

# Barrington Review.

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Brigadier General A. W. Greely has been detailed as one of the representatives of the War department at the eighth international geographic congress in Washington.

John Hubben committed suicide, by hanging himself in his barn at Carthage, Ill.

John Sweeney, an old soldier, was killed by a Chicagoan in the DuSable & Quincy train near Augusta, Ill.

The Ohio rural mail carriers' convention at Newark adjourned to meet next year at Columbus. Fifty delegates were present.

Attorney Charles W. Knight of Delaware, O., suffered an attack of epilepsy while in bathing at Cedar Point, O., and was drowned.

W. I. Etna was held at St. Paul, Minn., on the charge of stealing Southern Pacific railroad bonds valued at \$5,000 from the estate of the late W. A. Egan.

Nathan Spencer was arrested at Zanesville, O., charged with murdering William G. Tanner, an aged book agent. Tanner's body was found in a corn field.

Rhoades Stansbery Sutton of Allegheny, Pa., began suit in New York against A. Hartup McKeen for \$100,000 lost in Colorado Pool on alleged false information.

The camps of Dr. E. L. Holt, in Seligman, and Stanley Mortimer, on the upper Saranac Lake in the Adirondacks, were ransacked by robbers Sunday afternoon and about \$12,000 worth of jewelry and clothing removed.

Mrs. Nathaniel Trayer, wife of a prominent Boston merchant, was to start a trip of 200 miles by a special train from Newport to Rockland, Me., to the deathbed of her mother, Mrs. Paul Severo, widow of a grandson of the revolutionary hero.

Secretary of State House filed at Madison, Wis., Monday his answer to the complaint in the suit brought by the "Walrus" wing of the Republican party to compel him to place the Cook ticket in the Republican column on the official ballot. The case will come before the state supreme court Sept. 15.

Josef Redlich and Vladimir Redlich, Austrian delegates, and J. A. A. Mutters, M. Deras and E. A. Van Sandrich, Dutch delegates to the St. Louis exposition, have arrived at New York.

Postmaster General Payne left Milwaukee for Washington. He said his rest improved his health considerably.

Gen. Ballington Booth and Mrs. Booth of the Volunteers of America will sail from Liverpool for New York Aug. 31.

Both the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific Railway companies announce that trains on their lines from California and Arizona are again moving both ways.

Fire at Hartsville, Tenn., destroyed the courthouse, Allen's hotel and much other property. Loss, \$60,000.

The twelfth annual reunion of Clay county old soldiers was held in Louisville, Ill. Seven thousand were attended.

The first of the vessels composing the midshipmen's practice cruise fleet to reach Annapolis on the return trip was the Arkansas.

An explosion of gas in an iron furnace of the La Follette, Tenn., killed one and fatally injured another.

The American Mining congress in Portland, Oregon, re-elected Judge J. H. Richards of Idaho president, and adjourned to meet next year in El Paso, Texas.

George R. Beach, a lawyer of Jersey City, has been appointed receiver of the International Mercantile Agency of New York city.

The Reading company posted notices that employees in the locomotive and car shops will work eight hours a day and five days a week.

The furniture factory controlled by the Canada Furniture Syndicate at Waterloo, Ont., was completely destroyed by fire; loss, \$125,000.

A proposition to join the National Medical association was voted down by the Missouri Valley Medical society at Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Forest fires have destroyed the stamp mill of the Great Britain and all of the improvements at the Whistler mine in the Slate Creek, Wash., district.

Minister Thomas reports from Stockholm, Sweden, that at the State department's request he presented to Dr. Sven Von Hedin the American Geographical society's gold medal.

Miss Gaskin for the first time in nine years took part in the Wagnerian festival in "The Flying Dutchman" at New York.

Rear Admiral Chadwick and other officers of the South Atlantic squadron arrived at Johannesburg, South Africa, as the guest of Lord Milner.

The Y. M. C. A. is taking steps to form branches in the Panama canal zone.

Several thousand miners in southern Indiana quit work on the false report of the death of John Dooye, their state president.

**LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS**

Chicago—No. 2. **WHEAT.**  
Liverpool-American, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
London-No. 1, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Kansas City-No. 1 hard, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Louis-No. 2, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Kansas City-No. 1, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Milwaukee-No. 1 northern, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.

