

likely to be president of the road, as he was before the reorganization. He can have the position. If he will accept, it is not likely that any other name will be considered.

#### THE OTHER BID

Alexander Millar of Boston, secretary and assistant comptroller of the Union Pacific road, said this morning that he had no knowledge of any competing bids that would be offered against that of the reorganization committee.

"There may be some other bids coming in," said Mr. Millar, "but if there are I know nothing whatever about them. Mr. Cornish, the master in chancery, who is to auction off the road, is the only man who knows just how many bids are to be made, and I know that he will not discuss the matter. He is an officer of the court, and it would not be just the proper thing for him to do."

While Mr. Millar disclaimed all knowledge regarding the prospective rivals to the reorganization committee for the prospective rivals to the reorganization committee for the possession of the Union Pacific, it was evident, from his manner, that he was quite sure that the committee would have no competitors.

#### IN THE FUTURE

Regarding the future of the road after it has passed into the hands of the reorganization committee, Mr. Millar said: "The actual turning over of the property to the purchaser will be at some time in the future, depending very largely upon who is the purchaser. It will, of course, be out of the question for the purchaser who buys the road at 11 o'clock to assume control at noon. It will be simply a matter of convenience for the purchaser. I have known instances where roads have been bought by reorganization committees, and these committees having not been prepared to assume control of the road just at the instant, the receivers have been allowed to run the road for two or three months, of course, under the direction of the owners. Then, when the purchasers had most all things ready they took hold and managed the property themselves."

"Now, if the reorganization committee gets this road," Mr. Millar smiled a contented smile, "that is what it will do. The receivers will handle the road until the committee, if the committee be the purchaser," and again Mr. Millar smiled happily, "is ready to assume formal control of the road."

All o'clock receivers who took hold and the other members of the reorganization committee, repeated substantially the interview of Mr. Millar.

#### WILL COME OFF

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 31.—Gen. Louis Fitzgerald of New York, attorney for the trustees of the reorganization committee of the Union Pacific; Secretary Keech and Attorney Rossington and C. B. Smith of Topeka, representing the same interests, left late last night for Omaha to be present at the sale of the road.

Mr. Rossington said before leaving: "I do not know whether the sale will come off Monday or not, but I can see no reason why it should not. We shall be there to represent the reorganization committee and it is my opinion that the road will be sold. There has been considerable fuss and talk about this sale of the Union Pacific, but really there has been really a great deal of smoke and very little fire. I do not know of any one who is planning to defraud the government."

#### A LATE OFFER

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The firm of Coates, Son & Co., who recently undertook the formation of a syndicate for the purchase of the Union Pacific railway line, and who have offered to pay in full for the government's claim on the main line and the Kansas division if the government will agree to the postponement of the sale of the roads, yesterday sent a cable message to President McKinley, suggesting that the United States should secure the postponement of the sale until December 15.

#### Fire at Healdsburg

HEALDSBURG, Oct. 31.—One of the most disastrous fires ever recorded in the history of the town of Healdsburg occurred here this morning, when about \$50,000 worth of property was destroyed. The Solyom meat market, A. Thumman's jewelry store, the clear store of Charles Wickham, the tailoring establishment of M. Jacobs, H. Hansen's shoe store and a vacant room, which was the property of P. Lanan, were all burned to the ground. Loss only partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

#### An Early Engineer

SANTA CRUZ, Oct. 31.—Fowler W. Pope, one of the oldest locomotive engineers in the United States, died here today. He was the first engineer of the railroad between Santa Cruz and Pajaro, and before coming to California had been engineer on New England and New York roads.

#### A Murderer's Death

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Fritz Sigrin, formerly of St. Louis, who yesterday shot and fatally wounded Miss Mary Schmalz, died today from the effects of his self-inflicted wounds.

## FAREWELL TO WEYLER

### Welcome Given to Marshal Blanco

#### COMMAND OF CUBAN AFFAIRS

#### TURNED OVER TO THE LIBERAL LEADER

#### The Retiring General's Grim Escort Home Consists of Six Hundred Sick Spanish Soldiers

Associated Press Special Wire.

HAVANA, Oct. 31.—The Spanish cruiser Alfonso XIII, with Marshal Blanco, the new governor-general of Cuba, on board, was sighted off Havana this morning at half past five.

