

## WAR AGAINST CATTLEMEN

Commenced by the Federal Authorities in Oklahoma

## NEWCOMERS PERSECUTED

Warrants Issued for Arrest of Eight Prominent Ranchers

DEFENDANTS CHARGED WITH DRIVING AWAY AND KILLING STOCK OF THE SETTLERS AND SHOOTING THE OWNERS—CHICAGO'S MURDER MYSTERY.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Aug. 11.—Warrants were issued today by the United States Attorney for the arrest of eight prominent cattlemen of Western Oklahoma, who are charged with conspiracy in attempting to defeat the rights of the homesteaders, in a war waged against the farmers by the cattlemen for possession of the extensive Government pasture ranges. The cattlemen are charged with driving away and killing the stock, waylaying and shooting their owners, burning their houses and destroying the crops on the lands.

**A Fake Story.**  
Chicago, Ill., Aug. 11.—Police Inspector Hunt, who has the Bartholin case in charge, tonight made the statement that a fraternal organization is shielding William Bartholin and is baffling the efforts of the police to find him. The inspector has refused to give the name of the organization and would not describe the methods it was using to protect Bartholin. He clung to the statement, but would not make any other charges than of a most general character.

**Burning a Town.**  
Peoria, Ill., Aug. 11.—It is believed that an attempt was made to burn the business section of this city today. Neumiller's livery barn, Clarke's roller mills and O'Leary's undertaking establishment were destroyed, and the store room of the Blatz Brewing Company and a residence were fired. The loss is estimated at \$250,000. The police have arrested Edward Flannagan, 29 years of age, on a charge of arson. They say they have direct evidence against him.

**A Stage Wrecked.**  
Denver, Colo., Aug. 11.—A special to the Republican, from Georgetown, Col., says the Grand Lake stage was wrecked near Coulter, and five persons were hurt, one fatally. The injured are: Louis Laffy, will die.  
Mrs. J. Throckmorton, of Georgetown.  
Miss Allie Tab, St. Louis.  
Mrs. L. Bradley, Kansas City.  
One unknown man.  
The horses became frightened and the stage was overturned, and badly wrecked.

**Defalcation Made Good.**  
Denver, Colo., Aug. 11.—D. H. Moffatt, president of the State Bank of Aspen, which is alleged to have lost \$44,000

through the defalcation of Leonard W. Dingle, the teller, said today that the necessary funds had been forwarded from here to prevent any inconvenience to the bank.

**TOOLS OF TRUST.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The Central Federate Union of this city has gone on record against the judges who have issued injunctions against the striking miners. At a meeting just held a long preamble and set of resolutions was unanimously passed. The first paragraph of the preamble denounces the judges mentioned and calls them "willing and subservient tools of the coal trust." After still further scoring the judges the resolutions "urge the miners to insist upon, and if needs be, defend their right to feed starving brothers in defiance of the mandate of the Federal Court, and that we pledge them our hearty support to the furthering of that end." Copies of the resolutions will be sent to all labor bodies for indorsement at their Labor Day demonstration.

**KILLED BY GERMANS**  
NATIVES ON ONE ISLAND WIPED OUT BY A PUNITIVE EXPEDITION.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 11.—The work of wiping out the natives of the South Sea Islands goes merrily on, if the reports in Australian newspapers are to be relied upon. The papers give an account of the expedition by Germans to the New Hebrides, to avenge the murder of Mrs. Wolf. The expedition completely wiped out a village. One hundred and thirty persons were killed.

**MILLIONS OF DEAD SHEEP**  
THE RESULT OF A DROUGHT IN AUSTRALIA—MANY MEN HAVE BEEN RUINED.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 11.—Advice from Australia tell of a terrible drought South Wales and Queensland, which has devastated the sheep ranches. Millions of sheep have died, and men formerly considered wealthy have been compelled to seek employment. Samuel McCaughey, a sheep king of Australia, lost over a million sheep of his herd of one million and a quarter, and other large herders have been equally unfortunate.

**WAS BURNED TO DEATH**  
AWFUL FATE OF AN EMPLOYEE OF A SAW MILL AT SEATTLE YESTERDAY.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 11.—J. M. Kidney, an employee of the Stetson-Post mill, was burned to death in a roaring furnace used to consume the waste lumber this afternoon. While in an epileptic fit he grabbed a wire conveyor cable, and was dragged more than 400 feet to the furnace.

