WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest : Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

Foreign.

Two strikes of exceedingly rich gold bearing ore have been made on the from Antwerp and Dover. island of Luzon.

With elaborate ceremonies in which the entire diplomatic corps from Tokio and many of the Japansese government participated. Yokohama celebrated the semi-centennial of the opentensive scale ever attempted. Flags, bunting and paper lanterns of bright the streets are illuminted by thousands | most expert negroes. of electric globes. The celebration has

A special dispatch from Saloniki flight of ten miles. to the needs of the second and third Tuesday. army corps. Abdul Hamid wished \$300,000 of this amount to be devoted the major event in the automobile to purchase the villaya where he re- race at Crown Point, Ind., Saturday, sides, but the request was refused on making 395.65 miles in 8:02:44. the ground that as the nation's prisoner he cannot own property.

near Calais awaiting favorable weather conditions to attempt an aeroplane flight across the English channel for a prize of \$5,000 offered by a London paper. French torpedo boats are being first aeroplane to be sold in America held in readiness to guide the aviators in the flight and rescue them in case the late Russel A. Alger, at a price of need.

A temporary injunction enjoining the governor of Nebraska and the other defendants named in the bank guaranty case, has been issued and restrains them from enforcing any of the provisions of the bank guaranty

The Holliday state-wide prohibition law went into effect in Tennessee, July

The Alpha-Portland Cement company announced a ten per cent increase in the wages of its 1,000 laboring men. The company says the adtion of the high cost of living.

Application was made by District Attorney Lamb for a perpetual injunction restraining the Standard Oil company from operating in Mississippi and seeking to collect \$11,000,000 penalties for the alleged violation of the anti-trust law.

C. B. Guist, a wealthy retired farmer of Wichita, Kas., was found dead under a culvert five miles from Burton. Former President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University, has been elected president emeritus of the institu-

The Nebraska Securities company has been organized for the purpose of taking over and financing the Omaha Independent Telephone company.

Two negroes were killed and five others wounded at Ripley, Okla., over

The report of the national cotton average up to June 24, as 75.6.

The New York police think it is only a question of time until Leon Ling, the poration tax plan was presented to Chinese murderer, will be caught.

A collection of 500 rare coins was library.

Joseph H. Brown was inaugurated governor of Georgia at noon Saturday. Joseph Bertucci, alleged black hand slayer, was sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary at Chicago. Mrs. Howard Gould was granted a divorce and \$36,000 yearly alimony by a New York court.

cisco.

victims of Mrs. Bella Gunness lay the nomination of Samuel G. Mortiburied in the private burial ground mer to be receiver of public moneys from which ten bodies were taken. at Bellefourche. S. D.

Governor Stubbs served notice on the directors of the Topeka club that alty which Representative Kennedy he will cancel his membership unless of Ohio proposed shall be inflicted the plan of keeping liquor at the club

well known journalist, died in New poses. He introduced in the house

line will re-establish a service from sixth infantry, has been dismissed New Orleans to Marseilles and other from the United States army, having Mediterranean points. Monthly sail- been found guilty by court-martial on ings are to be begun the latter part charges of misconduct in financial

general strike on the street car lines. of war. Kas., cut his wife's throat and then note on the Germania National bank slashed his own neck. The woman of San Francisco has been discovered, will die, but Bell may recover. Mrs. according to Chief Wilkie of the se-Bell had deserted her husband be- cret service. cause of cruelty.

burg, Pa., has been settled.

John Quincy Adams Ward, the oldest living American sculptor, entered upon his eightieth year Tuesday, and was kept busy receiving congratulations from many friends and admirers Mr. Ward is reported to be in much better health than he was a year ago.

Governor Hoke Smith of Georgia suspended from office Chairman D. G. McLendon of the state railroad commission because of McLendon's recent decision refusing to order the railroads to reduce rates between Savannah and Atlanta.

W. H. Haskell, warden of the Kansas penitentiary, forwarded his resignation to Governor Stubbs. The resignation takes effect July 1. No reason is given. Mr. Haskell's year as warden would have expired September 1.

********************* Two baby antelopes, sent by ex-president Roosevelt to his daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth were brought on the steamer Vaderland, arriving

William J. Bryan, Jr., and Mis's Helen Virginia Berger were married at Grand Lake, Colo., Thursday.

