

## TURKEY HAS ASKED POWERS TO INTERVENE

### SULTAN'S MAIN ARMY RETREATS TO CAPITAL'S FORTIFICATIONS.

## BULGARIANS ARE ADVANCING

### Foreign Warships Given Permission to Pass Through Dardanelles for Purpose of Protection.

Constantinople: The Porte has applied to the powers for mediation with a view to the cessation of hostilities and for the negotiation of peace. Application has been made to the embassies here and by circular to the Ottoman representatives in the European capitals.

The Turkish army is retreating to the last line of fortifications outside the capital. This was announced in the first bulletin admitting defeat in the great battle, which the government has issued.

The official bulletin follows: "The fortunes of war are variable and it is not always possible to be successful on all sides. A people which accepts war must submit with resignation to all its consequences. To overlook this obligation is to fall in one's duty. Consequently, while it would be unwise to be unnecessarily proud over victories, it likewise would be incorrect to be alarmed at want of success."

"For instance, in the present war with the four Federated States, the imperial troops are defending themselves within the environs of Scutari and Janina, but the Eastern army around Luleburgaz felt obliged to retreat to the lines of defense."

"In order to facilitate a successful defense it has naturally been decided to exert all efforts to safeguard the interests of the fatherland."

In compliance with a request made by the ambassadors of the great powers, the Porte has granted them permission to send one warship each through the Dardanelles.

Naby Bey, the principal Turkish delegate at the Turco-Italian peace negotiations at Ouchy, has been appointed ambassador at Rome.

London: The Turkish army is in full retreat on Constantinople and the Turkish government has asked the powers to intervene.

Application has been made to the embassies in Constantinople for mediation by the powers to end the hostilities and arrange a peace agreement. The ambassadors, prior to this, had asked the Porte to grant permission to each of the great powers to send one warship through the Dardanelles and this request had been complied with.

It is the general belief that Bulgaria will refuse to listen to anything in the way of intervention until the Bulgarian army is at the gates of Constantinople and will insist that Turkey make an appeal direct to the allies without interference from the powers.

The powers have not been able to agree upon the French Premier's formula of "territorial indisinterestedness," which is not acceptable to either Austria or Germany. They are taking steps, however, for the protection of Christians and their political interests in Turkey.

The besieging forces are tightening their grip around Adrianople and the bombardment is becoming more vigorous. In other directions the allies are consolidating their occupation of Turkish territory. The Greeks have taken Nicopolis and Prevesa and have landed a division of men at Stavros, which is marching to attack Salonika.

## VICE PRESIDENT DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

### JAMES S. SHERMAN PASSES AWAY AT HIS HOME IN UTICA.

## UNCONSCIOUS FOR HOURS

### All Members of His Immediate Family Are Witnesses to the Final Scene.

Utica, N. Y.: After a long illness, Vice President James Schoolcraft Sherman died at his home in this city at 9:42 o'clock Wednesday night of uraemic poisoning, caused by Bright's disease.

Mr. Sherman was unconscious when the end came, and had been in that condition for hours. All the members of the immediate family were witnesses to the final scene.

Soon after Mr. Sherman's death the attending physician issued the following statement: "The Vice President died at 9:42 p. m. without regaining consciousness for a moment. He was perfectly quiet. He died in the presence of his wife, her brother and sister, his two brothers and his three sons and their wives. He had been entirely unconscious since 7 o'clock, when he had a period of partial consciousness lasting for about fifteen minutes. He died in a uraemic coma as a result of Bright's disease, heart disease and arterio-sclerosis."

Mrs. Sherman bore up bravely under the shock of her husband's death, as also did the other members of the family. Although it was stated at the house that the hopelessness of Mr. Sherman's fight against death had been realized since Friday, the blow nevertheless was a crushing one.

The announcement of the Vice President's death spread quickly through the city. Universal sorrow was expressed and immediate steps were taken for the proper recognition of the sorrowful event. Mr. Sherman was regarded as the first citizen of the city and all differences growing out of politics died with him.

The Mayor gave out a statement voicing the general grief and the big bell at the City Hall, as well as many church bells, tolled out the doleful news to a public to which it was not news.

Not only did the Republican organization take proper recognition of the event, but the Progressives announced their intention of cancelling all meetings until after the Vice President's funeral. The Democrats also signified their intention of removing a Wilson and Marshall banner which had been flung across one of the city streets and of suspending all political activity until after the funeral.

