

CONDENSED TELE-GRAPH

**War on Ticket Scalpers**  
DENVER, Col., Nov. 24.—The railway ticket protective bureau yesterday made a report officially announcing that "Denver had finally been rid of ticket scalpers."

**Antiochus En Route**  
PORT SAID, Nov. 24.—The Blue Funnel liner Antiochus arrived here today from the Clyde River via the Orient for British Columbia and Puget Sound.

**Takes His Own Life**  
DOUGLAS, Ariz., Nov. 24.—Harry Vanallan, a prominent business man of Douglas, committed suicide yesterday by shooting. He came to Douglas from Prescott three years ago.

**New Suffragette Move**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Clarence McKay, president of the Equal Franchise Society, of which she is president, a national organization with offices in the larger cities throughout the country.

**Vanguard's High Speed**  
PLYMOUTH, Nov. 24.—The new British Dreadnought, Vanguard, completed an eight hour trial tonight, in which she attained 24 knots a hour, a knot in excess of the Admiralty's stipulation.

**Steamer Long Overdue**  
HAVANA, Nov. 24.—No tidings have reached here of the missing steamer which left Havana on October 30 for Porto Rican ports. She is overdue on the return voyage to Havana eight days.

**All Red Routes Conference**  
OTTAWA, Nov. 24.—A meeting of representatives of the Canadian, British, New Zealand and Australian governments will be held next spring to consider the proposal made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier for a fast passenger and mail steamship and train service between London to Australia and New Zealand by fast trains across Canada and an eighteen knot service on the Pacific.

**Calgary Expanding**  
CALGARY, Nov. 24.—Residents of Crescent Heights, one of the city's prosperous suburbs are unanimous in a desire to be annexed, and thereby form a portion of Greater Calgary. The municipality of Crescent Heights now has its own mayor, council, schools, fire station and churches, while it admitted the city will have to extend the waterworks, electric light and street car systems to serve this suburb.

**Big Jewelry Robbery**  
CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 24.—The jewelry store of Joseph J. ... robbed of jewelry valued at \$2,000 last night when thieves threw a brick through a show window, grabbed the jewelry, and escaped.

**Baron Shibusawa Ill.**  
SAN DIEGO, Nov. 24.—Baron Shibusawa, head of the Japanese commercial commission which is touring the United States, was so ill that he was unable to leave his private car all day yesterday.

**Late Duchess Buried**  
LONDON, Nov. 24.—The body of Chester, Dowager Duchess of Manchester, was buried at the church of St. Dunstons, in the presence of the Duke of Manchester, in the presence of the family and many intimate friends.

**Actress Weds Indian Prince**  
LONDON, Nov. 24.—Dolly Farnell, a popular musical comedy actress, was married yesterday to Prince Nescer Ali Khan, the son of one of the most powerful rulers of the East. The prince presented his bride with jewels worth \$100,000.

**Madden Withdraws Suit**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—John E. Madden, the well-known turf man, has withdrawn his suit for alienation of his wife's affections which he brought some time ago against Louis Bell, a former turf man and his wife, Laura Bell. Madden asked \$150,000.

**Drowned in Jamaica Bay**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—A clue to the fate of Washington Hull, a Brooklyn architect, who disappeared mysteriously with his yacht, was discovered yesterday with the recovery from the water of a pocket watch which was believed to have been with Hull on the missing yacht.

**Pleasant Woman Dies**  
NELSON, Nov. 24.—The death occurred at Waneta of Mrs. Joan Adie, one of the pioneer of the country, at the age of 83. She had lived there since 1852. She was the mother of Fred Adie, government fruit posts inspector, and well known throughout the interior.

**Heavy Alberta Crops**  
CALGARY, Nov. 24.—Crop reports are still being received that will do much toward keeping the American invasion up to its present proportions, if not exceeding them. Jas. Naylor, of Gleichen, reports that his fax went 22 bushels to acre, while one acre plot of 64 bushels to the acre.

**Skeleton Found**  
NELSON, Nov. 24.—A sensation was caused in Creston by the discovery of a skeleton by John ... on the ... of Creston. The body was evidently over a hundred years old, and was that of a man named Wallace, who was thought to have been murdered by his companion, another prospector 50 years ago.

