

THE BRADLEY TRIAL

LAWYERS PREPARE FOR CLOSING DAYS OF THE CONTEST.

TESTIMONY OF EXPERTS

Will Be Introduced to Show That Mrs. Bradley Was Insane When She Shot Senator Erown.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Attorneys for both sides in the Bradley case are very much engaged today preparing for what all of them hope to be the last week of the famous murder trial. The case will be resumed on next Monday and the defense will almost immediately enter upon the presentation of evidence indicating insanity on the part of their client to experts who have been summoned to pass upon the matter in her behalf. They today occupied most of the time putting the finishing touches upon hypothetical questions which they will propound to experts and have it in the best possible shape when court convenes Monday. The reading of these questions, containing over 12,000 words, will possibly consume two hours time.

Railroad Wrecks.

This is how an experienced railroad engineer accounts for so many wrecks: "The company will tell you that they have bought the most modern safety appliances, paying large forces to keep them in order and that they do not require their men to go on the road without proper rest, etc. But, brothers, each and every one of you stop and think. Have you ever been forced to stay on the road some time or other so many hours that you did not care whether you lived or not, if you could only close your eyes for a few minutes sleep? Some will tell you this was under the congested conditions of traffic, but, nevertheless, the strain was on you, and so was the responsibility. Yet how often you have been asked to double right out, when you knew as well as the officer asking you, that you were in no condition to do so? He tells you that it would be doing him a great favor, as he has no one else and you repeat the trip, wondering how you ever did it. Other times, after long and exhausting trips, with no sleep, irregular meals of poor food, you have asked for an eight hours rest. Washing a little of the oil and smoke from your face and hands, and eating a few needed bites, you lie down, dead tired, only to find the call boy after you; just as you feel that you have closed your eyes. But you are told that you have had your eight hours rest! The walk to and from your room, the washing and the swallowing of the needed food, has consumed a part of the time and often you are so exhausted that sleep does not come readily; so, though you have been off duty the number of hours, you feel that you have had little rest. A man in this condition has no business shouldering the responsibility thrust upon him, and it is not strange that his senses are blunted, or that he is unable to look after and remember orders as he should."—Engineer's Magazine.

IMMIGRATION COMMISSIONER IN A CRITICAL CONDITION.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Frank Sargent, commissioner general of immigration and naturalization, is critically ill at his home in this city. He returned from New York Thursday night and has been confined to his bed ever since. His physicians diagnose the case as a blood clot on the brain.

RUSSIA PAYS JAPAN LAST DOLLAR OF WAR INDEBTEDNESS.

By Associated Press.
London, Eng., Nov. 23.—Russia today wiped out the balance of her indebtedness to Japan arising from the war, the Russian embassy handing over to the embassy of Japan a check for \$24,302,300. This represents the balance due Japan for the maintenance of Russian prisoners.

EMPLOYEES WARNED NOT TO BOOST FOR TEDDY.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—President Roosevelt yesterday addressed letters to the members of his cabinet requiring them to inform Federal employes under their jurisdiction to refrain from any political activity with the object of the renomination of President Roosevelt.

PRECINCT ORGANIZATIONS

Over the Entire State Will Be Made By Prohibition Party.

Dallas News.
The prohibition party is making preparations to begin early in January to make precinct organizations in all the counties in the State. P. F. Paige, secretary of the State prohibition executive committee said yesterday: "Our object in making precinct organizations is to poll as large a vote as may be next year, and to elect as many members of the legislature as possible with a view of forcing a vote on a prohibition amendment to the constitution."

"We have made gains in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Ohio, Kentucky and Maryland, as shown by the returns of the elections held in those States this month, and that in the face of a heavy falling off in the total vote as compared with the vote of the next preceding elections. In New York our gains were 59 per cent over the vote last year, and numerically just double of our vote in that State a year ago. In Kentucky we polled 7,000 votes last year and 14,000 this year. In New York, Pennsylvania and several other States hundreds of out and out prohibitionists have been elected to office in the elections of this month."

"The gains made in the States mentioned have encouraged the party in Texas to put forth extra efforts to keep this State in the procession. We hope to be able to show big gains for 1908."

