

RIXEY'S REPORT ON PRESIDENT'S DEATH

Remarkable for Minute Statement of Each Detail of Patient's Exact State—Almost Like a Ship's Log.

Washington, Oct. 26.—"In the line of duty while receiving the people was shot by Leon F. Czolgosz," is the official statement filed with the surgeon-general of the navy, by Dr. Presley M. Rixey, medical inspector, U. S. N., as the introduction for his report upon the wounding, illness and death of the late President McKinley. The cause of death is thus stated:

"Gangrene of both walls of the stomach and pancreas, following gunshot wound."

The report itself is remarkable for its exhibition in the closest possible detail of the exact state of the patient during his mortal illness. It is in the shape of a ship's log almost, showing at intervals of a very few minutes, sometimes a single minute, rarely more than an hour, the patient's progress towards the end. But perhaps the most valuable detail contained in a medical point of view is the accurate registering of the medication of the case—not a single morsel of food nor a dose of medicine or bath is omitted in this account. Included in the running narrative at the proper intervals are the bulletins which were given to the public as the case progressed.

FIRST OPERATION.

The report begins with an account of the first operation at the emergency hospital September 6, the two wounds being described exactly as they have been treated in the preceding medical reports. Dr. Rixey, stating that all the physicians present agreed to immediate laparotomy, makes his first entry at 5:30 p. m., when Dr. Mann made a vertical incision passing through the wound, and found at the very beginning a piece of cloth carried in by the bullet. Eight minutes later strychnine was administered hypodermically. Sometime after that brandy was administered in the same manner and then morphine likewise was administered. This same application became necessary five minutes after the patient arrived at the Milburn house, the result being an improved pulse but slight nausea.

FIRST BULLETIN.

The first bulletin issued to the public was dated at 8 p. m., describing the wound and the operation. The next entry at 8:42, declares that the patient rested quietly but at 9:15 vomited a small quantity of partly digested food and a blood clot. Vomiting followed at 9:40 also. At 10:40 the bulletin was issued stating that the President was rallying satisfactorily and comfortably. At 10:45 p. m. there were occasional twinges of pain and slight discoloration of dressing. At 12 o'clock midnight, a saline enema was retained. The notes follow at intervals of less than an hour until 4:55 the second day, September 7, when a large amount of gas was expelled, and ten minutes later, at 5:05 a. m., the entry reads:

"Pain severe on deep respiration. At 5:20 the patient is said to be restless after retaining one pint of salt enema."

MORE MORPHINE ADMINISTERED.

At 6:10 the bulletin said the President had passed a good night. At 9 a. m. it was announced that the President had developed. At noon on the second day more morphine was administered hypodermically, at 1:15 there was a saline enema, and at 4:30 there was a hypodermic injection of digitalis, the patient passing much gas by the mouth. The first alcohol bath was given at 5:30 of this day, while the patient was sleeping, but passing gas by mouth. At 6:30 the patient complained of intense pain in the pit of the stomach. He was given a hypodermic injection of morphine. No pain but restless. Sponged with alcohol and rested quietly for half an hour. Then the next injection announced to change for the worse. At 7:40 p. m., digitalis was administered hypodermically, and the bulletin at 9:30 declared that the conditions continued much the same, the President resting well to medication. He had 15 minutes quiet sleep, when a saline enema with somatose was administered, part of which was rejected. Then there was another hypodermic injection of digitalis at 10:40 and fifteen minutes later of morphine, the patient being very restless.

THE THIRD DAY.

The third day, September 8, began with the patient at 12:30 "restless during sleep. Limbs sponged with alcohol. Quiet and slept from 2 to 3 o'clock."

The 2:30 a. m. bulletin said the President had passed a fairly good night. At 3:30 there was another enema of salt and somatose. From 4 to 4:30 the patient was said to be "confused and very restless." At 5 a. m., "complaints of feeling chilly, but it passed in a moment." The patient was restless and talkative from 5 to 6 o'clock a. m., expelling brown fluid and gas. There are frequent entries of these fluctuations, and before 9 o'clock there were two hypodermic injections of morphine and digitalis. A hypodermic of strychnine was followed at 12:30 p. m. by a saline enema with somatose which was not retained, and an alcohol rub. At 4:45 p. m. the patient was restless and talkative, and for the first time was given water by the mouth. At 4:55 an enema of sweet oil, soap and water brought

R. G. W. MEETING AT MONDAY NOON

Shareholders to Elect Officers and Directors for Coming Year.

