

# WHAT ALL THE WORLD IS DOING

Trend of Civilization in All Lines From Week to Week

## POLITICS and GOVERNMENT

### Executive.

#### Charges Against Secretary Loomis.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Herald on April 26 made it known that Herbert W. Bowen, American minister to Venezuela, had submitted formal charges reflecting on the official character of Francis B. Loomis, assistant secretary of state. The charges were that while he was minister to Venezuela Mr. Loomis obtained large official rewards from the asphalt trust and that President Castro held in his possession a check from the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company which cashed; also that Mr. Loomis had certain fees for using his influence to collect claims against the Venezuelan government.

Secretary Taft called on Mr. Loomis to make complete answer to Bowen's charges. This Mr. Loomis proceeded to do and gave to the press a categorical denial of each and every charge.

It was reported the same day that Mr. Bowen was to be transferred to another post and that he would be succeeded by Irving W. Dudley of California, now minister to Peru. The officials of the Asphalt company have denied any improper relations with Mr. Loomis in Venezuela and confirmed his explanation that the check for \$10,000 was given in return for a like amount in Venezuelan money from Mr. Loomis, the latter wishing to get American money prior to returning to the United States.

#### Government May Take Rebates.

Attorney General Moody in an opinion for the secretary of the interior, April 25, holds that the law against rebates makes an exception in favor of the federal government.

#### Knives on Bell Buoys.

The department of commerce and labor has authorized the use of a new type of bell buoy to mark the channel into New York harbor. It has a set of sharp teeth or knives above its water line, the object of which is to cut the long tow lines of tugboats which otherwise would move the markers out of place. For a long time harbor navigation has been menaced by the carelessness of tugboats in fouling the buoys.

#### President Roosevelt's Return.

Word was received at Washington April 27 that President Roosevelt had changed his plans so as to return from his vacation a week earlier than intended. This will require him to begin his homeward journey May 8 and will necessitate a change of the dates of his receptions at Denver and Chicago. The president expects to go to his summer home about the middle of June. Mr. Roosevelt has three bears' pelts to his credit during the present trip.

The country where the president's party is now hunting in Colorado, to the extent of 1,005,700 acres, has been set aside as a forest preserve by order of the general land office issued April 27.

### General.

#### More Railroad Rate Testimony.

The senate interstate commerce committee has continued its hearings at Washington on the proposed regulation of railroad rates. The statistics of the interstate commerce commission were attacked by W. G. Hines, former vice president of the Louisville and Nashville railroad. He declared that the average of freight rates instead of being increased during 1904 were greatly decreased. Mr. Hines thought that the present law was ample to prevent unjust discrimination, as the differentials were the outcome of intense competition. A government mileage basis would simply destroy the competition between ports, "as the traffic would be centralized at the port with the shortest mileage."

#### Woman Suffrage Best.

In the New York senate April 26 by a vote of 26 to 11 the bill permitting women taxpayers to vote in cities of the third class was defeated on the ground that it would be an entering wedge toward complete woman suffrage.

### Foreign.

#### Spanish Bullfighting Resumed.

Extraordinary enthusiasm marked the resumption of Sunday bullfighting in Spain, authority having been given by the council of state on the ground that the matadores, toreadors, etc., are artists.

#### Turkey Leases Tripoli.

The Turkish province of Tripoli, in Africa, has been leased to a French company for ninety-nine years on the condition that certain improvements in the port be made in return for import and export duties. This would

be apparently in violation of the Franco-Italian rapprochement of 1902, when Italy was given a free hand in its relations with Tripoli.

#### Hide and Seek in China Sea.

Another week of supreme suspense passed for Russia and Japan while their respective fleets under Rojstvenky and Togo played at hide and seek between the French coast of the China sea and the island of Formosa. On the evening of April 26 the Russian fleet, provisioned and coaled, sailed due east from Kamranh bay, ostensibly to take the ocean route for Vladivostok. The same day the third division, under Nebogatoff, was passing through the Malaccan strait.

#### To Rebuild Russian Navy.

St. Petersburg dispatches say that Charles M. Schwab of the Bethlehem Steel works is in conference with the high officials of the Russian navy regarding a contract for rebuilding a section of the czar's war shattered navy.

#### Sewing Bees in Chinese Court.

An American sewing machine was presented recently to the dowager empress of China, and it is said that she was so pleased with it that she ordered one for every lady at the court and was to have regular sewing bees in the palace to which the daughters of all the high officials were to be invited.

