

## THE SANTA MARIA IN RUPTION

### Steamer City of Panama Brings Late News from the Devastated Regions of the Isthmus.

### QUESALTENANGO VISITED BY RUIN

That Damage Has Extended Across the Mountain Is Evidence of Terrible Activity of the Volcano. Refugees Are Making Their Way to the Seaside—Ashes and Pumice Stone Fall in Showers All Over the Surrounding Country—Absolute Ruin Threatens Planters.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. San Francisco, Nov. 26.—The volcano Santa Maria was in violent eruption when the Pacific mail steamer, City of Panama, left Champerico for this port nine days ago. The City of Panama arrived from Panama and way ports today, bringing late news from the devastated regions. While the steamer lay at Champerico, the mountain far away was spouting ashes, and falling in showers all over the country.

The City of Quesaltenango has been visited by ruin. This place is located at the base of Santa Maria, on the eastern slope and no reports herefrom have been entertained for the town's safety. All the damage reported has been on the western side, reaching from the mountains to the seashore, thirty miles away.

That the damage has extended across the mountain is evidence of the terrible activity of the volcano. Refugees are making their way to the seashore, traveling either to Ocos or Champerico and from the ports proceeding south by steamer. From the officers of the city of Panama it was learned that some of the planters are of the opinion that the ashes may be beneficial to the soil, and that the damage to the fincas may be only temporary.

### Ruin Threatens Planters.

Absolute ruin threatens many of the planters and the livelihood of thousands of natives for many months to come has been shut off by the destructive work of the volcano. The work of rehabilitating the fincas probably will be that of others than the present owners for so great has been the damage that the majority of the planters may never recover from their losses.

At 8 o'clock, New York, was a passenger on the City of Panama, having come through from New York. Mr. O'Connell gives a vivid description of the appearance of the land and sea in the neighborhood of the spouting mountain.

As far as the eye could reach, from Champerico, said Mr. O'Connell, the land to be seen but ashes and pumice stone. We sailed for miles through a sea of ashes. From the sea to Santa Maria, the country looked like a boiling caldron. At short intervals, the volcano emitted a shower of pumice which fell to the ground and which, as far as the eye could reach, seemed to leap high into the air as if propelled by a shock that could be felt all the way to Champerico. Earthquakes were frequent and the people felt that their country rested on a very uncertain foundation.

### PRESIDENT'S BIRD, 32 POUNDS.

#### Family and Guests Will Share Horace Vose's Annual Gift.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 26.—When the President and Mrs. Roosevelt were at the Thanksgiving dinner tomorrow they will be surrounded by practically all the men, women and children of the country. Mrs. Roosevelt will be accompanied by her immediate family. All the children will be present, except the boy who is in school at Groton, Mass. There are several house guests of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt. The dinner will be a message of greeting and in addition has presented each guest with a silver watch and chain and a silver medal.

### President Greeting Tutilla Chiefs.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 26.—In consequence of the voluntary act of loyalty on the part of the people of the Tutilla in coming to the United States, the President and Mrs. Roosevelt have sent them a message of greeting and in addition has presented each chief with the silver watch and chain and a silver medal.

### Texas Bank Dynamited.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Dallas, Tex., Nov. 26.—The First National bank at Morgan, Bossu county, was dynamited by robbers early today and the money was carried away. The first intimation of the robbery was a message that reached the Governor's office that three in number was when a loud explosion was heard. Before the robbers could escape the money had secured the money in the outer safe and made their escape.

### ROOSEVELT'S PICTURE BRINGS \$18,000.

#### Other Valuable Paintings Sold at Auction in New York.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, Nov. 26.—Verestehagin's picture of San Juan Hill, "Come on, Boys," showing Colonel Roosevelt charging at the head of his men, brought \$18,000 at public auction tonight. In all, thirty-one pictures by Verestehagin were sold without reserve. The total amount realized was \$48,000. The twenty pictures representing Napoleon's disastrous campaign in Russia, which were included in the catalogue, were withdrawn from the sale. It was announced that they had been purchased by the Russian minister, by order of the czar, for the museum of Alexander III, at St. Petersburg. The price paid for the twenty canvases was said to be \$100,000.

### THE EMPEROR ATTENDS HERR KRUPP'S FUNERAL.

#### Kaiser William Indignant at the Accusations That Caused the Gunmaker's Death.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Essen, Prussia, Nov. 26.—The presence of Emperor William at Herr Krupp's funeral today was designed by his majesty to show his absolute disapproval of the accusations that caused the gunmaker's death. The emperor was indignant at the cruelty and malice of the social democratic charges, and he is said to have personally expressed his feeling in the matter to the Rev. Mr. Klingemann, who delivered the first of the two funeral orations.