## RESERVOIR FOR DRY FARMS

### For Gardening and Other Purposes It is Well to Make Careful Study of Storage Places.

A number of small dams, as well as bigger ones, constructed under the supervision of engineers, have gone out this spring, and much water runs to waste. When it comes to the case of damming up the ordinary arroya or dry creek that merely has a heavy flood when a large area has become saturated beyond its holding capacity, it must be recognized that they are endeavoring to accomplish something very difficult, if not in some cases impossible, unless the dam can be made to act as an overflow weir in times of sudden flood or a point of diversion provided higher up, for the flood waters have and will again need the whole space across the draw for their flow. Having in view, however, the immense importance of a reservoir to the dry farm for gardening and other purposes, it is worth while to make a careful study of all places where water can be saturated and to see if the natural difficulties cannot be overcome. Rock is, as a rule, scarce upon the plains and concrete is expensive, and its success largely dependent on the solidity of its base approaches and overflows from the dam, often necessitating long and expensive aprons which may become undermined and fail.

In a dry country the soil is so absorbent that it takes a large drainage area in normal years to prevent enough water to be soaked up and a gravelly soil becomes saturated on a side hill in forty-five minutes to the point of producing a turn off on land ploved eight inches deep and the drainage area was only 150 feet in depth, or a little less. The ground had been left with some back furrows and there were from four to twelve inches deep where trees had been planted, soil taken for use in other places and so forth. Some of the holes filled and overflowed. Some absorbed the water in accordance with the amount of the clay mixed with the gravel. Only a few of them absorbed all the water where the soil had been removed and it fell on straight gravel with the furrows around the lower part of the lots, the small space, 200 feet by 150 feet, managed to practically absorb all the rain and hail, but it couldn't hold any more than the inch and a half that fell; in fact did not take quite all of that. The reasons why land will take a cubic foot of water under irrigation and be soaked with a inch and a half of rain till a run of occurs need not be gone into here. The point is how are we going to intercept some of this water for future use at a reasonable outlay. In the first place the dam must be made as solid as possible, not be piled up as straight as it will stand ready to wash and settle so soon as stress is put upon it and in the next place it should be provided with a very ample flow pipe leading to a ditch and a half of a mile from the foot of the dam so it will not cut back during the storm period, causing the dam to fail.

The lower end of the flow pipe should be led into a ditch, when possible, that will distribute the water on higher ground rather than allow it to run to waste down the creek. The land will take this water when it allows the rain to run off, as may be seen under any irrigation ditch, but the main point is to lead it to a point where it will not cut back. Where a diversion of the supply cannot be accomplished above the dam in time of flood, it is sometimes possible to lead a ditch down either side of a draw and carry off the water, filling the reservoir from spillways or allowing it to fill only so much as it will from the more restricted drainage area. The trouble with this plan is that the ditches themselves are very liable to break, so when the draw is of an extended area, it is better to see if a series of small ditches, cheaply made with a plow, which divides the ground little, cannot be given on, says half the general fall of the ground, to lead the water clear of the reservoir in times of heavy flood. There are a good many ways in which water can be circumvented besides building an unprotected obstruction across its natural flow, to be periodically washed out.

**What Deep Plowing Has Done.**

We wish those farmers who are skeptical about the value of deep plowing could look at a 14-acre field of barley on the Hoard farm as it stands just now, says Hoard's Dairyman of Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin. The land was plowed 12 inches deep last year. It was sown about the first of May with 20 pounds of alfalfa seed and three pecks of barley. The stand of barley now in comparison with any other on the farm or in the neighborhood is very striking. It is thicker, stronger, taller, and of a deeper color. Indeed, it is so heavy a stand as to cause some concern about the alfalfa seedling. There are several things about it that are well worth studying by any thinking, observant farmer.

**Kill the Cutworm.**

Farmers at all seasons of the year should watch for the appearance of cutworms, and should lose no time in ridding their premises of this pest immediately upon their appearance. The following remedy is recommended by several agricultural departments: 100 pounds; Paris green, dry, 1 pound; sugar, 2 to 3 pounds. Mix thoroughly and dampen slightly with water and spread over the sections where the worm appears.

