Saturday from Minister Leishman, at Constantinople, stating that although his advices from Beirut indicate that the situation is quiet just now, nothing like permanent order has been established. Mr. Leishman says that the state of affairs there may yet be regarded as uncertain.

Rear Admiral Cotton, commanding the European squadron, cables the navy department, under date of Beirut, September 25, that Beirut is quiet, and that the case of the American vice consul is still pending.

It is indicated in Mr. Leishman's cablegram that the departure of the warships might be the occasion for a renewal of the riots. This confirms the opinion held here by the state department officials that the quiet at Beirut is due directly to the presence of American warships off that port.

Minister Leishman adds that the new governor of Beirut is actively inaugurating reforms there, but that it is not yet certain he will be able to handle the situation. How far he has the backing of the porte in his activities in behalf of foreigners and their interests is not stated.

REBEL LEADER SURRENDERS.

Gen. Oia Gives Up at Albay, Luzon, and Trouble with Reconcentrados Is Now Over.

Manila, Sept. 28.—Gen. Oia, leader of the band of insurgents which has been making trouble in the province of Albay, Luzon, has surrendered to the American troops with 28 officers and men of his command. He has surrendered a few of his guns, but has promised to turn over all arms belonging to his band without delay.

Gov. A. J. Betts, the provincial executive officer of Albay, says that this practically ends all armed resistance in that portion of the island, the rest of the forces of the reconcentrados having already been dispersed.

The hemp industry, of which Albay is the main center, has been seriously affected by the insurrection, of which Oia has been the chief support.

Work for Reciprocity.

New York, Sept. 28.—A meeting of leading business men and representatives of the Planters' association has been held here, says a Tribune dispatch from Havana, to consider what action should be taken to further the cause of reciprocity between Cuba and the United States. It was agreed to recommend that the commercial bodies and the Planters' league begin at once a literary campaign in the United States, taking up the question with the various commercial bodies of that country and requesting them to use their influence with their representatives in congress in favor of the treaty.

President to Go Hunting.

New York, Sept. 28.—President Roosevelt will soon visit the Adirondacks as the guest of Wm. H. Seward, of New York, according to a dispatch from Utica. The date of the president's arrival in the woods has not been definitely learned, but the guides are planning to give him some fine deer hunting.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis Worse.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis was worse Saturday morning, her condition being considered critical. The doctors say, however, that the crisis has not been reached and should she get relief she may recover. Several relatives and friends have arrived and are at her bedside.

Missouri Bank Robbery.

Keokuk, Ia., Sept. 28.—Robbers Friday night entered the Merchants' Exchange bank at Downing, Mo., 56 miles west of Keokuk, blew open the vault door with dynamite, and were then frightened away without securing any booty. The inner door had not been penetrated.

PUZZLE PICTURE—FIND THE POLICEMAN.



THAT'S JUST THE TROUBLE—BULGARIA CAN'T FIND THE POLICEMAN.

TWIN CITY MARKETS. Minneapolis, Sept. 28. Wheat—No. 1 northern, 83c; No. 2 northern, 78c; Dec. 76 1/2c. Oats—No. 3 white, 30c. Corn—No. 3, 51c. Rye—No. 2, 50c. Barley—No. 2, 55c. Flax—\$1.00. Butter—Creamery, extra, 21c; creamery, first, 19c; dairy, fancy, 18c; Poultry—Turkeys, 89c; chickens, 7c. Hay—Uplands, fancy, \$11.00. St. Paul, Sept. 28. Cattle—Steers, \$3.35@4.00; cows, \$2.75@3.35. Hogs—\$4.90@5.40. Sheep—muttons, \$5.00; lambs, \$6.00.