



## MURDERED IN SCHOOL

### Revolting Crime in Presence of Pupils.

## ASSAILANT A SUICIDE

### Unreciprocated Love Leads to Sacrifice of a Young Teacher.

## FAMILIES ARE PROMINENT

### History of Most Remarkable Crime Known to Ohio Is Closed Through Self Destruction of Wanton Murderer.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 10.—In the presence of sixty pupils in the South Euclid School, Harry Smith, 25 years old, shot to death Miss Mary Shepard, a teacher, 22 years old, this afternoon. Cornered behind a barn in the rear of his home in Warrensville two hours later, Smith shot himself through the head, dying instantly. Disappointment in love is said to be the cause of the cold blooded murder. Smith, who was a fourth cousin to Miss Shepard, had wooed her some time and recently was rejected. He had been brooding over the unhappy ending of his courtship and this afternoon went to the school. After talking to Miss Shepard for a few minutes, he suddenly whipped out a revolver, shoved it against her head and fired twice in rapid succession. Panic spread among the pupils who rushed out of the building screaming. Some girls fainted. Smith walked leisurely to a street car and went to Warrensville. The news of the crime spread like wild-fire. In less than half an hour a posse was in full pursuit. The identity of the murderer was quickly established. Chief Kohler was notified and he dispatched four policemen to Smith's home. Smith told the conductor of the street car of his crime and remarked that they would have to kill him to get him. He reached home a few minutes before the police and told his father of his crime. When the police came in sight the young man became highly nervous and ran for the barn. He was soon surrounded and while the police were calling to him to surrender, he blew out his own brains.

## YESTERDAY'S GREAT GAME.

### Chicago Nationals Do a Revengeful and Successful Stunt.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—In the second game of the World's Championship series today, the Chicago Nationals took a decisive revenge for yesterday's defeat, when they vanquished the White Stockings on the latter's own grounds by a score of 7 to 1. White, and Owens who replaced him in the fourth, were batted freely, and the Americans' errors also helped to increase the Nationals' score. Reulbach, on the contrary, was in fine form and allowed the opposing batsmen only two hits. The weather was bitterly cold, the mercury hovering below freezing all day. As on yesterday, a few flakes of snow fell. Between nine and ten thousand enthusiasts, bundled from head to foot, braved the rigors of the weather.

## HAVANA DEFAULTER ESCAPES.

### Wrecks Bank and Leaves With Family for Parts Unknown.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Manuel Silveira, whose defalcation at Havana for \$1,000,000 caused the failure today of J. M. Ceballos & Company, bankers and

merchants, for between three and four million dollars, sailed from Havana on October 2 with his family for an unknown destination.

William W. Rowe, assignee for Ceballos & Company, stated today that the assets of the firm were of a very substantial character, but require careful husbanding.

It is stated, unofficially, that there is ground for hope that the assets will be sufficient to cover all losses, in which case the firm will be able to resume business.

## PLENTY OF OUR OWN.

DETROIT, Oct. 10.—There is a rumor here that two vessels have been lost on Lake Huron, some distance off from Tawas City.

## A SAILORLY DEATH.

FALMOUTH, Oct. 10.—The British bark Gladys from Shields to Seattle, put in here today and reported that during a gale on October 7, two seamen fell from the top yard and were instantly killed.

## CHAUNCEY RESURRECTED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Senator Chauncey Depew, for the first time since last March, today presided at a meeting of the executive committee of the New York Central Railway. He appeared to be in good health.

## PACIFIC LEAGUE.

At Los Angeles—Los Angeles, 0; Seattle, 3.  
At Fresno—Portland, 9; Fresno, 9 (called in tenth, darkness).  
At Oakland—Oakland, 0; San Francisco, 6.

