

## IRRIGATION HOST OPENS A SESSION AT SPOKANE TODAY

Government Will Be Asked to  
Appropriate \$5,000,000 to  
Be Repaid Within One Hun-  
dred Years.

WANT UNCLE SAM TO  
ACT AS THE BANKER

Governor Hay in Making Ad-  
dress of Welcome Today  
Tells of the Great Work  
Which Has Been Done.

(American News Service)  
Spokane, Wash., Aug. 9.—The Seven-  
teenth national irrigation congress  
opened its sessions here today ready to  
consider a proposition for the govern-  
ment to issue \$5,000,000 worth of  
bonds redeemable in one hundred  
years for the development of the west.  
The resolution putting forward this  
proposition contains the unique offer  
that the government shall not appro-  
priate a cent but derive its return  
from the revenues of the improve-  
ments. In other words Uncle Sam will  
act as the banker.

Among the speakers today are  
George Ames Barstow of Texas, presi-  
dent of the congress; Joseph M. Carey,  
Cheyenne, Wyo.; Dr. Enoch A. Bryan,  
president of the Washington state  
college; F. H. Newell, director of the  
United States reclamation service; Dr.  
George C. Pardee, ex. Gov. of California;  
James J. Hill, head of the Great  
Northern railway company and Gov-  
ernor Hay of Washington.

"Conditions, the outgrowth of an-  
other development of this country  
have forced upon us the necessity of  
reclaiming our waste areas and adopt-  
ing more economical methods in util-  
ization," said Gov. Hay in his address  
of welcome today.

History Repeating.  
"History is repeating in America  
the experience of the older seats in  
civilization. We are now turning to  
the countries of Europe for examples  
in seeking scientific and effective  
methods of conserving and perpetuat-  
ing the gifts of nature upon which we  
depend not only for economic pro-  
gress, but for sustenance itself.

"Reclamation was used by the Chi-  
nese forty centuries ago. The waters  
of the Nile were diverted while the  
pyramids were building. Irrigation is  
prehistoric.

Doing Great Work.  
"It is estimated that 13,000,000 acres  
were irrigated last year west of the  
Mississippi. Forty-two millions of  
dollars have been expended since the  
formation of the United States reclamation  
service. The possibilities are  
great. We can reclaim 75,000,000 acres  
of swamp land by drainage; we could  
secure use of 35,000,000 more by water  
courses. Since 1900 the yearly  
damage by floods is \$255,000,000. This  
could largely be prevented by pro-  
tecting the sources of the streams and  
by forest growth.

"Last year this association had 100  
men in the field and expended \$25-  
000,000. At the present time, too, we  
are wasting 65 per cent of the lumber.  
We are consuming 40 cubic feet per  
year; the growth is 12 cubic feet. This  
is not a cheerless picture—only fact."

PRISON IS FAVORED

Mrs. Thaw Would Rather Have  
Son There Than in an  
Asylum.

MAKES STATEMENT TODAY

(American News Service)  
White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Mrs.  
Mary Copley Thaw declared today  
that she would rather see her son  
sent to Bloomingdale than to the Mat-  
teawan asylum.

She is cheerful, however, and ex-  
pects that Justice Mills will set Harry  
free. She will remain here until the  
case is disposed of.

She expressed herself as satisfied  
with the case as it stands. She  
thinks the proceedings have been fair.  
She says that even if the justice does  
not see fit to turn her son over to  
her he may commit him to some in-  
stitution other than Matteawan.

She thinks that the court might  
send Harry to Bloomingdale. He  
would then be right under the eyes  
of the judge, who could obtain reports  
daily.

NOTICE TO CAMPERS.

Secretary Goodwin of the  
Chaunauqua, will be on the  
camping grounds in Glen Mil-  
ler each afternoon this week  
from 2:15 to 4:15 to assist  
any who desire in the selection  
of a camping space, and to  
make any necessary changes  
for those who have made a se-  
lection.

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

## SUNDAY TRAGEDIES

New England Was Scene of  
Auto Fatalities and  
Smashups.

