

HIGHEST TRIBUNAL TO PASS SENTENCE

Supreme Court Will Punish Six
Southerners for Con-
tempt.

SHERIFF SHIPP INCLUDED

Chattanooga Officials Accused of Al-
lowing Mob to Break Into Jail
and Lynch an Accused
Negro.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The unusual
proceeding of an arraignment for sen-
tence at the bar of the Supreme Court
of the United States will be witnessed
two weeks from today in accordance
with an announcement made today in
the cases of Joseph H. Shipp, of Chat-
tanooga, Tenn., and five co-defendants,
charged with contempt.

The cases originated in the courts
deciding in March, 1906, to hear the
appeal of a negro, Ed Johnston, from a
verdict of the Tennessee courts hold-
ing him guilty and sentenced to be
hanged, on a charge of criminal
assault.

The night the determination of the
Supreme Court to review the proceed-
ings in the case was wired to Chat-
tanooga, where Johnston was confined in
jail, a mob stormed the jail and lynched
the negro. The court was incensed
and at its instance the Attorney Gen-
eral instituted proceedings against
Sheriff Shipp and 25 others, including
the jailer, supposed to have been im-
plicated in the lynching, charging them
with contempt of the Supreme Court.

Six were found guilty. These were
Sheriff Shipp, his deputy, Jeremiah
Gibson, the jailer, Luther Williams,
Nick Nolan, Henry Padgett and William
Mayes, residents of Chattanooga. The
defendants entered motions for a re-
hearing, which had the effect of post-
poning action until the present term.
The court today, through Chief Jus-
tice Fuller, announced its denial of
the motion, the Chief Justice at the
same time ordering the defendants to
appear on November 15 to receive sen-
tence. The court has the discretion
either to fine or imprison the men, or
to inflict both penalties. It is known
that the court appeared exceptionally
interested in the cases and it is
believed an example will be made.

The only instance of a sentence for
contempt in the court's history oc-
curred in 1875, when John Chiles, who
was concerned in dealings in Texas
indemnity bonds contrary to the order
of the court, was ordered to pay a fine
of \$250.

All the defendants assert innocence.
Shipp and Gibson declared there was
no advance indication of any violence
to Johnston, and say that otherwise
they would have taken more precau-
tion. Some of the men implicated say
they were not present when the negro
was killed by the mob.

LEADER BOWS TO DECREE

Mrs. Stetson Accepts Ruling of
Christian Science Directors.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—In a signed
statement issued here tonight, Mrs. Au-
gusta E. Stetson, the Christian Science
leader, announces she will not teach or
heal for three years, as decreed by the
Boston directors of the church during the
latter part of September, but at the same
time she will remain in the church.
Mrs. Stetson, who has been mentioned
as Mrs. Eddy's successor, was suspended
from the church for alleged teachings
Several of her pupils were also dis-
ciplined by the directors. At the time of
suspension there was some speculation as
to whether Mrs. Stetson would abide by
the decision or form an organization of
her own. Today's announcement means
that she will accept the directors' de-
cree.

CHIEF ORDERS RESULTS

Chicago Detectives Must Catch
Bomb-Throwers or Quit.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Following an order
today from Chief of Police Steward that
men wanted for hurling bombs in the war
between gambling syndicates in Chicago
must be found by Captain Stephen J. Wood,
head of the City Detective Bureau, told
members of the department tonight that
if they fail to get definite results in the
investigation they should get out of the
bureau.
Captain Wood even declared that should
his department fail to run down the per-
petrators of the prolonged series of
crimes, he would resign.

COMET OBSERVED AT KIEL

Cablegram From Germany Tells of
Moving Body in Heavens.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 1.—A cable
has been received at Harvard observatory
from Kiel, stating that Winnecke's comet
was observed by Professor La Plata, Ar-
gentina, on October 21, about midnight.
Greenwich time.

