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DIES ON EVE OF HIS PROMOTION

(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco, July 17.—The body of General Richard Warfield of the San Francisco police commission, who was killed last night by a collision between his automobile and a gravity train, was removed to San Francisco this morning and the coroner found a certificate in the deceased's pocket which would have on Monday promoted him in the San Francisco commission. The document was covered with blood.

GOURDAIN NEAR WASHINGTON

(Scripps News Association)
Washington July 17.—Louis Gourdain, who yesterday was refused admission to the state penitentiary at Joliet, Illinois, has telegraphed the secretary of the Supreme Court here to have the stenographer in the city meet him at the station. The request is unusual but has been granted.

TENNESSEE PHARMACISTS MEET

(Scripps News Association)
Chattanooga, Tenn., July 17.—The 21st annual meeting of the Tennessee Pharmaceutical Association opened at Lookout Inn for a three days' session today. The attendance is large and a fine program has been arranged.

NEED NOT SHOW HOLDERS' LIST

(Scripps News Association)
Vienna July 17.—It has been decided that the New York life is not compelled to show a list of policy holders to others insured. The case will be fought by the Austrian courts.

GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago July 17.—Wheat open at 78½ closed at 77½; corn opened at 51½ closed at 51½; oats opened at 34½ closed 34½.

PAPER JOBBERS TALK BUSINESS

(Scripps News Association)
Saratoga Springs N. Y., July 17.—The paper trade situation in the State of New York, outside of New York City is the subject of discussion at the annual meeting of the Empire State Paper Dealers Association which opened here today. The convention, which is attended by about fifty paper jobbers from all parts of the state except New York city, which has its separate organization, will remain in session several days and some important matters will be considered. This state is a great producer of paper and the deliberations of the convention will probably be of considerable weight with the national convention of paper dealers, which will be held later in the season.

PORTLAND STREET CAR MEN STRIKE

(Scripps News Association)
Portland Ore., July 17.—The Portland Railway Company this morning rejected the ultimatum of the street car employees demanding recognition of the unions, an increase in wages, the abolition of the photographic system for identification, and the re-instatement of discharged men. The men will vote tonight on the question of a strike.

A NEW ISLAND APPEARS

(Scripps News Association)
Nome, Ala., July 17.—The revenue cutter Theis, just arrived here and reports the appearance of a new island at a point sixty miles west of Dutch harbor and adjoining Fire Island. It is no doubt the result of a volcano, as one side of the island is still enveloped in steam. The highest elevation is six hundred feet above sea level and the new addition to the earth's surface is nearly three miles in circumference. The Theis approached within two miles and took measurement while showers of ashes covered the decks.

VANDOLS RAMPANT IN RUSSIA

(Scripps News Association)
St. Petersburg, July 17.—The peasants want nothing but some one to apply the torch in this city, and many other districts. The city hall at Natchatkins was destroyed by fire and the entire village of three hundred houses burned to the ground.

BATTLESHIP RUNAWAY

(Scripps News Association)
Seattle, July 17.—The battleship Nebraska, on its contractor's trial trip on a straightaway course, ran out of control of the engineer, and on lowering the anchor with its immense weight, the chain anchor and all plunged to the bottom where it still lies. During the descent the chain tore away the structure of the porthole and the friction ignited the framework which was extinguished before any great damage had been done.

OVERLAND FREIGHT WRECKED

(Scripps News Association)
Riverside Cal., July 17.—The west bound Santa Fe overland freight was wrecked near Casa Blanca today. Engineer Gus Fisher had his left leg broken and an unknown tramp was decapitated. A dozen cars were demolished.

WRECKS TRAIN TO KILL DUKE

(Scripps News Association)
Berlin July 17.—It is evident that the train in which Grand Duke Vladimir was riding, was wrecked with the intent to kill the distinguished passenger. However, he was not injured in any way.

ONLY A SMALL BLAZE

The fire department was called out this afternoon to quench a small fire that had been ignited in a sidewalk in the rear of the Fair store. The fire had not reached any of the buildings and consequently was easily distinguished.

