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# **PEOPL**E KILLED

ea Buctive Earthquake Near Petro ala Wipes Out the Town Artush.

MEAGER REPORTS

F HORRIBLE CATASTROPHE.

Colony Narrowly Escapes An-Official Report Just Out,

i the entire town of Artush, 667 people and injured 1000 by buildings and walls. The Brit-dony narrowly escaled annihi-

ices received today state that arthquake took place on August .: that the official report of the is just out. Kashgor is in In-

ANGEVILLE STAGE HELD UP. Highwayman Makes Passengers

Dig Up \$500,
liston, Idaho, Sept. 26.—The
eville stage, which left Stites,
at 7 o'clock Wednesday night,
eld up by a masked man in the
about a mile and a half from

highwayman was armed with and a revolver, and after sev-aphatic demands, the stage-

emphatic demands, the stage-t, Billy McAvin, pulled up his six s, and the five passengers pity lined up with arms out-hed. They were then ordered tow off their coats and vests and inside out the pockets of their Pocketbooks and loose money actitated all over the ground, uter being gathered up by the the ordered the passengers to their backs while he proceeded run the coach.

their backs while he proceeded rob the coach; or McAvin insisted that he is no express box, and his coolaved the express company sevous and dollars. The box was in ot of the stage.

In passenger claimed he threw a is 1500 under the seat, and as it and after the hold-up it is supplify was taken in together with the 3400 that were willingly given diamond which one of the passes put in his coat pocket is also

who we reached Stites, but their ef-roved worthless. Sheriff Dixon roved worthless. Sheriff Dixon to county, is here today to get on the art of the

BESCIDENT AT CARNIVAL

Horse Collides With Wheelman at La Grands

man at La Grands.

France, Sept. 26.—Yesterday, he parade was taking place, a which was being ridden by a loy, became unmanageable and with Mr. Johnnie Keltman beked him off his heel. He could are a very severe cut above the b. Dr. Hall dressed the wound and it necessary to take severe and it necessary to take sev-Present fortunate that he was not are seriously.

LL BUILD NEW YACHT.

William Dissatisfied With Meteor III.

hat Emperor William contem-omnissioning the Herreschoffs I him a fast schooner, as he atisfied with the performance for III, and that Herr Watjens er s to take a similar step when oses of the yawl Mavahoe.

elievis A PAUPER'S GRAVE.

Wealthy Forty-Niner Dies in

pt. 26.—John D. Deaz, buried in the pau He returned here gold fields with all of it a few years speculations, Since sold collar buttons

> storehouse of Fred Bottom, WAS

NATIONAL IRRIGATION CONGRESS

Committee Making Elaborate Arrangements at Colorado Springs,

Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 26.— The committee in charge of the local arrangements is in receipt of communications indicating that the approaching meeting in this city of the National Irrigation Congress will be the largest gathering of its kind ever held. The wide range of topics scheduled for consideration will attract dele gates not only from all parts of the West, but from the East as well. Colonization will be discussed and forestry will also be an important subject of consideration, the American Forestry Association co-operating with the Irrigation Congress in the arrangements for the meting.

The main topic, however, will be the new responsibilities placed upon the ation Took Place in August, West by the national irrigation act, under the provisions of which the proceeds from public lands will hereafter a, Sept. 26.—A terrible earth-in the Kashgar district. de-arid lands in the 16 states and territories affected, namely: Arizona, Callfornia, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Mon-tana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and

SHAW TO THE RESCUE.

Offers to Buy 5 Per Cent Bonds and Will Pay \$1.05.

Washington, Sept. 26 .- For the further relief of the money market, Shaw will offer this afternoon to buy 5 per bonds, registered, and coupons which are now selling at \$1.0514. Shaw offers \$105. As there are 19. outstanding. the purchase would release \$20,000,000.

Jumped Overboard.

Port Townsend, Wash., Sept. 26.-A. S. McGills, a passenger from Skagway on the steamer Topeka, arriving yesterday, committed suicide by jumping overboard from the vessel while crossing the Gulf of Georgia.

Painfully Burned.

Burlington, Sept. 26 .- Justice Brewer, of the supreme court, painfully burned his hands and face this afternoon while burning brush. He pour ed gasoline on the fire to make it burn and the flames lept into his face.

#### TEDDY IN NO DANGER

CONDITION REPORTED AS SATISFACTORY.

Microscopic Examination Snows That There is No Sign of Blood Poison

Washington, Sept. 26.-Dr. Rixey this morning announced that President Roosevelt's condition is satisfac

Microscopic Examination.