**Too Fond of "Corners"**  
CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—The "anti-corner" amendment to the board of trade rules was defeated at a special poll yesterday by vote of 409 to 300. The amendment provided that in case of a squeeze or "corner" in any commodity, a committee should determine the value of that commodity on final day, and the interested parties would be compelled to settle accordingly. Another clause provided that any member conducting an unjust deal of "corner" should be expelled.

**Philanthropists Checked**  
LAKEWOOD, N. J., Nov. 24.—The controversy over the establishment of a tuberculosis preventorium for children in the cottages occupied by the late Grover Cleveland, resulted today in the arrest of Supt. Wheelwright of the institution. He was charged with importing minor children into the state, under a law passed in 1907 and aimed principally at immigrants. Until a legal test is made, it may permit a group of well-known philanthropists from bringing children here. Wheelwright was released on his own cognizance.

**Man Disappears**  
VANCOUVER, Nov. 24.—The police have been notified by George Fletcher, 1515 Park drive, of the disappearance since his chum, Thomas McLean, who came to this city with him from North Vancouver, has not been missing since November 10. He went out to Royal Oak and secured a position. He returned to Vancouver and got his clothes and has not since been heard of. He is 45 years old, 5 feet 7 inches tall, has light complexion and wears a brown mustache.

**Necessaries Admitted Free**  
THE HAGUE, Nov. 25.—In the second chamber today the finance minister announced that the proposed bill to revise the customs tariff would admit free of duty.

**Schooner Captain Drowned**  
HONOLULU, Nov. 25.—The schooner Robert Lewers, which arrived here from Port Ludlow, Puget Sound, reported that Captain Underwood, the commander of the vessel, was washed overboard by a heavy sea. The body was not recovered. The Robert Lewers was called from Fort Ludlow for Honolulu on October 19th.

**Large Bequest for Missions**  
HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 25.—Announcement that the bequest of the late John Stuart Kennedy, of New York, to the Presbyterian board of Foreign Missions would amount to \$5,000,000, instead of one million, as had been stated at the time of his death, was made at the layman's missionary convention here yesterday.

**Cables Are Restored**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—That part of the West Indian sea which has been out of cable touch with the world since the hurricane of November 7 is again in telegraphic communication with the United States and Europe. The cable companies reported yesterday that communication with all West Indian cable stations has been re-established.

**Supplies for Revolution**  
COLON, Nov. 25.—The American protected cruiser Tacoma which arrived Monday left last night after taking on coal and a large quantity of lumber, nails and similar building material. Her destination is not known, but it is believed she is bound for Nicaragua, probably Bluefields, where camps have been erected for the marines.

**Not Anarchistic Bomb**  
RIO JANEIRO, Nov. 25.—Four commercial houses were destroyed last night at Sao Paulo by a fire started by a bomb thrown into a German store. The loss was large. It was thought at first that the bomb was thrown by an anarchist, but the police profess not to believe this.

**High Protection Demanded**  
LONDON, Nov. 25.—Addressing the London Chamber of Commerce yesterday, Lord Kinnear, vice-president of the German Reichstag, expressed the belief that the system of high protection which Germany, France and the United States were examples would become insupportable.

**Off With Cook's Proofs**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The records which Dr. Cook, the Arctic explorer will submit to the University of Copenhagen in proof of his claim that he reached the North Pole on April 21, 1908, are now in completed form. Walter Lonsdale, secretary of the steamer United States for Copenhagen, taking with him the records. Dr. Cook's report, which accompanied the records, contains between 25,000 and 30,000 words.

**Obtain Woman's Statement**  
DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 25.—The prosecution in the case of Dr. George Fritch, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of May Belle Millman, whose body was found in a creek last September, yesterday obtained a statement from Mrs. Mignonette C. Messinger said she talked with Miss Millman in Dr. Fritch's office the afternoon of August 27 and saw the doctor leave hurriedly shortly after he had received the girl into his private office.

**Remarkable Engineering Feat**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Proposals for one of the most remarkable pieces of engineering work ever undertaken were made before the New York board of estimates today. The plans involve the expenditure of nearly \$500,000 for an aqueduct 300 feet below the streets to distribute the water supply which in a few years will be available from the great Catskill reservoir. The aqueduct as proposed will be 14 feet in diameter for the central 10-mile stretch, and will be bored through solid rock. It will run from the city's northern limits southward under Central park and beneath the great business district of lower Manhattan, then under the East river to Brooklyn, Williamsburg, Queens and Staten Island. The burg Queen's water mains will be connected with it.