#### When the Kaiser Travels.

When the German emperor reached Naples, Italy, April 27, and was told of the worldwide discussion of his Moroccan visit, he felicitously remarked, "The whole world is in trouble when I travel."

#### Germany Wants New Treaty.

The German government has formally notified the American government that the tariff agreement between the two countries will terminate March 1, 1906, the same day on which the reciprocity treaties which were recently signed between Germany and several other European states goes into effect. Nevertheless negotiations for a new treaty with the United States will be taken up. This termination of the modus vivendi by Germany is in response to public opinion and is presumed to anticipate the demand for certain tariff concessions upon her manufactured goods in return for the low duties upon American cotton, grain and foodstuffs.

#### Germany's Tariff Notice.

The German government has notified the administration at Washington that the present tariff agreement will end when Germany's new treaties with other European states go into effect. While Germany politely offers to negotiate a new treaty, the prospect of a German-American tariff war is bright.

### Legal and Criminal.

#### Bank Official Steals Millions.

Frank G. Bigelow, president of the First National Bank of Milwaukee and ex-president of the American Bankers' association, was arrested April 23 on the charge of embezzlement and confessed himself a defaulter of the bank's funds to the extent of \$1,300,000. This money had been charged to different banks in Chicago and used in wheat speculation. Bigelow was promptly dismissed by the directors and released from custody on \$25,000 cash bail. The bank was saved from immediate ruin by the subscription of \$1,000,000 by wealthy Milwaukee citizens to meet the shortage. Bigelow's great reputation as a financier and as a man makes the fall all the more notable. Although there was a run on the bank, all demands were promptly met. Later disclosures of Bigelow's relations to various trusts and correspondents in



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### President Eliot Versus Samuel Gompers

College president and labor leader met in mental combat at last week's dinner of the Civic federation at New York. Discussing associated effort, President Eliot of Harvard said that American prosperity was based on the efficiency of American workmen. This efficiency he attributed to individual freedom, which stimulated hope and ambition. The opposing interests of employers and employees, with consequent organizations for attack and defense, led, however, to a serious curtailment of individual liberty. The organization of one party to the conflict naturally led to the organization of the other, and President Eliot foresaw grave disturbances and great harm until both parties resolved to give over the pursuit of monopoly and recognize that competition is indispensable to social progress.

Mr. Gompers in his reply, referring to the charge that union men lost their individuality, averred that the individuality and individual liberty of the worker were lost the moment he entered a modern industrial plant where labor is so specialized and subdivided as to give him no outlet for self expression. "We are told to make our appeal to the law and there find means by which to improve our conditions," said Mr. Gompers, and then referred to the recent decision of the supreme court declaring unconstitutional the ten hour law for bakers as an illustration of the futility of such appeals and the necessity of organizing and striking to get better conditions for labor.

increased his embezzlements to something over \$3,000,000.

#### King of Beggars Caught.

Herman W. Trobener, the man who has transformed beggary into a profession and cleared up tens of thousands of dollars in recent years, was arrested at New York last week on charges preferred by an officer of the Charity Organization society. He has operated under names of various famous people, chiefly professors and titled foreigners. He would reach people by using forged letters of introduction from famous persons. His operations have covered all the principal cities and many colleges.

#### Initiative Law Invalid.

That part of the charter of the city of Los Angeles, Cal., which provides for the recall of aldermen on a vote by a certain proportion of the constituents has been declared unconstitutional by the California supreme court. This decision is being used by the Socialist papers as an object lesson. For instance, the New York Worker says it is an object lesson for the opportunist reformers and self styled "practical Socialists" who are never tired of reproaching party Socialists for their strictness and aggressiveness.

#### Nan Patterson's Third Trial.

The progress of the third trial of Nan Patterson, the actress accused of murdering Caesar Young, was watched with great interest not only at New York, but throughout the country. The failure of Pawanbroth Stern to identify J. Morgan Smith as the man who purchased the revolver with which Young was murdered was regarded as a great victory for the defense. The testimony of Mrs. Smith, sister of the accused, who was an unwilling witness for the prosecution, disclosed the fact that Young had expressed an intention to marry the Patterson girl, and this was deemed important as the motive for the murder.

### SCIENTIFIC

#### Iodine For Consumption.

Professor G. Ley of Milan, Italy, has announced to King Victor his discovery of a new and successful treatment for consumption based on the principle that iodine is converted by the circulating human blood into a powerful destroyer of tuberculous microbes.

