# **DOINGS OF THE WEEK**

# **Current Events of Interest Gathered** From the World at Large.

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

About \$45,000,000 has been allotted by President Taft for various irrigation projects.

Aviator Hoxsey, at Los Angeles, broke the world's altitude record by going up 11,474 feet.

The Chinese government resisted the demand for an assembly and the radicals backed down.

Exports and imports of the Philippines showed a large increase during the first year of free trade. A Klamath Falls, Ore., man found a

perfect pearl as big as a large grain of corn in a 15-cent oyster stew. Since the death of Mrs. Eddy the Stetson faction of the Christian

Science church predicts the downfall of the hierarchy A six-year-old child fell three sotries at Los Angeles hotel and lit on a wire

netting over a skylight. She is not believed to be fatally injured. Admiral Dewey was 76 years old De cember 6, 1910. He went for a drive

and missed many noted personages who called to pay their respects. Two maids at the Rockefeller residence at Forest Hill, Ohio, received gingham aprons as Christmas presents from their master, and promptly tore

Dr. Cook is again in New York City. Prize scores of grand opera worth \$50,000 were stolen in New York.

them up and threw them in the wast

"Jack the Slasher" is again at work in San Francisco, slashing women's

Missionaries in China are calling for relief for 3,000,000 natives left starving by floods.

A woman's club at Eli, Neb., ha declared that baldheaded men make much the best husbands.

The increase granted the men runs as ing men of large interests.

How to prevent change in the tariff will be a live subject at the convention.

and trainmen regarding a raise in A Los Angeles iron plant, involved

in a wage controversy and strike, was partially wrecked by a dynamite ex-

Senator Curtiss, of Kansas, seeks harmony and will propose Governor Stubbs for vice president in 1912, with Taft for re-election. The compromise offered by Commis

both sides and the threatened strike of 37,000 locomotive engineers is averted. Aviator Hoxsey, at Los Angeles, reached an altitude of 7,299 feet and

disappeared toward sea. He next appeared by diving through a cloud over the aviation grounds.

The commission form of governm is proving a great success at Baker, Or. An explosion in the Little Hulton colliery at Bolton, England, entombed

230 miners. Russia is aroused over the numerou

attacks on the Cossacks by Chinese i About 20 Philadelphia firemen and

police were killed by falling walls at a Robert S. Lovett, successor to E. H.

Harriman, favors government super-vision of railroads. Fire at Cincinnati destroyed one of the best blocks in the city, causing

a loss of abou \$2,000,000. Government officials believe tha

fraudulent refunds on sugar exports at New York will reach millions of dollars. Customs officials are holding good valued at \$600,000 imported by Duveen Bros., art dealers, of New York, for alleged undervaluation.

St. Johns, Newfoundland, experi enced one of the worst storms in many years, and it is feared many coasting

James T. Harahan has resigned the

A shipment of oysters from New Jersey will be selzed upon arrival at San Francisco. They are reported to have been taken from polluted waters.

An insurance expert says New Yor! City is at the mercy of the fire fiend should some accident burst a water main and start a fire at the same

After lying unconscious for 18 months a Greek laborer in Portland, who had been injured by a blow on the head, was relieved by a surgical operation, and is now recovering.

A San Jose, Cal., lawyer will wed the than any of the men. daughter of one of his clients who has been sentenced to a term at San Quen-

Considerable opposition to the exon eration of Senator Lorimer has devel oped in the senate. A Pasadena, Cal., millionaire will con-struct the finest office building on the

Coast in Portland. The lifeboat of the lifesaving crew at Rockaway Beach, N. Y., turned turtle

and two of the crew are missing. Customs authorities have discovered an oil painting believed to be a famous masterpiece stolen in Berlin some years

Aggregating \$4,00 000 a Year.

Terms on Which Engineers Set-tled Fight.

Amount of increase in yearly wages, \$4,000,000. Average increase, 10 1-3 per cent. Average demand by engineers, 15

Original demand, 17 per cent. Increase offered by roads, 91/2 per

Increase asked on Mallet type engines, 100 per cent. Increase granted on Mallet engines, 75 cents to \$1 differential. Other increases granted were: Forty cents per day in passenger,

suburban, or through freight service. Twenty-five cents differential on gines 215,000 pounds on drivers. Engineers or helpers on wrecking trains, snow-bound or mixed trains, increase of 40 cents per day.

