ROBBERS BATTLE WITH DETECTIVES

Man Shot to Death and Detective Wounded

BARRICADE A HOUSE LIKE FORT.

Kills Thomas Manning.

Keesport for several months past, munication. Thomas Manning, one of the robbers, was shot by the county detectives and received injuries from which he died, while County Detective John S. Englert, who was in charge of the case, and who fired the shots which killed in a serious condition.

bers took refuge and barricaded ments spare life or property. themselves, stood off a mob of 1,000 leveling two big revolvers at them, Carter himself and another child suf-Patterson defied the mob. It was not fered severe injuries. until 20 members of the county de-tective force arrived and surrounded great destruction; and in the adthe house that Patterson was arrest- jacent county claimed several viced. Later in the day his father, Jo- tims, dead or injured. seph Patterson, and his brother, John At Fairfield more than 40 buildas members of the gang.

have been terrorized by a gang of of broken wires. burglars who have been robbing stores, residences and railroad sta- doned because of washouts and detions, the climax being capped sever- stroyed roadbeds. al weeks ago when a street car on the West Pennsylvania Electric Line was held up in true Western style and everyone aboard robbed. Suspicion led to the Pattersons and early this week County Detective Englert started to weave a net about them. Satknew that the men were desperate, Englert did not anticipate that they would put up a battle. When he knocked at the door and demanded that they surrender he found himself looking into four revolvers, two in the hands of each man.

Without waiting to argue Englert ing entered his head. Patterson then started to fire at the detective and tache of Russia to the United States, Manning back in the house. Englert, Root. in spite of the fact that he was twice shot, drove Patterson inside and kept Manning. Scores of people had been by President Roosevelt as internal attracted by the shots and within half revenue collector at Cincinnati. an hour the mob had been increased President Roosevelt appointed to 1,000. Meantime a physician had John F. O'Brien collector of customs department later when full particudressed the wounds of Englert on the spot, he refusing to leave. He had raising at the Francis Scott Key mantives George H. Waggoner, who, with 20 of his best men, hurried to the scene. Patterson still refused to surrender when Waggoner commanded him to do so, and it was not until he was told he would be smoked out that he finally surrendered. Later. when the house was searched, much of the stolen plunder was found.

ROOSEVELT'S AFRICAN TRIP.

President Acknowledges That He Is Going After Big Game.

Washington, D. C. (Special) .-Acknowledgment was made that President Roosevelt would start in April, 1909, for an extended hunting trip in British East Africa. While it has been known for sometime past that the President has been contemplating such a trip, no confirmation of the report was given until today.

It is planned that early in April President Roosevelt will sail, accompanied by his second son, Kermit, and go direct to Africa. The President expects to spend one year on the expedition and already a good deal of correspondence has taken place preparatory to the arrangements for the hunt, such as guides, transportation and subsistence supplies.

The President will carry with him a full equipment of the modern weapons for killing large game and he expects to bring home with him one specimen of each of the species abounding in that region. He intends to devote much time to the study of African wild animals and cans were killed. will study the habits of the beasts in their homes.

Moroney Suspended.

Parkersburg, W. Va. (Special) .-As a result of charges being preferred against him, alleging drunkenness, City Recorder P. H. Moroney was suspended by the board of affairs. His suspension has created a tremendous sensation in local poli- practically declined a request to retical circles. The accused man's friends say that it is a plot instigated by his political enemies, and that when the hearing comes up counter charges will be made that will cause a still greater sensation.

Clevelands' Wedding Anniversary. Princeton, N. J. (Special) .- The twenty-second wedding anniversary of former President and Mrs. Grover Cleveland was quietly celebrated at their home, here. A large wedding cake 20 inches in diameter, bearing the inscription "To G. C. and F. F. C. June 2, 1908," being the initials of Mr. and Mrs. Claveland, was presented to the Clevelands by Princeton friends. Mr. Cleveland is reported to be doing well, though he has not as yet taken his accustomed afternoon drive about Princeton.

TORNADO SWEEPS OVER ARKANSAS

and Kansas.

