

DEADLY HAT PIN.

Herbert Crow Receives a Fatal Stab from a Young Woman.

Family Troubles Drive a Man to Kill His Wife and Then Commit Suicide—Charged with Train Robbery—Stabbed in an Altercation.

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 12.—Herbert Crow, a young business man, was fatally stabbed by a young woman of this city, the girl using her hat pin. The steel entered the young man's side and broke off. The physicians have been unable to remove the lost portion. The weapon used was in the shape of a toy dagger. The victim refuses to give the name of the girl who did the deadly work or the cause for the same. He was on the street when he called to a passing cabman and was carried to a physician. The doctors say he will die, but he continues to refuse to disclose the name of the girl who gave him his death wound. It is said he was struck by his sweetheart, in a jealous rage over another young lady, both being daughters of prominent Hastings families.

TWO WOULD-BE MURDERERS KILLED.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 12.—A tragedy, in which two would-be murderers lost their lives at the hands of their intended victim, occurred in Arkansas county, six miles south of De Witt. Jolin Gray and John Burton are dead, and Robert White is in the hands of Sheriff Smith, of Arkansas county, charged with the killing. The tragedy is the result of family trouble between White and Gray. The parties are among the most prominent in the country.

WIFE MURDER AND SUICIDE.
LEOMINSTER, Mass., Oct. 12.—John E. Boynton, a well-known resident of this place, shot and killed his wife yesterday and then committed suicide. Family troubles are believed to have been the cause of the act. He was 58 years of age and his wife was 51. They are survived by several children.

CHARGED WITH TRAIN ROBBERY.
GUTHRIE, Ok., Oct. 12.—Edward Harnell, who formerly conducted a saloon at Taloga, D. county, has been arrested there and brought to the federal jail, charged with being one of the gang who committed the daylight robbery of the Rock Island train last week.

STABBED IN AN ALTERCATION.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Oct. 12.—Yesterday evening Harry Stafford was stabbed by Walter Allen, son of Mayor J. P. Allen, of this city, and his law partner. The altercation arose over the collection of a bill by Stafford. The latter was seriously, but not fatally injured.

ONLY FROST WILL STOP IT.
Efforts to Stamp Out the Yellow Fever Plague Beaten by Discouragements.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 12.—From the returns there is little hope in the yellow fever situation. The board of health is daily demonstrating that with a fair show it is possible for modern science to restrict and stamp out the disease. But the people who must suffer from a strict application of scientific methods rebel, the result being that the pathway of the board is beset with difficulties. If there was strict compliance with the health laws, if prompt report was made of cases, the fever germs would be quickly wiped out. But it begins to look now as if from 30 to 40 new cases and from four to six deaths would be daily reported until jack frost puts in an appearance.

THE CUP IS BALTIMORE'S.

Orioles Have Won It Twice in Succession—Divided Gate Receipts.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 12.—The "Temple cup" will stay in Baltimore another year. It has been won twice in succession for the first time in its history and if the Orioles take it again it is theirs absolutely. The former champions also take 66 per cent. of the money paid in at the gates during the three games in Boston and the two played here, while the winners of the pennant will get but 40 per cent., unless, as is generally believed, the players have agreed among themselves to divide the spoils equally.

FIRE AND HAIL.

Beaver County, Ok., Suffers Severely from the Ravages of Storm.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Oct. 12.—Last week a terrible hailstorm struck the northern portion of Beaver county, totally destroying several farms. Two days later a disastrous prairie fire passed almost over the same region, near Clear lake, covering 30 miles of territory. Many buildings and much live stock were destroyed, but no fatalities are reported.

Money Appointed Senator.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 12.—Gov. McLaughlin has wired the Associated press that he has appointed Senator-elect Hernandez DeSoto Money as United States senator, to fill vacancy caused by the death of the late Senator J. Z. George, whose term expires in 1898. Money had already been chosen by the legislature to succeed George, his six-year term beginning in 1898.

Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

VINITA, I. T., Oct. 12.—The two sons of James H. Aiken, an attorney of this city, were playing in bed with a small pistol when the elder, named Strange, aged 13, shot the younger through the head, causing his death a few minutes later. The weapon was thought to be empty.

ATCHISON HAS A FIRE.

John M. Cain's Flour Mill and Other Buildings Destroyed.