**Youthful Depravity**  
VANCOUVER, Nov. 24.—The Mount Pleasant burglars are known to the police, but they are not in custody. This seems a peculiar state of affairs, but it is a fact because the parties responsible for the hold-up burglaries here are five youngsters. These boys, the oldest of whom is only 14, are in their Mount Pleasant operations. They would be the victims of finished bad men. They secured entrance to seven different residences with burglars' diamonds, worked their way cellar to garret with the skill which indicated considerable practice, and took only money and such articles as could be easily disposed of. The police are in a most peculiar predicament. After a week's hard work they have run down the burglars and have restored most of the stolen property, but still they endeavor to punish the youthful criminals owing to lack of facilities. Chief Chamberlain is a most humane individual and unlike most police chiefs, he does not like the idea of arresting boys of tender age and bringing them into association with older criminals. At present there are no facilities for taking care of a juvenile court proposition which during this election campaign, has been

**Line Reopened**  
SEATTLE, Nov. 25.—The Great Northern main line was re-opened yesterday afternoon.

**Embezzler Sentenced**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 25.—C. A. Straus, former cashier of the Portland post office, convicted of embezzlement, was yesterday sentenced by Federal Judge Wolverson to serve eighteen months in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$4,015.

**To Build Large Sawmill**  
NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 25.—The British Columbia Lumber Company is planning to erect a large sawmill on the Fraser River here for the purpose of manufacturing the logs from its extensive timber limits along Harrison Lake into lumber.

**Negro Lynched**  
ANNISTON, Ala., Nov. 25.—A mob lynched Roy Rolston, a negro, here yesterday for the murder of Mrs. C. Chestwood, wife of a white farmer. The negro fled after his crime and was tracked and captured by a posse which dangled him with shot and burned his body. Mrs. Chestwood may die.

**Take the Advice of that Veteran in Politics**  
Hon. J. S. Meimken: "Keep your eyes on the main thing, the Canadian North, to help its growth. Don't waste time on the trifles. Keep your eyes on the main issue."

**R. N. W. M. P. Veteran Retires**  
REGINA, Sask., Nov. 25.—James M. Blake, after 27 years' military service in the R. N. W. M. P., retired from the force yesterday. Blake served twice in South Africa and once in the Boer war, and was decorated with the Victoria Cross and a bar to his medals.

**Ottawa Athlete Suicides**  
OTTAWA, Nov. 25.—Charles Course, aged 22, and a member of the Ottawa football team, shot himself yesterday morning and died immediately. He was a former pupil of the Royal Military College at Kingston.

**Twin Cities See An One**  
PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Nov. 25.—There is a report that a Port Arthur and Fort William joining hands for the purpose of procuring gas for lighting and heating purposes. The Port Arthur council has expressed its willingness to open negotiations to that end.

**Young Girl's Sudden Death**  
TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 25.—Miss Mary White, of 59 Sullivan street, aged 13, was shot and killed some time preparatory to singing at a wedding tomorrow. She returned about 5 o'clock from a party given by her mother, dying instantly from heart failure.

**Commander Peary's Plans**  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Commander Robert E. Peary announced yesterday that he would not go on the White platform. He called at the White House today to pay his respects to the President. Peary said that in his opinion the expedition which he would lead to the north pole is surrounded by a cloud of controversy, and that he would not be able to do so.

**Fine Yacht Planned**  
NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 25.—A palatial gasoline auxiliary yacht, to cost \$20,000, will be built for Frank S. Gray, of this city, by the British Columbia City marine construction company. The plans, which were drawn by E. T. Frost, of Vancouver, show a vessel with a beam of 63 feet 8 inches, a beam of 12 feet, and draft of 4 feet. The main cabin will be 24 feet long.

**Night Riders Indicted**  
UNION CITY, Tenn., Nov. 24.—Indictments were returned yesterday against five men who were charged with the robbery of the American Sugar Refinery, Bob Huffman, Samuel Applewhite and Edward Marshall, charged with the robbery of the American Sugar Refinery, and Quentin Rankin on the night of Oct. 18, 1908, on Beel Foot lake. All of these indictments except Rankin's have already been tried and found guilty. Burton and Ransom were given twenty years in the penitentiary and the others were sentenced to death, but the judgments were reversed by the supreme court.