LIST OF THE DIRECTORATE.

It is Thought That There May Be No Change—J. H. Bennett Will Succeed J. B. Morgan of N. C. & O.

At noon on Monday the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Rio Grande Western for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year will take place in the offices of Colonel Colton on the third floor of the Dooly building.

Just what is to be done at this meeting is at this time not forthcoming as such meetings are generally arranged before hand in New York and the form of voting stock is carried through to meet the requirements of the law. It is thought, however, that the following officers will be re-elected for the ensuing year:

George J. Gould, E. T. Jeffery, Louis Fitzgerald, R. M. Galloway, Frank J. Gould, Howard G. Gould, E. H. Harriman, S. Pierce and Jacob H. Schiff.

CRAWLEY OF N. C. & O.

Ex-General Agent of Freight Department R. G. W. to Succeed Bennett.

J. B. Crawley, recently general agent of the freight department of the Rio Grande Western at San Francisco, it is said, will succeed J. H. Bennett as general freight and passenger agent of the Nevada, California, & Oregon Railway company at Reno, Nev. As both gentlemen named are well known in Salt Lake, Mr. Bennett having at one time been general passenger agent of the Nevada, California, & Oregon Railway, Crawley is a well known figure in the city.

THUNDER MOUNTAIN FREIGHT.

Development of New District a Big Thing for Railroads.

W. D. Coate, assistant ticket agent for the Oregon Short Line at Boise, was in this city today on his way through to New York on a trip. In speaking regarding the Thunder Mountain district of which so much has been appearing in print during the past month, he said: "The Thunder Mountain district is going to turn out the biggest thing going for the railroads. The people of Boise are very much worked up over it and Col. Dewey stands to make a sack of money over his properties there which have not yet barely been developed. Wagon roads are being pushed from Idaho, Payette and Boise and the freight will be a big thing for the railroads. It is a winner sure and it will not be long before the railroads will go in there. Col. W. H. Dewey is pushing the Idaho Northern toward the mining district and about a dozen miles of track have already been laid north of Nampa."

CAR FAMINE RELIEVED.

Colorado Roads Have Been in a Very Bad Position.

According to the Denver Post the freight car famine on the Colorado & Southern and Colorado Midland roads will be partly relieved this week. New cars for the Colorado Midland and the Colorado & Southern have been received over 100 cars of the Colorado Midland and others are coming in every day. The cars are of the Colorado & Southern are coal cars. The famine is still severe. Each of the Colorado roads has lost men hurriedly carrying cars back, the demand continues far greater than the supply. All cars are working together and assistance is being made in keeping up the supply.

TERMINUS BOUGHT.

J. P. Morgan Secures Tract of Bay Shore Land Near San Francisco.

San Francisco, Oct. 26.—The Call says: J. Pierpont Morgan has purchased a large tract of Bay Shore land adjoining the Standard Oil company's property above Point Richmond on the San Francisco Bay, to be used, so it is said upon reliable authority, as a terminus for the Morgan-Hill syndicate of railroads embracing the Great Northern and Northern Pacific roads.

Oil for Cascade Tunnel.

St. Paul, Oct. 26.—Experiments are to be made to burn fuel oil in the Great Northern in the Cascade tunnel to determine the merits of assertions made by railway engineers that oil fuel keeps air in tunnels clear. Although the most improved system of fan ventilation has already been applied it is said to be almost impossible to keep the tremendous bore free from coal smoke and gases.

It is planned to use in the tunnel heavy locomotives fitted with devices for burning petroleum. These are to be used on all trains through the tunnel, coal fire locomotives taking the trains again as they emerge.

The Bluff that Failed.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 26.—A special to the World-Herald from Oelwein, Iowa, says:

While President McKinley of the Chicago Great Western railway was showing Cornelius Vanderbilt, Stephen S. Little and W. A. Read, railroad men, through the shops of the railroad here, 500 workmen walked out. They demanded the removal of a foreman, who they say is brutal toward them. The company declines to grant the demand.