Switching rates, 50 cents increase in yard and transfer service. Twenty-five cents increase per day for hostlers of the Brotherhood of

Locomotive Engineers. Controllers of motor-cars, Roads involved, 61. Engineers affected, 37,000.

ern railroads put in the stockings of the locomotive engineers. The gift brought "peace and good will" and at the time with the worm making the locomotive engineers. The gift The next application should be made about Augnust 1, when the worms that averted what might have proved one did get in are making their way out of the most disastrous strikes in the history of the country.

engineers together and with his work were fired at him and readily replies ccomplished he left in the afternoon for his home in Washington to spend Christmas with his family.

that they had reached the limit, the nanagers made concessions in the face of a threatened strike. Concessions of the annual convention of the National Woolgrowers' Association, to be were made by the engineers also, but they established two of the chief points for which they contended—jurisdiction

This convention will be one of the large that they established two of the chief points increased. per cent.

# TWELVE LIVE ON \$1.35 A DAY.

### Pittsburg Family Holds Record for Thrift.

Pittsburg-A tale of comfort and thrift contrary to the usual ones of distress was unfolded in the Juvenile court here by Miss Nance Oppenheim-er, a probation officer, to the court and

Miss Oppenhemer told the story when she requested Judge Cohen to althe streets late at night.

"He has a splendid home, your honor," said Miss Oppenheimer. "His mother," pointing to the woman standing by the lad's side, "is a splendid housekeeper, and they have 10 bright children, of whom the oldest is a girl dest is a girl

13 years old." tions couldn't be asked for. thing is neat and orderly, and there is any community."

Without further ado the boy was allowed to go home with his mother.

Son of Rich Man Starves.

New York - Half delirious from starvation, John Smith, who says he is a decendent of Joseph Smith, founder Charles Smith, a wealthy retired pubhe is fed warm milk like a baby. His greatest desire is to sleep, but in lucid intervals he gave his name and descendants with a history of family will be succeeded by C. H. Markham, formerly of the S. P.

> Woman is on Chain Gang. was found to be Mrs. Lawrence Han-

Wolves Barely Miss Feast. Duluth-While wolves howled around A Trenton, N. J., burglar, groping in the Darrah cabin. Mrs. Walter Darrah, ranch consists of about 1600 acres and the dark for valuables, was caught in a years old, gave birth six days ago has been considered one of the most to a baby in a partially roofless shack valuable pieces of land in Lake county. to a baby in a partially roofless shack near Pelican lake, in this county. It is in the famous fruit belt, and al With the woman in the cabin was only her four-year-old daughter. Mrs. Dar-rah claims she was deserted by her husband some weeks before. It was only today that the woman, her baby and the little girl were found. All were temporarily removed to a farm house.

Germany Soon to Import All Meat. Washington-In the course of a few years Germany, in all likelihood, will consume nothing but imported meat, according to consular reports. There A Mexican government supply train and 500 men have been trapped in the mountains by revolutionists and captured.

A Dayton, Wash, duck hunter carried a charge of buckshot in his thigh ried a charge of buckshot in his thigh ried a surgeon.

A Mexican government supply train and consular reports. There is an immense decrease noted in the stame ray to be analyzed. Sheep—Yearling wethers, grain fed, \$4.25@ soon to choice ewes, grain fe

# COMPROMISE REACHED. OCCUMPROMISE REACHED. INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE STATE STRIKES MUST END. French Government Takes Steps to En.

### ADVISES MUCH SPRAYING.

per cent of all the apple crops in the world, but the average loss in every orchard is 35 per cent," said the speaker. "To spray with Paris Green was found to be a remedy in the East but through the efforts of several Western men it has been found that to spray four times a year with arsenate of lead or with a lime and sulphur solution

very effective.
"The first spraying should be early in the year when the blossoms have just fallen and the spray should be Chicago—Four millions of dollars a soms. The next spraying should be year was what the officials of 61 West-July 1, when the apple is well formed

Considerable care in the selection of Commissioner of Labor Charles P. solutions in the proper proportions was Neill played the part of Santa Claus to very strongly advised. After the lee ture, the speaker invited the audience ture. the engineers. For seven days he worked to bring the railroads and the for half an hour questions of all nature

### SHEEP MEN TO MEET SOON.

### In spite of their repeated assertions Wool Tariff to Be Discussed at Na tional Convention in Portland.

Time is drawing near for the opening over motor-trucks and an increased schedule for the Mallet type of engine.