## TOWN NAMES WOULD CAUSE HAVOC



Chicago Record-Herald cartoon depicting the potential confusion of town names.

## BECKER IN "DEATH HOUSE"

### Taken to Sing Sing After Sentence of Death Was Given.

Ossining, N. Y.: Former Police Lieut. Charles Becker is in the "death house" at Sing Sing prison under sentence to die in the electric chair during the week of Dec. 9, the convicted murderer of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal. He was brought here from New York immediately after sentence was pronounced upon him by Justice Goff.

Becker's execution will be stayed, however, by the filing of a notice of appeal from the verdict. In this lies Becker's only hope of escape from death. His last words before the gates of the prison were shut behind him were: "I come here an innocent man. I never had a chance. I was railroaded. But the fight has only begun. I expect a reversal of the verdict and a new trial."

Becker, manacled to a Deputy Sheriff, arrived at the prison after a twenty-minute walk through the streets of the village surrounded by several hundred persons curious to see him. With stolid contentance and head erect, Becker withstood the ordeal without losing his composure.

A window of the warden's office framed a woman's tear-stained face as Becker marched up the prison walk. It was that of the convicted man's wife, who had accompanied him from New York and had driven ahead of him from the railroad station. Becker waved his hand sadly and the woman threw a kiss.

New York: It was said in the office of the District Attorney that at least six months will elapse before the appeal by Becker's counsel will be heard by the Court of Appeals. The average time for a reversal when a convicted murderer has a fair chance is thirteen months. In one case since the introduction of the electric chair, it was recalled, five years elapsed before the execution of sentence.

## TURKISH ARMY SUFFERS DISASTROUS DEFEAT

### 200,000 OF SULTAN'S FORCES CUT TO PIECES BY BULGARIANS.

## TURKEY MAY SUE FOR PEACE

### Positions of Allied Forces Are Such That Hasty Efforts to End War Are Expected to Be Made.

London: A four days' battle in Thrace has ended in the triumph of the Bulgarian commander in chief, Gen. Savoff, whose skillful strategy has probably brought to a close one of the shortest and most reckless wars of record.

A great Turkish army, estimated at over 200,000 men, has been defeated. Constantinople is believed to be at the mercy of the victorious Bulgarian army, and a council sitting at the port is discussing the advisability of suing for peace. Such is the news which comes from Constantinople.

It is only a fortnight since Turkey declared war. The first week of the campaign closed with the dramatic fall of Kirk-Kilesseh, fully revealing for the first time the disorganization, bad morale and inefficient commissariat of the Turkish army. Thursday that army was defeated, routed within fifty miles of Constantinople and possibly its retreat within the capital's lines of defenses is cut off.

Only the briefest and vaguest accounts of the great battle have yet been received, for the war has been especially reckless in that not a single war correspondent has been allowed at the front except in the case of the little Montenegrin campaign against Scutari.

Thus no independent personal narratives of the absorbing events have been possible and the world has had to depend on biased official accounts provided by the respective governments or confused details supplied by wounded soldiers.

Nazim Pasha, the Turkish Minister of War and Commander in Chief in Thrace, has been either shot or taken prisoner, according to a late dispatch from Sofia. By the capture of Nazim Pasha's headquarters at Chorus, to which town the defeated Turks retreated, the Turks will be forced within the defensive lines of Techatalja, the only remaining fortified position protecting Constantinople. It lies twenty-five miles to the northwest of the capital.

Adrianople still holds out, but has lost its importance now that the Turks have met their Sedan at Luleburgaz. It is believed a peace settlement will be arranged either by the Porte suing for peace, or through intervention of the Powers. And an interesting question involving difficult diplomatic problems will immediately arise as to the division of the spoils of war—a question concerning not only the victorious allies, but also Russia, Austria, Roumania and possibly other Powers.

The campaign of the other Balkan States continues with the success which throughout has attended them. The Servians have taken Prisrend, and Greece is occupying the islands in the Aegean Sea. In addition to various towns in Macedonia.

The Powers, fearing disorders and massacres in Turkey, are hurrying warships to the various ports of the country to protect foreign residents.

## MANY PAY TRIBUTE TO SHERMAN

### Body of Late Vice President Lies in State at Utica, New York.

Utica, N. Y.: Utica paid tribute to the memory of Vice President James S. Sherman. For hours thousands of persons filed silently through the Onondaga County court house and gazed for the last time upon the face of the Vice President, whose body was lying in state in the rotunda of the building.

