

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.

Eleven persons have been killed by heat in Chicago this season.

Corea has been taxed \$4,000,000 annually to support the Japanese army.

Roosevelt says he is ready and eager to take hold and help solve the nation's problems.

Mrs. Longworth has laid off her wedding ring and suffragettes take it as a sign that she strongly favors their cause.

The entire population of Oyster Bay welcomed Roosevelt to his home town. He has absolutely nothing to say about politics.

Two revivalist preachers near Lexington, Ky., fought a duel with knives in the pulpit during services and one was killed.

Arizona and New Mexico are wild with joy over the passage of the statehood bill, and many enthusiastic celebrations are being held.

Suffragettes are trying to prevent women appearing on any parades or floats in Chicago on July 4, and men may have to take their places.

A quartermaster's sergeant from Fort Stevens, Ore., has been missing for ten days and is believed to have met with foul play in Portland.

New York City was swept by a frightful wind and rain storm just after the welcoming of Roosevelt was over. Several persons were killed by lightning and wreckage and great damage done.

Census figures show a most amazing increase in the use of telephones.

A cloudburst in Hungary destroyed several villages and killed nearly 300 persons.

A Los Angeles attorney is charged with being an extensive operator in stolen horses.

Governor Hadley of Missouri, believes Roosevelt will be ready to announce a Republican platform immediately upon his arrival in New York.

An O. R. & N. freight train hit a boulder on the track near Arlington, Ore., derailing and wrecking almost the entire train, and badly injuring four men.

A crank armed with a loaded revolver called at the White House and insisted on seeing President Taft. He was immediately placed under arrest and is believed to be insane.

Eleven hundred machinists on the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain railroad systems refused the proposition of the company to settle the strike, which has been in progress since May 2.

At Indianapolis the motor of a Wright bi-plane became clogged and stopped while the machine was 800 feet in the air, but the aviator calmly glided to the ground and alighted in an open field.

The Russian senate granted the appeal of the Jewish pharmacists at Moscow, who are subject to expulsion from the city on the ground that they are not practicing actively their profession, and ordered the repeal of the ministerial circular dated July 23, 1909, under the authority of which the provincial authorities recently began to act.

Mark Twain's niece won the first prize in English composition at Cornell university.

Blackmail will be the defense of Senator Lorimer, of Illinois, on trial for bribe-giving.

A 10-year old boy living near Eugene, Or., killed a bear with a 32-caliber Winchester rifle.

A Chicago theater will employ girls instead of men to take tickets, believing they will not become grafters.

The Hearst-Agnew anti-betting law of New York has been declared valid. It will stop betting at Coney Island.

The International Harvester company avers that it deals in 21 different lines of business, and therefore is not a trust.

Thirty Japanese driven from the town of Darrington, Wash., will return to work in the mills there under protection of officers.

A serious forest fire is raging in the timber north and east of Fort Williams, Ontario. One town is completely surrounded.

Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, was served with papers by a Federal court officer for removing the capital of that state to Oklahoma City.

ELEVEN BILLION MESSAGES.

Estimated Number Given in Census Bureau's Report for 1907.

Washington, D. C.—There were more than 11 billion messages, or "talks," over the telephone in the United States in 1907, an increase of 124.3 per cent over the approximately 5 billion similar conversations reported in 1902, according to estimates presented in the Census bureau's report, now on the press, on the census of the physical equipment, service, and financial operations of the commercial, mutual, and independent rural telephone lines for 1907.

Other large increases are conspicuously apparent. In 1907 the total number of systems and lines was 22,971, as compared with 9,136 in 1902, an increase of 151.4 per cent. The miles of wire in 1907 were 12,999,369, an increase of 165.3 per cent over 4,900,451 in 1902. The salaried employees in 1907 numbered 25,298, as compared with 14,142 in 1902, the per cent of increase being 79.1. The salaries in 1907 amounted to \$19,298,432, as against \$9,885,886 in 1902; a gain of 95.2 per cent. The average number of wage earners in 1907 was 118,971,

MEXICANS KILL AND PLUNDER

Robbers Take Advantage of Political Turmoil.

National Elections Approaching and Opposition to Diaz Regime Rapidly Gains Headway.

El Paso, Texas.—With the national elections a week off and the muttering against the administration of President Diaz louder than they have ever been before, and with outlaws terrorizing the state of Vera Cruz, killing men and women, burning buildings and tearing up railroad tracks, Mexico is in a state of turmoil. Already, one American, Norman Lawler, manager of the Monte Pio plantation has been killed by the bandits, who are continuing their ravages upon the state in open defiance of the authorities. Following the murder of the Ameri-



Theodore Roosevelt, Jr. and his bride, nee Miss Eleanor Butler Alexander. Married Monday, June 20, 1910.

as against 6,628 in 1902, an increase of 83.9 per cent. The wages paid in 1907 amounted to \$48,980,704, as compared with \$26,369,735 in 1902; a gain of 85.7 per cent. The capital stock and funded debt outstanding in 1907 was \$814,616,004 while in 1902 it was \$348,031,058, an increase of 134.1 per cent. The income in 1907 was \$184,461,747 as compared with \$86,825,536 in 1902; a gain of 112.5 per cent. The operating expenses and fixed charges, except interest on funded debt, in 1907, amounted to \$128,486,196, as against \$61,652,823 in 1902; an increase of 108.4 per cent. The interest on the funded debt in 1907 amounted to \$12,316,109 as compared with \$3,511,48 in 1902, the per cent of increase being 250.7.