LUMBER KING IS VICTIM

(American News Service)  
Boston, Aug. 9.—Three persons are  
dead and a fourth is dying as the re-  
sult of acute accidents in this state.

George Vandyke, known as the New  
England lumber king, and reputed the  
wealthiest man in New England, was  
killed with his chauffeur, Frederick  
B. Hodgins at Turner Falls where  
their automobile plunged over a 75  
foot embankment into the Connecti-  
cut river. It is believed the chauff-  
eur touched the wrong lever, send-  
ing the car over the bank instead of  
backing it away.

At Worcester Stanley Taylor, 23  
was killed when his right lung was  
pierced by the shaft of a milk wagon.  
Taylor and five others were going at  
a rapid rate when their car collided  
with the wagon. Taylor's death was  
not discovered for 15 minutes when  
the automobile had covered ten miles  
from the scene of the accident.

At Fitchburg, a Lithuanian was run  
down by an automobile. He is dy-  
ing.

## AN EXTENDED TRIAL

Case of State Against Ex Rel  
Ida Wadsworth Still  
Heard.

EXPECT FINISH TOMORROW

The case of the state ex rel Ida  
Wadsworth continued on trial in the  
Wayne circuit court today. It is prob-  
able the case will be concluded tomor-  
row. The defense has not begun the  
introduction of its testimony. The  
case has occupied longer time for trial  
than was expected. The court is pre-  
paring the charges to the jury. This  
is the first time a case alleging fraud-  
ulent marriage has come to trial in  
this county and the court has a num-  
ber of facts to set forth in his in-  
structions with which he is not familiar.

## Baseball Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburg...	68	27	.716
Chicago...	66	30	.688
New York...	54	37	.593
Cincinnati...	48	48	.500
Philadelphia...	43	53	.448
St. Louis...	40	53	.430
Brooklyn...	35	61	.365
Boston...	26	71	.268

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit...	62	38	.620
Philadelphia...	60	40	.600
Boston...	59	44	.573
Cleveland...	52	49	.515
Chicago...	48	51	.485
New York...	47	52	.475
St. Louis...	43	55	.439
Washington...	30	72	.294

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minneapolis...	64	46	.580
Milwaukee...	63	50	.558
Louisville...	59	53	.527
Columbus...	57	56	.504
St. Paul...	55	56	.495
Kansas City...	51	58	.468
Toledo...	51	61	.455
Indianapolis...	49	65	.430

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.  
Philadelphia 6; Cincinnati 2.  
Chicago 7; Brooklyn 0.  
New York 3; St. Louis 0.

American League.  
No games in the East on Sunday.  
American Association.  
Milwaukee 5; Louisville 2.  
Toledo 3-0; St. Paul 2-1.  
(Second game 11 innings.)  
Columbus 7; Minneapolis 5.  
Kansas City 5-2; Indianapolis 4-3.

Cincinnati, Aug. 9.—Both teams  
felled poorly in Sunday afternoon's  
game. Corridon, who started poorly  
in the box for the Philadelphia, fin-  
ished strong, while his opponent,  
Spade, was compelled to retire after  
the third inning. Dubuc pitched well  
at the finish, but received bad sup-  
port. Score:

R. H. E.  
Cincinnati 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 6 3  
Phil'phia 2 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 6 10 3  
Spade, Dubuc and McLean; Corri-  
don and Doolin.  
Runs—Bescher, Oakes, Grant, Bates,  
Titus 2, Doolin, Doolin. Two-base hits  
—Oakes, Bransfield. Three-base hits  
—Titus, Magee. Sacrifice hits—Egan,  
Doolin, Doolin, Corridon. Stolen bases  
—Bates 3. Double plays—Downey to  
Hobitzel; Knebe to Bransfield.  
Bases on balls—Off Spade 3; off Corri-  
don 1. Struck out—By Dubuc 1; by  
Corridon 1. Wild pitch—Dubuc. Hits  
—Off Spade, 5 in 3 innings; off Dubuc  
5 in 6 innings. Time—1:50. Umpire  
—Rigler.

