

# DAILY CAPITAL JOURNAL

## POST-OFFICE CASES

### Wachen Patent Fastener Trial Set For Two Weeks Hence

Washington, Oct. 4.—The appeal of W. Wachen & Co., defendants in a postoffice conspiracy case, was set up in the United States court of appeals this morning, and the hearing for October 18th. This is the case in which defendants are accused of entering into a conspiracy with the government employes regarding letter box openings.

### Daughters of the Confederacy.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 4.—The national convention in session here of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, representing all of the southern states, is a notable gathering. There are several hundred delegates, representing the wealth, intelligence and patriotism of the south. Today was devoted largely to the reception of the visitors and the completion of the program for the regular sessions of the convention which will continue through the remainder of the week. The southern society of this city and other organizations have made elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the delegates.

### Carnival for Mexico.

Mexico City, Oct. 4.—Among all the considerable interest is manifested in the general conference of the Catholic church authorities of Mexico which began its sessions today in the city of Morelia. The conference is the first of its kind in many years and it has revived the hope that the church in Mexico is to be honored by the creation of a synod. The two churchmen who were most prominently mentioned for prospective honor are Archbishop of Morelia, and Archbishop of Oaxaca.

### School of Philanthropy.

New York, Oct. 4.—A "School of Philanthropy" was opened in this city today, its object being to teach the rational application of charity. The course of instruction outlined calls for the study of municipal reform agencies, social settlement work, immigration, racial traits in the population and kindred topics.

### Fairbanks and Fulton.

Palo Alto, Cal., Oct. 4.—Senator Fairbanks spoke here at 8 o'clock this morning to 1500 Stanford students and members of Palo Alto on the schools and prosperity of the country. A drive to the university was followed by a reception given by Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. Meetings will be held tonight at San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, and Sacramento tonight. Senator Fulton, of Oregon, also delivered a stirring address on national affairs.

### Chicago Markets.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—December, \$1.13 1/4 @ 1/2; May \$1.13 1/2 @ 1.12%; corn \$1.05 1/4; oats \$1 1/4 @ 31%.

## GRANTED CHANGE VENUE

### Iroquois Cases Will Not be Tried in Chicago

Chicago, Oct. 4.—Judge Kersten this morning granted the petition of the defense for a change of venue in the Iroquois theatre case. The defense produced 50,000 affidavits representing that the defendants could not secure a fair trial in Cook county. The judge said the failure of the United States attorney to fight a change of venue placed him in a bad light. He also said that he had received an unsigned letter, stating that he would be visited by a vigilance committee, in case he granted the petition. The county in which the cases are to be tried will be announced later.

### Bryan Not Pleased.

Omaha, Oct. 4.—William J. Bryan today began a week's speechmaking tour of Nebraska, his first address being at Gretna, early in the day, and was given an enthusiastic reception. He passed the Bryan flagpole, raised in his honor when, in 1890, he made his initial address as candidate for congress.

Mr Bryan's address at Gretna had to do almost entirely with state issues, and the speaker made a strong appeal for the re-election of Congressman Hitchcock.

"I need not tell you I was delighted with the nomination at St. Louis. I opposed the nomination of Parker, because he did not stand for what we had been fighting for in Nebraska for eight years. I stand today for every doctrine I have advocated. I have not recanted, and have not withdrawn from where I stood. I have not changed my position. I believed these things when I stood before you a candidate, and I believe them today."

### Dogs Poisoned With Glass.

Ed. Spranger, a business man of this city, lost a valuable dog by the deadly work of a dog poisoner, who does not confine his work to any part of the city, but destroys cats and dogs all the time. Humane Officer Clarke and his assistant, Vaupell, have worked hard to apprehend the man, but so far have not the slightest clue. The police receive reports every day of the death of valuable dogs, which are many of them poisoned by meat being filled with small particles of glass, which penetrates the intestines, causing death.—Seattle Star.

### G. O. P. Candidates Notified.

Hean, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Lieutenant-Governor Higgins was notified of his nomination for governor on the Republican ticket at his home here today. At the same time the notification took place of M. Linn Bruce, the candidate for lieutenant-governor, and the other candidates on the state ticket. Senator Malby, as chairman of the committee, delivered the notification speech to Mr. Higgins. Senator Depew, ex-Governor Black and a number of other prominent Republicans of the state attended the ceremonies.

