

SOLDIERS IN REVIEW

TROOPS AT FT. RILEY MAKE A FINE APPEARANCE

FORT RILEY, Kas., Oct. 28.—A review of all the troops in camp, 12,000 in number, was held Saturday morning in Smoky Hills flats, at the southern end of the reservation and as a purely military spectacle it is doubtful if, in this country, at least, it was ever surpassed. There was an absence of the glitter and gay colors of holiday occasions. The uniforms were for the most part stained with hard work, but the men, after weeks of drill, were in excellent condition, and when they streamed in long, close set ranks, past the reviewing stand, Gen. Ian Hamilton of the British army could not contain his expressions of pleasure, and repeatedly expressed his gratification. Even the subalterns of the regular army seemed pleased with themselves and all the world at the conclusion of the review, and that tells as much as anything can, that the affair was a most decisive success.

The first brigade under General L. D. Brant had the right of the line. It comprised the Second, Twenty-first and one battalion of the Twelfth regular infantry. They came in columns of companies and made a fine showing.

General Bell, superbly mounted on a white-faced chestnut, came next with his brigade, made up of the Sixth and Twenty-fifth regular infantry and the Fifty-fifth Iowa. General Bell has been extremely fortunate in the makeup of his brigade, for there are no finer organizations in the army than the Sixth and Twenty-fifth, and the Fifty-fifth Iowa is without doubt one of the best national guard organizations in the country. Its bearing and marching called forth warm praise on all sides. This regiment has made a most favorable impression on the officers of the regular army for its ability in the field, and its work today showed it was as good in the fancy points of the game of war as when it is marching over the hills or covering long stretches of dusty roads. The Third brigade, under General Barry, was headed by the Missouri provisional regiment, that looked and marched exceedingly well. Its ranks were full and well kept and it was highly praised.

The Second Nebraska, that came next, was as good as the best of the national guard regiments. Colonel McDonnell, on a handsome dun horse, was a conspicuous figure at the head of his regiment and the battalions that came after him were as satisfactory to look upon as the colonel.

The cavalry brigade, under General Carr, followed the infantry, and in appearance and marching it sustained its reputation of being a portion of the finest light cavalry in the world. Nine batteries of artillery rumbled along after horsemen had passed and then came the prosaic but highly important quartermaster's train. In the afternoon there were athletic games by enlisted men of the regular army on the open air gymnasium between Fort Riley and Junction City. Major Baker, the chief quartermaster, delivered a lecture on "Transportation," which was highly interesting to the military men.

Kills His Two Boys

MARION, Ind., Oct. 26.—Jesse McClure, a farm hand, killed his two sons, five and seven years old, leaving their bodies in a fence corner. While a mob was forming to lynch him McClure drove to Marion and gave himself up. He has been secreted by the authorities, who fear mob violence.

McClure separated from his wife a year ago. She refused to live with him and returned with her children to her father's home. McClure hired a rig at Elwood and drove to the farm of Mrs. McClure's father. He found the children playing in the front yard and induced them with candy to take a ride with him. He drove a mile up the road, carried the children to a fence corner and shot them with a revolver. The older one was found dead a few minutes later and the younger was dying, a piece of the candy still being in his mouth. The alarm was given and from all surrounding towns armed pursuers started McClure succeeding in reaching the Marion jail without being caught.

Drops Dead in the Depot

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 26.—The Rev. T. M. Dillon, a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church and the editor of late years of the Rochester Item, dropped dead in the waiting room of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railway station at Rochester, this county. He was a native of New York state, was fifty-eight years old, and leaves a wife. Physicians pronounce the case one of heart disease.

FOREIGNERS COMING

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION TO THE UNITED STATES

IS NEARLY A MILLION

EXCESS OVER LAST YEAR THIRTY TWO PER CENT

ALL ARE NOT ADMITTED

Europe Sending the Bulk, With Italy Far in the Lead—Nearly Nine Thousand Rejected for Various Causes.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The annual report of Commissioner General Frank P. Sargent of the bureau of immigration shows large increase of steerage immigration over that of the preceding year, the aggregate for the fiscal year of 1903 being 857,046 an excess over that of last year of 208,302, or 32 per cent. The statistics show an increase in immigration from all foreign sources, suggesting as the chief cause of the influx of aliens into the United States during the year the inducements offered to settlers here rather than any special cause of discontent in their own countries. Of the total steerage immigration there came from Europe 814,507, from Asia 29,906 and from all other sources 12,533. If to these figures are added those representing the total arrivals of alien cabin passengers, 64,259 the result will show that the total immigration of aliens to the United States during the year aggregated 921,315, or 105,043 more than the greatest number heretofore reported for any one year.