The body, clothed in a cutaway suit of black, reposed in a casket of solid mahogany, covered with black broadcloth with handles of antique silver. The Vice President's face bore a look of serenity, but it was overshadowed with a tinge of purple, the mark left by the malady that caused his death. In the right arm lay a bunch of violets, the gift of his grandchildren, and in one hand a spray of red flowers from the Sherman family. An Elk's pin, the insignia of one of the few orders to which Mr. Sherman belonged, gleamed from the lapel of the coat.

The casket rested upon a flag-draped catafalque, over which was suspended a canopy of flags. A floral piece of white lilies had been laid upon the casket, while palms, ferns and flowers were arranged in profusion on either side. The exterior of the building was in mourning dress, with festoons of flags on backgrounds of black and purple.

Greenburg, Pa.: The Woman's Market Club of this city has made its first practical move toward reducing the cost of living to the working classes. An immense car, the largest site built, was loaded with 800 bushels of potatoes in Center County and brought into this city. The Woman's Market Club is charging \$1.35 for two bushels of potatoes. Each buyer must take at least two bushels, on which they save 55c, as potatoes are selling in the retail stores at 90c a bushel.

## STRICKLAND COMPANY FILES BIG MORTGAGE

### CONCERN PLEDGES HOLDINGS TO SECURE \$30,000,000.

## BIG IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED

### In Addition to Work Under Way, Erection of Power Plant on Red River Contemplated.

Dallas, Texas: Preparing for the financing of extensions and purchases in all of North and Central Texas, the Texas Power and Light Company has filed with the County Clerk of Dallas County, and also with the County Clerks of more than a dozen other counties, a chattel mortgage to the Bankers' Trust Company of New York as trustee for \$30,000,000, one of the largest instruments of its kind ever filed in Dallas County.

The purpose of the chattel mortgage is to allow ready issuance of such bonds as may be necessary for the extensions and improvements to be made by the company, according to its president, J. F. Stickland of Dallas. At present, he said, only 2,100,000 of bonds will be issued, and the rest will be held in reserve for issuance as need arises.

Mr. Stickland said that the mortgage was filed in the following counties and possible in some others: Fannin, Grayson, Cooke, Dallas, Ellis, Hill, Bell, Smith, Brown, Tarrant, Lamar and McLennan.

The erection of one central power plant at Waco is already under way, as well as a steel tower, main transmission line from Waco to Fort Worth and Dallas, with branches proposed to Corsicana and other cities. The company proposed soon to begin the point on the Red River, and from the Red River and Brazos power stations power and current will be distributed by lines on steel towers through a large portion of the State. The outlay upon the work already under way, he said, will be approximately \$1,000,000.

## COLONEL OROZCO IS RELEASED.

### Father of Mexican Rebel Leader is Freed from Prison.

El Paso, Texas: An attempt by the Mexican Government to hold Col. Pascual Orozco Sr. in jail for forty days more without trial was frustrated by Judge Wolthall of the local District Court. Orozco already has served forty days in the El Paso jail as the result of a procedure prescribed by the international extradition treaty. He was freed at the expiration of the allotted time. Consul E. Lorente of Mexico, who caused his detention extradition, offered no proofs in the Federal Court of the murder charge made by the Mexican Government.

Given his liberty from the Federal Court, the aged revolutionist was re-arrested by State Rangers on another extradition charge, preferred by Gov. Gonzales of the State of Chihuahua, through Gov. Colquitt of Texas. This was made possible through an extradition treaty between the two border States. Orozco's attorney secured the second and final release by habeas corpus proceedings. Judge Wolthall held that the second appeal for extradition virtually was with intent to send the prisoner to Mexico on the same cause offered in the original case for which Orozco already had served forty days' imprisonment without trial or without testimony being offered by the Mexican Government.

## BANKS' RESOURCES HIGHEST.

### Individual Deposits Show an Increase of \$1,105,000,000 Over Last Year.

Washington: Lawrence O. Murray, Controller of the Currency, has issued a statement indicating that the resources of the banks in the United States, National, State and private, are the highest in history. According to reports of their conditions on June 14, the Controller announced 25,000 of the 29,000 banks in the country showed aggregate resources of \$24,955,000,000, an increase of \$1,324,000,000 over the resources of 24,000 banks which made returns in 1911. The total individual deposits amounted to \$17,012,000,000, an increase of \$1,105,000,000. The 4,000 banks from which no reports were received by the Controller were chiefly brokerage concerns, with an estimated aggregate capital of \$79,000,000.

