

## PRESIDENT MCKINLEY IS FATAALLY SHOT.

The Nation's Chief Executive Was Shaking Hands With a Well Dressed Coward, Who Sent the Messengers of Death Into the Body of the First Citizen of the United States—Murderer is Fred Nieman, of Detroit, a Polish Anarchist.

ASSASSIN CAPTURED AND SAFELY LANDED IN JAIL AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK.

Citizens of Salt Lake Shocked at the Terrible News and the City is Almost Thrown Into a Convulsion—Expressions of Prominent Members of the Commonwealth Upon the Dastardly Act That Puts the Most Glorious Nation on Earth Into Mourning.

Buffalo, Sept. 6.—President McKinley was shot twice in the stomach here this afternoon at the Temple of Music. His condition is serious. Two shots took effect in the stomach. He is now at the hospital in the Pan-American grounds. He was shot by a manager.

### FATAALLY WOUNDED.

The President is fatally wounded. He was shot in front of the Ethnology building while on his way to the Temple of Music.

The President is fatally hurt. One shot passed through his left breast and another entered the abdomen.

### WAS SHAKING HANDS.

The President was shot by a well dressed man with whom he was shaking hands.

### CAUGHT THE MAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 6.—It is now said the President is conscious and resting easily in the service building.

The prisoner is said to have been taken to the Thirteenth district police station.

As the man approached the President, it is said, he had the revolver covered with a handkerchief and as he reached out his hand to shake the President's hand he fired.

### ONE BULLET EXTRACTED.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 6.—A bullet which had lodged against the breast bone has been extracted. The President is resting easy.

### PROTECTING FINANCES.

New York, Sept. 6.—Immediately upon the receipt of the news of the shooting of the President steps were taken to call a meeting of all great financial interests to devise measures to protect the stock market.

### MORGAN THUNDERSTRUCK.

New York, Sept. 6.—When J. Pierpont Morgan was informed of the shooting of President McKinley he stood as one thunderstruck. For a few moments there was utter silence and then Mr. Morgan turned to Mr. Sullivan, his son-in-law, and communicated the news to him. At the time Mr. Morgan was told of the shooting he had his hat and cane ready to go home. He at once went into conference with his partners and remained inaccessible.

### FOUR DOCTORS ATTEND.

Buffalo, Sept. 6.—Four physicians, Drs. Myler, Mann, Van Peyrura of this city, and Dr. Lee, of St. Louis, are with the President.

### MRS. MCKINLEY DOES NOT KNOW.

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### HANNA TERRIBLY SHOCKED.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 6.—"My God, it can't be possible," cried Senator Hanna this afternoon when the Associated Press dispatch was read to him, saying that President McKinley had been shot. "It is terrible, and I am too shocked to express my feelings," he added. The senator was prostrated by the news and begged that all dispatches relating to the condition of the

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### WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.

Topeka, Kansas, Sept. 6.—At an early hour this morning Miss Eolash Hounson was burned to death in her home at 122 Kline street. She was 35 years old and lived alone in a one story frame building. The origin of the fire is unknown. Murder, with robbery in view, is suspected by the police, as she was known to have had some money.

### GOLD FOR AMERICA.

London, Sept. 6.—A financial agency says it is rumored that £100,000 in gold was bought in Paris in the open market for shipment to America. The sales here are very small. The statistician says the exchange rate does not permit of shipments at a profit.

### Gov. LaFollette Ill.

Milwaukee, Sept. 6.—Governor Robert M. La Follette is a very sick man. He is suffering from a complication of internal troubles and it is said is not able to retain any nourishment.

### Entertaining Roosevelt.

Burlington, Vt., Sept. 6.—Vice President Roosevelt was entertained this afternoon by the Vermont Fish and Game League at an elaborate banquet at Isle La Motte, Lake Champlain. The party numbered more than a thousand members and friends of the league. The speakers included Mr. Roosevelt, Winston Churchill and Jeremiah Curtin.

### Rejected Amendment.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 6.—The central conference of the German M. E. church, by a vote of 149 to 3 today declared against the adoption of the proposed new constitution which permitted women to become members of the general conference.