SENATE MAY BAR GORE AND OWEN

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—The probabilities are that Senators Gore and Owens, of the new State of Oklahoma, will not be admitted to the senate if their only credentials are their appointment to office by Governor Haskell. This is the view of Senator Burrows, chairman of the senate committee on privileges and elections.

It is based on Section 3, Articles I and II of the Federal Constitution. Article I provides that the senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State "chosen by the Legislature thereof." There is no other way by which Senators may be chosen.

Article II concludes in this wise: "And if vacancies happen by resignation, or otherwise, during the recess of the legislature of any State; the executive thereof may make temporary appointment, until the next meeting of the legislature, which shall then fill such vacancies."

The power of appointment by the governor is not given wider scope than this. The consequent opinion is that the Oklahoma senators cannot be seated until they are elected by the legislature.

WIFE MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Rich Manufacturer Shoots His Young Wife and Then Himself.

By Associated Press.
New York, Nov. 23.—A double tragedy, wife murder and suicide, was discovered early today by firemen who had been called out to subdue a blaze at the home of Nicholas Smith, a wealthy manufacturer. When the firemen burst into the house after the flames had been controlled, they found Smith and his young wife dead, each with a bullet wound in the body.

Genuine fruit cake can be had at the Cream Bakery at 40c per pound. 166-4

SIX REPUBLICANS

CONTAINED IN THE PANEL OF THE CALEB POWERS JURY.

FIVE JURORS ACCEPTED

Of These, Three are Republicans, One a Democrat and One An Independent.

By Associated Press.
George town, Ky., Nov. 23.—The work of completing the jury panel from the special Grant county venire occupied the entire forenoon session of the Caleb Powers trial. At 10 o'clock this morning the panel was again completed, standing five democrats, six republicans and one independent democrat. Of this number five have been passed and have become permanent jurors. Of these, three are republicans, one a democrat and one an independent democrat.

WILL BUY ALL COTTON.

Merchants, Bankers and Cotton Buyers Hold an Important Meeting.

An important meeting of the cotton buyers, bankers and business men of Wichita Falls was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday evening, the object being to make arrangements for the prompt handling of all cotton that comes to Wichita Falls for market.

At this meeting an agreement was reached which, if carried out, will result in great good to Wichita Falls as well as to the farmer who brings his cotton here to be marketed.

As is well known, there is a shortage of currency and the banks find that in advancing money to pay for two or three hundred bales of cotton at a time, it requires from fifteen to twenty days to get returns. Owing to this state of affairs, trading in cotton had to be limited.

The plan adopted yesterday evening and agreed to by the merchants, bankers and cotton buyers was that for every bale of cotton purchased by the cotton buyer or merchant the banks would pay \$10 in cash and issue certificates in denominations of \$1.00, \$5.00, \$10.00 and \$20.00 for the balance, these certificates redeemable by the bank issuing them in twenty days from date of issue.

These certificates can be deposited at the banks or will be received as currency in payment of debts at any store in the city.

A committee consisting of P. P. Langford, W. M. McGregor, T. C. Thatcher, J. M. Bland, and S. Y. Ferguson was appointed by the chairman, Frank Kell, to look after the matter and see that the new plan of handling cotton is inaugurated on Monday morning, the 25th.

Another meeting of the cotton buyers, bankers and business men is called for 10 o'clock Monday morning, at which time it is likely that steps will be taken to make Wichita Falls the best cotton market in Northwest Texas.

The Times job department has already received an order for the printing of the cashier's certificates and they will be ready for circulation on Monday morning.

By this means, it is thought there will be no difficulty whatever in handling promptly all cotton that comes to Wichita Falls.

PLANS FURTHER DELAY IN SECOND TRIAL OF THAW.

By Associated Press.
New York, Nov. 23.—Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Harry K. Thaw, says he has been reliably informed that the order which Mr. Jerome obtained from Justice Dowling for the drawing of a special jury panel had not been entered and that this meant that Jerome intended to seek further postponement from December 2nd, the date set for the trial.

It is time to begin thinking about laying in Christmas goods. When you go shopping don't forget that our place is headquarters for candies, fruits and nuts. The Cream Bakery. 166-4

BRYAN AND ROOSEVELT IN A CONFERENCE TODAY.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—President Roosevelt and William J. Bryan were in conference for half an hour today in the president's private office at the White House.