SCARCE IS FINED.

Albert Scarce made a mistake when  
he got drunk on Sunday. It may  
have been a "Saturday night" that  
he didn't sleep off, but at any rate he  
was taken in yesterday morning  
by Patrolman Winter. This afternoon  
he drew \$5 and costs in city court.

## WERE SENSATIONS

IN SUTTON CASE

Records of Trial Made Public  
By Criticism Made  
In Press.

JUDGE ADVOCATE CURIOUS

STATES HE IS AS ANXIOUS TO  
KNOW CONTENTS OF MRS. SUT-  
TON'S SUPPRESSED LETTERS  
AS THE PUBLIC IS.

(American News Service)  
Annapolis, Aug. 9.—Sensations de-  
veloped in the Sutton inquiry today.  
Judge Advocate Leonard decided that  
in consideration of comments in the  
press the records of Saturday's star  
chamber session were to be made pub-  
lic. Lawyer Davis for the Sutton's  
said nothing could be accomplished by  
such an action except to satisfy the  
morbid curiosity of the courtroom  
throng. Davis claimed the letters  
were written by a frantic and anger-  
ed mother and were irrelevant. Judge  
Leonard angrily admitted he himself  
was curious and now wanted the pub-  
lic to know what Mrs. Sutton's charg-  
es were. Mrs. Sutton remained in the  
court room but Mrs. Parker, young  
Sutton's sister hurriedly left the court  
room.

The letters were from Mrs. Sutton  
to Harry M. Schwartz, formerly clerk  
in the paymasters office, navy depart-  
ment, Washington. Here are some of  
the extracts:

Some of Extracts.  
"These men rode out in my son's  
auto. Adams pulled off his coat when  
the auto stopped and went at my son.  
Osterman knocked him down five  
times. Adams sat on his head and  
two others on his back. Good God, Mr.  
Schwartz, to think my son is dead and  
these wild men are still walking the  
streets."

When the sentence was read say-  
ing "Adams, Osterman and Utley  
faces were enough to convict them,"  
the young officers in court snickered,  
and ripples of laughter ran through  
court. Mrs. Sutton's letters declared  
that the fight was planned in advance  
and was engineered by Utley. She  
wrote that her son came to her in the  
spirit and told her he had not suicided  
but that Lieut. Adams had killed him,  
that he was beaten to death and  
shot to hide the crime.

## YOUNG GIRL WAS FOULLY MURDERED

Body Was Found in Crude  
Grave in a Rochester  
Cemetery.

ASSAULTED BEFORE DEATH

MEMBERS OF GIRL'S FAMILY  
THINK THAT THE ASSASSIN  
FOLLOWED HIS VICTIM FROM  
HOME TO CEMETERY.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 9.—The body  
of Anna Schumacher, seventeen years  
old, was found buried in a secluded  
spot in Holy Sepulchre cemetery  
this morning. The girl had been mur-  
dered. She left home Saturday to  
decorate the graves of relatives and  
had been missing since.

That the victim fought desperately  
for her honor and life was shown by  
signs of a struggle around the place  
where the girl was attacked. Superfi-  
cial examination by the police result-  
ed in the announcement that Miss  
Schumacher had been assaulted before  
her death. She was the youngest  
of eight sisters. There were two  
brothers in the family. The girl while  
seventeen years old looked much  
younger. She was very pretty. Rela-  
tives believe she was followed to the  
cemetery by the assassin and attacked  
as she was about to leave for home.  
A plank had evidently been used to  
dig the crude grave. It was the scrap-  
ing of the earth that led to the discov-  
ery.

## BREAK ALL RECORDS

Importation of Manufacturers'  
Materials to United  
States Is Heavy..

ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE

(American News Service)  
Washington, Aug. 9.—All records for  
importations of manufacturers' materi-  
al into the United States were broken  
during the fiscal year 1909, according  
to the bureau of statistics, in a state-  
ment just made public.