**CLARK'S NEW RAILROAD**  
WILL BE INCORPORATED IN UTAH—THIS IS ANNOUNCED BY CHIEF ENGINEER.

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 11.—Chief Engineer Kinney, of the Great Central Railroad, (the proposed Salt Lake-Coos Bay line) has arranged for the incorporation of the local company in Salt Lake City, to handle the end of the enterprise. The law firm of Pierce, Critchlow & Barrette, has been given charge of the matter. Pierce is now in Portland. He is Senator W. A. Clark's legal representative in Utah.

## EARTHQUAKE IN ALASKA

City of Skagway Was Pretty Badly Shaken Up

## PLATE WINDOWS BREAK

Water in Lynn Canal Rose in a Tidal Wave

CAPE HAYTIEN HAS BEEN BLOCKADED BY THE FIRMINESE FORCES—A COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT GUNBOAT HAS DISAPPEARED

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 11.—A special to the Times, from Skagway, Alaska, says:

Yesterday a severe earthquake was felt here. The shock was fifty seconds long, rattling things up generally. Several large plate glass windows were broken, chimneys tumbled down, the water in Lynn Canal rose five feet very suddenly, then subsided as quickly. A report from Juneau says that the little fleet there was pitched around and several capsized.

**A Blockade Announced.**  
Port au Prince, Aug. 11.—The gunboat Crete-A-Pierre, which is in Firminite service, gave notice yesterday of the blockade of Cape Haytien. The Foreign Consuls and Commander McCrea, of the United States gunboat Machias, protested against this action. The bad feeling against foreigners has increased.

**A Gunboat Missing.**  
Colon, Colombia, Aug. 11.—Nothing has been heard of the Government gunboat Boyaca, which has been missing since July 29th, when she left Panama with 300 men on board, to reinforce General Berthel at Agus Dulce.

**Chinese Tariffs.**  
Peking, China, Aug. 11.—The delay in enforcing the new tariff schedule arranged at Shanghai arises from the action of the Government in submitting the whole question to the Yangtze Viceroy, which will involve a delay of months.

**GRAIN POOL WILL MEET**  
FARMERS AT ROCK POINT WILL COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS FOR SELLING CROPS.

The farmers of the Whiteaker neighborhood will meet at the Rocky Point school house on next Saturday evening, August 16th, at 8 o'clock, when the final steps in forming a grain pool will be taken.  
Sealed bids for the sale of grain will be received up to 3 p. m., on Monday, August 18th, when they will be opened by the Sales Committee. Those bidders who cannot attend the meeting may send their proposals by mail to W. H. Downing, Shaw, Oregon, properly endorsed, showing that the contents of the letter are for the committee which consists of W. H. Downing, T. D. Patton, J. T. Hunt, Martin Smith and A. Burns.

**LIBEL IS CHARGED**  
A WARRANT SWORN OUT BY SPRECKLES OF THE "CALL" FOR THE GOVERNOR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—John D. Spreckles, proprietor of the Morning Call, has sworn to a warrant charging Governor Gage with libel. The alleged libel is contained in a statement, published Friday, in which the Governor said that the charges against him, recently published in the Call, were made for the express purpose of attempting to defeat his re-nomination.

**PYTHIAN KNIGHTS MEET**  
SUPREME LODGE IN ANNUAL SESSION IN SAN FRANCISCO—MANY VISITORS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—San Francisco was turned over to the Knights of Pythias today, and gold lace and uniforms have taken possession of the city. Fully 4,000 visitors arrived yesterday, and today 11,000 Knights of the Uniform Rank reached the Golden Gate. Tomorrow the Supreme Lodge will begin its session.

**BASEBALL GAMES.**  
American League.  
St. Louis, Aug. 11.—St. Louis, 5; Washington, 1.  
Chicago, Aug. 11.—Chicago, 5; Boston, 4.  
Detroit, Aug. 11.—Detroit, 6; Philadelphia, 1.  
Cleveland, Aug. 11.—Cleveland, 17; Baltimore, 11.

National League.  
Philadelphia, Aug. 11.—Philadelphia, 0; Pittsburgh, 3.  
Brooklyn, Aug. 11.—Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 6.  
New York, Aug. 11.—New York, 3; Chicago, 2 (tie).

**BLIND HORSE WON.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—At Brighton Beach today the blind horse Rhythmic, who has won his races down the line, won the Bonner memorial purse in three straight heats, 2:05 1/2, 2:05 1/2, 2:12.

## THE STRIKERS ARE FORAGING

Farmers Near Shenandoah Entering Complaints

## MINERS RAID THE FARMS

For Provisions for Their Families—Women and Children

APPLY TO THE TROOPS FOR RELIEF AND ARE FED—OFFICERS OF THE MINERWORKERS DENY THAT ACTUAL WANT EXISTS AMONG THE MEN.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Aug. 11.—A complaint was made to brigade headquarters today, that the strikers are foraging in the agricultural district north of here, and the raids have reached such serious proportions that the farmers are preparing to take concerted action to stop further depredations.

