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FROM VERY JAWS OF HUNGRY DEATH THEY WERE SAVED

Four Survivors of 15 Sailors Who Escaped From Burning Columbian Picked Up by U. S. Revenue Cutter Seneca.

THIRTEEN DAYS ADRIFT ALMOST WITHOUT FOOD

Day by Day, Death Preyed on the Fifteen Sailors Until Eleven Were Gone—Then the Seneca Appeared and Rescued the Remaining Four.

Boston, May 17.—Four survivors of a boat load of fifteen who escaped in the third boat of the freight steamer Columbian, burned at sea May 3, were picked up today by the United States revenue cutter Seneca forty miles south of Sable Island, according to a dispatch received here from the cutter tonight.

Chewed Boot Leather.

When their short allowance of biscuit and water had failed the men maintained life by chewing boot leather and the few stray crumbs of hardtack. Rainwater served them when their water-cask went dry. The first two days after drifting away from the Columbian they saw three steamers, too far away to be signaled.

The dispatch from Captain Johnston, of the Seneca, follows:

"Ten a. m., forty miles south of Sable Island, rescued four men from Officer Reed's Twin Sailors Oscar Kendal, Peter Beisegar, Fireman Michael Ludwigsen, surviving men fifteen. Other George Hull died Sunday, Peter Trial today; others between—all died of exposure and hunger. Short allowances, biscuit and water. Eating biscuit crumbs and boot leather when rainwater gave. Saw three steamers first two days; none since. Much rain. Fine ship. All under doctor; doing well.

"JOHNSTON."

Thirteen Days of Horror.

Halifax, N. S., May 17.—After thirteen days of terrible suffering in an open boat, four survivors of the burning steamer Columbian were picked up in the north Atlantic by the United States revenue cutter Seneca today.

Eleven of the boat's crew, which left the Columbian when she was burned south of Sable Island, May 3, had succumbed to injuries or exposure and their bodies had been thrown overboard. The death roll of the lost freighter now stands at fifteen.

Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Cunard liner Franconia and the steamer Manhattan after two days of exposure. They were snatched from death by the Seneca today were the first officer, whose name was not given in the radio dispatch from that vessel; Seamen Robert Tiers, Oscar Kendal and Peter Bisenger, and Fireman Michael Ludwigsen. The Seneca reported that she expected to reach Halifax tomorrow morning.

Endured Hardships.

The survivors had lived on a few ship's biscuits and a cask of water, which long since had been exhausted. They gave some idea of the limit of human endurance. Hope for this missing third boat had been abandoned after a dozen steam-launches hunted searched for five weeks a wide radius of the spot where the Columbian burnt into flames. The searching men had declared it impossible that a small boat could pass through the series of gales that since have swept the north Atlantic, and that the boat has drifted and the news that the Seneca had picked up survivors was received almost incredulously here.

Although the survivors were too weak from their suffering to tell their story completely, the revenue cutter's officers gathered that some of the fifteen who had hastily piled into the third boat had been so badly burned that they died within the first few days. It was decided to lighten the boat by casting the bodies overboard.

Drowned Day by Day.

Some who had stumbled down their bunks at the first explosion and had rushed on deck half clothed succumbed to the cold; others weakened by hunger and thirst gradually sank into nothingness that never aroused them to distinguish from death. Somehow the survivors managed to keep the boat afloat on the wild waters, though it became rough, but for the past few days little or no effort could be made against the gradual drift. Day by day number dwindled until the five who were left, sank limply to the bottom of the boat and awaited the end.

When the lookout of the Seneca, cruising for the Halifax ice patrol, sighted the small boat through his glasses not a sign of life was seen. The Seneca put on speed and racing to the lifeboat, sent her gig alongside. The emaciated survivors were quickly transferred to the deck of the cutter and brandy forced down the parched lips.

As all the men were in apparent need of hospital attention, the Seneca was ordered under forced draft to Halifax, the nearest port. The Seneca will reach here some time tomorrow.

THREE PERSONS KILLED, THREE FATALLY HURT

Indianapolis, Ind., May 17.—Three members of one family were killed, three others probably fatally injured and one seriously hurt at Benjamin Harrison, near here, today when an Indiana Union traction car struck an automobile.

Thomas O. Stout, his son Claude, and his son-in-law, J. C. Shafer, were killed. Mrs. Claude Stout, her son Kenneth, and William Stout, a brother of Thomas, probably were fatally injured, and Mrs. Thomas Stout was seriously hurt. Thomas Stout was driving the automobile. He was a wall-to-do real estate man.

"Fighting Fred's" Troops on Way to Outposts



FUNSTON'S SOLDIERS BOARDING FREIGHT TRAIN FOR VERA CRUZ OUTPOSTS.

Some of Brigadier General Funston's soldiers are seen boarding a freight train to be taken to the outposts of Vera Cruz. In this manner the regulars were transported to the waterworks and other points several miles outside the city to reinforce the marines.

PROBE BEGINS TODAY OF PERJURY CHARGES

Judge Hill Expected to Charge Grand Jury to Make a Thorough Investigation.

When Judge Ben Hill, of the criminal division of Fulton superior court, this morning charges the new grand jury it is understood that he will deliver specific instructions upon the perjury charges that have been preferred by Solicitor Dorsey against certain witnesses in the Frank case, and that the matter will be considered by the grand jury will be those cases.

The charges will be presented before the grand jury by Solicitor Dorsey and his assistant, A. H. Stephens. The material evidence with which to sustain the charges made by witnesses repudiating their testimony, some of which also consist of counter repudiations.

About the middle of the week it is expected that the Ragsdale matter will be brought to the attention of the grand jury.

Meanwhile Solicitor Dorsey is busy with his argument to meet the motion of John L. Tye to set aside the verdict in the Frank case on account of the absence of the plaintiff at the time of its pronouncement. This motion is set for hearing before Judge Hill on Wednesday.

Solicitor Dorsey stated Sunday that he is striving to have his side of the case ready by that date. As to whether he will actually have it ready he was not prepared to say.

VICTIM OF VERA CRUZ BURIED IN VIRGINIA

Roanoke, Va., May 17.—The funeral of William Henry Pulliam, the first-class fireman of the United States battleship Utah who was wounded in the fighting at Vera Cruz and subsequently died, was held at Pulaski, Va., today.

Five thousand people attended the services, which were conducted by the Rev. J. Heidinger, a veteran of General Jackson's brigade in the confederate army. Among the numerous floral offerings was one from President Wilson.

Pallbearers were selected from various militia companies. The body was carried to the cemetery on a flag-draped caisson, drawn by four black horses, and after having on its sides the letters, "U. S. A."

The body of the dead sailor arrived here Friday and laid in state at the county courthouse, watched over by a guard of honor from the local militia company.

Five Persons Drowned.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 17.—A pleasure launch capsized in the Mississippi river here today and five of the nine persons in it were drowned. They were:

Mrs. Otto Justmann and her two children, and two children of John C. Brickels.

Brickels, his wife, one child and Fred Weber were saved.

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FOUR TIMES DEATH ENTERS ONE FAMILY WITHIN TWO MONTHS

Joseph Smith, prominent woolen goods manufacturer of Providence, R. I., died last night at 7 o'clock at the home of his niece, Mrs. C. Westerman, at 520 Central avenue. He was on his way home from a trip to Florida.

Mr. Smith was 74 years old. He had three sisters and a brother. One sister, aged 78 years, died two weeks ago; the other sister, aged 69 years, died four weeks ago; his brother, aged 76 years, died two months ago.

He was a member of the G. A. R., and the Sons of Saint George. Surviving him are his niece and one daughter, Miss Peter Smith, of Providence. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

BRITISH SEA LORD LOOPED THE LOOP SIX TIMES IN AIR

London, May 17.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, today looped the loop six times over Sheerness harbor in a monoplane driven by Gustave Hamel, the English aviator.

RECOUNT OF VOTES TO BEGIN TUESDAY

Candidates Will Be Allowed in the Room Merely as Spectators.

Under a resolution approved by the Fulton County Democratic Executive committee, the sub-committees composed of Albert S. Thomson, chairman; J. O. Cochran, secretary, and George M. Hope and Albert Howell, will begin a recount of all the ballots cast for T. J. Hightower, Jr., and Charles G. Turner for county commissioners, in the recent election.

The committee will begin the count at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, and will examine the ballots cast in every voting precinct in the entire county. Under rules adopted by the sub-committee, the candidates will have no active part in the count and will be allowed in the room merely as spectators.

Chairman Thomson stated yesterday that the sub-committee will make a most careful and painstaking count of the ballots.

The committee has adopted the following rules to govern the count:

"A recount of the ballots cast for Messrs. T. J. Hightower, Jr., and Charles G. Turner, in the race for county commissioner, in the primary of May 6, 1914, is hereby ordered to begin Tuesday morning, May 19, at 9 o'clock, in the committee room, fourth floor of the city hall.

"Ballots counted will be required to be in order numerically, to the extent ascertained primary.

"All ballots will first be counted by the subcommittee, and then checked and verified by the representatives of the contestants. These will be admitted to the room to include only the representatives of the contestants, three members of the sub-committee, the custodian of the city hall, who is also custodian of the ballot boxes, the managers from a particular precinct if they so desire, during the recount of that precinct, and the contestants.

"Contestants will not be allowed to handle any of the ballots, and shall refer only to any proceedings except in writing, which objections must be filed with the clerk given then and not at a later date.

"No one will be allowed to use the voters' lists except for the purpose of ascertaining the total number of votes cast in particular precinct.

"No one will be allowed to have pencils, pens, or erasers in his possession during the recount or pass the same to any one used after the recount of a particular precinct is completed, except such as may be received by each contestant in that precinct."

Daniels Goes to Charlotte.

Washington, May 17.—Secretary Daniels left tonight for Charlotte, N. C., and tomorrow morning will deliver an address on "The Scholar in Politics" at the commencement exercises of Davidson college, where President Wilson once was a student. In the evening he will speak at the graduating exercises of the Charlotte public school, and Tuesday night at the commencement exercises of the College of Charleston, S. C.

WOMEN TEACHERS TO GET INCREASES

School Board Will Be Urged to Make Necessary Changes in Time for the June Budget.

Following the adoption of the resolution increasing the pay of Atlanta's women school teachers by the general council, the school board will be urged at its next meeting to prepare the items in the budget that the increase can be met on January 1, 1915, in accordance with the resolution.

The measure was introduced in council by Alderman Jesse M. Armistead and Councilman A. D. Knight, and was adopted only because of the strenuous campaign waged by the authors since the first of the year. Council passed the resolution at the last regular meeting, and the aldermanic board approved it shortly afterwards.

Heretofore, the teachers in the Girls' high and the English Commercial high schools were required to start on the meager salary of $900 per annum, and after seven years' service the maximum pay reached the $1,200 mark. On the other hand, teachers in the Boys' high school started in on a salary of $1,400—considerably more than the women teachers received after seven years' service—and the maximum was fixed by the law at $1,800.

Under the Armistead-Knight resolution the teachers in the girls' schools will start in on the same scale of salary as the teachers in the Boys' high schools. Those who are not receiving $1,470 on January 1, 1915, will have their salaries increased to that amount, and the others will be increased on the basis of time served.

Councilman Knight has been at work since the first of the year securing support in all of the teachers, and when Mayor Woodward appointed Alderman Jesse Armistead as chairman of the school committee, the latter joined Councilman Knight in the campaign and drafted several measures. There was some difficulty in getting the measures adopted on account of the law and the rules of the school board.

Just Write Peachtree And Name of the City Doesn't Much Matter

And here is one of the newest evidences of how widely is spread the fame of Atlanta.

It apparently makes no difference where your letter is addressed so long as you mention Peachtree street, the principal business and residence thoroughfare of Atlanta.

Mrs. Louise Bigby Marsh, of Atlanta, has just received from Willesborne, Pa., a letter which was addressed to her, with the address given as "Peachtree street, New York city."

By right the letter should have gone to New York, but all the mail clerks who saw the letter knew that there is but one real, real Peachtree street, so straight to Atlanta came the letter, and was placed in the mails and soon and on time by Mrs. Marsh.

Returns to Atlanta To Enjoy Honeymoon With Tennessee Girl

It is not known that Guy Shriner chose a life partner while visiting Atlanta during the imperial council, but the story of the ballad and his bride will be told.

Shriner, returning home from the convention, met a girl here whom he married at once, he brought her to Atlanta, having gained the impression while here that this is the real place for a honeymoon.

The bride is Miss Bessie Clark, of Johnson City, Tenn., who was attending the Southern Baptist convention in Nashville at the time of their meeting. Rev. S. W. Kendrick, brother of the groom, officiated at the wedding. Rev. Kendrick accompanied them to Atlanta, as he is to engage in evangelical work for several weeks in this city.

The young couple are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Anderson at 196 Hoffman street.

BAPTIST CHURCHES BEGIN BIG REVIVAL SUNDAY MORNING

Fifty Evangelists and Workers From Every Part of the South Gather Here to Aid in the Work.

CENTRAL MEETING HELD AT BAPTIST TABERNACLE

"Awakening in Religious Matters Needed in Every City in America," Declares Dr. Weston Bruner.

What it is planned to make the greatest religious campaign which has ever been seen in Atlanta was begun Sunday. In every Baptist church in the city special revival services were begun simultaneously. Fifty evangelists and religious workers from all parts of the south have been gathered in Atlanta to aid in the religious awakening which is hoped for.

At each Baptist church in Atlanta Sunday morning the evangelist who has been assigned to that particular church was introduced to the congregation by the pastor, and preached the opening sermon of the campaign.

Congregations from each of the churches gathered at the Baptist tabernacle in the afternoon in the first of the central meetings to be held there to which the evangelists who will participate in the campaign in Atlanta were introduced to the combined churches of the city.

The plans for the campaign were outlined in a sermon by Rev. E. V. Lamb, of East St. Louis, who is connected with the evangelical department of the Baptist church. The meeting was presided over by Rev. Dr. Weston Bruner, who will direct the meetings.

This Is Atlanta's Time.

"Atlanta does not need a revival more than other cities throughout the country," said Dr. Bruner, "but there is not a city in America today which does not need awakening in religious matters. We believe that this is the appointed time for Atlanta."

From the text, "Salvation will appoint for walls and bulwarks," Mr. Lamb delivered a sermon in which he pointed out the need for the salvation of the cities of America, and the necessity for combined efforts to that end.

"The cities of America are the cruelest from which the country is governed. It is necessary to save the cities in order to save the country."

Mr. Lamb took the place of foreigners and countrymen who have come to town. Foreigners have brought to American preconceived notions about the church, too often the church has construed to mean license, and under which the tendency has been for the pendulum to swing too far."

As a result of this evil, Rev. Lamb pointed out the growing divorce evil, the white slave traffic and the evils of commercialism.

Law, according to Mr. Lamb, is not able to right these wrongs. "No control of demons will change their natures," said he. "Socialization, reform waves and the like have been proved insufficient to work the necessary change in the life of the American people of the cities. The Christian religion alone is able to work lasting good, and the cities must be saved by their inhabitants one by one."

Each Church a Center.

The purpose of those conducting the campaign is to feature each individual church so that it is a center of the religious life of the community.

According to Mr. Lamb, the individual work of Atlanta and her pastors during the campaign, so that when the campaign is over there shall still remain that individual church as an anchor to those who have been started on the right road by the campaign, and in this manner the good accomplished by the army of evangelists and religious workers for the next two weeks may be multiplied many times after the meets last.

The central meetings which will be held throughout the campaign will serve to keep the workers in touch with one another, and also serve to spread inspiration and strength from one to the other.

It is a duty that the church workers owe to God, to spend his money to the most advantage," said Mr. Lamb. "Hence the plan of campaign that has been adopted for Atlanta is the most efficient that can be devised, I believe, and has been adopted with care."

Special music for the services at the Tabernacle was furnished by the combined choirs, composed of Dr. Wade, first tenor; I. E. Reynolds, second tenor; E. S. Wooldridge, baritone, and J. F. Schofield, bass.

This quartet will be heard at the various services of the city during the campaign, and at the various street meetings and theater meetings which will be held.

Noted Singers Here.

Two other singers who have been brought to Atlanta are Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Schofield, of Louisville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Schofield sang a duet at the Tabernacle meeting. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boatman conducted the music. Mrs. Boatman, as organist, and Mr. Boatman as chorister.

A meeting of the colored Baptists of the city similar to the one at the Baptist tabernacle was held at the same time.

