

THE WEATHER

Stormy tonight and Tuesday.

The Message of the Flags. White—Fair weather. Blue—Rain or snow. White and blue—Local showers. Black triangular—Above white, warmer; below white, colder. White with black center—Cold.

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REVOLT SWEEPS THROUGHOUT MEXICO

UNCLE SAM WARS ON TYPHOID

Sends Out Vaccine to All Army Physicians With Instructions to Use It Where Wanted Free of Charge—Last Year Over 40,000 Cases of Typhoid Ended Fatally.

Want to be vaccinated against typhoid? Well, if you do, the United States government has made it possible for you to be treated and without ill effect either to your health or to your pocketbook.

Uncle Sam is making a concerted attempt to check typhoid throughout his domain, where some 40,000 deaths occur from this disease annually out of some 500,000 cases. In order to do this the war department has sent all of its retired army physicians a quantity of vaccine with instructions to vaccinate such persons as care for it, free of charge.

Dr. E. H. Porter in this city has received a considerable quantity of the vaccine and has vaccinated a number of persons already.

In 1898 the first vaccinations for typhoid was practiced by Major Wright of the English army with excellent success. When the Boer war commenced there were 19,000 English soldiers vaccinated, and among this number there were 226 cases of typhoid, 1 in 84.4 men, with a mortality of 39 deaths, a mortality of 17 per cent. Among 150,231 unvaccinated soldiers there were 3739 cases, or 1 in 40, while the death rate was 25 per cent.

These statistics alone are sufficient to prove the value of typhoid vaccination. In the American army there have been some 50,000 vaccinations with a marked reduction in the number of cases of typhoid during the past five years.

Typhoid vaccination, unlike that for smallpox, produces no ill effects, no sore arms, no days of illness. About 12 to 14 hours after the vaccination there is a slight headache with elevation of temperature. This is the only ill effects ever produced.

As the vaccine is furnished by the government without cost, there will be no charge made for the vaccination.

WHEELING, W. Va., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Laura Scheuk, charged with having attempted to poison her husband, John O. Scheuk, millionaire packer, appeared in the criminal court here today for arraignment. Her attorneys asked for a continuance until they had arranged on five separate pleas for dismissal of the indictment.

The Medford oratorio society will meet this evening and all singers are requested to be present.

NEW FREIGHT HOUSE IS BIG ONE

Importance of Medford as Shipping Point Is Reflected by Large Freight Depot Southern Pacific Is Erecting Two Blocks South of the Old One.

With the erection of a freight depot in Medford just four times as large as the one used at present, the Southern Pacific shows its faith in Medford and reflects the importance of Medford from a freight business standpoint.

The foundation piers for the new depot have all been placed at the new location two blocks south of Main street, and the framework for the building and platforms is now going up. The new depot will be 295 feet long and 100 feet wide, which is four times as great as the present freight house.

Medford is now the most important shipping point on the line of the Southern Pacific between Portland and Sacramento and will become even a greater center if the fight for lower distributive rates is won by the Medford traffic bureau. Recently a switch engine was found to be necessary in the local yards. The old depot has been sawed in two and will be moved to the new location as soon as the foundation and other preparations are completed. Then Medford will have the facilities to handle the growing and ever-increasing traffic.

HORSE DASHES ASTRIDE AUTO, WRECKING CAR

G. Putnam's auto was badly smashed Sunday evening and its occupants had a narrow escape from serious injury, when a horse, being led behind a wagon, stampeded and dashed into the motor car, jumping astride the hood, on West Main street.

The animal was carried down street a hundred feet before the auto could be stopped on the wet pavement, and was badly bruised.

Several horses were being led behind the wagon, which was on the wrong side of the street, the driver having turned to the left instead of the right. Only the team and wagon were visible to the occupants of the auto. The led animals became frightened at the lights of the auto, which they approached on the wrong side.

Splintered glass cut the face of Mr. Putnam, and Miss Putnam sustained slight bruises.

Answer all help wanted ads that appear to be even "probabilities," and you'll eventually find the right one. And you may find the right one at once.