FLEET MAY VISIT JAPAN.

Event to Demonstrate Friendly Relations Between Nations.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Final demonstration to the world of the friendly character of relations between the United States and Japan, it is understood here, will presently be given by the announcement that the Tokio government has invited the American government to send Admiral Evans' armada, while it is in the Pacific, on a visit of courtesy and amity to Japan.

Definite confirmation of this report, which has been in circulation in naval circles for some days, cannot be obtained at this time. Ambassador Aoki of Japan, when asked about it, made a noncommittal statement, which has been construed as indicating that tentative exchanges have been set on foot looking to the possibility of such an invitation being extended by Japan.

Despite that authoritative statements are not to be had, naval officers are inclined to the opinion that their voyage will take them to Japan, and are said to be making arrangements for the trip with a view to this contingency.

A WAGE REDUCTION IN BUILDING TRADES

By Associated Press.

New York, Nov. 23.—A conference of importance to sixty thousand skilled mechanics in the building trades in this city has just been held at which the master carpenters organization gave notice to the Brotherhood of Carpenters that after January 1st the wages would be reduced from \$5 to \$4.50 per day. Because of the tightness of the money market, the construction of buildings has decreased fifty per cent, and this the master carpenters give as their reason for the action.

SIXSHOOTER ARTIST CHARGED WITH ASSAULT TO MURDER.

C. H. Steele, the young man who fired a volley of pistol shots at a farmer named Chaudler in a cotton field about four miles west of town Thursday morning, was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Brothers this afternoon and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury upon a charge of assault to murder.

His bond was placed at \$500, but young Steele was unable to give bail and was remanded to jail.

POPULIST COMMITTEEMEN MEET IN ST. LOUIS NOV. 26th.

By Associated Press.
Joliet, Ill., Nov. 23.—The populist national committee will have a meeting in St. Louis on November 26th at the Hotel St. James. In addition to the members of the national committee, friends and advisers have been called in and the meeting may result in the fixing of the time and place for holding the convention of 1908 and the renomination of Tom Watson of Georgia.

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STRIKES NEW NOTE

STEEL CORPORATION CHAIRMAN APPLAUDS ROOSEVELT FOR TRUST INVESTIGATIONS.

WILL RESULT IN GOOD

Friendship of Public and Confidence of Business Rivals is Desirable.

New York, Nov. 22.—E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, struck a new keynote and enunciated new principles in relations of business rivals to each other in an interview with a reporter today. Mr. Gary applauded President Roosevelt for the investigations into the trusts, which, Mr. Gary asserts, will result in better business relations.

"Too many men have learned too late," said Mr. Gary, that the friendship of the public and the confidence of one's competitors are the most desirable elements in business.

"I want to see our competitors succeed. It is the policy of the Steel Corporation not to crush competition by fair or foul means. The steel trust controls 60 per cent of the steel and iron business of the United States and there is no intention of enlarging that control. We believe conditions will be better with a healthy rivalry. Our men have been told that in cases where competitors are favored by location, they should not attempt to underbid. When price cutting begins, there is only one end—the survival of the strongest."

"It is clear that the United States Steel Corporation with its extensive resources could use its giant strength like other corporations to crush competition, but in the end, would the game be worth the candle?"

MORGAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Accompanied By Gotham Banker, He Sees Roosevelt.

Washington, Nov. 22.—J. Pierpont Morgan and George F. Baker, the latter president of the First National bank of New York, arrived here tonight for a conference with Secretary Cortelyou of the treasury department.

At 10 o'clock tonight Messrs. Morgan and Baker, accompanied by Assistant Secretary Robert Bacon of the State department, went to the White House to see the president by appointment. The object of their visit was not disclosed, but it was believed to be in relation to the financial situation.

After leaving the White House at 11:15 p. m., after being with the president an hour and a half, Mr. Morgan, on being asked in regard to the developments, replied that conditions in New York were reassuring. He said that everything possible was being done to relieve the money stringency and that the situation was satisfactory.

Mr. Morgan also said that his object in coming to Washington today was to see Secretary Cortelyou in furtherance of the conference he had with him in New York last week, at which time plans were discussed for the further relief of the situation. He saw Secretary Cortelyou before going to the White House and called on President Roosevelt tonight to pay his respects.