There are two more colored churches in the city than white churches, and they are co-operating with the whites in the campaign. Three colored evangelists have been brought to Atlanta to aid them in their efforts and were introduced to the Sunday afternoon.

The place for the meetings of the colored Baptists is the Wheat street church, which has been designated as

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UNITED STATES RESOLVED TO HAVE PEACE IN MEXICO; HUERTA'S END VERY NEAR

TAFT PESSIMISTIC ABOUT MEDIATION PREVENTING WAR

Former President Thinks, However, Offer of Mediation and Its Acceptance an Important Step for Future.

WILSON IS CRITICISED FOR AIDING THE REBELS

Taft Says There Is Little Popular Enthusiasm for War, but That Mexico Has Become an International Nuisance.

New York, May 17.—William H. Taft gave his views on the Mexican situation today in an address at the Free Synagogue's celebration of peace Sunday. While the former president expressed little hope that the pending mediation conference would accomplish its immediate purpose, he declared the offer of mediation and the United States' acceptance was an important step toward the future settlement of international difficulties in the western hemisphere.

No Popular Cry For War.

The former president asserted that there was no popular pressure for a military policy which the administration cannot resist. He said that the people were determined to do their duty, even should that duty involve war. But for war, he added, the people at present have little enthusiasm.

Mr. Taft criticised the Wilson administration for aid which, he said, the administration had given to the Mexican constitutionalists. "It is my judgment," he said, "that if, in our course toward Mexico during the past year, we had not exerted such direct influence upon the affairs of one of the contending parties, we should not now be so near general intervention and war."

In conclusion, Mr. Taft called on all Americans to aid the president in his efforts to find peace.

Mr. Taft took the place today of Secretary of State Bryan, whose duties at Washington prevented him from fulfilling an engagement to address the congregation on "International Peace."

Oscar Straus also spoke. He pointed out that the Russian-Japanese war was settled through mediation and that interference by an outside power in an international dispute was no longer regarded as an unfriendly act.

Mr. Taft's Speech.

Mr. Taft's speech follows in part:

"With our dreadnoughts and our other battleships assembled at Tampico, Vera Cruz and Mazatlan; with 5,0000 or more of the regular army in possession of a Mexican city and with 100,000 of our available force assembling at convenient strategic points for possible further invasion of Mexican territory, it may occur to some that it is not appropriate to have a peace Sunday or to hold a peace meeting. For those of us, however, who hope that we may not be involved in further war-like activity, or in actual war, there could be no time more fitting for an expression of that hope.

"This is not a time for wishing that the past had been otherwise, but it is a time for candor and for a clear understanding of the situation. With reference to the views of others, it is my judgment that if, in our course toward Mexico during the last year, we had not exerted such direct influence as we have, to aid one of the contending parties, we would not now be so near general intervention and war. Nor would we have been so responsible for law and order in Mexico to the world, as we are now likely to be if a new government comes into power through our influence. I do not for this reason can I or any one who agrees with me in this, fail to approve and applaud every honorable effort that our government can make and is making to avoid intervention and further conflict.

The Dilemma of Revolution.

"We said in substance in our earnest desire for peace and for a condition of no war, but an advocacy of peace that ignores conditions, that takes no note of what is practical is futile and ineffective. Threatened war between two states is a powerful movement toward the adoption of practical machinery for avoiding it between responsible governments. But what we have to contend with in Mexico, however, is the state of revolution. Eighty per cent of the people are ignorant and illiterate. They have suffered wrong and have struggled blindly with purpose more or less ill-defined, in a state of society which for almost 100 years has been constantly loosed. A three-year war has laid waste the country, destroyed its industry, and spread all the elements of lawless violence and all their inevitable train of destruction. It has, in fact, become an international nuisance.

"In such a case a neighboring nation may probably intervene and help the forces of law and order to end such anarchy just because it wishes to live in a quiet neighborhood, and not from a spirit of conquest and greed of territory. If we are to be involved in a war because of Mexican anarchy let

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President Wilson Wants the Mediators to Consider Pacification of Southern Republic Rather Than the Insult to American Flag by Huerta's Forces.

CARRANZA AND VILLA MAY BE ELIMINATED ALONG WITH HUERTA

There Is a Disposition Not to Trust Reins of Government to Any Man Who Has Gained Military Prominence—The United States Troops Will Remain at Vera Cruz Until a Stable Government Has Been Established.

Washington, May 17.—American delegates to the mediation conference at Niagara Falls realize that the Huerta administration is near its end, according to persons close to the Mexicans, who talked with them before they left here today for the conference. Knowing some one must succeed Huerta, the delegates are most concerned, it is said, about what guarantees can be obtained against possible confiscation of property by the constitutionalists.

What kind of a government will be established in Mexico City and protection against possible anarchy also are said to be troubling the delegates. They wish a government that will be stable and one that foreign powers will recognize, persons close to the Mexicans said.

It was learned that the delegates are extremely optimistic concerning the chances for mediation. They will insist, it was said, that no man who has gained military prominence shall take the reins of government which would eliminate Generals Villa and Carranza.

ADVANCE GUARD MOVES ON NIAGARA.

After a day of conference between the three delegates named by the Huerta government, the South American mediators and the American delegates, the advance guard in the Mexican mediation proceedings tonight was on its way to Niagara Falls for the conference to open there Wednesday. The entire Mexican party, including the three delegates, Senors Rabasa, Rodriguez and Elguero, with their wives, daughters and a large suite, left at 8 o'clock for New York, where they will remain until Tuesday before proceeding to Niagara Falls.

Two of the mediators also started for the conference, Minister Naon, of Argentine, leaving at 7 o'clock tonight direct for Niagara Falls, and Ambassador Da Gama, of Brazil, going by way of New York, where he will be joined by Madame Da Gama and proceed to the scene of the conference tomorrow night or Tuesday. Minister Suarez, of Chile, will leave Washington, and the American delegates, Justice Lamar and Frederick W. Lehman, with the American staff, will leave in time to reach Niagara Falls Tuesday night.

The twenty-four-hour stay of the Huerta delegates in Washington gave an opportunity for a thorough canvass of their plans and proposals. Their conference with the mediators last night lasted nearly two hours, and it is known that there was a discussion of the whole range of Mexican affairs. Also the meeting between Justice Lamar and Mr. Lehman and the three Mexican delegates, after the dinner at the Spanish embassy last night, while purely formal and social, gave opportunity for closer mutual exchanges than have been possible up to this time.

HUERTA DELEGATES CALL ON BRYAN.

Before the Mexican party left today, the three delegates drove to the home of Secretary Bryan and made a call of ceremony by leaving their cards. Mr. Bryan soon after returned the call by leaving his cards at the delegates' at their hotel. There was no meeting between the secretary of state and the Mexicans. Throughout it itself stay the Mexican delegates steadily refused to make a public statement regarding their mission and it was only indirectly through representative Mexicans with whom they talked while here that a general idea of their viewpoint was obtained.

Another military development of the day was a report from General Funston that the San Francisco bridge on the Tampico railroad, near Vera Cruz, had been destroyed. This confirmed previous reports from naval officers that the Constitutionalists were destroying along this route. The bridge, which spanned a ravine and the River Aspero, was of steel. Its destruction will not affect communication very

Weather Prophet

CLOUDY

Washington, May 17.—Forecast: Georgia—Cloudy Monday and Tuesday; probably local showers.

Virginia—Fair Monday and probably Tuesday.

North Carolina—Cloudy Monday and Tuesday.

South Carolina, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana—Cloudy Monday and Tuesday, probably local showers.

Tennessee—Cloudy Monday and Tuesday.

Mexico City, as the principal route is over the Mexican Central railroad.

General Funston also reported rumors that General Navarette, the federal commander, was in the vicinity of Vera Cruz with a force of 3,000 men. Army officers seriously doubt, however, that Navarette has so many troops.

Secretaries Garrison and Daniels spent several hours at their desks today, but both announced that no new orders had been issued. Secretary Daniels came twice to the navy department for consultation with his aides, but upon leaving late in the day to go south to fill a speaking engagement, said no reports had been received from any of his commanders in Mexican waters. Secretary Garrison was in conference with General Wotherspoon, chief of staff.

THEY REALIZE HUERTA IS FALLING.

The Mexican delegates today received newspaper men courteously but without breaking their rule of silence concerning their mission. The state department had engaged quarters for the delegates, but they courteously insisted that they must pay their own bills.

It was learned from quarters in close touch with the three Mexicans that they are decidedly optimistic concerning the chances for mediation. Mexicans and other persons who talked with them described their attitude as follows:

The Mexican delegates are said to realize that the present administration in Mexico City is fast crumbling, and that the choice of someone to succeed Huerta is inevitable.

But conceding the retirement of Huerta, the delegates are said to be most interested in the vital question of what is to follow; what guarantees are to be obtained against possible confiscation of property by the invading constitutionalists; protection against conditions of anarchy and what kind of a government that will be stable and will secure world-wide recognition can be set up.

Persons close to the delegates emphasized that the three men who represent the Huerta government at the mediation were not "Huertistas" or the representatives of any group of persons, but representative of the best interests of the people in the territory controlled by the Mexican federal government. Though theoretically the delegates are dealing with an international question—differences with the United States—privately they admit that before them actually is the problem of pacification of Mexico.

WILSON IS RESOLVED ON PEACE IN MEXICO.

Those close to President Wilson and Secretary Bryan said the question to be mediated no longer is the failure of Huerta to salute, or the offenses committed against the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of pacifying Mexico. Those who know the viewpoint of the Washington government best declared American troops will not be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a stable government is established or is in sight in Mexico City.

The Huerta delegates were much interested in their informal talks in what the probable attitude of the constitutionalists would be toward mediation. Persons close to Emilio Rabasa declared that when the time came for their answer to suggestions as to a successor for Huerta, they probably would insist that no man who had gained military prominence or was obtaining power by arbitrary force be set forth in President Wilson's Latin-American declaration[1] should be permitted to take the reins of government.

This would, in effect, eliminate Generals Carranza and Villa, but there are other men in the constitutionalist ranks who are looked on as of presidential caliber who would not be unacceptable to the Huerta faction. These, it has been stated, are men of the type of Luis Cabrera, prominent Mexican lawyer, close friend and counsellor of General Carranza, and a man who has the confidence of both the Washington administration in his indirect dealings with it for the constitutionalist cause. Cabrera, at present is en route to New York from Spain.

It was said today that some of the Mexican delegates believe the constitutionalists again will be asked to be parties to the mediation for that the influence of the American government will have to be exerted to gain their participation in any plan submitted by the mediators. The constitutionalists have insisted that they will not compromise. Whether the United States will accord recognition to the constitutionalists if they establish a government in Mexico City by force is the problem which some of the Mexican commissioners have told their friends will arise.

HUERTA MAY ASSASSINATE AMERICAN TROOPS.

Although General Huerta has sent the delegates here to mediate differences, and they know his viewpoint there is a possibility that it is admitted by representatives of all Mexican factions that Huerta may at any time may be provoked by the federal troops near Vera Cruz which may entangle the situation, and force another crisis. Huerta's strategic advantage pointed to by even some of his friends as a dangerous aspect of the situation, though they are watching closely now to mar the progress of mediation.

The chief suspicion expressed here by who think Huerta planned the offensive at Tampico and elsewhere, hoping, through American intervention, to unite all Mexico and suppress the constitutionalist cause.

In settling the Mexican question, the Mexican delegation, according to their friends, will not be guided by the personal ambitions of General Huerta, or any other man. The delegates are said to be men who will be influenced by the big interests of the Mexico City business men and others who fear an invading army would confiscate property and generally destroy the tranquil conditions.

They will insist it is said, on the selection of a man who will be able to guarantee all factions and interests in Mexico fair treatment and a lawful and constitutional government.

GUNS OF BATTLESHIPS LANDED AT VERA CRUZ

Vera Cruz, Mex., May 14.—(Via Galveston, May 17.)—With the excitement of the landing of Vera Cruz behind them the bluejackets of the thirty or more ships of the Atlantic fleet now at anchor off this port have settled again to the routine of ship life.

The field pieces of fifteen battleships have been landed and mounted on freight cars lined up near the artillery barracks on the water front. Today, in addition, a provisional regiment of bluejackets was formed. This arrangement is an emergency one agreed upon at a conference between Admiral Badger and General Funston. It is proposed to call on the bluejackets' artillery only in the event the artillery attack upon the city. The gun crews could be sent ashore in twenty minutes.

With the guns already on the cars the big battery of three-inch rapid-fire weapons, with their ample supply of shrapnel and shell, would be rushed to Tejar, the waterworks outpost, nine miles distant, or to any other portion of the line of defense, within an hour.

In the interval of ship work, the bluejackets are being drilled with small arms, handling, sighting and firing practice every day. Rifle and pistol target practice also has been taken up, the ships putting out to sea two at a time for firing. Targets are towed by other.

The motto of men and officers is "Be ready," and they are sparing no effort to live up to it. Since the engine room crews of the battleships engineer corps have been organized in many cases. The officers hope that if further hostilities occur in Mexico they will be given an opportunity to show what their men can do in running railroad engines, building bridges or any other engineering work that may be required.

AMERICANS COLLECT DUTIES AT VERA CRUZ

Vera Cruz, Mex., May 17.—The customs house reports show that 25,000 pesos ($12,500) in gold, was collected yesterday on inbound shipments, making a total of more than 100,000 pesos received since the occupation. Warehouses are jammed with goods which are consigned to interior points. It is estimated that the goods in storage amount in value to 1,000,000 pesos. They consist principally of mining machinery and general merchandise and liquors. No attempt has been made by interior merchants to get their goods through. Evidence of irregularities in the Mexican customs administration has been uncovered.

The postoffice is getting on a regular basis. A dozen Mexican carriers make deliveries throughout the city daily. Inspector Johnson, in charge of the postoffice, hopes to establish a regular mail exchange with Mexico City in a few days. Former Postmaster Mimos is at the capital endeavoring to complete arrangements.

Several hundred sacks of European mail destined for Mexico City are piled in the postoffice. Nearly 100 sacks have been delivered at the break in the Mexican railway line and the receipt of the federal officers taken.

that these had not been forwarded to the capital led to the suspension of further deliveries to the outposts until some definite arrangement was made. It was reported that some mail had been burned by federal soldiers but it is thought probable that only the newspapers were destroyed.

The American postmaster has asked Washington if he may be permitted to establish a postal savings bank. United States stamps are required on all outbound mail but Mexican and United States stamps are honored for Mexican addressed.

Misrepresenting the Governor.

(From The St. Peter Tribune.)

Notwithstanding the fact that Governor Eberhart has distinctly stated that he would sign no public utility bill that would take the city out of control of municipal plants from local control, yet there are some people who are continually misrepresenting the Governor's position on this point. Perhaps the only excuse that can be offered is that some of these editors have told the story so often that they actually believe it themselves.

A Mean Man.

(From The Louisville Courier-Journal.)

"I need a new hat," she confess,
Quoth wifey with a grin.
"I need some, too, and I suppose
Some shirtwaists that are in."

"I need a hat, that's very flat;
Of shoes I need a pair
I need a pajama suit, I assume
Some green imported hair."

He didn't try these things to buy,
Her husband mean and low.
He said that it would cheaper be
To purchase a divorce.

Getting Him the Other Way.

(From Brooklyn Life.)

Her Father—You have been paying attentions to my daughter. You haven't proposed yet?

His Lordship—Not yet, sir.

Her Father—Now it is come right down to business. What will you take not to propose?

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Snapshots of the Huerta Peace Delegates



1. LUIS ELGUERO. 2. EMILIO RABASA.

These pictures show two of the three Mexican mediators snapped as they left Vera Cruz for the A. B. C. conference at Niagara Falls, Canada. In the picture at the left Senor Luis Elguero, indicated by an arrow, is talking with a newspaper man as the party is walking on the dock to the Kronprinzessin Cecilie, bound for Halifax. In the picture at the right Senor Emilio Rabasa is seen leaning on the rail of the ship just before leaving Vera Cruz. Senor Augustin Rodriguez, aged seventy, the oldest of the mediators, kept himself aloof from the photographers at the start.

Two Aviators Killed.

Halberstadt, Prussian Saxony, May 17.—Lieutenants Wiegandt and Failing, aviators, were killed here last night. Their monoplane capsised and dropped 2,000 feet.

Vesuvius May Collapse.

Naples, May 17.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse, owing to recent activity of the volcano.