Omaha, Neb. (Special) .- A tornado which passed over Southern Ne Member of Gang, Using Wife and braska and portions of Northern Child as Shield and Handling Two Kansas Friday evening was the most Big Revolvers, Holds Off a Mob of a destructive and covered the most ter-Thousand Men - Detective English ritory of any similar storm which has visited that region in many years. At least 21 persons were killed, 5 Pittsburg, Pa. (Special) .- In a were fatally injured and a score of desperate battle between county de-tectives and members of a gang of killed at Byron, Neb., and Phillipsrobbers who have been committing burg and Courtland, Kan., which depredations in the vicinity of Mc- towns have been cut off from com-

Manning, was twice wounded and is field, Deshler, Shickley, Geneva, Franklin, Ong and Riverton, Neb., Wilmer Patterson, another member are among those visited by the storm, of the gang, in whose house the rob- and in no one of them did the ele-

At Carleton five residences and men for two hours after the shoot- two churches were destroyed, while ing of Englert and while other mem- a new school building and 30 houses bers of the county detective force were partly wrecked. The home of were hurrying to the scene. With his Lester Carter was demolished and wife and little son as a shield, and his wife and baby were killed, while

Patterson, were placed under arrest ings were partly wrecked or demolished. The loss there will exceed For a number of weeks past the \$100,000. Vague reports from other residents of the Youghiogheny Valley points cannot be confirmed because

Trains in all directions are aban-

WASHINGTON

urday he had his case well in hand, ent members of the Inland Water-The President requested the presand, after watching the residence of ways Commission to continue their Wilmer Patterson for several days, he work, with the exception of General was rewarded by seeing Patterson Mackenzie, and added Senator Alliand Manning enter. Although he son, Representative Ransdell and

The International Lodge of Good Templars decided to allow each of the various grand lodges to decide the dancing problem for fiself.

Plans have been perfected to send pulled his own weapon and the battle the gunboat Yorktown to the Bering first intimation of the tragedy was

Col. Baron de Bode, military at- ing of severe scalds. endeavored to drag the unconscious formally was presented to Secretary Bernhard Bettman was appointed

Admiral Dewey is to attend a flag-

President Roosevelt directed Govwaterworks and sewer system for ance trial. Cienfuegos, Cuba.

Bishop Charles Henry Brent, of the Philippines, declines to accept the bishopric of Washington, declaring that God bids him to stay in the Philippines.

Major General Leonard Wood has been designated as the representative of the United States at the tercentennial celebration of the University Ratifications of three treaties recently drawn up between Great Britain and the United States were exchanged by Ambassador Bryce and Secretary Root.

The Honduras Minister of Foreign Affairs has ordered the arrest of F. G. Bailey, fugitive president of the

The President is reported to be down the presidential cares.

Members of the board of visitors to West Point found upon their arrival at the academy that they had no

legal status. Miss Susan Rivire Hetzel, a charter member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, died of pneumonia.

In Washington and London anof an agreement for two-cent postage between Great Britain and the United

Jackson Smith has resigned as a members of the Isthmian Canal Commission and manager of the Department of Labor, Water and Subsistence. Secretary of the Navy Metcalf has

open League Island Navy Yard to the public on Sunday. The President appointed Roy H. Chamberlain, Representative Hep-

at New York. The War Department issued a bul-

letin showing the result of pistol and rifle practice in the Army. President Roosevelt had an exceedingly narrow escape from a serious in a dance hall by a holdup man

Rock Creek Park. John C. Schofield has been appointed assistant and chief clerk of the War Department, to take effect July

John Hays Hammond has decided to enter the contest for the nomination ver. Young met him and fired at close

6 PEOPLE KILLED ON UNITED STATES CRUISER

Twenty-One Lives Lost in Nebraska Boiler Tube Breaks on Tennessee 8 People While at Sea.

THE MEN WERE BAKED ALIVE.

The Vessel Is Under Command of Occurred.

San Pedro, Cal. (Special) .- A terrible accident occurred on board the child. United States armored cruiser Ten- daughter of Wm. E. Slaughter, genstarboard engine-room bursting under 235 pounds pressure, killing six men and injuring eight others, all the men in the compartment at the time.

The explosion, the cause of which Capt. W. H. Ward and Chief Engiroom on a tour of inspection. Four two more died at San Pedro after the arrival of the Tennessee.