ATCHISON, Kan., Oct. 11.—Saturday night's fire was one of the most destructive in years. It not only destroyed the John M. Cain flour mill and warehouse, together with the contents of both, but burned the Cain block, a two-story brick, containing four store rooms, which was located just across Main street from the mill. A second flour warehouse, belonging to the Central mills, which was full of flour, was also burned, and the flames spread to and consumed five small frame buildings before they were under control. In all 16 buildings were destroyed and the loss will approximate nearly \$100,000.

ONLY A FRAIL WOMAN.

But She Was Made a Heroine by Compelling a Thief to Surrender Stolen Money.
CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Mrs. E. Rose, a frail appearing woman, was yesterday made a heroine by the police at the West Chicago avenue station, and Capt. Rehm complimented her for her bravery in attacking a burglar who had broken into her home and stolen \$5 and a revolver. Mrs. Rose not only chased the burglar several blocks, but also took hold of him and so thoroughly frightened him that he returned the money to the woman. Then he broke loose and ran, but a policeman chased him on a bicycle and captured him.

ONE WAY TO PAY DEBTS.

A Kansas Farmer Forces a Banker to Take Mortgage Money.

ELDORADO, Kan., Oct. 11.—A Butler county farmer went to a bank in this city and told the cashier that he wanted to pay off a \$1,500 mortgage on his farm. The cashier looked up the mortgage and finding that it was drawing nine per cent. interest and was not due until next February, he told the farmer that it would have to run to that date. The farmer laid the \$1,500 on the counter, pulled out a bulldog revolver, laid it beside the money and said he was going to pay that mortgage. The cashier delivered up the document and took the money.

TELLER IS PESSIMISTIC.

The Colorado Senator Sees No Hope for Silver in This Country.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 11.—In an interview on the unfavorable reply anticipated from Great Britain to the international bimetallic envoys, Senator Teller said:
I have all along said that France might be willing to open her mints, but that she would ask more concessions to silver than Great Britain would be willing to grant, and so the conference would come to naught. Moreover, I believe even if England should open the mints of India to the free coinage of silver as France requests, and France should open her mints, and the Bank of England should hold one-fifth of its reserve in silver, the present administration would do nothing for silver in this country.

MORGAN TO HAWAIIANS.

The Alabama Senator Tells the Islanders Why Americans Favor Annexation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Advices from Honolulu are that United States Senator Morgan addressed a crowd of enthusiastic Hawaiians a week ago, telling them that the United States could and would execute any contract into which it might enter, that the 50,000 islanders were unmercifully insignificant as compared with 80,000,000 Americans and that the United States' desire to annex the island was not because of its strength, but because of the progressiveness of its people.

JUDGE FOSTER OUT OF IT.

He Will Let Judge Thayer Decide the Stock Yards Case.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 11.—Judge C. G. Foster, of the United States district court, indicated Saturday that while he will sit with Judge Thayer in the final hearing of the stock yards case, he would take no part in it. He informed the lawyers that as there is nothing new to be offered, the testimony and report submitted by Special Master Clark being made, by the stipulations of the attorney, the basis for the final hearing, he did not see any use in him threshing over old straw.

IN BAD CONDITION.

Chicago River at Irving Park Boulevard Has a Deadly Odor.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Residents in the section of the city lying north of Irving Park boulevard and west of the Chicago river have petitioned the health department to relieve them of the noxious odor rising from the river. Several deaths, they declare, have already been caused or hastened by the pollution and a large number of animals have succumbed after drinking the water or inhaling the odor from the river.

Masons Gather at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 11.—The general grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons assembled here to-day in triennial convocation and on Wednesday the centennial anniversary of the founding of the grand chapter in the United States will be celebrated. Prominent masons from all parts of the world will be present and the sessions will continue during the week.

A Noted Detective Robbed.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 11.—William Pinkerton, of Chicago, of the Pinkerton National Detective agency, and one of the men who never sleep, is now grieving over the loss of \$250. A pickpocket went through the pockets of Mr. Pinkerton's coat while he was watching the parade and took everything worth carrying off.

A GIGANTIC SYSTEM.