Rich Soils of First Importance in Making Good Crops.

(From The Progressive Farmer.)

If the friend who good naturedly chides us for underestimating the importance of carefully selected seed and of thorough preparation and good cultivation of the soil, in what he terms our "zeal in urging the improvement of our soils," will try the following experiment he will be convinced of the importance of a fertile soil, and will probably get our point of view.

Let him take two fields, one rich, producing an average of 10 bushels of corn per acre, and the other poor, producing an average of 10 bushels per acre. Let him plow and prepare the poor field the best he can, with the best team and the best implements possible to obtain. Let him put all the qualities of his mind into making brain into the selection of seed, the planting and cultivating of the crop on this poor acre.

In charge of the rich field let him put the most ignorant negro, with an ignorant wife, and nothing but a one-horse turning plow and a hoe with which to prepare and cultivate the crop. Also let this same ignorant negro go to the crib and get his seed corn from the nubbins left there by planting time and plat this seed in his own primitive way. When harvest time comes his poor field, with all his intelligence, his improved implements and his carefully selected seed, will not have produced more than one-half the crop of the rich or fertile field, although this fertile field has for the year been cultivated by the most primitive agricultural methods and by the most ignorant farmer in the world. We believe that the results will not be the same in each case. Why, then, should we not place a rich soil above everything else, for even then no compensation for all other desirable practices and methods combined? It is not that thorough preparation, choice seed and good cultivation are unimportant—they are tremendously important—but that all these things and all others desirable are not alone to make a poor soil grow a large crop. A rich soil, while it lasts, is proof against poor farming and bad seasons, while a poor soil means a poor crop regardless of seasons or how it is cultivated. These facts are reasons why we stress with all the force we can the importance of a rich soil; but incidentally there is another reason. Southern soils are rapidly, rapidly and cheaply improved, without the loss of a single money crop, for the fact that it is a shame to allow them to remain poor, when increased yields per acre mean so much.

Experience of a Homeseeker.

There's something here in Oregon
That I can't understand:
It attacks my constitution
And holds me to the land.

The boys who came out here before
Are happy, fat and free,
And I can't see why on earth
I'm still good enough for me.

My wife back in the east declares
I shall no longer roam,
But I've been long enough for me
Some green imported hair.

He didn't try these things to buy,
Her husband mean and low.
He said that it would cheaper be
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Skyscrapers Are Ancient.

(From The New York Tribune.)

The history of skyscrapers contrary to the belief of the general public, dates back to ancient Rome, where the tenement house had quite as many perils as it has today, according to the Construction News.

To prevent the number of such houses in ancient Rome, and so badly were they constructed that in A. D. 49 Emperor Otho, when remedying against the fires, found it necessary for twenty miles by the ruins of Rome to have undermined by inundation.

The spontaneous collapse of tenement houses at that time was so frequent an occurrence that it cause but little excitement. Tenants were constantly fearing cremation or burial in their homes and consequently seized for the purpose of propping up and sustaining buildings.

Emperor Augustus limited the height of new buildings that opened upon the streets to about 65 feet. In order to make less frequent such disasters. Martial alludes to a poor man, a neighbor, who was obliged to mount 200 steps to reach his garret.

Democracy.

(From Life.)

I love the humble toiler,
The pro-le-ta-ri-an.
And I will fight his spoiler
As fiercely as I can:
A rebel is he in labor,
The worker is to me
A brother and a neighbor
In true fraternity.
Yet, comrade though he be of mine
I don't invite him out to dine.

The weary and downtrodden
I'm ready to defend;
The sons whom toil are sodden
To me will find a friend;
The hopeless and weary
Who suffer want and care,
Whose every day is dreary—
I share in their despair.
I try to render them assistance,
But keep them at a proper distance.

I think all men are brothers:
It saddens me that fate
Gave some above the others
And causes woe and hate:
I love the poor and rich man,
The lowly and the high,
The sweating, dirking ditchman
Is just as good as I.
I'm not familiar with him, though,
For one must draw the line you know!

Drawing a Bead.

(From Judge.)

"Did you follow the thread of her discourse?"

"No, I soon saw that she just wanted to string me."

LAITY RIGHTS SOUGHT BY METHODIST WOMEN

Matter Before General Conference This Week—Effort to Reconsider Action.

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 17.—Proposals for the granting of laity rights to women; division of the church into episcopal districts; creation of separate women and men's missionary boards and for a enlarged Sunday school board will probably be disposed of during this week by the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south; meeting in quadrennial session here.

It is also probable that an effort will be made to secure reconsideration of the Vanderbilt matter, disposed of yesterday by the adoption of a majority report covering the proposition provided for the return of whatever rights the church retains in the university to the board of trustees, pastoring conference and establishment of another school to represent the educational institution of the church.

The committee on episcopacy, which has charge of the matter of the retirement of all the bishops, is expected to report today. It is announced that the committee will recommend that Bishop E. E. Hoss be granted a year's release from active work because of his physical condition.

Another report likely to be taken up during the week is that of the committee which considered the advisability of uniting the Methodist Episcopal church, south, the Methodist Episcopal church and the Improved Methodist church. The plan proposes to form one church under the name "The Methodist Church of America," with one general conference as the legislating body, with separate jurisdictional conference which shall elect their own bishops and conectional boards and officers.

Another section on the Vanderbilt university question during the past week the conference has voted unfavorably on a proposal to substitute the phrase "church of God" for "Holy Catholic Church" in the Apostles' Creed and made it obligatory on applicants to the ministry that they agree to refrain from the use of tobacco.

Today delegates to the conference accepted pulpits in all of the Protestant churches here.

Tips From Texas.

(From The Dallas News.)

Our idea of a boor is a person who eats soup with his knife.

As a general thing the kind of man who thinks it is a compliment to be called a "thoroughbred" often acts like a wild ass's colt.

WILSON CHEERS COMING IN THE MEXICAN CAPITAL

Dr. Wallace Says Intelligent Mexicans Welcomed Landing of U. S. Troops.

New Orleans, May 17.—"The time will come when the name of President Wilson will be cheered in the streets of Mexico City," declared Rev. William Wallace, president of the Presbyterian theological seminary at the Mexican capital, in a sermon on Mexican conditions delivered here today at the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Wallace was one of two refugee ministers to occupy local pulpits today, the other being Rev. J. H. Malloy, of Merida.

According to Dr. Wallace, the faculties and students of many Mexican schools welcomed revolution, and also the landing of American troops at Vera Cruz. "Without an American demonstration, he said, there could, in his opinion, have been no lasting peace in Mexico whether the constitutionalists or the federals are in control. Property interests favor a settled form of government in the southern republic, he declared.

"I am not one of those who proclaim the landing of American marines at Vera Cruz an act of peace," the speaker asserted.

The rebel leader Zapata was pictured as a "full-blooded old Indian, who wants only local control," and the minister expressed the opinion that Zapata's troops would not enter Mexico City, and that the Zapatistas would demand no further reward than the right to rule their own section of the country in the event of a constitutionalist triumph of arms.

Dr. Wallace left Mexico City ten days ago, and said that he did so merely as a precaution against future developments. Prior to his leaving, he said, he had mingled freely with the populace, and had run no danger of bodily harm.

"The middle class of people in Mexico City treated Americans much after their accustomed manner, and it was only the upper classes that were stirred with a patriotic hatred of Americans when troops were landed on Mexican soil," Dr. Wallace said. "Huerta made desperate efforts to arouse anti-American sentiment, and two Mexicans whom I knew personally told me that they saw Huerta's son lead a mob that tore down the statue of George Washington."

In his sermon Dr. Malloy did not touch on Mexican conditions, the local rebel army, missionary body having agreed that Dr. Wallace should be their pulpit spokesman. Dr. Malloy and five other missionaries from Progreso visited here as guests of local Presbyterian ministers.

Baseball at Vera Cruz.

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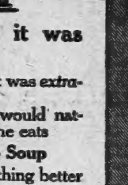
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TIFTON TEACHES ATLANTA.

The Snipers, Supcose-Pennies and Stay-at-Homes who defeated the recent Greater Grady bond election may find at least a grain of comfort in the similar experience of Tifton, the thriving little South Georgia city.

Tifton recently held a municipal bond election, covering $1,700 in improvements for waterworks; $13,000 for schools, and $7,000 for a fire department. All of these carried overwhelmingly. The submission of $6,000 for a city hall lacked only one vote of going through. The reason assigned for its failure is that the voters thought $6,000 not enough to spend for a city hall.

In the body of the dispatch reporting the election this significant sentence occurs:

"The main difficulty was in securing a constitutional majority of two-thirds of the registered vote."

Atlanta experienced the same difficulty, which, in our instance, proved temporarily decisive.

But Atlanta's impulse toward standardization was defeated by the Snipers and Tight-Wads.

The Snipers and Tight-Wads seem to be under tolerably good control in Tifton.

The example of this bustling city ought to galvanize every Atlantan worthy the name into action.

The first desideratum is to agitate for the submission of the constitutional amendment that will authorize the use of a municipality's credit upon two-thirds of the votes cast rather than two-thirds of the votes registered. That antiquated provision is the proved friend of the Snipers and Tight-Wads. It enables them to block progress by the simple expedient of staying away from the polls. A corporal's guard of them pursuing this course can nullify the overwhelming progressive sentiment of the community.

It is a safe assertion that the majority of municipalities in Georgia will follow Atlanta's lead in getting the submission of legislation through the house and before the people.

Tifton is simply another example of the city that suffers because of this outworn and superfluous check.

Those cities can be mastered behind the movement for amendment. And, as Ivan Allen says, the fight for the amendment and its submission will flush the Snipers into the open. Once there, the progressive element will know how to neutralize their attacks.

A TENTED OFFICE.

Clunk up another healthful innovation to Woodrow Wilson. He is celebrating the approach of the heated term by working outdoors.

On a secluded part of the spacious white house premises, he has had a tent erected. There he goes when the sun begins to make the thermometer mount indoors, and with his office force does a large part of the work of the nation.

The idea is sound. Washington is not a joyous place in summer. At about the sea level, it can be a fine imitation of the tropics when the sun is at meridian and the heat radiates from the miles of broad streets and the big buildings, and the humidity from the Potomac gets in its enervating effect.

The president, of all men in the country, needs to keep at concert pitch of efficiency. If his mind is sluggish or his judgment a shade off, there is no substitute to supply no counterbalancing influence to offset the effect of his errors. The nation's business pays the cost.

Hence the wisdom of the tent office on the white house lawn. He is applying the principle that educators long ago discovered with students and physicians with patients. That principle is that both mind and body function infinitely more normally and untiringly in fresh than in foul air; that while mental alertness is increased, mental endurance is stimulated, and that one comes to the end of the day's work without that fag natural to negotiating the "peak-load."

It is a pity the tent-office idea cannot be applied throughout the country. Summer in the cities would be less a season of dread, less a period of inertia, of enforced vacations and ravages of disease. For the same oxygen that keeps one's faculties keyed up also raises the blood count and fortifies the infinitesimal little soldiers in the blood-stream that war constantly against evil germs.

The basic principle of working, playing and sleeping in fresh air is indeed catching on throughout the country. Offices, factories and houses increasingly are being built with deference to it. Upon the degree in which the observance becomes universal depends a national efficiency greater than that ever conceived in the fevered brain-pan of Brandeis himself.

EDUCATING TO THE FARM.

One county in Iowa has found a way to keep boys and girls on the farm. The whole idea is to so direct common school education as to endow life in the country with something like the fascination approaching life in the city.

"Farm and Fireside," published in Springfield, Ohio, describes the manner in which this has been accomplished. It is said that in two years the sentiment of the scholars as between farm and city underwent a wonderful change. Our contemporary continues:

> What had made the change? Just this: the teachers had been given more practical work to do in the schools. They had been giving the teaching a farm slant. They had been working in the school gardens, for instance, and the girls had been studying cooking, sewing, housekeeping and the care of the house and children. And they had forgotten about leaving the farm. They had been doing pleasant, interesting, practical work and they were happy. They had come to see that there is just as fascinating work, just as intellectual work, just as big work in the country as any that could expect to get in the city—and much higher work than most of them could expect. I think few farmers in that county would harbor high wages to teachers doing that sort of work.

The Iowa idea is valuable to a certain extent. It points the wisdom of employing teachers who can inculcate practical farm usefulness and the pride of country life. But if we are to keep our youth on the farm, in general and national terms, the process must go farther than this.

The level of recreation and self-improvement facilities in the country must increase side by side with changes in the school curriculum. Heretofore, one of the things that has driven people to the cities has been monotony in the rural districts. Whether the city lure was well or falsely founded, it held a definite attraction. And it has become necessary to find some substitute for this in the country, if the trend-city-ward is to be given a universal halt.

The French and Germans have best met this condition in the cities of colonies. The farmers over a wide area are gathered in dwellings that form a group. From these, they go each morning to their regulation occupations. The grouping plan does away with isolation and supplies the social life, ordinarily lacking in the country. America, with its rural free delivery routes, its rural phones and its daily and tri-weekly newspapers, offers an even more hopeful field for the development of the colony idea than does Europe.

"LOOK WHO'S HERE!"

Gentlemen, welcome to the Ananias club! Closed for a season by reason of the absence of the founder, house committee, board of governors, membership committee and chief bouncer in South America, once more its hospitable doors swing back. Once more nominations are biared forth and a swelling waiting list palpitantly waits initiation.

All this apropos of the activity of the Colonel in catapulting into this select and exclusive organization one Sir Clements Markham, an Englishman with more temerariousness than discretion.

The Constitution, along with other papers, duly chronicled one of the Colonel's feats in discovering the "River of Doubt" in the Brazilian jungle, and jabbing it on the map. So one thought of impugning the Colonel's veracity. Had he not himself vouched for the discovery? Surely! And do not those who challenge his statements invariably find themselves unable to refrain from the discovery of absolutely new constellations, the brilliancy of which depend upon the lustiness with which they are "swatted?"

And here comes along this "onery," mere titled English scientist, who tells civilization that the Colonel is trying to hand it a gold brick in the matter of the mysterious "River of Doubt;" that the aforesaid river is ancient history to professional geographers, and that only the corn-fed amateur would dream of heralding it as something new. "Might as well try to introduce the belly Mississippi to the United States, doncherknow!"

"Biff!" Sir Clements had been shot into the Ananias club, without benefit of clergy. The maps are all wrong, the Colonel says. Sir Clements is farther off the track than the maps. Question my word! explodes the Colonel. Take that! That, too!

The gods be praised! He's back safe and sound, his natural vigor unabated. If we had any misgivings, the sad fate of the wretched Sir Clements sends the last one scooting to—oh, well, to the "River of Doubt."

Some Little Talks by George Matthew Adams

ON KEEPING CALM.

There is a mother now, who met motion in the running of the Universe. To the fraction of a second, the movements of the world and planets and stars are known. One part of the System must set with every other part.

The entire Solar System is but a grand, grand, great lesson On Keeping Calm.

The real reason why Napoleon was great is because they early learned how to keep cool. "If you don't take back what you said in your hearing tonight," said a man to Henry Ward Beecher, at his pastal after Beecher had delivered a powerful address, "I will shoot your brains out." "Shoot away," replied Beecher. Or course, the man didn't shoot. Of course not.

During exciting experiences when it seems as though your nerves would blow your Head completely from your shoulders, try being Calm. Just take command of the nerves and say, I tell you, "But you are going to run things for a while. Calmly MEAN it. You will be amazed at the way those lunger nerves will quiet down. They will assume "taking the count" like a scared cat in the presence of a strange dog.

There is Joy in Calmness—and Power and Influence and great service, too. Don't let anything get you excited, mentally, Hold your grounds—for if you don't someone else will.

YOUR INWARD SELF.

Two friends met. They had not seen each other for twenty years—Sperry and Gray College class-mates. One was bald, the other as if two narrow ridges ought to count as or was gray about the temples. Yet neither seemed to take note of the changes that had wrought in each other. Each took on Successful and both were Happy and both were Useful.

Every day marks a change, though ever so small, to the physical man and woman-but your Inward Self is a Spring of Youth that may not change in a thousand years—if you but will it.

This life is a playground and a workshop for the specific education of your Inner Self. The years have no terrors for the Soul that is at buoyant youth, and can it feel the change, so long as Love was there and is there now?

Your Inner Self was born to be Immortal. In Immortality we are Immortal. Or else Love is a phantom and Noble Effort a worthless Dream within a Dream.