Mr. Morgan said he would return to New York tomorrow. He said he could not say whether he would again see the president before leaving.

Brotherhood of Woodcraft.

A lodge of the Brotherhood of Woodcraft has been organized in this city with the following officers and cadets:

Past commander, Ira Brown; commander, Norman Bachman; advisor, Sam Horton; clerk, Clyde Winfrey; banker, Houston Hodges; escort, Fred Taylor; guard, William Bilderback; sentinel, Robert Brown; cadets, Claude Brown, Bob Carter, Pete Taylor, Melvin McIntyre, Mont. Walkup, Guy Wilson, Jay Van Dusen, Frank Childers, Geoffrey Shaw, James Knight, James Young.

Buy your Thanksgiving fruit cake already baked at the Cream Bakery. 166-4

COLONIZATION IS THE SOLUTION OF THE RACE PROBLEM, SAYS DIXON

"The negro problem is growing more acute all the time and will ultimately be solved by the colonization of all blacks," said Thomas Dixon, Jr., former Baptist preacher and author of "The Clansman," Friday. Mr. Dixon is now in Fort Worth to attend a trial involving the copyright rights of his play.

"There are some who say there is no negro problem and that it is a sin to talk about one," said Mr. Dixon. "They say the negro problem was settled by the civil war.

"Of course, I don't believe that. The civil war did not settle the negro problem, but it created it. It was not the belief of our Southern fathers that slavery was necessarily moral or a moral question.

"What they did believe was that the slavery of the negro was the only modus vivendi under which two races could exist which are so far separated as the negroes and the whites.

Relation of Two Races.

"The civil war destroyed this and presented the problem of the relation of the two races in a democracy. A democracy presumes the social and economic equality of all men, but that condition does not and cannot exist. It is impossible in a day or a generation to make one race equal to another which is two thousand years ahead of it, and the equality of the negro is an impossibility.

"I believe our Northern friends, as the negroes move up there and they become better acquainted with them, are coming to view this question as we do and will be just as willing to get rid of the negroes as we are. They did not realize at the close of the war what negro insolence and negro domination would mean, and as they become accustomed to it, they are learning the South's point of view.

"Not very long ago the negroes of Philadelphia made the mayor of that city eat dirt at their command. They formed a mob which surrounded the opera house where 'The Clansman' was being presented and made it impossible for people to attend the performance; and they told the mayor that if he did not prevent the performance of the play they would defeat him for re-election. He stopped the play, although it had appeared for five weeks the previous season. This was something new for Philadelphia, and the Northern people then began to realize what is meant by negro domination.

Evaded Question.

"So far we have only evaded the question and adopted subterfuges to postpone it. The grandfather clause, which protects so many Southern States, will soon be inoperative and then the question of negro franchise will again be brought up.

"I believe that colonization—peaceful colonization—is the only solution

of the problem and I believe that when the time comes for it the negroes will be just as anxious for it as anyone. If a colony was started now there would be a million negroes ready to join it.

"The education of the negro as it is being carried on in many places in the South today will only aid this colonization plan, for as the negroes grow educated and more cultured and sensitive they will realize the impossibility of living under present conditions and will be glad to go to some colony where they can have the equality they can never attain here.

"I do not pretend to say when this will take place. It will come after the negro problem has reached the crisis toward which it is now tending and when it does come it will present itself as the natural solution of the problem.

"The negro has proven himself wholly inadequate as a laborer in the South and the South will not be sorry to lose him. He is not fitted for the work that must be done to make the South the garden spot of the country that it is sure to be.

"Just think what would be accomplished here if we had instead of the black hordes the flaxen-haired, blue-eyed Scandinavians who have made the Northwest the wonderful country that it is. These people must be induced to locate here where land is cheap and opportunities many, and when they do take the place of the negroes in our economic arrangement we will have a wonderful garden land of the country."—Fort Worth Telegram.

AUSTIN BAKER'S ACCIDENT.

Lost a Leg While Switching at Nocona Yesterday.