Chicago—No. 2. **CORN.**  
Chicago-American mixed, in 3s, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
New York-No. 2, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Louis-No. 2, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Kansas City-No. 1 mixed, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.  
Peoria-No. 1, 1 1/2 bid, 1 1/4 asked.

Chicago—No. 2. **CATTLE.**  
St. Louis-11 1/2 bid, 11 1/4 asked.  
Chicago-11 1/2 bid, 11 1/4 asked.  
St. Paul-11 1/2 bid, 11 1/4 asked.  
Kansas City-11 1/2 bid, 11 1/4 asked.  
Omaha-11 1/2 bid, 11 1/4 asked.  
St. Joseph-11 1/2 bid, 11 1/4 asked.

Chicago—No. 2. **HOGS.**  
Chicago-14 1/2 bid, 14 1/4 asked.  
St. Louis-14 1/2 bid, 14 1/4 asked.  
Kansas City-14 1/2 bid, 14 1/4 asked.  
Omaha-14 1/2 bid, 14 1/4 asked.  
St. Joseph-14 1/2 bid, 14 1/4 asked.

Chicago—No. 2. **SHEEP AND LAMBS.**  
Chicago-2 1/2 bid, 2 1/4 asked.  
St. Louis-2 1/2 bid, 2 1/4 asked.  
Kansas City-2 1/2 bid, 2 1/4 asked.  
Omaha-2 1/2 bid, 2 1/4 asked.  
St. Joseph-2 1/2 bid, 2 1/4 asked.

**SPONSOR FOR LOUISIANA.**

Miss Juanita Lallande, who christened the battleship Louisiana, is one of the belles of New Orleans society. Her beauty is of the Juvenonesque type and is remarked wherever she appears.

**NOTED THIEF BREAKS JAIL**

Eddie Fay, "King of Burglars," Escapes From Cell at Jansenville.

**OUTSIDERS HELP PRISONER**

Saw Through Heavy Bars to Release Him, and Then Take Him Down Rock River in a Boat—Anger Post at Officials.

Chicago, Ill., special.—Fulfilling his boast that he never would go to trial for the robbery of the Superior (Wis.) postoffice last winter, Eddie Fay, termed by the postoffice officials the "king of burglars," and who was suspected of having planned the \$74,000 robbery of the Chicago postoffice three years ago, has escaped from the Jansenville (Wis.) jail. He made his escape Thursday night, presumably through the aid of a confederate in the crime, Edward Fabsy, who also escaped. Charles Dennis, convicted of the same robbery, is serving a five-year term in the Federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

**Says He Gave Warning**

New of the escape of Fay came as a thunderbolt to Chief Inspector Stuart of the Chicago postoffice, who effected the arrest of Fay last April. The information came to Col. Stuart from the following telegram from United States District Attorney Wheeler at Jansenville:

"Eddie Fay broke jail last night. Jail saw into from the outside and cell opened."

Replying, Mr. Stuart sent this message:

"Warning was given by this office to Wisconsin officials that escape would be effected unless extreme precautions were taken. Someone should have been punished. This was shameful and discouraging to those who have worked so long and so heroically to bring this king of burglars to justice."

Fay is Clever Thief.

"This telegram," said Inspector Stuart, "indicates pretty well my feelings in the matter. Fay is one of the cleverest postoffice thieves we ever had to contend with. Not only is there a strong chain of evidence connecting him with the \$125,000 robbery of the Superior postoffice last winter, but there are indications that it was he who engineered the \$74,000 robbery of the Chicago postoffice three years ago. He is believed to have planned or perpetrated numerous other robberies of a like nature in various parts of the country. We have a list of offices which we believe he had planned to rob. We are satisfied he is a man of desperate and cunning hand of thieves. The chain of evidence we were prepared to present against him for robbery of the Superior office was so strong that he could not have escaped punishment. That is why he made his escape, being satisfied that he would be convicted and sent up for a long term."

"As to our plans for apprehending the man, we shall lie low for a time. It may be he is making his way to Europe, where he has made some time."

The deplorable part of the affair is that the man had not been placed on trial. He was arrested and arraigned with Dennis and Fabsy, but was sent to jail at Madison, Wis.; Dennis was convicted and sentenced, and Fay secured a postponement of his trial to the September term of court. Had he been tried and convicted the case would assume a different phase. It is not so hard to handle an escaped convict.

