CURRENT EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Doings of the World at Large Told in Brief.

General Resume of Important Events Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

Residents of Oceanside, Cal., are planning to have a municipal saloon, as the precinct has voted dry.

The steamer Norma successfully navigated the Columbia river from point near Tenino to Portland.

Japan objects to China putting troops into Manchuria to retake Tonanfu from the Mongol rebels.

Twenty-two are dead and many missing as the result of high winds

Great Britain announces that she will formally demand arbitration of the Panama canal tolls dispute at The

will act as best man at the wedding of

Emperor William reviewed a German army of 60,000 men, which was led by eight army aeroplanes and two dirigible balloons

Four sisters near Ozark, Arkansas, were married to young |planters of the neighborhood at the same time, and the four couples will reside in newlyprepared homes in the immediate vi-

Several days of terrific heat in Chicago were followed by a violent electric storm and cloudburst, which did damage estimated at \$1,000,000 and kept the entire fire force busy answering alarms.

William Leob, Jr., and George B. Cortelyou, both former private secretaries to Colonel Roosevelt when he William Randolph was president; been asked to appear before the senate committee investigating campaign into the legislature. contributions.

George Gray, a Klamath Indian, has voluntarily begun serving a 60-day sentence for giving liquor to Indians, after having been allowed to remain Sulter, Socialist, 1006. at home and harvest his crops under suspension of sentence.

Two were killed and 40 injured in a head-on collision between passenger trains in England.

Nicaraguan rebels fired on American marines who were repairing a railroad, but no one was hit.

American marines guard the railroad from Corinto, the principal sea port of Nicaragua, to the capital.

It is estimated that 120,000 persons were in the funeral procession of General Booth, the of Salvation Army.

The late General Booth of the Salvation Army, left a personal estate of \$2440, most of which he left to the

Mexican rebels announce that after Sept. 15 no quarter will be shown

PORTLAND MARKETS

Wheat-Track prices, new: Club, 79@80c; bluestem, 82@83c; fortyfold, 81c; valley, 80c. Barley-Brewing, \$28; feed, \$25.

Corn - Whole, \$38.50; cracked, \$39.50 ton. Hay-Eastern Oregon timothy, \$15;

valley timothy, \$12@13; alfalfa, \$11 @12; clover, \$10; oats and vetch, \$10@11; grain hay, \$10@11.

Oats—Spot, 29@30 ton.
Fresh fruits—Apples, 75c@\$1.75 pr
box; peaches, 25@65c; plums, 2c
pound; pears, \$1 box; grapes, 50c@ \$1.25; blackberries, 50c@\$1.25 crate.

Melons - Cantaloupes, 50c@\$1.50 per crate; watermelons, \$1@1.25 per hundred; casabas, \$1.25@1.50 dozen.

Onions—Walla Walla, 75c sack.
Potatoes — Jobbing prices: Burbanks, 60@75c hundred. Vegetables - Artichokes, 65@75c

dozen; beans, 2c pound; cabbage, 1@ Heads were broken right and left, 1tc; cauliflower, \$1@1.25 dozen; cel- and the windows of Chinatown were ery, 50@75c; corn, 15@25c; cucum-bers, 50c box; eggplant, 5@6c pound; head lettuce, 20@25c dozen; peas, 8@ 9e pound; peppers, 5@6c.

Eggs—Case count, 22@23c; candled, 25@26c; extras, 27@271c. Butter—Oregon creamery butter, cubes, 32c pound; prints, box lots,

Pork-Fancy, 111@12c pound. Veal—Fancy, 14½@15c pound. Poultry — Hens, 12½@13c pound;

dressed, 24@25. Hops-1912 fuggles, 17½ pound;

clusters, nominal. Wool - Eastern Oregon, 14@18c 21@22c; mohair, pound; valley, choice, 32c.

Cattle - Choice steers, \$6.75@7; good, \$6@6.65; medium, \$5.75@6; of Sunday night and Monday prochoice cows, \$5.75@6.25; good, \$5.50 gresses well at hundreds of points @5.75; medium, \$5@5.50; choice throughout Western and Northern calves, \$7@8.50; good heavy, \$6@ Pennsylvania, West Virginia and a Nicaragua received here is to the ef-6.50; bulls, \$3.50@5; stags, \$4.75@6. portion of Ohio. The list of fatalities feet that two American marines have

lambs, \$4@5.35.

