

EVENTS OF SEVEN DAYS PAST

Classified, Explained, No Sensationalism or Partisanship

COMMERCE and INDUSTRY

Financial.

Pneumatic Tire Combine.
It was announced at New York that a combination of tire manufacturers had been effected by the heads of the principal rubber concerns. Henceforth they expect to dictate to automobile makers the sizes of tires and rims. The deal is in the form of an agreement not to guarantee tires unless fitted to certain rims and certain sizes. It is believed to be a move in the interest of the consumer.

Smokeless Powder Monopoly.
Plans have been completed for the formation of a corporation to include the Du Ponts of Wilmington, Del., and the International Smokeless and Chemical company of Philadelphia with the object of controlling the manufacture of smokeless powder in this country.

Merger For Greater New York.
By a large transfer of the stock of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company to the Rockefeller interests the final step was taken in the consolidation of all the Brooklyn lines with those of New York under the Metropolitan Securities company, with a combined capital stock of \$248,000,000 and operating 1,061 miles of street railroads. These lines earn annually \$17,000,000 and carry 1,000,000,000 passengers.

The Most Profitable Bank.
The First National bank of Uniontown, Pa., has reported a gain of 135 per cent in surplus and undivided profits in the past year. This is believed to exceed the record of any national bank in the United States. This bank now ranks fifth in financial standing.

Cubans Here For Big Loan.
Two members of the commission appointed by President Palma of Cuba to negotiate a loan of \$35,000,000 for the payment of war pensions arrived at New York. They are Mendez Capote, president of the Cuban senate, and General M. G. Menocal. They immediately began conferring with prominent American bankers.

Klondike Output \$10,000,000.
A dispatch from Dawson said that the Klondike gold output for the past season will be at least \$10,000,000. Steel trust stocks made new low levels.

Labor.

Parks' Union to Contest.
Walking Delegate Sam Parks and his New York union of housemiths and bridge men, having had their charter annulled by Frank Buchanan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, have started a movement to secure reinstatement at this week's meeting of the international association and to put Parks forward as a candidate for Buchanan's place. Parks was fined \$50 for assault on another walking delegate.

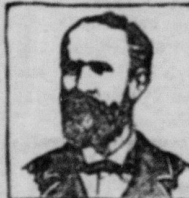
Union Sued For Boycott.
Suits were begun at Bridgeport, Conn., by the American Anti-boycott association against the officers of the American Federation of Labor and also against the officers and 250 members of the local hatters' union at Danbury. These are the first applications in Connecticut of the Sherman antitrust law to the subject of boycott. The suits are brought in the name of D. E. Loewe & Co., hat manufacturers, of Danbury, who claimed damages aggregating \$350,000 on account of the boycott against them.

Labor Notes.
In consequence of the present sympathetic strike the mine owners of the Cripple Creek district have agreed to employ nonunion labor hereafter. A point was gained by the anthracite miners when the conciliation board decided that the contract miners had a right to select and hire their own helpers. Over 100,000,000 railway men in the middle west and on the lake

shipping have begun to submit formal demands for higher wages, varying from 10 to 20 per cent. Catholic members of the typographical union at Omaha took a decided stand against the attitude of the church toward the union vow, which has been condemned by Bishop Scannell. In a labor controversy at Indianapolis John Crosby, an employee of the Parry Manufacturing company, while defending Mr. Parry and the Manufacturing association was stabbed by a nonunion man, Nicholas Hall. Original letters tending to prove that certain anthracite mine operators are systematically blacklisting men who leave their employ so as to prevent their employment elsewhere were published by the Philadelphia North American.

Agriculture.

Waste in Irrigation.
The national irrigation congress was in session at Ogden, Utah, with delegates representing twenty-six states and territories. President Clark said that there now remained in the arid and semiarid zones about 600,000,000 acres of vacant public land. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson said that the main problem now



was to prevent waste of water where the snows melt in the mountains and also by leakage from canals. He said farmers used more water than is necessary and suggested the plan of basing charges for water on the quantity used rather than on the acreage irrigated.