If the tire of the day tends to make your body weak and tired—and if the Discouragement and Battles of the years have scarred the skin and made the bones to ache—listen to this—Your Inner Self—IT may never grow OLD or Discouraged or Battle Scarred. For it is Your Real Self for which your first breath was given.

HORSE PLAY.

To many, Life and its Responsibilities come only as so much Horse Play. To such, days come merely as consecutive pieces of event—all Rapsaglops—heavy laden, 'tis true, with their burdes of Opportunity and Sunshine and Happy Forebodings, but as Heralds of Importance they fold no sway.

Are you in any part or parcel a mover in this daily drama of Horse Play—an actor in Antics unavailing.

Most of us are guilty—in some measure or to some extent—of Horse Play—fiddle-de-winking with Time and Hope. So that to all of us comes the call to Attention and Aptitude to Work and Duty.

Is your Work, no matter how Important or Humble, the result of Conscientious Effort on hand? Or, are you intermixing it with nonsense and Horse Play? These are individual questions. And they must be conferred out alone, each man or woman unto themselves.

Whatever you do, do something upon which you can Build. Eliminate all Horse Play. And in serious relaxation perform your Recreation so that you be worthy of the review of all Posterity.

THE PUNCH.

It's the man with the "Punch" that climbs the ladder of success. He may stop just short of inborn ability—to put things through.

It is possible for you to have great abilities and for you to write wonderful letters, in varied degrees, behind your name, but if you have not The Punch to back up what you write, it has an ooh like sausage, you, as a Personage of Influence and Power, are quite naked and Defenseless.

Better be known for getting things done —quietly and effectively, accompanied by that mystery-moving, master-making, quality, Punch—than own the entire Intellect of a Giant. For it's the Punch that Wins.

No one cares for the Anaemic-Pearly. Red Blood and Vigor ever and always are tied to the Punch.

Commerce and Success are not found upon the Street Corners and along the Road Edges, warming their Faces in the Sun and resting their Toes among the Pavement. Commerce and Success are inside, moving here and there, Buying, Selling—delivering the Goods—filling and doing as the Parents of The Punch.

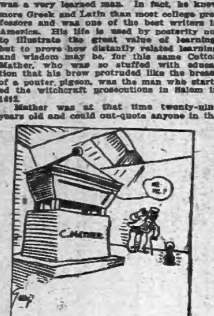
COTTON MATHER.

By GEORGE FITCH,
Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

Cotton Mather was born in Boston in 1663 and graduated from Harvard college at the age of 15. At the age of 18 he was assistant pastor of his father's Congregational church and at 25 was minister of the largest congregation in New England. He was giving advice to governors, lawyers and such odd kings as applied for it.

It will thus be seen that Cotton Mather was a very learned man. In fact, he knew more Greek and Latin than most college professors and was one of the best writers in America. His life is used frequently not to illustrate the great value of learning, but to prove how distantly related learning and wisdom may be. For this same Cotton Mather, who was so stuffed with education that his brow protruded like the breast of a pouter pigeon, was the man who started the witchcraft prosecutions in Salem in 1692.

Mather was at that time twenty-nine years old and could out-quote anyone in the



"Every time Yale has beaten Harvard in football since then Cotton Mather has chuckled softly in his tomb."

colonies in literature and religion. But he believed in witches, and started out to hang those which afflicted Salem. If he had not been so learned it would not have been so serious. As it was, his college diplomas proved fatal to a number of inoffensive people. A little learning is a dangerous thing, but not half as serious as a large wad of badly digested information.

Later on Cotton Mather sobered up spiritually and recruited his crusade against witches very much indeed. However, the alleged witches remained dead.

Mather came near to being elected president of Harvard college in 1707, but the liberals of that time were too strong and he was defeated. Later on he persuaded Elihu Yale, of New Haven, to start a college. This was the beginning of Yale college, and every time Yale has beaten Harvard in football since then Cotton Mather has chuckled softly in his tomb.

Mather was very hard on the witches, but later in life he made up for it by introducing vaccination into this country. Enemies of the idea threatened his life, but with his invincible courage he tried it on his son and worked for its adoption. Thus he probably saved more lives from smallpox than he took during his earlier brainstorm, and should, after all, be regarded as a public benefactor.

Things That Are Different in Mexico.

When gentlemen greet each other they embrace and pat each other on the back.

Ladies kiss each other and both cheeks at both meeting and parting.

Everybody shakes hands with everybody on all possible occasions.

Sons kiss their mothers' and their grandmothers' hands, and often their fathers'.

The politeness of Mexican servants is proverbial, and their voices are soft and pleasing.

Children wear mourning in Mexico. Young girls in their teens wearing all-black costumes, and little girls of all ages wearing white dresses with black ribbon sashes and hats trimmed with black.

On entering a street car or other vehicle, or when about to be seated, there is a repeated exchange of Gracias and Alphonse "you firsts" between the senors.

The seat of honor in a Mexican home is the sofa beside the hostess. A caller should not take that seat unless specially invited.

A cigar is lighted before being presented to a friend.

The peon men are obliged to wear large, heavy straw hats to protect their heads from the tropical sun, but the peon women have gone bareheaded for centuries.

Clerks in the stores and shops of all kinds smoke while waiting upon customers.

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DAILY GRIST from the STATE'S POLITICAL GRIND

HARRIS AND THOMAS STIRRY WELL AFTER UP THINGS POLITICALLY

Scarcely had the words of the prediction, that politics would assume a lively aspect this week, been written then forth came the official announcement of W. J. Harris, director of the census and chairman of the state democratic committee, as a candidate for governor. Close on the heels of this announcement came a speech in Thomaston by Valdosta, that Judge W. E. Thomas would positively make his announcement within the next few days.

Mr. Harris' announcement did not come as a surprise. For weeks he has given out statements that he was a candidate, as for Judge Thomas, he has done little talking—practically none, in fact. His friends in South Georgia have done the talking for him, and so well have they talked that it looks as if he can well go against their wishes in the matter.

Some four weeks ago Judge Thomas came to Atlanta and had conferences with several of his friends. At that time he made no secret of the fact that he would like to be governor of Georgia, but he stated that he would not act hurriedly in the matter. He wanted to look over the situation carefully from all angles before committing himself definitely. He was not misled by the enthusiasm of his friends in his own section. He wanted to find out what people in other parts of the state thought of his candidacy. So he remained quiet. Apparently he has come to the conclusion that the enthusiasm of his friends was justified, if to be sure that he will make a definite announcement.

There was talk about this time of a conference between Judge Thomas and Judge N. H. Harris, of Macon, but it came to nothing. Judge Harris got squarely in the race and is in it to win.

All along the probable attitude of Judge Thomas has been the cause of speculation, and more than one possible candidate has held back pending his decision. The same thing applies to Solicitor Hugh M. Dorsey. He had been urged by Governor Slaton and has received countless letters and telegrams urging him to enter the race, but the state legislature makes it imperative that he remain in the executive office."

HUGH DORSEY'S FRIENDS ACTIVE; WANT HIM TO MAKE RACE

Up in Cobb county they are very strong for Hugh Dorsey for governor. Practically every man you meet in Marietta is talking about it. The prominent merchant who has been an enthusiastic Dorsey man from the very first mention of his name, has ordered a number of red, white and blue neck ties with the words "Dorsey for Governor," lettered on them. They will be sent out throughout the state shortly.

GINGLES PUT IN THE CAMPAIGN

The short term senatorial race is also gingering up. The appointment of "Alf" C. Newell as campaign manager for Governor Slaton, and Gus Morrow, as secretary, means that the Slaton forces from this time on will be busy. "Alf" Newell is ideally suited to the position. For years he was one of the best-known newspaper men in Atlanta and later in New York. He took part in some of the most heated political campaigns in New York city and state and he knows the game. Gus Morrow is one of the most widely and favorably-liked newspaper men in Georgia and his political experience is wide.

Up to the present time Governor Slaton has paid no attention to the attacks made on him by other candidates, but in a few days he will be heard from. He has felt it his duty so long as he was governor to be governor and to devote to the affairs of his position just as much time as he did before he announced for the senate. In this he has received the approval of thousands throughout the state. The press of the state has pretty generally approved of his attitude in this matter.

In this connection The Dalton Citizen has the following to say:

"Jack Slaton is going right along about his business and the business of the state. He is paying no attention to his critics, realizing that every unjust knock is a boost."

In a similar connection The Fitzgerald Leader-Enterprise says:

"The people of Georgia will approve the decision reached by Governor Slaton not to resign his position as governor during his campaign for the United States senate. His extensive legislative campaign planned by his friends throughout the state of the state legislature makes it imperative that he remain in the executive office."

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One Lesson Taught by Shrine Week: Free Music and Play Grounds Urged.

Editor Constitution: Even a great paper like The Constitution occasionally makes a mistake in its physical make-up. In Sunday's paper, on page six of the society section, is an article by Miss Irma Dooly that should have been on the first page, with the news section with additional editorial treatment, for when a writer goes through the pleasures, follies and excitements of three such weeks as we have just had, beginning with opera and finishing with the wonderful Shrine week, and then in spite of all the talk and speculation penetrates the biggest lemon peel, squeezes out every drop, and brings that essential truth to light, then it is time to give that psychologist and her deductions prominence.

Many times was it heard upon the streets during the past week, and it was the mouths of the visitors, that Atlanta was taking advantage of the opportunity the Shrine celebration afforded, to extend to the outside point of view of what Miss Dooly has so ably analyzed as the real pleasures, the real satisfying of the ever-present need for recreation and pleasure. To the outsider, what seemed to be the real pleasure, to Miss Dooly was the effect of lack of community pleasures and out-door and untrained recreation.

Jane Addams places the desire for pleasure and recreation as one of the strongest human tendencies and gives it, when satisfied, a higher accomplishment in the world than a thousand ill-absorbed sermons, when she says:

"We see about us much vice which is merely a love for pleasure gone wrong, the illicit expression of what might have been not only normal and recreative pleasure, but an instrument in the advance of higher social morality."

Every eminent psychologist will say that the most valuable suggestions in life are the positive suggestions that appeal to human instincts. It is infinitely better therefore to appeal to the desire for pleasure than to continually fend off possible evil.

It is well to give boys and girls, men and women, regulated and desirable pleasures, thus allowing the essential natural and moral expression, than to forbid them instincts by not supplying pleasures and have the necessary human impulses exercised in control, if not immoral, practices.

By desirable pleasures we mean pleasures DESIRABLE to the people partaking, and not pleasures in sympathy with highly sensitive or orthodox natures. For instance, a joyous heart is of more ethical value than a contrite spirit; the former radiates, the latter repels. A happy heart is easily attained by a little music and other innocent pleasure; the psychology of a contrite spirit is negative and, even if as desirable, is a thousand times more difficult to obtain.

In New York's experiment of free music in public parks and playgrounds for holidays and Sundays is most admirable. The physical properties is ready, the music easy to obtain, the Atlanta public eager, all that is left is for the same organization or persons to answer Miss Dooly's call and make this simple start towards an organized and regular public recreation. Many out-door features can be developed in the spring and summer months and by winter the school-houses could be brought into use for many good and wholesome district civic entertainments.

Why could not the recently organized Chamber of Commerce undertake this as an important work? Its members are made up of the most sensible men of Atlanta, who can see the great scope and importance of the work. Thus, in one step, they could tend to overcome the factions which were the cause of the agitation against Atlanta's positive impulse rather than a negative reaction.

With very little effort Atlanta people learn to take their pleasures sanely, as a recent demonstration shows. Some weeks ago I had occasion to supervise a group of 250 people in a factory entertainment. There was round dancing and folk-dancing and singing and other forms of entertainment, there were grandmothers, fathers, mothers, young women, boys, girls and babies, and not one man had had a drink of any kind, nor was there one unpleasant incident or word or expression that did not show a happy heart. While there was no rowdyism present, the 250 people will give testimony that, having the best time in their lives, this showing conclusively that a small amount of regulation and organization is all that is necessary to make Atlanta enjoy more dignified pleasures than were prevalent during the streets last week.

FRANK H. NEELY.

P.A.N.

I.

Tho' Poets have said
That Pan has been dead
Some odd eons ago,
I heard on yester'en,
In the twilight's sheen,
Reaping soft and low.

II.

On holes by the river,
Where the rushes quiver
In a whispering breeze,
Music, wierdly mellow,
From some green retreat
In dreamful melodiam.

III.

Everywhere I sought,
Oh, but found it not—
His lair among the grasses,
Through vine-laced hedges,
'Round the cedar ledges,
'Long the wooded passes.

IV.

The sweet music I heard
Was no warble of bird
Oh, but to see
Him, there piping away
A blithe roundelay—

V.

From my quest I turned,
Though my spirit yearned,
When lo! on the woof
Of branches and leaves green,
There was plainly seen—
The print of the hoof!

VI.

Pan is not dead
As the Poets have said!
For on yester'en,
With reeds wonder-strung,
He piped the rushes among
In twilight's sheen!

—AUGUSTA WALL.

Our Own Butcher's Bill.

(From The Wall Street Journal)

In a recent address the dean of the law school of the University of Michigan is reported to have said:

"During the year 1912, within the boundaries of the United States, there were 8,152 men slain in violation of law by their lawless fellows. This number is greater than ever before has fallen by the hands of the lawbreakers. In 1910, 8,570 were killed."

Vital statistics of the census bureau cover a registration area of 25 states, in which is a population of about 66,000,000.

The bureau shows the number of homicides per 100,000 of population as follows:

Homicides per 100,000:

1911——6.6 1900....4.5 1900....2.1

An increase of 214 per cent in 11 years is little cause for pride. We have before this become indignant at Armenian and other massacres in other parts of the world. Do they equal our own shambles? Count the number of union soldiers actually killed in the nine greatest battles of the civil war, including Gettysburg, Spottsylvania, the Wilderness and Antietam. The total is equaled by the fruits of two years of murder in this "law-abiding" country.

Mr. Taft once said that our administration of criminal law was a disgrace. It is more than that. It is an invitation to crime. In two years it has resulted in over 15,000 homicides. Two years ago the supreme court of Oklahoma, in handing down a decision in a criminal case, took occasion to speak in plain terms of the administration of criminal law in America. And it referred to the fact that in the city of Chicago 302 homicides were committed in 1910, but in that year only one person was sentenced to death for murder.

It is time for a radical change in the administration of criminal law, which has ramifications in every branch of activity and growth. There is room for a great change in the moral sense of our people, who lack, most of all, teaching in respect for the law.

WEDNESDAY CLOSINGS GAIN INDORSEMENTS

Various Organizations Have Come on Record as Favoring the Movement.

The movement for the Wednesday afternoon closing for the retail grocers and butchers of Atlanta has gained such indorsement and approval throughout the city that it is now regarded as certain of success, and the final details of a celebration and picnic on the day set for the first of these holidays is all that remains to be done.

Such unanimous approval has met the plan since its inauguration that there was hardly ever a doubt of its successful culmination. Various organizations, as well as prominent citizens of Atlanta, put themselves on record immediately as favoring the movement.

The Young Men's Christian association, through its secretary, heartily indorsed the plan, and promised co-operation. Bishop C. K. Nelson, of the diocese of Atlanta, has assured the committee of his hearty approval and his aid in making the Wednesday half holidays a success.

Prominent women of Atlanta were not less enthusiastically in favor of the plan.

"I believe every woman in Atlanta favors it," said Mrs. Samuel Lumpkin, president of the Atlanta Federation of Women's Clubs, "and I will take pleasure in presenting it to the Atlanta Federation of Clubs for their action. I am sure they will indorse it."

Thirty thousand cards asking cooperation and explaining the plan have been printed and given to the grocers and butchers of the city for distribution among their customers. Five thousand placards, announcing the closing of the stores have been printed for display in the various stores.

At the first meeting of the Retail Grocers' association in their new headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building the details of a picnic to be held at Piedmont park on the first of the holidays will be arranged. A number of athletic events will be staged, a baseball league composed of the clerks and of the various stores will have the initial games of the season.

COLLEGE PARK PLANS FOR HOME-COMING DAY

All details for the College Park "Home-coming" day, Friday, May 29, have practically been completed.

The program and arrangement committee has planned a barbecue and basket dinner. The ladies of the town have entered heartily into the plans and every home in College Park will send well filled baskets of choice food and dainties. Arrangements are being made to feed 1,000 visitors.