The Georgia railroad arbitrators de cided against seniority of white fireing of the port to foreign trade. The men over negroes. The arbitrators. city was decorated on the most ex- however, placed a premium on intelligence among firemen, which, it is be lieved, will ultimately result in the hues are everywhere, and at night gradual elimination of all except the

In the airship "East St. Louis" made cost the municipality 100,000 yen (\$50,- by W. J. Smith of Edgemont, Ill., Claude M. Seeler made a successful

says that Sultan Abdul Hamid has The funeral of Geo. B. Davy, presihanded the authorities there a check dent of the Boston national baseball for \$5,000,000 which will be devoted league, took place at Philadelphia. Louis Chevrolet won the Cobe cup,

C. S. Paine of Lincoln was elected

secretary and treasurer of the Missis-Herbert Latham, Count de Lambert sippi Valley Historical association and Henri Rarman are on the coast which met at St. Louis last week.

Washington.

Wright brothers announce that the has been contracted for by the son of

The comptroller of the currency authorized the following national bank to begin business: City National bank of Omaha, capital \$200,000; John F. Flack, president; J. A. Sutherland, vice-president; W. S. Hillis cashier. Preliminary work already has begun

at Panama on the locks of the Isthmer construction in force will com mence on these important adjuncts for the great waterway.

The excess of government disbursements over receipts for the fiscal year to date is \$93,173,000.

The government has no thought of ditional pay is granted in considera- abandoning the prosecution of the American Sugar Refining company on account of any legal question raised by counsel for the company or for any other reason.

> Owing to a high wind the Wright brothers did not make their expected aeroplane flight Monday.

Following full discussion by the general board of the navy of the question of the establishment of a permanent naval base in the Philippines, Secretary Meyer soon will take up the issue with President Taft for final decision. The permanent location, it is believed rests between Manila and Olongapo.

There is a strong probability that President Taft will find it necessary to postpone until next year the Alaska tour which he had been planning for next August and September.

Senator Brown, of Nebraska, has succeeded in having paper and wood ginners' association gives the cotton pulp put on the free list in the new

President Taft's much heralded cor the senate Friday by Mr. Aldrich. chairman of the finance committee, stolen from the Utica (N. Y.) public and was ordered printed as a committee amendment to the tariff bill. Conferees on the census bill were in session but did not come to a full agreement of the differences on the bill. The only question which re-

mains to be settled is in connection

with the gathering of statistics in the turpentine districts of the south. The attorney general directed the dismissal of the government's suit It is now thought that Leon Ling against the New York, New Haven is on a steamer bound for San Fran- & Hartford and the Boston & Maine railways and others for violating the After the lapse of eight months, anti-trust laws. The Massachusetts digging was resumed on the Gunness legislature has expressly authorized farm in order that it might be settled the consideration of those roads. positively whether or not any more | The president sent to the senate

Imprisonment for life is the pen on agents of the black hand, and kid-Mrs. Albert Pulitzer, wife of the United States for their nefarious purnapers who use the mails of the

a bill providing such nunishment The Austro-American steamship Major Charles J. Clarks, Twentyaffairs, involving violation of the Pittsburg, Pa., is in the midst of a sixty-first and sixty-second articles

Charles Bell, a lineman of Newton, A new counterfeit \$10 national bank

The senate turned down the amend-The street railway strike at Pitts- ment for free lumber by the decisive vote of 24 to 44.

DEFICIT, HOWEVER, NOT AS LARGE AS EXPECTED.

AMOUNTS OVER \$89,000,000

Estimates Given Last December Indicated That It Would Reach About \$114,000,000.

Washington .- Treasury officials are pleased at the present showing of the government finances. Ordinarily a deficit in the government revenues of \$89,811,156, as shown by Thursday's statement, would not be a matter of congratulation. Nevertheless, at the close of the fiscal year 1909, the treasury officials express much gratification that the official estimate of a deficit of \$114,000,000, made last December, has not been verified and are hopeful for a continuance of the improvement which has been especially noted during the last four months.

Since the December estimates were submitted to congress, however, the receipts and expenditures have shown marked irregularity, and as late as February last the expenditures were increasing at such a rapid rate, and the revenues falling off so sharply, that it was greatly feared the balance on the wrong side of the ledger might by the close of the fiscal year reach \$130,000,000.