The greatest number of immigrants, 250,022, came from Italy, an increase of 52,247 over last year, while Austria-Hungary furnished 206,011, an increase of 34,022; Russia, 136,093, an increase of 28,746; Germany, 40,086, an increase of 11,782; Sweden, 44,028, an increase of 15,134; Ireland, 35,319, an increase of 6,172, and England, 6,219, an increase of 12,644.

Of the oriental countries, Japan was foremost with 19,965, an increase of 5,698, while China contributed 2,209, an increase of 500 over last year.

Of the total number of steerage aliens 131,46 were males and 243,906 were females, of whom 102,431 were under fourteen years of age. There were of these 3,341 who could read, but could not write, and 185,667 who could neither read nor write. The total amount of money brought by them into the United States was \$16,117,513.

Exclusive of those denied admission at the land boundaries of the United States 8,796 alien immigrants were rejected for various causes, the number of rejections being nearly double those of the preceding year. Of these 5,812 were paupers, 1,773 were afflicted with disease and 1,089 were contract laborers.

Commissioner Sargent strongly recommends that an examination by competent medical officials be made of immigrants on behalf of this government at foreign ports of embarkation. He believes that skilled physicians, representing this government, should be detailed for this service.

Commissioner Sargent, in view of the arrival of approximately 1,000,000 immigrants annually, urges that legislation be enacted to improve the quality, morally and intellectually of those admitted.

Tribute to United States

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—"The land of unlimited possibilities," a book written by L. M. Goldberger, a privy councillor of commerce, who made a visit to the United States in 1901, was published today. In the concluding chapter, written after the recent events in Wall street, Herr Goldberger says: "The economic giant America, finds the strong roots of its power in the soil of the country which, after every storm, gives unlimited possibilities for the rapid recuperation of the high moral forces which live in the American people. They repudiate any and every identification with sharpers and cheats and they are struggling steadily toward firmer ground. Every where we find nervous energy; everywhere development. Science and art are taking deeper and deeper root, and their independent spirit is linked with sincere admiration for creative labor."

Kratz Under Arrest

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Guadalajara, Mexico, says: Charles Kratz, a member of the St. Louis city council, indicted on a charge of bribery, who jumped a \$20,000 bond, was arrested today on orders from the federal government at City of Mexico. He will be held until offices with requisition papers from the United States arrive.

RESENTMENT IS GROWING

PREFERENCE DECLARED FOR THE FLAG OF UNITED STATES

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 23.—In the senate yesterday Sir MacKenzie Bowell, leader of the opposition, asked for information concerning the Alaskan boundary award.

Mr. Scott, for the government, replied that the most important reason why the Canadian commissioners did not approve of the award was that it was not a judicial document decision.

Sir MacKenzie Bowell said that it was unfortunate that in every case when negotiations have taken place between the United States and England, where Canada was affected, the United States diplomats had succeeded in securing islands which command the most important points of the dominion. There was the island right opposite the harbor of Port Arthur. In the case of a difficulty, he said that island would have to be secured by the British people for, if fortified, it would command the entrance to that harbor. Unless that was done the United States could secure it and with the guns they have at present would be able to destroy the whole connection between the east and west. It was the same with the island of San Juan, another secured by treaty negotiations.

"Now," said Mr. MacKenzie, "the United States will command Fort Simpson. In every case Canadian interests were sacrificed."

Senator McMullen said that the decision would create as much dissatisfaction in Canada as there was in the Transvaal and in Ireland.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—A cable message has been received in London from President Roosevelt thanking the American commissioners and the counsel of the Alaskan boundary tribunal and expressing congratulations in the name of the people of the United States on the result of the tribunal's deliberations.

