Morning

ASTORIA, OREGON.

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COVERS THE MORNING FIELD ON THE LOWER COLUMBIA

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As Result of Moyer-Heywood Statement.

EX-POLICEMAN KILLED

Shooting the Outcome of Drunken Argument Over the Presidents Statement.

STARTED BY NEWSPAPERMAN

And Taken Up By Deputy Who Fired the Shot Which Resulted Fatally-The Two Men Had Never Quarreled dead. Nor Was There Any Cause.

WALLACE, Idaho, April 25 .- Wiltiam Quinn, an ex-policeman and a members of the Western Federation of Miners, died here tonight from the effects of a bullet wound inflicted early this morning by Deputy C. C. Hicks.

W. H. C. Jackson, a newspaperman, in an interview in the Times, says he is probably the cause of the shooting Jackson and Quinn became involved in a saloon quarrel over President Roosevelt's Moyer-Heywood letter Jackson supporting the president and Quinn opposing. Hot words ensued after which Jackson left the saloon, outside he met Hicks who offered to straighten matters out. Jackson says he proposed that he (Jackson) should return first and ask all hands to drink. If Quinn refused all would be right. Quinn refused to drink. A moment later Hicks entered the saloon and was accosted by Quinn with the words "Here's to my old Missouri friend." Hicks is alleged to have replied, "I'll show you," and to have shot Quinn through the stomach. Quinn and Hicks are not known to have ever had any trouble. Hicks has been locked up in the county jail. Jackson was held for a while, today, but was later released. All three men had been drink-

GOULD SAILS FOR EUROPE.

Interviewed on Financial and Industrial Conditions of the Country.

NEW YORK, April 25 .- Just before sailing for Europe today George J. Gould was interviewed on his views on the industrial and financial conditions in this country. He said he has no fears for the future and that the country was never as prosperous before. Regarding the two-cent fare on railroads, Gould said he was not in favor of it. He said the railroads could find no profit in the passenger traffic and at the reduced rate it will prove a great injury. He is, however. in favor of railroad legislation as a general rule.

One Mortally Wounded and Two Companions Left on Prairie.

set upon by seven masked men last had been attended to. This necessinight at White Water, Colorado, 55 tated calling out police reserves to miles west of here. Peter Swanson help light up. tors is in progress,

CHANGE IN STREET RAILY 3

William Loeb, Jr., Said to be Slated For Presidency of Company.

WASHINGTON, April 24 .- An important change in the control of the Washington Railway & Electric Company of this city will occur at the annual meeting next January. It became known today that local capitalists had purchased the majority of the stock and simultaneously with this announcement came the rumor that William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the president, had been determined on for the president of the company. The rumor originated late today and there was no time to obtain confirmation.

FAITHFUL EMPLOYEE

Received Words Wife Is Dying But Stays At His Post.

CHICAGO, April 25.-- A dispatch to he Tribune from Cincinnati says: Joseph H. Morris, an old soldier and watchman in the United States subtreasury, while on duty, early yesterday, received a message that his wife was dying and wanted him to come and say good-bye. The old man started to leave but at the door of the treasury remembered his oath not to leave the building under any circumstances. He stayed at his post and when he got off watch his wife was

TODAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

Coast League

At San Francisco-San Francisco I. Oakland 2

At Los Angeles-Los Angeles Portland 6.

Northwest League.

Vancouver-Vancouver 2, Aberdeep 7.

At Seattle-Seattle 5, Butte 4. At Spokane Spokane 1, Tacoma

New York Lamplighters Afflicted With Popular Mania.

POLICE SUBSTITUTES

A Great Portion of the City Left in Darkness-Police Reserves Sent Out to Remedy Matter-Strikers Put Out Lights After They Were Lighted.

NEW YORK, April 25.-Although the public suffered in convenience last night owing to the queerest strike this city has seen for many a day, that of the lamplighters, the brunt of the trouble was borne by the police.

