

DEAR OLD TIMES  
SHAFER'S REFLECT

Pneumonia Proves Fatal to  
General of Cuban  
Campaign.

GOLD CAUGHT AT ELECTION

Doctors Decide Operation Would Be  
Fatal and Leave Brave Veteran  
to Fight Losing Battle.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. 12.—Major-General William Rufus Shaffer, United States Army, retired, died at 12:42 P. M. today at the ranch of Captain W. H. McKittick, his old commanding officer in the city, after an illness of seven days, despite the best medical attention in California.

While returning from a polo ball Tuesday, he contracted the severe chill, which augmented a slight indisposition and necessitated confinement to his bed. Dr. T. W. Mitchell, the local family physician, was at once summoned. The patient failed to improve, and Dr. A. Schaffer was called for consultation. Intestinal obstruction was discovered, but it was determined that this was a secondary affection brought on by an acute attack of pneumonia.

Doctors' Efforts Vain.  
Wednesday and Thursday no improvement was noticed and Friday afternoon Dr. M. H. Herzstein, of San Francisco, was communicated with, but as he was unable to depart at once, Dr. I. W. Thorne was dispatched in Dr. Herzstein's place. Dr. Thorne arrived early Saturday morning and, together with the local physicians, diligently watched the patient all that day. In the afternoon a slight rally was detected and relatives and physicians were extremely hopeful, but the change was short-lived. At 10 o'clock a sinking spell seized the veteran. Dr. Herzstein arrived shortly after midnight Saturday night and a consultation was held with the other physicians in attendance. It is stated that Dr. Herzstein deemed an operation the only means of relief from the intestinal obstruction, but the condition of the patient would forecast nothing but fatal results in such an attempt. Dr. Herzstein, accompanied by Dr. Thorne, returned to San Francisco, all hope of saving the gallant war hero having been abandoned.

Hope of Recovery Given Up.  
The patient was left in charge of Dr. Mitchell and the battle against desperate odds continued. Through it all the veteran bore up bravely, always cheerful and hopeful, his mind clear and cogitant of his critical condition, the patient remained unconscious until 9 o'clock this morning. Pure oxygen tent from San Francisco performed a great work in keeping life up, but after midnight and early this morning a constant weakening was discerned. Dr. Mitchell and the trained nurses labored unceasingly, but the general lapsed into unconsciousness at 9 o'clock and remained in that condition until death.

Will Have Military Funeral.  
The body of Major-General Shaffer will leave this city Wednesday evening at 7:30 on the Santa Fe California Limited train and, upon arrival at Point Richmond the next morning will be placed aboard a Government transport vessel by military officers to the Presidio at San Francisco. Interment will be had in the post cemetery immediately after arrival, with full military honors. The body will remain at the McKittick ranch until Wednesday evening.

William Rufus Shaffer was born in Kalamazoo, Michigan, October 16, 1835. His father was a pioneer farmer, and gave the boy as good an education as the limited facilities of the frontier town would afford. Young Shaffer took up the calling of farmer, and taught school during the winter months. At the breaking out of the Civil War he enlisted in the Seventh Michigan Infantry, and was elected a Second Lieutenant. In 1862 he was chosen Major of the Nineteenth Michigan, and in 1863 he was promoted Lieutenant Colonel. In April, 1864, he was honorably discharged, his term of service having expired. On the following day he received a commission as Colonel in the Regular Army, and was assigned to the command of the Seventeenth Infantry, and in 1869 the war having ended he was brevetted Brigadier-General upon his discharge. He again entered the service in 1877, being commissioned Lieutenant Colonel of the Forty-first Infantry.

During the Civil War Colonel Shaffer took part, among others, in the battles of Fair Oaks, Savage Station, Gettysburg, Malvern Hill and in the Southwest at Thompson Station. After the battle of Fair Oaks he was brevetted "for gallant and meritorious services." In 1879, when in command of the famous First Infantry, Colonel Shaffer became famous as an Indian-fighter.