This convention will be one of the large schedule for the Mallet type of engine.

Railroads are making every effort to settle the controversy with conductors paid runs. The average increase to the payrolls of the railroads is 10 1-3 legislation, but the woolgrowers are a much concerned as anyone. Schedule A, they fear, is due for revision and owing to the changed membership of the next congress they are afraid this schedule will not be in the hands of

its friends. "The wool complexion of the next congress is as clear as mud," said a prominent weelgrower. He believes the coming convention will be the time for all wool men to rally to the defense o the industry They fear that the very life of the sheep business is at stake and expect some concerted action to be taken at this meeting. This issue spectators. A family of 12 is supported on an income of \$1.35 a day, but how it is done has not been disclosed. cupy more time than any other matter throughout the sessions. Because of the low Antonio Elf, 10 years old, to go wide interest in the subject among wool home. He was arrested for being in growers the attendance promises to be very large.

## RABBIT BOUNTY ASKED.

### Harney County Farmers Suffer Heavy Losses.

has started a movement to secure an at a premium of \$381. "I don't know how they do it," said
Miss Oppenheimer, later, "but they ing a small bounty on jack rabbits are nice people and better home condi- This at first glance may appear ridie Every- ulous, but the jack rabbit pest serious proposition in this part of Ore-gon. The sage brush plains are alive no lack of wholesome food for the entire family. The father is a laborer with them and successful cultivation and earns one dollar and thirty-five of gardens, fruit trees, alfalfa and even and earns one dollar and thirty-five cents a day. That man is a credit to two seasons on account of their ray Oregon, \$21@22; alfalfa, \$14; grain

The new settlers, who have been old settlers as well, have been greatly discouraged in their efforts at raising erops on account of the devastation wrought by the rabbit pest. For the protection of orehards and gardens wire netting fences have been created.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$28 per ton.

Poultry—Alive: Hens, 14½@15c; thrkeys, 22@25c; turkeys, 22@25c; turkeys, 22@25c; tion. With two drawn revolvers, he ducks, 18@20c; geese, 13@14c; dressed: turkeys, choice, 25@26c; ducks, 22½c; passengers to stand and action to the heart of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation of orear as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation of orear as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the stature of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city of the city. The robber boarded the observation car as it was leaving the city of the city a decendent of Joseph Smith, founder wire netting fences have been erected of the Mormon church, and the son of at heavy expense, but the rabbits dig Charles Smith, a wealthy retired pub-lisher of Princeton, Ill., is in Bellevue dinary height, which is supposed to hospital critically ill. Twice an hour shut out the rabbits, they soon learn to jump over. The counties of Crook, less the Lake, Grant and Malheur will also be extra. bounty, so as to encourage extermina-tion of the rabbits.

Muskogee, Okla. — After working four days on the streets of this city with the "chain gang" "Will Taylor" versely on the projects. It was prolon, of St. Louis.

Mrs. Hanlon put on men's clothing November 26 and with her husband started for the Southwest, seeking what water traffic such improvements who will be navigables or box; grapes, \$1.15002 per box; Maiagas, the stantistic for treatment. He is not expected to survive. It is asserted that they would be navigables for boats \$6.500.7.50 per barrel; cranberries, \$12 per box; Maiagas, that they would be navigables for boats \$6.500.7.50 per barrel; cranberries, \$12 per box; Maiagas, that they would be navigables for treatment. He is not expected to survive. It is asserted that they would be navigables for the such that they would be navigables for boats \$6.500.7.50 per barrel; persimmons, \$1.85 pected to survive. It is asserted that the would be navigables for the such that they would be navigables for boats \$6.500.7.50 per barrel; persimmons, \$1.85 pected to survive. It is asserted that they would be navigables for the such that they would be navigables for boats \$6.500.7.50 per barrel; persimmons, \$1.85 pected to survive. It is asserted that they would be navigables for the such that they woul started for the Southwest, seeking what water traffic such improvements work. Stranded here, husband and wife were picked up and sentenced to down. At present much of the district flower, \$2@2.25 per crate; celery, Cali-

Lakeview.—E. M. Brattain and C. E. Campbell have purchased the Charley Innes ranch at Summer Lake, the deal having been closed last week. The

### ASSESSED VALUE \$825,000,000.

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A. C. Professor Gives Valuable Points on Codling Moth.

