

## ROOSEVELT AND DIAZ AGREE TO COMPEL PEACE

Washington, Aug. 28.—Assistant Secretary of the Navy Adee said he was authorized to announce that Presidents Roosevelt and Diaz are now in accord concerning the future of Central America, and the settlement of disputes between the five republics.

This is taken to mean that the United States and Mexico have formulated a joint note to the Central American Republics, inviting them to hold a conference with a view to agreeing upon a treaty insuring permanent peace. The impression is that all five have expressed their readiness to enter such a conference. Mr. Adee said he hoped within 24 hours to make a statement outlining the policy under consideration by the United States and Mexico.

John Oster died of stab wounds today, alleged to have been inflicted by his father. The latter quarreled with his wife, and the son went to his mother's assistance.

## TAFT NOT HURT IN TRAIN WRECK

Kansas City, Aug. 28.—Secretary Taft left here for Denver at 10 this morning, apparently none the worse for yesterday's experience, when his train was wrecked. He was given a wonderful send-off as the train pulled out of the Union depot.

W. Cooper Morris, the cashier of the Oregon Trust & Savings Company, has arrived in Portland from the East and States that every cent of the liabilities will be paid.

**FATHER STABS SON AND DEATH RESULTS**  
Mascoutah Hills, Ill., Aug. 28.—

## SWEDISH PRINCE ATTRACTION IN NEW YORK CITY

New York, Aug. 28.—Swedish Prince Wilhelm has arrived and is domiciled at the Hotel Astor. After breakfasting he was introduced to Huntington Wilson, third assistant secretary of state, who has been designated by President Roosevelt to accompany the prince while here.

This afternoon the prince will visit President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay.

## EATS LUNCHEON WITH PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Oyster Bay, Aug. 28.—President Roosevelt entertained the following at luncheon today in honor of Prince Wilhelm: Swedish Minister Lagererantz, Captain Lindber, Captain Klercker, the prince's aid; Secretary Cortelyou, Assistant Secretary Huntington Wilson, John B. Jackson, minister from Persia; Lieutenant Butler, of the navy, and wife, and Major General Bell.

**LION KILLS WOMAN IN AMUSEMENT PARK**  
Pittsburg, Aug. 28.—Mrs. Anna

## YOUNG CARTER KILLED IN EXPERIMENT ROOM

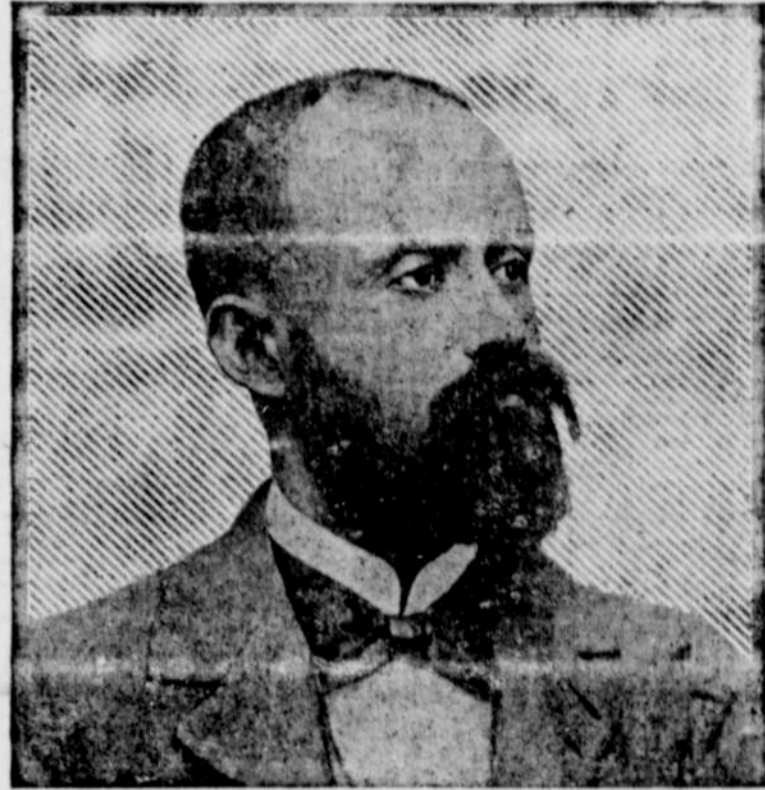
Chicago, Aug. 28.—L. H. Carter, son of Brigadier-General Carter, commander of the department of the lakes, was instantly killed yesterday by an electric shock in the dairy room of the University of Illinois at Champaign. Carter was working in the agricultural department and was shocked while standing upon a small stationary engine, reaching upward to clean the electrically lighted chandelier.

## WESTERN UNION OFFICE DESTROYED BY FIRE

Arkansas City, Kas., Aug. 28.—The Western Union office and its contents were destroyed by fire today. It is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

In compliance with the law passed by the last session of the Oregon legislature, every schoolhouse in the state of Oregon must have a United States flag displayed at the school building.

## RENEWED TROUBLE WITH VENEZUELA



GENERAL CIPRIANO CASTRO, PRESIDENT OF VENEZUELA.