The outbreak of the Spanish War found General Shaffer, now a brigadier, in command of the Department of California with headquarters at San Francisco. He was ordered to Washington and put in command of the army sent to occupy Cuba, having under him such noted division commanders as Lawton, Wheeler, Bates, Lee and Kent, and Colonel Roosevelt with the Rough Riders.

He was in chief command of the army which fought the victorious battles of Guasima, San Juan Hill and El Caney, and to him the Spanish garrison at Santiago finally surrendered on July 3, the day when the naval battle of Santiago was fought. After the surrender he returned with the troops to Montana Point, N. Y., where he only remained ten days, as he was placed in command of the Department of the East. In 1899 he returned to San Francisco, where he remained in command until his retirement as Major-General in 1901.

General Shaffer owned the ranch in Kern County, California, where he died, and was much interested in fruit culture and cattle-raising. The station on the Santa Fe Railroad at his ranch bore his name, and quite a village building up, a suburb of Bakersfield, the county seat. The general was a frequent visitor to San Francisco, where he was prominent in social and business circles, a member of several clubs, notably the Union League.

General Shaffer was a man of huge physique, and was frequently indisposed in health. On several occasions he became so ill that his death was reported, and during the Cuban campaign he was prostrated, but through his indomitable will power so far overcame his malady that he was able to

direct his army, sometimes from a cot from which he was unable to rise. He was a notable figure at Grand Army reunions, and was always hailed by the members of his former commands as a hero of two wars.

\$1,000,000 FOR THE JETTY  
General Mackenzie Proposes Liberal  
Oregon Appropriations.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—General Andrew Mackenzie, Chief of Engineers, has reported to the Secretary of War that \$1,000,000 will be required to complete the engineering work upon the fortifications projected by the board, convened under the President's order of January 31, 1906. During the year, the number of guns available for service was increased by the addition of eight mortars, four 12-inch guns and 24 rapid-fire guns, so that together the status of the fortifications for which Congress has appropriated funds was \$75,000,000. For continuing the construction of gun and mortar batteries an estimate of \$4,247,600 is submitted; for modernizing old emplacements, \$432,600 and for fire control engineering work, \$1,534,800. For the purchase of site for fortifications to carry out the plans of the defense board, an estimate of \$3,319,500 is submitted, and for searches and connections \$2,387,700 for preservation and repair of fortifications, \$300,000; supplies for seacoast defenses, \$80,000; sea walls and embankments, \$25,



The Late General W. R. Shaffer.

335; preservation and repair of torpedo structures, \$50,000; submarine mines, \$1,323,319; construction of batteries, insular possessions, \$2,002,000; \$250,000 for Quantanamo Bay; \$200,000 Honolulu and Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; \$344,000 to Subic Bay, P. I.; and \$1,559,000 to Manila, P. I.; the total estimate being \$12,879,000. General Mackenzie states that the following amounts stated, among others, can be probably expended during the next fiscal year in the principal river and harbor works, as follows:  
Depwater Harbor, San Pedro Bay, California, \$132,000; Columbia River, between the foot of the Dalles and the head of Collo Falls, \$750,000; canal at Honolulu, \$105,000; Columbia and Lower Willamette Rivers below Portland, \$460,000; mouth of the Columbia, \$1,000,000; Honolulu harbor, Hawaii, \$800,000. General Mackenzie's commission's estimates, head of passes to the mouth of the Ohio, with salaries of Commissioners, \$1,600,000.

BUYS NO SILVER AT 76 CENTS  
Shaw Says Price Is Too High and  
Stops Purchase.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The Treasury Department today received offers for the sale of silver to the Government at 76 cents per fine ounce. These offers were rejected, and Secretary Shaw stated that no more silver would be bought at present high prices. "The Government has in hand," he said, "silver enough to keep the mints in operation for some time to come, and he regards the present price as too high to warrant the purchase of any more silver at these prices." The Treasury Department began its present purchases August 6, and since that time approximately \$500,000,000 have been purchased at prices ranging from 65-1/2 cents to 71-1/2 cents per ounce.

