

age 46 Mass. turned would be carefully opened by the president, while a package addressed to himself might be carelessly opened by an attendant. Of course this is only theory. The report of the attempted assassination is the talk of Paris and has caused considerable indignation. Some people think this alleged attempt upon the president's life has some connection with the recent defeat of the French government in the chambers of deputies, with the Baudouin agitation, with Alphonse Léonard's proposed regulations, debts and other similar matters, but it would not be surprising if the whole matter turned out to be the work of a dangerous lunatic.

LIGHTNING STRIKES A CHURCH

GREENVILLE, Pa., July 27.—Yesterday morning while the Rev. J. C. Seeger was delivering a sermon in the United Presbyterian church, a sudden storm arose and the high steeple was struck and shattered by a bolt of lightning. There were over 300 people in the church at the time, and a panic followed which was only quelled by the pastor and cool headed men surrounding the door to rush made for the door. Many women screamed and fainted when a blinding flash was followed by the breaking of the steeple; but outside of several slight shocks no one was injured. The congregation then joined in prayer and thanksgiving for the marvelous escape, and were dismissed with a tremendous benediction.

EARTHQUAKE IN EVANSTON

EVANSTON, Ind., July 27.—An earthquake shock was felt here last night, beginning at 8:28 and lasting several seconds. The motion was apparently from north to south. Windows rattled and buildings swayed perceptibly. Many people fled in fright into the streets. Every open store in the business center was quickly vacated, and the congregations at all the churches rushed into the street without waiting for the benediction. There were serious panics at several churches, and at the First Baptist a number of children fell down the steps and were hurt, none fatally.

Dispatches from Mount Vernon, Newburg and other southern Indiana and northern Kentucky points, state they experienced stronger earthquake shocks than those felt here.

MARINE ACCIDENT

NEW HAVEN, July 27.—The Captain of the steamer "Typhoon" having on board Judge Hugh Daily, his little niece, Capt. George Austin, Clarence Beebe and Rufus Shephard of this city, capsized on Long Island Sound last night. Captain Austin and the niece were rescued by a steamer. It is thought the others are lost. The last seen of Judge Daily, Beebe and Shephard, they were clinging to the wreck, waves threatening to carry them under any moment. Judge Daily is one of the leading republican politicians of Connecticut. Shephard is a well known banker of New Haven and Beebe belonged to one of this city's best families.

GOV. GILLINGHAM DEAD

WATERBURY, Vt., July 27.—Ex-Governor Paul Dillingham died this morning. He was nearly 92 years old, a member of congress in 1844, and governor of Vermont in 1865 and 1867.

INDICTED

NEW YORK, July 27.—Charles O'Connor Hennessy pleaded this morning to the indictment charging him with misdemeanor by the publication in the Evening News of the details of the execution of Slocum and Smiley and others recently put to death by electricity at Sing Sing. Counsel handed up a demurser claiming that the statute under which the indictment was found was unconstitutional, inasmuch as it restrained the liberty of the press guaranteed to it by the constitution.

RUN ON BANK

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—A run has begun on the People's Home Savings bank this morning and several thousand dollars was paid back to depositors. The bank commissioners have begun an investigation of the bank. According to its report on July 1st the People's bank has a capital stock of \$1,000,000 of which one third is paid up. There is due depositors who number about 3000, the sum of \$100,000. Banks officers state the institution perfectly solvent. Two of the San Francisco's morning papers have directed attention at the bank for the past two days contending that the state bank examiners had not made proper examination of the bank affairs.

The State Fair.

September 14th the Oregon state fair opens at Salem, and great preparations have been made to make it superior in every respect to any previous fair held by the association under the present management. The agricultural classes especially, look forward with pleasure and anxiety to each annual exhibit, and they will be more than pleased to learn that extraordinary preparations have been made for the fair of '91. This fair affords a pleasant week of recreation to the farmer, horticulturist and stock raiser, gives them new ideas, and an opportunity to revive old acquaintances and form new ones. The managers have endeavored to make the attractions for the present year greater than ever, and the attendance from every portion of the state will be greater than ever before.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Upsetting of a Catamaran and Loss of Life.