Efforts are being made to have every former citizen of the town and all old students of both Cox college and Georgia Military academy attend this homecoming.

Invitations have been sent to Governor John M. Slaton, Senator Hoke Smith, Colonel John Temple Graves, Major R. J. Guinn, Colonel C. D. McKinney, W. Woods White and others to attend and take part in the program, all of whom are expected to deliver addresses. Colonel Graves, W. Woods White and Major Guinn are former College Park citizens.

GRADUATE NURSES WILL MEET HERE WEDNESDAY

The eighth annual meeting of the Georgia State Association of Graduate Nurses will be held in Atlanta Wednesday and Thursday at the Atlanta Woman's club, 17 West Baker street. Between 100 and 150 delegates from all over the state will be in attendance. Communication was received Sunday that a party numbering fifteen will come from Savannah.

The number of delegates will depend upon the amount of work the nurses have on hand at the time of the convention. Main topics of discussion at the meeting will be hospital service work and "how best to graduate special nurses."

Delegates' headquarters will be at the Ansley hotel, where they will be given a lunch Wednesday at noon.

ATLANTA EAGLES LEAVE TONIGHT FOR CHARLOTTE

Ninety-two delegates from the Atlanta Eagles will leave tonight for Charlotte, N. C., to attend the Southeastern District Aerie convention, which holds sway in that city May 19 and 21. The party will return Thursday morning.

Among the delegates will be John T. Smith and E. A. Fisher. W. Napier, of Macon, will make an address at Tuesday's session on "Liberty." Charlotte will treat the Eagles to a big barbecue.

The Eagles will hold a parade, in which will be fifty handsome floats representing different organizations of Charlotte. A competitive drill and torchlight parade will be prominent features of the program.

BERRY SCHOOL HOLDS ITS FINAL EXERCISES

Rome, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—The final exercises of the Martha Berry School for Girls took place today. The last event of the commencement season was a rally of the Young Woman's Christian association tonight. The baccalaureate sermon was preached by Dr. G. G. Sydnor, of Rome. The members of the first graduating class of the school, which was founded four years ago, are Misses Elsie Adams, Edna Adams, Mary Bache, Blanche Chapman, Georgia Coulter, Shirley Hendricks, Beatie McLain, Rosa Peterson, Lillie Roberts, Elsie Russell, Mary White and Eunice White.

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south, and will undoubtedly prove a popular resort of the tobacco connoisseur.

The storeroom, just opposite the Piedmont hotel, which was recently leased for the new cigar store, has been remodeled and is decorated tastefully and equipped with beautiful and in every way modern fixtures.

The store will be in charge of Leon H. Oppenheim, as manager, who is also one of the proprietors.

ATHENS WOULD BE HOST TO THE WEEKLY PRESS

Athens, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—"Assuming in the entertaining," as the social column says, will be Athens when the Georgia Weekly Press association is the honoree of the affairs to be given complimentary to the press fellows this summer. Commerce is host, and Athens will also be "in the receiving line." Athens asked the privilege of taking care of the press boys for one day, either going or coming to or from the association meet. The chamber of commerce is to plan for that event Tuesday night, and some large things are talked about to show the weekly editors that Athens appreciates them and their work.

It is planned to have the legislature, with the governor and statehouse officers, make their annual visit to Athens on the same day as the visit of the editors, if such a collision can be arranged. The legislature will come to see the state's institutions here, the University of Georgia, State College of Agriculture and the State Normal school, and will be entertained properly for the day.

GOVERNOR TODAY OPENS AMERICUS CHAUTAUQUA

Americus, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—The second annual chautauqua season for Americus opens tomorrow and a gala week is assured. Americus people and thousands of visitors in attendance. Governor Slaton will formally open the session at 11 o'clock Monday morning, the usual exercises following immediately.

In the afternoon there will be a floral parade of 200 decorated automobiles and motor trucks carrying hundreds of beautiful matrons and young girls in a pageant of three miles. Handsome prizes are offered by American business houses for the first and second best decorated automobile and beauty prizes adjoin. A brilliant and interesting week's program is assured. Merchants will make of it a trade carnival week likewise.

TAX EQUALIZING BOARD STARTS WORK IN HOUSTON

Perry, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—The board of tax equalizers of Houston county, composed of J. J. Houser, T. H. Brown and J. F. Hammock, and the clerk of the board, Sam C. Hurst, Jr., has received from Tax Receiver J. F. Scarborough the tax returns for this year. They at once began the work of equalizing the values of the property of the county. It will probably take them about six weeks to complete their work. While the average valuation of land returned in 1913 was $6.39 per acre, still there were hundreds of acres returned at $2 per acre and large quantities that are held at $40 and $50 per acre were not returned at more than $4 per acre.

DR. M'DONALD IS HOME AFTER TRIP TO MEXICO

Dr. George McDonald, former head of Wesley Memorial hospital, who has of late been connected with the Red Cross society in Mexico, has returned to Atlanta.

He was visited by many of his old friends on Sunday, all of whom expressed their congratulations upon his being back and safe in Atlanta once more.

Dr. McDonald declined to discuss the Mexican situation for publication. "It is too delicate a matter for me to discuss just now," he said.

Dr. McDonald is staying at the home of Thomas L. Thrower, 584 Ponce de Leon avenue.

ROMANS MAY BANISH POOLROOMS FROM CITY

Rome, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—It is probable that poolrooms will be entirely prohibited in the city of Rome. At present the ordinance requires the consent of a majority of the finance committee and a majority of the city council, together with written permission of property owners on both sides of the proposed place of business, before a license can be issued. Out of five applications for license, four have been refused and one granted. There is now pending before city council an ordinance entirely abolishing all poolrooms and billiard halls, and it is thought that the ordinance will be passed.

ROME'S TAX RATE FIXED AT $14 ON THOUSAND

Rome, Ga., May 17.—(Special)—Rome's tax rate for the ensuing year will be $14 on the thousand, an increase of 12 per thousand over 1913. The street tax was fixed at the same rate as last year, $3. The assessment on realty this year exceeds that of 1913 by $100,000. This, together with the increased tax rate, will add substantially to the income of the city.

COWS' PERIGRINATIONS LIMITED IN CAMILLA

Thomasville, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—The city council of Camilla has passed an ordinance prohibiting the cows from enjoying the freedom of the streets in that town. The ordinance does not shut the cows off entirely, but prescribes certain limits within which she shall roam, her arrest to follow should she wander beyond them.

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NAVAL STORES OFFICERS WILL FACE TRIAL TODAY

Again Charged With Conspiracy to Restrain and Monopolize Trade.

Savannah, Ga., May 17.—Five officers of the American Naval Stores company, now suspended, were expected to appear for trial in the United States district court here tomorrow, charged with conspiracy to restrain and monopolize the naval stores trade.

It will be the second time that the defendants, E. E. Nash, E. P. Shotter, J. F. C. Myers, George N. Boardman and Carl Moller, have faced the charge. They were convicted at the previous trial, fined and two of them, Shotter and Myers, sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

The defendants appealed to the United States circuit court of appeals, alleging error, but the judgment was affirmed. Application was made to the United States supreme court for a writ of certiorari, which was granted, and on June 3, 1913, more than five years after the suit was first instituted, the supreme court set aside the verdict.

No new trial was directed, but United States Attorney Alexander Ackerman asked that the case be put down for trial tomorrow. Counsel for the defendants indicated tonight that they would contend that the decision of the supreme court was final and that the defendants could not be tried again.

Two corporate defendants were named in the original suit, the American Naval Stores company and the National Transportation and Terminals company, of Jacksonville, Fla., but no reference to them was made in the previous verdict returned. The naval stores company had its headquarters here.

DECREE DIRECTS SALE OF FLORIDA CENTRAL

Thomasville, Ga., May 17.—(Special.) At a session of Thomas superior court, held here yesterday by Judge Thomas, for the purpose of hearing motions for new trials, certioraris, etc., Colonel W. E. Kay appeared before the court in accordance with notices given and presented a decree in the matter of the Baltimore Guarantee and Trust company v. the Florida Central Railway, directing the sale of that road on October 6, 1914, and the disposition of the proceeds of the sale in accordance with the dignity and priority of all liens. In signing the decree, Judge Thomas took occasion to especially compliment the receiver, R. McRainey, for the efficient discharge of his duties as receiver and the economical and successful manner in which he has managed the property while in his hands.

Federal Court in Rome.

Rome, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—The May term of federal court for the northern district of Georgia will convene Monday morning, Judge William T. Newman presiding and Hon. Hooper Alexander, district attorney, representing the United States. The case of principal interest is that of Sidney Hunt, of Lafayette, who is charged with the embezzlement of funds from a national bank there which failed recently.

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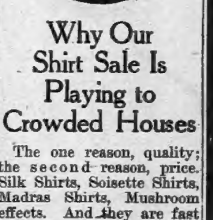
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Sports

GULLS WIN FIRST GAME IN NINTH

Edited By DICK JEMISON

WHIFFS

Up to Twelve.

THE CRACKERS will be in the pennant hunt all the way, provided—and there comes the proviso—that the Crackers come through and deliver the kind of ball that pennant-contending twirlers are supposed to deliver.

Look at Hitting.

THE TEAM has the attacking strength and the ability to make runs. If it not necessary for the Crackers to hold the opposing team to a shut-out for the locals to win. If they can keep the opposition from making more than three or four runs, the Crackers will come through with at least two-thirds of their games as victories and two-thirds of victories will win the Southern league pennant.

Better Fielding.

WITH FALTERING twirling, the Cracker defense cannot afford to crack like it has been cracking of late. Airtight defense in the field is absolutely necessary if the pitchers are going to continue to get as liberal with their binglos as they have been.

Two Going Good.

BENT and Doscher are delivering a good brand of wares. Perryman is good in spots. Prough, Alfred Fisher and Ragan have not come through with the brand of ware that it was thought they would show, but we have not lost confidence in them yet and we believe that with some steady warm weather that they'll come through.

The Present Trip.

THE TRIP that the Crackers are now on will be a real test. Against the Gulls and the Pelicans, the Crackers will have to show their mettle and if they come through these two games with flying colors, they are going to be hard to head at the finish. This is the first "crucial series" stuff of the season.

Congratulations.

GEORGIA is entitled to the title, southern intercollegiate college baseball champions for 1914 and we hasten to congratulate the team and its leading coach, Joe Sears, for this victory. Despite the fact that he was supported thus enough not to permit The Constitution's staff photographer to take a group photo of his team, even after they have won three straight games from the Jackets. Evidently the photographic staff was not in the know, for if he had permitted us to get a photo of his team they would have won.

His Last Game.

EVERY JOY has its attending sorrow. Saturday's game was Bob Shiverdecker's last stunt as an athlete for Georgia. Georgia rooters and fans regret his passing, but his name will continue to be revered by all Red and Black alumni and feared by all Tech supporters. For four years he has served his alma mater well in all branches of athletics. His name is going to conjure with. We wish you well, Bob, in whatever path you may follow when you leave your college days behind you in June. A true sport, a great athlete, a gentleman. That's Bob McWhorter.

Love Their Hits.

NO BETTER proof of how much a ball player likes to hit is needed than to refer to the Pittsburg-New York game on last Saturday. Jeff Tesreau got a no-hit game in sight. He had retired the three men in order and New York in the ninth, but Joe Kelly, the last man on the visiting club's list, refused to have swung wildly at three and let Jeff had his no-hit game, but he let a ball player under no conditions walk on a ball player fail to take advantage of a chance to get a hit.

Details a Hit.

CALLER KING'S baseball details on the viaduct, especially those on Sunday, are going a great deal to please the fans. The large crowd at Sunday's matinee thoroughly enjoyed every minute of the game and passed a vote of thanks to the popular caller for putting on the game and for having these some quiet, genteel play to while away a dull afternoon. Perfect order was maintained throughout the game and no objection could possibly be raised to the continuance of the Sunday matinees. The week days games this week will be given as usual.

BRITONS ARE BETTING ON GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Sandwich, England, May 17.—Never has an amateur golf championship meeting in England been looked forward to with such excitement as that which opens tomorrow for the British title. The town is filled with visitors. There has been more betting on the result than ever has been known in England, and it is said the London stock exchange has neglected its regular business to make a book on the championship. It is reported that one firm of commission agents has received offers to get six to one on Jerome D. Travers.

While considerable confidence is expressed by English players that an American will not carry off the championship the abilities of the American contingent, especially Travers, are fully admitted. The six players favored by the general public are Harry Vardon, Ted Ray, Tom Ellis, of London; Jerome D. Travers, the American amateur champion; James Braid, Graham, Jr., of Scotland, and Robert Harris and John Ball, both British players of note.

QUERIES ANSWERED

(Under this head the sporting editor will endeavor to answer all questions pertaining to all branches of sports.)

Dick Jemison, Sporting Editor The Constitution: How many hits did Maxey, of Gordon, give on Monday, May 11, in the game with G. M. C.?
Finn.

Dick Jemison, Sporting Editor The Constitution: Is the catcher credited with an error when he drops a foul fly and the batsman reaches first on third baseman's error. In case the batsman reaches first on error, is he credited with an error?
Fan.

Answer: The catcher gets an error, regardless of whether the batsman reaches first or not, and the batsman is credited with a hit. If the batsman reaches first on foul fly and was still running hard when the error occurred, so that he could reach first on error, the rule reads that he is entitled to advance the time at bat of a player is an error.

Crackers' Daily Hitting.

Those figures include the game in Mobile on Sunday.

Players.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	P.C.
McConnell	20	81	21	26	.321
Long	20	77	14	24	.312
Welchonce	20	78	11	24	.308
Hunch	7	26	1	7	.269
Flanagan	20	76	15	20	.263
Kircher	20	70	10	18	.257
Jennings	20	78	10	20	.256
Dent	20	81	10	20	.247
Holland	20	77	11	19	.247
Bent	5	21	4	5	.238
Clark	20	77	11	18	.234
Perryman	7	16	0	3	.187
Browning	7	16	1	3	.187
Doscher	6	13	0	1	.077
Alfred	6	13	0	1	.077
Price	6	13	1	0	.000

COLLEGE GAMES TODAY

Vanderbilt v. Chinese University, at Nashville.

G. M. C. v. Riverside, at Milledgeville.

Ninth Inning Rally Nets Gulls a 2 to 1 Victory; Fielding Was Sensational

By C. H. Sweeney.

Mobile, Ala., May 17.—(Special.)—Mobile and Atlanta staged the best ball game of the season here this afternoon before a large crowd and, for nine innings, Dent, who was on the pitching mound for the Crackers, held the Gulls scoreless and had given up but five scattered hits, but in the ninth round the visiting pitcher weakened and four hits were handed off to him, via the route which lost the game for him by a score of 2 to 1.

It was a brilliant contest and young Jimmie Keeley, a former Tri-State pitcher, who is having his first season in big company, let the fast Atlanta team down with six hits, and three of these went to the credit of McConnell, whose playing here today was of the sensational order.

Crackers' Lone Run.

An error, a sacrifice, an infield out and a single by Ribel gave the Atlanta team their only run of the game. Dent kept Leader Kirby from hitting the ball until the ninth, and then his single started the rally that gave the Gulls the first contest of the series. There was only one out when the winning run was put across the plate.

The last two innings of the game were played in the rain, and both had excellent opportunities in the sixth and seventh to send men across the plate, but the pinch hit was not produced off Keeley.

The Crackers were unable to get anything like a hit off Keeley until the fourth inning, although reached a man on third in the second with two outs, but Kircher failed to deliver.

In the fourth, Long hit to Odell at third and was safe on Hudnall's error, who stepped off the bag, but the chance's sacrifice he took second, and Flanagan's out from Perry to Odell let him take third, scoring on Ribel's single, after the center fielder had let Kircher ended the inning by grounding out to first.

The Fatal Ninth.

Dent pulled out of a bad hole in the fifth. Miller, first up, singled to center, but was forced by Doband when he took to Dent, who made a quick throw to Jennings. Keeley hit to Ribel and was safe on his error, Dobard advancing and going to third on Odell's infield out, Miller taking second and Doband scored, but he filled out to McConnell.

The undoing of Dent came about in the ninth, when the Crackers looked like they simply had the game cinched and nice Kirby, who had been unable to hit cracked out to left for a long out, after making two attempts to bunt and fouled each time, doubled to right field close on the line and Keeley trotted around to third.

Smith gave orders to walk Schmidt, it's next batter. Clark, who has been on the bench for several days, was sent in to hit for Hudnall and was safe when McConnell failed to take his infield fly and dropped it.