Indianapolis. Sept. 26.-Microscopic

ELEVATOR FELL

Twenty-Five Girls Have Narrow Es cape From Death

Kansas City, Sept 26 .- The elevator at the Emery, Bird & 3 hayer Dry Goods Company, carrying 25 young women employes, fell three stories to-A dozen girls were more or less seriously injured, but it is believed none wil idle. Several fain ed and for killed.

MONTANA SHOOTING

Sept. 26,-The Vachtsman John M. Davis Killed by William Nor. val at Hinsdale.

Davis was shot and killed by William Norval at Hinsdale. The men had been drinking and a quarrel arose Both men pulled guns. Norval shot twice, one bullet severing the jugular vein. Davis' gun was found cocked of which valuable prizes will be award-and undischarged. Norvel subsequented by the committee of experts aply surrendered.

Wireless System for Martinique.

Paris, Sept. 26.—Two telegraph ex-perts salled from Bordeaux for Martinique today commissioned by the French government to insall a wireless telegraph system on the islands subscriptions in behalf of the desti-of Martinique and Guadeloupe. The regular telegraph service in the is-lands has been frequently interrupted of late by the volcanic outbursts and it is believed that the wireless sys-8000 pounds of cessfully, will prove of much commercial value.

## GIGANTIC FRAUD ATTEMPT TO BRIBE

PENDLETON, UMATILLA COUNTY, OREGON, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1902.

Henry Bennett Comes to a Sensational Close.

ACTRESS, LAWYERS AND DOCTOR UNDER ARREST.

For Conspiracy to Get Hold of the Sensational Disclosures Made by Millionaire's Estate-Actress Bigger Claimed Marriage and Birth of Posthumous Child.

Long Branch, Sept. 26.-The suit of Actress Laura Bigger to establish claim to the \$2,000,000 estate of the late Henry Bennett, of Pittsburg, had a sensational finish today when her counsel announced that Miss Bigger had decided to forego all claims ex-cept the 60 per cent interest given under Bennett's will. Counsel for the other heirs immediately arose and sald warrants were out for the arrest of Miss Bigger, Samuel Stanton and Dr. Hendricks, charging them with conspiracy. Miss Bigger was not conspiracy. Miss Bigger was not present. The other parties accused were arrested and ball fixed 41 \$5000 Officers are now looking for the actress. Stanton was a Hoboken justice of the peace, who is a former hearing testified that he married Miss Bigger and Henry Bennett, Hendricks was Miss Bigger's counsel when the actress first claimed marriage and the birth of a posthumous child.

WAR MANEUVERS.

Troops at Fort Riley Divided and the Trouble Commences.

Fort Riley, Kan., Sept. 26.—The pre-liminary drill of the regular troops in the maneuver division has been completed and the real maneuvers began by the formation of outpost forts and the attack and defense of the same. In this problem the forces of the ma-neuver division are divided. Lieutenant Colonel Steadman is in command of one of the armies and Colonel Mi nor commands the other. Umpires acompany each organization to see that the maneuvers are carried out in strict accordance with the conditions under which the attacks and defenses were to be made.

POSTMASTER IN TROUBLE.

Kansas City Official Must Answer for Loss of Package of Money.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 26 .- A suit F. Scott, former postmaster, and his crown prince with an aid son. S. F. Scott, Jr., who was employed as utility clerk in the Kansas

MORGAN RAILROAD DEAL

Turns Over Louisville & Nashville to Atlantic Coast Line.

road to the Atlantic Coast line, thus time it was believed many were where he had no previous interest.

Indiana Photographers.

Marion, Ind., Sept. 26.—The Indiana Photographers' Art League convened in annual session here oday with a good attendance of leading photogra-Helena Mont., Sept. 26 -- John M. phers of the state. An interesting axis was shot and villed by William feature of the meeting in addition to the papers and discussions pertaining to the latest developments in the arts of photography is an elaborate exhibit of amateur photographs, for the best pointed for the purpose,

Mason Will Contribute.

Rome, Sept. 26.-The newspapers here announce that the grand master of the Italian Free Masons has instructed all the Italian lodges to open

Bryan Speaks,

Suit for \$2,000,000 Estate of Local Labor Leaders to Put prices gained the in both wheat and corn. Liverpool was unchanged, 5-Men to Work and End the Strike.

LOCAL PRESIDENTS WERE

TO GET \$25,000 EACH.

President Nichols-Michael Grimes, Agent of Operators.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 26.-Efforts are being made to bribe mine workers leaders to surrender their cause. So declares President Nichols, of district No. 1, in a sworn statement issued today at noon. He says he has information that Michael Grimes, formerly a mine foreman, is agen for the operators. He accuses Grimes of offering the local presidents \$25,000 each. if they would get 10 men from each local union to draft resolutions declaring their locals willing to go to work. Two men were to get \$5000 each, the other eight to get \$100 each in addition to \$25,000 to the prinal. Grimes was to pay all inciden-expenses, furnish the money and cinal. prevent the exposure of the participants. Grimes for his work is prom ised a coal lease from the Eric Com-Nichols offers to furnish testimony before court.