But a slight upturn in customs receipts was noted about the middle of December. Improvement was slow, however, until about the beginning of March, when large importations were made, probably induced in part by the prospective tariff changes. The result, both of improving revenues and the strong holding down of expenditures has resulted in a greatly reduced deficiency.

The customs receipts for the year aggregated \$301,209,863, which is an increase as compared with last year of \$15,000,000. The internal revenues produced \$246,329,063, a decrease of about \$5,000,000. Miscellaneous receipts from all sources during the year aggregated \$604,432,846, which is an increase over last year of \$3.250.

On the side of expenditures, the total for the year was \$694,244,002, which is an increase over 1908 of about \$37,000,000.

The civil and miscellaneous expendover last year

The War department expenditures aggregated \$164,100,242, an increase of \$40,000,000. The navy account is the only item in the list to show a decrease, the figures for the year being \$115,988,869, as against \$118,780,233 for the year 1908.

Pension payments for the year amounted to \$161,689,423, an increase of about \$8,600,000.

The expenditures on account of the Panama canal were \$6,000,000 less than for last year, being \$31,420,286.

It is fully expected that the new fiscal year will start with a series of monthly deficiencies, notably for July, when the new appropriations made by congress become available. July last year resulted in a deficiency of \$24,-868,000, and this would have been nearer \$30,000,000 had it not been for the anticipation of about \$5,000,000 representing the last payments to the government account of the last indebtedness. In July, 1907, there was a deficiency of \$10,901,000, and in July, 1906, another of \$13,511.000.

HARVARD WINS VARSITY RACE.

Crimson Crew, by Superior Strength

and Endurance, Defeats Yale. New London, Conn.-In a notable exhibition of rowing by a crew, remarkable for its physical power and endurance, Harvard defeated Yale in their annual varsity boat race on the Thames. The Crimson's crew led from start to finish and won by six boat lengths. Harvard's time was 21:50;

By this victory Harvard won its second consecutive boat race from Yale 1880 and 1881 has Harvard won two consecutive races from Yale. Since races from Yale, including today's, namely, in 1891, 1899, 1906 and 1908. Since Wray has been coaching at Cambridge, Yale and Harvard have met three times, and the Crimson has won two races.

Capt. Raymond Is Dead. Des Moines, Ia.-Capt. John C. Raymond of the Second cavalry, Ft. Des Moines, died at Mercy hospital early Thursday, after lingering between life and death since he was shot by Corporal Lisle Crabtree at the army post here three weeks ago.

Philadelphia, Pa.-The new Lincoln pennies coined at the United States mint in this city are ready for delivery. They are much like the old coin, except that the Indian is replaced by a profile of Lincoln.

Revenue Receipts Are Big. Omaha.-Internal revenue receipts of the Nebraska collection district for the fiscal year ending June 30, show substantial increase over the preced-Ing year amounting to \$313,232.95, of which poorly \$300,000 is for spirits alone. The receipts for the year from all sources were \$2,437,268.75, while the receipts from all sources during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908. were \$2,124,035.80. The receipts for 309.80. For the month of June, 1908. they were \$222,162.38.



NO STOCKS, NO BONDS, NO BUSI . ESS, AND NO NERVOUS BREAK

TENNESSEE SALOONS CLOSE

BELLS TOLL KNELL OF LIQUOR IN THE STATE.

Holladay Prohibition Bill Puts All But Two Grog Shops Out of Business.

Memphis, Tenn. - Solemn-toned bells in church and town-clock Wednesday night, marked the passing culosis. The boat lay at the anchorof the saloons and whisky in Tennessee.

cent general assembly went into ef- plague. fect. This law makes it illegal to sell whisky or other alcoholic beverages within four miles of any schoolhouse will be given three meals a day and

phis, and in other cities throughout riman will forage her father's farm the state, according to advices re- at Arden. Attendants and physicians ceived here was marked by scenes of are provided, and there will be an unusual hilarity. The celebration open air school for Brooklyn children started early yesterday morning, con- who have been kept out of school beitures amounted to \$164,288,538, an tinued throughout the day and lasted cause they are tuberculous. there was a rush to purchase one last MANY POSTCARDS HELD UP farewell drink over the bar.