While his train was switching in Nocona yesterday afternoon, Austin Baker of this city was caught by a car and one of his limbs so badly mashed that amputation was necessary. Several of the wounded man's relatives and Dr. Gilcrest went to him on the first train and today he is in a critical condition, though it is thought that he will recover.

An examination of his injuries showed that the injured limb would have to be taken off above the knee and the operation was performed as soon as possible. There were no other injuries and it is thought that he will recover easily when he recovers from the shock of the accident and operation.

The injured man is well known in this city and is a popular young fellow, who has many friends. He has been a miller by trade, but resigned his job with the mill recently to take a position as brakeman on the railroad. —Gainesville Messenger.

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Thanksgiving Service.
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First Presbyterian Church.
The usual services at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Dalton. Special music by Mrs. Maer and choir. Mr. Krueger will sing at both the morning and the evening service. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Senior Christian Endeavors at 6 p. m. Friends and strangers are cordially invited to all these services.

The Episcopal Church.
The Church of the Good Shepherd, corner of Lamar avenue and Eighth street. Rector, Rev. Charles A. Eaton. The Sunday next before Advent. (Stir-Up Sunday.) 9:30 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon. 7:45 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. Subject, "Things Which Grow Not Old."

This being the last Sunday in the church year, the rector desires good attendance at each service.

On Thanksgiving Day at 10 a. m. there will be the service as prescribed by the prayer book, together with a short sermon and celebration of the Holy Communion.

The Christian Church.
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Communion and sermon at 11 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 p. m. at the Christian church. Young People's Union at 6 p. m. Preaching at night at 7:15 p. m. Ladies meet Monday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Union Thanksgiving Service at the Presbyterian church Thursday at 11 a. m. All are cordially invited to be present, the members especially, as the business meeting was postponed to the morning service. Besides this, there will be an announcement that all will be anxious to hear. Come. A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

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You are hereby commanded to summon J. E. Ellicott by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereon in Wichita Falls, on the 2nd day in December, A. D. 1907, the same being the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1907, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3665, wherein Mary G. Ellicott is plaintiff and J. E. Ellicott is defendant; and said petition alleging that on or about August 26th, 1904, plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Wichita Falls, Texas, and thereafter lived together as husband and wife for about two months; that on or about October 20th, 1904, without the fault of plaintiff, defendant deliberately deserted and abandoned plaintiff and left for parts unknown and has remained away ever since said date; that by reason of the facts above alleged plaintiff says she is entitled to an absolute divorce.

Premises considered plaintiff prays for a decree of absolute divorce, for costs, for restoration to her of her maiden name, Mary G. Brown, and for general and special relief.

Herein Fall Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, W. A. Reid, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1907.

[L. S.] W. A. REID,
Clerk District Court, Wichita County.
148-S-47

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Brain Leaks.

Agnosticism makes no converts at the tomb.

Love laughs at locksmiths, but not at goldsmiths.

Money talks, and cashier's checks produce a lot of it.

In the midst of prosperity we are in need of real money.

Friendship bought with money is never an available asset.

Salvation is free, but it costs something to maintain it.

Joining a church does not make a Christian, but it helps.

It is rather rubbing it in to advise a man with "cold feet" to keep cool.

We lose a lot of valuable time worrying about the things that never happen.

After all, would life be worth while if everything happened just as we wanted it to?

It is easy to believe after eating a hearty meal that everybody in the world is well fed and happy.

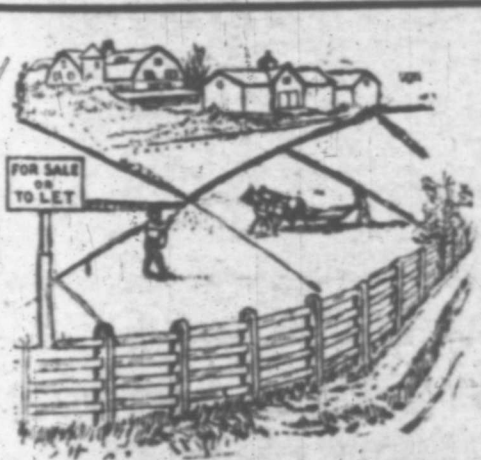
Kind words are easily coined, and there is never any need of issuing cashier's checks to take their place.