## Score Hurt in Train Wreck.

Gainesville, Texas: Missouri, Kansas and Texas passenger train leaving here for Wichita Falls wrecked between St. Joe and Bonita, thirty-one miles from here. Four coaches turned over, only the engine standing and more than a score of people injured, although officials report none seriously. Only meager reports were learned, railway employees saying they can not learn the names of the injured, but state positively none was killed. A broken rail caused the wreck.

## Fatal Explosion on Battleship.

Norfolk, Va.: Two men were fatally injured and four others are suffering from severe scald burns as the result of the blowing out of the head of the battleship Vermont's No. 6 boiler, as the Vermont lay at anchor in Hampton Roads. No other damage is reported to the Vermont, which will likely be repaired at the Norfolk navy yard. A naval board at once took up the matter of investigating the cause of the explosion.

## SISTERS GIVE LIVES TO SAVE CHILDREN

### SIX DIE AS RESULT OF FIRE AT CATHOLIC ORPHANAGE.

## EXAMPLES OF HEROISM

### All Efforts Centered on Saving Tiny Tot's in Their Care and All but Two Are Saved.

San Antonio, Texas: Fighting heroically and unselfishly to save the orphan tot's in their charge, six Sisters of Charity sacrificed their lives in a fire which completely destroyed the St. John's Orphan Home.

The Santa Rosa Hospital adjoining, in which there were more than 500 patients in the ward rooms, was for a time threatened, but tireless efforts on the part of the part of the firemen saved this building and possibly more than a hundred lives.

While six of the sisters went to their death in the seething flames, so successful were their efforts that only two of their tiny charges met a like fate, although the building contained eighty-seven children, ranging in age from 2 to 12 years.

Only three sisters were saved, and they left the building, jumping into life nets, only after it was certain every child had been rescued. Those who went to their death did so as the result of exhaustion from fighting their way through the smoke and flames to bring children from interior windows and throw them into life nets.

The death of Mother Superior Mary of the Cross was an example of great heroism and courage seldom equaled. Just as she was preparing to leave the burning building she heard the moans of a child which had been overlooked. Despite the fact that she seemed to be facing certain death she returned to the building. A few moments later she appeared in the glare of the flames at a window with the child in her arms. With her fast-ebbing strength she cast the child out into a life net and then staggered back and fell.

Fire Chief Wright, who was making a desperate attempt to save the mother superior, failed in his efforts, reaching the room too late.

The origin of the fire has not been ascertained, but it spread with almost incredible rapidity. Within a few blocks of the central fire station, the firemen were promptly on hand and worked with great energy, but with little success. The life nets were used by the firemen to great advantage.

## MRS. CLEVELAND TO MARRY.

### Authorizes Announcement of Engagement to Thomas Preston.

Princeton, N. J.: Mrs. Grover Cleveland authorizes the announcement of her engagement to Thomas Joseph Preston, professor of archaeology and history of arts at Wells College. The date of the marriage is not yet determined, but will be announced later.

Mrs. Cleveland is a graduate of Wells College and has been a trustee of that institution since 1887.

Her wedding to President Grover Cleveland, which took place in the Executive Mansion during his first administration, was one of the notable events in the history of the White House. Her father, Oscar Folsom, was a law partner of Mr. Cleveland, who, upon Mr. Folsom's death in 1875, became Frances Folsom's guardian. After his retirement from the Presidency, Mr. Cleveland made his permanent home in Princeton and Mrs. Cleveland has continued to reside there since the former President died in 1908. Her two daughters, Esther and Marion, and her son, Richard F., are living with her there.

## Acquittal Verdict of Grabow Jury.

Lake Charles, La.: A. L. Emerson, president of the Brotherhood of Timber Workers, and his eight associates charged with murder as a result of the Grabow labor riot July 7 were acquitted. The jury took less than an hour to bring in the verdict. Immediately following the verdict other indictment, relative to the Grabow riot, both against the nine defendants and their forty-nine fellow union men, who have been awaiting trial, were abandoned. Indictments were obtained against six of the accused and they will be held pending investigation. Half an hour later the jail doors were opened and the other fifty-two prisoners, most of whom had been confined for two months or more, walked out free men.