## NEW MEXICO FLOODS DESTROY MANY LIVES

### Irrigation Dam Went Out and Damage Will Reach Many Thousands

Santa Fe, N. M., Oct. 4.—The dam in Lake Avalon, northwest of Calsbad, went out last night, and the flood is pouring down the Pecos river. The electric power house is swept away. The dam is part of the largest irrigation system in the West. The line of the Santa Fe is still tied up, and the loss of life in the territory will reach 20.

## SHOT BY HIS HONEY

Portland, Oct. 4.—Ruth Osborne, at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon fired three shots into the body of John Tim, causing wounds from which it is feared the injured man will die. The shooting occurred in the Pleasanton lodging house at 288 1/2 Third street, in the room occupied by Mrs. Osborne.

The wounded man is 67 years of age, and a tailor employed in the Kramer establishment, 208 Washington street. He has a daughter, Mrs. Charles Holmes, who resides at Montaville. Ruth Osborne, who fired the shots, recently came to Portland from Spokane.

The Osborne woman has been in Portland for the past four months. About three months ago she met Tim, who immediately became infatuated with her. Mrs. Osborne, who is but 24 years of age, promised to marry him, but, according to her statement yesterday, broke the engagement when Tim began drinking and started to abuse her. For the past two weeks they have been having trouble daily, which grew to be so obnoxious that the landlord of the lodging house ordered Tim to stay away from the place.

Three days ago P. J. Swift, a saloon keeper of The Dalles came on the scene and began to make violent love to Mrs. Osborne, who reciprocated his affection. This made Tim insanely jealous. Sunday evening he entered Mrs. Osborne's apartment, where Swift was spending the evening, and compelled Swift and the woman to flee to another room for safety. He had possession of the room all Sunday night, Mrs. Osborne being compelled to engage another room.

Yesterday morning Tim left the Pleasanton, and a little later Mrs. Osborne and Swift also left. The latter two returned together about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and went to Mrs. Osborne's apartment. There are two doors to the apartments, and both doors were locked. Both Mrs. Osborne and Swift were at the time partially under the influence of liquor.

## COWHERD FEELS GOOD

Chicago, Oct. 4.—Wm. S. Cowherd, in charge of the Democratic congressional campaign, arrived in Chicago today. He said there are 60 congressional districts which are uncertain. It is only necessary for the Democrats to carry half of these in order to change the balance of power. I feel confident in the prediction that we will have the next house.

### King Is Very Sick.

Berlin, Oct. 4.—The aged King of Saxony, who has been ill for a fortnight past, is again in a serious condition. His weakness is accentuated by suffocation from fits of coughing, which prevent sleep.

### What Salem Needs.

Thos. A. Livesley was asked today what this city most needed. He said: "Improved streets and then sprinkled or oiled, to keep the dust down."

Another man said: "Get rid of the knockers, and the town will go ahead."

### Hard Road to Travel.

London, Oct. 4.—The Lassa expedition is undergoing great hardships in marching toward India. It is said that the Chinese Amban has signed the Anglo-Tibetan treaty without receiving the necessary permission from the Chinese government.

## NICK AN ARTFUL DODGER

Berlin, Oct. 4.—Reports are current here that the Czar's recent journey through Russia was one long race for life. His visit to Odessa was shortened for fear of assassination.

The police of Odessa claimed to have discovered four plots to take his life. One of the plots against the Czar resulted in the placing of a bomb on the railroad line near Barenwice, Poland. The bomb was discovered, and the would-be assassin arrested. The police refuse to divulge the nature of the other plots, and are still working on the case.

### Removing an Old Landmark.

The old pump that has stood in front of Steiner & Berger's for the last 16 or 17 years, and furnished pure water to the thirsty, was today removed and a new one put in its place. The new is one of seven models, manufactured by the Pennsylvania Pneumatic Pump Company, of Davenport, Iowa, and is something new in the pump world. Those who find it convenient to use this pump so often are indebted to W. I. Stahley, of the Capital Business College, who placed the pump there for general use. This is the first pump of this kind in this section, or, for that matter, in the northwest, and is creating considerable interest, owing to its new features.

### Hop Market at Aurora.

(Special to the Daily Capital Journal.) There is a great deal of demand for hops here, and some are changing hands at 30 cents. Some of the best crops are still in the growers' hands, and a few are even expecting to realize 40 cents a pound.

One grower between here and Woodburn made a crop of 2200 pounds to the acre by irrigating five acres. At present prices that means \$660 to the acre.