Good sized sections of the five boroughts, especially the Bronx the upper part of Manhattan and the outness until late, save for the light case by the three quarters moon. Only in populace suddenly became aware that forthcoming complaints began to to render all the assistance possible.

Much discomfiture resulted. Some posts and used matches, a process which required numerous matches as the night was rather breezy. Others, who had more forethought took along SHEEPHERDERS MALTREATED. poles and tapers. But unfamiliarity with the work resulted in the ruination of numerous mantles. To cap the climax the strikers put out some of the lights lit and from Queens, MONTROSE, Colo., April 25.-Walle where some of the police beats are on their way to the sheep range in this four and five miles long came word county with a large herd from Frisco- by telephone to police headquarters Utah, three herders, Grover Cornett, that unless help was vouchsafed it Peter Swanson and Al Swanson were would be daylight before all the lamps

was shot and mortally wounded and The strikers' union number about his companions were bound hand and 400 men. These men are employes of foot and left helpless on the prairie, the Welsbach Lighting Company which The news of the shooting has stirred has a contract to light streets where the cattlemen and sheepmen in this there are no electric lights. They are vicinity and search for the perpetra- mainly Italians. They are striking for recognition of the union.

Formally Opens the Exposition Today.

PRESIDENT TO SPEAK

The President and Congressional Party, With Other Dignitaries, Leave Washington.

REVIEW FOREIGN WARSHIPS

And Will Later Attend the Reception Flost-President and Family To Be the Guests of President Tucker.

WASHINGTON, April 25-Presiden Roosevelt, the members of his family and a party of his friends left Washington today, on the yacht Mayflower for the visit to the Jamestown expo- Fuchs, an expert in the use of the and Mrs. Roosevelt are to make a trip up the James river on the dispatch boat Sylph. The congressional party comprising the joint committee of the Senate and House and their families preceded the presidential party this morning

Secretary and Mrs. Metcalf left earller in the afternoon and the diplomatic corps followed tonight. The president will take an important part in the opening exercises of the exposition which are to begin shortly after he arrives tomorrow.

view of the foreign warships and a CONDUCTOR WINKED AT WIFE reception of the visiting officers. About half past 10 he will be escorted to the Exposition ground and an hour later will go to the reviewing stand where the program of exercises in which the president is to speak, will take place.

In the afternoon there will be a luncheon in honor of the president and his party. In the evening the president and wife will be the guests of President Tucker of the Exposition Company.

NORFOLK, April 25 .- With President Roosevelt as a guest and diplomatic and military officials from nearly all of the important nations in at- terday and demoralized the entire tendance, the Jamestown Centennial system in an effort to find a conductor week. Exposition will be thrown open to the who winked at his bride. lying parts of Queens were in dark- public tomorrow. Every train and steamer reaching Norfolk \ tonight brought many visitors. The city is and as a car appeared he leaped the night, when the more remote decorated as seldom before and the aboard, rushed to the conductor and governor of Virginia has proclaimed the customary illumination was not tomorrow a holiday. Fair and cooler weather is predicted and as details of pour in upon police headquarters, and the program, land and water ceremontes have been carefully worked out. The exposition management is of the patrolmen climbed the lamp looking forward to the opening tomorrow as forming a notable epoch in the history of Virginia.

SPANISH HEIR.

MADRID, April 25,-Public suspense has reached the highest point and every unusual noise is mistaken by the excited populace for the booming of the royal salute, announcing the birth of an heir to the throne. Crowds follow the carriage of every minister seen in the vicinity of the palace, supposing he has been summoned to see the newly born child. The physicians in attendance to Queen Victoria report her condition as normal,

FREMONT COURTMARTIALED.