Salina Canyon Survey.

O. H. Kistler came down from the mountain ranch last Sunday, in order to attend the Republican caucus on Monday night. Kistler told us that the railroad engineers were camped in the canyon near the ranch gate. He had a talk with them and is now confident that the road will be pushed through the canyon next summer. Two stations will be established in the canyon, one to be christened Simpersville and the other just plain Kistler. When the line is completed to Kistler, Nechee canyon

will spring into prominence as a summer resort and Mr. Kistler will erect a mammoth hotel on the site of the old Gilson sanitarium.—Salina Sun.

J. P. Morgan in New York.

New York, Oct. 26.—According to the World, J. P. Morgan is expected at his office this morning, but no announcement of the disposition of Northern Pacific matters will be made until next week. Mr. Morgan will hear the report of the conference and make known his position after giving their recommendations full consideration. J. J. Hill held a long conference Friday with the junior members of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co.

THE SPREAD OF DISEASE.

Scarlet and Typhoid Fevers and Diphtheria Become Alarming.

There is an ominous and alarming increase in the number of cases of scarlet fever this week of from 41 to 55 cases. Typhoid is also rapidly on the increase, and diphtheria is also quite prevalent.

The report of the board of health for the week ending October 25, 1901, is: Births, males, 12; females, 1; deaths, males, 12, females, 7; bodies brought here for interment, 7; contagious diseases, no smallpox reported, one case of pest house, none in city; scarlet fever reported during week, 27 cases; now under quarantine, 55, increase 14; diphtheria reported during week, 11; now under quarantine, 17, increase 6; typhoid fever reported during week, 12 cases, now in city (based on reports), 44, increase, 4.

GEORGE S. GIBBS DISMISSED

University Faculty Expels Student for Writing Articles in Chronicle.

As the result of what he wrote in the University Chronicle as its editor, George Snow Gibbs, one of the senior students of the University has been expelled from that institution. This action was taken at a special meeting of the faculty held yesterday afternoon after which Mr. Gibbs was notified of his expulsion, but he refused to remove himself from the building. He was accompanied by a number of students who were with him when he was expelled. The faculty had no other choice but to expel him. Gibbs is a student of the University who has been expelled from that institution. This action was taken at a special meeting of the faculty held yesterday afternoon after which Mr. Gibbs was notified of his expulsion, but he refused to remove himself from the building. He was accompanied by a number of students who were with him when he was expelled. The faculty had no other choice but to expel him.

Y. M. C. A. IN DENVER.

Football Game Today With Steel Club—Line-up.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 26.—The football game today between the Denver Wheel club eleven and the Y. M. C. A. team, at Salt Lake, is expected to be a hard, aggressive contest. From start to finish, the weather is ideal for spectators but too warm to suit the players. In the betting the odds slightly favored the Denver team.

TRUANT OFFICERS GOOD WORK.

Truant Officers Sperry and Davies have been doing such good work in the city that truancy has practically become a thing of the past. The principals and teachers of schools feel very kindly towards the police department for the efficient work it is doing. There are a few families in town, however, which are not complying with the compulsory provision of the school law, and the truant officers will probably call on them in the near future. It is as the superintendent of schools is determined that the law shall be enforced.

FAMOUS HOSTELRY CLOSES.

Career of Walker House Ends Tomorrow—David Keith's Plans.

The Walker House register will be closed tomorrow and with it the career of that once famous hostelry. It is probable that the building will never again be used for hotel purposes and perhaps for none other. The plans for a modern eight story, fire proof, business block to be erected on the present site of the Walker House and the adjoining property now occupied by the Walker House are nearly ready for presentation to Mr. David Keith and it is generally the opinion that a magnificent building which will cost \$250,000 or \$300,000 will be commenced early in the spring on that property. Mr. Keith will not say positively what his intentions are, but those who know him well say that the Walker House will be torn down during the winter, and that a building with every Salt Lake will point out with pride as the Keith block will be erected during the coming spring and summer.