#### Long Distance Photography.

The latest and most promising invention for the transmission of photographs by electric current is that of Dr. Korn of the University of Munich described in a translation for the Literary Digest. Transmission is effected automatically to any distance, the transmitted photograph being a complete production of the original. The important feature of the Korn device is an automatic light adjuster measuring the illumination of each section of the photograph, thus reproducing a corresponding change in the receiver. This adjuster was found in the metal selenium.

#### To Observe Sun's Eclipse.

Rear Admiral Chester, superintendent of the naval observatory at Washington, has arranged to send observers of the total solar eclipse Aug. 29-30 to three stations—one near the central line of the eclipse on an island off the coast of Spain, one near Valencia, Spain, and one between Tunis and Algiers, Africa.

#### The Blue Light Anaesthetic.

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### ATTENTION VETERANS.

#### Committee Want Correct Names of Centre County Soldiers.

In order to secure absolute accuracy in the names and spelling thereof on our soldiers' monument, we will publish from time to time the lists of certain companies so as to enable those who are interested to suggest changes in initials or spelling, and also to suggest the names of any persons who may have been omitted from the rolls. This is the last opportunity which will be given to our people and to the survivors or friends of deceased soldiers who served from Centre county to have these names corrected. The Committee, therefore, appeals very earnestly to all who are interested in the subject to carefully scan all the names to ascertain,

1st, whether any have been omitted; and

2nd, whether the names of those already contained in the rolls are properly spelled.

It is also very important that the names of soldiers who enlisted in organizations outside of the county or State should be secured, in order that they may find their place among the nation's defenders upon the monument. This is perhaps the most important thing which the Committee has in charge, the organizations from our own county being already well known. If, therefore, any person, in or out of the county, has knowledge of a citizen of Centre county who enlisted in organizations outside of the county and State, it is especially important that their names should be ascertained, so that they may find a place among those who enlisted at home.

Any communication in regard to these names addressed to Gen. John I. Curtin or William H. Mysser, Bellefonte, will receive prompt attention.

#### OLD COMPANY "A." 40th PENNSYLVANIA THREE YEAR REGIMENT.

- Joseph M. Greene, Captain.
- James A. Anselmy, Captain.
- Andrew S. Davidson, 1st Lieut.
- Wm. D. Harper, 2nd Lieut.
- Frank Smith.
- John W. Spencer, 1st Sergt.
- John M. Stephens, 5th.
- Michael McLaughlin, 1st Corp.
- Lewis T. Wetzel, 2nd.
- Wm. H. Conner, 3rd.
- Alex W. Duke, 4th.
- James Hill, 6th.
- Wm. J. Johnston, 8th.
- James A. Knell, 7th.
- Daniel S. Stres, 9th.
- George W. Hutton, Musician.
- Alex Draucher.
- Clement Murphy, Wagoner.

#### PRIVATE.

- Joseph G. McGinley.
- David McAfee.
- William H. McFarland.
- Joseph Mall.
- Nathaniel W. Orms.
- Joseph H. Poorman.
- Israel Potts.
- John E. Potts, Captain.
- Timothy Ryan.
- Thomas Rose.
- William Rose.
- David Walker.
- Jacob Shiver.
- Jeremiah Spence.
- William E. Shope.
- James Spangler.
- Matthew B. Smeal.
- Michael Sennet.
- John Setzler.
- William T. Stewart.
- William Singer.
- Charles Wolf.
- James Workman.
- William Walker.
- George Witherrite.
- Valentine Williams.
- David Walker.
- Wilson Walker.

#### OLD COMPANY "G." 40th PENNSYLVANIA THREE YEAR REGIMENT.

- John Roak, Captain.
- A. Boyd Hutchison.
- James T. Stewart, to Lieut. Col.
- Christian Dale.
- Wm. P. Irvin, 1st Lieut.
- James P. Smith, 1st Sergt.
- George Ketter, 5th.
- William P. Shope, 1st Corp.
- Terry C. Brown, 2nd.
- John F. Woods, 3rd.
- Jacob McCool, 4th.
- W. H. H. Mosser, 5th.
- William Yonts, 6th.
- Griffith Lytle, 7th.
- John Miller, 8th.
- James V. Henderson, Musician.
- James H. Henderson.
- William Shaffer, Wagoner.

#### PRIVATE.

- Joseph G. Hess.
- W. H. Kaup.
- James Kennelly.
- Edwin Koonce.
- Peter Koon.
- Let Lowry.
- William Lechly.
- Charles Lester.
- Henry E. Lawver.
- Thomas C. Mayer.
- William McEhatten.
- John Musser.
- Lot Orr.
- Daniel S. Parker.
- James A. Patten.
- James Richter.
- David Haymon.
- Edmond Haymon.
- John E. Seifher.
- James Shortbill.
- Jacob Smith.
- Thomas Toad.
- George W. Thompson.
- W. H. Taylor.
- W. N. Toner.
- James Wilson.
- Frederick C. Wolf.
- Benjamin F. Wagner.
- Samuel K. Working.
- Andrew J. Yeager.
- Israel Young.