Nixon Still on the Stand

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Lewis Nixon occupied the witness chair again today at the hearing before an examiner of the United States shipbuilding case and gave much valuable testimony covering the finances and general affairs of the corporation. He testified that he had opposed the Sheldon reorganization plan and had as a counter-proposition urged that the stock be assessed in order to raise the amount necessary to save the combination from default and bankruptcy. His plan of assessment was opposed by Charles M. Schwab, holder at that time, of \$20,000,000 of the stock, who, according to Mr. Nixon declared that the stockholders would not pay the assessment. Mr. Schwab so Mr. Nixon swore, declined to put up any more unless the Bethlehem steel bonds were given preference as a lien on the shipbuilding plants to the first mortgage bonds. Mr. Nixon's testimony also developed the fact that there was a wide discrepancy as to estimated earnings in letters written by treasurer Gary to members of the reorganization committee, and Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the bondholders, asked if it did not show that there had been an attempt to minimize the value of the shipyards and magnify the value of the Bethlehem plant, but the witness would not say so.

Dowie Meetings Draw a Disorderly Crowd

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Thirty thousand people, according to the estimates of the police, tried to get into Madison Square Garden to see John Alexander Dowie last night. About one-third that number had secured admittance when at 8 o'clock Dowie ordered the door shut. When the 20,000 found themselves shut out the wildest disorder prevailed, and the police, four hundred strong, were for a time utterly unable to cope with the mad rush of the crowd. Men and women were knocked down and trampled on and many narrowly escaped death in the crush.

Several times Inspector Walsh sent in calls for extra reserves and it was not until the meeting was suddenly terminated by Dowie shortly after 9 o'clock that anything could be done with the crowd. In the surge of the crowd, Grace George, who was on her way to the theatre, where she is playing, was swept off her feet and trampled on and had her clothing badly torn. She accused the police of handling her roughly.

Mrs. William J. Buckley of Newark, N. J. was caught in the crush and fell fainting to the street. She was badly bruised. Inspector Walsh was near the woman when she fell and with the aid of fifteen policemen he rescued and carried her to safety. Several people were arrested on charges of disorderly conduct.

Fishermen to Form Union

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 23.—A call has been issued for a meeting to be held at Spring Lake next Sunday of fishermen along the Illinois river. A movement has been started for the formation of a union among the fishermen for mutual protection, and to enable them to better fight the cases that are preferred by the various fish wardens. Spring Lake, about twenty miles here, is one of the best fishing grounds in the west.

TOWN IS CAPTURED

SANTIAGO CAPTURED AFTER A LONG FIGHT.

TRIUMPH AT THE OUTSET

A PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT IS ALREADY ESTABLISHED.

REVOLUTION SPREADING

Revolt Was Caused by Numerous Customs House Frauds and Prevarications of Ministers of War.

CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, Oct. 27.—The town of Santiago, in the Dominican republic, was surrounded yesterday morning by insurgent troops the command of Gen. Epifanio Rodriguez. After severe fighting, which lasted for several hours and during which a number of men were wounded, the revolutionists triumphed and Santiago fell into their hands.

The revolution, which has broken out in the northern part of the republic of Santo Domingo and which has already resulted in the establishment of a provisional government at Puerto Plata under the presidency of General Morales, was caused, according to advices received here, by the numerous customs house frauds and the prevarications of the ministers of war and of finance. The signal for the outbreak of the revolt was given at two o'clock on Saturday afternoon by three cannon shots. That same evening all the partisans of President Wosey Gil at Puerto Plata were arrested. The inhabitants of Monte Cristo, La Linge and Loca united and attacked Santiago. Telegraphic communication between Santiago and La Vega has been severed.

The revolutionary outbreak is extending, and the general opinion is that the government of President Wosey Gil is lost.

Vice President Deschamps has arrived here in a small sail boat from Monte Cristo. He has abandoned the government.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—Advices received from Cape Haytien, Hayti, confirm the reports that the revolutionary movement in the republic of Santo Domingo is in favor of former President Jimenez. The revolution is spreading, and, according to the dispatches received here, all the inhabitants of the region of Monte Cibo have joined the uprising against the government. The election of General Morales as president of the provisional government is said to be a step taken pending the arrival of General Jimenez, who will be elected president of the republic if the revolution is successful.

Robbers Loot Oregon Bank

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 27.—A special to the Evening Telegram from Sheridan, Ore., says: At 3 o'clock yesterday morning burglars entered the banking house of Scroggins & Worsman in this city, blew open the safe with giant powder, secured \$7,000 in coin and made their escape before the sleeping residents of the town could be aroused.

The bank is situated in a brick building in the center of the town. The principal depositors are the farmers of the surrounding country. The robbers took the most opportune hour for their work, as the town was in slumber and enveloped in a dense fog. No watchman was on duty, as there never has been any need of guarding property.