Among the famous guests who visited Salt Lake and registered at the Walker House when its reputation was world-wide are the following:

Gen. Grant was at the house in 1875 or 1876. George Dewey, who was in 1898, so little prominence that he slipped into town almost unnoticed. Gen. Nelson A. Miles came in on the range more than once and inscribed his name, and the same is true of Gen. Philip Sheridan. John Sherman was a guest July 28, 1881, and Benjamin Harrison arrived the day before. Rutherford B. Hayes was another President to partake of the house's hospitality.

Sir Charles and Lady Tupper, premier of Canada and his wife, were sheltered under the roof August 14, 1881. Lieut. Gen. W. J. MacDonnell, who won fame in the Boer war, wrote his name on the register May 6, 1882, while the Earl of Hopetoun was there July 4 of that year and Sir William Dalrymple, B. C., was another distinguished guest. This is not to mention the many other names, for there are enough to fill a column.

FOUR MEN CAUGHT IN HIGHLAND BOY

Cave-in on No. 5 Level Last Night In Bingham Canyon.

TWO MEN RESCUED TODAY.

Other Couple Will Be Reached by Four o'clock—Miner Pouch Escaped by Sliding Down Rope.

[Special to the "News."] Bingham, Utah, Oct. 26.—A cave-in occurred in the Highland Boy mine last night in which four men were entombed. One miner named Al Pouch escaped with a few bad bruises by sliding down a rope. After being entombed for twelve hours Charles Nutting, the well-known baseball player here, and a Finn, whose name cannot be learned at this time were dug out alive by the rescuing party. The other two men are still in the mine and it is thought that they will be reached by four o'clock this afternoon. Their signals by knocking can be heard quite distinctly by the rescuers and shows that at least one of them is alive.

AN OGDEN SHOOTING.

Five Points Affair Being Investigated in Court Today.

[Special to the "News."] Ogdon, Oct. 26.—Michael Higgins appeared in Justice Parker J. Hall's court today on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill one L. B. Dore, who was on August 8, shot with a shotgun and the next minute a sequel to some trouble the men had at Five Points.

PIONEER WOMAN DEAD.

Mrs. Hannah Van Smith Dies at Provo—Child's Death From Scarlet Fever.

[Special to the "News."] Provo, Oct. 26.—Mrs. Hannah Van Smith, a pioneer woman—one who came here in 1847—died at her home in the evening of this day this morning of old age. She was a native of New Jersey, and was born April 4, 1815. She joined the Church while a young woman and went to Nauvoo and then came to Salt Lake where she resided for several years. For the past thirty-five years Provo had been her home. She was known as a very good woman, whose activity mentally and otherwise was pronounced to the very last. When she died she simply appeared to have fallen into a deep and peaceful slumber.

WHO ARE THEY?

Gravel Haulers Undermining Scenic Boulevard—To Be Dealt With.

Owing to complaints that have been registered to the effect that the Boulevard along the face of the mountain from Fort Douglas to a point in City Creek canyon is being undermined by parties who have been making use of the taking out of gravel, several members of the city council this morning took a drive for the purpose of investigating the report. On their return Councilman Fernstrom reported that there have been several thousand wagon loads of gravel removed by unknown parties, much to the detriment of the proposed carriage drive. Steps will now be taken to deal summarily with any offenders in this direction in the future.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Frank Sargent a young man of twenty-one, who gave his residence as Salt Lake City, and Miss Frances Clark, seventeen years old, of Lehi, were granted permission this morning to wed.

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Naval Personnel Bill.

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CRITICISM OF WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Government's Conduct of it Censured—Cambridge Union Passes Resolutions Holding Ministry Responsible.

London, Oct. 26.—There is no end of criticism current regarding the government's conduct of the war in South Africa, but it emanates chiefly from those whom Mr. Chamberlain in his speech last night characterized as his candid friends.

The outcry does not appear to strengthen in the slightest the chances of the liberal party.

R. C. Lehmann, who has just resigned the editorship of the Daily News, in an article in this week's Speaker, admits that he sees no hope for liberalism until it has acquired and put forward a strong, definite policy in regard to South Africa. To do this, he confesses, would mean the loss to the party of some of its most prominent supporters, but he maintains that even this is better than the present impotency.