**BREAKS SKULL OF HIS RIVAL**

George Woods injures Fred Putz in Quarrel Over Comeliness.

Chicago special: In a quarrel over their comparative handsomeness Fred Putz, 41 years old, 74 Bowler street, Chicago, last night cracked the head of George Woods, 27 1/2 and Halsted streets. Putz was taken to the county hospital, where the attending physician said his skull had been fractured. His assailant was arrested and locked up at the Desplaines street police station.



**HOLDS WOMAN WAS NOT WIFE OF GABE BOUCK**

Oakbrook Judge Decides Against Mary Wadleigh, Who Claims Estate of Wisconsin Lawyer.

Oakbrook, Wis., dispatch.—Judge C. D. Cleveland handed down his decision in the application of Mary Wadleigh to be declared the widow of Gabe Bouck, in the probate court Friday morning. He holds that the evidence fails to show that there was such a relation existing between them, and that no claim was ever made of such contract for forty-three years, during which time both lived in the same community.

The case may be appealed to the supreme court, and there is time to get it there before the September term.

Mr. Bouck's estate is estimated at about \$50,000, and Mary Wadleigh contests the will, claiming she was a common law wife.

**JEFFRIES IS STILL CHAMPION**

Referee Graney Stops Fight in Second Round to Save Munroe's Life.

San Francisco dispatch: At McChesney pavilion Friday night Jack Munroe, the Butte miner, went down and out in the first half of the second round of his fight with Champion James J. Jeffries.

Munroe performed like a tyro and his showing was a great disappointment to the crowd, which vented its displeasure over the farcical affair by loudly hissing Munroe when he retreated against the decision which had been given against him.

The two giants had not been in the ring two minutes when it was seen that the champion of Munroe would be quickly disposed of. The miner was scared and awkward, and Jeffries in the first round had him twice on his back.

Referee Graney said after the fight: "I stopped the fight because Munroe would have been killed if allowed to get up. I motioned to McCoy to stop the fight, but Munroe was knocked down before the kid had time to act, and I did the only thing possible under the circumstances."

**MUST NOT SEARCH POCKETS**

Judge Reprimands Woman Who Was Too Free With Husband's Clothes.

Cincinnati, O., special: Wives who are in the habit of searching their husband's pockets after they have gone to sleep were warned by Judge Dunlop, who had before him Mrs. Julia White on last Monday. Mrs. White, who has accused her husband of giving up his teaching, but who returned the watch, with a warning not to search her husband's pockets in the future. As a result of the charge of the watch she has separated from her husband.

**ARE INSANE OVER WITCHCRAFT**

Man and Wife Follow Hearsay and Are Committed to an Asylum.

Sheboygan, Wis., special: Carl Hamann and his wife, Minnie, each about 50 years old, were committed to the Green Hills insane asylum because each believed the other was bewitched. Mr. and Mrs. Hamann both were disciples of a Spiritualist teacher, but went apart in their views as to witchcraft. When their cherry crop was ripe they refused to eat them because they believed them bewitched. Later they decided the evil spirits had got into their cattle and nearly starved them.

**TORTURES A CHILD TO DEATH**

Small Boy Hung Head Downward in Cistern Dies From Injury.

Peoria, Ill., special: The death of Charles Ross, aged 5 years, in Peoria, Ill., was a weak Philadelphia coroner. It is said that a man named Adolph Stieve took the little fellow a few days ago and hung him head downward in a cistern, leaving him in that position several minutes. Before doing this he is said to have kicked him in the stomach. The lad was unconscious when taken from the cistern and died several hours later. Stieve has not yet been found by the authorities and is said to be in hiding.

**RICH BOY AS HOMELESS WAIF**

After Being Kidnaped He Is Found in Reform School.

Louisville, Ky., dispatch: Ernest Olegg, a 19-year-old boy, supposed to be a wealthy Philadelphia banker's son, was found in the reform school here after having served eight months as a homeless waif. The boy says that last November he was kidnaped by two blind mendicants, a man and a woman, who brought him here. He was rescued from the couple while they were beating him on the head with a brick. His parents have sent funds for his return.

**TRAINS IN CRASH ON A CURVE**

Several Passengers Injured in Wreck on B. & O. Near Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., special: In a head-on collision on Sunday afternoon four persons were severely hurt and ten or twelve sustained minor injuries. The trains came together at Beck's run on a curve in the branch line. The engine and the passenger cars were overturned and the passenger cars were wrecked. The passengers were brought to Pittsburg.