New Union Pacific Will Represent the Greatest Railway Mileage.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—When the Union Pacific reorganization is complete it will represent the largest capitalization and a greater mileage than any other railroad system in the United States. The capitalization will be upon a sufficiently broad basis to provide for the taking back of substantially all the branches and feeders that comprised the Union Pacific system as it was in its full glory. This means a great amount of money. The 1,800 miles of rails which will be sold on the last day of November in Omaha represent in mortgage indebtedness of one sort or another about \$125,000,000. Then there is the debt on the branches and feeders, to say nothing of capital stock of the various corporations. The newly reorganized and reconstructed company will start in business, it is understood, on a basis of \$200,000,000. When rehabilitated and squarely on its feet the new Union Pacific Railroad company will stand as the greatest achievement in American railroad reconstruction—greater even than the Northern Pacific or the Southern Pacific railways.

DRINKING AND CAROUSING.

A Bloody Conflict Results, and Three Men Are Killed.

AUGUSTA, Ark., Oct. 9.—News of a bloody fight in which about a dozen men participated was received here from DeWitt, a small place in Woodruff county, yesterday. Four men were seriously wounded, three of whom are not expected to live. The wounded are: E. J. Douglass, Frank Williams, Douglas Bowers and F. W. Wilson. Douglass may recover, but the others are in a dangerous condition. Several other men were badly bruised. The riot occurred at Charles Lipman's place, where the men were drinking and carousing. A slight altercation arose between two of the revelers, which soon involved everybody in the place, and a free-for-all fight ensued, in which knives, clubs, brass knuckles, lead pipes and cotton balances were used with terrible effect. The fight raged fiercely for over 30 minutes.

NO FIGHTING THERE.

Canada Will Not Tolerate Any Contest by American Pugilists.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 9.—It is not probable that the McCoy-Creedon fight, or any other finish fight, will be brought off in any section of Canada. For some time a party of New Yorkers have been endeavoring to secure in Montreal letters patent for the formation of the Canadian Athletic association, its object being to give exhibitions of an athletic character, including boxing. Such letters were issued last week by the lieutenant governor in council, but before signing the papers the clause relating to boxing exhibitions was stricken out, and any attempt to bring off a fight under this character will be severely punished.

Make Radical Recommendations.

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—A majority report by Gov. Wolcott's special taxation commission recommends a five per cent. inheritance tax with exemption for estates less than \$10,000 and \$5,000 valuation abatement to \$25,000, the revenue to be distributed among the municipalities; a tax on house rents over \$400; no tax on stocks, bonds and other intangible personalty; assumption of county expenses by the state and state revenue appropriation on the corporate excess.

Team Record Broken.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 9.—At the mile track of the Northern Horsebreeders' association here yesterday John R. Gentry and Robert J. broke the pacing team record, going the mile in faultless style in 2:08. This was done after the pair had been sent a mile in 2:11, and before the close of the day's sport Gentry with running mate paced a mile in 2:03 3/4.

End of a Life of Charity.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—Sister Gonzaga, the oldest sister of charity in the United States and for 50 years the superioress of St. Joseph's asylum, this city, died yesterday. Sister Gonzaga was born near Emmetsburg, Md., in 1812. Her name was Agnes Grace, and the members of the family are still well known in that section of the country.

Smoked White on the Scaffold.

MONROE, La., Oct. 9.—Pat Paine, the wife murderer, was hanged privately at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the jail yard here. He asserted his innocence to the last, was perfectly cool and collected and drank a glass of egg-nog and smoked a cigar on the scaffold. Paine was a theosophist and claimed to be in constant communication with his murdered wife.

Yellow Fever Still Raging.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—Yesterday was a record-breaker. As early as six o'clock as many cases had been reported as on Wednesday, when the fever reached for the time high water mark, 46 cases. At the same hour there had been five deaths reported, with a couple of patients in a very critical condition.

Fifty-One Horses Burned.

ENGLISH, Ind., Oct. 9.—The stables of Dr. W. T. Frady, near Marietta, were destroyed by fire last night with all their contents, including 43 horses, which were in Frady's care for training. Besides these there were eight of his own horses, valued at more than \$3,500. The total loss is \$25,000.

WAS A BIG SUCCESS.