A DISGUSTING EXECUTION.

Law Found Unconstitutional, Big Fire at Vancouver, A Plan of Robbery, A Heavy Rifled Gun, Deputy Sheriff Poor Killed, Foreign and State News, Etc.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

DAYTON, OHIO, July 27.—A wreck occurred on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad at Middleton station, near here Saturday night. At least five, and perhaps seven were killed, while the number of wounded is estimated at twenty. The employees of the National Cash Register company were given a picnic at Wooddale park by the company. They were returning in a special of fourteen cars, and the train was run onto the side track at Middleton, when a freight train crashed into the next to rear car. This car was full of people, and with two others also similarly loaded was totally wrecked. Some passengers who were on the train reached her at midnight on the "Big 4" express, but give only meager details of the disaster. A boy named Patterson was cut into three pieces. A woman named Fryer was killed, and a little girl, name unknown, died shortly after being taken from the debris. Nearly all the people in the two cars were injured, some being frightfully mangled.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL

ST. LOUIS, July 27.—The law which prohibits the selling of pools at horse races and baseball was this morning declared unconstitutional by Judge Clauborn of the court of criminal correction. The state will appeal.

FIRE AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 25.—Fire broke out at 7 p.m. last night in W. A. Mill's sash and door factory, spreading among a large amount of dry lumber with inconceivable rapidity the building being enveloped in flames within a few minutes. Owing to the fact that the city owns no horses to take the steamer to the conflagration, precious minutes were lost, and when finally the engine was in position, the hose burst and other minutes were lost. The fire spread to adjoining buildings on the block between B and C, 4th street. Only a small brick cottage on the corner of the block was saved. Losses: A. W. Mills, sash and door factory, stock and machinery, \$6,000; Abrahams and Knox's building \$2,000; insurance; Anton Young, building used as a boarding house, \$1,500; and a small cottage, \$500. The horse kept in the sash and door factory was burned.

WEATHER REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Forecast for Oregon and Washington: Fair weather.

MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Wheat; buyer \$160, \$161.

CHICAGO, July 27.—At close wheat was steady, cash, \$16, Sept. 28.

FOREIGN.

THE ST. MAURICE ACCIDENT.

PARIS, July 27.—Le Paris states that an investigation into the St. Maure accident discloses the fact that the disaster was caused by an unknown miscreant who deliberately altered the signals so as to bring the trains into collision. He will be lynched if caught.

DISGUSTING EXECUTION.

PARIS, July 27.—The execution of young Berland and Dore, the two accomplices of Mere Berland in the Courbevoie murder, took place this morning in the Place de la Requette. Berland walked calmly to the guillotine, but a desperate struggle took place on the scaffold. Dore made no resistance. No sooner had the heads of the murderers rolled into the basket than the crowd surged forward and with a mighty rush broke through the cordon of soldiers and policemen and began a disgusting scramble for an opportunity to carry them under any moment. Judge Daily is one of the leading republican politicians of Connecticut. Shephard is a well known banker of New Haven and Beebe belonged to one of this city's best families.

PLAN OF ROBBERY.

DES MOINES, July 27.—A well-laid plan to kill the cashier of the American Savings bank and rob the vault of \$50,000 was discovered here Saturday. The robbery was arranged to take place Monday morning at 8:30, the hour at which the vault is regularly opened by the cashier. The scheme was for one man to engage the cashier in conversation, another to enter by the side door, slip up behind the cashier, and snab or stab if necessary, while a third fellow would take rolls of money from the vault. Two of the men, James Dimmitt, a colored tough, and Sam Cooper, real estate swindler, were from Des Moines, and the third was a professional tough from Kansas City. Cooper and Dimmitt are under arrest. A local newspaper man got wind of the scheme by pretending to be a tough from Missouri.

