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## TEMPERANCE WORKERS HOLD CONVENTION

(Scripps News Association) Boston, Mass., Oct. 17.—The seventh terminal convention of the W. C. T. U., a body composed of distinguished women from all corners of the globe, was commenced in the Tremont Temple here today. In the absence of Lady Dorothy Howard, Miss Agnes E. Slack, and Miss L. Cameron, representing England, Mrs. Kaji Yajima of Tokyo, Japan; Mrs. M. E. Fermis, Natal Africa; Baroness Emily Von Hanson, Dresden, Germany; Franklin Julie Kasowitz, Austria; Mrs. Mary E. Sanderson, Canada; Miss Anna Gordon,

U. S. A., and Mrs. Van Domselaar, Uruguay. From each state in the union three delegates attended. The union is a cosmopolitan body and has branches in 54 countries in the world where it is vigorously opposing the drink traffic and it is estimated to have a membership of 800,000. Proceeding the business sessions of the great visiting body there will be an all day service of prayer in the vestry of the Park street Church and tonight at Tremont Temple, a banquet will be tendered the distinguished guests at which Ex-Secretary of the Navy John D. Long will act as toast master. Mrs. Katherine Lente Stevenson and adopted daughter of Massachusetts are acting as hostess during the convention.

## STORMS DO NOT RETARD SEC. TAFT

(Scripps News Association) Hampton Roads, Oct. 17.—The battle ship Virginia bearing Secretary Taft and party arrived here this morning in the teeth of a fierce gale. The party was transferred to a dispatch boat and the continued their journey to Washington notwithstanding the high wind and blinding rain. On account of the weather Secretaries Taft and Bacon went to Washing by train.

## SALTON SEA NO LONGER

(Scripps News Association) Los Angeles, Oct. 17.—The work of diverting the Colorado river back to its old course has been completed today by the California Development Company and the Salton Sea, which threatened ruin to a huge arable district in the state, is a thing of the past. The railroad trestle across the river has been completed and the work of dumping rock into the stream commenced.

## THOUSANDS VISIT OLD BATTLEFIELD CHICKAMAUGA

(Scripps News Association) Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 17.—Members of the Society of the Army of Cumberland to the number of ten thousand held their annual reunion here today under the presidency of Gen. Gates P. Thurston, president of the society. The eighth and seventeenth Ohio regiments paraded, music being supplied by the Twelfth Cavalry Band. The society formed on Broad Street and preceded by the band and regiments marched from the Read House to the auditorium where Senator Joseph B. Foraker delivered the annual oration. Tomorrow a visit will be made to the battlefield of Chickamauga and tomorrow night there will be a great banquet.

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### FARMERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS

(Scripps News Association) Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 17.—Important matters in connection with the agricultural industries in the United States were discussed at the Farmers' National Congress here. Delegates, appointed by the governors of states attended from every state in the union, the gathering being a most representative one.

### NEGROES RETALIATE

(Scripps News Association) Greensborough, S. C., Oct. 16.—The town of Seneca was partially destroyed this morning by fire. It is charged that the fire was set by negroes in revenge for the dynamiting of a negro college which occurred recently. The loss of last night's fire is estimated one at hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

### BANKERS IN SESSION

(Scripps News Association) St. Louis, Oct. 17.—The meeting of the Bankers Association of the Olympic region was expected to be held here after the doing of the preliminary work.

### NEW HOPE FOR DYSPEPTICS

(Scripps News Association) St. Louis, Oct. 17.—The reasons that disturbance in the functions of the spine and the balance of the system, that the system of the spine, while, it is not a cure, it is a new hope for dyspeptics.

## SUBMARINE REMAINS AT BOTTOM

(Scripps News Association) Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 17.—The submarine boat, U. S. S. Albatross, while on her trial trip became disabled in one hundred and fifty feet of water. All available help has been hastened to her assistance, but so far all attempts to bring her to surface have failed without success. The crew of course remained within the boat and their condition is unknown.

## CHINESE WILL NOT BE EMPLOYED

(Scripps News Association) Chicago, Oct. 17.—Engineer Shonts who has charge of the work on the Isthmus, wired today saying that no Chinese were at work on the canal that none would be employed and never had been. He stated that he had invited bids for Chinese labor but they were unsatisfactory and that he would not employ them.



## MRS. DAVIS DIES OF PNEUMONIA

(Scripps News Association) New York, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis succumbed to that treacherous disease pneumonia, with which she has been battling for several days, last night, at the age of 80. Yesterday afternoon a sudden change for the worse and in a few hours later in the presence of her only surviving daughter, Mrs. Alison Hayes and other relatives she passed away.