The soldiers in camp are daily feeding several hundred women and children. They come there saying that they are hungry, and the officers permit the soldiers to give them something, especially the needy.  
Officers of the Mineworkers' Union deny that there is any actual want. They maintain that the local unions are well able to take care of all the cases of distress.

**The Merger Suit.**  
New York, Aug. 11.—At the hearing today, in the suit of Peter Power against the directors of the Northern Pacific Railroad, to prevent them from turning over the stock of that company to the Northern Securities company, George A. Lamb, counsel for Power, admitted that his client was living in Montreal under the name of "P. Blake." Lamb told of the finding of Power at West Hurley, in a highly nervous condition, and desirous of going to Montreal to which he (Lamb) objected. Power, he said, promised to come to the city should Judge LaCombe decide that he was in contempt. The examination was adjourned until tomorrow.

**Trouble in France.**  
Brest, Aug. 11.—The Prefect today called a meeting of the inhabitants of the towns of St. Moon, LeFolgot and Ploudaniel, who have been resisting the closing of the unauthorized Congregationalist schools by the authorities, in order to explain to them and to induce them to renounce their desperate resistance. The Prefect's speech was constantly interrupted by "We will resist to death." "There will be bloodshed." "We will allow ourselves to be massacred before we abandon the Sisters."

**AN EXCITING RUNAWAY**  
ONE OF THE PRISON TEAMS BREAKS AWAY FOR A LIVELY LITTLE SPIN.

Quite an exciting, yet comparatively harmless runaway occurred on the main road east of the Penitentiary yesterday afternoon. As one of the trustees was driving along the road from the field to the Penitentiary with a load of oats in the shaft, the team, which frightened at an object along the road became unmanageable and started to run. Had the driver had a favorable opportunity he would no doubt have soon recovered control of the horses, but the jarring and swaying of the wagon soon caused the load of oats which had not been bound with a boom pole, to slide off and took the driver with it.  
The excited horses thus freed went madly dashing down the road with the hay rack rattling along behind them until they reached the second bridge beyond the Penitentiary, where they left the road and, in trying to scale the high embankment, broke loose from the wagon and then turned down the creek and proceeded some little distance until they encountered an unsurmountable obstruction and were found standing there a few minutes afterwards. The driver was unhurt as were the horses, but the wagon and harness were somewhat damaged.

**NEW GRAIN COMES IN**  
FIRST LOAD OF WHEAT REACHED THE FLOURING MILLS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

New grain has begun to come into the city, the first load of wheat having been brought in and delivered to the Salem Flouring Mill, by Wm. Rickman, consisting of seventy bushels of fall wheat. He was closely followed by Mr. M. R. Moore, who resides about seven miles south of this city, with a load of seventy-seven bushels. Later in the day Mr. Moore delivered two more loads to the mill, aggregating 150 bushels. The grain is all in excellent condition and of fine quality. Each of the above growers are well pleased with the yield, stating that their land would produce from twenty to thirty-five bushels to the acre.  
A still greater amount has been received at the Balfour-Guthrie & Co.'s warehouse at Brooks, several loads having been delivered, aggregating a

total of 400 bushels, while 675 bushels of oats have been received and stored at that place. Threshing has been in progress for several days and the grain is expected in in great quantities from now on.

According to reports brought in by the farmers, the yield will be greater than was estimated earlier in the season.

## DESPAIR TO HAPPINESS

ANOTHER SALEM LADY ENDORSES DR. DARRIN'S NEW MODE OF TREATMENT.

To the Editor: I wish to tell you of the kindness you did me in publishing the testimonials to Dr. Darrin's skill, as I would never have known of him had I not read your paper. For twelve years I have been sorely afflicted with various ulcers of both limbs. My limbs had turned to a dark brown color and I was in great pain night and day, rendering sleep almost impossible. I had tried four doctors and many patent medicines, all to no avail, until going under Dr. Darrin's electrical and medical treatment two months ago, when I was immediately relieved. Now I am a happy woman, with my suffering a thing of the past.  
I candidly recommend all my friends to try Dr. Darrin, at the Willamette Hotel, Salem. I am German by birth, and 72 years old. I reside in South Salem, near the cemetery, and can be seen any time.

CARLEIN PFENNIG.

