

BRIEF NEWS NOTES FOR THE BUSY MAN

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe—Latest Home and Foreign Items.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

Senator Borah made the closing argument in the Haywood case, a brilliant effort for which he was highly complimented, even by Clarence Darrow and Haywood himself.

Senator Borah began the closing address for the state in the Haywood trial, resenting the attacks of counsel for the defense on his associate, Mr. Hawley, asserting the trial had been absolutely fair and denying that the state of Idaho was making any fight on labor or the poor.

Clarence Darrow, of counsel for Haywood, bitterly denounced Orchard, J. H. Hawley, and every one else connected with the prosecution of Haywood, sneered at education and the constitution and pleaded eloquently for labor as against capital.

Forsaking the theory of vengeance as Orchard's motive for the murder of former Gov. Steunenberg, E. F. Richardson argued that Orchard was in the employ of the Pinkerton detective agency when he killed Steunenberg, and that the murder was a part of a conspiracy to hang Haywood. This sudden departure was followed by a tremendous denunciation of Capt. James McParland and the Pinkertons and passionate vituperation of Orchard, Gov. Gooding of Idaho, Senator Borah, Gov. Peabody of Colorado; in fact, all who have acted on the side of the prosecution of Haywood came in for a share of the avalanche of Richardson's peroration.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Rev. Levont Martogessian, an Armenian priest, told the New York authorities he believed the blackmailing of wealthy Armenians was being done by Turkish government spies to discredit the Armenian patriots.

Judge W. H. Munger, in the federal court at Omaha handed down a decision holding that the Sibley law, passed by the last Missouri legislature, providing for a reduction of 25 per cent. in express rates, is constitutional.

While Emperor Nicholas was reviewing the troops encamped at Krasnoye-Selo the Semenovskiy regiment refused to participate in the maneuvers and broke up the order of parade. The men demanded the retirement of Gen. Reiman, who, with Gen. Min, ruthlessly put down the Moscow uprising in December, 1905.

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Gertrude F. Atherton, Katherine Glover and Poutney Bigelow, well known authors, are directors in the Malden Poultry farm of Malden, N. Y., which filed articles of incorporation.

President Richard H. Halsey, of the Oshkosh, Wis., Normal school, was accidentally shot and killed at Geogebic lake, Wis.

A "Jack the Ripper" in Berlin stabbed three little girls in one afternoon. One of them died and the others probably cannot recover.

The census bureau perfected its arrangements for collecting cotton ginning statistics covering the cotton crop of 1907-08. There will be 10 reports, the first appearing September 8 and the last March 20. The intermediate dates of publication will be October 2, October 26, November 8, November 21, December 3, December 20, January 9 and January 23.

The celebrated convent at Oiseaux, where so many young women of the aristocracy of France and other countries have been educated, has been closed under the law forbidding the continuation of institutions of secular instruction.

Acting Secretary of the Interior Woodruff said a coal famine was neither necessary nor imminent because the geological survey has developed such immense areas of coal lands in the west and northwest.

The supreme court of Guatemala has confirmed the death penalty on all those sentenced in connection with the recent attempt to assassinate President Cabrera.

The unveiling of a monument to Oliver P. Morton, Indiana's war governor, in Indianapolis, was the occasion of a large gathering of veterans of the civil war. Among those attending were Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks and Gen. R. B. Brown, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R.

A syndicate of Kentuckians bought about 700,000 bushels of Kentucky blue grass seed, practically all there is in the country.

James B. Duke, president of the American Tobacco company, was married to Mrs. Nanaeline Holt Inman in Brooklyn.

The New York authorities were informed that H. S. Tavshanjian, the rug merchant who was murdered, was one of ten wealthy Armenians who had been marked for slaughter if they failed to give up \$10,000 each to a blackmailing band of their countrymen.

Bishop John H. Vincent in a speech at Coffeyville, Kan., attacked revivals. He said the sensational methods used often did more harm than good.

Miss Helen Madigan, of New York, died of injuries received in an automobile accident in which her fiancé, Dr. E. J. Gallagher, was killed.

Charles Warner, a former merchant, while ignoring shot and killed Miss Estelle Noring in a New York store.

Tevrik Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister, has pleaded the American minister at Constantinople that no recurrence of the recent bomb explosion will be permitted.

Rendered temporarily insane by the heat Henry Baumeyer, of Evansville, Ind., a mechanic 40 years old, made an attempt to kill his wife and two children and then shot and killed himself.

A naval parade by United States war vessels on the great lakes will be a feature of the ceremonies attending the unveiling of the Victory monument at Put-in-Bay, O., August 5, in memory of Perry's victory.

William J. Bryan rescued Mrs. E. B. Stillman in an auto accident at Storm Lake, Ia.