2000 ARMED REVOLUTIONISTS ARE MARCHING ON CHIHUAHUA

SANTA CRUZ IN HANDS OF REBELS

Armed Mexicans Cross Rio Grande and March in Military Order—200 or 300 Men Killed in First Clash—Rumors of Fighting Are Rife.

MEXICO CITY, Mex., Nov. 21.—Mexican revolutionists, according to a dispatch to the Herald from Puebla, have seized Santa Cruz. No details were given in the dispatch.

LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 21.—Three hundred armed Mexicans crossed the Rio Grande from the American side early today and are marching toward San Carlos, where the revolutionary forces are reported to be mobilizing 5000 strong.

The insurrectionists plan to attack Chihuahua and make that city their capital in an insurrection against the power of President Diaz. It is estimated that during the night and this forenoon 2000 Mexicans had crossed from United States territory into Mexico. They are under regular formation, marshalled by officers and are hastening toward the towns of Aldama, Javal and San Carlos, from which points they will march in three divisions to the neighborhood of Chihuahua City, where they will unite in the attack.

The revolutionists are said to be, many of them, old soldiers and to be marching in military fashion. Many American ranchmen and cowboys are believed to be among their number.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 21.—A thoroughly frightened and chastened army of revolutionists that had gathered in the plaza, singing revolutionary songs and making incendiary speeches, skulked about the secluded places in Zatecas today, according to advices that have reached El Paso. The bodies of those who were killed by the soldiers when they fired on the speechmakers.

22 GRIDIRON HEROES DEAD

Football Claims Heavy Toll Throughout United States—Last Year's Record Will in All Probability Be Surpassed—Many Minor Injuries.

CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—Twenty-two deaths and scores of serious injuries with the Thanksgiving games yet to be played, is the casualty list of revised American football for 1910.

The number of deaths is eight less than the total for last year and the chances are that last year's record will be surpassed, as many of those now in hospitals suffering from injuries may die.

Among the minor injuries are: Broken collar bones 65, broken legs 49, broken noses 37, broken ribs 39, broken ankles 29, broken wrists 17, broken fingers 17, broken shoulders 13.

8708 IS FISH BILL'S MAJORITY IN MULTNOMAH

The official count for Multnomah county gives the bill closing the Rogue river to commercial fishing a majority of 8708 in that county, the vote being 15,942 for and 7234 against. The count in Lake county gives the bill 327 for and 187 against. Official count in 13 counties gives the bill 13,000 majority. All the other counties returned majorities for the measure.

DIAZ DOMAIN ON EVE OF CIVIL WAR

Rumors Current That Capitol Itself Will Be Attacked—Reports of Spasmodic Outbreaks in All Parts of Republic Are Reported.

MEXICO CITY, via Vera Cruz, Nov. 21.—Mexico today is on the eve of a great revolution, and even the censored press dispatches from the interior cities fail to hide the gravity of the situation.

Revolt fanned by promises of American aid made by agitators to arouse the people against the Diaz administration is spreading throughout the republic. Revolutionary bands are gathering in the vicinity of a number of cities and await only the direction of leaders before combining for an attack. Government troops are being mobilized in the cities that are deemed loyal to Diaz, and in the event of a revolution bloody conflicts are expected.

Rumors that the capitol itself would be attacked and that clashes between government forces and the insurgents already had resulted in victories for the revolutionary forces are current here.

Reports of spasmodic outbreaks in all parts of Mexico are reaching government headquarters, each dispatch telling of bands of insurgents numbering from 1000 to 3000.

Detailed accounts of battles at Guerrero, Santa Cruz, Zatecas, Puebla and other outlying towns were received and orders for the Mexican army to take the field are momentarily expected. It is believed that the outbreaks are part of a well-planned movement to work the anti-Diaz faction up to a pitch of frenzy before the revolution is openly declared.

BROOKINS MAY NEVER FLY AGAIN

Companion of Aviator Johnstone Loses His Nerve Completely Following Tragedy on Denver Field—Leaves to Rejoin Fellow Birdmen.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 21.—Walter Brookins, considered by many the most promising pupil of the Wright brothers, probably never will fly again, as the result of the death of his team mate and friend, Ralph Johnstone, who was killed in a fall Thursday in Denver.