METCALF COMPLETES WORK  
Has Investigated Japanese Question  
From Both Sides.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.—Secretary Victor H. Metcalf, who has been in California, investigating alleged discrimination against Japanese school children, has completed his labors and leaves tomorrow morning for Washington. During his stay here, Secretary Metcalf had conferred with the leading educators of the state and with the leading Japanese as well, and has heard arguments on both sides of the question as to whether special schools, aside from the common schools, should be maintained for the young Japanese. Reports of his investigation have been wired often to President Roosevelt.

Most Drunken Army in World.  
CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—The United States Army is the drunkest in the world, according to figures contained in the report of Surgeon-General O'Reilly, head of the medical department of the Army, which has just been made public. Though General O'Reilly does not state specifically that this undisciplined eminence has been attained since the abolition of the canteen system, several commanding Generals have made this claim. The report also makes clear that many diseases from which soldiers suffer are caused by drinking them outside of the post for amusement.

Must Pay Double Duty.  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—In deciding the case of the United States vs. George Riggs & Co., of New York, today, the Supreme Court of the United States held that figured cotton cloth imported from foreign countries must pay a specific duty under paragraph 321 of the Dingley tariff law in addition to the ad valorem duty required to be paid under paragraphs 306 and 307. The case was a test one, and the decision has been awaited with much interest by both importers and manufacturers all over the country.

Solo Passes Blue Law.  
ALBANY, Or., Nov. 12.—Hereafter a man who gets drunk in the town of Solo, Linn county, may be put to work on the streets or fed on bread and water, according to the provisions of a unique ordinance passed by the Council of that town last week. Not content with living in a "dry" county and having no saloons, the Councilmen of Solo have adopted this unusual procedure in dealing with the liquor question.

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DRUGS LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets  
Droppers... Money...  
GROVE'S structure is on each box

DISSOLVE THE TRUST  
Government Plan of Action  
Against Standard.

WILL INVOKE SHERMAN LAW  
Stock of Oil Octopus to Be Appropriated  
Among Constituent Companies, Which Must Make  
No Contracts.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—While no authoritative statement could be obtained in regard to the matter there is good reason to believe that the Government has decided to institute proceedings against the Standard Oil Company under the Sherman anti-trust law. Under the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey of obtaining an order of the court dissolving the company as it now exists and restoring to each of the 75 or 80 constituent companies its proportionate share of the stock and also compelling the observance of the law inhibiting them from entering into any contract, agreement or understanding with each other with a view to maintaining prices on oil.

OHIO CONTINUES THE FIGHT  
Moves to Oust Subsidiary Companies  
of Standard Oil.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 12.—Suits were filed in the Circuit Court at Lima, O., today by Attorney-General Wade Heilala against subsidiary companies controlled by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, to prevent the further operation of the alleged combination popularly known as the Standard Oil Trust. The companies named as defendants are the Ohio Oil Company, the Solar Refining Company, the Buckeye Pipe Line Company and the Standard Oil Company of Ohio.

The petitions ask the court to oust the four companies from their assumed right to permit their stock to be controlled by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and that they be prevented from continuing their operations as auxiliaries of the so-called Oil Trust. The suits are the outgrowth of the recent trial of the case against the Standard Oil Company at Findlay.

APPEAL AGAINST HOG RATES  
Frye & Bruhn Say Northern's Ad-  
vance Is Prohibitive.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Meatpackers of the State of Washington have brought an action before the Interstate Commerce Commission against the Northern Pacific and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroads, alleging that these railroads have raised the rates on shipments of hogs from the corn belt states to Seattle, Wash., to a figure that practically prohibits the shipment of hogs west.

The chief complainant is Frye & Bruhn, incorporated at Seattle, which concern alleged it would not be able to continue business except for the fact of having established an extensive plant under favorable rates that had existed for seven years. The contract existing with the firm says, would threaten it with bankruptcy.

DYNAMITE TRUST TOBACCO  
Tennessee Night Riders Blow Up  
Three Warehouses.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 12.—The warehouses of the American Snuff Company, at Eddyville, Princeton and Presden, Ky., have been wrecked by dynamite. The dynamite was blown up last night. The Eddyville warehouse was blown up early today. Citizens of that place were awakened by the shock of the explosion, which started the train on a wide radius. Bloodhounds were secured and followed the trail of the wreckers for 30 miles into Caldwell County. Several months ago the trust warehouse in the southern part of Kentucky was dynamited, and growers who sold tobacco to the trust received warning messages from the "Night Riders."