There were 14 men in the fireroom when the tube, which is 4 inches in sembled. diameter and inclosed with water inside the boiler, blew out, driving a

A blast of white steam from the ventilators told those on deck of the which left at 7.45. The accident ocaccident, and Lieutenant Command- cured about 7.50. It is said that er S. S. Robinson, the navigator, in-stantly sounded a general alarm and timore car to wait at Best's gates. dropped twenty lines of hose ready for instant use in case of fire.

Within the doomed fireroom, No. which is one of the 16 inclosed fire towards Annapolis. compartments, the surviving seamen were fighting for life. Reinhold and Meek were stricken dead at view, the two cars dashed together, their posts. Boggs and Wood crawl- and in a moment were lying on their ed into the adjoining fireroom, No. sides, the life dashed out of eight 11, and died almost immediately, of the passengers of the two cars The surviving seamen, all of whom and both cars hopeless wrecks. suffered some injuries, acted with the greatest heroism in aiding their unfortunate mates.

Crew Acted Heroically.

Rear Admiral Sebree himself escaped death or serious injury in the fated fire pit by a narrow margin. He had left the room where the explosion occurred not 50 seconds befor the fatal blast. The Admiral stood in the engine-room adjoining the fireroom with Chief Engineer Robertson and Captain Howard. His commenced. Manning dropped at the opening of the battle, two shots havnaked fireman leaped past him suffer-

When the smoke came from the fireroom the fire call was sounded and all the crew went to their stations in perfect order, and in a few lars are known.

The ship was undergoing inspechurriedy dispatched a messenger to sion, in Georgetown, S. C., June 13. Division, and had been under way tion by the commander of the Second for over two hours, the engines, boll- planted them in the water. Before ernor Magoon to issue a decree which ers and all machinery working perwill result in the construction of lectly and fully equal to the accept-

ADRIFT ON A RAFT.

An Entire Family Floating Down The Mississippi River.

St. Louis, Mo. (Special),-J. W Appleton, of Missouri Point, Mo., is floating down the Mississippi River German Sergeant Punished On 600 with his family, 12 pigs, 3 cows, 2 of Saragossa, in Spain, September 20. horses and some poultry on a large raft, which he launched just before the river broke over its bank and Artillery Regiment who were tried covered his farm with several feet by court-martial have been sentenced of water. He started Tuesday aft- to terms of imprisonment varying ernoon, intending to steer his raft from 2 weeks to 15 months. They for high ground, but thus far has were charged with the maltreatment not been able to effect a landing.

The raft, which is an enormous af-Export Shipping Company of New fair, was built by Appleton two weeks counts in the charges against the is surrounded by a railing to keep planning to go on a hunting trip to the cattle from falling into the river. British East Africa after he has laid Food for man, beast and fowl to last further ill treatment. Thamm, acseveral days was taken along.

Coral Weighs Two Tons.

New York (Special) .- What is believed to be the largest and most valuable piece of coral reef ever gathered for any institution in the world was brought here by Capt. Joshua Mail advices from the Canal Zone Slocum in the little 10-ton yacht, in describe the premature explosion by which he formerly sailed alone lightning of 26 tons of dynamite at around the world. The piece of cor-Caimito Mulato, in which two Ameri- al. which weighs nearly two tons, is the property of the American Museum of Natural History. It was nouncement was simultaneously made found by Dr. B. E. Dahlgren, who spent several months off the coast Andros Island exploring reefs. gathering coral and getting photographs for the museum.

On Horseback Acress Continent. iteno, Nev. (Special) .- Robert H. Treupel, a prominent real estate man of Mamaroneck, N. Y., is in this pass through Denver, San Antonio. St. Louis, Washington and New York. burn's son-in-law, general appraiser He expects to make the trip in less than four menths.

Holdup Man Kills Policeman.

San Francisco (Special) .-- Policeman W. H. Heins was shot and killed accident while horseback riding in named T. O. Young. Young entered the hall, drew a revolver and covered the bar tender, who promptly ran for the door and escaped. Policeman in just one year. Heins, who saw the disturbance, enered the hall. At the doorway, before he had time to draw his revolof vice president on the Republican range. Young was captured and is now in the city prison.

A HEAD-ON COLLISION ON THE W., B. & A. LINE

Injured.