Saloons and grogshops were crowded with lively revelers. Extra police precautions were taken here, Mayor Maloney instructing the chief of police to detail a patrolman to every city block wherein is located a saloon. This was done at the request of the sealed envelopes to prevent the crowds about to start on the long and the like, as required by the pos- publican cabinet. marathon across the desert of prohi-tal regulations, is causing from 15,000 bition would overstep the bounds of to 20,000 of such cards to be withgood behavior in some instances. But drawn from the mails and sent to the it was in the main a good-natured, dead letter office of the post office deyet a sorrowing throng, which in- partment every day.

dulged in their last farewell revelry. entire state where the law does not such character to be unmailable unapply, two shimmering oases in a des- less inclosed in envelopes so treated ert of dryness. Both of these are lo- as to prevent injuries to employes, cated within 12 miles of Memphis, post card dealers began supplying near the Mississippi state line. The their customers with flimsy transparnearest schoolhouse is six miles from ent envelopes for inclosing the cards. both of these points, but steps have which has resulted in much difficulty already been taken by white-ribboners to the department. The postage to have the county board of education stamp is frequently placed on the erect a schoolhouse within the dis- card inside the envelope, thereby pretance prescribed by the Holladay bill, venting its cancellation and the enso that there will be no mecca in the entire state for thirsty pilgrims. Tho- particles which fill the air in postal ously, I consider myself most forsands of men are thrown out of em- cars, thereby causing inflammation ployment and barkeepers are seeking of the eyes of railway mail clerks.

FREED THEN REARRESTED.

Brandenburg Acquitted in Cleveland Letter Case But Is Held for Kidnaping His Step-Son.

New York.-Although Broughton Brandenburg was acquitted Tuesday of the charge of grand larceny in connection with the sale of an alleged few minutes of freedom.

Before leaving the courtroom he charge of kidnaping his step-son, James Shepard Cabanne III. The maximum penalty for kidnaping in Missouri is 20 years' imprisonment.

15,000 Tin Workers Strike. Pittsburg, Pa.-Fully 15,000 men em ployed in plants of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company quit work at midnight Wednesday and the Amalgamated association claims that 20,000 men ultimately will be affected.

The principal storm centers will be town, O.; Bridgeport, O.; Martin's W. Va., and Ellwood City, Ind.

Panic at Milwaukee Fire.

Milwaukee.-Fire which destroyed the plant of the Kieckhefer Box Company caused a loss of about \$250,000. started rushed for the exits. Three ter sails for Hongkong. sustained broken arms or other injuries. In fighting the fire, firemen were overcome by smoke and heat. but none of the injured is seriously tween an automobile and a Northern the month of June, 1909, were \$222, hurt and the firemen were all able to Pacific freight train seven persons, all The fire was confined to the building. perhaps fatally.

MAN O' PEACE FOR THE SICK.

Miss Harriman Hoists Red Cross Flag Over Ferryboat She Provides for Consumptives.

New York.-Miss Mary Harriman, eldest daughter of E. H. Harriman, raised the Red Cross flag Thursday over an Erie ferryboat which she has fitted up and donated to the Brooklyn Red Cross society as a "man o' peace," for use in the war on tuberage off Columbia street, Brooklyn, and there Miss Harriman received its At midnight, the Holladay state- first pasengers, men, women and chilwide prohibition bill passed by the re- dren who are victims of the white

The boat is fitted out with accommodations for 300 patients and they all the milk and eggs they can con-The passage of the saloon in Mem- sume. For the commissary Miss Har-

Thousands of Tinseled Missives Are Sent to the Dead Letter Office Every Day.

Following the issuance of an order There are only two points in the by the department declaring cards of velopes fail to prevent the escape of

WILL INSPECT MISSISSIPPI.

Inland Waterways Commission Starts from Buffalo on Long Trip to Mouth of Ohio.

Buffalo, N. Y .- The inland waterways commission, under instructions of congress, met here Thursday and started on a trip of inspection that will last two months. The commisspurious letter of Grover Cleveland to sion will go by lake to Duluth, and thence to St. Paul, whence it will gave what I may call a perfectly sion will go by lake to Duluth, and start down the Mississippi river, end- good Adams reason for the election was rearrested and will be taken to met at St. Paul by prominent business one of the essentials of a successful from the Amalgamated Association of St. Louis next week for trial on a men interested in the deeper-channel project, and several important mat- and efficient opposition and that as ters, including the proposed harbor the Democratic party had utterly another tie up of the 400 miles of of the Minnesota river and the high- in favor of putting the Republican Greater Pittsburg and Allegheny dam question, which covers proposed work between St. Paul and Minneap-

Late in the month the body will leave for Europe to inspect the waterways of Germany and Holland.

