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EPITOME OF A WEEK'S NEWS

Most Important Happenings Told in Brief.

WASHINGTON NEWS. President Taft was among those who witnessed a trial flight by Orville Wright in his aeroplane at Fort Myer.

PERSONAL

A report was received in New York that Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragist terror of England, is coming to this country to stir up the women.

GENERAL NEWS

Noah R. Marker, assistant cashier of the First National bank, Tipton, Ind., fled with \$80,000 of the institution's funds and forced it to close.

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Two Americans were among those hurt in a riot at Guadalajara, Mexico, when a mob broke up a meeting held in the interests of the re-election of President Diaz.

Countless millions of little white moths caused great annoyance to the people of New York city. After killing his wife with an ax, Robert Fanning of New Bedford, Mass., drove to a police station in his automobile and committed suicide.

Word reached Houston, Tex., that the body of T. C. Dailey, circulation manager of the Galveston Tribune and a victim of the ill-fated Tarpon fishing pier, had been washed up on the sands at Houston Point.

Bitterness between factions resulted in a riot when the Brothers of Friendship, a colored organization, attempted to begin its annual convention at St. Paul. Walter M. Farmer of Illinois, claimant to the title of grand master of the organization, was ejected.

Col. Roosevelt and his son Kermit have taken a week off from their hunting program and are meeting social obligations at Nairobi, British East Africa, where the turf club is holding its annual events.

Advices were received in Washington that Argentine and Bolivia are endeavoring to settle their differences without going to war.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, in a speech in Minneapolis, said women should do police duty and help to fight fires if the suffrage movement wins.

Three lives were lost when a cloudburst flooded Duluth, Minn., and caused great damage to property.

Capt. Peter C. Hains, slayer of William E. Annis, since his incarceration in Sing Sing penitentiary, has perfected an invention which will reduce the cost of cleansing city streets.

Figureheads that are to be removed from warships of the navy are to be loaned to the states for which the vessels are named.

Reports received in Houston, Tex., said 21 persons had lost their lives, scores were hurt and 13 were missing in the gulf storm.

An explosion of fire-damp in a mine at Clermont-Ferrand, France, killed 12 miners.

Cholera and bubonic plague are still raging in the Amoy district of China. Four boys arrested for thievery in Los Angeles, Cal., were found to have their headquarters in a cave equipped with wireless telegraphy, by which means they communicated with companions operating in other parts of the city.

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office in connection with the investigation of the city's vice.

King Edward of England accompanied by the queen was entertained by Whitelaw Reid, ambassador from the United States, at the envoy's summer home, West Park.

Commanders of the Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota and Ohio naval militia received orders for the summer cruise of the reserves on the lakes which is to begin August 10 and last ten days.

Milwaukee's new directory gives the city a population of 370,246, an increase of 4,832 over the preceding year.

S. W. Strong of Pontiac, secretary of the Illinois Grain Dealers' association, said: "The best crop prospect that I ever saw is now between Pontiac and Kankakee."

At the annual meeting of the United States League of Local Building and Loan associations in Philadelphia, Secretary Cellarius reported that the membership and total assets had grown considerably in the past year, despite the general financial depression.

Rear Admiral William Thompson, United States navy, retired, who has been dangerously ill at Sunnyside, on the eastern shore of Lake Washington, for the last month, has been taken to Seattle and is at Providence hospital.

The General Biscuit Company, with \$5,000,000 capitalization, has filed organization papers at Hartford, Conn. It is to be a rival of the National Biscuit Company.

Two members of a party from Illinois were killed and two badly hurt when caught by a cloudburst in Two-Mile canyon, near Boulder, Col.

Urged by his bride to tell the truth, J. L. Byrd of Memphis, Tenn., confessed to the Denver police that he had killed a man in Memphis two years ago.

Madaral Dhinagri, the Hindoo slayer of Lieut. Col. Sir William Hutt Curzon Wylie and Dr. Cawas Lalcaica in London, was convicted and sentenced to die, in less than an hour. He thanked the court.

Cornelius Shea, former head of the Teamsters' union, when sentenced to from five to twenty-five years in prison for attempting to murder Allee Walsh in New York, was denounced by Judge Foster as a traitor to labor.

Mrs. Amos P. Dorence, wife of a wealthy coal dealer of Helena, Mont., was slain in a hotel in Hot Springs, Ark., while her husband, an invalid, looked on, unable to aid her.

Max Ozzine was caught in a laundry machine at Hoboken, N. J., and literally wrung to death.

Richard Cannon, nephew of Speaker Cannon, and John Noone, a brewer of Danville, Ill., were hurt in an automobile accident at Crawfordsville, Ind.

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and their employers in northern Wyoming was settled.

A contingent of blue jackets from 150 British warships anchored in the Thames were feasted by the mayor and the corporation of London. The people gave the sea fighters an enthusiastic reception.

BANK THEFT GROWS

MORE THAN \$60,000 MAY BE MISSING FROM TIPTON, IND., INSTITUTION.