Between 1902 and 1907 there was an addition of 8,098,918 miles of wire for the use of the telephone systems of the country, as compared with an increase of 25,611 in the mileage of owned and leased wire for the use of commercial telegraph systems.

CHICAGO MERCURY MOUNTS.

People Die, Dogs Go Mad, Horses Fall in the Streets.

Chicago.—Seven persons dead, a score prostrated in hospitals, dogs going mad in the streets and horses dropping from exhaustion and a temperature of 90 degrees were the features of the second day of the hot wave which is wailing Chicago.

Starting at 71 degrees in the morning, the mercury climbed rapidly and death and suffering followed. At noon the temperature had reached 88 and at 2 o'clock it touched the 90 mark.

Dogs afflicted by the heat attacked seven persons, who will be treated at the Pasteur institute to guard against rabies. In tenement districts women and children sought in vain for refuge from the stifling heat. In many districts children ran about almost nude. Thousands flocked to the lake and parks.

Loss of Life Frightful. Vienna.—The destruction of life and property by floods throughout Hungary exceeds all records. The number of deaths has not been ascertained, but it is believed they will aggregate 1,000. The damage done to crops and property will amount to several million kronen. The entire harvest is threatened with destruction. In the Kronstadt district 300 bodies have been recovered. In the Moldava district 100 persons perished as the result of the sudden collapse of houses, and in the Temesvar district 180 persons have been drowned.

Weston's Record Beaten. Chicago.—"Honest" John Ennis, who hopes to lower Edward Payson Weston's ocean-to-ocean record from 105 to 100 days, delivered a letter from Mayor Gaynor, of New York, to Mayor Buase, of this city, a day ahead of Weston's schedule.

can, the Twenty-ninth regiment of infantry was ordered out from Vera Cruz, but the outlaws find plenty of hiding places in the rough hills and the soldiers have been unable to even catch up with them.

After the killing of Lawler, the robbers ravaged the plantation and have repeated the performance at several other establishments, although so far as is known Lawler is the only American who has fallen a victim to the bandits' thirst for blood and gold. Several natives have been ruthlessly slain.

While the feeble and ineffectual attempts are being made to protect Vera Cruz from the outlaws, President Diaz and his administrative aides are making one of the strongest fights of their political lives.

Those opposed to Diaz bitterly complain that his administration is persecuting those who held opposite political beliefs, arresting and imprisoning opposing candidates. These charges are increasing the dissatisfaction of the people.

MORSE GOODS TO BE SOLD.

Effort to Raise Money With Which to Get Release From Prison.

New York City.—The entire contents of the Charles W. Morse residence at 172 Fifth avenue are to be sold at auction.

The fittings of the house are Mrs. Morse's personal property, which she is going to sell to obtain money with which to fight for the release of her husband, who is serving a term in the Federal prison at Atlanta.

They include rugs, furniture of every description, silver and hangings. Also there will be included in the sale a considerable amount of jewelry belonging to Mrs. Morse, including pearl necklaces, gold toilet articles, etc. A rough guess at the value of the goods to be sold puts it at \$200,000. Mrs. Morse is at present in Washington, on her way home from Atlanta.

Chinese Fear Sacrifice. Victoria, B. C.—An anti-foreign outbreak is anticipated in Yunnan in Western China, according to advices just received from Shanghai. Following the recent rioting at Chaoting, which was suppressed and the leaders executed, a rumor was started that in order to prevent further accidents on the new railroad being built there, it had been found necessary to sacrifice to the god of railroads a large number of boys and girls. Some reports had it that hundreds would be required to sacrifice, one report being 1,200 were needed.

Burden Placed on Corea. Victoria, B. C.—Four new divisions of the Japanese army are to be raised by General Terauchi, war minister, following his appointment as resident general in Corea. It is estimated that the annual cost of maintenance of this force will be \$6,000,000 to be borne by Corea.

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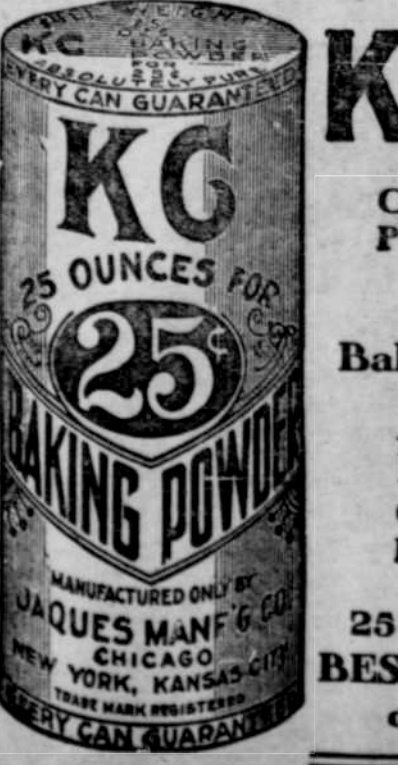
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