Heat Fatal in Twin Cities. Minneapolis, Minn. - Five are Ferry and Cambridge, O.; Wheeling, Cities as a result of the sizzling heat wave of the last few days.

Belmont's Brother-in-Law Married. San Francisco.—Samuel S. Howland. a brother-in-law of August Belmont and well-known in New York and and 150 employes narrowly escaped Washington, was secretly married to death in the rush. Many of the em- Leslie Mosby Wallace in this city, ployes were boys, and when the fire and with the bride booked as his sis-

> Auto and Freight Train Collide. Seattle, Wash.-In a collision be-

TAFT WARNS PARTY SLAYER IS STILL IN DOUBT

SAYS REPUBLICANS MUST KEEP THEIR PROMISES TO THE PEOPLE.

ADDRESSES YALE GRADUATES

Will Be Relegated to Minor Position If They Fail to Be Faithful in Interests of the Nation, Asserts the

New Haven, Conn.-President Taft paused in the course of an after-dinner speech to 1,800 graduates of Yale, gathered at the annual alumni feast Wednesday, to issue a serious note of warning to congress and to the leaders of the Republican party. The president declared that if the

party which placed him in power and so long had controlled the government failed to live up to its promises and the expectations of the people, it would be relegated to the position of a minority opposition.

Mr. Taft had been speaking humorously of recollections of his own college days which made his sudden change to a serious tone of the important utterance upon national affairs all the more impressive. The president spoke extemporaneously and his utterances as to the duty of the party of which he is nominally the head seemed the result of a sudden

Does Not Explain Warning.

He made no effort to explain his warnings. The Yale men caught his meaning and the significance of the remarks coming at this time of the tariff debate, however, and they stood upon their feet and cheered for several minutes. He had been speaking of Secretary of War Dickinson, a Democrat upon whom Yale had conferred an honorary degree. He taunted the Democracy with the best of good humor as to its present day condition, and this led him into the declaration as to his own party.

"Just to show," the president concluded amid laughter, "that we have troubles of our own.

After paying tribute to others upon whom the university conferred honorary degrees, the president came down to Secretary Dickinson and

"You went south of the Mason and Dixon's line to get a secretary of war to give a degree to. Well, it is well end to it all. that you did because he is going to build the Panama canal, and other universities will follow where you got in early. One of the difficulties that has confronted Brother Dickinson, out in Chicago, where he has a temporary residence, was a discussion as Washington. - Failure to inclose to what constituted an orthodox tinseled or frosted post cards in Democrat, and whether really he ought to be counted as a Democrat. saloon men, who feared that the escape of particles of tinsel, mica if he allowed himself to go into a Re-

Like the Whisky Question.

"Well, when you come to discuss what is a Democrat these days, you are presented with very much the same difficulty that I have before me now in giving certain rules for the construction of the pure food law as to what whisky is. They say there is 'straight' whisky, and then there is 'rectified' whisky and then there is

'imitation' whisky. "Now, I speak with a good deal of hesitation in saying whether my friend Dickinson is a 'straight' Democrat, or a 'rectified' Democrat. I would not dare to say in his presence

that he was an 'imitation' Democrat. "The truth is, and speaking seritunate that I was able to obtain for that important place in my cabinet a man who represented the highest ideals of the south, who knew no section in his patriotism, and whose coming into the cabinet was significant of the friendliness of a large element in that southern section, that it is in my heart to bring close to the

north. terences among Democrats, I am far of Pittsburg more than \$200,000 in from ignoring some difficulties that two days, was officially declared to be there are on our side. I remember in at an end at 10:20 o'clock Monday 1904 that Mr. Charles Francis Adams night. ing the inspection at the mouth of of the Democratic candidate over the the Ohio. The commission will be Republican candidate. He said that free government was an able, patriotic Street and Electric Railway employes plans for St. Paul, the improvement failed in reaching that ideal, he was party in that place.

Must Keep Promises.

"Now I venture to say that while that may not be the reason which shall move the American people, it is and Wisconsin association, gathered true that if the Republican party does | Wednesday morning in the Sherman not live up to its promises and what house and opened their fourteenth anthe people expect of it, it will be rele- nual convention. President H. A. at Newcastle and Sharon, Pa.; Youngs- dead and more than a score are gated to a position like that of his suffering from prostration in the Twin majesty's opposition. And therefore, and after Walter S. Bogle had wel-I may say by way of caveat that we have troubles of our own."