**Effect a Compromise**  
TOPEKA, Kas., Nov. 25.—Governor Stubbs and Vice-President Clark of the Missouri Pacific, effected a compromise yesterday with reference to the improvements in the central branch, after an exciting and heated discussion. The company will not ask for a receiver if the company makes the following improvements: The Missouri Pacific to spend \$150,000 on the central branch in 1910 and lay 100 miles of new 8-foot rails and 140 miles of rock ballast. The governor is a railroad builder himself.

**Important Insurance Judgment**  
MONTREAL, Nov. 25.—A decision which if upheld by the higher courts will open the door of the Dominion of Canada to all foreign insurance companies without their being subjected to the regulations prescribed by the Canadian insurance act, was rendered in favor of the defendant in a case brought by the Crow against William Faber & Company, insurance agents, representing Loyds of London, Judge Leask. This act provides that no unregistered company may write insurance in Canada.

**Married in Jail**  
SEATTLE, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Mary Edwards, of Lewiston, was married in the county jail yesterday to C. W. Brasen, formerly city salesman of that city. Mrs. Edwards was charged with larceny of a large quantity of fish from her former employers. Rather than stay in jail, she was allowed to marry. Her husband's discomfiture was managed by the jailer, Mrs. Edwards was called upon by the officer's attorney to make arrangements for the ceremony. Mrs. Edwards' former husband, E. G. Edwards, a railway mail clerk, who had been held in the city jail on a charge of threatening to kill her, was released on suspended sentence.

**Dr. Cook's Records**  
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**Saskatchewan Legislature**  
REGINA, Sask., Nov. 25.—Yesterday's session of the legislature was the first regular business meeting of that body. Government measures were advanced, various stages, and opposition brought forth. The new bill respecting drainage was advanced to the committee stage, its principle being explained by the Premier in brief. His object is to arrange for financing drainage districts where there are no funds. Upon application to the minister, drainage districts are to be created, plans for the work drafted, and estimate of cost furnished by government engineers, and upon this a decision for or against the improvement is to be made. The money for payment of expenses incident to drainage works is to be raised by a special tax on the land to be drained. The money for the improvement is to be raised by a special tax on the land to be drained. The money for the improvement is to be raised by a special tax on the land to be drained.

**Italian Actor's Grandstand Play**  
FLORENCE, Nov. 25.—Signor Giovanni Gasco, the Sicilian actor, was the hero of a remarkable incident at the politics theatre here, where he has to stab his enemy with a dagger, when in the heat of passion Gasco let the weapon slip out of his hand. It alighted on the top of a man's head, cutting it slightly. An indignant member of the audience flung the knife back to the stage, where it was dextrously caught by Gasco. Raising it aloft in his hand, and as though it were a dagger, Gasco smashed it in two, and then stamped upon it. Then, with a swift bound, Gasco was in the pit beside the injured man. The next minute he had climbed back to the boards, with the victim in his arms. After setting him in a chair, Gasco threw himself on his knees and began a long entreaty for forgiveness. This was rapidly granted by the much enraptured playgoer, who on his side begged to be allowed to return to his seat. But this was not to be until Gasco, weeping copiously, had bestowed no fewer than fifty resounding kisses on the man's forehead and cheeks. The action was greeted with loud cheers, and after Gasco had gracefully bowed his thanks the play was resumed and successfully concluded.

**Anti-Speeding Action in New York**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Aroused by a peculiarly atrocious instance of disregard of human life by a chauffeur the police commission has issued a call for a mass meeting to urge executive action. Allice Mober was struck down by a touring car and when the driver found her body clogged the wheels, he stopped to jolt the machine free and then made off at high speed. In his statement, Commissioner Baker says it is time for a radical change in the law regarding speeding. It is time for citizens of New York to hold a mass meeting and protest to the legislature against this slaughter. We arrest a chauffeur and he is fined \$10, which he pays with a laugh, and goes out and does it again."

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**STANDARD OIL APPEAL**  
Wm. Rockefeller Says Company is Anxious for Final Interpretation of Sherman Act

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Wm. Rockefeller, vice-president and a director of the Standard Oil company, gives a different color to the appeal which Mortimer Elliott, the company's general solicitor, has announced to be taken from the decree of the United States circuit court.