It was then in right ascension 17 hours
11 minutes 51.6 seconds, declination 27
degrees 13 minutes 43 seconds. The
comet is visible in a small telescope.

KING MENELICK IS DYING

Abyssinian Ruler Cannot Live More
Than Few Hours.

ADDIS ABABA, Abyssinia, Nov. 1.—It
is announced that King Menelick, who
recently was stricken with apoplexy, is
dying and that the end is expected within
a few hours.

PEARY'S CLAIM RECOGNIZED

(Continued From First Page.)
of the United States Geographical Board.
Times are regarded by the society as the
best fitted scientists in the United States
to pass upon Peary's documents.

BARRILL ROASTED OF FEAT

Spokane Man Relates Guide's Story
of Mount McKinley Trip.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 1.—(Special.)
—James H. Fussey, owner of a merchan-
dise store, says:
"Barrill either lied to me and hundreds
of other Missoulians or else his affir-

mat is false. He told me repeatedly
that he had reached the top of America's
foremost peak. I lived in Missoula at the
time the ascent is said to have been
made and several years afterward, I saw
Barrill, both in Missoula and in Darby.
"Barrill is sort of a guide when he
works at the business. He volunteered
the information that he had reached the
top of Mount McKinley. He also men-
tioned Dr. Cook, but only in a casual
way. He, however, said that Cook had
gone to the top with him.
"In an elaborate story, he told me how
they had ascended the mountain, always
placing himself to the fore in the narra-
tive. I somehow got the impression that
Dr. Cook must have been an assistant to
the party, for Barrill mentioned him only
in the most casual manner.
"I saw much of Barrill in Darby and
Missoula. It was either in August or
September, 1907, that Barrill made the
definite statement that he and Dr. Cook
had reached the summit of Mount Mc-
Kinley."

WILL CLIMB MOUNT IN WINTER

Five Alaskans Will Settle Question
About Mount McKinley.

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Nov. 1.—A party
of five Alaskans, all familiar with Mount
McKinley, has been organized to climb
the peak this winter and put to rest the
controversy as to whether Dr. Cook
reached the summit.

The party will start November 15. The
expedition is being financed here.

LAND LAWS DEFINED

JUDGE DETRICH INSTRUCTS
FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

Assistant Attorney-General In-
structs That Prosecutions Will
Be Resumed.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Nov. 1.—(Special.)—
Assistant Attorney-General Peyton Gor-
don today informed Judge Detrich that
he was about to begin an investigation
of some land matters before the
Federal grand jury, and desired to have
the jury specially instructed as to the
stone and timber laws under which it
was presumed that some crime had been
committed.

In giving his instructions, Judge Det-
rich quoted the decision of the Supreme
Court in the case of the United States
vs. Williams, a case from Oregon, as being
the law pertaining to certain features. The
instructions, which occupied half an hour,
were in effect to instruct the grand jury
to contract sale of a stone and timber claim
after making application to file, but that
it was not a violation to enter into con-
tract to sell after filing in good faith;
that any person has the right to borrow
money to prove up with, whether he ex-
pected to sell the land or not; that it
is legal, under this decision, for any per-
son to make known what he would pay
for certain timber lands, providing he
could get them legally, and that a person
concerned in the case should not be held
for perjury in giving an untruthful
answer to questions required by the Gen-
eral Land Office if those questions were
contrary to the law on that subject.

From the activity of some of the same
witnesses who were used by the Govern-
ment in obtaining indictments against
Kettenbach, Dwyer, Keister and others
some years ago, it is said to be against
the same parties the investigation is di-
rected.

SALT AND WATER IN COURT

Highest Tribunal May Review Fight
Between Corporations.