## APPEAL BY MINERS

### Steunenberg Case Before Federal Supreme Court.

## BITTER BATTLE IS PROMISED

### Flagrant Malfeasance Charged Against the Chief Executive of Colorado Incident to Alleged Conspiracy.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The Supreme Court of the United States heard arguments today in the cases of Moyer, Pettibone and Heywood, officers of the Western Federation of Miners, in prison in Canyon County, Idaho, in connection with the Steunenberg murder. The case comes to this court on appeal from a decision of the federal court in Idaho in refusing to grant writs of habeas Corpus. The case of the prisoners was presented by E. F. Richardson of Denver and C. S. Darrow of Chicago and for the state of Idaho by W. H. Hawley of Boise.

The present controversy is over the manner in which the Idaho authorities secured jurisdiction over the men. All of them are residents of Colorado, and it is asserted in their behalf that they were kidnaped in pursuance of a conspiracy to which the governor of Colorado and the Idaho authorities were parties, and hence the jurisdiction was acquired by fraud. The act was denounced as "flagrant malfeasance of executive duty from the contemplation of which right thinking people turned with loathing." Hawley contended that the extradition proceedings had been entirely regular and referring to reflections upon the Idaho and Colorado authorities, said that the courts there could not afford to countenance such abuse of high officials by counsel. He took the position that even if it were true that the governor of Colorado had connived at the removal of the federation officials in an irregular way, their remedy was an action for damages and that the status of the prisoners could not be affected by any such course on the part of the Colorado authorities.

## FUNSTON RETURNS

### Incipient Rebellion Practically Crushed.

## NO RESENTMENT FELT

### Cubans Believe Intervention of United States Was Fully Justified.

## RETURNING OFFICER DISLIKED

### Though Absent from Island on Leave, Former Revolutionists Believe They Were Deserted to Further Private Ends.

HAVANA, Oct. 10.—General Funston will return to the United States with Secretaries Taft and Bacon Saturday, leaving Cuba in charge of Governor Magoon and General Bell. Secretary Taft said that General Funston had been summoned to Cuba because he was acquainted with many of the insurgent chiefs and it was thought that he could aid the Provisional Government, as he did, in bringing the men to an agreement. Funston, the Secretary says, was placed in command of the troop merely as a convenience until Bell arrived. Many Cubans of the Moderate party were outspoken against Funston, alleging that he deserted them in the war to throw off the yoke of Spain. Taft does not take any cognizance of this bitterness, as he was familiar with the circumstances under which Funston at that time returned to the United States. The General was sick and had the consent of General Garcia and other leaders who appreciated his long service given in their cause.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Among the passengers on the steamer Morro Castle which arrived from Havana last night were Juan O'Farrill, who was secretary of state and justice in the Palma government, and Jacob Sleeper, former secretary of the American legation at Havana.

Mr. Sleeper is here on leave of absence, after which he will go to Caracas as first secretary of legation. He will go to Washington today to report to the State Department. Mr. Sleeper said that the Cuban people seemed to feel the necessity of the action taken in their affairs by this government and that they were none the less friendly to the United States.

## SAME OLD PROTEST.

### Negroes of South Will Never Have Common Public Service.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Representative negroes of the South have complained to the Interstate Commerce Commission regarding the "Jim Crow" cars in use by the railroads in the South. The petition states that they are in violation of the Hepburn bill; that negroes are denied equal privileges with the whites and forced to ride in "Jim Crow" cars, which are usually filthy and uncomfortable, and are also refused permission to eat in the diners and to occupy berths in the sleepers, because of their color.

## TEDDY, JR.'S, ROOMMATE TRIED.

### Decision Reserved in Case of More Notoriety than Importance.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 10.—Shaun Kelly, room-mate of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at Harvard, charged with an assault on Policeman Lawrence Fraher, was tried today in the municipal court.

The decision was reserved. Fraher testified that no blows were struck; that he was tripped and was injured by falling against a settee. He was on plain-clothes duty that night. He saw four young men apparently assaulting another and he ran to interfere. While chasing one of the men, he said, Kelly tripped him.