At 7 o'clock the Alfonso XIII entered the harbor, and Lieutenant-General Weyler, the Marquis Alameda, Admiral Navarro and other high military and naval officers went in the special steamer to meet General Blanco. After a long conference, Lieutenant-General Weyler yielded up his command to his successor. At half past ten Marshal Blanco landed. According to the official account he was "enthusiastically greeted" by the populace, who shouted: "Long live Blanco."

Lieutenant-General Weyler and Marshal Blanco exchanged farewells on board the Alfonso XIII, and the steamer Montserrat sailed at 1 o'clock p. m. She was escorted outside the harbor by numerous tug boats with the friends of the departing general and the officers of his staff.

An immense crowd witnessed the departure from the wharves. According to the official account, the people cheered for "Weyler, the pacifier."

General Weyler's escort on the Montserrat consists of six hundred soldiers.

#### THE POOR PUBLIC

#### Could Sit on the Fence and See Him Go By

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 31.—President McKinley attended the Walnut Hills Methodist Episcopal church at the morning services today. The announcement had been made that the doors would be open at 10:30 o'clock for the admission of strangers, but before 10 o'clock a crowd was in waiting at the front door and by 10:15 the church pews were all well filled by church members who had been admitted by a side door through the Sunday school room.

By 10:30 every seat was filled and hundreds were compelled to go away disappointed or content themselves with a glimpse of the presidential party upon their arrival.

President McKinley was accompanied by Mr. August Wessel, a prominent member of the church, and was followed by Secretary J. Addison Porter, Col. Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland, and J. G. Schmidlap of this city. There was disappointment at the failure of Mrs. McKinley to accompany her husband, and it was understood that the condition of her health forbade her attendance.

The services were of the usual order, except possibly some addition to the music.

When the final hymn was announced the president and his party left the church and thus avoided the delay that would have been inevitable if they had waited until the close of the service.

#### A Match Made

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—All the preliminary arrangements for a meeting between Peter Maher and "Tut" Ryan have been made, and the parties will meet tomorrow to sign the papers. Ten thousand dollars is to be hung up, and the fight will take place within seven weeks at some place near this city.

#### Catholic Knights

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 31.—The Catholic Knights of America celebrated their fifteenth anniversary today at St. Joseph's church. Early this morning the members approached holy communion. After mass a parade, composed of probably 1500 marchers, marched over the principal downtown streets. The members

were all uniformed, and every parish in the city was represented by its full membership. Solemn high mass followed. Rev. O. J. McDonald, pastor of St. Paul's church officiating. The sermon was preached by Rev. L. N. Schlechter.

#### SCARED INDIANS

Are Rapidly Leaving Their Ancient Hunting Grounds

DENVER, Col., Oct. 31.—A special to the Rocky Mountain News from Rifle, Col., says: Game Commissioner Swan and Warden J. T. McLean returned here today from Meeker. Mr. Swan went from Meeker to Yellow creek, thirty-five miles west of Meeker, where he met Warden McLean and Sheriff Wilbur of Rio Blanco county, who had been as far west as the Utah line on their return up river. They reported that the Indians were getting out of the country as fast as possible. Warden McLean and Sheriff Wilbur had been riding the country for four days, notifying the Indians to leave, and when the officers started back to Meeker the Indians were all moving out. These officers, as well as the settlers along the river from Rangley to Meeker, are satisfied that the Indians have left for good and very little uneasiness is felt on the part of the settlers. Warden McLean and Sheriff Wilbur have been stationed along the Utah line to report the first appearance of the Indians.

#### C. F. SMURR DEAD

The Dead Railroaders' Funeral Set for Wednesday

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—Charles F. Smurr, freight traffic manager of the Southern Pacific company, died this afternoon after an illness of eleven weeks and following a surgical operation performed to give relief from disease of the mastoid cells of the ear.

He had been in the service of the Southern Pacific company since 1872, being located at Los Angeles from 1875 to 1888. He was a native of Ohio and was 48 years old. The present funeral arrangements are that the interment shall be at Los Angeles either Wednesday or Thursday.