Cleveland voters rejected Mayor J. Tom Johnson's plan to issue \$750,000 bonds for the rebuilding of Central viaduct.

A bolt of lightning started a fire in the Augusta cotton factory at Augusta, Ga., but another bolt turned on the automatic sprinkling apparatus and quenched it.

John D. O'Shea, of Boston, a grand trustee of the Elks, left in his will a legacy to Miss Hattie M. Evans, who was his sweetheart 25 years ago.

Two workmen in the powder mills five miles north of Birmingham, Ala., were blown to atoms in an explosion.

Jose Antonio Oates, a Mexican student at Cornell university, has invented a bicycle that runs on water.

Mrs. Lillian Cora Rand, widow of a Burlington (Ia.) business man, will contest the will of her father, the late Hiram Higgins, who left \$1,000,900. She also will sue her mother and brother, William R. Higgins, for defamation of character.

Newton A. Berry, a wealthy farmer who lived near Covington, Ga., was gored to death by a mad bull from a neighboring farm.

Frank Cousins of Salem, Mass., a clerk in the finance department of the Boston post office, was arrested by post office inspectors charged with embezzlement of \$4,725.

Helena, Ida and Lida Conley, sisters, and Wyandotte Indians, began an armed guard over the graves of their ancestors in Huron cemetery in Kansas City, Kan., recently ordered sold by the government, and threaten to shoot the first person who may attempt to remove the bodies.

Jewish women attacked kosher butcher shops in Philadelphia's ghetto because the price of meat was raised, and in the resulting riots many persons were clubbed and arrested.

Third Officer Hawes of the wrecked steamer Columbia, whose sworn report of the disaster, filed with the federal inspectors, charged Capt. Hansen of the San Pedro with refusing to aid in the rescue of the stricken passengers, is now charged by survivors who occupied the same boat with him with conduct more cruel than that specified by him in his formal report.

Margaret Magill at Clinton, Ill., said her mother committed suicide, and exonerated her father and stepmother from all blame.

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Gov. Johnson, of Minnesota, visited the strike centers in the Mesaba country and decided that state troops were not yet needed.

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Despondent because he was hopelessly afflicted with locomotor ataxia, Henry C. Jones, of Nashville, Tenn., formerly auditor of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad, committed suicide in St. Louis by shooting.

Angered because her husband refused to praise her for saving money on purchases for their store and for recent heavy sales, Mrs. Anna Lowe, of Little Rock, Ark., poured a gallon of coal oil on her head and burned herself to death.

At Otter Lake, Mich., three persons lost their lives when lightning struck the hardware store of W. S. Hemingway, exploding a quantity of dynamite.

An attempt to blow up the residence of Mont Tennes, of Chicago, the professional operator of gambling houses, was made with a bomb which did little damage.

Ten thousand residents of the St. Elizabeth district, Jamaica, are suffering from the lack of sufficient food and the government officials are under censure.

Chester B. Runyan, the paying teller of the Windsor Trust company, who defaulted in the amount of \$100,000, pleaded guilty at New York to the indictment charging him with grand larceny and was remanded for sentence.

The Missouri board of railroad and warehouse commissioners announced that its recent order, limiting the speed of trains on the Missouri Pacific line to 30 miles an hour, would be canceled.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad has officially opened its Mitchell-Black Hills line, a distance of 190 miles.

Los Angeles, Cal., will attempt to collect taxes from the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies on the ground of their occupancy of the streets. On this ground the former has been assessed \$100,000 and the latter \$50,000.

Col. Will Hays of Louisville, a noted song writer and newspaper man, died as a result of a paralytic stroke sustained in the Iroquois theater fire in Chicago.

Attorney General Jackson of Kansas filed criminal proceedings against the International Harvester company, alleging eight distinct violations of the anti-trust law.

Short in his accounts and pressed by his employers to make a settlement, George H. Berkeley, city salesman for the wholesale grocery firm of Tolerton & Warfield, of Sioux City, Ia., shot himself and died instantly.

The Paris Figaro announces the engagement of Count Giulio Senni and Mary T. Gayley of New York, daughter of the vice president of the United States Steel corporation.

Following a quarrel Mrs. Alice Bruce, aged 18 years, a bride of several weeks, was shot and killed at her home in Camden, N. J., by her husband, Frederick Bruce, who then turned the revolver upon himself and inflicted probably fatal injuries.

A heavy passenger train from Chicago on the Wisconsin Central narrowly escaped being hurled into the river at Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Arnold Crouse was arrested at Muncie, Ind., charged with complicity in the Speer poisoning at Lima, O. A letter in his possession addressed to Mrs. Speer called her "sweetheart."