Miller was up and Dent hit him, but Umpire Hildebrand ruled that Dent had got in the way of the ball and called one, out in the first inning and a second Doband, next up, bunted the ball over the infield for a safety and Clark, who had half way forms already, scored, ending a grand ball game.

The Atlanta team showed a great infield, and in the eight innings before the fatal ninth, not a man got to second, three men had faced Dent.

Joe Dunn, Bill Hinchliffe and Welchonce, who are favorites here, were accorded ovations by crowds.

The Box Score.

ATLANTA—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
McConnell, 2b	4	0	2	5	4	0
Jennings, ss	4	0	0	2	3	0
Long, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Flanagan, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Kircher, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ribel, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Kirsher, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Dent, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Dent, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	1	7	25	12	1

MOBILE—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Odell, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Perry, ss	4	0	2	1	4	0
Kirby, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Hurd, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Schmidt, c	3	0	1	8	1	0
Hudnall, 1b	4	0	1	9	1	1
xClark	1	0	1	0	0	0
Miller, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Dobard, ss	4	0	2	1	2	0
Keeley, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	34	2	9	27	14	0

x—One out when winning run scored.
Catch hit for Hudnall in ninth.

Score by innings:	R.
Atlanta	.000 100 000—1
Mobile	.000 000 002—2

Summary—Two-base hits, Long; sacrifice hits, Flanagan, Welchonce; stolen bases, McConnell, Dobard; double play, Dent to Jennings to Ribel; struck out, by Keeley 3, by Dent 1; bases on balls, off Keeley 2, off Dent 1; hit by pitcher, by Keeley (McConnell); Time, 1:55. Umpires, Chestnutt and Hudderham.

Pels 5, Vols 4.

New Orleans, May 17.—The opening game of the Southern league series with Nashville went into extra innings today, the locals winning in the eleventh round by a score of 5 to 4. They broke off with a single in the eleventh and Elder drew a pass, but Hughes, Barbare and Adams brought him home. Rain delayed the starting of the game and the going was heavy. Walker struck out twelve batsmen. Vols scored a tying run in the sixth, due to Sylvester's daring base running and Burns' timely hit.

NASH.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Elder, rf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Will'n, 2b	5	0	0	4	5	0
Cullen, ss	5	0	0	1	4	0
Hoard, 1b	5	1	1	7	1	0
Burns, lf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Men'h, 3b	5	1	2	3	1	0
Barbare, c	5	1	2	8	1	0
J.Liv'g, c	4	0	1	0	1	0
Walker, p	4	0	0	0	4	0
Marsh'l, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	43	4	9	27	17	0

NEW O.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Hughes, 2b	5	0	0	1	3	0
Starr, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Sylv'r, ss	4	1	1	1	4	0
Hurn'l, c	4	1	1	7	1	0
Lit'ly, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Bluhm, 1b	5	0	0	8	0	0
Barb'e, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Adams, c	4	0	1	10	2	0
Walker, p	4	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	39	4	7	42	13	0

Batted for Stevens in 9th. †Two out when winning run scored.

Score by innings:	R.
Nashville	.001 200 000 00—3
New Orleans	.200 001 000 01—4

Summary—Errors, J. Lindsay 1, W. Lindsay 2, Cullen 2, Hoard 1, Elder 1, Starr 1, Hughes 1, Sylvester 1, Hurnell 1, Walker 1, Marshall 1. Two-base hits, Elder, Starr, Barbare 2, Sylvester 2, Starr, double plays, Barbare to Starr to Bluhm, Adams to Hughes to Starr, Williams to Cullen to Hoard; struck out, by Walker 12, Stevens 4, Marshall 2; bases on balls, off Walker 1, Stevens 5, Marshall 1; hit by pitch, by Walker (Callahan, Gibson); wild pitch, Walker; passed ball, Gibson; first on errors, Nashville 1, New Orleans 1; on balls, Nashville 1, New Orleans 1. Time, 2:10. Umpires, Rudderham and Callahan.

Lookouts 10, Billikens 2.

Montgomery, Ala., May 17.—Chattanooga won their first game of the season from Montgomery this afternoon in easy fashion, 10 to 2. East started for Montgomery and, after passing three batters and hitting one, forcing in one run, was replaced by Nelson, who passed the first batter up and yielded two two-base hits in the first inning, during which ten Chattanoogans came to bat. After this inning, Nelson settled down and pitched good ball, but Montgomery could not overcome the lead of six runs. Knaupp's fielding and a running one-hand catch by Jacobsen were features of the game.

CHAT.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Jobe, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Balentine, 2b	3	2	2	3	4	0
Jaco'sen, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
M'Cabe, rf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Bridges, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0
Flick, 3b	3	2	2	1	2	0
Bryan, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	0
Street, c	5	0	2	7	0	0
Sheap	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	39	10	12	37	10	0

MONT.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Knaupp, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Smyth, 2b	4	0	0	2	4	0
Daley, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Gribbs, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Stuart, 3b	3	1	2	1	2	0
Ellis, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Kus'ma, c	4	0	0	5	0	0
Nelson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Klein'w, c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Kelly, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Nelson, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	2	4	27	12	0

Score by innings:
Chattanooga ..... 520 000 100—10
Montgomery ..... 000 200 000—2

Summary—Errors, Balentine 1, Jacobsen 1, Baker 2, Jantzen 1; two-base hits, Graff, Street; sacrifice hit, Jacobsen; stolen bases, Balentine, Jacobsen, Flick; double plays, Graff to Flick to Coyle, Baker to Knaupp to Gribbens; bases on balls, off Ezet 3, off Nelson 1, off Sliss 1; left on bases, Chattanooga 4, Montgomery 5; hit by pitched ball, by Nelson (Jobe), by Sliss (Kleinow 3); hits, off Ezet none in 1-2 inning, with 1 run, off Nelson 8 in 8 1-2 innings, with 9 runs, off Sliss 3 in 1 inning, with 1 run, off Nelson 2 in 1 inning, with 1 run, off Kelly 1 in 1 inning; struck out, by Sliss 8, by Nelson 3; wild pitches, Nelson 2. Time, 2:16. Umpires, Karin and Fifield.

Turtles 3, Barons 2.

Memphis, Tenn., May 17.—Mullen's single in the twelfth inning scored two runs and gave the Turtles a 3 to 2 victory over Birmingham today. Up to the twelfth both Holmes and Brown pitched excellent ball, and neither team scored. Both weakened in the last inning, Birmingham scoring two runs and Memphis paving the way to a victory before Hardin relieved Brown.

MEM.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	BIR.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.
Allen, rf	5	0	1	2	0	Mc'Ard, 3	5	0	1	1	2
Coyle, sf	4	0	1	3	1	Mar'n, 2b	4	0	1	3	0
Rue, c	4	0	1	3	0	Shaw, cf	4	0	1	2	0
Mull'n, 2b	5	0	1	3	2	Kady, rf	5	1	1	1	0
Dalton, lf	4	0	0	2	0	Mayer, c	4	0	0	5	0
Mc'Det, 3	4	0	1	4	1	Carroll, lb	5	0	2	15	0
Hall, ss	4	0	0	1	3	Hall, ss	4	0	0	2	3
Mc'Cabe, lf	4	0	0	2	0	Dilger, c	0	0	0	2	0
Brown, p	4	0	0	0	2	Brown, p	4	0	0	0	2
†Wilson	1	1	0	0	0	Hardin, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	2	5	20	9	Totals	39	2	5	34	16

†Hit for Holmes in 12th. (McDonald out, hit by batted ball. Also out when winning run scored.

Score by innings:	R.
Memphis	.000 000 000 002—2
Birmingham	.000 000 000 003—3

Summary: Errors, Shanley 3, Miller 1, G. Merritt 1; two-base hit, Shanley; stolen bases, Kelsey, Miller, Dilger; sacrifice hits, Shanley, Dilger; double play, Coyle to Mullen; hits, off Brown 5 in 11 1-3 innings, passed ball, Bemis; bases on balls, off Holmes 3, off Klein 1; struck out, by Holmes 3, by Brown 8; hit by pitcher, Ellam. Time, 2:35. Umpire, O'Toole.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Phillies 4, Cubs 2.

Chicago, May 17.—Philadelphia defeated Chicago in a pitchers' duel this afternoon by a score of 4 to 2. Alexander got in the way of the ball and called one out in the first inning and a second Doband, next up, bunted the ball over the infield for a safety and Clark, who had half way forms already, scored, ending a grand ball game.

Alexander was shown a great infield, and in the eight innings before the fatal ninth, not a man got to second, three men had faced Dent.

Joe Dunn, Bill Hinchliffe and Welchonce, who are favorites here, were accorded ovations by crowds.

Score by innings:	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	000 010 000 010 2—4 8 2
Chicago	000 000 100 001 0—2 7 0

Batteries: Mayer and Dooin; Cheney, Humphries and Bresnahan. Time, 2:50. Umpires, Eason and Quigley.

Reds 5, Giants 1.

Cincinnati, May 17.—Cincinnati outbatted and outfielded New York today and won, 5 to 1. Tesreau, who pitched excellent ball, while Fromme, who started the contest for New York, was hit hard and was relieved by Wiltse in the eighth inning.

Score by innings:	R. H. E.
New York	.100 000 000—1 6 4
Cincinnati	.000 002 011 01x—5 11 0

Batteries: Fromme, Wiltse and Meyers; Ames and Clark. Time, 1:57. Umpires, Rigler and Emslie.

Cards 5, Dodgers 2.

St. Louis, May 17.—The wild pitching of Aitchison and the heavy batting of St. Louis today gave the locals victory over Brooklyn, 5 to 2. Daubert hit into high field for a home run in the first inning. In the seventh Wheat singled and virtually stole the run of his way home.

Score by innings:	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	.100 000 100—2 6 2
St. Louis	.000 000 05x—5 7 0

Batteries—Aitchison, Wagner, Schultz and Miller; Robinson and Snyder. Time 1:55. Umpires, Hart and Finneran.

Only three scheduled.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Chicago 5, Pittsburg 2.

Chicago, May 17.—Home runs by Tinker and Beck gave Chicago a 5 to 2 victory over Pittsburg. The visitors hit harder than the locals but ran the bases poorly. Chicago fielded well.

Score by innings:	R. H. E.
Pittsburg	.000 010 010—2 7 1
Chicago	.000 002 02x—5 7 0

Batteries—Hendrix, Berger and Berry; Watson, Hendrix and Wilson.

Only one scheduled.

OTHER RESULTS

American Association.

Colu's 6, Kan. City 4. St. P. 3, Indian's 0.
Cleve'd 4, Minneap's 1. Louis's 2, Milwa's 5.

Texas League.

Beaum't 15, Houston 7. Galveston 7, Waco 5. Dallas 5, San Anto 0. Ft. Worth-Gal's, rain.

International League.

Montreal 2, Baltimore 11.

TODAY'S GAMES

Southern League.

Atlanta in Mobile. Chattan'ga in Mont'y. Nashville in New Orleans. Birmin'm in Memph's.

South Atlantic League.

Columbus in Augu's, Jacks'n in Charleston, Albany in Columbus, Macon in Savannah.

American League.

Cleve'd in Washin. Chicago in Philadel'a. St. Louis in New York. Detroit in Boston.

National League.

Boston in Pittsburg. New York in Cincin'l. Philadel'a in Chicago. Brooklyn in St. Louis.

Federal League.

Chicago in Pittsburg. Kan. City in Balti'e. Indianapolis in Brooklyn. St. Louis in Buff'o.

Georgia State League.

Cordele in Brunswick. Amer's in Thom's. Waycross in Valdosta.

Police Broke Up Game.

Scranton, Pa., May 17.—A baseball game between the Syracuse and Scranton teams of the New York State league was broken up by the police here today. The battery was arrested after one man had been retired at first. Team owners say they will appeal to the commissioner and ask a showdown on the only officials.

THREE NEW RIDERS AT LOCAL TRACK

Renel, Lockner and Hall Will Join Those Already Here, Making Twelve in All.

The three Georges—Lockner, Renel and Hall—will arrive here this morning from Chicago to train on the local motorcycle track Tuesday night.

With the arrival of these three speed merchants, there will be twelve of the greatest motorcycle riders in the world at the local speedway.

They have absolutely the fastest machines in the world, machines capable of turning better than ninety miles an hour on the 2-lap track, and cover one hundred on a straight-away.

With such conditions existing, the local track fans have some treats in store for them when they visit the local Motordrome for the first race Tuesday night.

There will be three heats and a final of a Motordrome purse, the heats, two miles and the final, three. There will be three heats of a sweepstakes of three miles each and a final of four miles. There will be some special match and consolation races.

All in all a most attractive program has been arranged.

LOBERT AND COBB BEST RUN GETTERS

Ty Cobb and Hans Lobert are the leading run-getters of the major leagues so far, including the games played Wednesday, May 13. Here are the leading run-getters in each major league:

American League.

Players—Clubs.	G.	R.	Ave.
Cobb, Detroit	24	22	.52
Murphy, Athletics	24	20	.50
Bush, Detroit	24	19	.19
Speaker, Boston	24	19	.17
Kavanaugh, Detroit	24	16	.17
Baker, Athletics	24	16	.17
Scott, Washington	24	16	.17
Milan, Washington	24	16	.17
Walsh, Chicago	24	16	.17
Mullen, New York	24	16	.17
Foster, Washington	23	18	.39

National League.

Players—Clubs.	G.	R.	Ave.
Lobert, Philadelphia	24	15	.44
Doyle, New York	24	16	.33
Bescher, Brooklyn	24	16	.33
Cutshaw, Brooklyn	24	16	.33
Bates, New York	24	16	.33
S. Magee, Philadelphia	24	16	.33
Wagner, Pittsburg	24	16	.33
Magee, Cincinnati	23	14	.44
Konetchy, Pittsburg	20	12	.44

Crawford and Daubert The Leading Sluggers Of Two Major Leagues

Jake Daubert, of the Brooklyn National, and Sam Crawford, of the Detroit Tigers, are the leading sluggers of their respective leagues.

Here are the ten leading sluggers up to and including the games played Wednesday, May 13:

American League.

Players—Clubs.	AB.	R.	H.	TB.	Ex.B.	Ave.
Crawford, Detroit	84	15	36	52	16	.429
Jackson, Cleveland	84	15	36	50	14	.429
Cobb, Detroit	84	22	36	47	11	.429
Walker, St. Louis	84	12	35	46	11	.417
Speaker, Boston	84	19	35	45	10	.417
G. Williams, St. L.	84	10	35	43	8	.417
Veach, Detroit	84	13	35	43	8	.417
E. Murphy, Ath.	84	20	35	42	7	.417
Baker, Athletics	84	16	35	41	6	.417
Chase, Chicago	84	12	35	41	6	.417

National League.

Players—Clubs.	AB.	R.	H.	TB.	Ex.B.	Ave.
Daubert, Brooklyn	84	7	40	55	15	.487
Lobert, Philadelphia	84	15	37	51	14	.440
Lobert, Phila.	84	7	37	51	14	.440
Bescher, Brooklyn	84	16	37	50	13	.440
Wheat, Brooklyn	84	7	37	50	13	.440
Daubert, Cincinnati	84	7	37	50	13	.440
Bates, Chicago	84	7	37	50	13	.440
Magee, Cincinnati	84	7	37	50	13	.440
Bates, Cincinnati	84	7	37	50	13	.440
Zimmerman, Chi.	84	7	37	50	13	.440

BLACKBURN AND MORAN LEAD BASE STEALERS

Russell Blackburn, of the White Sox, and Pat Moran, of the Reds, lead the two major leagues in stolen bases. Here are the ten leading base-stealers up to and including the games played Wednesday, May 13:

American League.

Players—Clubs.	G.	S.B.	Ave.
Barry, Athletics	13	6	.462
Blackburn, Chicago	13	6	.462
Maisel, New York	13	5	.416
Milan, Washington	24	9	.375
Dubuc, Detroit	24	9	.375
Pechinich, Athletics	13	4	.308
E. Collins, Athletics	13	4	.308
Veach, Detroit	24	7	.292
Shotten, St. Louis	13	3	.231
Cobb, Detroit	24	5	.208

National League.