**FOR WRIT OF REVIEW**  
THOMAS GIBSON, ACCUSED OF WIFE-BEATING ALLEGES ERRORS IN JUSTICE COURT.

Thomas Gibson, by his attorneys, T. M. Fleming and John A. Jeffrey, upon petition to the second department of the State Circuit Court, was yesterday granted a writ of review of the case of the State of Oregon, plaintiff, vs. Thos. Gibson, defendant, which was heard in Justice of the Peace E. D. Horgan's court on July 30, 1902, and in which the defendant was held to answer to the State Circuit Court in the sum of \$500, upon the charge of threatening the life of Mary Gibson.  
The defendant in his petition for a writ of review contended that the Justice of the Peace erred in many instances during the entire proceedings as follows: In arraigning the petitioner, for examination upon the said pretended criminal information for the reason that the information does not state facts sufficient to constitute the offense to be charged, or any offense against the laws of Oregon; in requiring the petitioner to plead to the information and to defend himself against the same; in compelling the petitioner to introduce evidence in explanation of said charges, and in allowing the state to introduce testimony in the justice court tending to accuse the petitioner of said offense; in issuing a warrant for the arrest of the petitioner upon the deposition of the private prosecutor, Mary Gibson, for the reason that the deposition is not in the form prescribed by statute; in allowing and permitting the State to introduce at the examination certain testimony of acts and threats of the petitioner purporting to have been committed or made more than one year prior to the date of the acts charged in the information; in neglecting to have the testimony taken reduced to writing, read before the witness and to secure the witnesses' signatures to the same, and in holding the petitioner to the State Circuit Court on the said pretended charge, for the reason that the justice of the peace had no jurisdiction.

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## NEW SUPREME COURT JUDGE

Was Appointed by President Roosevelt Yesterday

## OLIVER W. HOLMES NAMED

Present Chief Justice of Massachusetts Succeeds Justice Gray

THE LATTER, ONE OF THE OLDEST MEMBERS OF THE COURT, HAS RESIGNED ON ACCOUNT OF ILLNESS—HIS LONG TERM OF SERVICE ENDED.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 11.—The President today appointed Oliver Wendell Holmes, now Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, in place of Justice Gray, who has just resigned.

The resignation of Justice Gray was due to his ill health. Several months ago he suffered a stroke of apoplexy, which some time later was followed by another. His advanced age, 74 years, told against his recovery with a serious force. Realizing that he would probably never be able to again assume his place which he has so long filled with distinguished ability and honor, he decided a short time ago to tender his resignation to the President. With the exception of Justice Harlan he had served on the bench of the United States Supreme Court longer than any of his present colleagues.  
Judge Holmes, Justice Gray's successor, is one of the most distinguished lawyers and jurists of Massachusetts. His career on the bench, particularly as Chief Justice of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, has attracted wide attention. He is the son of the late Dr. Holmes, the poet.

**General Smith Home.**

Portsmouth, Ohio, Aug. 11.—General Jacob H. Smith was given a royal reception at his home tonight, fully 5000 people being at the station to meet him, the crowd including several companies of the Ohio National Guard, which escorted the General to his residence. General Smith refused to discuss the order relieving him. When the time comes to make a statement, he said, it would be made, and not until then.

**DROWNED AT SEATTLE.**

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 9.—While taking a pleasure sail around the Sound, Charles E. Burrows, Jr., of Walla Walla, was accidentally drowned. The body was recovered and will be sent to Walla Walla.

**A CHINESE PRINCE.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Prince Chen, of China, arrived here today. The Prince was accompanied by Sir Lyang Chen Tung, who is to succeed Wu Ting Fang as Minister to this country.

**CORWOOD IS BURNED.**

Melring & Finney, the owners and operators of the flouring mill at Gervais, suffered the loss of 150 cords of wood on Saturday night last, by burning. The wood was corded up in the timber about one and one-half miles from Gervais, where it had been cut, and is supposed to have caught fire from some slashing which was burned in the near neighborhood.

### It Would Be Interesting

to know how much you have paid out in the past ten years for goods your neighbors bought at CREDIT STORES and failed to pay for. You would change your trading place quick if you knew the extra profits merchants charge to make up for BAD ACCOUNTS.

The only way to avoid paying your neighbors' debts is by dealing with a spot cash store.

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### Ribbons Laces

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SALEM'S GREATEST STORE

### Great Bargains

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### Wednesday's Surprise Sale

Next Wednesday we will offer a line of ladies' drop stitch and lace stripe Black hose worth 55c a pair for

## 18c a pair

### Wash Goods

....AT HALF PRICE....

Our entire line of figured wash goods without reserve will be sold at half price this week.

### Shirt Waists 1-3

### All Reduced 1-3

### LADIES' WASH DRESS SKIRTS

in ducks, peques, creases, coverits, etc.

### Reduced from 25 to 50 Per Cent