#### MISCELLANEOUS LIST OF NAMES IN OTHER COMPANIES OF SAME REGIMENT.

- Company "C." Private.
- Oliver C. Covle.
- William H. Gray, Stormstown.
- John McQuillen.
- Richard McQuillen.
- William L. Houch.
- Joan Whippo, Graysville.
- Company "E."
- Jacob Berto, Halfmoon.
- Charles Frain, Marion.
- John Fray.
- George W. Hamer, Stormstown.
- James M. Harbaker, Bellefonte.
- John Holmes Marion.
- William Kamp, Howard.
- Abram Kline, Jacksonville.
- Levi Knarr, Housburg.
- John Meyer, Huston.
- Israel Potter, Liberty.
- John Richards, Marion.
- John Rickard, Jacksonville.
- Samuel Roeker.
- John A. Ross.
- John Ross, Hurdsdale.
- Homer S. Smythe, Jacksonville.
- Stephen Transon, Marion.
- Wm. H. Wakefield.
- Andrew Walker.
- William Watkins.
- Oliver P. Wilson, Walker.
- J. Calvin Wing, Marion.
- John C. Wise, Jacksonville.
- Gideon Wolf, Marion.
- Jacob Worth, Miles.
- Company "F."
- James I. Coon, Unionville.
- Harlan Griller.
- Lewis Harry.
- George M. Knight.
- Wm. M. Knapp.
- George Miller, Hoags Twp.
- John Moyer, Patton Twp.
- Joseph Preston, Patton Twp.

- George S. Whitcraft, Unionville.
- Harry M. Worth.
- John S. Meyers, Co. "D."
- Daniel McGrady "Worth Twp."
- James W. Sankey, Co. "H."
- COMPANY "G." 5th REGIMENT.
- Austin R. Snyder, Captain.
- William H. Blair.
- John R. Gilliland.
- George E. Campbell, 1st Lieut.
- Dora Grunsell.
- Curtis B. Stonerod, 2nd.
- George Decker.
- George Danont, Sergt.
- Edward Shannon.
- David Youts.
- D. C. Ammerman.
- Joseph A. Clark.
- Louis Cartoyvel.
- Joseph J. Peter.
- Adam Grassmire.
- Joseph Ammerman, Corporal.
- John C. Bowes.
- Jacob Casler.
- Robert Hinton.
- John E. Wilt.
- James Lowling.
- George Armstrong.
- Hezekiah Dixon.
- James Holmes.
- James Elder, Musician.

- Thomas Ammerman, George Larah.
- J. E. Ammerman, James G. Lucas.
- Levi Bowes, Mark A. Loeb.
- Reuben Perall, James G. Lucas.
- George G. Meisse.
- Thomas Moser.
- David Mills.
- Robert Montgomery.
- Samuel Moore.
- William Moore.
- Calvin L. Morrison.
- John Miller.
- William Mackey.
- Thomas Macarty.
- Barry Mellarney.
- John S. Noll.
- Patrick Powers.
- Wilson Poorman.
- James Poorman.
- Henry Poff.
- Charles Prescott.
- James Powers.
- August Rolley.
- George Rodgers.
- Nicholas Roiley.
- Charles Kieker.
- Philip Richards.
- Jacob Ryp.
- William Reedes.
- Henry A. Roan.
- Henry D. Showers.
- Samuel D. Seidinger.
- Michael Shires.
- Daniel Sheets.
- Christian Sheets.
- Daniel Showers.
- William Seach.
- James A. Scott.
- Jerminal Troy.
- John Troy.
- Aaron Thatcher.
- Samuel Troy.
- William Wilson.
- William Wilson.
- Hiram Woodring.
- Newton Whipps.
- William Wozwick.
- Lewis A. Wyland.
- Wallace Wigkins.
- Jackson Watson.
- William Young.

#### MISCELLANEOUS NAMES OF THE 1st REGIMENT

- William Allson, Potter Co. "H."
- Jewett S. Harding, Mile.
- Samuel S. McEwen, (Stormstown).
- Thomas Weaver, Mile Co.
- Samuel Myers, Ferguson Twp. Co. "T"
- John H. Myers.
- Jackson Myers, Bender.
- Thomas Troy, Halfmoon.

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