Portland.—"The Codling Moth" was the topic of one of the series of Apple Culture Letures delivered at the Y. M. C. A. by Professor Corblay of the Oregon Agricultural College.

A large audience heard the discourse that was well illustrated with stereon value of property assessed by the country assessed b

"This pest destroys from 5 to 100 sess for the full value of the property.

The following tables gives the total assessed value of the different counties as assessed by the county assessors and the speak sessed with a speak session of the different counties as assessed by the county assessors and the speak session of the speak session of the method whereby the railroad or other service. equalized by the county boards, together with the population, according to the

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1910 census:		
Counties.	Valuation.	Pop.
Baker	19,897,345.00	18,07
Benton	8,960,514.00	10,66
Clackamas	21,080,400.00	29,93
Clatsop	8,650,496.00	16,10
Columbia	13,366,455.00	10,58
Coos	15,461,795.00	17,95
Crook	9,199,008.00	9,31
Curry	3,985,203.00	2,04
Douglas	25,810,740.00	19,67
Gilliam	6,627,415.00	3,70
Grant	5,513,952.00	5,60
Harney	6,992,605.00	4,05
Hood River	8,951,200.00	8,01
Jackson	30,266,649.00	25,75
Josephine	7,825,860.00	9,56
Klamath	12,210,459.00	8,55
Lake	8,065,279.81	4,65
Lane	34,745,540.00	33,78
Lincoln	8,456,221.00	5,58
Linn	25,035,730.00	22,60
Malheur	8,834,880.00	8,60
Marion	34,960,490,00	39,78
Morrow	9,562,845.00	4,35
Multnomah	277,029,995.00	226,26
Polk	13,046,180.00	13,46
Sherman	5,932,000.00	4,24
Tillamook	13,920,278.00	6,26
Umatilla	34,574,590.00	20,30
Union	13,709,145.00	16,33
Wallowa	10,459,415.00	8,36
Wasco	9,202,230.00	16,33
Washington	16,149,060.00	21,59
Wheeler	3,576,005.00	2,48
Yamhill	15,564,424.93	18,28
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S. P. Survey to Coast. Eugene.-Members of the Southern Pacific surveying crew, which has been at work for the past several weeks on preliminary survey between Junction lity and the coast via Elmira and the siuslaw country, are in Eugene, and Dinner.

Barley-Feed, \$23 ton; brewing, \$24 24.50 ton. -Track prices: Timothy, Willam-

hav. \$14.50@15.50; clover, \$13@14.

Veal-Fancy, 85 to 125 pounds, 13@

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Wolves Barely Miss Feast.

At present much of the district fornia, \$3 per crate; celery, Calling, \$3 per crate; sprouts, 7@8e; squash, 1@1½e per lb.; tomatoes, \$1.25 per box; hothouse lettuce, \$1@1.25 per box; pumpkins, 1@1½e per pound.

Potatoes—Oregon, \$1.25@1.35 per 100 pounds; sweet potatoes, \$3.50 per 100 espionage on the German fortifications five agree. Cattle - Prime steers, \$6,75@7.50:

Valuable pieces of that in Bale Solity, Valuable pieces of this city and struck a flow of mineral water, which it is said has considerable soda water similar to Sodation and Solity and Waterloo water. A sample has been sent away to be analyzed.

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# force Arbitration.

Paris.-The text of the government measures formulated for the purpose of

A large audience heard the discourse that was well illustrated with stereopticon views. The life and habits of the pest which infects apple trees in all parts of the world was very carefully portrayed and remedies suggested for its obliteration.

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oner of Labor, who was the principal 64 and engineers and averting a big strike.

