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Picked Companies Formed to Suppress Outbreaks Among Soldiers.

London, Oct. 24. — Special companies of picked troops have been formed to suppress outbreaks among German soldiers recently sent to the West front, according to information received here to-day.

Many of these new drafts are reported to have mutinied and in some instances to have murdered their officers. The situation is said to have become so serious that the special units are necessary to maintain order.

STAMFORD WHITE DEAD.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—A. Stamford

White, President of the Chicago Board of Trade, died to-day of pneumonia, superinduced by Spanish in-

fluenza. Mr. White was responsible for the recently-adopted custom of halting trading at noon for a min-

ute of silent prayer for victory in the war. He was 67 years old and had been ill three weeks.

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