Baltimore (Special) .- Two cars of SIGNS OF A ROYALIST PLOT. he Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric Railway Company, Capt. Thomas B. Howard, and Had while running at high speed, collid-Left Santa Barbara for the Port ed near Camp Parole, two miles from of Los Angeles When the Accident Annapolis, about 8 o'clock P. M., and were completely wrecked, the accident causing the death of eight persons—six men, one woman and a

The child was the three-year-old nessee while the ship was steaming eral traffic manager of the road. A at 19 knots on a speed trial off Point particular element of tragedy was Huenene, Cal., a steampipe in the given to the affair by the fact that the woman and two of the men were evidently on their way to attend the June ball at the Naval Acadamy, and they presented, lying dead on track dressed in the attire of the ballroom, a sad suggestion of the is unknown, occurred only a few light and dark in human life, one in-minutes after Admiral Uriel Sebree, stant full of happy anticipation of stant full of happy anticipation of an evening of dancing and joyousneer Robertson had left the engine ness, the next brought face to face with eternity, their pitiful bodies and of the men were killed instantly and bloodstained faces to be gazed at with compassion or idle curiosity, according to the nature of those who composed the crowd which quickly as-

The responsibility for the accident has not been definitely determined, torrent of scalding steam, coal dust, but there was, it was stated, a concinders and hot ashes through the fusion in the orders as to where the ash pit and showered the half-naked cars should pass. The cars were both specials, the down car from Baltimore and the other from Annapolis, three miles from Annapolis, where there is a long siding, but in some way the orders were not received or amidship on the starboard side, understood, and the car continued

> Just as the curve had been rounded, in which the trees obscure the

The accident was described by Mr. William Harhesty, an eyewitness of the collision. He lives near Camp Parole, and was at his home looking toward the track when the collision took place. He said that the cars approached each other at a high rate of speed, but that the motormen, or one of them, undoubtedly tried to the noise of the brake tightening.

A PEARL FARM.

Minnesotan Claims Ability To Make Every Clam A Bearer.

St. Paul, Minn. (Special) .- E. R. Jefferson, of Duluth, has devised a scheme for treating clams so each in connection with the outrage. may prove a pearl bearer. He made sm and will be reported to the pearl in shellfish. Then he figured the cultivation of the gems was possibly a practical venture.

Several years ago Jefferson secured a number of clams, and after inclosing a space on a lake shore doing so he bored a tiny hole in the shell and lodged a grain of sand in each. As a result he succeeded in getting a number of small pearls. He says he doesn't know how many years are supposed to elapse to grow good-sized pearls.

DIERS.

Cruelty Charges.

Berlin (By Cable). - Eight noncommissioned officers of the Guard

of subordinates. ago in preparation for the flood. It principal prisoner, Sergeant Thamm, who is said to have caused a gunner to commit suicide for fear of cording to the evidence of the soldiers, freely used horse whips and bit chains upon his victims and forc- to question his statement that he simed them to run the gauntlet between two lines of older soldiers.

FINANCIAL

Atchinson directors declared semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. Reading's output of anthracite in May was 1,261,000 tons, compared with 249,000 a year ago.

on American Smelting common preferred. The former's rate is now 4 per cent. "Steel manufacturers are working in absolute harmony," said C. M.

Schwab in reference to the cut in steel prices. Commercial failures in the United continent. He will leave Verdi, Cal., States during the mount of liabili-States during the month of May, acties. This is the most encouraging monthly statement as to the amount of defaulted indebtedness since July

> There is no verification of the report from St. Petersburg that Russia will buy 1,000,000 tons of heavy steel rails with which to relay the tracks of a part of the Siberian and

of last year.

May fire losses in the United States and Canada were only \$15,000,000. the smallest amount for any month Wabash cut the passenger fare

rom Chicago to New York and the

Nickel Plate has now met the reduc-London liquidated 30,000 shares of American stock.

DREYFUS SHOT BY MILITARIST NEAR ZOLA'S BIER

of French President

Writer on Military Subjects Declares He Shot at Hero of the Dreyfus Case in diers at Ceremony to Honor Author Who Maligned the Army.

DREYFUS' EXCITING CAREER.

Major Alfred Dreyfus, convicted in 1894 by a secret court-martial of selling military secrets to a foreign power. Publicly degraded January 4, 1895.