#### CONSUMPTION CURE

To Be Manufactured for Free Distribution

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—It is proposed by the Cooper medical college and persons who are convinced of the efficacy of Dr. Hirschfelder's oxybutyrene in the treatment of consumption to manufacture the compound for free distribution. No definite plans have been decided upon, but it is thought that the best channels of distribution will be the health departments of the cities and public hospitals.

Dr. Hirschfelder has given his sanction to the movement and will reserve no proprietary rights. Dr. Riely of the Chicago health department has written to Dr. Hirschfelder stating that he hopes soon to be able to use the consumption cure for the benefit of the poor of his city.

#### A Veterans' Colony

GALVESTON, Tex., Oct. 31.—General A. S. Weissert of Milwaukee, and General Paul Vandevort of Omaha, each an ex-grand commander of the G. A. R., and General R. B. Adams of Minneapolis, have secured 25,000 acres of land in the coast region of Texas. This purchase is made for locating thereon veterans of the late war, 800 families of whom are said to be en route for settlement on the land. The location selected is an ideal one.

#### Too Big a Contract

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—At the ocean beach today R. B. Cornell undertook to swim around the sea rocks, but was unable to make much headway against the tide and after signaling for help he reached a rock, where he remained until rescued by the life saving crew. A. R. Baker advertised to dive from the Cliff house balcony to the water but did not attempt the feat, which was successfully performed by O. Schulte.

#### Post Inspection

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 31.—George D. Meiklejohn, assistant secretary of war, arrived here this morning on his inspection of western military posts. This morning he visited Magnolia bluff and expressed himself as well pleased with its location.

#### Austrian Politics

VIENNA, Oct. 31.—Emperor Francis Joseph returned from Buda Pest today and granted an audience to Count Badeni, the premier, on the crisis in the Austrian reichsrath. It is reported that Count Badeni tendered his resignation.

#### Killed by the Cars

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Oct. 31.—Four men were killed at Ehrenfeld today in a crossing accident, an engine striking a wagon in which they were riding. The dead are Joseph Tetyl, George Azarea, Joseph Bartol and Andrew Klein.

## JUST A WEEK

### Is Enough to Exterminate the Fur Seal

#### A PRIBYLOFF ISLAND LESSEE

#### REFUTES THE CASE ADVANCED BY CHAMBERLAIN

#### Any Protective Measures Must Include the Absolute Prohibition of All Pelagic Sealing

Associated Press Special Wire.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Herman Liebes of the North American Commercial company, and one of the lessees of the Pribyloff islands, has made a statement in refutation of the case put forward by Mr. Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, in his recent dispatch to Secretary Sherman. Mr. Liebes says in part:

"There can be no doubt whatever that the Pribyloff islands are legitimately owned by the United States, and the United States has an undoubted right to grant a lease of the seal fisheries upon the islands to the highest bidder, viz., my company, and there can be no further doubt that the United States government has an absolute right to permit the lessees of the islands to kill every seal frequenting the rookeries. If America were to exercise its right to kill off all the seals upon Pribyloff islands, the whole seal herd would be exterminated in less than a week, and the pelagic sealing in the Bering sea would be brought to a summary end. The object of America, however, is to preserve and not to exterminate the seal, though we may be ultimately driven in self-defense to kill off the seals, as not present conditions sealing is not profitable."

"What is desired by America and the lessees of the Pribyloff islands is that all parties interested, both in land and ocean sealing, without a moment's loss of time, confer together with the view of considering whether or not some arrangement cannot be made by which, under terms fair and equitable to all parties, the herd may be protected. I do not, myself, believe that any solution can be found which does not include as one of its essential features the prohibition of all pelagic sealing. This ought not to be a difficult matter to arrange, having regard to what I assert to be a fact, viz., that pelagic sealing is not and cannot be under present conditions, profitable. A great deal has been said about Russia and Japan. It is suggested that as these are not parties to the Paris treaty, and are not bound by any regulations, and are said to be concerned only in the seal fisheries of the western, and not the eastern, coasts of the North Pacific, their presence at any conference would be out of place and would be a decided disadvantage to America."

"I am only desirous by a majority vote against British interests. The whole objection to Russia and Japan being represented at any conference is, I venture to think, most unreasonable. There is no question of voting in the matter. The conference is to be held merely with a view to arriving, if possible, at some solution by which the herd shall be saved from extermination, but so many difficulties and delays arise that I very much fear that by the time the conference has been held there will be no seals to confer about."