WILL OPEN FRAUD TRIAL TOMORROW

(Scripps News Association)
Portland, Ore., July 17.—Federal Judge Be'linger this morning announced that the land fraud trials will begin tomorrow. If defendant Martin Hoge, who alleges illness, is not present, the four thousand dollar bail will be declared forfeited.

NO INDICTMENT AGAINST THEM

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland, July 17.—The grand jury this afternoon reported that there are no indictments against the Standard Oil company or the Lake Shore. Neither are there any against the officials of these two corporations. It is expected that the case will be taken before the federal grand jury of the Chicago district.

BILL POSTERS O GANIZE

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland, July 17.—The Independent bill posters, backed by the independent theatrical people, organized here to fight the National Association of bill posters who it is claimed, stifled competition. A. D. Melvin of Detroit is president and J. F. Wheaton of San Francisco is the treasurer.

DISTRIBUTING FREE ICE

(Scripps News Association)
New York, July 17.—Mayor Coyne of Yonkers is planning to supply this city with the Yonkers artificial ice at cost price. The trust has raised the price to sixty cents a hundred and the charity departments of the city are preparing to supply the poor with free ice.

EAKIN'S DECISION SUSTAINED

(Observer Special)
Salem, Oregon, July 17.—George Miller of Union County, who has had a case in the county and circuit courts of Union county for some time has again today. A road petition had been granted for the extension of a road through Miller's property and he claimed a damage of two hundred and fifty dollars. The county board, however, granted him one hundred dollars. He appealed the case to the circuit court where Judge Robert Eakin sustained the decision of the county court. Mr. Miller, undaunted, carried it to the supreme court, where that body today held the ruling of Judge Eakin, and he will get an even hundred dollars and no more.

COALITION GUATEMALA EXISTED

(Scripps News Association)
New Orleans, July 17.—It is reported that a coalition against Guatemala by Honduras and Salvador has existed, each guaranteeing to support the other if attacked or the territory of the latter two countries invaded by Guatemala.

CARNEGIE DENIES IT

(Scripps News Association)
London, July 17.—Andrew Carnegie today replies to Sir Charles Tupper, denying that he, while in Canada, advised the union of Canada with the United States.

KILLED IN HOTEL FIRE

(Scripps News Association)
Pittsburg, July 17.—James Conway, a board of health official, and Neal Conners, the Park Hotel manager, is dead and three injured as the result of a fire this morning in Park Hotel. The injured are two policemen and a fireman, who sustained their injuries while rescuing guests.

CELEBRATING SANTIAGO DAY

(Scripps News Association)
Washington D. C. July 17.—"Santiago Day", being the anniversary of the surrender of the Spanish under Gen. Toral and the fall of Santiago, is celebrated today by the veterans of the Spanish-American War throughout the country. The United Spanish War Veterans of the District of Columbia, in combination with the District branch of the Society of the Army of Santiago de Cuba, the survivors of the First District Columbia Volunteer Infantry, those of the 4th United States Volunteer regiment of Immunes and other veterans of the Spanish-American War will celebrate the day by an outing and athletic games at Luna Park this afternoon and evening. Several regimental organizations of this city and several other Eastern cities will hold reunions here today and many will take part in the various athletic and field contests. Among the regimental associations that will hold reunions are the famous "Fighting Ninth", as the Ninth United States Infantry was called, the Fourth Immune and others.

RATE LAW A BENEFIT TO CARRIERS

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland Ohio, July 17.—Captain Grammer, vice president and general manager of traffic for the New York Central and West Buffalo, who will likely get an immunity bath for assisting in running down the Standard Oil Company believes that the new rate law will prove of inestimable benefit to all common carriers in the end. He thinks the shippers will be the first to demand a repeal, and says that the new law will prevent a charge of rate within thirty days. Formerly, shippers with large consignments would ask for special rates for thirty days. Now it will be as great an offense to ask for rates as it will be to grant them. Shippers were always complaining of excessive rates and always trying to get the advantage of competitors, but all that is changed now by the new law, and that class of shippers that have been the real great disturbers of rates will be removed.