Caracas, Venezuela, Aug. 27.—El Constitucional, the government organ, commenting upon the \$5,000,000 fine assessed against the New York & Bermudez Asphalt Company for complicity in the Matos rebellion, after stating that the evidence against the company was taken mostly from the records of the cases tried in the United States, says editorially: "It now remains to be seen if the state department (American) will again convert itself into the protector, defender and tutor of adventurers who have confessed their guilt, and who were legitimately chastised

by the legislatures of all civilized nations, including the United States, in which country there abound sentences perfectly analogous to that now pronounced against the guilty company by the Venezuelan court."

**Trouble May Result.**  
Washington, Aug. 28.—President Castro is still at the helm of the Venezuelan government and serious trouble is feared in certain official quarters. The asphalt company will no doubt resist payment of the fine and attempt to embroil the United States with the high-tempered Castro, as was once before the case.

## SEVENTH STREET PROPERTY SOLD TO YATES AND SON

**J. R. CAMPBELL DISPOSES OF COURT-HOUSE LODGING HOUSE BUILDINGS AND LOT FOR \$8750**  
—MAIN BUILDING FORMERLY COURT-HOUSE AND ERECTED IN 1854.

It is a dull day in Eugene when some big real estate deal is not reported. One of the latest is the sale of the Court-house lodging house property on East Seventh street, in the rear of the court-house, by J. R. Campbell to James R. Yates and son, J. H. Yates, for \$8,750. The deal was closed yesterday and the papers are now being made out.

The lot on which the lodging house stands has a frontage of 80 feet on East Seventh street and extends back to Park street. The lot is pretty well covered with the lodging house buildings.

The main building of the lodging house was formerly the Lane county court-house and was built in 1854. When the present court-house was erected in 1898, the building was moved to its present location and purchased for a song by Mr. Campbell. For a couple of years thereafter it was occupied by the Eugene high school, the district not having a building of its own at that time. When the present high school building was completed the old court-house remained idle for some time, but about a six years ago Mr. Campbell fitted it up for a lodging house and leased it to Ed Howe, who has conducted the business there since. About four years ago the addition, or new building, was erected and both structures have been used by Mr. Howe, the rooms always being full.

Messrs. Yates and son will take possession of the property on September 1.

## ENGINEER AND FIREMAN KILLED

Chattanooga, Aug. 28.—The Florida limited train, southbound, on the Queen Creascent railroad, collided with a switch engine a mile north of this city. Engineer Charles Carter was killed and his fireman fatally injured.

**PORTUGUESE SAILORS INJURED IN EXPLOSION**  
Lisbon, Aug. 28.—An explosion of gas aboard the Portuguese battleship Visco de Gamal injured several sailors.

The next bi-ennial convention will probably be held in California.

## TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKE APPEARS PRACTICALLY OVER

The Guard Associated Press report is about its normal size today for the first time since the telegraphers' strike was declared. This would indicate that the tie-up is about over and that the company will be able to get along without the union operators. Better telegraph conditions may be expected from now on as the new working force becomes more thoroughly organized.

## FORESTERS' SUPREME COURT IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Nearly 300 delegates and officers are attending the bi-ennial session of the supreme court of the Foresters of America. The codification committee submitted conflicting reports, a minority urging that the present representation of one delegate for every thousand members should be changed to a basis of two thousand.

The Foresters now claim 350,000 members in the United States.

## KING PROROGUES LONG, BUSY SESSION

London, Aug. 28.—King Edward prorogued the parliament today, ending one of the longest and most arduous sessions. The king's speech was read in joint session of the house of lords and commons, and was of the usual colorless character, mainly referring to the recent royal visits and friendly relations with other powers.

**Cabinet Plans.**  
If the plans of the cabinet are carried out next winter's session of parliament will be busier than the one just closed, and will hasten toward a climax the conflict between the commons and house of lords. The campaign for the reformation of the house of lords will be continued during the interim and sweeping reforms will be prepared, including licensing and educational bills, housing reform and regeneration of the port of London.

## THREE PATIENTS ESCAPE FROM INSANE ASYLUM

The Dalles, Or., Aug. 27.—Bert Wright, who escaped from the insane asylum at Salem, was arrested on the streets here yesterday. He said he left there five days ago in company with two others and arrived in this city Sunday night. He does not appear insane, and answers all questions intelligently. Wright would not give any reason for leaving. He said he had been there only three months, but that one of the others had been an inmate for 21 years and the other but a few months. Wright said they were both around town and if the authorities wanted them they could easily be captured. Wright is about 35 years old, rather short, with a stubby beard.

The Wells-Fargo Express Company has issued orders to their agents all over the United States not to, after September 1st, accept any more C. O. D. liquor business.

## GROVER CLEVELAND'S HEALTH IS FAILING



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New York, Aug. 28.—It is announced that ex-President Grover Cleveland has again been attacked with acute indigestion, and consequently has relinquished the idea of visiting his summer home in New Hampshire. Mrs. Cleveland has returned to Princeton from New Hampshire with the children, so as to be

with her husband. The condition of Mr. Cleveland's health is giving his family and friends a great deal of concern this summer, and there are grave fears that his rugged constitution is rapidly giving away to the ravages of disease, owing to the frequency of attacks of indigestion, which are apparently growing more severe.

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