RIFLED CANNON.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The first heavy ordnance twelve inch rifled gun, designed for coast defense, and made in this state, was fired at Sandy Hook for the first time Saturday with a satisfactory result. With 250 pounds of powder, it exploded a 2000-pound shot five miles. The gun will use 440 pounds of powder and throw a 2000-pound shot twelve miles.

THE OMAHA BRIDGE.

OMAHA, July 27.—Justice Brewer, of the United States supreme court, this morning announced his decision in the famous Union Pacific-Rock Island bridge case. The decision is against the Union Pacific, and holds that the contract with the Rock Island and Milwaukee roads is valid.

Don't Care to Eat.

It is with the greatest confidence that Hood's Sarsaparilla is recommended for loss of appetite, indigestion, sick headache, and similar troubles. This medicine gently tones the stomach, assists the digestion, and makes one "real hungry." Persons in delicate health, after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a few days, find themselves longing for and eating the plainest food with great relish.

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STATE.

DEPUTY SHERIFF KILLED.

PORTLAND, OR., July 27.—A special to the Evening Telegram from Seattle says intense excitement was caused there this morning upon receiving the news of the killing of Deputy Sheriff George W. Poor, at Wooley, last night, and the wounding of Cowboy Terry, Customs Inspector Baird and Deputy Inspector Holden. The shooting is said to have been over the capture of a band of Chinamen who were being smuggled into the United States from Victoria. Terry, Holden, and Poor were together, and the story is that Deputy Inspector Bachman and Baird were jealous of the other party, and that they laid in ambush for them. Thirty shots were exchanged between the two parties. The survivor's jury charged Baird and Bachman with the death of Poor.

FROM EUGENE.

EUGENE, OR., July 27.—The report of the government engineers, charged with the task of formulating a plan for the improvement of the Siuslaw harbor, is the subject of much indignation. The people of Eugene are, without doubt, the most disgusted citizens that can be found anywhere. They have not yet heard the full report, but have an idea what it is, and as soon as the full report is published it is their intention to make a public demonstration of their feelings. The steamer Chance, on its last trip, reported twelve feet of water at the lowest tide, which does not agree with the engineers. The Eugene Board of Trade held a meeting Saturday evening and passed some resolutions embodying its sentiments. It is reported the Siuslaw & Eastern railway will suspend operations pending the action of the war department.

Thomas lace, aged about 70 years, residing on the Siuslaw, was examined Saturday and committed to the asylum for insane.

REMARKABLE RESCUE.

Mrs. Michael Curtiss, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and the only medicine could help her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Remedy for Consumption: she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Fry's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

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A WORD FOR MAXIMILLIAN.

Maximilian was not the royal thief some would have us believe. He was visited at Trieste by a large delegation of representative Mexicans, who tendered him the Mexican scepter, and it was only after mature consideration and counsel with the leading minds of Europe that he accepted the proffered crown. When betrayed at Queretaro by Mexican perfidy and condemned to be shot, through the intercession of American officers he was offered his freedom.

"And what of Miramon and Mejia?" said the emperor. "They are Mexicans, traitors to their country, and must die." "Then I die with them," said the noble Austrian, and the next day witnessed the most tragic scene ever enacted on this continent—the execution of Maximilian, emperor of Mexico, and his two faithful generals.

In the light of history Maximilian will be regarded as an unfortunate prince, whose sole ambition would have been the happiness of his people had he succeeded in establishing the Mexican empire.—Menardville (Tex.) Record.

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School Buildings for District No. 26,

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of directors of school district No. 26, Marion

county, Oregon, at the office of the clerk of

the school district, Postoffice, Salem, on

the 1st day of August, 1891, for the erection

of two school buildings in accordance with the plans and specifications of the office of P. S. McNally, architect, Salem.

Advertisement of same building will be made on the 2nd day of August, 1891, at the office of the school district, Salem.

The plan of elevation No. 1, also at office of

C. S. Nally, architect, Portland.

The Park school building, in Yerkes, Oregon, will be completed, except interior decorations, at the office of H. B. & B. Boggs, architects, Salem.

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