One of the striking signs of discontent within the circles traditionally governmental is found in the fact that the Cambridge Union has passed a resolution to the effect that the government alone is responsible for the prolongation of the war. This is a statement of opinion which is composed mainly of those who are related to or acquainted with the ruling class and who have hitherto always warmly supported the government's South African policy. A reversal of feeling in such a great university as Cambridge means, perhaps, more than any demonstrations or political meetings.

Rumors were rife regarding cabinet changes during the early part of the week. It was persistently said that Sir Michael Hicks Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, whose relations with Mr. Chamberlain have never been cordial, was determined to step out and Mr. Hanbury, the president of the board of agriculture, it was said, was to succeed him. Inquiries made by a representative of the Associated Press, however, point to the fact that Mr. Chamberlain will retain the office, though not very willingly, and that no serious cabinet shake-up is likely to occur in the near future.

GUN PLAY WITH AN EVENT TO BE REMEMBERED

A HAPPY SEQUEL.

[Special to the "News."] Bingham, Oct. 26.—But for the presence of mind of T. M. Howard here at 12:30 this afternoon the probabilities are that J. T. Dean, a Salt Lake barber, would have received the full contents of a loaded shotgun in his anatomy at the hands of "Birdie" Roldan, a one-legged miner, who came to this camp from Colorado over a year ago.

It appears that there was some sort of trouble between Roldan and Dean, the nature of which cannot be learned at this time as neither man will talk. Howard, who was passing the house, saw Roldan put in an appearance with a shotgun and the next minute cock and level it at the barber. With a jump he reached his side just in time to knock up the gun as it was discharged. "The charge" lodged in the forehead and collar, landed just above Dean's head. Roldan was at once arrested and placed in jail.

J. T. Dean, the man who had such a narrow escape, is said to have a wife and family in Salt Lake.

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SCHLEY ACCEPTS.

Will Be Guest of the Hamilton Club of Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley has accepted the invitation of the Hamilton club of Chicago, to be present at a reception at a banquet to be given in his honor. Edwin A. Munger, president of the club, today received the following telegram in reply to the invitation sent yesterday:

Washington, Oct. 25.—Millions of thanks. Impossible to name date at Present.

(Signed) W. S. SCHLEY.

Singer Strike Ends Today.

New York, Oct. 15.—It is said that the strike at the Singer Sewing machine works at Elizabeth will end today. A conference between the strikers and the company officials has been held, at which it is understood a satisfactory arrangement was reached.

PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY.

Tomorrow He Will Be Forty-four Years of Age.

Washington, Oct. 26.—President Roosevelt will be 44 years of age tomorrow. According to the custom in the family the event will be celebrated with a dinner in which the children will participate.

Half Mile Champion Tysoe Dead.

New York, Oct. 26.—A. E. Tysoe, the British champion half-mile runner, is dead. He defeated J. P. Cragan of Princeton at that distance at the Anglo-American meeting in 1900.

Presidential Appointments.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The President today made the following appointments:

Ethelbert Watts, Pennsylvania, United States consul at Prague, Austria.

War-Samuel McAllister, second lieutenant.

Navy—A. C. Almy, lieutenant commander.

Martin J. Clancy, warrant machinist.

GREAT SINGERS COMING.

Macondo and Nordica to Appear With The Tabernacle Choir in This City.

Prof. Stephens, conductor of the Tabernacle choir, was highly elated today when he announced, as a result of the presence in this city of Mr. L. G. Charlton, manager of the two greatest singers in America—Macondo and Nordica—that they would both appear with the Tabernacle choir in the near future, the first early in December, and the second early in February.

These great celebrities, says Prof. Stephens, are of this season in revivals and their regular programs here will be augmented by their numbers. Macondo has been creating a veritable furor in the big testimonials east, as a contralto singer for some time past, but this is her first trip to the west.

Nordica is at present in Munich, Germany, giving the much written about and widely heralded new Wagner opera house in the Bavarian capital. Salt Lake needs no explanation as to who she is; her name is a household word among the cult loving people of Utah.