PROBE DECIDED BY OFFICIALS

Authorities Send Aides to Look into Affairs as They Were Left by Assistant Cashier Who Disappeared - Try to Solve Tangle.

Tipton, Ind., July 28.—Clarence Nichols, assistant United States district attorney, is here from Indianapolis, to begin an investigation of the circumstances of the losses of the First National bank through the defalcations of its assistant cashier, Noah R. Marker. President Shirk of the bank was advised that a special bank examiner was on his way here to take charge of the bank's books.

Little groups of county and townpeople, among them anxious depositors of the bank, gathered near it, curiously re-reading and discussing the placard announcing that Marker had absconded with all the bank's available cash and that the institution would be closed until further instructions had been received from the treasury department at Washington. Bank Examiner W. D. Frazier of Warsaw, Ind., arrived and took charge of the books.

Much Missing Before He Left. At least \$25,000 it has been discovered in a rapid inspection of the bank's accounts, had been missing before Marker left, and at the close of business Saturday, the cash box in the safe had been emptied of the \$60,000 it contained and the time lock set so that the vault could not be opened until yesterday morning. This brings the total of money missing so far known positively known, to \$85,000.

It is alleged that the interest-bearing accounts of the bank particularly have been manipulated. The total of these is about \$400,000. As most of them were undisturbed by their depositors for long periods, it was comparatively easy to draw from them. How many thousands of dollars these accounts are short is a question yet to be answered.

Total Deposits \$600,000. The total of deposits in the bank is \$600,000. The institution has been extraordinarily prosperous under the management of William Marker, the cashier, and his brother, the missing man. In the last six years, according to the reports of the treasury department at Washington, it has paid dividends of \$200,000 on its capital of \$100,000, at the rate of 33 1/3 per cent.

In business circles the Marker brothers have been known for years as the "best of fellows." With one exception the bank has made a larger number of loans than any other in Indiana.

Bank Action Forces Receivership. Lima, O., July 28.—The First National bank of Tipton, Ind., entered receivership proceedings for \$40,000 in the Cuyahoga county bonds, placed in escrow here by the Farmers and Citizens Livestock Insurance Company, at the command of State Insurance Inspector Lemert.

The action forced a receivership for the insurance company. M. L. Becker is named as receiver. The com-

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pany was floated and owned by capital in Tipton, Ind. The two markers, cashier, and assistant cashier of the Tipton bank, are said to be heavily interested.

AMERICANS HURT IN RIOT

Political Row Started by Diaz' Enemies at Guadalajara, Mexico, Causes Desperate Fight.

Mexico City, July 28.—More than 200 arrests have been made, a score or more injured, including two Americans, believed to be W. Hinton and H. Murphy, and two reported dead as a result of political riots in the city of Guadalajara. Considerable American property was destroyed.

The battle between the rioters, police and soldiers came after a mob broke up a meeting which was being addressed by orators who spoke in behalf of the re-election of President Diaz and Vice-President Corral. The rioters shouted, "Down with Diaz," "We want Reyes."

Later the mob stormed the hotel where the speakers were stopping. They erected a barricade and fought the soldiers desperately. A heavy hail of stones dispersed the mob.

FRENCH AMBASSADOR LEAVES

M. and Mme. Jusserand Depart from Washington for New York—Sail for Europe Thursday.

Washington, July 28.—Ambassador Jusserand and Mme. Jusserand left today for New York, whence they will sail on Thursday for Europe.

During the absence of the ambassador the French embassy is directed by M. Lefevre-Pontalis, charge d'affaires, who, with others of the embassy, will go the latter part of this week to Manchester, Mass., where they are to spend the rest of the summer.

Michigan the Fastest Warship. Washington, July 28.—Having or her official trials fully met the rigid requirements of United States naval constructors, the new first class battleship Michigan, now the fastest afloat, will be turned over to the government by her builders, the New York Shipbuilding Company, early in August. She is the twenty-eighth first class battleship of the navy.

Chicago.—Alta L. Prosser, 25 years old, 320 La Salle avenue, the stenographer who was found overcome by gas in her room, died of gas poisoning and she inhaled the gas with suicidal intent while brooding over a love affair, according to the verdict of the coroner's jury.

Washington, D. C.—Senator William Lorimer of Chicago is helping Speaker Cannon make up the committee assignments of the 21 Illinois members of the house. Representative Mann is expected to be chairman of the interstate commerce committee.

Bloomington.—Falling from an Erie freight train at the Roosevelt avenue crossing, while coming into this city, William Crabtree, a hobo, aged 30 years, whose home is in Portsmouth, O., suffered the loss of both legs and died at St. Joseph's hospital.

Elgin.—Work is being rushed on the new addition to the high school and the contractor has announced its completion by Christmas.

Peoria.—Gov. Hughes of New York will deliver the address at the annual Illinois Congregational club banquet next fall. Iola.—While making ice cream at the home of a neighbor, Earl Landreth, aged 12 years, was killed by a bolt of lightning. Danville.—Attempting to fill a gasoline stove while one jet was burning, William Flenoy, colored, was fatally injured in an explosion.

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