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U. S. BANKS BULGING WITH SURPLUSES

BLOODSHED IS THICK IN RAGING RACE WAR IN ILLINOIS TOWN

LYNCHING, RIOTS AND FLAMES IN SPRINGFIELD, ILL.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15.—The revised list of casualties up to noon today resulting from last night's riots follows:
 Scott Burton, negro, lynched by mob.
 Louis Johnson, 17, found dead, shot through abdomen, after attack on Loper's restaurant.
 John Caldwell, shot through stomach, died in hospital at 11:30 today. Seriously wounded:
 D. J. Scott, 70 years old, bystander, shot in back, reported dead this morning, dying in hospital.
 James Hayes, 60 years, bystander, shot by Hunter, injured.
 Thomas Foley, coal miner, 40 years old, shot through abdomen, expected to die.
 William H. Bowe, young clerk, shot and robbed by negroes, not expected to recover.

Business here today is paralyzed. The authorities are preparing to take measures toward punishing the leaders of the mob, all of whom are known. While the soldiers are everywhere in evidence, martial law does not prevail this afternoon.
Mob Fired Upon.
 Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15.—A volley from the guns of soldiers, mowing down five members of the mob, most of whom will die, and slightly wounding many others, put an end to the riots here at 4 o'clock this morning, after two prisoners had been killed by bullets and one negro lynched, in addition to the destruction of 25 business places conducted by negroes.
 W. H. Bowe, a young clerk in the office of the county treasurer, was set upon by a gang of negroes early this morning.

POSSE IN SEARCH OF KIDNAPERS

TAKE YOUNG GIRL FROM HOME

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 Billings, Mont., Aug. 15.—A posse was organized here today and departed on the trail of two vagabonds who last night rode up to the ranch house of Conrad Bauer, 12 miles from here, and carried away his 16-year-old daughter, Freda.
 The men, heavily armed and masked with black handkerchiefs, visited Bauer's house at midnight. They awakened the family, made them come outside the house and demanded the rancher's money. When told by Bauer that he had no money about the place, the kidnapers demanded whiskey.
 Mrs. Bauer succeeded in slipping away and ran to a neighboring house to spread an alarm. When the highwaymen discovered this, they seized Bauer's daughter, and, throwing her over the saddle of one of their horses, galloped away.
 No trace of the kidnapers or the girl has been found.

RELIGION ISSUE IN CAMPAIGN

SAYS DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 Chicago, Aug. 15.—There is every indication here today that religion will be made an issue in the present campaign.
 Chairman John H. Atwood, sub-committee on speakers, at the national Democratic headquarters, today said:
 "Taft's Unitarian views deprive him of any right to expect to receive the support of Christian voters."
 "Bryan's devotion to the church, on the other hand, furnishes an appeal to every believer in the Christian doctrine."
 No reply to these statements was given out at the Taft headquarters. Chairman Hitchcock, of the Republican campaign, and his aides were in conference arranging the distribution of campaign literature, and itineraries of speakers.
 Atwood intimated that the Democratic speakers would use the statements made by him in the campaign.

STATISTICS SHOW THE STABILITY OF INSTITUTIONS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 New York, Aug. 15.—The weekly statement of the Associated Banks issued today the following changes:
 Reserve on all deposits, decrease, \$1,605,650.
 Reserve on deposits, other than U. S. deposits, decrease, \$1,608,650.
 Loans, increase, \$14,392,000.
 Specie, increase, \$1,844,200.
 Legal tenders, increase, \$903,100.
 Deposits, increase, \$13,411,800.
 Circulation, decrease, \$306,800.
 Total loans, \$1,290,013,800.
 The surplus of the bank is \$59,924,525, as against \$9,294,075 last year and \$17,101,500 two years ago. The percentage of actual reserve held by the bank is 29.43, an increase of .08 per cent.

SUIT OVER OAKLAND'S WATER FRONT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 San Francisco, Aug. 15.—A suit to wrest all title to the Oakland water front from the city of Oakland, the Southern Pacific railroad, the Western Pacific railroad and all other holders was filed in the United States circuit court here today.
 The action is brought by William Muir and 13 other plaintiffs, and is directed against Horace W. Carpenter and a score of others representing the property holders of an immense tract of valuable land along the bay margin of Oakland. Much of this property is under improvement, and, aside from the probability that the claimants will get a favorable judgment from the court, it is probable the beginning of the suit will cause much of the work to be suspended temporarily.
 An old Spanish grant is the basis for the action. This grant, it is alleged, gave possession of the land to Luis Peralta, and was made to him directly from the king of Spain in the year 1820. It was held by him and his survivors until the advent of the American squatters in 1849. According to records, which the contestants declare are still in existence, these squatters began to encroach upon the land despite the repeated appeals made by Peralta for protection from the American governor.

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 o AN AMERICAN
 o CRUISER ASHORE o
 o Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 15.—o
 o A message picked up by the lo- o
 o cal wireless station today says o
 o the U. S. cruiser Colorado is o
 o aground at Double Rock, Dung- o
 o one's Point, near Victoria. She o
 o went aground at 9:30, and is o
 o hard and fast, but making no o
 o water. o
 o Seattle, Wash., Aug. 15.—o
 o The wireless station at the Uni- o
 o versity of Washington got into o
 o communication with the U. S. o
 o cruiser Colorado this afternoon, o
 o and reports that the vessel was o
 o floated off the rock point at o
 o 2:10 o'clock today, uninjured. o
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CHICAGO STORE

PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

WATCH OUR August Special Sales

IF YOU DO YOU CAN SAVE MONEY. WE ARE HERE WITH THE GOODS—THE BEST BARGAINS YOU HAVE SEEN FOR MANY A LONG DAY. READ ON:

<p>1,000 yards of Beautiful 7½c Persian Challies in a grand assortment of pretty patterns—Yard 3½c</p> <p>Best Apron Gingham, now at, a yard 5c</p> <p>Suburb Silks, now on sale, worth 65c a yard. We are sole agents. In all colors—Sale price, a yard 39c</p> <p>Prices slaughtered on all our White Goods, Wash Goods and Fancy Lawns.</p> <p>Muslins and Sheetings at Mill Prices.</p> <p>Thousands of yards of Beautiful Dress Goods and Silks, now going at Special Prices.</p>	
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Just Received

A beautiful assortment of Handsome New Suits and Millinery. We are Leaders of Low Prices Silk Petticoats, Dress Skirts and Shirt Waists at Bargain Prices. Hundreds of Pretty Suits at Special Prices. Real Money-Savers

<p>\$15.00 SUITS— Now \$8.90</p> <p>\$20.00 SUITS— Now \$10.90</p> <p>\$25.00 SUITS— Now \$12.50</p>	
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The Store That Saves You Money

SUSPECTED DYNAMITER IS SILENT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 San Francisco, Aug. 15.—Peter Claudianes, the suspected dynamiter, who was brought to this city from Chicago, was arraigned in Judge Shortall's department of the police court today upon a charge of conspiracy to destroy the property of ex-Supervisor James L. Gallagher in Oakland on April 22.
 The prisoner was sullen and morose, refusing communication with all questioners, and showing signs of fear when called on to listen to the complaint. The court room was crowded by a curious throng, attracted by a desire to see the man who had given the police authorities of half a dozen cities a long chase.
 Attorney J. W. Scott, who represented John Claudianes when the latter was arrested, following the confession of the dynamite plot, appeared in Peter's behalf, and requested a continuance, which was granted. The case will come up for preliminary hearing next Monday.
 Detective Burns stated today that he believes that enough evidence is in his possession to secure the immediate conviction of both men, and that when the case is brought up again on Monday the prosecution will be ready to proceed.

PULLMAN COMPANY TO REBUILD

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 Chicago, Aug. 15.—Labor circles were stirred today by the announcement that the great shops of the Pullman Sleeping Car Company here are to be razed and rebuilt on a larger scale. According to the reports, operations on this sweeping reconstruction will begin within a few weeks. The work will probably mean employment for hundreds of artisans and will greatly relieve the labor situation in this city.
 The plan, which has been under consideration for the last six years, is the result of constantly increasing business.
 The plans for enlargement call for the installation of new machinery designed especially for this purpose. In order to accommodate the increased capacity of the plant, 60 acres will be added to the already extensive grounds occupied by the company.
 It is reported that the Pullman company is on the point of announcing bids to cover the big undertaking.

GIRL FRIGHTENS AWAY ASSAILANT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 Los Angeles, Aug. 15.—The detectives today are on the trail of a mysterious man who last night entered the room of Miss Sadie Black and attempted to chloroform her. The girl roused herself before the drug rendered her unconscious, and shouted for help, scaring the intruder away.
 The incident was the culmination of a month of terror for the girl. During that time she was aware that she was being constantly shadowed by an unknown man, but at no time was she able to get more than a fleeting glimpse of him. Last night she saw his features, and declared today that she would be able to identify him should she see him again.
 Ernest Dichler, the thief, who took a \$4000 automobile from Chicago and was arrested in Portland, where he jumped his bail, again escaped today that she would be able to identify him should she see him again.

KILLS WIFE THINKING HER THIEF

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 Wichita, Kan., Aug. 15.—Having been mistaken for a burglar by her husband, Mrs. George Parker is dead today, the victim of a bullet wound, and Parker is nearly insane with grief.
 During the night Mrs. Parker left her bed to close the window. Parker was awakened by the noise, and, thinking a burglar was entering, he seized his revolver and fired, without looking closely. The bullet severed his wife's jugular vein and caused instant death.

WILL SELL YACHT TO PAY CREDITORS
 Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 15.—Discovering that there are no claims against the "Yankee Maid," Fred E. Dorr's yacht, Receiver Carroll Allen, who is handling the broker's affairs, today ordered that the craft be brought here from San Francisco. Allen believes that \$20,000 can be raised on the yacht for Dorr's creditors. Other assets upon which the creditors count are the fixtures of the broker's various offices.

NEWS FROM HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE
 John Richards, the Virginia school teacher, once sentenced to be hanged for the murder of his rival in love, Marion K. Francis, was acquitted on his fifth trial yesterday.
 Close friends of Roosevelt say he will speak for Taft when it comes to a showdown at the critical stage.
 Oregon troops at Camp Perry, O., are making a fine showing at the national rifle shoot. Company K, Third infantry, won sixth place and Company B, Fourth infantry, eighth place in the champion company team match. Denver is the first city outside of Oregon to plan the reception of the returning Oregon heroes of the London Stadium.

FEAR CRANK MAY CAUSE TROUBLE

(United Press Leased Wire.)
 Oyster Bay, Aug. 15.—The secret service men here are worried today over a crank having succeeded in reaching Sagamore Hill yesterday. The President was aboard his yacht at the time, and did not meet the man. It is feared the man may return at any time, as he cannot be found. He is supposed to be Moses O. Okun, a manufacturer of gas checks for arc lights, who appeared yesterday before a justice here and asked for a warrant for the arrest of a "rich enemy" who he said was exerting hypnotic influence over him, and trying to kill him.
 A close watch is being maintained and a careful search for Okun is being conducted.