23 can secure compensation, either by rais- Walls of Pive-Story Building Crush Washington 16,149,060.00 21,523 (an secure compensation, either by rais Wheeler 3,576,005.00 2,484 (and the rates or by other means. The report accompanying the measures is a remarkable document. It is seen to prove that public good, not found to prove that public good, not for the benefit of those to whom they have been confided, from which it deduces the conclusion that the interruption of the famous water suits involving about 400 defendants in the Milton-Freewater section of the county, which have been in the courts for the past five years, were finally settled and all madist that public service water rights adjudicated. The titles of the suits were the Little Walla Walla Irrigation Union vs. the Finis Ditch Company and the Peaceck Mill Company vs. the City of Milton et al., but as both involved the same matters, they were consolidated for the purpose of taking testimony.

All so of Five-Story Building Crush Firemen and Police.

Philadelphia.—Probably twelve firemen and an amany policemen lost tried and an amany policemen lost tried and an amany policemen lost tried for the public good, not for the benefit of those to whom they have been confided, from which it deduces the conclusion that the interruption of public service is a crime. At the same time it admits that public service were conflated and all favorable for the development of an an amany policemen lost tried and as many policemen lost tried for the public services have been in the relation of the relative same scores were injured in a fire which destroyed D. P. Friedlander's live and scores were injured in a fire which destroyed D. P. Friedlander's live and scores were injured in a fire which destroyed D. P. Friedlander's live and scores were injured in a

aires to grant ameliorations in the in-terest of public good and the preserva-tion of public order."

# SHOOTS FROM AEROPLANE.

## Robber Holds Up Train.

El Paso, Tex.-The Sunset express, the Southern Pacific passenger train to Corn-Whole, \$29; cracked, \$30 ton. New Orleans, was robbed in the heart geese, 15@18e.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, candled, 42½c;
Eastern, Aprils, 30@33c per doz.; Eastern, fresh, 37½e per dozen.

Butter—City creamery, extra, 1 and 2-pound prints, in boxes, 37c per pound; less than boxes, cartons and delivery extra.

## Plague Seizes Sailors.

Veal—Faney, 85 to 125 pounds, 13@

Veal—Faney, 12 pounds, 12 pounds,

# Germany Gets English Spies.

# 300 KILLED IN MINE Secretary of War Declares United States

lower passage had been blocked.

Heroic efforts were made by rescue parties all day, but a fire which followed the explosion prevented the rescuers from penetrating beyond 400 yards into the workings.

At 9:30 o'clock tonight the rescuers were called out of the mine and a conference was held, at which Government Inspector Gerrard, the engineers and nen, of whom 47,000 are organized organized into 15 regiments of field artillery, 30 regiments of infantry, 3 battalions of engineers, and 4 companies of signal troops, and 17,000 are organized into 170 companies of coast artillery.

The total strength of the organized militia is 119,660 officers and men. Deducting the number of men who could not respond to a call, leaves approxiference was held, at which Government Inspector Gerrard, the engineers and

He added that nothing could be done except to bring up 20 bodies found lying near the shaft. This report wa communicated to the anxious crowds around the pit mouth, after which the Bishop of Manchester conducted a touching service in the open air and the color of the c

the people slowly dispersed.

No explanation is given as to the cause of the explosion, which completely wrecked the mine.

The explosion resulted in the temporary disablement of the machinery whereby the eages are lowered and drawn to the surface, and it was a con-siderable time before the first rescue party reached the bottom of the pit.

### SCORE DEAD IN FIRE.

Of those taken to hospitals, half a dozen have fractured skulls and are

# WHITTIER'S POEMS FOUND.

Dinner.

Sinslaw country, are in Eugene, and say that the work of running the line is practically complete. The crew has reached the old Drain-Goos Bay survey at Gardiner, Douglas County, where they will quit work and soon go to San Francisco for further orders.

Build \$10,000 Schoolhouse.

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Toledo.—The Toledo school board has sold \$10,000 worth of bonds for the building of the eight-room schoolhouse for this district. The sale was made to the order of Women of Wooderaft, at a premium of \$381.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Track prices: Bluestem, \$2@ S3e; club, \$0@81e; red Russian, 79e; valley, S1e; 40-fold, \$1@82e.