NEW YORK, April 25 .- The case of Major Francis P, Fremont, who has been courtmartialed for conduct unbecoming a gentleman, as the result today. No damage is reported.

certain financial transactions, was oncluded today and submitted to full court today. The Judge Advocate In submitted the case concluded by saying that if Fremont should pay the Jebts today, it would not wipe out the disgrace which is attached to his efforts to evade the payment of his debts and would be only an excuse for elemency.

GENOA, April 25.—A Polander named Gatusianski, who recently lost a fortune at Monte Carlo, made a desperate attempt to rob a bank here yes terday. He secured rooms at the Hotel Regina and going to the banking house of Ferrari said he wanted to change 8000 marks into Italian money, asking that the bills be sent to the hotel.

When the clerk came with the noney Gatusianski shot and tried to rob him but was arrested before he could escape with the money.

SPOTTED FEVER IN PITTSBURG.

Resulted in Eleven Deaths and Six More Are Expected To Die.

PITTSBURG, April 25. - Cerebro spinal meningitis or spotted fever has been prevalent in this city. Out of 17 cases in March and April 11 have re-Given to the Officers of the Visiting suited fatally and no hopes are entertained for the recovery of the remaining six. Poor plumbing and an accumulation of filth with poor ventilation is the cause of the epidemic according to the health authorities.

X-RAY KILLS EXPERT,

CHICAGO, April 25 .- Wolfram C. sition. They are to return Sunday X-ray died here today of cancer which morning. On Saturday the president he contracted three years ago through is considered serious, coming in contact with the X-ray apparatus.

Holds Up a Dozen Street Cars sidewalk but recovering herself in a A.& C. R. Passenger Train Bump-Because

Arrest the Husband-His Attempt

CHICAGO, April 25 .- A dispatch to the Tribune from Atlanta, Ga., says: Armed with a heavy club, Oscar Huggard, husband of two months, held of the church who formed the auxilup a dozen trolley cars in Atlanta yes- jary reception committee at the peace

Huggard stationed himself on Whitehall street, a main thoroughfare brandishing his club, cried:

"Are you the man that winked at my wife?" "Winked at whose wife?" the con

ductor said. "Why I never saw you or either in

all my life."

After an argument of 10 minutes of more that brought all the men in the car to the platform, the motorman was allowed to go on. But the husband will turn over to the school each year resumed his watch, walting for the \$5000—equal to the income from a next car.

Five care were held up in this manner without finding the winker, and then Huggard brought Mrs. Huggard into action. Together they held up seven more cars without finding the conductor who winked.

By this time traffic on the Whitehall line was demoralized. The police arrested Huggard. He is a business man / Carty, president of the Building sullenly withdrew to their cars. It and promptly gave bond. According to Mrs. Huggard, as she left a car, she had been winked at by one of the The alleged plot was laid bare by the with this gang who seem to be very

MORE EARTHQUAKES.

VALPARAISO, April 25, - Three vigorous earthquakes occurred here

Razor.

ON WAY TO GROCERY

When Negro Jumped From Alley and Seriously Wounded Her In Abdomen.

NO ATTEMPT TO HARM HER

But Immediately Made Off and is Being Pursued By Posse-Girl Deagged Herself to the Veranda of Her Home Fell Fainting.

ALTON, Ills., April 25 .- A posse of citizens is pursuing a negro who, tonight, attacked Miss Violet Spencer, the 18-year-old daughter of Thomas Spencer, on the street here and cut her with a razor. The girl's condition

Miss Spencer was on her way to the grocery when the negro leaped out of the Vatican. an alley and attacked her.

He slashed her across the abdomer with a razor without attempting to rob or drag her into the alley and ran from the scene immediately after the crime.

The girl screamed and fell to the few minutes, she dragged herself to her home, which was only a short distance away and fell fainting on the veranda of her home.

FLAG PRESENTATION.

NEW YORK, April 25. -An American and a German flag, each edged Traffic Demoralized For a While and with white, were presented resterday Police Were Finally Compelled to to Congressman Richard Bartholdt, president of the American aroup of To Locate Masher Was Unsuccessful the Interparliamentary union, in recognition of his efforts in the crase of

The presentation was made by Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of this city, in the presence of 100 members conference held at Carnegie Hall last from being seriously injured.