The building was not materially damaged. The explosion awakened Mayor Eakin, who lives over his store diagonally across the street from the bank. Looking from his window a moment later, he saw the robbers emerge from the bank building, jump into a rig and drive to the south. The mayor secured a rifle and fired three shots at the men as they disappeared down the road. Outside the building a sledge and two picks apparently stolen from the Southern Pacific, were found. The robbers took nothing from the vault but the money.

Takes Plea of Innocence

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 27.—Issac Graville, believed by officials to be the leader in the Northern Pacific dynamite conspiracy, pleaded not guilty in the district court. The information charges assault in the first degree. He was bound over.

Sentences Him to Be Shot

OGDEN, Utah, Oct. 27.—At Farmington Judge Rolapp sentenced Nick Haworth to be shot on Friday, December 11. Haworth killed Thomas Sandall, watchman in a store at Layton. Haworth was one of the prisoners who escaped from the penitentiary two weeks ago and was recaptured after four days' liberty.

Nebraska Notes

The Wisner corn carnival closed a successful week Saturday night. The crowds were large each day.

While driving a team in a cornfield Peter Eisenmenger of Humphrey received serious injuries. The team ran away and dragged the wagon over his body.

Alban Emily, son of Cashier Emily of the Citizen's bank at Wisner, had a foot crushed under a passenger train. The lad was jumping on the train for a short ride.

The Maxwell state bank of Maxwell has incorporated with a paid up capital of \$5,000. W. H. McDonald is president and W. H. Plumer cashier.

The postoffice department has appointed the following carriers in Nebraska: At Spring Ranch, regular, John Myler; substitute, John Cunningham.

A westbound freight on the Rock Island crashed into a work train at Fairbury. The engine of the freight and several cars were badly smashed up, but no lives were lost.

H. D. Dode Dorf, a traveling salesman for the Fremont Brewing company, died at Norfolk Sunday evening of a stroke of paralysis. The remains were taken to Fremont.

At Litchfield last week sparks from the Burlington flyer set fire to a field. The next train, a freight, stopped and the crew fought the fire. Grain to the value of \$400 was burned.

Incorporation papers have been issued to the new Bank of Edison, in Furnas county. It starts business with \$5,000 capital. C. A. Miller is president and G. P. Smith cashier.

The funeral of Anson Hewitt, who died at his home in Arlington Monday, will take place tomorrow. He was 73 years old and was one of the first settlers in Washington county.

Articles have been filed by William N. Skinner and he will be permitted by the state banking board to conduct a private banking business at Springfield. The capital stock is \$5,000.

Burglars at Foster secured some tools from a blacksmith shop, and entering the store of Schraun Brothers, blew open the safe, securing about \$60 in money and making good their escape.

The Missouri River Dispatch company of Hastings has filed articles of incorporation at Lincoln with a capital stock of \$50,000 and with W. H. Ferguson, A. L. Clarke and Clarence J. Miles as incorporators.

Miss Carrie Crawford and Ulysses Brown were married at the home of the bride's mother in Kearney. Rev. George A. Beecher officiating. The groom is the eldest son of Edith Brown of the Kearney Hub.

A great revival is in progress in the M. E. church in Dorchester. About fifty have professed conversion so far from persons eighty-two years of age to middle-aged people, fathers, mothers, young people and children. The whole community is awakened.

Carrie Longfellow died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lucy Stoffle, in Wahoo of consumption. Deceased was a sister of the late P. R. Longfellow, who died at Mountain Home Idaho, last July. The funeral was held from the residence, Rev. M. Darby, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Interment was in Sanrise cemetery.

A quiet wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rang in Pattsmouth, when Rev. H. B. Burgess united Miss Edna A. Oliver and William C. Wescott. After the ceremony the bridal couple departed on a wedding trip to the east. Their future home will be at Rock Springs, S. D. The bride, who is a daughter of E. A. Oliver, was a former Plattsmouth girl.

Mrs. Allen Price died at her home in West Kearney, after an illness of four or five years duration. Deceased was born in Jefferson county, Kentucky, January 6, 1847, and came to Kearney in 1898. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her, three daughters and a son. Mrs. Bessie Crowl of Omaha, Misses Mollie and Edie of Kearney and Thomas B. Price of Saratoga.