George Hayes, a farmer of Oxford township, New York, kissed his wife and then informed her that he had taken strychnine with his tea. He died in agony before physicians arrived.

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Girls in Cleveland are reported to have taken to cigarette smoking to ward off mosquitoes.

Andrew Mason, superintendent of the New York assay office, who has been in the service of the government for 50 years or more, has presented his resignation to Director Roberts, of the mint.

Twenty independent cigar manufacturers of Havana, Cuba, have decided to raise the price of cigars, charging American money instead of Spanish gold. This step is likely to be followed soon by all.

Citizens of Hibbing, Minn., bitterly opposed the strike of iron miners and protected men who desired to work. The Western Federation of Miners was denounced at a mass meeting.

A violent wind, rain and thunder storm did great damage in Pittsburg and vicinity and Wheeling, W. Va., had a cloudburst.

In a head-on collision between two traction cars on the Cleveland & Southwestern line at Elyria, O., three persons were probably fatally injured and a score of others received injuries of a minor nature.

Every adult male in the town of Kerisova, Hungary, emigrated to the United States and the municipal offices are filled by women, in violation of the law of the country.

Two men were killed and five others seriously injured by the falling of a scaffolding at the Pittsburg and Conneaut dock at Conneaut, O.

The story told by Avanza Amedea and Gulborzi Olindo, Italians, who said they had been held in slavery for 22 months on a Mississippi plantation and had just escaped, caused United States District Attorney Blodgett at St. Louis to institute an investigation into the alleged peonage.

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SEMIPOVSKY REGIMENT BREAKS UP REVIEW OF ARMY.

Demands Retirement of Gen. Reiman Who Helped Min in Moscow Butchery.

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QUIET IN RANGE COUNTRY.

Gov. Johnson of Minnesota Talks of Strike Situation.

St. Paul, Minn.—Gov. Johnson returned Friday from the iron range country and Duluth where he went to look into the strike situation. When asked what he thought of the affair he said:

"Everything is quiet up there and so far as I could learn there is no immediate prospect that the state will have to interfere to keep things quiet. I went up there at the request of Sheriff Bates. I talked with all parties concerned and found them disposed to remain orderly. The men were sober and while they paraded the streets in the towns I visited they dispersed when the parade was finished and that was all there was to it. When asked why they paraded they answered that there was nothing else to do.

"I did not see any necessity of state interference and hope there will not be any. What the future may bring forth I am unable to predict.

Asked if he thought the strike would last long Gov. Johnson said:

"I am not able to say as I am not informed. I believe that if the dock strike is settled and the men begin to work so that the mines can be opened and shipments of ore begin, that the men will return to work and that will bring matters to a focus. What the outcome will be I cannot say."

MIRACLES AT KANKAKEE.

Several Persons Announce Themselves Healed at St. Anne's Shrine.

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Miss Mary Pierce, 18 years old, of Delphi, Ind., said that she had been afflicted with paralysis for four years, during which time she had been unable to walk. She left the church without support, Miss Daisy Lamond, of Kankakee, almost blind for 32 years, said she was able to read without glasses at the close of the nine days of prayer.

George Neary, of Lost Nation, Ia., and Michael McCormick, of Kinsman, Ill., both said they had been crippled from childhood. They walked from the church and said it was the first time they had walked since infancy.

Soaks Head in Oil and Fires It. Little Rock, Ark.—Angered because her husband refused to praise her for saving money on purchases for their store and for recent heavy sales, Mrs. Anna Lowe Thursday poured a gallon of coal oil on her head, told her little daughter to "watch and see the show," and then set fire to the oil. Mrs. Lowe's body was burned to a crisp in sight of her daughter and relatives who were attracted by the child's screams. Lowe is a laborer and his wife conducted a store while he was at work.

Famous French Convent Closed. Paris.—The celebrated convent at Oiseaux, where so many young women of the aristocracy of France and other countries have been educated, has been closed under the law forbidding the continuation of institutions of secular instruction. The sisters protested against the closing of the convent, but they finally left, followed by their pupils.

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Tornado at Urbana, O. Urbana, O.—A tornado swept this city early Friday, destroying the plant of the United States Paper & Box company. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. Fortunately the men were off duty at the time.

Explosion in a Kentucky Factory. New Haven, Ky.—The explosion of a boiler in the plant of the New Haven Trench company Thursday afternoon wrecked the building and killed Wellington Brown (colored). Victor Bowling, one of the proprietors, was badly hurt.

Illinois Man Gets a Place. Washington.—Henry A. Hutchings, of Illinois, was appointed Thursday a special agent of the Indian bureau to aid in the suppression of the liquor traffic among the Indians.