CROWN PRINCE COMING.

Representative of Siam Government Sails for America Today. Washington, D. C., Sept. 26,-Ak-

haray Varadhara, the Siamese minister, and Mr. Herbert H. D. Pierce, third assistant secretary of state, are busy arranging for the reception and entertainment of the crown prince of Siam and his suite, who are scheduled to sail for this country from Cherbourg today on the Auguste Victoria. Owing to the nation's growing interests in the far east the government is particularly desirous that the future uler of Siam shall receive a favorable impression of this country and its peo-To this end arangements are ing made to show him every courtesy and facities will be placed at his command that will enable him to view a good part of the country and to inspect its varied industries.

The royal party consist of his royal highness, the crown prince, Col. Phya Rajovallohb, Capt, Luang Saraseddhi. second aid; Mom. R. Convatra, private secretary, and his royal highness has been begun in this city against S. Prince Chakrahongse, brother of the

examination of the contents of Presi. City postoffice, makes a charge fixing to West Point. Then will follow a dent Roosevelt's wound was made this upon the former postmaster and his visit to Boston and an inspection of morning by three experts. They all son the responsibility for the loss of Harvard college and also a brief stay agree that no traces of dangerous a package containing \$8000, from the at Newport. Two days will be spent matter was found in the scrum, and registry mail, in 1901. The money nothing to cause blood polaoning.

a package containing \$8000, from the at Newport. Two days will be spent in Washington, after which the party was sent by the National Bank of will make a personal visit at the home Commerce in this city, to the bank of of William Potter, of Philadelphia, J. C. Brinkman & Co., at Great Bend, who is a personal friend of the crown prince and his father. Following this visit the prince and his party start on their main tour of the United States in a special train, going to Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Pittsburg, Indianapolis. St. Louis, Chicago, stone Park. Butte copper mines, Salt New York, Sept. 26.—Wall street stone Park Butte copper mines, Salt today hears that Morgan las turned Lake City, Glenwood Springs, Colora-over the Louisville & Nashville raitdo Springs, Pike's Peak, Cripple Creek gold mines, Santa Fe, the Indian Pueblos of New Mexico, Grand Canyon of Colorado, Los Angeles, Pasadena wineries, San Diego, Coronado Beach Santa Barbara, Del Monte, San Jose, Lick Observatory, San Francisco and the Yosemite. It is probable the parwil Isaid from San Francisco for the Orient.

TO LEAVE MANCHURIA.

Railroad Turned Over to China and

Evacuation Will Be Completed. Washington, Sept. 26.-Minister partment that Russians have begun the evacuation of Manchuria, having already turned over to China the possession of the railway. The evacua-October, as stipulated by the agree ment between the two nations.

Buckeye Elocutionists. Dayton, O., Sept. 26.-The state as sociation of elocutionists is holding its Fort Scott, Kan., Sept. 26 —William of the state. The two days' program injured and Mrs. Albert Munn and son home, one mile from Pilot Rock. Mr. Bryan made his first speech in the calls for papers, addresses and dis. Thomas, seriously injured. Barnes Craig was 94 years of age and had

NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers. New York, Sept. 26.-There was a better tone to the markets today and

10%. New York opened at 73% and closed at 74%. Chicago, 69% and Closed yesterday, 73%. Opened today, 73%, Range today, 73% @74%. Closed today, 74% St. Paul, 1964. Union Pacific, 197%. & N., 153. Steel, 40 14.

Wheat in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 26.-Wheat-85@86. Wheat in San Francisco. San Francisco, Sept. 26 -- Wheat-

\$1.2160 1.21%

To Attack Butterine Law. ing oleomargerine manufacturers of the country are planning a big fight against the law which they have debusiness: The output of oleomargerthe Butterine law became effective. Just what plan the manufacturers will follow has not been definitely made known, but it is probable the first step will be to attack with vigor the constitutionality of the law which imposes the tax on the colored article.

Revive Depew Enterprise.

Ruffalo, N. Y., Sept. 26 -A meeting was held today for the reorganization which was formed some years ago with a capital stock of \$1,500,000 to develop the town of Depew on the line of the New York Central into a great industrial center. Up to date little or nothing has been done to carry out the plans of the company. It is purposed to form a new corporation with \$750,000 capital. It is reported that Senator Chauncey Depew, John Jacob Astor, Dr. Seward Webb and W. McK. Twombly will finance the new con-

GOVERNOR CUMMINS BITTER AGAINST HENDERSON.