Robbers blew the safe at Pleasant Dale, fourteen miles west of Lincoln. First reports indicated that they secured \$3,500, but it was stated on the authority of the bank's officers that the robbers got nothing that while they wrecked the safe and blew out part of one side of the building they left before reaching the receptacle where the cash was held, evidently being frightened away by citizens who had heard the explosion.

S. A. Curtis, a farmer living five miles north of Stella, has a curiosity in a three-legged pig. It is about six weeks old and belongs to a large litter. It has two perfectly formed hind legs while there is only one in front, coming out of the middle of the breast. Mr. Curtis says the pig does not seem to be inconvenienced by its deformity and gets around as nimbly as any of the others. He has a picture made of it in a good pose showing the hind legs.

EMPIRE MAKES A PROTEST

RUSSIA SAID TO BE REACHING OUT IN KOREA.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 28.—Mysterious movements of Russians in Korea continue to be reported. A detachment of 200 Russian troops is said to have crossed the river Tumt into Korea and another contingent of forty Russians appeared at Wiju on Friday last and subsequently returned. The newspapers here regard the situation as being easier and believe that Baron de Rosen, the Russian minister, and Foreign Minister Komura are nearer to reaching an agreement.

Following the announcement made here that the Korean government had protested against the Russian fortification of Youngnam, on the Yalu river, official advices received at Tokyo tend to confirm the reports that the Russians have fortified that place. This may lead to important developments, as the fortifications of Youngnam would be an infringement on Korean integrity.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—The report sent out from Honolulu a few days ago to the effect that the Togo Ki-eul steamship, Nippon Maru, would call at Midway island on her way to Yokohama owing to anxiety over the alleged strained relations between Japan and Russia, is denied by the general agent of the line in his city, on the authority of Minister Takahira at Washington. When the report concerning the Nippon Maru was received there Agent Avery consulted Japanese Consul Uyeno and he in turn wired Minister Takahira, who promptly denied it on the strength of a cablegram from the consul general at Honolulu.

Cannot be Twice assessed.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 28.—The supreme court affirmed the decision of the Sangamon circuit court in the case of the people of the state of Illinois ex rel. Carter H. Harrison, mayor of Chicago, against the state board of equalization. The court refused to issue a writ of mandamus directed against the state board to compel them to assess all railroad property, other than main tracks as local property.

The supreme court says that it finds no authority in the statute for the equalizers to divide the real estate of a railroad into two parts, one to be known as "railroad tracks" and the other to be known as "railroad tracks, other than main tracks." The board being a creature of the statute has no powers other than those expressly conferred upon it by statute.

The constitution of this state, ratifiers claim, requires all real estate to be taxed within the limits, and not otherwise, of the municipality wherein it is located. If this contention were conceded, according to the supreme court, then the power of the state board of equalization to assess "railroad" track is swept away. The court is of the opinion, however, that this portion of the revenue act is clearly constitutional.

Suffocated in His Bed

LEAD, S. D., Oct. 28.—J. A. Marcoux, head carpenter for the Hidden Treasure Mining company, was murdered and his wife barely escaped suffocation by the use of chloroform, robbery being the purpose of the crime. Mrs. Marcoux was aroused nearly suffocated and made her way to the kitchen. When she was revived and returned she found her husband dead. An empty chloroform vial and a saturated handkerchief were found near the pillow of the dead man. A large sum of money received the day before by Mr. Marcoux had been placed in the bank.

Thresher Engine Explodes

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 2.—The sixteen horse power threshing engine of John Smith exploded on the farm of George Helmschick, nine miles southeast of this city at noon. Huge pieces of iron were found one-half mile from where the engine stood. The crew was at dinner at the time of the explosion for which reason no one was injured.

Find Dead Body in Alley

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Oct. 28.—Mabel H. Bechtel, twenty-one years, was murdered and her body placed in an underground alley adjoining her home, where it was found by her mother. Her skull was crushed, but there were no other marks of violence on the body. Miss Bechtel went driving with Davis Welschberg and this was the last time she was seen alive.

Head Severed From Body

COLUMBUS, Neb., Oct. 28.—Camden Edmiston, a Union Pacific brakeman, was instantly killed at 3 o'clock this afternoon. He was engaged in switching at Spalding and fell from a car across the rail and his head was severed from his body. He was twenty-eight years of age and had a family residing here. The remains are being held there at the order of the coroner who will hold an inquest.