Raw wool, raw cotton, raw silk, fi-  
bers, hides and skins, India rubber, to-  
bacco, tin, copper, lumber and certain  
articles included the general group,  
"chemicals; drugs and dyes" are the  
principal articles imported for manu-  
facturing and in nearly all of these  
the quantity imported in 1909 exceed-  
ed that of any previous year.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS. PAY.

## IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Condition of Charles Land  
Was Not Reported Im-  
proved Today.

IS AT A CHICAGO HOSPITAL

The condition of Charles Land who  
was operated upon in a Chicago hos-  
pital the other day for appendicitis,  
shows no improvement, it is said. He  
is still in a very serious condition and  
grave doubts are entertained for his  
recovery. This is the second time  
Mr. Land has been stricken with ap-  
pendicitis while in Chicago, although  
an operation was not necessary in the  
previous attack. It is feared that the  
fact that Mr. Land refused to have an  
operation performed until his wife and  
brother from this city arrived in Chi-  
cago, may result in his death. It was  
stated by the attending physicians  
that too much time was lost and that  
an immediate operation should have  
been performed.

## ATTEMPT BREAK STRIKE FAILURE

Rioting Took Place Today in  
Streets of Stockholm,  
Sweden.

CAVALRY GUARDED CARS

STRIKERS HURLED ROCKS AND  
BRICKS AT THE TROOPERS BUT  
THE SOLDIERS REFRAINED  
FROM SHOOTING.

(American News Service)  
Stockholm, Aug. 9.—The attempt to  
break the general strike throughout  
Sweden was made today when an ef-  
fort was made to run the street cars  
over the principal streets of the city  
under heavy guard of cavalry.

The strikers were over-awed by the  
troops but in several quarters rioting  
broke out. The strikers relied upon  
a great number of recruits today and  
made a determined effort to stop the  
cars. Stones were thrown, workmen  
were threatened and the soldiers had  
great difficulty at times to put down  
the rioters.

Last night the striking workmen in-  
sued a statement that the union print-  
ers would walk out today. Simultan-  
eously the National labor union issued  
a proclamation that every wagon driv-  
er today not wearing a union badge  
would be stopped.

King Is Alarmed.

King Gustave alarmed by the alarm-  
ing turn of affairs in a situation al-  
ready serious, made another effort to-  
day to bring the warring factions to-  
gether and effect some kind of set-  
tlement.

The union men worked all night and  
by dawn today had completed their  
plans for frustrating the Stockholm  
street car company in its effort to  
handle traffic today. The men de-  
clared that traffic must stop entirely;  
not even owners of vehicles might  
drive their wagons, declared the strik-  
ers. The men were confident of suc-  
cess. They have assurances that  
1,000 telephone and telegraph work-  
ers will join the strikers ranks on  
Wednesday.

The workmen organization is daily  
receiving funds from Germany, Eng-  
land, Denmark, Norway, Roumania  
and Bulgaria. The employers' asso-  
ciation is daily paying out \$40,000 to  
support its weaker members and they  
have a reserve fund of \$4,500,000 to  
from. The government has started a  
crusade through its legal department  
against the socialistic press and one  
journalist has been arrested.

## FALL WASN'T FATAL

(American News Service)  
Holyoke, Mass., August 9.—After  
falling three stories and breaking his  
thigh bone, Patrick Kilkelly of South  
Hadley Falls, will live. Kilkelly was  
superintending a gang of bricklayers  
and leaned against a derrier rope,  
which suddenly broke. A dozen work-  
men rushed to the spot, expecting to  
find Kilkelly lifeless, but he sat up  
and remarked: "Boys, give me a cigar-  
ette." Smoking a cigarette he was  
taken to the hospital.

## SARAH NOT WOMAN

(American News Service)  
Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Dur-  
ing a quarrel with men employed on  
the New York aqueduct at High Falls,  
Ulster county, Sarah Long, colored,  
was shot in the temple and taken to  
the hospital. At the hospital it was  
found that Sarah Long was a man  
who had been masquerading in female  
attire in the vicinity for the past ten  
years. It is believed "Sarah" will re-  
cover. Edward Blue, who did the  
shooting, made his escape.