Drug Truists Demurrs Heard.  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 12.—Oral arguments on the demurrers of the defendants in the case of the United States against the National Association of Retail Druggists and others was begun in the Federal Court today. Secretary Metcalf is commonly known as the suit against the drug trust, and is brought under the Sherman anti-trust law.

MISSION BOARD DEFEATED  
S. H. Chandler's \$1,000,000 Estate  
Will Go to Relatives.

AUGUSTA, Me., Nov. 12.—The Maine Supreme Court today decided against the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, which contested the will of Solomon H. Chandler, of Portland, Me. When Chandler made his will in 1896 he directed that his estate, valued at \$1,000,000, should go to the American Board, but in 1902 he wrote a codicil leaving his entire property to relatives.

MURDER COLORED WOMAN  
MAKES VACANCY ON TICKET  
Administration Candidate of New  
York Life Is Dead.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 12.—The body of Annie Shirley, a negro woman, was found at Pratt City this morning with indications that she had been criminally assaulted after which she had been murdered. D. W. Sparrow, a guard at the state convict prison, is charged with the murder. Both Sparrow and men, have been held for investigation. It is said that cards and money alleged to belong to these men, were found near the scene of the murder.

Discharged From Bankruptcy.  
TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 12.—The Iniquola Theater Company, of Chicago, whose theater was destroyed by fire three years ago, attended by great loss of life, was discharged from bankruptcy today by Judge Lanning in the United States Court here today. The company had liabilities of \$200,000 and no assets.

New Charged With Murder.  
EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 12.—Lauero Aguirre, recently arrested in connection with the alleged Mexican revolutionary movement here, has been re-arrested on a charge of "murder committed in Mexico," at the request of Mexican Consul Mallen. Aguirre edited a revolutionary paper there.

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Shopping Bags, to \$3.00 values... \$1.98  
Leather-covered Whisky Flasks, sp'l... 73c  
Leather-covered Whisky Flasks, sp'l... 98c  
Real pigskin and Alligator Flasks... \$1.23  
Pin seal Flasks, special... \$1.48  
French Morocco Playing Card Cases... 50c  
Seal grain Playing Card Cases... 75c  
Morocco Memorandum Books, 25c and... 50c  
Leatherette Engagement Books, sp'l... 50c  
Genuine leather Telephone Books... 50c  
Out and In Hangers, special... 25c  
French Morocco Cigarette Cases, sp'l... 25c  
Calfskin Cigarette Cases, special... 38c  
Pebbled goat Cigar Cases... \$1.23  
Real seal Cigar Cases, special... 48c  
Pocket Medicine Cases, special... 89c  
Pocket Medicine Cases, special... \$1.00  
Genuine leather Perpetual Calendars, 23c and... 48c  
Large Desk Perpetual Calendars, sp'l... 75c  
Leather Penwipers, special... 35c  
Leather case of Coat Hangers, special... 65c  
Five-piece Manicure Sets, special... 50c  
Pretty Imported Trinket Boxes, special... 25c  
Solid leather Stamp cases, special... 25c  
Seal leather Initial Fobs, special... 25c  
Large seal leather Initial Fobs, sp'l... 50c  
Mark Cross Monogram Pigskin Fobs... \$1.00  
\$2 grain walrus Shopping Bags... \$1.48  
Desk Pads for office use, 65c and... \$1.00  
Sole leather Collar Cases, special... 75c  
Solid leather Work Boxes, special... 50c  
Large seal Work Boxes, special... \$1.00  
Collapsible Drinking Cups, special... 50c  
Seal Traveling Cases, special... \$1.50  
Pegmoid leather Suitcases, special... \$1.75  
Imitation alligator Suitcases, special... \$2.25  
Kerato leather Suitcases, special... \$4.25  
Cowhide leather Suitcases, special... \$5.97