By Emperor William's side was the deceased's cousin, Arthur Krupp, and General Von Bissing. Then came Baron Von Rheinbaben, the finance minister; Herr Moeller, minister of commerce; Admiral Von Tirpitz, secretary of admiralty; General Budda, minister of public works; General Von Plessen, general von Lowenfeld, general von Huelson-Haeseler, Dr. Von Lacanus, chief of the civil cabinet; Admiral Von Saunden-Bilbran and a very large company of other distinguished persons, including the burgomasters of adjacent cities and great manufacturers from all parts of Germany.

### CHILI GAINS LITTLE LAND

#### The Arbiters Give Her More, but Argentina Receives Much More Valuable Territory.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Santiago, Chile, Nov. 26.—The decision of the British arbitration commission in the boundary dispute between Chile and Argentina was received here tonight, but with little satisfaction. The new demarcatory lines have no scientific basis, and although Chile gets the larger share, Argentina gets the best land.

### DECISIONS RENDERED IN BOUNDARY DISPUTE

#### Expert Witness for Chili at London Expresses View That the Santiago Government is Sustained in General by British Arbitrators.

Chillians Take the Verdict Without Demonstration.

### YELLOW JOURNALIST IN HANDS OF THE LAW

#### One of the North American's "Bright Young Men" is Arrested on the Charge of Criminal Libel.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 26.—The case of William H. Draper, a newspaper correspondent of this city, who was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with being a fugitive from justice, came up for hearing in the court of criminal correction today and, by mutual consent, was postponed to December 15.

### THE COXE BROTHERS SETTLE WITH MEN

#### Last of the Individual Operators to Make Terms with Their Employes.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 26.—The Coxe Bros. and their striking employes settled their difficulties today, and work will be resumed at the seven collieries of the company on Monday. All the men except those under indictment for misdemeanors, alleged to have been committed during the strike, and the slate-pickers, whom improved machinery has displaced, are to be taken back at once.

### LA SOUFRIERE ACTIVE.

#### The Fifth Outburst Since May 7 Occurred Yesterday.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Kingstown, St. Vincent, Nov. 26.—A violent eruption of La Soufriere, the fifth big outburst since the catastrophe of May 7, took place today; George town and the village of Chateau Belair, situated on the west coast of St. Vincent, were again evacuated by their inhabitants.

### Treasurer Charged with Larceny.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Canton, O., Nov. 26.—Major Miller, United States army, quartermaster of the department of the lakes, is here to investigate the matter of increasing the guard at the temporary tomb of the late President McKinley.

### War Against Federation.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Denver, Col., Nov. 26.—The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners today instructed the Butte (Montana) union of engineers, affiliated with the Federation, to insist that every man in that locality eligible to membership, shall join the union. This action is regarded as a declaration of war against the American Federation of Labor, which recently organized an engineers' union at Butte.

### Verdict in Miller Case.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Bellefonte, Pa., Nov. 26.—The trial of David Miller for the shooting of his son-in-law, Robert Roach, at Osnoda, Pa., July ended today. The jury after being out two hours and forty-five minutes rendered a verdict of murder in the second degree.

### Valuable Museum Burned.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Odessa, Nov. 26.—The watchman of the museum attached to the University of Odessa today set fire to the building and then committed suicide by hanging himself. The edifice containing a very valuable collection was destroyed.

### FRENCH MINERS RESUME.

#### The Strike Continued in Only One District of the Mining Regions.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. St. Etienne, France, Nov. 26.—The committee of the coal miners' federation today announced that the strike in those departments, the only coal region of importance still holding out was that of the Loire, and with today's decision the general strike of the coal miners of France, which was declared on October 9 and which at one time involved over 100,000 men, came to an end.

### NOT PLEASED WITH THEIR TREATMENT

### CORNELL WINS THE CROSS COUNTRY CHASE.

#### Individual Honors Go to A. C. Bowen, of U. P.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, Nov. 26.—Cornell won the intercollegiate cross country championship today, with a record that went to A. C. Bowen, of the University of Pennsylvania. The race was decided over the steeply sloping course of the Morris Park race track in Westchester.