SHONTZ ENDOWS DRAKE.

CHICAGO, April 25 .- Theodore P. Shonts has decided to give some of his wealth to Drake University which was founded by his father-in-law, former Governor Francis M. Drake, of Iowa. President H. M. Bell of the institution announced last night that Mr. Shonts will give the university 50 at the beginning of the 1908 school beginning of the 1908 school year. He \$75,000 endowment.

PLOT TO MURDER.

circles tonight of the alleged conspir- they were reinforced by the arrival of acy to kidnap and murder P. H. Mc- the up-train crew, when the Greeks Trades Council and one of the most is reported that the train crews have prominent labor leaders in th city, been having a great deal of trouble confession of H. Shuckley, one of the quarrelsome and it is predicted that alleged conspirators in which he im- unless they are removed there is plicates five other members of the liable to be serious trouble. Conduc-Electrical Union No. 6. Harry Sulli- tor Hallenbeck was on duty yesterday van and M. H. Carmody are under ar- but he carried a welt on his head the

A NEGRO LYNCHING BEE.

PITTEBRG, Kan., April 25.-A mob of negroes made an unsuccessful attempt at Corona, Kansas, to lynch Joseph Bush, arrested last week in Oregon charged with train robbery, when the train bearing Bush stopped at that station last night. Bush is believed to be one of the men who robbed the passengers of the Missouri-LOST FORTUNE AT MONTE CARLO Young Girl Slashed With of March 4, when John Henry, a negro, who lived in Corona was killed. Bush was placed in jail here today.

PASSENGERS BEAT MOTORMAN.

NEW YORK, April 25 .- The sight of the mutilated body of a 16-yearold boy who had been killed by a Coney Island surface car today transformed the passengers into a maddened mob which beat to unconsciousness the motorman. The timely arrival of the police reserves saved the man's life.

VOLCANO IN ERUPTION.

LIMA. April 25.-The volcano of Villa Rica is in eruption. The outbreak has increased the panic among the inhabitants of the Valdiva district of While, who were already in great terror because of the eruption of the volcano Puyehue.

TO PRESERVE ALHAMBRA.

MADRID, April 25 .- A meeting of prominent citizens has been called by the Governor of Granada to discuss what steps shall be taken to preserve the Alhambra, some of the buildings of which, it states, are in langer of

NEW ORDER OF CHIVARLY.

ROME, April 25 .- A new order of chivalry, known at Knights of the Holy Sepuicher, has been instituted by

ed Into Boarding Cars.

CON. HOLSENBECK ASSAULTED

Train No. 24 in Taking Siding Backed Into Work Train Arousing Greek Laborers Who Swarmed Out and Attacked Conductor Hallenbeck.

There came very near being a serlous riot Wednesday night at Goble and only good luck saved Conductor E. H. Hallenbeck of the A. & C. R. R.

Train No. 24, under charge of Conductor Hallenbeck, received orders at Goble to take the siding there to let No. 23, the Portland train, pass, when they went in on the siding the train bumped into some boarding cars filled with Greek laborers and one of them rushed out and began abusing the conductor, getting in his way and was shoved aside, he immediately retallated striking Hallenbeck over the head with a club knocking him to his service scholarships to be effective knees and almost under the cars which were moving. Before the muryear. He will turn over to the school derous assaulter could follow up his attack Hallenbeck gained his feet and run for the engine which he climbed, closely followed by the entire gang of Greeks, to the number of over 200, who had rushed out of the cars, armed with revolvers and wickedlooking knives. In the meantime the passengers rushed to the assistance SAN FRANCISCO, April 25-A sen- of the train crew and by the display sational story was sprung in labor of firearms held the mob at bay until size of a hen's egg.