OHIO REFUSES SUFFRAGE.

Initiative and Referendum and Liquor Amendments Are Carried.

Columbus, Ohio - The wemen of Ohio failed in their effort to gain the ballot, according to early returns. While the earliest figures on which this result is based come almost from Cleveland, Cincinnati, Columbus, Toledo and Dayton, it was in those places where the suffragists waged Chicago Gives Up to Humid Wavetheir most determined fights and politicians said the result would not be changed by the final returns.

The women, it is said, will not give up their fight for the ballot, but plan to use the initiative and referendum to gain another vote.

The cities of the state uniformly voted in favor of all amendments but suffrage. The farming communities voted against the amendments as a whole, but there was little likelihood that they could offset the big urban majorities.

About half the state vote was cast. The initiative and referendum has a half-holiday and thousands of perbeen adopted, according to the first and cloudbursts in Western Pennsyl- 950 precincts out of 5197 in the state. It received 63,093 votes for and 33,085 against. The liquor license had carried by 55,341 to 20,942.

The suffrage vote from 950 precincts showed 36,063 for to 55,139 against. The country districts were The Grand Army quartermaster expected to change this result, how-general, who resides in Los Angeles, ever.

The liquor license proposal provides that licenses to traffic in liquor shall be granted, subject to laws that may be enacted by the legislature. It does to drag around as they chose. An innot affect the present liquor laws.

ROOSEVELT THIRD.

Regular Republicans Maintain Lead in Vermont Election.

Montpelier, Vt .- The Roosevelt Progressive ticket ran a poor third in the numbering the Bull Moose party's In fact the Roosevelt ticket total vote of the state, according to almost complete returns.

The Republican plurality, while large, will lack some votes of being a Hearst and John D. Acrehbold have majority, and as a result the election for governor is certain to be thrown markets.

Returns for governor from 217 out of 246 cities and towns gave: Fletcher, Republican, 25,602; Howe, Democrat, 18,250; Metzger, Progressive, 14,220; Smith, Prohibition, 1425;

The same places in 1910 gave: Mead, Republican, 31,816; Watson, Democrat, 15,803; Towle, Prohibitionist, 1052; Ordway, Socialist, 890.

Indications from these figures at midnight are roughly that the present vote will total: Republicans, 26,236; Democrats, 19,838; Roosevelt Progressives, 16,429.

EMPLOYES GET BONUSES.

Aggregate of \$70,000 Distributed by Carpet Mills Company.

Yonkers, N. Y .- Bonuses aggregating \$70,000 were distributed to 3100 employes in the mills of the Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet company ferings from the heat. Wednesday. Men and women who have been in the employ of the company 10 years or more received checks for amounts equal to 10 per cent of their wages for the six months ending Americans so long as Madero remains June 30. Those of between five and in office. cent bonuses.

This was the fourth time within a few years that the firm has thus remembered its older employes. Last March \$65,000 was paid to 500 five and ten-year employes and in August, 1911, \$40,000 was distributed among the 10-year employes. A few years ago Mrs. Eva Smith Cochran, mother of dence to show that the boy was a Alexander Smith Cochran and Gifford member of the secret society. A. Cochran, the heaviest stockholder. distributed \$100,000 to the 20-year menace to law and order," said Judge men and women. The Smith plant is Gibbon. "They inculcate in their the largest carpet manufactory in the members a spirit of insubordination.

Vancouver Has Tong War. Vancouver, B. C. - Following reports of a battle in China, representatives of the two factions in Vancouver began a riot in Market Lane. All day the Orientals hovered about the bulletin boards, growing more excited toward evening and finally some 300 clubs and stones with disastrous effect. smashed indiscriminately. Although many were struck unconscious, they were spirited away by friends.