Imprisoned on Isla du Diablo for two years. Move begun in November, 1897, to prove his innocence Major Esterhazy tried and unan-

imously acquitted, after being charged with forging the charges against Dreyfus. Agitation begun by Zola's famous letter forced a second trial

for the accused officer August 7, 1899. Again convicted and sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment. Case finally presented to the Supreme Court, and after an exhaustive examination, Dreyfus was declared innocent July 12, 1906, and restored to the army.

Under Secretary of State Sarraut and M. Pugliesi-Canti fought a duel after a fight growing out of a discussion of the case in the House of Deputies July 13, 1906. Dreyfus given the Cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor

July 21, 1906. Shot and slightly wounded by Louis Gregoris, an editor, at the national ceremony of entombing Zola's remains in the Pantheon, June 4, 1908.

Paris (By Cable). - The French | would tear him to pieces, capital was thrown into a state of intense excitement by an attempt to assassinate Major Alfred Dreyfus in a trying night. He wrapped himself the Pantheon. The man who tried up in the skins of the dead dogs, but to kill the major is Louis Anthehne still found it so cold that he repeat-Gregoris, a military editor of the edly had to run about the ice to staff of the La France Militaire, a keep up the circulation of the blood. journal devoted to military progress. Hoping that next day he would be The scene of the crime was the Pan- in sight of land, though the ice was theon, and the brave officer nearly fast receding from the shore, the doccheck his car, as the witness heard lost his life while paying homage to for took the legs of the dead dogs, Emile Zola, the great leader of his and binding them together made a cause. Gregoris is under arrest. It pole, to the top of which he attached was at first feared the attack was part of his shirt to serve as a signal, directed against President Fallieres, and this eventually proved to be his United States Ambassador White salvation, for the flag was seen by was not far away from Major Dreyfus when the shots were fired, but Cove, Mare Bay, and they affected he was not in any danger. Some 230 arrests have been made

Emile Zola, who died in September, seconds fifteen to twenty lines of a study of the pearl question, as aphose were ready to turn on the fire. plied to bivalves, and ascertained the demned to a year's imprisonment for Several of the crew behaved with her- scientific theory of the origin of the addressing to Felix Faure, then president of France, the famous letter conspiracy in the general army staff \$10,000,000 from an aunt in Massaagainst Major Dreyfus. Thursday his dust was interred with national honors in the Pantheon, the French temple of fame, with impressive ceremonies. The proposal to give Zola glorious burial, made first in 1906, aroused in France all the dormant animosities that came out during the Dreyfus trials and the transfer of his ashes, although duly voted by the Chamber and the Senate, had to be twice postponed because of the state of USED HORSE WHIPS ON SOL. public opinion. Disorder and rioting were expected and the authorities found it expedient to take measures for the preservation of peace

The affair has created a tremendous sensation in Paris and the motive of the would-be assassin is the cause of much mystification, for Gregoris, instead of being an ordinary fanatic, such as is carried away by the political passions of the moment, is a man of mature age, having been born in 1844, and was highly esteemed in the circles where he was known. Although born of Italian parents, he has been an ardent Frenchman for years, and has written authoritatively on military subjects, enjoying close relations with many high French officers. His friends are at a loss to understand what induced him to commit such a foolhardy act, and many are disposed ply shot as an individual in protest against the participation of the army in the ceremonies attending the placing of the ashes of Zola in the Pan-

Some do not hesitate to express the opinion that he may have been the tool of a little clan of Royalists, who. under the name of L'Action Francaise, have never ceased to insist that the Court of Cassation illegally prevented an appeal of the Dreyfus case, nor abandoned hope of Regular dividends were declared seeing a revision favorable to the

contentions of the Nationalists. Predict Revolution. By the shooting of Dreyfus, they point out, the whole affair may be indirectly reopened before July, be cause assassination or attempted sissination must come before the Assize Court for trial. Some color is lent to this theory by a series of remarkable articles that appeared in L'Action Francaise, from the pens of Charles Maurras and Leon Daudet. son of the poet, who are the leading spirits among the Royalist supporters of the restoration of Phillipe of Or-

Telephone Girls Strike.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa. (Special) .-- Angry because their view of the street below them was cut off by window shades rolling upward from the bottom, the girls employed in the exchange of the United Telephone Company at Berwick went on strike today. They declared the shutting off of the view was an unnecessary hardship which they did not mean to stand. The company is trying to fill their