The longer a man works at a job the more he knows about it, and the less he thinks he knows about it.

People who give a lot can attract public attention. Some men have given their all without ever being known to fame.

He is in mighty poor business who tries to destroy a faith and a belief that are the supports of feet that totter towards the grave.

If we were a canary bird we'd not sing; and if ran the house the canary would either postpone his singing or hunt another home.—Bryaa's Commenter.



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Approaching Nuptials Announced.

An announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Flora Anderson, daughter of Mrs. A. D. Anderson, to Mr. Bruce Greenwood, county attorney of this county.

The wedding will take place at the Episcopal church of the Good Shep-

herit on the morning of December 11th at 8:30 o'clock and the ceremony will be pronounced by Bishop Garrett of Dallas. The wedding will be a quiet affair and will be attended only by the relatives of the bride and groom and a few friends.

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A petition for a local option election has been circulated lately in Seymour. We understand that there seems to be some doubt whether there will be enough signers to order this election. There could be little hope of the anti-wining, and it is thought here by prohibitionists that the petition is being circulated wholly to aid the anti in the coming election at Wichita Falls. Seymour Banner.

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RUFFIANS ROUTED

SMUGGLERS, CATTLE THIEVES AND STAGE ROBBERS FIND OCCUPATION RISKY.

BANDITS' LIVES CHEAP

Officers Do Not Hesitate to Shoot to Kill if There is Any Reasonable Doubt.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 21.—The smugglers, stage robbers and cattle thieves who used to prosper along the Mexican frontier are migrating to more congenial regions. They have found that "business" was becoming too dangerous. Too many of their number paid for robberies and murders by going to prison or the gallows. They discovered that they had met more than their match in a body of twenty-six men, known as the Arizona Rangers, who have been organized by the territorial government "to clean up the country," who travel over the wide reaches of table land on fleet horses, who have a mysterious way of scattering through the mountains and then meeting suddenly at some rendezvous, who go armed to the teeth, and who, when they cannot capture their men alive, are usually able to stretch them out in the dust at the first shot.

A recent dispatch about these rangers came from Yuma, and reads as follows:

"In a fierce battle on the desert, sixty miles from Gila Bend, Sunday morning, P. S. Wheeler, ranger, single-handed, killed James Herrick and Bentley, two desperadoes. Both were former convicts and Herrick was a murderer. They were wanted for horse stealing in Yuma county. Bentley fought until shot the fourth time. Wheeler tied the bodies to a horse and brought them twenty miles for burial."

Although an officer of the law, the Arizona ranger has a careless, cut-throat manner which is apt to make the "tenderfoot" squeamish on meeting him alone in the desert. His head is generally surmounted with a sombrero. His neck is swathed in a loosely tied bandana. His corduroy suit is yellow with the dust of the plains. His belt is full of cartridges, and if one cares to look close one may see the handles of several sixshooters. Strapped beneath his saddle hangs a rifle.

Ridiculed at First.

When the Arizona ranger first took up the task of "cleaning up the country" five years ago he was ridiculed. The border country to the South was infested with desperadoes, who boasted that they could rob and kill as they liked; that they knew no law save their own will, and that there was none bold enough to interfere with them. They made the Southern border of Arizona their chief haunt, because it offered them the best opportunities to pursue their lawless calling. There they could round up a herd of cattle and escape with their booty over the line. After that they could ride into a town, kill a storekeeper, blow up his safe and gallop away into Mexico.

So bold became these brigands that by the spring of 1901 they had almost driven the smaller cattle owners out of business. At the same time smugglers had become so numerous as to defy the government officials sent out to capture them. In the wilder mountain districts bands of "moonshiners" manufactured large quantities of whiskey, for which never a cent of revenue was paid. The internal revenue agent who dared approach these distilleries of the desert never returned alive.

Conditions like these led the legislature in 1901 to establish an organization which was to combine the duties of police and militia, and was to take upon itself the particular task of ending this lawlessness. Its fourteen members were called rangers, because of the wide sweep of country they were expected to cover.

It was not long before the bandits found that they were mistaken in regarding this new force of law officers as a joke. When Captain Thomas H. Rynning, a former lieutenant of the Rough Riders in the Spanish-American war, was placed in command and the number of the rangers was increased from fourteen to twenty-six, the bad men ceased to deride the police scouts and acquired a wholesome fear of them. They learned in more than one way that a ranger was not to be trifled with.

