

VICE PRESIDENT DIES

Garret A. Hobart Passes Away Surrounded by His Sorrowing Family.

UNCONSCIOUS FOR SEVERAL HOURS

Although Death Was Expected Mrs. Hobart is Entirely Prostrated.

FUNERAL WILL BE HELD SATURDAY

Attorney General Griggs Has Charge of All the Arrangements.

TELEGRAMS OF CONDOLENCE POURING IN

First Message Received Comes from President McKinley—Representatives of Foreign Nations Send Words of Sympathy.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Garret A. Hobart, vice president of the United States, died at his home in Paterson, N. J., at 8:30 o'clock this morning. At his bedside were Mrs. Hobart and his son, Garret A. Hobart, Jr., together with Dr. William Newton and his wife and Private Secretary Evans.

LET TO THE KAISER

Magnificent Function at Windsor Castle Graced by All Kinds of Royalty in Fine Garb.

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LONDON, Nov. 21.—(New York Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The scene at Windsor castle tonight when Kaiser William was tendered a banquet was one of greater magnificence than any court in Europe could produce and one only witnessed on rare occasions in the halls of the full state banquet. Ten million dollars' worth of gold plate and the costliest services and decorations were on the dinner tables. All royalties were dazzling grand crosses of the leading European orders were the most gorgeous uniforms. The royal servants were attired in splendid scarlet and gold in full state liveries and the whole picture was set in a suite of the most stately and sumptuous apartments adorned with priceless pictures, bric-a-brac, and the most exquisite furniture in existence.

WILLIAM HUNTS AT WINDSOR.

Emperor, Prince of Wales and Three Other Nobles Shoot Game. WINDSOR, England, Nov. 21.—Emperor William of Germany and his suite rode out this morning and returned to the castle for breakfast. Then, accompanied by the prince of Wales, the duke of York and duke of Connaught and Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, his majesty shot in the presence of the Windsor great park and returned at Cranborne tower. The empress of Germany went out for a walk in the forenoon with her son and Princess Henry of Battenberg and visited St. George and Albert chapels.

ONE THOUSAND ARE KILLED

Desperate Battle Between Rebels and Government Troops in Colombia.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—A dispatch to the Herald from Panama says: Official advices from Bogota, dated November 18, report that a terrible battle between the government forces and the revolutionists was fought near Bucaramanga, capital of the Department of Santander, in which the government forces were victorious.

STEAMER ABANDONED AT SEA.

Part of the Crew Lands in Norway. The steamer 'The Gull' is reported to have been abandoned in the Norwegian sea.

NEWS NOT FULLY CREDITED

Some Doubt About Recent Reports of Heavy Boer Defects in Vicinity of Ladysmith.

London, Nov. 21.—The latest direct news from Ladysmith, dated Thursday, November 16, and Friday, November 17, strangely conflict with the reiterated reports of tremendous battles and great British victories on Wednesday and Thursday. Neither of the messages above referred to, though dispatched on the days following the date of the alleged fights, mentions any great engagements or Boer defeats. On the contrary, both distinctly state that a bold alarm on Tuesday evening and a little increased shelling Thursday and Friday, causing little damage, everything was perfectly quiet and the garrison was chatting under its enforced inactivity.

HOME GOES TO DEWEY'S SON

Mrs. Dewey, Who Received it from the Admiral, Gives it to Her Stepson.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—George Goodwin Dewey, Admiral Dewey's only son and the owner of the residence presented to the admiral by the American people. Papers were prepared and signed early today by which Mrs. Mildred McLean Dewey transfers all rights and title to the property known as 1747 Rhode Island avenue, this city, to George Goodwin Dewey. This is the property which Admiral Dewey transferred to Mrs. Dewey. The papers making the new transfer probably will be placed on file tomorrow morning.

BOERS BAR THREE ENTRANCES.

Hold the Roads Leading into the Free State—Gaining by Water.

CAPE TOWN, Monday, Nov. 20.—General Gatacre, commanding the British column, assembling at Queenstown, Cape Colony, made a speech to the troops here today. He said the regulars should watch and learn from irregulars, who were acquainted with the country and the habits of the Boers. Once the forward movement had begun, he continued, there could be no question of stopping it and he asked all to do their best, adding:

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BANK ROBBERS' BOLD ESCAPE

Blind and Gag Cashier of Parker (Kan.) Bank, Blow Open Safe and Take \$18,900.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 21.—State Bank Examiner Breidenbach returned from Parker, Kan., today, and told of the bold escape of the two safebreakers, who, Thursday night, bound and gagged Cashier Slaughter of the Parker bank, destroyed the safe with dynamite and secured \$18,900.

FIGHT AT INSANE ASYLUM

Not the Patients, but the Doctors. Come to Blows at Yankton.

YANKTON, S. D., Nov. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. T. F. Campbell and Dr. C. E. Wright, the assistant physician and the superintendent of the insane asylum, had a misunderstanding last evening and came to blows. Dr. Campbell was struck several times on the head by Dr. Wright with a revolver. Dr. Campbell came to town and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Dr. Wright. Wright was arraigned before Justice Richey, charged with assault with intent to do bodily harm. His trial was set for November 27.

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NOT ALLOWED TO ACT AS INTERMEDIARY

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BOER COMMANDANT KILLED

Engagement Near Estcourt—Seven Hundred Dutch Reported as Having Been Compelled to Retreat.

DURBAN, Natal, Monday, Nov. 20.—Seven hundred Boers from Weenen took up a strong position on the highlands, thirteen miles south of Estcourt, Sunday, occupying Turner's farm, northeast of the Mool river. Major Thornescroft, with a detachment of four hundred British troops, advanced to meet them, engaged the Boers, of whom three were killed, including their commandant. The Boers withdrew, taking 200 head of cattle captured at Turner's farm.

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