# RUSSIANS ARE DRIVEN BACK

**Report That Kouroupatkin's Army Is Retiring in Confusion Before the Overwhelming Forces of the Japanese.**

London, Aug. 29.—Kouroupatkin, defeated and driven back into Liaoyang, is making a last desperate stand against the overwhelming force of Kuroki and Oku.

Saturday, after furious bayonet to bayonet fighting, the Russians were driven back from Antung on the southeast and Anshanhuan on the southwest.

Kouroupatkin, reporting his defeat to the czar, says he does not know what his losses are. On his east front alone in Saturday's battle, he says, more than 1,500 of his men were killed or wounded.

Dispatches received at Tokio from the front declare that Kuroki has seized the railroad between Liaoyang and Mukden and destroyed a bridge. This is not officially confirmed.

With the Japanese astride the railroad north of Liaoyang, Kouroupatkin's retreat to Mukden is cut off. He cannot move his men and supplies by rail. Great armies are pressing in on him from the northeast, the east and the south.

Gen. Kouroupatkin reports that the fighting began early on Wednesday morning. The Japanese advancing first by battalions, then by brigades, finally by divisions.

The official reports show small Russian successes in the Japanese advance, but Gen. Kouroupatkin leaves the war office in suspense by closing his report at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening:

Half a Million Men in Battle on Liaoyang Plain.

London, Aug. 31.—Half a million men battled on the great plain of Liaoyang from dawn to darkness yesterday.

Oku and Kuroki, with 540,000 men, pounded the Russian center and left, while Nodun, with 40,000 to 60,000 men, pressed steadily from the west. Opposing them Kouroupatkin, with 200,000 men, fought stubbornly, hand to hand, bayonet to bayonet, to protect his front and to guard his flanks from the desperate charges of the mikado's men.

The jag lines now practically encircle the main Russian army under Kouroupatkin, centering on Liaoyang. A portion of Kuroki's army has gained a point northeast of Mukden and is advancing on that base. Gunboats drawing torpedo-laden barges are proceeding up the Liao River from Kow Chwang. Ammunition and food are being transported via this stream.

Not in the history of a century of war have so many men and so many guns been engaged in a death grapple for the safeguarding of defeat of the plans of empire.

Sedan, Gravello, Schlipka pass. Wars were tremendous battles, but were fought with fewer men and fewer guns.

The result of the battle is in doubt. For it is not over and may continue for several days.

A dispatch to Berlin from the front declares that after ten hours of battle the Japanese with two divisions succeeded in turning the Russian flank and in reaching a position to strike the railroad and cut off Kouroupatkin's retreat from Mukden.

Petersburg has a dispatch from Mukden asserting that the attempt to turn the Russian flank failed.

The latest official news is contained in a dispatch from Antung which was sent from Liaoyang at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Although the French and German rumors that the Japanese have outflanked Kouroupatkin to the north do not come from good sources, pro-Japanese critics here are inclined to believe them, pointing out that no doubt Gen. Kuroki forced a passage of the Taichow river at Panshin, thereby opening the way to a movement north of Liaoyang.

Russian General in Tight Quarters on Liaoyang Plain.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 30.—Kouroupatkin with his great army of 170,000 men is at bay at Liaoyang. After another six army corps have been pounded, shattered, flanked and defeated.

He lost nearly 4,000 men in the fighting on his east and south fronts on Friday last Saturday. His retreat cost him a thousand more.

Gen. Rontkovsky, Col. von Raaben and many of his officers have been killed from his entire army.

To-day practically his entire army, driven from all sides, is on the great plain of Liaoyang awaiting the shock of the Russian left flank. The day of the battle that may decide the campaign is as far as this season's fighting is concerned.

Japanese Division Said to Have Turned Russian Flank.

Berlin, Aug. 31.—A Liaoyang dispatch to Die Post says that after ten hours' fighting two Japanese divisions turned the Russian left flank. They reached a position between Liaoyang and Mukden, threatening Russian communication and the retreat of Gen. Kouroupatkin's troops.

Canadian Tobacco.

To manufacture tobacco grown in Canada, a factory is about to be opened in Winnipeg. Experts say that the Canadian tobacco is hardly distinguishable from the Havana product.