ON ICEPACK WITH MADDENED DOGS

Killed and 19 Badly Crime Committed Almost in Presence Thrilling Experience of Dr. Wilfred Grenfell,

> St. Johns, N. F. (Special) .- Battling for 40 hours against a pack of hunger-maddened dogs on an ice pack off the coast of Labrador, with the Protest Against the Presence of Sol- temperature below zero and with only a knife to defend himself from being torn to pieces by the savage brutes, is the thrilling experience that Dr. Wilfred Grenfell, the celebrated missionary-physician, has recently passed through. The story of Dr. Grenfell's escape from death is told by Capt. W. Bartlett, of the steamer Strathcona, which has just arrived here from the north. Captain Bartlett was with Commander Peary on several of his expeditions to the Artic.

Dr. Grenfell had left Battle Harbor, Labrador, to attend several patients at another settlement 10 miles distant, and was traveling over the ice with a pack of dogs when he found himself driven off the coast by a moving ice field. Before he realized it he was in an area covered only with broken drift ice, and before he could stop the dogs the animals had carried him into the water. The dogs attempted to climb on Dr. Grenfell's back and he was obliged to fight them before he was able to climb onto a solid piece of drift ice. The dogs also succeeded in saving

themselves. With the wind blowing a gale from the northwest, the temperature ten below zero, and night at hand, the doctor would have been frozen to death, for his clothing was saturated, but for the originality and ingenuity he displayed. Taking off ais skinboots he cut them in halves and placed the pieces over his back and chest to shield those parts of his body from the blast. As the wind and cold increased, when night came on he determined to kill three of the dogs to afford him more warmth and to supply the other beasts with feed, fearing that becoming hungry they

As it was they attacked him savagely, and he was bitten terribly about the hands and legs. He spent George Reid and others, of Lockes

FORTUNE FOR GOOD CAUSE.

Mr. Averill To Make 20,000 People Нарру.

Los Angeles, Cal. (Special). - C. "J'Accuse," in which he laid bare the W. Averill, who recently inherited chusetts, declares he is going to make 20,000 or more people happy. After a visit to his old home in Farmington, Me., he will establish headquarters in a big city, where, he says, all who need help and deserve it can find it.

"I am not going to be a fool about this," he said, "but if being a fool is being deceived occasionally, all right. I have succeeded in piling up a few hundred thousand by my own exertions, but can never spend the income of \$10,000,000.

"If a man has \$500 and needs as much more to carry out his plans and make him a success and thereby happy, I propose to give him the added \$500

"Another thing, I am going to help bad people as well as good. The good people have churches and respectable folks to care for them, but the bad have no one but the devil and the police. "I want to help the intemperate.

the convict, the girl who has to hang. her head, the man who has made a failure of himself. Lots of us cannot resist temptation. "I have set the number I will aid at 20,000, but if I succeed in helping them I will look for 20,000 more. suppose my headquarters will be in

places than any other.' Death And Life Tegether.

New York of Chicago, because I can

reach farther from either of those

Columbus, O. (Spec'al) .- Stricken with apoplexy at the bedside of Mrs. Edward Loney, who had just brought into the world a tiny boy baby, Dr. R. D. Connell, equally well-known as homeopathic physician and publicspirited citizen, breathed his last on the porch, where he had been taken in the hope that fresh air would revive him, before his wife and daughter, who had been hastily summoned, could reach his side.

His Wives Confiscated.

Mequinez (By Cable) .- Mulai Hafid, the usurping sultan of Morocco. has confiscated the wives of General, Bagdani and his brother and has informed them that the women will be sold unless submission is sent to him immediately. General Bagdani has laid the case before the Moroccan Foreign Board, which suggested that he request the intervention of the diplomatic corps.

The Yorodzu Choho, a paper of Tokio, anounces that it has discovered in Kosaburo Fujimatsu, a resident of the Province of Chikugo, the oldest person in the world. His age is asserted to be 170, and he has one of his great-great-grandsons living with him.

Countess Tolstoi is in Moscow supervising the organization of a maseum in honor of her illustrious husband. The museum will contain a great mass of letters received by the Count, many of them being from