Kelly testified he thought young Roosevelt was being pursued by an unknown man and he was justified in defending him. Kelly admitted that he pushed the officer, but was not guilty of tripping him. Roosevelt corroborated Kelly's testimony.

## NEW DOCK AND LAND COMPANY.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 9.—The incorporation of the Wilmington Land & Land Company was announced today. The capital is \$500,000, mainly subscribed by the leading citizens of Long Beach and Wilmington. The company proposes, and to this end has applied for permission to the War Department to dredge a deep water inner harbor northwest of Long Beach by excavating a channel for 500 feet along the bulkhead line of Wilmington Bay Mormon Island, contiguous to the inner harbor now in course of construction by the government.

## PLENTY OF TIME.

HONOLULU, Oct. 10.—The steamer Ventura, from Auckland, due here yesterday morning, has not been sighted.

## COMMANDER EN ROUTE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—General Joeelyn left tonight for Vancouver Barracks, to take command of the Department of the Columbia.

## BEAUTY FOR SALE

### Royal Purple of Opulence Worth Sacrifice.

## MEANS INADEQUATE TASTES

### Possessed of All the Charms That Appeal to Man, Chicago Girl Driven to a Self Instituted Slave Mart, to Find Appreciative Mate.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—With an offer to sell herself to the highest bidder as an "American woman slave," another Mary McLane sprang into notice today. Pretty, talented, but lacking wealth, she has offered to sell herself at public auction and has issued a long typewritten inventory of her charms and virtues. Strangely blended in the girl's remarkable document is the tone of hope and cry of protest. Of wit, too, there are bright flashes. In short, she is a queer study for psychologists.

Miss Elizabeth Magie, once in the government employment at Washington, D. C., later a resident of New York and since last July an occupant of room at 307 Chicago avenue, is the young girl in question. She says that at present she is earning \$10 a week as stenographer and—well, she has silk underwear tastes and a pocketbook that permits only gauze.

Miss Magie declined today to admit that some hidden motive was responsible for the singular outburst. Her "White Slave" offer, with its accompanying inventory, spoke for itself, she said. Here is Miss Magie's remarkable proposal, her seemingly frank, certainly daring, estimate of herself:

For Sale.  
To Highest Bidder, Young Woman.  
American Slave.  
Intelligent, Educated, Refined, True, Honest, Just; poetical, philosophical; broad-minded and big-souled, and womanly above all things.

Brunette; large gray-green eyes, full, passionate lips, splendid teeth; not beautiful, but very attractive; features full of character and strength, yet truly feminine; height 5 feet 3 inches; well-proportioned, graceful, supple. Age—well, she isn't very old, but she wasn't born yesterday.

## WASHINGTON TALKS TAFT

### Absence Brightens Political Prospects.

## CUBAN TRIP SUSPICIOUS

### Admiring Press Ruses Into Eulogistic Poetry in Absence of Anything Better.

## CABINET CHANGES PROBABLE

### Washington to be Made the City Beautiful of the World Through Efforts of Park Commission and Contemplated Structures.

## By Sheldon S. Cline.

Washington, October 10.—With the President back in the White House, Washington has taken on new life. Members of the cabinet, with the exception of Secretary Taft, are at their posts, the diplomatic corps is beginning to return from the New England watering places and the hotels are filled with statesmen, big and little. Mr. Roosevelt is up to his eyes in work, and, of course, is happy.

The President had no more than crossed the White House portals until rumor got busy with prospective changes in his cabinet. There will be at least two vacancies during the coming winter. Attorney General Moody expects to retire about January 1, and Secretary of the Treasury Shaw perhaps a month later. It is known that Mr. Roosevelt has decided to summon George von L. Meyer, now ambassador to St. Petersburg, to a seat in the Cabinet but it is not yet determined which portfolio he will occupy.

It was during the absence from American soil of William J. Bryan that his presidential boom grew to formidable proportions. Washington is now confronting the fact that while Secretary Taft is in Cuba the Taft presidential boom is progressing like a house on fire. Other aspirants are consulting maps and collecting data as to desirable places for sojourning abroad.