Willis Wood, once a formidable desperado of the border land, learned what sort of a man a ranger is soon after he and his followers disappeared

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with a hundred ponies belonging to the Papigo Indians.

Wood was pursued by the commander, of the rangers, accompanied by a few Indians. The chase began the evening after the discovery of the theft, lasted all night and the next day, until in the following evening the horses of the Indians gave out and Rynning was left to pursue the thieves alone. As darkness gathered about him he found himself climbing down from the mountains toward a solitary light, which looked as if it shone from the window of some hut where a gang of cowboys had gathered for the fall round-up. As he passed a temporary corral his ear caught the sound of horses neighing. The ranger captain dropped his reins to the ground, leaped lightly from his horse and crept up to the lone window of the shack. In the dim interior he could see a dozen cowpunchers gathered around a table. At the far end sat Willis Wood. They were playing "freeze-out," and the stakes were the ponies.

Willis, with a derisive jeer, was just in the act of showing four aces when there was a slight noise at the door. Turning, he looked into the center of six inches of cold steel, while Rynning drawled, "It's no go, Willis; guess I can go you one better."

Indians Learn Slowly.

With his natural stolidness, the criminal Indian has been slower than the white outlaw in learning the true character of the Arizona ranger. But, he, too, has become wiser with experience.

The sequel of the encounter of "Shorty" Holmes and an Indian cattle thief not long ago raised the dignity of a ranger a long way in the opinion of the Southwest red man. Holmes went to an Indian village near the Mexican boundary, where he was informed that his man was hiding. On his way a "friendly" warned him to look out for trouble. "Shorty" smiled and said cheerfully:

"Never mind. Guess I'll be there with the goods."

There were fifty tepees in the camp, and the white man's arrival was met with sullen scowls by twenty or more bucks, who sat huddled in blankets on the sunny side of the lodges. Inquiry only elicited grunts from the red men. Holmes, long schooled in danger turned hastily when a bullet just missed his head and tore an ugly wound in the arm of a chief, who sat in the line of fire. Quick as a flash Holmes aimed his gun, and before the buck could pull the trigger the second time the paleface's bullet had done its work. There were thirty men in that camp and every one of them was armed, but the wholesome fear of the little "short chief" brought Holmes out in safety.

"Bert" Alvord and "Billy" Styles were Arizona citizens who learned that the rangers meant business. These men were wanted for various crimes and when pursued by the rangers they headed across the line into Mexico and sought safety in the Sierra Madres. Used to the easy-going methods of the local peace officers, they supposed that the rangers would follow them for a few days and then give up the chase. But the rangers kept it up for three weeks and followed the band through the roughest of country. One morning the rangers ran across a mule train from Magdalena and learned from the men in charge that about sunrise they had been set upon by a band of white men, who had stolen \$12,000 worth of gold bars that had been in the wagon, and were headed for the international line, twenty-five miles away. A consultation was held, and the rangers decided to split their forces. One party continued to follow the train after the outlaws, while the second party, by an all-night ride, made a detour and camped in the pass where they felt sure the gang would come.

Alvord, expecting friends with a relay of horses at this place, was caught in the trap, but tried to escape by shooting down his pursuers. Lieutenant Brooks of the rangers, however, reached Alvord with a rifle, which crippled the robber chief and enabled the rangers to capture him. In the confusion the other escaped.

THOUSANDS GATHERED AT
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Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 23.—Harvard Square was bustling with activity and brilliant with the red and blue when the first of an army of forty thousand people, all eager for the football game between Harvard and Yale, reached Cambridge today.

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PERSONAL MENTION

A. E. Holley returned today from Marlin, Texas.

Mrs. C. C. Young returned last night from Chicago.

E. B. Carver of Archer City was here today on business.

J. H. Johnson of Petrolia was here on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore of Seymour were in the city today.

Mr. S. P. Hawkins of Burkburnett was in the city today.

A. H. Bevering of Charlie was transacting business here today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Alexander of Dundee were in the city today.