HANGS BY SHOE STRINGS

(Scripps News Association)
Sandwich, Ont., July 17.—Christopher Sandelman, who was incarcerated in prison here committed suicide today by hanging himself with his shoe laces.

BEGIN HARVEST TODAY

Swearingin Brothers began cutting 70 acres of barley with a combined harvester this morning on their farm 12 miles from the city. After finishing this they will begin on their wheat crop, which is now about ripe.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

NATION'S SOCIALIST PARLIAMENT

(Scripps News Association)
London July.—A congress of inter-parliamentary socialists, composed of socialist members of the various parliaments in the country, including a socialist from the Russian Duma, began its session here today. Newspapers are excluded a the session fears the respective governments would dislike the discussion that will be heard within the walls.

NEW BOILERS FOR WARSHIPS

(Scripps News Association)
Brooklyn, N. Y., July 17.—The battleship Massachusetts, now at the navy yard in this city, will have an entirely new boiler plant installed. This work, together with similar installation on board the cruiser New York, now at the Boston navy yard, will cost the government \$500,000. Bids for the boilers, which will be of the watertube type, will be opened in the bureau of supplies and accounts, navy department, Washington, D. C., on the last day of this month.

DEAF AND DUMB DUEL

(Scripps News Association)
Geneva July 17.—Near Como, two deaf and dumb participants fought a duel. Each fired three shots, one fell dead in his tracks. The principals and seconds wore black masks. Not a word was spoken by any one of the party during the whole performance.

A MAN WITH AN ADDRESS

(Scripps News Association)
Ottawa Ont., July 17.—The body of a man supposed to be that of Joseph L. Fulton of Seattle was found along the Grand Trunk between Dorval and Dixon, Quebec. In the pocket of the man was found a card saying, "In case of accident notify Mrs. Vandine at 1424 seventh avenue, Seattle. My name is Joseph N. Fulton."

ELKS BUSY AT DENVER

(Scripps News Association)
Denver, July 17.—The grand lodge of Elks today at its first session was ordered to dispose of all important business and the reading of reports was passed. It will be printed and distributed as soon as possible. The adoption of a new ritual will be considered by the lodge.

ST. LOUIS ICE COMPANY IN TROUBLE

(Scripps News Association)
St. Louis, July 17.—City Attorney Sager today filed suits against the Polar Wave, and Merchants Ice and Fuel Companies charging them with conspiracy in restraining trade. He is asking a judgment of \$71,000 to be assessed against each company as accumulated fines since the alleged combine was formed.

SALE NOW GET BUSY SALE

Commencing July 12 we will place on sale our enormous stock of summer goods. Not shop worn or second hand, but bright new goods, just at the time you need them.

WASH GOODS OFFERING	SILK COATS FOR LADIES	Men's Hot Weather Goods
Luster cotton Taffetas, worth 20c to close at 13c	These garments are made of good Taffeta, latest styles in long and short coats as follows:	Balbrigan Underwear, regular 75c \$1.00 and \$1.25 per suit
15 bolts French Gingham, regular 12c to close at 11c	Regular \$13.50 close at \$10.15	75c Dress shirts 45c
15 bolts Lawns and Batistes, all colors, regular 10c, now 7 1-2	" 12.50 " 9.25	24 inch Bandanas, red and blue 5c
1 lot silk and cotton shirts waists HALF PRICE	" 10.00 " 7.35	Mexican Hats 15c
LADIES' WASH SUITS	" 6.50 " 5.00	Boys' Kai Kai suits
All colors in assorted sizes, just what you want for July and August \$2.50 to \$6.50	Wash Skirts, all reduced, regular \$1.50 grades for 98c	Long pants suit 1.75
Millinery is Going	Only a few left, prices cut no figure	Short pants suit 1.50
		Odd lots of vic and calf shoes regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 to close at 1.65
		Good work socks .05
		Straw Hats, all cut prices



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