### CLIMAX IN THE ELLEN GORE CASE

#### Mournfully Picturesque Funeral at the American Church in Paris—Demonstrations of Sympathy.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Paris, Nov. 26.—The Ellen Gore drama reached a fitting climax today in the mournfully picturesque funeral at the American church in the Rue de Berri. The occasion was marked by a notable demonstration of sympathy not only on the part of the Americans, but by the French middle classes, students, artists and other habitués of the Latin quarter. At 2 o'clock the street in front of the church was packed with students and as the cortege approached they uncovered their heads.

### BURNED TO DEATH WITH HOT METAL

#### Awful Results Follow the Collapse of a Furnace at Birmingham, Ala.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 26.—One man was burned to death, two were fatally injured and a third was seriously hurt, while two strangers are reported missing, as the result of a sudden collapse of the furnace of the Williamson Iron company, in Birmingham, this morning.

### ERNE KNOCKED OUT.

#### The Buffalo Slugger Has Lost His Hold on the World's Light Weight Championship.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. San Francisco, Nov. 26.—Frank Erne, of Erie, Pa., lost his hold on the world's light weight championship in his contest with Young Jimmie Britt, of Chicago, who knocked Erne out in the seventh round at the Mechanics pavilion tonight. The contest was the fastest and most exciting of the year.

### HAVANA STRIKE IS OFF.

#### With Exception of Cigar Makers All Classes of Laborers Returned to Work Yesterday.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Havana, Nov. 26.—With the exception of the cigarmakers, all classes of laborers returned to work this morning and the city generally has resumed its normal condition. The cigarmakers still have a few minor points under discussion.

### STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, Nov. 26.—Cleared: La Gasconne, Havre; Friedrich Berg, Bremen; Salford, Majorie, Liverpool; St. Paul, Southampton; Hamburg-Arrived: Flucher, New York; Bremen-Arrived: Krompach, Wilhelm, New York; Liverpool-Arrived: Liverpool, New York; New York; Royal-Paris; Latin, Genoa and Naples; from New York; Southampton-Arrived: Philadelphia, New York; Rotterdam-Arrived: Rotterdam, New York via Boulogne, Sur Mer.

### PENNSYLVANIA PENSIONS.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 26.—Pensions granted: Edwin B. Beckus, of Plymouth, \$12; Elizabeth Curtis (widow), of Dickson City, \$8.

### DEATHS OF A DAY.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Mt. Clemens, Mich., Nov. 26.—Shoemaker James M. Fannstock, of Pittsburg, Pa., died at the Agnew hotel here today after a brief attack of pneumonia. His sister, Mrs. McBride, and Dr. J. M. McLane, of Pittsburg, were with him when he died.

### Corporation Chartered.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Harrisburg, Nov. 26.—A charter was issued by the state department today to the Parkside Water Supply company, Parkside, Monroe county; capital, \$500,000.

### Representatives of the Miners Make Some Pointed Remarks About President Baer.

Messrs. Darrow and Lloyd Point Out the Fact That the Same Man Who Told Judge Gray the Operators Agreed to the MacVeagh Idea of Amicable Adjustment, Signed the Telegram Calling Off the Peace Negotiations—Independent Operators Feel Jubilant Over the Success of Their New York Trip.

### THEY PUBLISH A FORMAL STATEMENT

The commission adjourned for ten days in pursuance of an arrangement between the parties to give opportunity for conciliation on account of a telegram which was understood as written by George F. Baer in the presence of and with the consent of every railroad concerned and was signed by Wayne MacVeagh. This telegram was written after a careful reading of the tentative agreement which had been prepared and written by counsel of both parties and which had been submitted to the commission by the request of Mr. MacVeagh, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Darrow and Mr. Lloyd went to Washington to consult upon some minor details of the agreement. There was no friction or important disagreement between the parties at the meeting in Washington. Later in the day and after the conference in New York, the commission adjourned for ten days later stating that negotiations must end.

A copy of the tentative agreement is in the hands of Hon. Wayne MacVeagh, Mr. Wilcox, of the Delaware and Hudson company; Carroll D. Wright and probably Mr. Baer.

The best explanation of the sudden and somewhat surprising turn which the negotiations took is given by a frank member of the independent operators' committee.

### Can Prove Assertion.

"We stand ready to prove what we say."

### WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday: Eastern and Pennsylvania: light and colder; Thursday, Friday fair, brisk west to northwest winds.

### YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local data for November 26, 1902: Highest temperature, 41 degrees; lowest temperature, 26 degrees; relative humidity, 85 per cent; 3 p. m., 70 degrees; wind, 5 to 10; precipitation, 24 hours ended 3.25 inches.

### WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday: Eastern and Pennsylvania: light and colder; Thursday, Friday fair, brisk west to northwest winds.