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### MURDERER IS NEARLY MOBBED

Contractor Shoots a Carpenter From Behind in a Quarrel.  
KANSAS CITY, Oct. 27.—Edward Grogger, a building contractor, shot and killed John Nash, a carpenter, aged 28, firing from behind, in a quarrel in the southern limits of the city this afternoon.  
Relatives and neighbors of Nash made an attempt to save Grogger, and the latter was only moved from violence by the police driving him from the scene. Both have families.

### ROBBERS CHLORFORM THEM

Man is Dead and His Wife Barely Escapes Suffocation.  
LEAD, S. D., Oct. 27.—J. O. Mareaux, head carpenter for the Hidden Fortuna Mining Company, was murdered and his wife barely escaped suffocation by the use of chloroform in the hands of robbers. A large sum of money received yesterday, which the robbers were after, had been placed in the bank.

## OUT FOR THE TIME

### Receiver Thomson, at La Grande, Suspended.

### LAND OFFICE IS TIED UP

### Hitchcock Will Allow Indicted Official a Trial.

### SENATORS HAVE SOME DOUBT

Mitchell Says if Thomson is Guilty, He is Done With Him—Delegation Not Yet Asked to Consider Successor.

#### OTHER OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

Secretary Hitchcock, in suspending Receiver A. B. Thomson, the La Grande official, pending his trial on a charge of soliciting bribes, made the significant remark that "there are other officials involved."  
Since the law will not allow of the appointment of a temporary Receiver, and land office business requires the presence of both the Receiver and the Register, transaction of the work at La Grande will be considerably hindered or practically tied up.  
The reason why the Thomson was worked up by Special Inspector Green, who has unceremoniously made the rounds on the Pacific Coast.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 27.—A. B. Thomson was today suspended from the office of Receiver of Public Money at La Grande until further notice. Word to this effect was telegraphed here by Secretary Hitchcock this afternoon. The Secretary has not determined what future course he will pursue toward Thomson.

The suspension penalty closes the La Grande office save for the filing of papers, for no actual business can be transacted unless both Register and Receiver are present. No one can be appointed temporarily in the absence of the Register. The Secretary does not wish to throw unnecessary obstacles in the way of bona fide entries in the La Grande district, whose filings must necessarily be held up during Thomson's suspension; nor, on the other hand, has he concluded that he is justified in removing Thomson on an indictment and prior to trial. It is recognized, however, that the grand jury must have had strong evidence or it would not have brought in an indictment, and it is by no means improbable that the delegation may soon be asked to recommend some one for the office in order that an appointment may be made and the business of the La Grande office be resumed. No such request has yet been made of the Senators; in fact, they have heard nothing from the department about the case. Both Senator Mitchell and Senator Fulton learned before leaving Oregon that Thomson was likely to be indicted, but neither had an opportunity to hear his side of the case. They were none the less displeased to learn, however, that the man whose appointment they had so recently secured should have been actually indicted.

### Many New Cases of Yellow Jack.

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### AGAIN IN FLAMES

### Aberdeen's Surviving Buildings Burn.

### FIREMEN ARE HELPLESS

### Commercial Block Is the First to Go.

### FIRE SPREADS VERY RAPIDLY

### Glasgow Block, Becker Block, Post-office and Young Men's Christian Association Follow in Quick Succession.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 28, 3 A. M.—(Special.)—A fire, which promises to equal in magnitude the recent holocaust which destroyed the major portion of the business part of Aberdeen, is now raging, and the fire department is wholly unable to cope with it.  
At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in the center of the Commercial block. With indescribable rapidity it has spread to the Glasgow block, the postoffice, the Becker block and the Y. M. C. A. building, all of which are now a mass of flames.  
The Fire Department is utterly powerless to stay the progress of the flames, which the wind is fast driving toward the unburned portion of the town.  
The Commercial block contained 10 stores, besides several which opened temporary quarters there after the recent fire. The Glasgow block contained eight stores.  
(Seven business blocks of Aberdeen were destroyed by a fire that broke out on the morning of October 16 and burned until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The blaze started in a rookery called the Mock building, where men cooked their meals over gasoline stoves. Four men lost their lives and a half dozen were more or less seriously injured. The loss was determined to be about \$200,000.)

### DIAZ NEARLY ASSASSINATED.

President of Mexico Is Fired Upon in Street-Car.  
GUANAJATO, Mex., Oct. 27.—Great excitement was caused here today by what looked like an attempt on the life of President Diaz, who was a guest of the state government during the festivities here. The President, his staff and guests were passing by the Cantador garden in a street-car when a man of the lower class by the name of Elias Toscano approached the car, shouting, and fired five shots from a revolver at the car, fortunately doing no harm.  
Pablo Becanadon, of the President's staff, rushed from the car and caught the man, wrenching the revolver from his grasp. The police took Toscano to prison.  
Toscano is a man with a bad record, and was but recently released from prison at Granditax, where he had served a term for homicide. The matter will be investigated. One theory is that Toscano was drunk, and another that he deliberately planned to shoot the Chief Magistrate.

### APPEAL TO RED CROSS FOR AID

Macedonians Ask Clara Barton to Relieve Their Distress.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Macedonia's plea for aid in her distress was placed before Miss Clara Barton, the head of the Red Cross Society, today. Constantine Stephanoff, the special Macedonian delegate, told Miss Barton of the urgency of the situation and begged her to take immediate action to insure the forwarding of Red Cross relief to Macedonia. Miss Barton asked for detailed information as to the character and scope of the aid needed, and said:  
"The Red Cross feels that it would be a humane and noble thing for the American people to undertake to relieve the suffering in Macedonia. Such a thing would be in keeping with American tradition in other exigencies. The situation, in view of the approach of Winter, would seem to require a systematic, substantial and immediate effort on the part of the people generally. Diplomatically the problem would be an extremely delicate one, and would require discretion and experience for its successful solution."

### NOTED ATHLETE SHOT BY MISTAKE.

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 27.—John Dewey, a champion wrestler and noted athlete, was fatally shot today by two men who escaped. It is thought the assassins were hunting another man and shot Dewey by mistake.  
Missing Millionaire Found Dead.  
RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 27.—A report has been received here from Bristol that the body of E. L. Wentz, the young Philadelphia millionaire, who disappeared about 19 days ago, has been found in West County.

### BAD FIRE FROM SPARK AT SAWMILL.

MENOMINEE, Mich., Oct. 27.—Fire in the yard of the Bay Shore Lumber Company this afternoon and evening burned 3,000,000 feet of lumber, valued at \$100,000. A spark from the mill set fire to the lumber.

### WIFE OF COMMISSIONER RICHARDS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Mrs. Harriet Alice Richards, state regent for Wyoming of the Daughters of the American Revolution and wife of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, died tonight of heart trouble. She was 46 years old and left three daughters.