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preme Court of the United States grants
a writ asked today by the California
Development Company, the case of that
company against the New Liver-
pool Salt Company, it will review the
entire proceedings between these cor-
porations.
The suit involves the responsibility
for the overflow of the Colorado River
into the Salton Sink in 1906, by which
the salt mines of the Liverpool com-
pany were badly damaged.
The salt company averred the over-
flow was due to careless construction
of the levee, gates to the irrigation ditch,
and the United States Circuit Court
for the Southern District of California
granted \$456,746 damages. The devel-
opment company declares the case of
the river was so great that there would
have been an overflow regardless of
the ditches.

BISHOP BEATS INSURGENTS

Re-elected President of Aero Club
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of several insurgent members, Cortland
Field Bishop, president of the Aero Club
of America, together with the old direc-
torate, was re-elected at the annual meet-
ing of the club tonight.

The insurgents had sought to enjoin
the voting of proxies, but Justice McCall
denied the application and the regular
ticket was elected, 26 to 11.

Among those present were W. K. Van-
derbilt, Jr., and Glenn H. Curtiss. Mr.
Bishop exhibited the Aero Club's flag,
which had been carried into Russian Pol-
land by Edgar W. Mix, in the recent
balloon contest and previously used at
Rhineby by Glenn H. Curtiss.

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DYNAMITE WRECKS MINE

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JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Nov. 1.—Twelve
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Company's coal mine, two miles from
here, last night, as the result of what is
supposed to have been a dynamite ex-
plosion. Another man is dying and three
are seriously injured. All the dead are
foreigners.

Three men escaped by a perilous climb
on life ladders through poisonous mine
gas and falling slate up the steep walls
of the main shaft.

France Boosts Tariff.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—Beginning today, the
government is applying maximum rates
on American importations covered by

GOULD LINE WEST CLOSES LAST GAP

Western Pacific Ready to Nail
Down Connecting Rail in
California.

TRAFFIC WILL BEGIN SOON

Vast Trains of Equipment Prepared
to Move as Soon as Ballast All
Placed—Sidetracks and Sta-
tions Incomplete.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 1.—Without pomp
or ceremony, the last spike joining the
final span in the Western Pacific Rail-
road from San Francisco to Salt Lake
City, which in the Utah capital will con-
nect with the Denver & Rio Grande, es-
tablishing a complete transcontinental
system for the Gould interests, was
driven at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

As the last rails were connected at the
Spanish Creek bridge across the Feather
River, on the North Fork division, the
members of the two construction gangs
which have been working toward each
other for many months, silently joined
hands and the Western Pacific was an
accomplished fact.

Within two or three weeks, according
to announcement made by Sacramento
officials tonight, a large part of the
blasting work will be completed and a
few freight trains will be operated, but
the actual completion of the new line will
not be formally celebrated until January
1, 1910. A temporary schedule will then
be inaugurated and by next Spring a new
transcontinental system may be expected
to be in operation.

Just as soon as sufficient ballast has
been placed upon the roadbed to make it
safe, vast trains of equipment and sup-
plies will begin arriving here from east
of the Sierras. These trains are scattered
along the route all the way from Salt
Lake City. In that place there are 55
locomotives ready to move. At Winnem-
ucca there are 17 more, with many
others at intermediate points. These will
begin running westward probably next
week.

It is not expected that regular train
service will be started on the line before
the first of next year, as but few of
the stations and sidetracks will be
completed before that time. It is said,
however, that regular train service be-
tween Winnemucca and Golconda will
be started soon as the ballasting be-
tween Winnemucca and Golconda is
completed, which will probably be in a
week or ten days.

A special train, containing the Western
Pacific officials, is expected to arrive in
Winnemucca today. For some time past
the Western Pacific has been making a
regular train service between Elko and
Salt Lake City. Elko is to be the main
division point of the Western Pacific in
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Sole Portland Agents for Royal Worcester, Bon Ton and Adjusto Corsets;
Howd and Le Beau Front-Lacing Corsets; Ladies Home Journal Patterns

Olds, Wortman & King

Cut Glass

Unequaled bargains offered in
this department right at
the time when you're plan-
ning on how nice you
want your table to look for
the Thanksgiving dinner.