Brookins left here this afternoon for Denver, where he will rejoin the Wright "stable." Before boarding the train he remarked to a group of friends who had gathered to bid him farewell:

EMERSON E. GORE PASSES LAST DIVIDE

Emerson E. Gore, who came to Jackson county in the early '50s, passed away at his home near this city at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. He had been in poor health for some time. He was over 80 years of age.

REGULARS OUT PATROL BORDER

Revolutionists Crossing Line to Start Trouble in Mexico Will Be Checked by United States Troops—Knox Calls on War Department.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 21.—The fifth battalion of United States troops, under orders to go to San Blas, was ordered to remain in El Paso today, owing to rumors of a student demonstration against Americans in progress at Tepic. The troops will be used to prevent any hostile movements the students may attempt.

It was reported today that 800 rifles had been smuggled across the border at this point and their distribution began today.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 21.—Secretary of State Knox will ask the war department to order troops to preserve the neutrality treaty with Mexico, it was announced today. The state department, constantly supplied with reports of the gathering of armed Mexicans on United States soil, from whence they are crossing into Mexico, is alarmed. Advices were received today from Ambassador Wilson confirming the reports of outbreaks at Juarez and Puebla. The advices stated that apparently the Mexican government was in control of both towns.

It is believed here that the liberal newspaper El Pais of Mexico City will be repressed as the result of stories printed which are considered incendiary in tone.

Consul Ellsworth at Ciudad Porfirio Diaz telegraphed the department that the spirit of unrest along the border was general and not very greatly exaggerated by the press reports. On receipt of this telegram, General Wood, chief of staff, ordered General Hoyt, commanding the Texas department of the army, to hold his troops in readiness for duty along the boundary line.

ENTIRE FAMILY IS MURDERED

Four Bodies Found in Charred Remains of Home—Wife and Mother Is Shot While Trying to Telephone for Help.

BARNARD, Mo., Nov. 21.—Four bodies found in the charred ruins of the Hubbel home near here were today identified as those of Ora Hubbel, 49; his wife and two children, Jessie 6, and Welton 4. All had been shot and the building burned to conceal the crime.

It is believed that Hubbel was called out of the house and shot down, as a pool of blood was found outside the building. His body was then dragged into the kitchen. Mrs. Hubbel was shot while trying to telephone for help.

Bloodhounds are on the trail of the murderers. No motive, save robbery, is ascribed for the crime.

KANSAS POPULATION MAKES 15 PER CENT GAIN

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 21.—The population of the state of Kansas was announced by the census bureau today as 1,690,949. This is an increase of 229,454, or 15 per cent over the census of 1900. The new figures entitle the state to one additional congressman.

NO REQUIEM MASS FOR TOLSTOI

Noted Writer Died Excommunicated and Church Will Not Act After Death—Troops Will Attend the Civil Obsequies, Which Will Be Elaborate—Thousands View Body

YSNAYA, Poliana, Russia, Nov. 21.—With pomp and ceremony the body of Count Leo Tolstoy, who died early Sunday morning, was brought home today for burial tomorrow at the foot of Poverty Oak, where his peasants have congregated awaiting the last services.

No church ceremony will be performed. The high officials of the Greek church in Russia prepared to administer absolution before his death, but it is said that the count was induced by anti-church advisers to reject the proffer, and died excommunicated.

In view of this, troops will attend the civil obsequies. The military will cordon the costly casket in which the remains of the illustrious dead will be viewed by thousands, ostensibly as a mark of respect to the deceased, but in reality to preserve order should the peasantry become indignant over the failure of the church to rescind the edict of excommunication after death. It is not likely that the church will do this, as Abbot Varsofonius waited until Tolstoy's death in the hope that before the end the count would seek reconciliation with the church. The church then decided, it is believed, not to act after death.

Before the body was removed to Poverty Oak the Countess Tolstoy sat beside it, kissing repeatedly the brow of the great Russian and weeping. "The light of the world has gone out," she swooned when informed that no requiem mass would be sung. Messages of consolation from all parts of the world poured in today. Hundreds came from nobles and officials of Russia, and thousands from peasants in all parts of the czar's broad domains.