(Scripps News Association) Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 17.—The Farmers with a knowledge of the situation submitted themselves for examination before the Federal Building before Civil Service Secy. C. W. Moss today to fill appointments on Indian reservations in the west and south west. The results will be published at the end of the current month.

(Scripps News Association) St. Louis, Oct. 17.—Chief Wilkie of the government secret service is here but he says that he has nothing to do with the reported shortage in the sub-treasury. He said that he would only investigate if a crime was committed. D. P. Dyer, Jr., the receiving teller of the sub-treasury says that he made a report concerning a shortage of \$1,200 but would not give his opinion as to how it occurred.

### WILL REMOVE CHILDREN

(Scripps News Association) Denver, Oct. 17.—John Dern, of Salt Lake, and a strong candidate for the office of President of the mining congress, accompanied by humane agent Kerr left this morning for the Northwestern part of the state to take charge of the children who are held in the orphanage which is conducted under the direction of a sect of vegetarians who style themselves as the Brotherhood of Light. It is claimed that a number of children consigned to the care of the Brotherhood have actually starved to death upon the diet furnished.

### SALOON DESTROYED

(Scripps News Association) San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The police have not yet secured any clue to the persons who at 1:50 this morning dynamited the saloon of Geo. Migalde, of Pacific St near Kearney. The bomb was placed under one corner of the building and the explosion which followed, demolished the stairway leading to the upper floor, leaving the inmates without any means of escape. The back part of the structure was badly damaged but no one was hurt.

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### CONVENTION OF CONNECTICUT BAPTISTS

(Scripps News Association) South Norwalk, Oct. 17.—The eighty-third annual meeting of the Connecticut Baptists concluded here tonight. During the three days meeting every organization in the state work held its annual meeting and as 149 churches with a constituency of 65,000, it is estimated that five thousand persons attended the meetings. All the prominent Baptists of the state attended.

### LEADER CAPTURED

(Scripps News Association) Del Rio, Tex., Oct. 17.—Juan Jose Arredondo, the leader of the Mexican revolution, who was recently captured in the town Kilineze, Mexico, arrived at Spofford junction, was brought to the jail where other revolutionists are imprisoned.

### WHERE IS THE MONEY

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### McGOVERN THE FAVORITE

(Scripps News Association) New York, Oct. 17.—McGovern is the favorite in the betting circles at 10 to 7 and 6 to 5 in the Corbett fight tonight.

### PRESIDENT SENDS CONDOLENCE

(Scripps News Association) Washington Oct. 17.—President Roosevelt today sent Mrs. Addison Hayes a message of condolence caused by the death of Mrs. Jefferson Davis, for himself and Mrs. Roosevelt. He ordered a floral tribute sent from the White House conservatory.

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### NEW LINE FOR THE LAKES

(Scripps News Association) New York, Oct. 17.—A new line of steamships is about to be established on the Great Lakes. Negotiations were concluded today between the shipowners Drydock Co. and the American shipbuilding Co., the result of which are that the Lockawanna Steamship Co. to be capitalized at \$2,500,000 which immediately issued tenders for eight new vessels of 7,500 tons to the lakes. Pinkham, Mather & Co. will operate the new line.

## HE GAVE THE SNAP AWAY

(Scripps News Association) Chicago, Oct. 17.—James Potts, president of the Peavy Elevator Company and a member of the alleged elevator trust, today gave the Interstate Commerce Commission a copy of the alleged agreement for a division of business. He stated that it "was a rule of the board of trade that no brokers buy grain at any price not fixed by the board who fixes the price, restricts trade and prevents free bidding. However he stated that it was a good proposition." Commissioner Clark said "Yes if the board gets away with the goods it is a good business proposition. This rule injures the interest of the producer and prevents the operation of supply and demand."

## CRAZY KING DEVOURS HIS WIFE

(Scripps News Association) Paris Oct. 17.—Additional advices regarding the cruelties practiced by the king of Annam, says that he inflicted untold tortures upon the inmates of his palace. An account is given stating that he killed one wife and had her served at a banquet. At this most horrible feast the entire household were invited and forced to eat under the pain of death. The French authorities have imprisoned the king and released the inmates of the palace. The king has been declared insane and he has been permanently deposed.

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### GRAIN MARKETS

(Scripps News Association) Chicago, Oct. 17.—Wheat opened at 73½¢ closed at 74½¢; corn opened at 42½¢ closed at 42½¢; oats opened at 33½¢ closed 33½¢.

### ANACONDA COPPER MINING CO.

(Scripps News Association) New York, Oct. 17.—The Anaconda Copper Mining Company's dividend of \$1.50 a share, being an increase of 12-1-2 cents per share over the last quarterly payment, is payable today. This brings the annual rate up to \$6 a share or from 22 to 24 per cent.