Farm Opportunities Neglected.
In an editorial dealing with American farmers' neglected opportunities the New York Sun shows that farm products now imported to the value of \$85,000,000 a year, or 10 per cent of our total importation, could be produced in this country. The principal crops thus shown to be short of the home demand are cheese, rice, potatoes, beans and peas, onions, butter, hops, honey, eggs, hay, barley and vinegar. Of these the largest imports last year were in cheese, rice, beans, peas and potatoes.

Frost Hurt Crops.
The corn market at Chicago experienced a jolt as the result of severe frosts which visited the western corn belt last week, doing considerable damage to the crop. The cotton crop in Texas also suffered, the temperature going down almost to the freezing point.

Cars For Western Wheat Needed.
The usual shortage in freight cars for the moving of crops in the west is reported, only with worse conditions than heretofore. At Topeka, Kan., Tuesday it was said that 25,000,000 bushels of wheat lay on the ground in Kansas, while elevators are overflowing. The exposed grain has been damaged considerably by rain.

Transportation.

Trolley Sleeping Cars Next.
The electric trolley system operating between Columbus and Indianapolis has just announced its intention of operating sleeping cars for its patrons to compete with the Pullman on the steam roads. As with the latter, the trolley sleepers, which are to be luxurious in equipment, will be converted into parlor cars for day service.

114 Miles an Hour by Trolley.
Reports from Berlin say that on Sept. 22 an electric car on the Zossen military road reached a speed of over 114 miles an hour. The roadbed is constructed of broken basalt set with pine ties faced with oak.

To Test Pullen Electric System.
The Pennsylvania railroad has decided to equip a section of the West Jersey and Seashore railroad with the

broken contact current with the electrical traction invented by L. W. Pullen. The Pennsylvania railroad is intending to supplement its steam railroads with electrical systems for suburban use.

Greatest Number of Passengers.
The North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II. last week landed at New York the largest number of cabin passengers ever brought across the Atlantic by one liner. There were 974 in all, bringing 8,500 pieces of baggage.

The Markets.

The feature of the speculative stock transactions has been the low levels to which the securities of the steel trust fell in spite of good business reported and the optimism of Morgan and his followers. It is somewhat of a mystery. The conflicting weather reports ending with knowledge of widespread frost damage to western corn kept the cereal markets in a rather nervous state. The rush to market wheat has caused shortage of freight cars on all western lines. Prices of corn and wheat continued strong. The country produce markets of New York and Philadelphia held fairly firm and steady all along the line.

Accidents and Disasters.

Heavy rains in Minnesota and the Dakotas did damage to the wheat crop estimated at \$10,000,000.

The worst hurricane in twenty years struck Florida Sept. 12, damaging the fruit crop and hurting the turpentine industry by felling from 10 to 80 per cent of the pine trees.

A hurricane 100 miles in diameter swept in from the sea across New Jersey and lower New York, wrecking 150 vessels and doing property damage in New York city and vicinity to the amount of \$5,000,000.

SCIENTIFIC

Dakota's Fossil Monsters.
Professor T. B. Lummis of Amherst has just returned from a three months' exploration of the Bad Lands of Dakota and Wyoming, having found the remains of 500 fossil animals or parts of animals. In eastern Wyoming choice specimens of sea animals were found, one being as large as a whale.

Rapid Growth From New Food.
The result of a series of experiments made by Dr. Shinnikishi Hatal, professor of neurology at Chicago university, is the discovery of a new food called lecthin. It is an organic, phosphorus containing body found in eggs, brain matter and the white corpuscles of the blood. White rats which were fed on this substance experienced a growth 60 per cent faster than ordinary, all the parts of the body being stimulated alike. A similar effect is expected when this food is given to human beings.

To Color and Bleach Diamonds.
W. S. Fuchs of Chicago announced the discovery of a process by which he is able to change a diamond to any color chosen and make the color permanent by means of the X rays. The method consists in directing the X ray through the coloring matter before the rays touch and penetrate the diamonds. By reversing the method the color may be removed.

Notes of Science.
Monday's London papers announce that a Captain Drake has organized a north polar expedition and will make a dash from Point Barrow, going next year on a ship provisioned for six years. The doctors who were in charge of the late Pope Leo have replied to critics by saying that Cardinal Rampolla would not let them publish their true diagnosis, which was cancer, not pleurisy. A Paris inventor has brought out a fireman's mask which has a reservoir of compressed air conveyed to the mouth in tubes behind a visor of mica, protected by wire.