Mr. Rockefeller said legal affairs of the company would continue to remain in the hands of its legal department, but as a layman he wished to indicate that his own attitude and that of his associates had its share of altruism.

"It seems to me desirable," he said, "not only for my own interests and those of my associates, but for the people at large and for all other great business ventures, that the Sherman act should be finally settled beyond contention as interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States. Undoubtedly our case will be appealed, and for this reason:

"I am not a lawyer, and cannot discuss the decree of the court, but Mr. Elliott has stated in an appeal will be taken and the matter is entirely in the hands of counsel for the company.

"In this connection I want to say as an associate, however, as the case eventuates there will be no unwillingness to comply fully not only with the law, but with the spirit of the Supreme court."

**FLOOD DANGER IN WASHINGTON PAST**  
Considerable Damage to Railroad—Some Sixteen Cascades—Cutting of Timber Facilitates Floods

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 25.—The weather yesterday was clear and cool. The change from the warm weather of Monday which melted the snow on the mountains and gorged the streams will soon bring the rivers to their normal stage. The rain-fall here on Monday was less than a quarter of an inch but the temperature was unseasonably high. Except to the railroads the damage in Puget Sound country by the storm has not been heavy. The Great Northern is sending all its trains to and from eastern Washington over the Northern Pacific.

The Great Northern line may be tied up for two weeks by numerous wash-outs and slides. The Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound suffered a few slides in the Cascades, but they were speedily cleared and the line is now open.

Floods come more suddenly now than in former years, the removal of the forest cover on the hills permitting the rain and snow to find their way into the watercourse more speedily than when the trees were standing.

**Fatal Japanese Mine Accident**  
TOYOYO, Nov. 25.—Heavy loss of life is feared as the result of an explosion today in a coal mine at Yura, Furoka province. Fifteen men are known to have perished while 238 others were injured. The mine is operated by the Japanese.

**Eastern Publisher Sentenced**  
ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 25.—Judge White yesterday sentenced C. Bruce McDougall of Moncton, the publisher of Free Speech, to eleven months imprisonment for defamatory libel. The sentence includes the three months already served.

**DECLARES ZELAYA INSULTS AMERICANS**  
Commercial Traveller Returned From Corinto Tells of Unhappy Conditions in Nicaragua

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 25.—A telegram from Panama today says that Edgar S. Harris, Columbus, Ohio, an American commercial traveller who has been touring Central America, declared that several Americans are in jail at Managua and other places in Nicaragua, having been arrested on an order from Zelaya.

Every American in business in Nicaragua who refused to contribute to the war fund levied by Zelaya was arrested and thrown into prison, Harris says. A few of the Americans arrested bought their way out of jail by paying the price demanded, but a number are still held in communication. Harris says it is unsafe for Americans to appear in the section of Nicaragua controlled by Zelaya. He was himself arrested and held incommunicado in Corinto and left the place on the first available steamer.

**THUG STOPS MAN ON SAD MISSION**  
Holds Up Son Hurrying to Sister With News of Mother's Death and Blames Him With Knife

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 25.—As Kerton Thomas left his home yesterday to inform his sister, living near by, of the death of his mother, which had just occurred, he was stopped by a foot-pat. Thomas explained the nature of his errand and asked to be allowed to proceed. He was subjected to a long and insulting tirade when Thomas resisted, the foot-pat slashed him with a sharp knife, severely injuring the arteries in his wrist. The man then fled. Thomas walked to the emergency hospital, where the cuts were dressed.

**WOMAN SUICIDES**  
Playwright Who Bought Fame Found Only Fate—Heart-Broken and in Want She Ends It

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 24.—Grace Hubbard, whose ambition was to add to the world's laughter as a writer of comedies, died yesterday. She had been heart-broken over the alleged theft of her most elaborate sketch by a theatrical manager who committed suicide yesterday. Her body was found early today in a bare flat in an apartment building. The janitor said Mrs. Hubbard had told him of the loss of her sketch.

**SUFFRAGETTES GIVEN DESERVED SENTENCES**  
Seven Months and Three Months Respected For Women Who Threw Acid at Bernadotte Elections

LONDON, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Alice Chapman, the militant suffragette, who injured a polling clerk at the Bernadotte bye-election, when she smashed a bottle containing corrosive