When President Roosevelt sent Mr. Taft to Cuba he placed his War Secretary in the way of great opportunity, and likewise of great peril, politically. It seems to be the unanimous verdict of the country that Mr. Taft has risen to the opportunity, and side-stepped the peril. The New York Sun voices the public opinion in four eight-line stanzas under the caption, "Big Bill Taft" which are worth reproducing:

He knows the arts of peace and war;  
He knows when to refrain,  
And when to emphasize his views  
In ways exceeding plain.  
It's a bad day for the scallawags  
And those who live by graft  
When things are so that they collide  
Against Big Bill Taft.

As special envoy you're all right!  
We'll send you ships and men,  
And if you want more of the coin,  
Bill Taft, just ask again.  
For Uncle Sam will understand  
A word is like a draft  
That calls for honor upon sight  
When from Big Bill Taft.

Members of Congress from the West who have arrived in Washington this week report that Mr. Taft is now being seriously considered as a presidential possibility, though he was hardly mentioned a month ago. This does not mean, however, that Taft would have any easy task in the "winning of the West." Vice President Fairbanks,

Secretary Shaw and Speaker Cannon all are strong west of the Alleghenies, and in many instances they have pledged that will not be violated.

Washington continues to take more interest in the New York campaign than in any other state. The prevailing opinion is that the chances are very largely against the election of Mr. Hearst, but Washington opinions of New York politics is not necessary for serious thought. In fact, New York itself appears to be very much at sea as to the probable outcome.

During the past week the writer has talked to prominent Democrats from all parts of the country, and the consensus of opinion seems to be that even the election of Mr. Hearst will not seriously affect the national Democracy in the next presidential canvass. This opinion, however, is not unanimous. A number of men, who generally know whereof they speak, have expressed the conviction that the election of Mr. Hearst will arouse a strong tide to act in favor of Mr. Bryan's preaching of public ownership of railways, and that it will be impossible for the next Democratic convention to ignore the issue. One man who is of this way of thinking was from a Southern state; another was from the Middle West, and a third from the Pacific Coast.

On the other hand, a majority of men from the South who have recently visited Washington insist that the solidly-Democratic section is and will continue to be unalterably opposed to government ownership and the outcome in New York cannot seriously affect public opinion. Another noteworthy fact is that Democratic congressmen who represent districts largely rural, no matter from what part of the

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## RAILROADS ACCUSED

### Lumber Manufacturers Behind the Action.

## DISCRIMINATIONS ARE UNJUST

### Advisability. Considered of Bringing Action to Revoke Charter of Northern Pacific Railroad as Result of Case.

SEATTLE, Oct. 10.—Alleging discrimination against the shippers of forest products in the matter of car supply by the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific companies and the failure of both to keep their equipment, rolling stock, and motive power up to the demands of the business which it is alleged, they should have foreseen, the shingle mills bureau yesterday employed counsel to investigate the matter and ascertain the rights of the shippers in a case before the Interstate Commerce Commission and perhaps also the State Railroad Commission. The attorney, Austin S. Griffiths, of Seattle, was instructed to consider the advisability of the road bringing suit to revoke the charter of the Northern Pacific Railroad. A fund is being raised for the purpose, and the Lumber Manufacturers Association of the Northwest, it is understood, will help in the contest.

## NOTHING TO SAY.

HAVRE, Oct. 10.—General Oushakoff, of the Russian army, who is in pursuit of his wife, who is fleeing from her husband in the company of Gabriel Eschhoff, arrived today on the steamer La Provence. He refused to be interviewed.

## S. P. REINFORCING ITSELF.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—The Southern Pacific has purchased the San Francisco & Coos Bay Steamship company, and will operate the line in connection with the new line building from Drain to Coos Bay, and with the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern. The line includes two steamers, the Breakwater and the Czarina.