Players—Clubs.	G.	S.B.	Ave.
Moran, Cincinnati	13	7	.538
Burns, New York	15	6	.40
Magee, Cincinnati	23	9	.391
Carey, Pittsburg	20	7	.350
Hyatt, Philadelphia	13	4	.308
Lobert, Philadelphia	24	7	.292
Bates, Chicago	13	3	.231
Wagner, Pittsburg	24	5	.208
Doyle, New York	24	5	.208
L. Magee, St. Louis	24	5	.208

RIVAL PHILLY CLUBS BEST IN BATTING

The rival Philadelphia clubs in the two major leagues are the best batting clubs to date. Here are the team batting figures up to and including the games played Wednesday, May 13:

American League.

Clubs.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Ave.
Athletics	21	767	92	204	.266
Detroit	24	868	112	230	.265
Cleveland	22	748	80	187	.250
Washington	24	822	86	205	.249
St. Louis	24	817	87	198	.242
New York	24	774	78	178	.230
Chicago	21	723	69	166	.229
Boston	24	774	76	178	.230

National League.

Clubs.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Ave.
Philadelphia	24	826	110	231	.280
Brooklyn	24	828	76	191	.230
New York	24	774	78	178	.230
Pittsburg	24	772	77	177	.229
Cincinnati	24	802	77	176	.219
Boston	24	774	76	178	.230
St. Louis	24	778	76	179	.230

DETROIT AND BOSTON BEST FIELDING CLUBS

The Detroit Americans and the Boston Nationals are the best fielding clubs in the major leagues. Here are the fielding averages up to and including the games played Wednesday, May 13:

American League.

Clubs.	G.	A.	E.	Ave.
Detroit	24	862	37	.957
New York	24	874	38	.957
Cleveland	23	694	30	.957
St. Louis	24	884	39	.956
Boston	24	877	38	.957
Athletics	24	877	38	.957
Washington	23	818	39	.953
Chicago	24	823	39	.953

National League.

Clubs.	G.	PO.	A.	E.	Ave.
Boston	24	657	317	16	.984
St. Louis	24	662	316	17	.982
Brooklyn	24	662	316	17	.982
New York	24	655	303	17	.977
Pittsburg	24	655	303	17	.977
Cincinnati	24	658	272	20	.977
Chicago	24	658	272	20	.977
Philadelphia	24	659	286	20	.976

State Prep School Title Will Be Decided Today

Milledgeville, Ga., May 17.—(Special.)—The state prep baseball title will be decided here Monday and Tuesday.

The Riverside Military academy baseball team will come here on those dates for return games with the Georgia Military college team.

Georgia Military college visited Gainesville earlier in the season, winning and tying a game with Riverside.

One victory for G. M. C. will give them the state prep title. Two victories for Riverside would muddy things up considerably.

G. M. C., by reason of her easy victories over Gordon recently, will naturally be able to use the favorite, which as Gordon tied Riverside, winning and losing two games to the Gainesville cadets.

Riverside's coaches have been working with might and main and will put a very formidable team on the field here Monday and Tuesday.

Morris will twirl for Riverside, with Gunaling for G. M. C. in Monday's game.

Grammar School League Play-Off Starts Today

The play-off between the winners in the Grammar School league's two divisions, the North Side and the South Side will begin today.

The contesting teams, Formwalt on the south side and Oakland on the north side, won handily in their respective divisions, and the winners of the play-off will be considered the Grammar school champions of the city.

Today's game will be played at Piedmont park. The second game of the series will be played Wednesday at Brisbine park, and the final game of the series Monday at Piedmont park.

STATE PREP TRACK MEET IN ATLANTA

Will Be Held Friday and Saturday at Grant Field. 7 Teams Entered.

The State Prep School track meet will be held in Atlanta Friday and Saturday under the auspices of the athletic authorities of the Georgia School of Technology at Grant field.

This is the first state prep track meet to be held, and is being held in the interest of the development of scholastic track and field athletics of the state of Georgia.

Seven schools have entered the meet, a splendid showing for the first year. They are Donald Fraser, Georgia Military academy, Toccoa High school, Reinhart Military college, Second, Sixth and Ninth District Agricultural schools.

STANDING OF CLUBS

Southern League.			National League.		
CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Chatt'ga	10	6	.625	Pittsburg	16	6	.727
New Or	10	6	.625	New York	13	7	.722
Atl'ta	11	7	.611	Cincinnati	12	11	.522
Birmin'm	10	8	.556	Brooklyn	11	9	.550
Memph's	9	8	.529	Chicago	11	11	.500
Nashville	8	9	.471	Boston	9	11	.450
Montg'ry	6	11	.353	St. Louis	8	13	.381
Mobile	5	11	.313	Philadel'a	7	14	.333
Memphis	3	13	.167	Boston	5	16	.238

South Atlantic League.				South Atlantic League.			
CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Savannah	16	8	.667	Baltimore	21	7	.750
Jacksonv'e	22	12	.647	St. Louis	24	10	.706
Charleston	20	12	.625	Buffalo	19	13	.594
Columbia	20	16	.538	Chicago	14	13	.519
Albany	17	16	.515	Kansas City	14	15	.483
Macon	14	22	.389	Buffalo	13	19	.429
Augusta	11	22	.333	Indianap's	11	19	.367
Columbus	10	24	.294	Pittsburg	8	24	.250

American League.				Ga.-Ala. League.			
CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Detroit	19	8	.704	LaGrange	10	2	.833
Washing'n	13	11	.542	Griffin	7	3	.700
Washing'n	13	11	.542	Selma	6	5	.545
Athletics	13	11	.542	Rome	6	5	.545
St. Louis	12	13	.480	Newnan	6	6	.500

PLANNING TO PUSH TRUST MEASURES

House Leaders Expect a Fight of Three Weeks. Senate Will Soon Vote on Tolls Exemption Repeal.

Washington, May 17.—With debate in the senate on repeal of the tolls exemption clause of the Panama canal act nearing the end, the house this week will take up what it considers the most important work of the session, consideration of the three so-called anti-trust bills, which, with the necessary appropriation bills, now make up the administration's legislative program.

Democratic leaders in the senate aligned with the president for repeal of tolls exemption expect to see debate closed by Saturday, but the most optimistic house leaders do not believe the three trust measures can be passed in less than three weeks. The trio will be taken up by the house under a special rule which will be reported Tuesday.

The rule as framed in committee will limit general debate to forty hours, but there will be no limitation to debate under the "five-minute" rule, and no limit upon the amendments which may be offered.

Labor and Farm Unions.

Aside from the fight which is expected on the broad principles laid down in each of the bills there will be a particularly bitter struggle on the part of members favorable to labor and agricultural unions to exempt them from the operation of the Sherman anti-trust law. President Wilson is understood to have told house leaders interested in this legislation that he does not approve this exemption, and there is little doubt that his desires will be met, but a strong effort will be made to incorporate the exemption amendment.

Members of both houses are still greatly interested in the prospects for adjournment by the middle of July, but unless senate leaders decide not to press anti-trust legislation there seems to be little probability of adjournment before August 1, at the earliest. There has been some talk at the capitol that the senate should pass only one "trust" bill, which would create a trade commission and that one of its duties would be to investigate such subjects as interlocking directorates, holding companies and railway capitalization and report its findings next winter. With other appropriation bills to be passed and a vote yet to be taken on repeal of tolls exemption, democratic leaders in the senate may yet turn to this course as the only one to assure adjournment in July.

The Free Tolls Fight.

The fight over the repeal bill is expected to reach its climax during the present week. Five senators have given notice of their intention to speak on the subject, and several others probably will give such notice within the next few days. Majority Leader Kern is hopeful that a vote may be taken by Monday. The administration, confident of its leaders' ability to get the repeal bill will carry, has not ceased its efforts. A statement was issued tonight from headquarters of the democratic national committee declaring that in response to an inquiry by Senator Gore, 762 delegates to the Baltimore convention out of 767 heard from have registered opposition to the free toll plank of the democratic platform. The statement says that 137 delegates stand for the free toll provision, and that letters from 23 others are noncommittal.

The house has about cleared the way for the anti-trust bill. The rules committee will meet tomorrow and pass upon the informal understanding reached by some of its democratic members to present a blanket rule for the passage of the trio. This rule, as it was contemplated, would provide for taking up first the Covington interstate trade commission bill, then the Clayton anti-trust bill, which consolidates a number of former independent bills relating to interlocking directorates, holding companies, price-fixing and price discrimination, definitions of the Sherman anti-trust law, and, last, the Rayburn bill to regulate the issuance of stocks and bonds by railroads.

The forty hours of general debate the rule will allow is to be divided so as to give twenty hours to be controlled by the interstate commerce committee, which reported the trade commission bill, the committee on judiciary committee, which reported the anti-trust bill.

Talk of Another Caucus.

Tomorrow will be devoted in the house to a final effort to clear up some of the minor pending bills. The plan is to present the trust legislation rule when the house convenes Tuesday, with a view to a brief discussion before its adoption and then to begin the real debate. Many speeches are in prospect on all three measures.

Meantime there is talk of another caucus as soon as the trust bills are out of the way to discuss a rural credits bill, several conservation bills and some other measures whose sponsors want an opportunity for their consideration before adjournment. The advocates of rural credits have gained some strength and contend that all differences could be smoothed out if the full banking and currency committee would meet and take up the subcommittee report on the Bulkley bill, and would confer with the president.

The banking and currency committee, however, is virtually closed for the session, under Chairman Glass, who is conferring with some of the other members, should decide to call a meeting to go over the question.

A further urgent deficiency bill, appropriating upwards of $4,000,000 because of army and navy activities in Mexico, will be passed by the house as soon as possible. The sundry civil appropriation bill, the largest of all the annual supply measures, will be reported for consideration after the anti-trust bills are passed.

TAFT PESSIMISTIC ABOUT MEDIATION

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us have it fully understood that we go into it 'in the service of mankind,' and not upon the issue of a mere punctilio in naval ceremonial. Let us not stand lightly or unadvisedly on a course that will involve a sacrifice the extent of which may well make us pause.

Difficulty of War in Mexico.

"There are 14,000,000 people in Mexico. Much of it is in the tropics. There are 760,000 square miles. Large parts of it are trackless deserts; large parts of it are difficult mountain ranges; large parts of it are tropical jungle and forest. We have, say, 50,000 mobile troops of the regular army fit to take the field in Mexico. Of the available military force of Mexicans trained and made hardy by three-year war are to be massed against our troops we should need a much greater army than we now have to capture the large strategic inland towns. After we had captured them and dispersed the armies, the forces against us would adopt the system of guerrilla warfare. That is easy to carry on and difficult to suppress in such a country. The best expert estimate of the force required by us to garrison the necessary towns, suppress guerilla warfare and tranquilize the country is 400,000 men, and it is said that this would take two or three years and involve an expenditure of $1,000,000 a day.

"The case for us to pursue, if the duty is before us, of suppressing anarchy in Mexico, would be to blockade all the Mexican ports, because the military resources of the country is not in lack of hardy men, but in lack of military supplies and in lack of food provision. If we could be content to take the exports and blockade the country while we were getting a reasonable preparation for the task, then, when ready for action, we could do the work at the least cost of life and time and money. But the public might grow impatient with this counsel of prudence. We would probably have to act quickly and possibly meet some painful mishaps due to lack of preparation. The suppression of guerilla bands would be long drawn out.

It Would Be Dead Pull.

"It would be a dead pull which would wear the patience of the nation and in which the few lives lost in each little engagement would total large and would grow more and less tolerable as the dreary contest went on. Disease in that country would thin our ranks more than bullets. Then after having lost thousands of lives and expended a treasure double that which it has cost us to give to the world the Panama canal, we would have on our hands a hostile Mexican people without any gratitude for our sacrifices. Our duty to them and to ourselves would be to give them a government as secure as practicable, against a recurrence of anarchical conditions and affording them an opportunity for material and intellectual progress.

"The latter task would be even more difficult than that of the war and the work of tranquillization. It might take us years. Having entered upon the war from a sense of duty, and attaining control to make our work effective, we would be charged with being land grabbers. Indeed, after the burden of cost, many of our people would be anxious to annex part or all of the tranquillized territory as compensation and in the interest of both peoples.

"The fateful consequences of war, no one can anticipate. He who multiplies the possible evil results is likely to prove a prophet. In war the cause of good and efficient civil government suffers, corruption and waste follow in its wake. In the burst of patriotic enthusiasm, the sordid politician finds his greatest opportunity. Let us pray, then, that our government at Washington may escape this tremendous task. Let us hope that Carranza, with our aid and influence, will bring about a condition of affairs, responsibility for which will not entail upon us burdensome consequences.

People to Do Their Duty.

"We should take much satisfaction in some phases of the situation, doubtful as others may be. True it is that the prospect of war flows not awaken general, popular enthusiasm. The people are determined to do their duty, should that duty involve a war, and to go into it with races stern and teeth set, and to clean up the job as promptly as it can be done; but they have at present little enthusiasm for it. May we not attribute this to their growing love of peace as well as to the absence of those soul-stirring issues which arouse warlike enthusiasm?

"The other good thing is the offer of mediation by the three great nations of South America and prompt acceptance. With the refusal by one of the warring Mexican parties to accept mediation, and with the possible defeat of the other, it may be that the final result of such mediation may not be what is hoped for it. Still the situation is so full of possible good changes that one cannot prophesy that the sincere effort of these mediators may not accomplish good.

Great Step for Future.

"But whatever may result, the offer of mediation and our acceptance are in themselves a great step toward the future solution of international difficulties in this hemisphere. It is said that it ends the Monroe doctrine. If we can unite with us the great powers of South America so as to use our joint good offices to bring about peace whenever controversy arises between the nations of this hemisphere and to prevent the oppressive or unjust intervention of European powers, the Monroe doctrine is greatly strengthened for good. We shall thus remove the ill-will that a misunderstanding of the real limitation of that doctrine has aroused among South Americans.

"And so let us separate today hoping and praying that out of the complicated situation that we have before us, a course may be found honorable and in every way directed by high national purpose which shall confer trust upon the people of the United States a heavy burden, the extent of which we cannot measure and one which will lead to peace. Let us uphold the hands of the president in his effort to find it."

BAPTIST CHURCHES GIVE BIG REVIVAL

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the headquarters for the campaign among their churches.

The program arranged for today includes a union meeting this morning at 9:15 at the First Baptist church, from which workers from all the congregations will attend. This meeting will continue until noon, and will be in the nature of a meeting of the personal workers of the city.

Services Tonight.

Services in all the Baptist churches will be held tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Meetings in the shops and factories of Atlanta will begin Tuesday, and Wednesday at noon the theaters in the Bijou theater will be begun.

A request has been made by the Baptists that every Christian in Atlanta pause at noon while the campaign is on and spend a few moments in prayer for the success of the efforts which are being made.

The aim of the Baptists in this campaign is to effect a revival in Atlanta greater than has ever been seen here, and with Atlanta as a center to extend the work throughout the south.

At the First Baptist.

On the subject, "Unbelief," Rev. J. H. Dew, of Missouri, conducted a unique service yesterday morning at the First Baptist church.

No set sermon was delivered, but a continuous discourse was made by the connection of various biblical texts of the subject, which were read by designated members of the congregation.

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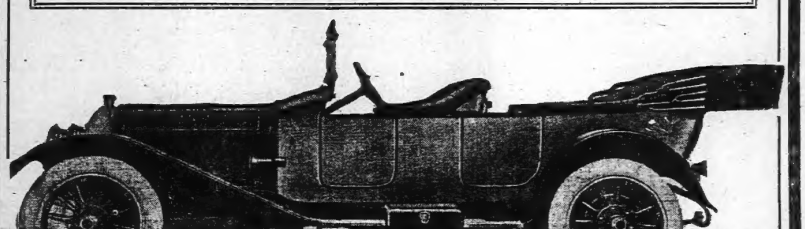
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In the cultivation of this corn I have ploughed it about every fifteen days. I have a large one-horse cultivator and I have narrowed it across the rows with a peg-tooth harrow, and I have never ploughed at all. It is now about knee high and I propose now to fix a middle buster and then followed with a heavy 18-inch cut-away disk harrow, I plant-ing in the middle of the middle, the land sent rows five feet, running the middle out with a "middle buster," following it with a sub-soil, planting the corn in the water furrow, putting down about five hundred pounds of a mixture of my own composition of 700 pounds high grade cotton seed meal, 1,100 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate, 200 pounds muriate of potash. I planted with a corn dropper and put eighteen inches apart, with a fairly good stand—not absolutely a perfect, however.

