

# WEEK'S NEWS BY TICK AND FLASH

What Interests the World Chronicled by Telegraph and Cable.

## GLANCE AT FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Washington Looms Large as a Center of Interest—Legislatures Busy in Many States—The Lights and Shadows of the News.

### Washington

It was said that the members of the Interstate-Commerce Commission were unanimously in favor of a law giving that body control over railway capitalization.

Currency hearings are to be held in fourteen cities.

Applications continued to come in from cities that wish to be chosen Federal reserve centres under the new currency law.

President Wilson signed the Currency bill and made a speech praising it.

### Personal

President Wilson, on his 57th birthday, motored from Pass Christian, Miss., to Gulfport to attend church and surprised the preacher there.

Admiral George Dewey, the hero of Manila Bay, celebrated his 79th birthday.

President Wilson arrived at Pass Christian, Miss., where he is to remain three weeks with his family.

Ezra R. Thayer, dean of the Harvard Law School, declined a nomination as justice of the Supreme Court.

### General

New Jersey's Board granted pardons to 52 convicts.

No Federal inquiry will be held, in the case of the fire panic.

Henry W. Woodrow, an uncle of President Wilson, is dead at Chillscothe, O.

The development of Alaska was the chief appeal in Secretary of the Interior Lane's first annual report.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coburn died at her home in Guy's Mill, Pa., aged 100 years.

Phya Probhakaravong is the newly appointed Minister from Siam at Washington.

Carl F. Carlson shot and killed his brother in mistake for a burglar at their home in Lincoln, Neb.

President Wilson has included walking, golfing, automobile riding and hours sleep in his recreation schedule.

On directions given by a New York Tomba prisoner, Secret Service men dug up \$15,000 in counterfeit money in a hole in Long Island.

The historic plaza district of Los Angeles, Cal., where the unemployed motored on Christmas, was placed under martial law.

W. M. Watts, County Attorney of Jessamine County, Ky., was killed by a firecracker, which blew a large hole in his head.

Before hanging himself in a Philadelphia jail, Matthew McCabe, of Wilmington, Del., remarked that "Life is not worth living without a wife."

Michael Clark, an inmate of the Schuylkill, Pa., County Almshouse, was frozen to death near that institution. He is the first victim of the season.

James T. Carney, 52 years old, killed himself and wife at Indianapolis, after the latter had begged him to stop drinking.

Mrs. Elizabeth Crotley, of Fairmount, N. J., was rescued from a fire after being imprisoned in five feet of water for two days.

Mrs. C. W. Whitney, wife of a publisher of Boston, accidentally shot and killed her 11-year-old daughter, while cleaning a rifle at Southboro, Mass.

R. G. Millsapp, secretary to Governor Hall of Louisiana, was scalded to death by falling into a tub of boiling water in a hotel at New Orleans.

John H. Walling, whose father was a Revolutionary War soldier, and who was the first to raise asparagus in New Jersey, is dead at Port Monmouth, aged 88 years.

James W. Osborne continued his probing of the graft charges and brought out evidence sustaining John A. Hennessy's assertion that political assessments had been levied on New York canal employes.

River pirates stole a tug in Hoboken, N. J., and a New York Central float to Staten Island, looted the ten freight cars on it, transferred the plunder to wagons in Hoboken and then set the tug adrift under her own steam.

Four men under arrest may be charged with piracy.

A bomb believed to have been placed under their bed by a black hander, blew off the legs of Mrs. S. Johnson and her 11-year-old daughter in their home at Des Moines, Iowa.

Miss Sadie Wood was recommended to President Wilson for re-appointment as postmistress of Linden, N. J. She was appointed four years ago by President Taft.

Mary Peuna, six, was killed, it was charged by the police, by a pistol belonging to her father, with which she played around a Christmas tree in her home in Brooklyn. Her father was arrested.

The Bethlehem Steel Company laid off 6,000 employes.

Montgomery Ward left an estate of \$5,000,000.

The new submarine torpedo boat G-3 was launched at Bridgeport, Conn.

Treasury officials prepared to mail copies of the new Currency law to the 7,500 national banks in the country.

August Glynn, 52 years old, stubbed his toe at Cornell, Wis., fell and broke his neck. He died instantly.

The memorial window erected to the memory of Col. John Jacob Astor was dedicated in the Church of the Messiah at Rhinebeck, N. Y.

Cincinnati passed an ordinance requiring all vehicles to carry headlights. This also affects baby carriages.

New York City reform organizations urged Governor Glynn to recommend legislation providing for a State constabulary to control the vice and excise conditions in the city.

Fifty-nine of those who lost their lives in the panic were buried at Calumet. More than 10,000 men and women marched in the funeral procession.

More than 200 employes of the operating department of the Cotton Belt Railway shops at Pine Bluff, Ark., have been laid off for an indefinite time.

Ralph Fariss, a train robber, was convicted of the murder of H. E. Montague, a passenger agent on the Southern Pacific, and sentenced to be hanged.