BLAMES THE TURKS

ARMENIAN PRIEST GIVES NEW TWIST TO BLACKMAIL PLOT.

TO DISCREDIT PATRIOTS

Shows New York District Attorney Anonymous Letter in Which His Own Life is Threatened.

New York.—Rev. Levont Martogessian, once treasurer of the Hunchakist, the Armenian society, which outsiders say has fallen from its high estate of patriotism to the practice of blackmail, gave Friday a new twist to the district attorney's investigation of the organization.

The priest had been subpoenaed to tell what he knew. This was to the effect that the present agitation, ostensibly directed by reputable Armenians against a band of assassins, was in fact inspired by the Turkish government whose hired spies systematically sought to discredit the patriotic Armenians in this country. The pastor of the Armenian Apostolic church had, he admitted, formerly been a member and the treasurer of the Hunchakist, but some time ago withdrew. He knew nothing of the murder of the rug merchant, Tavshanjian, who had refused to pay \$10,000 for his life, and if extortion had been practiced he knew nothing of it. On the contrary, he told the district attorney that he, himself, was the object of persecution on the part of the Turkish government. Pressed to throw, if possible, light upon the workings of the conspirators, the priest replied:

"You are a rich and powerful nation, and you can find out more than I can."

The priest brought with him a letter, not signed, in which a threat to take his life was made. He turned it over to the district attorney.

After leaving Mr. Smyth's office Father Martogessian said:

"I am entirely innocent of these insinuations which have been cast against me. All my troubles have been brought on by Turkish spies. There are 50 of them in this city and they are constantly hounding me.

"I never demanded money from anybody and have never gone to any wealthy Armenian for any."

"The Turkish government is behind it all," he added. "I am in danger of my own life. I have been threatened many times and I intend to go to Police Commissioner Bingham and ask him for a permit to carry a revolver."

JEWISH WOMEN IN RIOTS.

Attack Kosher Butcher Shops in the Philadelphia Ghetto.

Philadelphia.—The Jewish quarter in the southern section of the city was the scene of many disturbances and incipient riots Thursday, following the efforts of Yiddish women to boycott kosher butchers who have increased the price of meats.

All through the ghetto there were fierce outbreaks in which persons who attempted to patronize the stores were roughly handled. In several instances the stores were sacked and the meat destroyed. The women gathered in front of the stores and seized every person who entered.

As a result of the outbreaks 28 men and women were either sent to prison or held in bail to answer charges of assault and inciting to riot, and as many more were locked up for hearings on minor charges.

NEW YORK POLICE HELPLESS.

Assaults on Women and Children Continue in Gotham.

New York.—To the series of unpunished crimes against young girls which daily of late have exasperated the police and put parents in the outlying districts in an ugly mood, were added Friday the cases of Virginia Barish, 17 years old, and Annie Falkoweko, a tot of five years.

So notorious have become the cases of assault, amounting in two recent cases to murder, that Police Commissioner Bingham has been driven to explain that his army of policemen is insufficient to cope with this particular species of degeneracy.

Mrs. Hazen S. Pingree Dies. Detroit, Mich.—Mrs. Hazen S. Pingree, widow of one of Michigan's most celebrated governors, died Sunday night at her residence here, aged 67 years. She is survived by a son, Hazen S. Pingree, Jr., and a daughter, Mrs. Sherman L. Dewey.

Scaffold Falls; Two Killed. Conneaut, O.—Two men were killed and five others seriously injured by the falling of a scaffolding at the Pittsburg and Conneaut dock Wednesday. The dead are A. Matson and B. Quick, of Cleveland.

Supposed Murderer Caught. Lebanon, Pa.—A man giving the name of Joe Bewick, but who, it is believed, is Michael Hydrick, who is wanted in Bellaire, O., for murder, was arrested here Wednesday.

Will of Phineas M. Spencer. Cleveland, O.—The will of Phineas M. Spencer, a widely known banker of this city who died Tuesday, was probated Thursday, disposing of an estate of nearly a million dollars. Among the bequests are \$22,000 to Mary Costello, his housekeeper; to another member of his household staff, \$10,000; to Mrs. James Wood, of Buffalo, N. Y., \$10,000; and to Mrs. Harry Wood of the same city, \$10,000; to Miss Allie Camp, of Cleveland, \$4,000, and to Miss Frances, stenographer in Mr. Spencer's bank, \$2,000.

Navy Chaplain to Be Tried. Washington.—Chaplain Harry W. Jones, of the battleship Minnesota, is to be tried by court-martial on charges of scandalous conduct in the destruction of good morals and falsehood, preferred by the acting secretary of the navy. Under the charge of scandalous conduct there are 17 specifications consisting mainly in allegations of the utterance of worthless checks. Under the falsehood charge it is alleged that