Bright Signature was the old Signature was the old whit signature before and after a frenzied dash by a score of person. Whole Nest" of Hitherto Unpub-

## HARBIN APPEALS TO JAPS.

# Cholera Victims.

camps of nomads. The German consul at Harbin has ad the close of five years six children of dressed a pressing note to the Taotai the packer will divide the estate, after demanding that radical measures be the widow shall have received \$500,000 in cash. taken to stay the epidemic and stating that otherwise Germany will interfere. The municipality of Harbin has invited Japanese physicians to attend the discased in the barracks, as the Russians

empire Ireland. partly to the increasing reluctance of prosperous persons, especially in cities, to accept the burden of raising large

cattle—Prime steers, \$6.75@7.50; years' imprisonment in a fortress. The good to choice steers, \$6.06.50; fair to good steers, \$5.25@5.75; common steers, \$5.25.25.55; choice to prime cows, \$5.50 and 23. Brandon is a brother-in-law to Sir William Bull, M. (a) 5.75; good to choice beef cows, \$5.50 and 25.75; common steers, \$6.75@7.50; common steers, \$6.75@7.50; fair to good steers, \$5.25@7.50; choice to prime cows, \$5.50 and to choice beef cows, \$5.50 and to choic

### UNPREPARED FOR WAR.

Could Not Repel Invasion. Washington.-The full text of the Washington.—The full text of the confidential report to congress, prepared by the secretary of war, which declares that the United States is unprepared to repel invasion, has been secured by the press. It is the report which the house refused to receive in secret, and which was withdrawn by order of the President when this refusal was made known.

The report declares that the regular army is deficient in number and defective in other enumerated respects. It says that the organized militia also is deficient in number, lacking in equip-ment, too widely scattered, and otherwise below the mark. The coast de-

Bolton, Eng.—More than 300 men lost their lives in an explosion in the Little Hulton colliery of the Hulton Colliery company, located a short distance from this city.

The explosion occurred early this morning, soon after the miners had entered the pit. Its force was terrific, and later investigation showed that the lower passage had been blocked.

Heroic efforts were made by rescue

the mine manager were present. In spector Gerrard issued a report, after making a descent into the pit, in which he said it was impossible that any of the miners are still alive.

He added that actions and descent for coast defense.

### POSTAL BANKS JANUARY 3.

Washington .- Postmaster General Hitcheock says that everything will be in readiness for the Postal Savings Banks to receive deposits on January 3, the first working day of the new year. The task of drawing up regula-tions, forms and instructions has progressed so far as to assure the begin

one experimental office will be opened in each state and territory to make the first test of the service as thorough as possible under the limited appropriation. The offices designated are all of the second class and in lo-

### EMPLOYES SHARE PROFITS. internally injured. The chances of recovery are slight. Steel Corporation Distributes Bonus of \$2,700,000.

New York .- The United States Steel Corporation announced its plan for dis-tributing a bonus to the officers and

# How Cudahy Settled Estate.

Chicago.-Michael Cudahy left an es-Russian Physicians Refuse to Succor tate valued at \$11,000,000, only \$2,000. 000 of which is in real estate. Except Petersburg.-The correspondents for \$25,000 bequeathed to various charat Vladivostok of the Rech telegraphs that the ravages of the bubonic plague in Mongolia are unchecked. Corpses frequently mark the sites of abandoned Mrs. William Cudahy, a sister-in-law, will receive \$6,000 annually for The situation in Manchuria is grave years, and then \$5,000 annually. At the German consul at Harbin has ad the close of five years six children of

Will Fight Home Rule. London.—A crisis in Ulster as a re-sult of the return of the liberal party refuse to expose themselves.

From October 26 to December 11 482

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Teamster Killed by Striker.
Chicago.—John Donnelly, a teamster employed by garment manufacturers whose employes are on strike, was shot and killed while at work. The police cers, Captain Bernhard Frederick families.

Trench, of the Royal Marine Infantry, and Lieutenant Vivian H. Brandon, of the Royal Navy, were found guilty of espionage on the German fortifications at Borkum and sentenced each to four years' imprisonment in a fortress. The British spies were arrested at Borkum in harvested by E. C. Butterfield, of made to discover him among the striking garment workers. After he had been shot, Donnelly drove his horses half a mile before becoming unconscious. He died later at a hospital. The police have no clew to the identity of the slayer, but every effort is being made to discover him among the striking garment workers. After he had been shot, Donnelly drove his horses half a mile before becoming unconscious. He died later at a hospital. The police have no clew to the identity of the slayer, but every effort is being made to discover him among the striking garment workers. After he had been shot, Donnelly drove his horses half a mile before becoming unconscious.