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THE VERY BEST coat bargains of the fall is what we are claiming for these smart ultra-stylish coats that we have gathered to sell at \$12.95. They meet especially the needs of the woman who wishes both style and economy in the same garment, and the most critical judge will admit that they combine both of these sterling qualities in every way.  
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PUT RUBBER IN CURRENCY  
JOINT COMMITTEE CONSIDERS MAKING IT ELASTIC.  
Bankers and Congressmen Confer and Reach General Agreement on Principles—Two Plans in View.  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Gratifying progress according to the members, was shown at the meetings today of the joint committee representing the American Bankers Association and the New York members of Congress who gathered here to consider a measure for the consideration of Congress giving authority to banks to issue emergency currency in case of financial stringency. The meeting was presided over by President Heppburn of the Chase National Bank of New York City, chairman of the bankers' committee, and James R. Branch of New York acted as secretary.  
Secretary Shaw, Controller of the Currency Rigidity and United States Treasurer Treadwell were present at the meeting. Mr. Shaw, Controller of the Currency, is himself to any one plan. Mr. Shaw told the bankers of his desire for some reform in currency legislation which would meet all the legitimate demands of trade.  
Two plans are being considered by the bankers. One proposed by the bankers' committee, which contemplates the appointment of a nonpartisan commission of seven members of whom the Controller of the Currency should be one, to pass on all applications by banks for permission to increase their circulation; and the other, advanced by the Chamber of Commerce, which would authorize the issue of credit currency automatically. Both plans have been discussed very thoroughly by the banking public.  
The Chamber of Commerce, through Charles A. Conant, the representative of the New York Chamber of Commerce, explained in detail the scheme advocated by the Chamber. The motives were explained to the members to advance it for consideration and the good results which they believed would follow its adoption. Following the presentation of the plan there was a general discussion of various motions setting out in principle the views of the members introducing them as to what should be recommended to Congress to secure the reforms desired.  
Votes were taken on the various propositions and the results, it is said, disclosed general agreement of opinion on the principles involved, and that the members give hope to the members that some form of recommendation to Congress may be reached at the present sessions of the committee. The sessions of the committee are in secret and neither the text of the resolutions nor the results of the votes on them were made public. The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

DEMY THEATRICAL TRUST  
Klaw & Erlanger Issue Signed Statement Regarding Rumor.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The following statement was issued by Al Hayman, for Klaw & Erlanger, today in reference to telegrams dated from Chicago and St. Louis, respectively, speaking of the formation of a \$50,000,000 theatrical trust:  
"There is absolutely no truth in this statement; not even the slightest foundation for it. The so-called theatrical syndicate is proceeding upon the same lines that it has for the last eight or nine years, booking the time of the theaters entrusted to it and not paying any attention to vaudeville combinations or anything else. Somebody is using the press for his own ends in this particular matter and we desire to state in the most emphatic terms that there is no truth in the above announcement."  
(Signed)  
"AL HAYMAN, Klaw & Erlanger."

SHE WILL NOT DIE RICH  
Mrs. Sage Will Give Her Millions to Deserving Poor.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Russell Sage will give away the bulk of a fortune of about \$86,000,000, bequeathed to her by her late husband, to individuals whom she considers worthy, who, through no fault of their own, are so unfortunate as to need assistance and too proud to ask for it.  
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Cavalry, as counsel, and Captain Fred E. Buchanan, formerly of Kansas City, Kan., as Judge-Advocate. The findings will be forwarded to Washington, where the verdict will finally be given out.  
"I shall keep only sufficient of the fortune left to me by my husband to live quietly and comfortably," Mrs. Sage said today.  
It was planned that the report of the committee shall be followed by the introduction of laws regulating insurance companies, which will take the place of the Ames bill which was dropped some time ago.  
NEW PYTHIAN INSURANCE CHIEF.  
JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Nov. 12.—Charles A. Barnes, supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, announced tonight that Zeno Host, Insurance Commissioner of Wisconsin, will after January 1 be general manager of the insurance department of the Knights of Pythias.

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