The Carnival Parade at Kansas City Headed by a Figure of Uncle Sam.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 8.—Like all large, unwieldy bodies, the carnival parade yesterday was late in getting under way. When, however, the clear notes of the polished instrument of Bugler Sykes, the "pride of the Third regiment," sounded out at Thirteenth and Broadway, the cavalcade of police at the head of the parade moved slowly north on Broadway, and the Parade of All Nations had started on its journey.

And such a parade it was! It was a moving panorama of scenes in the history of nations. It was a wordless story of progress and enlightenment. It was an intelligent recital of the foundation and upbuilding of a great nation. It was a wonderful insight into the heterogeneous character of American citizenship. There were pleasing glimpses of life and customs in other countries. The soldiers of the Rhine marched with the brave men from Sweden, whose forefathers shouldered their guns beneath the snow-capped peaks of Sulitelma. The wind that caressed the flag of England rippled in the folds of the banner of the Flowery Kingdom.

As was eminently fitting in an all-nations parade, Uncle Sam was at the fore. Seven feet eight inches tall, as straight as a string and as majestic as a prince, this Uncle Sam walked proudly along at the head of the parade in the wonderful suit of clothes made for him when the nation was young and its fate trembled in the scales of destiny. There were thousands of features to the parade, all of which were worthy of description, for each represented the thoughts, the genius and the expenditure of somebody who was interested in pleasing the public.

SPAIN'S ANSWER DEFIANT.

Reply to the Note of the United States Has Been Formulated.

MADRID, Oct. 8.—A cabinet council, at which the queen regent presided, was held here yesterday. When the ministers separated the premier, Sagasta, announced to the newspaper men that no final decision had been taken in regard to the reply which Spain will make to the note of the United States. The Imparcial, however, says it learns that the reply of Spain will settle Spanish susceptibilities in making clear to President McKinley the resolute attitude which Spain maintains in regard to Cuba. According to El Heraldo, Spain's reply to the United States will point out that if American interests suffer by reason of the war in Cuba, they (the Americans) are themselves to blame for it, inasmuch as the insurrection is assisted from the United States.

FIRE RAPIDLY SPREADING.

Flames Devastating Property and Taking Human Life in Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 8.—The forest fires that have been raging in Manitoba, close to the boundary line, for the past three days, have broken out more furiously than ever. Ten or 12 persons are reported to have been burned to death, and the fire is rapidly spreading over the boundary line into Dakota. Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of timber has been destroyed, and considerable grain, as well as some farm buildings. The flames are driving hundreds of wolves and coyotes out in the open country, and large flocks of geese and ducks have been seen flying over the burning forests.

SENSATION AT JACKSONVILLE.

A Physician a Steppfather and a Lover Accused of Murdering Nora Harris.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Oct. 8.—Nora Harris, who died September 11, as the reported result of a buggy accident, and whose body was disinterred by the coroner's jury, was murdered, according to the verdict of that body. Dr. Fritz Skinner is the man charged with causing her death by a criminal operation. Her stepfather and William Hobson, her lover, are declared in the verdict to have been accessories. Warrants are out for the arrest of the three men, but they have disappeared.

A DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Maryland Man Kills His Aged Father-in-Law and Wounds His Wife and Her Sister.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—A shocking tragedy occurred three miles from Sandy Springs, Md. William Timmons shot and killed William Hinton, his father-in-law, about 85 years of age; inflicted a wound which will probably prove fatal to his wife, 28 years of age, and also shot the wife of John Hinton, his wife's brother, causing a serious but not necessarily fatal wound. The shooting was the result of a quarrel between Timmons and his wife.

A GIGANTIC SWINDLER.

Emmett C. Gibson, Under Arrest in New York, Accused of Smooth Work.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The police say that Emmett C. Gibson, also known as George A. Sherin, who is now a prisoner at police headquarters, is the most accomplished bogus check and hotel swindler in the country. Gibson, according to the police, has succeeded, by means of forgery, bogus checks and dealings in stocks and bonds and plying his wiles upon first-class hotel-keepers during the last four years, in getting and spending in the neighborhood of \$400,000.

TRADE REPORT.