## BRUNER IS HOME.

Joseph Bruner, representative of the  
Journeymen Tailors Union of Rich-  
mond, Indiana, to the meeting of the  
national association at Buffalo last  
week has returned home.

## OLD PUPILS HELD

SCHOOL REUNION

"Old Timers" Tell Their Expe-  
riences at the Penn-  
ville School.

WAS FIFTH ANNUAL EVENT

THERE WAS A LARGE ATTEND-  
ANCE, SOME OF THE FORMER  
TEACHERS BEING THERE TO  
GREET OLD SCHOLARS.

Cambridge City, Aug. 9.—The fifth  
annual reunion of the old Pennville  
school occurred in Jackson park on  
Saturday. The "boys and girls" be-  
gan "lining up" by half past nine. The  
morning was spent in recalling remin-  
iscences of by gone school days. The  
big dinner was spread under the trees  
between 12 and 1, a part of the pro-  
gram to which all pupils did ample  
justice. The program began promptly  
at 2 o'clock with not a single tardy.  
John Shroyer, one of the pupils of the  
younger generation, called the meet-  
ing to order.

Jerry McDaniels, one of the "boys,"  
gave an interesting history of the  
"Schools of Forty Years Ago." Mrs.  
Oldaker gave a recitation that she  
had spoken sixty-five years ago. John  
Markley of Richmond, gave an inter-  
esting account of "The Old Debating  
Society—Its Rise and Fall." Mrs. An-  
na LaNeve recited "The Box of  
Smiles." Mrs. Hugh Compton of Penn-  
ville, gave an account of the "Evolu-  
tion of Machinery." Albert Bradbury  
made an interesting talk on "Remin-  
iscences of Former Days." James  
Bruce, one of the earliest teachers, was  
present. Miss Ocy Shoff of Chatta-  
nooga, a visitor, added much to the  
pleasure of the day by giving several  
piano numbers. Mrs. John Beard re-  
cited the realistic poem, "The Dear Old  
Days" with much feeling. Amandus  
Mason, one of the recent teachers, and  
township trustee, followed with a short  
talk in which he complimented the ef-  
forts of the "old school boys and  
girls." As the finale Mr. Markley re-  
cited the old and well known poem,  
"Forty Years Ago." At the close a  
number lingered, as if loath to leave  
old friends, until the shades of even-  
ing declared the school "dismissed,"  
and sent the pupils homeward bound.

## ANCIENT CUSTOM

WILL BE FOLLOWED

At Methodist Celebration One  
Of Features Will Be  
"Line Reading."

BADGES ARE NOW READY

THEY WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AT  
THE CHURCHES, SUNDAY—COM-  
BINED CHOIRS ARE TO FURNISH  
MUSIC.

One of the features of the Method-  
ist Centennial celebration to be held  
at Glen Miller park, August 19, will  
be the old fashioned line singing num-  
ber of the afternoon program. It was  
the custom when Methodism made its  
advent in this country for the circuit  
rider minister to read a line or two  
of a song and then lead. The con-  
gregation was supposed to remember  
the words and follow the minister.  
The minister in those days was the  
only one who possessed a song book.

The concert to be given by the com-  
bined Methodist choirs of the city in  
the evening will be one of the best  
ever held in the city. A rehearsal  
will be held next Friday evening and  
a number of other times before the  
centennial date.

Yesterday, a number of local Meth-  
odists visited all the Methodist  
churches in the county and issued  
special invitations for them to take  
part. Centennial badges bearing a  
picture of John Wesley and an-  
nouncement of the celebration were  
distributed. Methodists from out of  
the city were urged to attend, particu-  
larly that they might hear Bishop  
Moore and Bishop Berry make ad-  
dresses in the afternoon and evening,  
respectively. It is probable that this  
will be the only time that it will be  
possible for local persons to hear  
these two men.