Battle Won by Chinese. Chicago - "Governor Chao Erh Hsun, of Manchuria, has telegraphed to the government," says a dispatch from Pekin, China, to the Chicago Daily News, "that General Chang Cho Lin attacked a large force of Mongolians near Tonanfu, defeating broilers, 14@14ic; ducks, young, 10; them after a 12-hour engagement. geese, 8@12; turkeys, live, 18@20; The Mongolians lost 1000 killed and 700 taken prisoners. The Chinese

captured five guns and much ammuni-

Storm Dead Number 40. Pittsburg - The task of clearing away wreckage caused by the storm mal opening a year later. Hogs - Light, \$8.75@9.25; heavy, now reaches 40. The loss is placed at been killed there. \$2,000,000. The principal sufferers

the flood.

EAST SUFFERS INTENSE HEAT

Weather Bureau Registers 95, Breaking All Records.

Five Die and Many Are Prostrated-Corn Crop Aided.

Chicago-All heat records for the season melted away Saturday when government thermometers registered approximately 95 degrees. This was on top of the Federal building, where breezes were blowing, but down in the cavernous streets the heat was above the 100 mark. One death and many prostrations were recorded by the poice. That the death list is not much larger is due to the fact that this was

sons had quit work at noon. The maximum degree of heat was reached at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and continued until after sundown.

The entire city wilted and gave up the battle early in the day. The night had been hot and there was no opportunity to store energy against the next day's heat. The proprietors of department stores and factories. realizing the unusual situation, dismissed as many of their employes as possible and permitted the remainder vading army of 15 enegetic men could have captured the entire city with small resistance.

Dispatches from cities and towns in Illniois, Northern Indiana, Lower Michigan and Wisconsin tell of unusually oppressive heat, which half baked the life and energy out of man state elections in Vermont, with the and beast alike. Prostrations were Taft Republicans winning by a vote of reported in many of the smaller cities, almost double that of the Progressive and advices from small towns and rural candidate and the Democrats far out- districts tell of horses being killed by the sun's rays

There was one bright spot in the enobtained less than one-quarter of the tire situation and that stood out prominently in the general picture of mis-

Although the weather Sunday was two degrees cooler than Saturday, five deaths of adults from heat were retions, one of which will result fatally. The temperature reached a maximum the suffering Saturday.

fact that few persons were at work. from the building of the canal." Thousands scattered to the northwestwhere they could get air free from the

dust and steam of the hot city. The death rate among babies was around the bay. high and a majority of them practically suffocated or fretted themselves into a state of apoplexy over their suf-

SCHOOL FRATS CONDEMNED

Gibbons, in which he ordered reinstated Edward Smith, a former pupil in began he threw his fortune into minthe Oak Park High School, who was ex-

The court held there was no evi-

"Societies are and always will be a prevarication and falsehood, and thereby indirectly, if not directly, shield from punishment members leagued together by secret pledges and pass words."

Greeks Ask Turks to Go.

Athens - A bellicose mass meeting held in the Greek island of Samos or-Chinamen mingled in battle, using suls a resolution demanding the departure of the Turkish troops from the isiand and a revision of the constitution. The Russian consul promised that the troops would leave the island as soon as the island police force was organized. Samos, which lies off the west coast of Asia Minor, a short distance southwest of Smyrna, is an autonomous principality under the sovereignty of Turkey.

Canal to Open in Year.

Los Angeles-Writing a personal letter to Clarence H. Matson, secretary of the Los Angeles board of harbor commissioners, Colonel George The Mongolians lost 1000 killed and Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama canal, said that the big trans-isthmian ditch would be handling interoceanic traffic in September, 1913. Such handling of traffic, however, ac-

> Two Marines Killed. Panama-Reliable information from

Managua, Granada and Masaya are wethers, \$4@4.50; ewes, \$2.85@3.75; ville, O., was almost wiped out by of the two latter towns are nearing the point of starvation.

MOBS MENACE NICARAGUA.

Rebals, Well Armed, Overrun Country and Defy Troops.

Washington, D. C .- With the Nicaaguan revolutionists split into small bands of marauding outlaws, as recent reports to the State department seem to indicate, the United States has on its hands more difficult diplomatic questions to solve regarding the countries of Latin America than ever before in history,

The apparently spent revolution against the Madero government in Mexico, the attacks of the police of Panama on Americans, the uprising against the Federal government in Cubs and the question of the collection of the customs of Santo Domingon have drawn the State department into difficult relations with the people of those respective countries.