### Babe in Telescope.

Portland, Oct. 4.—Lying in a common telescope grip, covered with a downy baby blanket, the well-dressed body of a male babe evidently about five months old, was found in the ladies' waiting room at the Union depot at 12:59 o'clock this morning. The ghastly find was made by Head Porter Richard P. Roots, who lives at 305 Couch street.

Evidently the babe was murdered by some inhuman parent, who left it in the depot before taking a train to leave the city. Though this was the favorite theory of the officials last night, there was absolutely no clue upon which to base an investigation.

The telescope was first noticed by Porter Roots about 11:40 o'clock, just before the Seattle train left the station. Roots was calling the train and passed through the waiting rooms to see if any passengers were being detained. The telescope was on the floor between two of the benches. Porter Roots did not touch it, thinking it perhaps belonged to some party still in the depot.

Shortly before 1 o'clock this morning while the station was being cleaned by the porters, Head Porter Roots again entered the woman's waiting-room and again saw the telescope. He picked it up with the intention of placing it in the station master's office, when he noticed a peculiar odor. Thinking the grip contained an old lunch left by intent, he opened the telescope, and found the dead body of the child. Roots was startled at first, but quickly replaced the cover on the telescope without letting anyone else see what it contained and notified the police.

## JAPANESE WILL MOVE AGAINST VLADIVOSTOCK

### Send Two Divisions Against the Russian Stronghold in the North

Gibraltar, Oct. 4.—The Russian cruiser Smolensk, of the volunteer fleet, passed here today, going west.

Mukden, Oct. 4.—All is quiet about Mukden. The country people, in anticipation of a battle in the open, are fleeing into the city. The population of the city in the last three weeks has been increased by several tens of thousands.

Tien Tsin, Oct. 4.—The Gazette hears that the Chinese government has received information that Japan is preparing to send two divisions against Vladivostock, besides forces to occupy Northern Korea. The Russians, it is said, have sent 500 additional marines to Vladivostock to aid in the defense of the port.

London, Oct. 4.—The Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph wires that a message has been received there from Chefoo asserting that a Russian warship recently ran the blockade at Port Arthur, escaping the bombardment.

Rome, Oct. 4.—The newspaper Giornale di Roma asserted that General Stackelberg, commander of the East Siberian corps, remains at Mukden with 30,000 men. General Kurapatkin has retired with 100,000 men to Tieling, which has been converted into an immense camp. It is thoroughly retrenched and surrounded by triple circles of charged electrical wires. Forts have been erected on the hill to the south and southeast, and other forts have been erected to protect the railway.

### St. Petersburg, Oct. 4.—General Machentke on October 2d attacked and threw into a state of panic a Japanese force at Tumendze. A quantity of ammunition and rifles were abandoned by the Japanese.

Tokio, Oct. 4.—It is officially reported that a body of Japanese scouts on October 2d attacked and routed a detachment of the enemy's cavalry, 60 strong, occupying Pachingtung, 13 miles north of Liao Yang. The Japanese scouts were then attacked by 230 Russians, and the Japanese retired. The enemy's loss was 30, but there were no Japanese casualties.

Vladivostok, Oct. 4.—The town is quiet, and many families which fled to the interior early in the season are returning. Navigation on the Amur closes this week.

### Pennsylvania Firemen at Erie.

Erie, Pa., Oct. 4.—The silver anniversary convention of the Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania opened here today, and the city is in gala attire in honor of the visitors here from many points. The three days' program provides for a parade and numerous prize competitions, in addition to the regular business sessions. Elaborate entertainment has been provided.

### Rock Island Controls.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—A discovery was made at today's annual meeting of the Chicago & Alton board of trustees that W. H. Moore and J. H. Moore are in control, thus confirming the report of the Chicago & Alton to the Rock Island interests.

### Dog Show at Westminster.

Westminster, B. C., Oct. 4.—Many dogs of high degree are benched at the show which opened today under the auspices of the new Westminster Gun Club, and in conjunction with the annual provincial exhibition. The most notable kennels of Vancouver, Seattle, Portland and other cities on the coast are represented.

### Wireless Telegraphy Congress.

Berlin, Oct. 4.—The international wireless telegraphy congress, summoned at the initiative of Germany and which was to have met today, has been postponed at the request of France and Great Britain, which countries desire more time to study the questions involved.



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