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steel strikers and endorsing the bill in Congress to pay carriers for overtime. It was also decided to eliminate pleasure trips from future conventions and devote the entire time to business.

### HENDERSON ON BOARD.

London, Sept. 6.—The American line steamer St. Paul, which is to sail from Southampton tomorrow for New York will have among her passengers D. B. Henderson, speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and Mrs. Henderson, J. W. Mackay and Clyde Fitch.

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returning to the International hotel, where a cold luncheon was served. After luncheon the power house was visited. From there the party returned to the Pan-American exposition grounds.

At 4 o'clock the President will hold a reception in the Temple of Music at the Pan-American grounds. This evening the President will attend a reception in his honor at the residence of George L. Williams.

### Discuss President's Speech.

London, Sept. 6.—Additional English press comments upon President McKinley's Buffalo speech continue to attract attention.

The Post, among other things, considers that it bears a resemblance to the one delivered on Wednesday night by the English home secretary at Nottingham. Both speakers urged the necessity of opening new markets for trade, and admitted that his government had a certain responsibility in the matter.

The Standard says that the aim of the United States is to be the predominant political and commercial power is decided by an economic need of finding an outlet for her increasing surplus products.

Is Miss Stone. Constantinople, Sept. 6.—A dispatch from Salonika says that one of the ladies carried off from that city by brigands is a Miss Stone.

Steamer Arrivals. New York, Sept. 6.—Arrived: Sicilia, from Genoa.

King Shows No Improvement. London, Sept. 6.—Though King Edward is conscientiously submitting to the light, water and massage "cure" at Homburg, the candid friend, a weekly paper, says his heart trouble, from which he has suffered since and before his accession, shows no improvement.

Chun Invited. Berlin, Sept. 6.—A special to the Lokal Anzeiger from Dantzig says Emperor William has invited Prince Chun to witness the autumn maneuvers.

Tells Them How. Berlin, Sept. 6.—The Society of Merchants and Industrials of Berlin has addressed a circular to exporters, advising them when protesting against United States customs decisions to give the fullest possible information regarding each case, thereby rendering a thorough investigation by the United States possible.

New Baseball Organization. Chicago, Sept. 6.—Representatives of eleven minor baseball leagues of America practically completed the organization of the National Organization of Professional Baseball clubs today. The constitution was drafted at the Leland hotel. Officials will be chosen and other business transacted at a meeting to be held at the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, October 24. The delegates disapproved the action of the National board which recently abrogated the national agreement and paid back no fees to the minor clubs.

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## TO COMPETE WITH STANDARD OIL CO.

Oil Producers of California Are on the Eve of Success in the Promotion of a Big Company of \$100,000,000.

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—The Call says: "Success is about to crown the efforts of the oil producers of California to form a great corporation with a capital stock of \$75,000,000 to \$100,000,000 for the purpose of protecting and promoting their interests. Eighty per cent of the oil producers of the Kern river and McKittrick districts have, according to W. S. Porter, already signed the preliminary agreement. Not one producing oil company in the Kern river and McKittrick districts has failed to make available the information needed as the starting point for organization."

There is only one factor that can interfere with success as the matter now stands, which is the refusal of companies to accept the valuations placed on their respective properties by the experts, whose rating will go far toward determining the basis of standing in the huge combine."

Competition has been so keen that the production of oil has become unprofitable and a combination of the kind projected by Mr. Porter has been looked forward to as the only means of placing the industry on a substantial paying basis. Mr. Porter is authority for the statement that the combination has no relations with the Standard Oil company.

Dealing Personally. Constantinople, Sept. 6.—The porte, it is said, is endeavoring to come to a direct understanding with the French claimants against the Ottoman government, hoping thus to deprive the French government of its grounds for action.

Went Through a Wall. St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 6.—A box car was jammed through a wall in the Burlington freight house here today and three clerks in the offices were badly injured. L. Speer was bruised about the body and limbs, and was hurt internally; Marvin Eates, right eye cut and leg bruised; and Edward Rosely badly hurt about body.

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