A mob of ragged but well-armed men, according to recent dispatches to the State department, has been wandering through the country near Managua, robbing and burning buildings on the outskirts of the capital and terrorizing the residents. It is supposed that they were part of a revolutionist band which escaped from the federal forces two days ago.

The latest word received from the detachment of 500 marines under command of Commander Terhune, U. S. N., which had left Corinto for Managua over the railroad, was that bridges were down and in many places rails torn up. Marines were expected to reach Managua and restore communication within 24 hours. The fate of 125 Americans, who have been practically besieged in the interior, is a matter of speculation, for no authentic news has been received from them in several days. As soon as the railroad between Managua and Corinto is open it is expected all the foreigners within reach will be taken out of the

CANAL TO HELP MEXICO.

Government Official Says Country Is Having Great Awakening.

San Francisco-Senor Rafael Hernery. The torridity is pushing the great corn crop rapidly beyond the peril of early frosts, which now constitute the chief bugbear in the grain friendly attitude of the Madero administration to the United States.

"Mexico has awakened to a new realization of its opportunities,' Senor Hernandez, "and it has further ported. There were several prostra- realized that its progress must keep pace with that of the States. Mexico will profit by the Panama canal more of 93, and a 16-mile wind from the than any other nation except the southwest served to dispel much of United States, having the second longthe humidity, which added greatly to est coast line on the Pacific, and President Madero is keenly alive to the The low death rate is due to the possibilities of development accruing

The Mexican statesman, who is acern resorts to remain until Monday companied by Albert Madero, uncle night, and the streets were practically of President Madero, and Emerterio deserted. The lake, on the contrary, de la Garza, his attorney, was enterwas densely populated, boats of every tained at a luncheon given by repredesciption being commandeered to sentatives of the city administration, and chamber of Panama-Pacific Exposition after he and his party had been taken on a trip

DEATH REVEALS REVERSES.

Fred Bormann, Once Theatrical Magnate, Dies Alone in Hovel.

San Francisco-Fred Bormann, janitor, died alone in a squalid lodging house in this city Monday. His body was found propped up in bed in the Chicago-"School frats" and secret barren room. Fred Bormann, theatriocietes generally were condemned in cal magnate, was an intimate of the decision handed down by Judge John | bonanza kings many years ago. When the rush to the Comstock, Nev., mines ing stock. His friends-Flood, Fair pelled because he was believed to be a member of the high school "frat." and Mackay—became rich. He became penniless. A few years ago he cut off all association with his old intimates. Bormann came to San Francisco 46 years ago from Germany.

Cut Wires Follow Plea.

Nogales, Ariz. - Rebels have surrounded Cananea, where many Americans are relocated at the copper camps, and an attack is imminent, it was reported here Tuesday. Bridges leading to the East have been burned by the invaders. An appeal for aid was received by Federal officials from Mrs. Sarah Wood, Southern Pacific agent at Santa Cruz, for herself and 16-year-old daughter. She said that ganized and sent to the foreign con- rebels occupied the town. Shorty after her message was received the wires were cut.

Coal Claims Canceled.

Juneau, Alaska-Three hundred of the 1100 Alaska coal claims have been canceled by the general land office. In most of the cases the charge filed against the claim was that application for patent had not been made within the time required by law. Four claims in the Rathbone group were canceled because it was charged that the locations were not made in good faith. Forty-three claims in the Watson group have been canceled.

Quarantine Is Lifted.

Los Angeles-Quarantine due to the prevalence of infantile paralysis, which prohibited children under 15 years of age from attending theaters, cording to Colonel Goethals, will be a Sunday Schools, parks and play-'try-out," in preparation for the for- grounds for more than a month, has been raised. During August 20 moving-picture theaters were forced to close because of lack of patronage following the quarantine order.

Chicago Has 2,326,400.

Chicago-Chicago's population is 2, 326,400, according to a census esti-Sheep - Yearlings, \$3.50004.60; are farmers and railroads. Saline-still beleaguered, and the inhabitants mate made for a local city directory, a gain of 62,216 over the figures compiled by the same concern a year ago.

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