\$5.00 celery trays, sale on at, each... \$3.45
\$3.50 bowls, special, at each... \$2.40
\$4.00 bowls, special, at each... \$2.75
\$4.50 bowls, special, at each... \$3.05
\$5.50 bowls, special, at each... \$3.90
\$6.00 bowls, special, at each... \$4.50
\$5.00 sugars and creamers, at, ea... \$3.75
\$6.50 water bot- tles, on sale, ea... \$4.25
\$7.50 decanters, on sale, spe., each... \$5.95



Cut Glass

Savings on articles of the
most wanted sorts and on
ware that finds a place in
none but first-class stores.
brilliant, lustrous pieces
sharply reduced.

\$1.50 nappies, special at this price... 98c
\$1.60 nappies, special at this price... \$1.05
\$1.75 nappies, special at this price... \$1.15
\$1.85 nappies, special at this price... \$1.20
\$1.50 handled nap- pies at this price... 98c
\$1.65 handle nap- pies at this price... \$1.10
\$2.00 handled nap- pies at this price... \$1.25
\$1.75 almond trays on sale at each... \$1.15
\$2.75 celery trays, on sale, at, each... \$2.00

Sale of Thanksgiving Linens

There's no store in the entire, attracts the attention that this one does, when making an announcement of a linen sale, because all lovers of good linens know the superiority of the Richardson line and we are ex-
clusive Portland agents for Richardson's Linens. Made in Ireland by the largest manufacturers of linens in the world, noted everywhere for their excellence of finish, of design, for their unequalled wearing qual-
ities. Spun, bleached, woven and finished by one firm. We have the exclusive agency—you can't find these goods in another store at any price—and low as our regular prices are, we bargainize even the Rich-
ardson linens for the Thanksgiving sale.

Linen Sets, consisting of pattern table cloths and one dozen napkins to match. Many beautiful patterns, and qualities chosen especially for their beauty and durability. Take advantage of sale. Set with cloth 2x2½ yards and one dozen napkins; \$24 \$18.00
Set with same size cloth and one dozen napkins to match; \$26 val. \$19.50
\$29.50 set, cloth 2x2½ yards, one dozen napkins \$22.00 to match, on sale at \$26.50
\$32.50 set, special at \$24.50
\$35.00 set, special at \$26.50

lot of 75 dozen; all purest linen and very handsome patterns. Priced:
20-in., \$6.50 val., doz. \$4.90
20-in., \$7.50 val., doz. \$5.65
22-in., \$10 val., doz. \$7.60
24-in., \$15 val., doz. \$11.25
24-in., \$20 val. doz. \$14.75
Huck Towels, Richardson's linen, hand hemstitched and embroidered; extra fine qualities; reduced now as follows. See them:
Reg. \$2.00 quality at \$1.69
Reg. \$2.25 quality at \$1.94
Reg. \$2.50 quality at \$2.19
Reg. \$2.75 quality at \$2.42
Reg. \$3.00 quality at \$2.64
Hemstitched Napkins, an odd lot without cloths to match; a

purest flax; regular \$4.25 grade, on sale at \$3.50 only, dozen \$3.40
Reg. \$5.00 grade, doz. \$4.40
Carving Cloths, very nicely hemstitched; worth 40c each; special at this low 34c price \$3.40
Reg. 75c quality, spe. \$63c
Reg. 85c quality, spe. 72c
German Linen Napkins, beautifully hemstitched; no cloths to match; to close, \$4.90 a \$6.50 grade, doz. \$5.75
Reg. \$7.50 grade, doz. \$5.75
Reg. \$10 grade, doz. \$7.50
Reg. \$15 grade, doz. \$11.25

White Wool Blankets \$3.60 Pr.