THE HOME DOCTOR.

A day or two's abstinence from solid food aids the system to throw off a cold.

Cloths (flannel) wrung from hot water often relieve neuralgia and other severe pains.

If hicoughs do not yield to the usual remedy of drinking water very slowly, take a small piece of sugar and dissolve it gradually on the tongue.

Heartburn can be immediately got rid of by taking cream of tartar, about half a teaspoonful in half a glass of water. It makes a pleasant effervescent drink, cooling to the blood.

The best treatment for a bruise is an immediate application of hot fomentations; after that witch hazel, vinegar and hot water or alcohol and water, put on with a bandage and often moistened.

Sprains require prompt treatment. Immediately on receiving the injury bathe the part in water as hot as can be borne and then swathe in compresses of witch hazel, changing as each becomes dry.

There is nothing so good as turpentine for a bruise or cut. It will smart for a moment, but takes out every particle of soreness in an incredibly short time. Wet a cloth and bind on and keep it wet. Witch hazel is good also, but the turpentine is best.

Effect of Suggestion.

Study carefully the temperament and tastes of your children, that you may put before each the suggestions that will best arouse within him his own constructive, beauty making powers. Let nothing be said before the little one that will not bear repeating and nothing done that may not be imitated. "The greatest characteristic of early childhood is the power of imitation," says Professor Elmer Gates.

Not a sight, sound or condition escapes the watchful eye of a bright, active child, and to put into expression every new thought or fascinating mental picture, whether good or bad, is an irresistible instinct. This is why stories, amusements, pictures and everything that feeds a child's mind should be suggestive of only that which would place beautiful and happy pictures before his mental vision.

Of the grandeur, beauty and joy in the world seek in some simple manner to make the little children conscious and that they, too, in a way are initiators, great or small, of what they see, hear, taste or feel.—Mind.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of JOHN W. BECKWITH, deceased, late of Taylor township.
Letters testamentary upon said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims, to present them for settlement.
JOHN T. BECKWITH
CHRISTINA BECKWITH
Hannah, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of JACOB YEARICK, dec'd, late of Marion twp. Letters of administration having been duly granted on the above estate he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.
E. J. YEARICK, Admr.
Windber, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of O. W. HUNTER, dec'd, late of Bellefonte twp. Letters of administration having been duly granted on the above estate he respectfully requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.
J. D. HUNTER, Admr.
Bellefonte, Pa.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.
In the Orphans' Court of Centre county. In the matter of the estate of EMANUEL ZIMMERMAN, late of Bellefonte township, deceased. The undersigned, auditor appointed by said court, to dispose of any exceptions that may be filed to the account of Miles Zimmerman, administrator, and to make distribution of the balance in his hands and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will attend to the duties of his appointment on Saturday the 10th day of Sept. A. D. 1903, at 10 a. m., at his office in Crider's Exchange, Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all persons interested in said estate may attend and make proof of their claims or be forever debarred.
THOS. J. SEXTON, Auditor.
Bellefonte, Pa., Sept. 5, 1903.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1903.
Estate of ISABELLA and NANCY M. JAMESON late of boro of Milesburg dec'd.
By virtue of an order of the orphans' court of Centre county, in partition there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, Bellefonte, Pa., at 10 a. m., the following described real estate:
House and tract of land located between Jonesburg and Snow Shoe Intersections, hoggs township, known as the Jameson homestead. Consisting of a good

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE
and all necessary outbuildings, orchard, and ten acres of land under cultivation.
Terms—10 per cent of purchase money on day of sale, 1/2 of balance on confirmation, and 1/2 in one year with interest, secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.
A. M. HOOVER, Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE.
The executors of JOHN WOLF, late of Miles township, Centre county, Pa., dec'd, will offer at public sale on
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9th, 1903,
at one o'clock p. m., on the premises, the
FINE FARM OF THE DECEDENT,
situate in Miles township, near Robersburg, Pa., bounded east by land of T. E. Royer et al, north by public road, south by Jos. K. Moyer, west by Jos. Hiery estate
CONTAINING 172 ACRES
51 perches of which about 150 acres is in an excellent state of cultivation. The balance is
GOOD TIMBER LAND,
consisting of white oak and white pine. On the premises are erected a large two story dwelling, bank barn and all necessary outbuildings, all in first class order. A fine young orchard, running water at the house and barn. It will be offered in a whole or in parts. In short it is one of the finest farms in Miles township. Terms will be made known on day of sale by
J. V. ZEIGLER and
WINIFRED BRUNGART, Executors.