Distribution of Merchandise Checked by the Prolonged Drought.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Bradstreet's report says:
Distribution of general merchandise in the central west and northwest is further checked owing to the prolonged drought in Kentucky, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas. Telegraphic advices to Bradstreet's report serious damage in Kansas and parts of Nebraska and Iowa, where early planted wheat is up, but that planted later is not likely to sprout. Fall plowing is now impossible. Six weeks without rain have dried up pastures and compelled farmers to feed stock. Manufacturing industries throughout the west, particularly iron and steel, continue active, and there is an increasing tendency on the part of the interior merchants to remit promptly. While the volume of trade has decreased at Chicago, it is ahead of the like record in recent years. There is a moderate improvement of business in the south, Alabama having raised the quarantine against Georgia cities, and central and northern Texas points having resumed commercial relations with Galveston. Planters continue to hold cotton, which delays collections.

NEW POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL.

Institute Dedicated at Peoria, Ill.—Kansas Graduate at the Head.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 9.—Yesterday occurred the exercises dedicatory of the Bradley polytechnic institute, to which a wealthy Peoria woman, Mrs. Lydia Bradley, has given \$2,500,000. The most notable feature on the programme was the dedicatory address by Hon. Lyman J. Gage, secretary of the treasury. An address in behalf of the faculty was delivered by W. R. Harper, president of the University of Chicago, who is also president of the faculty of the Bradley institute. Prof. O. E. Sisson, a graduate of the Kansas state agricultural college, class of '86, is at the head of the new institution, and Mrs. Nellie S. Kedzie, for 16 years prior to last month a member of the faculty of the Kansas state agricultural college, occupies the chair of domestic science.

GILBERT DEFEATS ELLIOTT.

The Iowa Man Captures the American Wing Shot Championship.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 9.—Fred Gilbert, of Spirit Lake, Ia., defeated J. A. R. Elliott, of this city, by the narrow margin of one bird in the pigeon shooting match at Exposition park yesterday. He killed 95 birds out of a possible 100 to Mr. Elliott's 94. The contest was for a purse of \$200 and the Kansas City Star cup. The loser immediately challenged the winner to another match, which will probably take place on Iowa soil. From the start to the finish there was never a time when there was more than one bird between the two contestants, and during a large part of the time they were tied, so that the interest of the crowd was kept fled to a fine point all the time.

MURDER AS A TRADE.

Hollander Confesses to Having Slain His Parents, His Child and 14 Wives.

ROTTERDAM, Oct. 9.—A man named Gustave Muller has surrendered to the police, confessing the murder of his wife and child. As proof of the truth of his confession he produced from his pocket four human ears. The police, on searching his house, found the two bodies. Muller subsequently confessed that he had also killed his parents, mutilating their remains in the same fashion, and then he made the astonishing statement that he had similarly disposed of 14 wives whom he had married in various parts of the world.

THE STREETS FLOODED.

Great Damage in Cleveland by the Bursting of a Water Main.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 9.—The biggest water main in the city broke with a crashing noise in the downtown district and practically paralyzed business in that part of the city. The break occurred at the corner of St. Clair and Bond streets. Paving stones and dirt shot into the air and the column of water rose 30 feet above the sidewalk. The entire street was soon flooded to the depth of three feet and the basement of every house and business block was flooded.

FAILED TO PAY LOSSES.

The Order of the World, with Thousands of Members, in Serious Trouble.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 9.—The Order of the World, with thousands of members from Missouri and Nebraska to the Atlantic ocean, is in serious trouble. Its old officers have abandoned it, the United States government has refused to further deliver mail, because the organization has failed to pay numerous death losses, and the Omaha members are clamoring for relief, but know not where to turn.

SYSTEMATIC ROBBERY.

Georgia Gang Has Stolen \$100,000 Worth of Goods from Freight Cars.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 9.—The investigation of the Bohannan robberies by the Whitfield county, Ga., grand jury, has brought forth some sensational disclosures and thrown the little city of Dalton, 40 miles south of here, into an uproar. The jury has discovered that the gang has stolen over \$100,000, and has been working systematically for years.

THE LAST OF WEYLER.

Spanish Cabinet Has Requested the Captain General to Return.

MADRID, Oct. 9.—The cabinet has decided upon the immediate recall of Gen. Weyler from Cuba. A decree will be issued appointing Capt. Gen. Blanco Y. Arenas, marquis of Pena-Plata, governor general of the island. The queen regent will sign the decree immediately. According to El Heraldo 20,000 reinforcements will accompany Gen. Blanco to Cuba.