#### A BOND DEAL

Santa Cruz City Claims to Have Been Buncoed

SANTA CRUZ, Oct. 31.—The long standing bond suit in which much interest is taken here will come up for hearing in the United States circuit court at San Francisco next Tuesday. The title of the case is Waite vs. the City of Santa Cruz, and upon the result will depend the validity of the refunding bonds amounting to \$360,000. The bonds were originally issued for the construction of waterworks and a sewer system, and purchasers were found for them by Coffin & Stanton, New York bond dealers and bankers. Three years ago these brokers proposed to take up the old bonds and to give new ones therefor at a lower rate of interest and more convenient terms of payment.

Coffin & Stanton did not pay any cash for the bonds as required by law and soon afterward failed, claiming to have disposed of the refunding bonds. The city claims it was defrauded and declines to pay interest or principal of the bonds.

#### Better Than Nothing

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Thomas P. Smith of Plattburgh, N. Y., has been appointed supervisor of Indian schools. There are five of these officers. Mr. Smith has been connected with the Indian service for many years as agent and inspector, and lately as assistant commissioner of Indian affairs. The record he made in the administration of the latter office actuated his administration in retaining him until last month, when it was expected he would be awarded with the appointment of special agent, which fell to a friend of General Fairbanks.

#### An Aged Indian

CHETOPA, Kan., Oct. 31.—Charles Bluejacket, chief of the Shawnee Indians, is dead at his home at Bluejacket, a few miles south of Chetopa. He was eighty years old and had been chief of his tribe for forty years. Bluejacket recently took a trip to Kansas City, Kan., to locate the grave of an Indian prophet he had contracted a cold which led to his death. He was a Baptist minister.

#### Stables Burned

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The extensive warehouses and stables of Carter, Pearson & Co., limited, the well known carriage and coach makers, forwarding and shipping agents, in Goswell road, London, were destroyed by fire today.

#### South Sea Service

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—The French cruiser Duguay Trouin will sail for Panama this week. From Panama she will continue on down the coast of

South America, calling at the chief ports as far as Valparaiso, and then she will start direct for Havre. The vessel has been in service in the south seas for over four years.

#### HUNG JURIES

Make Things Easy for Murderers in Missouri

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 31.—For the second Sunday in succession the criminal court room of Kansas City was made the scene of the ending of a sensational murder trial. Today the jury in the case of Dr. Jefferson D. Goddard, for the killing of Frederick J. Jackson, with whose wife it was alleged Goddard had been intimate, reported for the fifth time that they were unable to agree upon a verdict and were discharged.

A week ago, in the same room, at about the same time, a jury had acquitted John Schlegel for killing Dr. A. L. Berger, who, it was alleged, had sustained criminal relations with the prisoner's wife. Those cases have been the most sensational murder trials that Kansas City courts have had to deal with for years.

The Goddard case was given to the jury late Friday night last, after an exciting trial, five times since then they sent for Judge Longan and reported that they were unable to agree upon a verdict. Judge Longan was determined, however, that they should secure a finding, and each time, after administering a severe lecture, sent them back to deliberation.

Today, after having taken nearly forty ballots, they again emphasized their inability to agree and Judge Longan discharged them. The last ballot stood 6 to 6.

It is expected that a new trial will follow at an early date.

#### MONEY WASTED

The Busk-Ivanhoe Tunnel Will Be Abandoned

DENVER, Col., Oct. 31.—With the passage of the Colorado Midland train, en route from Ogden to Denver tonight, the Busk-Ivanhoe tunnel will be abandoned. This great bore is two miles long, piercing the main chain of the Rocky mountains, and cost \$1,250,000. A gang of men was put to work immediately after the passage of the last train tearing up the track connection with the tunnel.

All trains of the Colorado Midland will hereafter go over Hagerman pass. The tunnel company refused to accept the offer of the reorganized Colorado Midland Railway company and the latter consequently rebuilt the high line over Hagerman pass.

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11-4 H. A. WATSON, Superintendent.

NOTICE—THE LOS ANGELES CITY WATER CO. will strictly enforce the following rules: The hours for sprinkling are between the hours of 6 a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. For a violation of the above regulations the water will be shut off and a fine of \$2 will be charged before the water will be turned on again.

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