Mild weather has permitted the plowmen on the farm of former United States Senator Lorimer to "turn over" 100 acres of soil on his 600-acre mint farm in Michigan.

Students of the Broadway High School in Seattle, Wash., who were forbidden to dance the tango, have discovered that the teachers held a "fango tea" in the girls' gymnasium.

Adelaide M. Branch spent seven years in all hidden in the law office of Melvin H. Couch in Monticello, N. Y. For fifteen years she had practically been his slave.

William Weber, 21 years old, was drowned trying to save from a like fate, Miss Sarah Cradall, 19 years old, who had broken through the ice near Port Jervis, N. Y.

A registered Holstein cow at the Delaware College experiment farm in Newark, Del., produced in nine months 16,139 pounds of milk and 663 pounds of butter.

Trustees of the George Junior Republic at Freeville, N. Y., refused to adopt the suggestion of the State Board of Charities that no more girls be taken into the colony.

Prof. L. A. Bauer, director of the department of terrestrial magnetism of the Carnegie Institution, made public the results of the 150,000-mile cruise of the non-magnetic yacht Carnegie.

Judge Hunt, at the trial in New York of Mrs. Alexander and R. T. Heltmeyer, said the only way to deter women of wealth from cheating the Government out of duties was to impose prison sentence. The trial was adjourned.

Supt. Maxwell reported to the New York Board of Education that the efficiency of 114 teachers had increased after they had been married. Widows, however, maintained a higher status in work than those with husbands living.

That the Federal League has bitten off a large chunk of trouble for itself in taking Joe Tinker and Mordecai Brown away from organized baseball is the opinion of Ban Johnson, president of the American League.

Hank O'Day, the veteran umpire of the National League, is behind the scheme to eliminate the intentional base on balls. The plan is to do away with passes to the heavy hitter at critical stages of the game.

Battling Levinsky, who might be a white hope if he had a little more avoirdupois, added one more victory to his collection when he defeated Jack Driscoll of South Brooklyn.

Relatives of the late Pittsburgh Phil, America's most successful turf plunger, have purchased the Indianapolis American Association Club for \$175,000. Pittsburgh Phil's real name was George E. Smith, and the new owners are the Hoosiers are William Smith, his brother, and James C. McGill, his nephew.

Sholto Douglas, H. M. N., noted British Admiral, is dead at Southsea.

An expedition of the Canadian Royal Northwest Mounted Police will leave Dawson in search of information regarding the explorer Stefanson and his companion.

A new record for altitude was established by the French aviator Legagneux at Prejus when he rose to a height of 20,668 feet.

A sum of money amounting to \$6,500 was stolen from the Havana branch of the Royal Bank of Canada. It is thought the money was taken by employes.

There are 200,000 destitute war refugees in Bulgaria. The Government has asked for assistance for them.

The sealing up of Cardinal Rampolla's rooms at Rome, was declared to have been done without judicial authority. Arrests are pending.

Alberto Agullera, a member of the Spanish Cabinet, and Civil Governor of Madrid during the Spanish-American War, is dead.

A great crowd serenaded Francisco De La Barra, Mexico's envoy to Japan, upon his arrival at Tokio. He was presented with a sword of honor by Parliament.

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### Fashions and Fads.

Green is a modish color for street costumes.

Black and white is becoming popular again.

In jewelry, the square-cut stones reign supreme.

The new tango shade is nasturtium in color.

This winter, as before, all furs are fashionable.

All the newest gowns give the colorless effect.

All draperies run high in front and long behind.

Children's coats all hang straight from the shoulder.

Lace blouses are regaining a little of their lost favor.

Most of the new evening wraps are trimmed with fur.

The maker of the proper waist coat must not overlook the important item of buttons.

Fur coats grow more voluminous at the back, and the fronts are as scant as possible.

The most softening, beautifying and becoming touch on the tailored suit this year is fur.

One of the season's favored modes is the closely-fitted turban or cap for theater wear.

Do you begin to cough at night, just when you hope to sleep? Do you have a tickling throat that keeps you awake. Just take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It will check the cough and stop the tickling sensation at once. Does not upset the stomach, is best for children and grown persons.

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The smallest electrical dynamo in the world was made in France. This dynamo is so tiny that its base would not occupy all the space on a copper cent. It operates with a hum greatly resembling the buzz of a mosquito. It weighs but one-fifth of an ounce and is six-tenths of an inch in thickness. The little dynamo can be used not only as a generator, but as a motor, consuming in the latter case current at a pressure of two and one-half volts. A small pocket battery will operate it.

The largest generator ever built is now in course of construction at the Schenectady plant of the General Electric Company for the Philadelphia Electric Company. This is a Curtis steam turbine and an alternating current generator mounted together in the same frame. The generator is driven by the turbine engine and will produce more than 35,000 kilowatts of electricity or over fifty thousand horse power. This enormous power producing machine is very compact, taking up but little floor space, and is also very efficient.

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