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PREACHES SERMON ON "SHRINE WEEK"

Dr. Dunbar H. Ogden Declares Events of Last Week Proved the Wholesomeness of Play.

How "Shrine week" revealed in Atlanta the truth of the prophesy of Zachary to Jehova, the host, "And the streets shall be filled with boys and girls thereof," formed the theme of a timely and highly instructive sermon by Dr. Dunbar H. Ogden before a large congregation at the Central Presbyterian church last night.

He declared, in the course of his comment anent the visit of the Shriners to Atlanta, that the general verdict is that the crowds were well behaved, and that good nature prevailed.

"But, even if things were not as they should be," said Dr. Ogden. "Certainly last Sunday was no occasion for allowing all phases of amusement to be open, and certainly there was no excuse for allowing the beer saloons to remain open until 1 o'clock every morning.

"But it appears that all the reprehensible things were not done by our guests.

"Play an Essential.

Dr. Ogden emphasized the fact that play is an essential of life. He declared that play has a deep significance because it is a revealer of life; that it also reveals character. He pointed out that play reveals character because no one can judge a man by the things in which he most rejoices. He said that play means the recreating of life, and not the dissipation of life, and charged that the deadliest enemy of play is sin.

"Yesterday afternoon I witnessed a game of baseball between two college teams," Dr. Ogden explained. "The game was interesting, and afforded wholesome play and entertainment. But I saw some men and boys gambling on the result. That was to me an illustration of the enmity of sin toward play."

Dr. Ogden said that there is no sin in dancing, and he asked his congregation if any member saw sin in two bodies swaying to the sound of music.

"The sin is the indecency of a thing," he pointed out.

Dr. Ogden also pointed out that there is no sin in the portrayal of scenes, stories, dramas and the like on the stage, but he said that the sin was in the indecency.

"Sin is the enemy of play because instead of recreating life it dissipates life, pollutes life, and takes the pleasure of life away," he said. "It is a pity we have not got dancing without the coarse inventions of immodesty and indecency."

Commenting on the duty of the church, Dr. Ogden said that the attitude of the church has been that of withdrawal or aversion. He argued that the church should stand in the attitude of discrimination and should muster a fighting spirit. He said that if the church had taken that position years ago the social problem that is the world would have been different.

Open Doors for Play.

He also dwelt on the necessity of parents opening the doors of their homes to their children for play. He said that church socials and the like will never take the place of home socials and the like. He told of the social welfare work planned out for the Fourth Presbyterian church of Chicago, now being erected at a cost of $750,000, and pointed out that the churches, like the Chicago church, should look after the social wants of its boys and girls.

Moving pictures as an entertainment for boys and girls received some comment. Dr. Ogden explained that boys and girls crowd into the theaters and good people ask themselves: "Is it any concern of mine if young people amuse themselves that?" He charged that it is a duty for the church and Christian people owe children to concern themselves in the social wants of.

Dr. Ogden closed with a strong appeal to his congregation to give more thought to pure, wholesome and invigorating play. He pleaded with fathers and mothers to open their doors to their children instead of allowing the children to look after their own social wants.

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Freed prisoners of San Juan de Ulua prison, Vera Cruz.

One of the greatest outrages in Mexico before the Americans landed was the condition of the political prisoners in the San Juan de Ulua prison, Vera Cruz. Hundreds of these unfortunates were confined in the damp, foul, disease breeding dungeons of the old fort, without light, little air and not much to eat. The first thing the American army did when the city was captured was to free these prisoners and clean up the prison. Some of the unfortunates were half crazed by their horrible confinement. They were in tatters, emaciated and dirty. This striking picture shows a group of them after they were released, happy and joyful for the first time in years. They are cheering the Americans.

HOLDERBY RETAINED BY MOORE MEMORIAL

Pastor Agrees to Withdraw Resignation When Congregation Accepts Conditions.

A large congregation assembled at Moore Memorial church Sunday morning to act upon the resignation of their pastor, Dr. A. R. Holderby.

Rev. A. R. Little, D. D., of the West minister Presbyterian church, had been invited to preach, having exchanged pulpits with Dr. Holderby.

Dr. Little preached an able and effective sermon on the "Effectual Prayer of the Righteous Man."

After the sermon the meeting was called to order, and the letter from the pastor was read in which he agreed to withdraw his resignation under certain conditions. The congregation heartily agreed to the conditions and instructed the board of deacons to canvass the membership of the church for the purpose of adjusting the finances and to report a report of the result to the congregation on Sunday, May 31.

Immediately after the letter was read it was decided to comply with all of the conditions named by the pastor, he has agreed to withdraw his resignation.

AT THE THEATERS

Keith Vaudeville.

(At the Forsyth.

A bill of extraordinary importance is the offering at the Forsyth this week, extraordinary in its features, in that Joseph Keenan, one of the most distinguished actors of the country, is presented for the first time at character actor of any place. It was Mr. Keenan who for years played the role of the sheriff in that wonderful Belasco production, "The Girl of the Golden West," his six supporting acts are wonderfully well arranged and each worthy, for the Hippodrom walker, George N. Brown, who will give exclusive imitations of the "Big Boss" of Tammany; then there is Leona Stephens, who was with Sousa's band and who is a talented singing comedienne; John Geiger, the wonderful violinist, who makes his Keith debut; Jim Topsy and Ann Norman, who are laughmakers; Joseph Rogers and Frank Conroy, portray our country cousins, and the Dijou Fils, who will surely delight.

"Sealed Orders."

(At the Grand.)

The much-heralded "Sealed Orders," a seven-reel feature, is the attraction at the engagement at the Grand today. It is said to be spectacular in the extreme. At the same time, love, pathos and comedy have a conspicuous part in the production. The New York press proclaims it the greatest war drama ever produced for the screen, and the fact that it ran for many weeks at the New York theater to high prices should be enough recommendation for local amusement lovers. Four performances will be given daily at 2:00, 3:30, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m. and ten reels of pictures will furnish music in keeping with the scenes of the pictures to be shown. Admission will be 10 cents and at the evening performances 10 and 15 cents are the prices charged.

Veteran Mayor Dead.

Wythesville, Va., May 17.—(Special.)—Woodville Smith, veteran mayor of Lynchburg, died here today. He had been in most progressive business men of the city, and chairman of the agricultural committee of the Lynchburg Industrial club, shipped the first lot of watermelons from Georgia to the north from Georgia this season. The shipment consisted of twenty-five hundred pounds and were consigned to Scarboro market.

"Unwritten Law" Killing.

Charlestown, S. C., May 17.—Andrew McCormick, a painter, shot and killed Joseph Phillips, a pipe fitter, on the street here today. The shooting occurred this afternoon. Both men were employed on the yard here. It is reported that McCormick will plead the unwritten law as justification of the killing, but he has refused to make a statement.

Some Statistical Shocks.

(From Power.)

There are some surprises contained in this report of the central station statistics. Based upon population we find Montana leading, with 1,000 per capita output of 1,000 kilowatt-hours per person; California with 715 kilowatt-hours per person; Idaho has 384; New York and Illinois 329 and 304, respectively; Massachusetts, 116; Ohio, 110 and Pennsylvania, 100.

California, with a total output fourfifths that of New York, has three times the power per person, for the average price per kilowatt-hour in only about six-tenths that in New York. Again, Illinois, will two and one-half times the population of California, sold only two-thirds the amount of power, the average price per kilowatt-hour being nearly double.

Of course, when it comes to enumerating the total kilowatt-hours output, New York leads easily with 7,376,000,000, California is a close second with 1,747,000,000, and Illinois, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Ohio and Massachusetts follow in the order named.

FREE TOLLS OPPOSED BY DELEGATE BROWN

Washington, May 17.—(Special.)—Few of the Georgia delegates to the Baltimore convention have yet replied to the letter addressed to them by Senator Thomas F. Gore, of Oklahoma, asking their impressions of the tolls sticking plank in the last national platform.

For the last few weeks Senator Gore has been making public the replies received. These show that few of the delegates paid any attention to the toll exemption in the platform, if, indeed, they knew it was there.

In the letters made public tonight is one from Thomas E. Brown, attorney-at-law, of Elberton, Ga., a delegate to the Baltimore convention.

"I know nothing about the free tolls for coastwise shipping plank inserted in the platform," writes Mr. Brown. "I am heartily in favor of the repeal of the provision. I think all ships ought to pay toll, and in this way the people will get the benefit of the canal and the money we have spent on it."

Compulsory Unionism.

(From The New York Sun.)

The state of civil war, with all its horrors, that has arisen in Colorado through the refusal of a small number of miners, members of a labor union, to comply with the rules of the only union labor directs renewed attention to a very impressive manifestation of the folly of the anti-trust bill now pending congress. This measure, which has become known to which the present administration has gone its full length in support and in favor of the labor union members. Ever since President Wilson has assumed office, the most persistent pressure has been brought to bear upon him and members of his party to procure the enactment of laws having for their object, substantially, a compulsory unionizing of labor and the erection of the "closed shop" in every branch of the country's business.

The administration has not wholly uncumbed to this, but with every answer to be charitable, we are bound to say that it has gone a great way toward yielding. Last summer we had representatives of the labor unions were able to get congress to insert a clause in the deficiency appropriation bill providing that none of the $20,000,000 appropriated for the department of justice should be spent in any prosecutions directed against farmers and labor unions under the Sherman law. President Wilson signed the bill reluctantly, as he said, and only because the department of justice had other funds on hand by means of which it could conduct a prosecution of farmers and labor unions if it desired to do so. Nevertheless the department of justice has never instituted any such prosecution, although abundant grounds have been offered for action in numberless instances; and it is clear that the department was not oversupplied with funds for any purpose, as otherwise it would not have made application to congress for a deficiency appropriation. Now, in the revised antitrust bill the general effort of the kind described has been renewed and with even greater force.

What is going further into the subtleties and metaphysics of these matters is it not enough to consider what a monstrous public disgrace it would be if the government of the United States were hampered in its dealings with such outrages as those that have been perpetrated in Colorado by any labor union? The existing law has been alluded to? Can there be any doubt that if this proposal becomes law it will not be a disaster in the country? What is now sought to be done in congress is to legalize the conspiracy by certain classes of people. The effect will certainly fail, and we are glad to notice that even the democratic majority in the house of the committee of the United States senate to which interstate commerce has declared against it.

"Moral Suasion."

(From Motherhood.)

"Bless me," said Tommy's great uncle. "Do you mean to say that your teachers never thrash you?"

Never," replied Tommy. "We have moral suasion in our school."

"What's that?"

"Oh, we get 'pek' in and stood up in corners and locked out and locked in, and made to write one word a thousand times, and scowled at and jawed at, and that's all."

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MORTUARY

Mrs. W. H. Davidson.

Mrs. W. H. Davidson, aged 43 years, died early Sunday morning at her residence, 413 North Boulevard. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Pearl and Ruby, and three sons, Leonard, Howard and Edwin Davidson. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stringer and family are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. W. H. Davidson this (Monday) afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence, 413 North Boulevard. The following gentlemen are requested to be pallbearers and to assemble at the residence: Mr. W. A. Edwardes, Mr. W. L. Fletcher, Mr. H. L. Polson, Mr. Lee Hagan, Mr. J. G. Foote, Mr. Mark Palmer, Revs. H. F. Sumwalt and C. L. Patillo officiating. Limousines will leave Barclay & Brandon's at 2:30. Interment West View cemetery.

BLACKFORD — The relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Michael B. Blackford, Misses Juanita, Carrie and Grace Blackford and Robert Blackford are informed that the funeral of little Anna Bonner Blackford will occur in Gaffney, S. C., this (Monday) afternoon. May 18, 1914. Carriages will leave Burkert-Simmons undertaking for the Terminal station at 6 a. m.

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Virgil Conkle.

Virgil Conkle, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Conkle, died Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the family residence, 321 Windsor street. Funeral will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of P. L. Bloomfield, and the body sent to Ellenwood, Ga., for funeral and interment.

Mrs. B. Warshaw.

Mrs. B. Warshaw, aged 25 years, died last night at 10 o'clock at a private sanitarium. She is survived by her husband and one child. The body lies at Greenberg & Bond's chapel and funeral arrangements will be completed later.

Stonewall Jackson.

The funeral of Stonewall Jackson will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from Bloomfield's chapel, with interment at Jackson, Ga.

CONTEST IS FACED BY PRESBYTERIANS

Chicago, May 17.—An early contest over the election of a successor to Rev. John Timothy Stone, of Chicago, as moderator, is expected to develop when the one hundred and twenty-sixth general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States is convened here May 21.

Dr. Maitland Alexander, of Pittsburg, is the candidate of the more conservative element. What is known as the liberal faction is advocating Dr. George B. Stewart, president of Auburn Theological seminary, Auburn, N. Y. Dr. Acquilla E. Webb, of Louisville, Ky., is a candidate.

Other points of controversy are over the policy of the board of home missions, the doctrinal attitude of the church toward the Union Theological seminary, New York, and its position in the matter of social service.

JAMES WRIGHT'S AUTO STOLEN SATURDAY NIGHT

James L. Wright, who resides at 371 West Peachtree street, reports that his automobile was stolen by unknown parties Saturday night from in front of the residence in Ansley Park. The car was a Cadillac, 1911 model, No. 89 Georgia, 1914.

WILL RESERVE TABLES FOR ANNUAL OPENING

Announcement was made last night that members will be allowed to reserve tables on Tuesday evening at the Piedmont Driving club, when the annual opening and reception of officers will be held. It was also announced that there will be music every afternoon from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock.

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PISTOL DUEL WAGED NEAR INMAN YARDS

Two Bicycle Officers Exchange Shots With Suspicious Characters.

Several pistol shots were exchanged between police officers and three suspicious characters early Sunday morning at Griffin street, near the Inman yards.

Bicycle Officers Colley and Austin had received instructions to look out for suspicious characters coming into the city on the railroad trains who would probably get off at the Inman yard.

When they approached the three unknown white men, several shots were fired at them. The officers returned the fire, and chased the men down Griffin street and across the Inman yards.

Officer Colley believes that he wounded one of the men, and all of the hospitals have been notified to keep a lookout for any man wanting treatment for any wound looking like a gunshot wound.

TOM WATSON'S TRIAL WILL BE POSTPONED

Augusta, Ga., May 17.—Unofficially it is understood that the indictment against Thomas E. Watson, charged with sending obscene matter through the mails, will stand over for trial until the next regular term of the United States district court in Augusta this fall.

When asked by counsel to fix a date for an early trial, Judge Sheppard said that could be done only by calling a special term of court, and no definite decision had been reached when court adjourned Saturday until tomorrow morning. District Attorney Alexander Akerman, who presented the case and framed the indictment, left the city tonight for Savannah to take up the naval stores company case tomorrow, and no announcement had been made looking to a special term of the federal court.

U. S. CONSUL GRIFFITHS PASSES IN LONDON

London, May 17.—John L. Griffiths, the American consul general at London, died suddenly of heart disease tonight at his residence.

Consul Griffiths had suffered from a slight illness recently, but was considered convalescent. He was out driving today, and apparently was quite well until the fatal attack. Nothing was decided tonight regarding the funeral.

John L. Griffiths was born in New York City in 1855. He studied law at the State University of Iowa and was admitted to the bar at Indianapolis, where he practiced for a time. He was appointed consul general at London in 1909. Mr. Griffiths was engaged in writing the life of ex-President Benjamin Harrison.

ASKS POLICE TO LOOK FOR HIS MISSING SON

J. I. Eberhardt, of Dunwoody, writes the Atlanta police to look out for his 11-year-old son, Willie, who disappeared from home last Friday. The boy wore a faded blue hat, a blue cotton shirt and black knee trousers.

Blackfeet in Charleston.

Charleston, S. C., May 17.—Headed by Medicine Owl, a party of twelve Blackfeet Indians, from Glacier Park, Montana, this afternoon visited the grave of Osceola, the Seminole Indian chief, at Fort Moultrie. Later in the afternoon the aborigines departed for Richmond, Va.

Sisters Killed by Gas.

Chicago, May 17.—Mrs. Emily Backus, 77 her sister, Miss Marietta Wright, both wealthy and well known, were found dead in their home today. The door of their bedroom was locked and a gas jet was open.

LODGE NOTICE

A special communication of Palestine lodge, No. 438, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in Masonic Temple this (Monday) evening, May 18, 1914, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Work in degree of Master Mason will be conferred in full form. All qualified visiting and resident brethren are fraternally invited. By order of
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