G. Heiserman of Iowa Park was transacting business here today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams of Dundee were shopping in the city today.

S. C. Campbell returned this afternoon from a business trip to Jacksboro.

W. E. Sanders of Chillicothe is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Hatcher.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Scalling of Dundee were in the city today en route home from Fort Worth.

Miss Stella Hodges of Archer City is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Gardner, who lives near this city.

W. H. Ellinger of Henrietta was in the city today enroute to Petrolia to look after his oil interests.

Mrs. A. D. Magner of Fort Worth arrived in the city this afternoon to visit her father, J. T. A. Fleming.

Freeman Mears, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Waco and Lott, returned home last night.

Mart Robertson, a prominent merchant of Texico, New Mexico, was shaking hands with friends here today.

Messrs. J. N. Bryan and F. M. Tucker, two prosperous farmers of Thornberry, were here today on business.

B. W. Bradshaw, a pharmacist from Seymour, arrived yesterday to take a position with the Mater-Magner Drug Company here.

Mrs. Isaac Bush of Grayson county arrived yesterday for an extended visit to her daughters, Mesdames J. D. Avis and H. C. McGlasson.

Mr. A. F. Kerr returned last night from Fort Worth, where he had been serving his country on the Federal grand jury.

W. A. Hyatt of Stephenville arrived in the city this afternoon to visit his brother, J. R. Hyatt, of the Farmers' Bank and Trust Company.

Jake Lamb, son of Mrs. J. H. Lamb of the Bowman community, left this afternoon for Seattle, Washington, where he expects to settle down and make his home.

Mrs. Judith Chitwood of Tucumbia, Alabama, and niece of Governor Winston, arrived in the city this afternoon and is the guest of Colonel W. C. Sherrod and family.

APPEAL TO REASON CASE IS RE-OPENED

An Associated Press dispatch from Girard, Kansas, says: "Acting" under special instructions from Attorney General Bonaparte, United States District Attorney Bone of Topeka has begun criminal proceedings against the publishers of the socialist paper, 'The Appeal to Reason,' Fred D. Warren, editor; Eugene V. Debs, editorial writer, and other members of the staff, because of a cartoon and article which, it is stated, were objectionable to Mr. Bonaparte and President Roosevelt. This order was issued after the district attorney investigated the case and reported to the department of justice that there were no grounds for indictment. The first article to which the administration at Washington objected was written by Eugene V. Debs, and was a denunciation of the president for his attitude in the Haywood case in Idaho. Another article specified is an offer of a reward for the kidnaping and return to Kentucky of William Taylor, fugitive former governor of that State, after the United States Supreme Court in the Moyer-Haywood-Pettibone habeas corpus appeal had decided kidnaping to be an act of legality. It was pointed out that President Roosevelt had personally contributed to the defense fund of Caleb Powers, the defendant in the Goebel murder case, while branding the Idaho prisoners as 'undesirable citizens.' After the matter had been dropped for lack of sufficient grounds, as the district attorney said, on which to base an indictment, The Appeal to Reason published a cartoon by Ryan Walker caricaturing both Attorney General Bonaparte and President Roosevelt, after which the attorney general ordered the case reopened. The action against The Appeal to Reason is based upon section 4988 of the Federal statutes, which it is hoped to so construe as to define the first page of any paper as its 'covering or wrapper.' The law

prohibits the mailing of any paper when there appears upon such 'covering or wrapper' any delineations, epithets, terms or language of a scurrilous, defamatory or threatening character, or calculated by the terms of manner or style of display to reflect injuriously upon the character or conduct of another, and provides a penalty for each and every offense of five years imprisonment at hard labor, or

\$5,000 fine, or both. Postoffice Inspector Chance of Fort Scott informed The Appeal management that the case had been closed on the record of the post-office department, but that it had been re-opened at the direction of Attorney General Bonaparte. The Appeal to Reason management argues that a conviction would establish a precedent which would enable the administration to exercise a rigid censorship over all

papers during a national campaign next year, suppressing 'undestralbe cartoons' and eliminating unfriendly matter from the first page. The editor of The Appeal to Reason is already under indictment in the federal court for publishing and mailing articles reflecting on President Roosevelt. His trial will be called in the November term of the United States district court at Fort Scott."



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