The eyes of Tolstoy had hardly closed before a wrangle over the ownership of rights to his literary works began. Already there is talk of legal complications between Mitchell, Tolstoy's representative in Great Britain, and the family regarding possession of the writer's manuscripts, including an unpublished novel. Tchertkoff, an ardent disciplinary of Tolstoy, holds the manuscripts, which the count bound him on oath to give to the world.

In 1895 Tolstoy renounced all property rights in the copyrights, his lands and money. He wished the books given to the peoples of all lands without profit to himself. His family objected, declaring that the plan was only pauperizing the count.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR ANDREWS

Local Man Rises Early to Take Medicine and Gets Carbolic Acid by Mistake—Realizes Mistake in Time to Keep From Swallowing It, But His Mouth Badly Burned—Results Not Serious.

George Andrews narrowly escaped great torture, if not death itself, at an early hour Monday, when thinking he had a cough medicine, took a swallow of carbolic acid by mistake. Realizing instantly his error, Mr. Andrews spat the acid out, without swallowing and, escaped with a badly burned mouth.

Mr. Andrews rose in the early dawn to take some cough medicine. Thinking that he knew where the medicine was, he took a bottle and placing it to his lips, took a mouthful. He realized instantly that he had taken carbolic acid and saved himself from swallowing it.

LAST HOPE OF CRIPPEN GONE

Secretary Churchill Refuses to Intervene and Wife Slayer Must Die Wednesday—Breaks Down and Hysterically Sobs—Protests He Is Innocent.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—Dr. Hawley H. Crippen will be hanged on November 23, for the murder of his actress wife, Belle Elmore Crippen. Winston Churchill, secretary for home affairs, announced today that there would be no further intervention on his part. The last hope of Crippen for a reprieve or commutation of the death sentence vanished when Churchill refused to intervene.

When Crippen was informed of Churchill's decision, he broke down and wept bitterly.

"My wife was all that prevented my acquittal," he said. "If I could have secured proper medical testimony I could have shown that body found in my home was not that of my wife."

After a period of hysterical crying, Crippen raised his head from his arms, on which he had pulled himself.

"I am ready for the end," he said. "I shall die firmly convinced that eventually proofs of my innocence will come to light," after this he again gave way to protracted sobbing.

Crippen, in a lengthy statement given to the press Sunday, said:

"Until the court of appeals refused to grant me a new trial, I had hopes of getting clear and building up a new home with Ethel Leneve, without whom life is not worth living."

BENTONVILLE PRISON, LONDON, Nov. 21.—Overcome with emotion, Dr. Hawley H. Crippen collapsed when Ethel Claire Leneve, his former typist, visited him in his cell in the condemned row here today. The meeting of the pair, who have been separated since Crippen was sentenced to hang for the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore Crippen, was most dramatic. Both wept for several minutes. They talked for half an hour, and then wept some more. Finally they were separated, and sobbing hysterically, Miss Leneve was assisted from the cell. Crippen remained, choking with sobs, for half an hour after his former companion had gone. The pair will be allowed to see each other again tomorrow for the last time before Crippen is hanged at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Answer some of the people who advertise for work—and you'll find the worker who ought, perhaps, to have been working for you for years past.

CHARTER REVISION IS FAVORED

Appointment of Commission to Work Over Charter of City Embodying Amendments Is Approved by Business Men—Water Commission Will Be Provided for in the New Document.

The naming of a commission to work over the cumbersome city charter and make it more of a working document has met with instantaneous favor on the part of business men in the city, especially those who have been more or less in touch with city affairs. In its present shape many of its original provisions have been superseded and one must wade through a huge volume of amendments in order to determine the status of the law now. The plan is to bring it up to date, embodying the various amendments in the original document and eliminate the superseded provisions.

The city attorney, Porter J. Neff, is already at work on the document, and the commission named by the mayor at a recent meeting plan to soon begin their work. It is unlikely that the work will be completed in time to submit the revamped charter to the people until late in January. One of the matters to be embodied in the revamped charter will be the provision for a water commission to handle Medford's water system, as recommended by Mayor Cannon some weeks ago, a recommendation which met with instantaneous favor.