Why not snuggle into the comforting folds of a pair of these cozy blankets when they're cheap at regular prices and under priced now. We'll admit they're slightly soiled, and that's the reason for the extra bargain-izing. We showed them as samples and they're mussed from handling—that's all. Finished with wide silk binding, pretty pink or blue borders, fine quality wool.

\$4.50 grade, pair... \$3.60 \$ 6.50 grade, pair... \$5.15
\$5.00 grade, pair... \$3.95 \$11.00 grade, pair... \$8.50
\$5.50 grade, pair... \$4.35 \$13.00 grade, pair... \$9.90
\$6.00 grade, pair... \$4.65 \$22.50 grade, pair... \$19.00

Gas and Electric Lamps

The cheerful and artistic gleams from one of these lamps might as well brighten YOUR home. We make a special display of them this week, and very low special prices make buying easy as the display is very attractive.

Brass Lamps, with shade to match; 20 inches high, with a 12-inch square brass shade; \$6.90 value... \$5.00
Brass Lamps, with shade to match in fancy openwork design, both shade and base; regular \$14.00 value... \$9.90

Lamps with Bronze Stand and fancy shade; regular \$3.10 \$4.00 value, at \$3.10
\$4.25 value, special... \$3.25
\$6.50 value, special... \$5.10



Gas Reading Lamps, complete, with 6 feet tubing; \$4.25 value... \$3.35
\$5.60 value, special... \$4.35
\$6.25 value, special... \$4.95

\$48.50 Tailor'd Suits \$23.98

Yesterday was rather a disagreeable day for shoppers to be out, but no sort of weather could keep our clientele from taking advantage of a special like this. We sold a large number of these suits but with such an immense assortment as this was to start with, there are still very many left. Buy now when you can save so largely and at the time that you'll have most use for your suit.

The styles are the best you'll find at so low a price, and we tell you earnestly that the values are extraordinary. Some of the suits have been marked as high as \$48.50. Some are trimmed, but most are plainest tailored models. Fancy worsteds, homespuns, stripes and plain colors. Regular \$23.98 values to \$48.50 now on sale at \$23.98

We are showing many handsome furs and we advise those who want them to wear or those who contemplate a better than ordinary Christmas gift to look over the assortment shown here. Make a payment and we'll lay one aside for you.

Women's Military Capes in the most exclusive and attractive model; Misses' Military Capes. Children's, Women's and Misses' Rain coats. New black coats for women.

the tariff agreement between the two governments which expired yesterday. It was pointed out in government circles that there was nothing unusual in the application of the maximum rates at this time. It was the United States, and not France, which terminated the commercial agreements, it was stated.

READY FOR DAVIS CONTEST

American Tennis Players Arrive at Sydney for World's Series.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 1.—Maurice E. McLoughlin and Melville H. Long, California tennis players who are to contest here for the Dwight F. Davis international challenge cup, have arrived. They were heartily welcomed by the New

South Wales and Queensland tennis associations.
The Americans will not take part in the Victoria tournament, but will put in steady practice at Sydney until the tournament is on. Both are in good condition.

PENNSYLVANIA RAISES CASH

Stock Allotment Declared to Meet \$80,000,000 Obligation.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 1.—The directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad today declared a stock allotment of 25 per cent at par.

After the meeting President McCrea stated that this allotment would raise about \$80,000,000, sufficient to meet the

Webbing

AND CALLING CARDS
W.G. SMITH & CO.
WASHINGTON BLDG 4TH & WASHINGTON

funds now in the treasury of the company.

DYSPEPSIA

"Having taken your wonderful 'Cascarets' for three months and being entirely cured of stomach catarrh and dyspepsia, I think a word of praise is due to 'Cascarets' for their wonderful composition. I have taken numerous other so-called remedies but without avail, and I find that Cascarets relieve more in a day than all the others I have taken would in a year."

James McGune,
108 Mercer St., Jersey City, N. J.

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good. Never Sickens, Weakens or Gripes. Do. \$5. 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.