Special announcements of the cele-  
bration will be made in the local  
churches next Sunday morning and  
evening. The distribution of badges  
will also be made at this time.

## City Statistics

Deaths and Funerals.

BAUMER—Arthur F. Baumer, aged  
61 years died yesterday afternoon at  
his home on Newmans Hill. He is  
survived by his wife. The funeral  
arrangements will be announced lat-  
er. Friends may call at any time.

BIRTHS.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mabey, 333  
Pearl street, girl; first child.

Contagious Disease.  
A case of scarlet fever is reported  
in the family of John Studbaker, 443  
South Fourteenth street. The eight  
year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Studbaker is afflicted. The house  
has been quarantined.

## Farmer Burglar Is Arrested; Places Blame on His Family

Greenville, O., Aug. 9.—When George  
Decamp, a farmer of Washington  
township, was arrested for burglary  
and a dray load of plunder was re-  
covered at his home, Decamp attempted  
to shoulder the crime on his wife and  
small children, but the officers, al-  
though stunned by the man's audacity,  
laughed at the desperate means he had  
resorted to, to keep himself out of  
prison.

During the absence of John Mich-  
low and family who were in Virginia,  
Decamp is charged with entering the  
Michlow home, five miles west of this

city, and carting away about every-  
thing of value he could lay his hands  
on. The goods were found at De-  
camp's home.

August 23, last, Decamp was ar-  
rested for burglarizing the home of Noah  
Horine near Castine, this county, and  
stealing \$110, but there was not  
enough evidence to hold him and now  
he has a damage suit pending against  
Horine for false arrest.

Decamp's wife is an estimable wom-  
an and officers say it only shows the  
meanness of the man, when he accus-  
es her of committing his alleged crime.

## UNCLE JIM PEEVISH

Secretary Wilson Gets Out His  
Big Stick for the  
Railroads.

TO STOP FOREST FIRES

(American News Service)  
Washington, Aug. 9.—"We have got  
to get after the railroads; we have to  
get after the campers; congress has  
got to pass more laws for the pre-  
vention of forest fires and we have  
got to enforce them good and hard,"  
said Secretary of Agriculture Wilson  
today who is emphatic in his declara-  
tion that there are still too many fires  
devastating the forests of the country  
and that a much more energetic pol-  
icy even than has been pursued by the  
government for several years past  
must be adopted.

## OH! YOU RICHMOND

New Castle, Ind., Aug. 9.—The Max-  
well-Briscoes defeated Richmond at  
Harvey's Park yesterday afternoon in  
a one-sided game by the score of 10 to  
0. Score:

Max. B's. 0 0 5 9 1 1 0 2 0—10 1 1  
Richmo'd 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 11

Batteries—Hayes and Anderson;  
Marine, Bulla, Berden, Snively and  
Olcott. Struck out—By Hayes 9; by  
Marine 3; by Berden 2. Time—2:05.

## HIS BODY IS FOUND

(American News Service)  
Hardwick, Vt., Aug. 9.—The search  
for Joseph H. Pascal, the slayer of  
Charles Perkins, ended today when  
his body, with an ugly bullet wound in  
the head was found in a pasture not  
far from the scene of the crime in  
South Walden. A rifle lay beside the  
body, indicating suicide. A big posse  
had been hunting for Pascal for sev-  
eral days.

## WM. CONNOR DEAD

William Connor, a Civil war veter-  
an, formerly a resident of this city  
died at Minneapolis, Minn., this morn-  
ing at six o'clock. He was the father  
of Mrs. Harry Doan and Mrs. G.  
McNeal. The funeral will be held in  
this city Wednesday morning. Burial  
will be at Ridge cemetery.

## HENLEY TO RESCUE

The horse attached to the delivery  
wagon of the Jewel Tea company  
ran away this noon. The driver left  
the horse unhitched while he went in  
to the postoffice. There was no weight  
used and the big sorrel started to  
running. He was headed off by Charles  
Henley at Eighth street. Henley was  
sweeping the walks at the Y. M. C.  
A. when he saw the horse coming.