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### WIRELESS STOPS TRAIN

Control System Invented by Toronto

Man Puts Invisible Brakes On. Ottawa.-Drawing a train of 12 cars and rushing over the rails at a speed of 45 miles an hour on a stretch of track near the city of Toronto, a powerful engine on the Canadian Pacific Railway service was brought to a quick standstill, with the throttle wide open, and the engineer standing in his cab, a mere spectator, like those present with him, to view the

big locomotive and train of cars by a gambler, is head, have resulted in the wireless wave of electricity. It exposure of a system of "fake" brokseemed as if a giant had seized the equipment and held it with ease.

### Power House Is Wrecked.

New York.-Twelve persons were killed, two of them women, and 30 were injured in a double explosion of gas and dynamite in the new electric power-house of the New York Central Railroad Monday morning.

The power house, which is built of stone and brick and is six stories high, took fire after the explosion and the interior was practically burned out. Fortunately for the thousands of commuters on the New York Central's lines, the force of the dynamite blasts was directed in an opposite direction from the railroad tracks

# "BUCKETSHOP" MEN TO BE INVESTIGATED

66b2 Secret Service Men Active and Many Indictments Will Be Demanded.

> Chicago,-investigation of the alleged relations between officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company and the "bucket shop" ring were started Monday immediate'y after the new Federal grand jury had been impaneled and organized. Fifty or more subpoenas were placed in the hands of the United States marshal for wit-

At the same time no fewer than 50 indictments against the alleged ring of "bucketshop" operators were de-

Raids of the Capital Investment Company, of which "Sid" McHie, stock market plunger and old-time erage which government secret service agents declare is without rival.

Each year the company is said to have netted its promoters not less than \$7,500,000, which came out of the pockets of "suckers" living in towns in Western states. This profit was reaped from a total business of \$10,000,000.

There will be a dance in the opera louse, Wednesday night, December 28, under the auspices and personal direction of the opera house manage ment, insuring good order and a fine time for all who attend, Roup's full orchestra, including a famous cornetist from Bolse, will furnish the music.

# QUAKE DESTROYS SCORES

Seventy Families Die as Island Sinks Into the Sea.

Port Limon, Costa Rica,-At least 70 families, variously estimated at from 150 to 170 men, women and children, were drowned through the sinking into the sea of their island home on Saturday.

The island, in the center of the llo Pango lagoon in Salvador, disappeared after a series of earthquake shocks and slid into the depth of the lagoon, carrying with it nearly all the inhabitants. The earthquake shocks were felt throughout the republic.

# **CANADIAN FARMERS** MAKE BIG DEMANDS

Ottawa, Ont.-The delegation of 9,000 Canadian farmers presented their demands to the Canadian government and received their answer. The reply made by Premier Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not come up to the expectation of the delegation.

The farmers asked for the immediate revision of the tariff downward; for free trade on agricultural implements, cement, lumber and natural products of Canada and the United States: for a larger measure of preference to Great Britain and a program that would lead to free trade with England in ten years, and finally to direct taxation.

They asked for government ownership and control of terminal elevators; for a government-built and operated railroad to Hudsen's Bay; for the establishment by the government of a chilled meat industry in western Canada; for amendments to the railway law which would tend to lower rates and compel companies to pay for stock killed on tracks under any circumstances.

# ITEMS OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT OREGON

Chronicle of Important Events of Interest to Our Readers.

Remains Desert Entryman.

Pendleton,-R. J. Slater is in Washington to urge the interior department to give him a favorable decision on the status of his desert land entry near Pendleton. As he entered the office of the department official who had the matter in charge, he found him in the act of signing a favorable decision.

Slater had a desert claim of 320 scres, into which the reclamation service had cut with the Umatilla project and the service insisted that Slater must take water from the government project. Department of the interior rules that he need not do so.

### Lockjaw Case Puzzles.

Salem.-After baffling physicians for three days with an aggravated case of lockjaw, Ray Brondell, 13year-old boy, died. Mystery as to where he contracted the disease and how he contracted it has made it difveult for those in attendance to fight against its ravages.

There was not a scratch on the boy's body, and his parents have no satisfactory explanation to give. One of the attending physicians believes that the disease may have entered the boy's system through a decayed tooth, which, if true, is considered a remarkable instance of infection.

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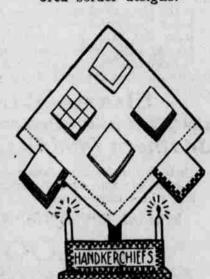
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