TRY OUR BLENDED TEA
40c, 60c, 80c, and \$1.00 per lb. You will be well pleased
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INFORMATION WANTED:

Certain patrons, through negligence, or for peculiar reasons known to themselves, refuse from one locality to another, without notifying this office. We are anxious to locate them so that they may receive their paper regularly and for other reasons, important to us. Any one who can furnish the present address of the following will confer a special favor. We give the former address:

- GEO. A. MILLER, Aaronsburg.
- J. C. SPHANKLE, Stormstown.
- J. A. WHITEMAN, Ashola, Pa.
- IRA AYRES, Gardant, Pa.
- E. F. GARDNER, Howard, Pa.
- PAUL SWABE, Buffalo, N. Y.
- O. W. MARKS, Hannah, Pa.
- J. B. LUCAS, Beech Creek.
- HENRY HOOVER, West Decatur, Pa.
- JOHN F. JOHNSON, Rockford, Ill.
- ISRAEL FISHER, Shawnee, Kans.
- WM. STAM, Bellefonte, Pa.
- MRS. ELAIE POORMAN, Clearfield, Pa.
- ANNIE JOHNSON, Jersey Shore, Pa.
- C. M. BOWERSOX, Dunlap, Iowa.
- F. W. WEISY, Walker, Pa.
- HENRY T. IRVIN, Cross Forks.
- J. P. LINGOLE, Hinchman, Mich.
- B. F. EDMUNDS, Windber, Pa.
- GEO. A. BATHURST, Milesburg.
- JOHN LIDINGS, Milesburg, Pa.
- JOE H. HUBBARD, Fatton, Pa.
- J. F. WAITE, Smellton, Pa.
- H. C. WEAVER, Fort Wayne, Ind.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.
The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis and all throat and lung Maladies. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address, Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, Brooklyn, New York.

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JUST THE GIST OF IT ALL

Single handed and unaided by the prestige of government office, "Joe" Chamberlain goes forth from the divided Balfour ministry and challenges the reasoning judgment of the British public on a question pregnant with woe or weal for the lasting unity of the empire on which the sun never sets. Will they continue the free trade and tariff policies established fifty years ago or will they revise the schedules so as to favor trade with the British colonies and retaliate on those foreign nations which fail to make desired concessions?

Here in brief is the heart of the matter, an English political crisis which stirs the entire civilized world. By the act of his resignation Chamberlain has precipitated the elements of a much befogged public mind and made inevitable a general election, for the Balfour cabinet cannot last long, though patched for the present to replace Ritchie and Hamilton, Burrell and Elliott, as well as Chamberlain. Balfour himself takes stand for protection.

Northern Macedonia is up in arms, and Bulgaria's regiments on the border await only the wink of an eye to join in the bloody struggle with the Turks, while the great powers of Europe continue to turn deaf ears to the agonizing shrieks of the tortured and murdered thousands of helpless Christians. There has been talk of a military occupation of Macedonia by Russia and Austria, and ambassadors have protested to the sultan, who "regrets occurrences." The devastation is appalling.

France prepares to wage a war of conquest against Morocco.

The new note in the American political symphony is the voice of labor in an effort to change the president's attitude as to the reinstatement of Bookbinder Miller. Is it to be a test of organized labor's new found strength? The same voice is busy booming a newspaper man, Hearst, to lead the Democratic hosts against Roosevelt. Hanna's resignation as Republican chairman expected.

Steel trust stocks more than 17 points off. Corn belt injured by frost. East, west, north and south extraordinary weather conditions have caused much loss of life and millions of dollars' injury to property, unsettling the whole commercial framework.

Professor Hatal of Chicago announced the discovery of "lecthin," a new food substance which doubles the growth of rats. Cancer caused pope's death.

Salvationists on horseback assailed feud districts.

The school bell's plaintive call again resumes its sway over the internal life of our American communities, big and little. The summer is gone.