Accuses Him of Petulancy Because Constituency-Widens the Split in

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 26 .- Stung by the interview accredited to Speaker Henderson at Atlantic City, accusing will make several public addresses. The party will probably spend three days in New York, including a visit on to be used against the trusts, Gov on to be used against the trusts, Gov-ernor Cummins today issued a bitter interview in which he accuses Henderson of petulancy, owing to the discovery that he is out of harmony with constituents.

Governor Cummins denies having ver advocated free trade directly or indirectly, as a trust remely, and asserts that the lows platform means that monopoly, whether established by trust, partnership or individual, is not entitled to benefit of the tariff duties. He claimed that if this were law, it would effectively prevent the creation of monopolies

DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS.

State Department Announces Important Changes in Ministerial Positions

Washington, Sept. 26.-The state department this morning made the following official announcement of diplomatic appointments:

Charlemange Tower, of Pennsylvania, now Russian ambassador, to be ambassador to Germany; Belamy Belamy Storer, minister to Spain, to become minister to Austria-Hungary; Arthur H. Pardi, minister to Switzerland, to become minister to Spain; Charles H. Conger, at Pekin, cables the state de Bryan, minister to Brazil, to become minister to Switzerland; David E. Thompson, of Nebraska, to become minister to Brazil. These appointments will be effective November 1.

WRECKED BY GAS EXPLOSION.

William Barnes Killed and Others injured at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 26.-A residence building was wrecked here this morn annual convention here with an attendance representing the chief cities liam Barnes, the owner, was fatally connection.

### FEAR UNCLE SAM

Colombians Believe He Intends to Gobble Up Canal Territory Without Paying.

PRESENCE OF U. S. MARINES CAUSES THE APPREHENSION.

Congressman Moody Wires to Allay the Fears of the Colombians-Save America Has No Ulterior Motive.

Washington, Sept. 26.-The conentration of 2000 marines and blue-Chicago, III., Sept. 26 .- Information jackets at Panama has aroused seriis coming to light showing that lead- ous fears in Colombia, as to the real intention of the United States. Several telegrams were received here tocided amounts to a prohibition of their day asking for the reason of imposing such a demonstration of cower and ine in the Central West, where most declaring that the belief is growing of the supply comes from, has de-creased more than two-thirds since States intends to selze the isthmus. States intends to seize the isthmus, and thus gain complete possession of territory without paying the canal anything.

Congressman Moody replied that there was not a word of truth in the rumors and that the United States has no ulterior motive, but will discharge its treaty obligations by maintaining free isthmian transit. He explained that American interests were copardized by the Colombians makof the Delew Improvement Company, ing the railway the theater of their action, hence this imperative action was forced upon the United States,

LADY SOMERSET COMING.

As President of British W. C. T. U., She Will Visit the American Body.

Boston Mass. Sept. 26 - The local organization of the Women's Christian Temperance Union has received word from Lady Henry Somerset that she will sail for the United States today. Lady Somerset is president of the British Women's Christian Temperance Union and one of the foremost temperance leaders in the world. Her approaching visit to this country will be her first since the death of her warm friend and co-worker, Miss

Frances Willard. Unable to remain long in this counto few engagements beyond the He is Out of Harmony With His national convention of the Women's Constituency-Widens the Split in Christian Temperance Union at Port-She will visit Montreal, Washington and this city and probably

ARANA GETS FIVE YEARS.

Chief of National Party Impris For Congratulating Roosevelt,

Madrid Sept 26 - The Bilbao court has condemned Senor Arana, chief of the national party, to eight years' imprisonment for cabling his congratulions to President Roosevelt on the in dependence of Cuba. The Spanish government considered Sepor Arana's net an insult, and proceeded against him as a traitor

New Oklahoma Road.

Texarkana, Sept. 26.—A territorial charter has been granted to the Kansas, Oklahoma Central & Southwestern Railroad, with a capital of \$11,500,000. The incorporators are Oklahongs capitalists. The proposed line will run from Cedarville, Kan., southwest through Stillwater, Guthrie and and will have two branch lines, one from Stillwater southeast to Fort Smith Ark, and the other northwest to Woodward, Oklahoma, on the Texas border. The total distance will be 640 miles. The principal place of business will be Stiffwater.

London Wool Auction.

London, Sept. 26.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today numbered 14.135 bales, which American buy ers took suitable parcels of in the cross-breds. Coarse sorts sold well at 7½ per cent above the July series.

JAMES CRAIG DEAD.

Passed Away at His Home Near Pilot Rock Today.

Charles Craig, spoken of in the East Oregonian yesterday as being in a specarlous condition from a stroke of tem, if it can be made to operate successfully, will prove of much commercial big crowd at convention hall. He ary field from kindergarten to ad-filled with gas from a broken pipe is known of his relatives. He will be buried at the Rock tomorrow.