> Owes His Life to Smoking. Norwich, N. Y.-George Excell of Hubbardsville owes his life to the fact that he is a smoker. He was tenanted house at Macao after a sharp slightly gored by a cow and lockjaw fight in which two pirates were developed. When his jaws set tight wounded. A number of women were he was smoking his cob pipe. The included in the number captured and stem was whittled out, leaving an opening between his teeth by which he is taking nourishment

Filipino Mutineers Killed. tineers have been killed by troops.

CORONER'S JURY FAILS TO FIX BLAME IN WOODILL CASE.

Four Force a Compromise-Verdict Says Eastman Was the Murderer or an Accessory.

St. Michaels, Md.-The question whether Robert E. Eastman really was the slayer of Mrs. Edith May Woodill is not answered by the compromise verdict returned Monday by the coroner's jury which says he either killed or was accessory to the murder. The manner in which the woman met death probably never will be definitely known.

Four of the 12 jurors who listened to the testimony at the reopened inquest refused to sign the verdict and the words "or accessory to the crime" were added to the draft, approved by the majority, which bluntly accused Eastman of the murder. None of the four dissenting jurymen would say that any other person than Eastman was responsible for the woman's death.

The letter left by Eastman for his wife in which he declared that Mrs. Woodill had been killed by a woman in a jealous frenzy was not read to the jury. The officials seemed to take it for granted that all of the evidence unearthed since the finding of the body was well known to the residents of the community and that it was unnecessary that it should again be

The jury sat for a time in a lonely bungalow itself, within sight of Eastman's unmarked grave not 50 feet impulse rather than of studied intent. away. Mrs. Eastman had visited the place and had stood dry-eyed for a time beside the new-made mound.

The final theory of the authorities

That Eastman was in need of money; that he probably had been getting money from Mrs. Woodill for some time; that he undoubtedly knew something of her past life and that he had been blackmailing her; that he attempted to continue this practice and that the woman rebelled. intimating that she, too, had found out certain things about Eastman and

that if driven to it would expose him. Eastman's dread of serving a term in the penitentiary is well known. His wife has said that he told her he would rather commit suicide than be confined in prison. The pawning of Mrs. Woodill's jewelry the authoritles set down to the desire of East. man to get away. When cornered the man decided that his race had been run and that he had better make an

Robbing Mrs. Woodill's life of the poor glamor of romance which had been attributed to it and upsetting the theories and beliefs of many of the neighbors as to her parentage, Col. Charles H. Thompson, the man who adopted her, admitted that she was an illegitimate child. The offspring of an unlawful union, she came into the world gifted with glittering ability to fascinate and use men and exercised this gift to the limit. In the language of some of the neighbors she was a "swift one."

TOLD TO WHIP HUSBAND.

Pennsylvania Woman Instructed by Court to Thrash the Man Who Mistreats Her.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.-"If your husband abuses you again give him a good thrashing and if that does not cure him bring him to me, but I think the thrashing will do the business." This was the advice given Tuesday by Alderman Donohue of this city to Mrs. Michael Promack of Dupont who had her thin five-foot husband arrested or

the charge of abusing her. She said he married her for her money and not geting it ill treated her. As Mrs. Promick is six feet tall and well built and as the husband is less than five feet and does not weigh much more than 100 pounds, the alderman thought the woman could inflict more telling punishment than the law. She said she would try it.

Pittsburg Strike Is Settled. Pittsburg, Pa. - The street rail-"Now, my friends. in suggesting dif- way strike, which cost the city

In the private office of Mayor William A. Magee articles were signed by officials of the Pittsburg Railways which will for years to come prevent street railway tracks in and about

county. Retail Coal Men Convene.

Chicago.-Several hundred retail coal dealers, memhers of the Illinois Robinson of Peoria was in the chair, comed the association to Chicago, he delivered his annual address.

Fifty Chinese Pirates Captured. Hongkong.-Fifty Chinese pirates were captured by the police in an unseveral children were recovered.

Toy Pistol Causes Death.

Detroit, Mich.-Marvin Barnett. aged 14 years, is the first Fourth of Manila.-Word has been received July victim in Detroit. The lad leave the hospital later in the night. residents of Seattle, were injured, two that three more of the Davao mu- wounded his hand while firing a toy