## Hail Causes Heavy Damage.

Goree, Texas: One of the worst hailstorms in the history of this country struck here. In a few minutes the ground was covered and in places it drifted to a depth of two feet. Its path was about two miles long, and within that territory all vegetation was destroyed. In the cotton fields the stalks look like the dead of winter. Leaves, bolls and everything were stripped. It is the same with fruit trees. Hundreds of window lights were broken out.

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## RIOTS IN FLORIDA CAR STRIKE.

### 3,000 State Troops Ordered Out Following Trouble at Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Fla.: As a result of disorder and rioting here in connection with the street car strike Gov. Gilchrist has ordered out the first and second regiments of State troops, comprising about 3,000 men. The four local companies went on guard duty. In attacks on the cars, which were manned by imported strikebreakers, several motormen and conductors were seized and beaten by the mobs of strike sympathizers. A dozen or more others were forced to leave their cars in the streets and flee for their lives. In the heart of the business section trolley ropes were cut, the men driven from the cars and windows broken.

## GENERAL DIAZ TRANSFERRED.

### Mexican Rebel is Taken from Military Prison to San Juan de Ulloa.

Vera Cruz, Mexico: Gen. Felix Diaz, Col. Diaz Ordaz and the other prisoners recently tried by court-martial were transferred from the military prison to San Juan de Ulloa. Gen. Beltram, commander of the Federals, explained that the latter prison offered more safety in the case of the condemned rebels. The German cruiser Victoria Louise has arrived here.

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STERLING CITY, TEXAS

Frost on the ragweed is poetical enough for hay fever sufferers.

There is only one thing wrong with Indian summer. That is its brevity.

Mount Wrangel is in an eruption. Wonder if it's a political disturbance.

Aeroplane rides can now be had for \$1 apiece, ambulance charges not included.

It is announced that sneezing spreads the measles. A measles sort of stunt, isn't it?

Six girls constitute a "crowd," according to the Harvard library rules—or three companies, to be exact.

Before long, says scientists, we'll be making eggs from air. Hope the air won't have to be foul, though.

The death of a "living skeleton" is reported by a foreign paper, no doubt due to one of the ills that flesh is heir to.

A Chicagoan was crushed to death under a radiator he was installing against the coming winter. Another heat victim.

An Englishman has been imprisoned because he couldn't pay his wife's debts. But it isn't a title married to an American girl.

The New York board of health wants to probe beef stew. What has the New York board of health lost that it expects to find?

Now comes word from manufacturers that women are wearing larger stockings. Probably due to the fact that Christmas is coming.

Perhaps aviation is advanced by the sacrifice of men, but what is aided by the broken knee caps and cracked skulls of football players?

An inventor has manufactured an umbrella that will not turn inside out. If he could make it thief-proof, he might accomplish something.

English military authorities have discontinued the use of the aeroplane. England has a big standing army, but it couldn't stand the depletion.

This washing of old bills is all right. But what is a man going to live on when he's sent his week's salary to the government laundry?

Bavaria has passed a law that a man may not kiss his wife on a railroad train. Only those of the male sex are allowed to kiss in Bavaria.

An Indian woman has invented a muffler which, she claims, will render crying babies inaudible. Ought to be tried on some autos and motorcycles.

Using dynamite as an argument is not advisable, as experience teaches that it destroys the premises and therefore undermines the conclusions.

A court of appeals has decided that tips are personal gifts. Wonder if the court also considered the amount of moral courage required to refuse 'em.

A Moscow merchant dropped dead when he heard that \$350,000 had been stolen from him by his brother. Stealing \$350,000 must be unusual in Moscow.

Man, according to a scientist, is losing his memory. Bet those statistics were gathered by him during some of the investigations of the trust magnates.

A coroner's physician of New York City shut off the judge's wind to show him how a murder was committed. What happened to the coroner's physician is not reported.

A boy has just been killed by a gun supposed to be empty, but which had been really loaded for 42 years. These empty-loaded guns seem never to get too aged to do business.

Enemies of the hobble skirt come to the fore with the announcement that they reveal knock knees. Why don't they claim that they make 'em? It would be a better weapon.

A Rhode Island doctor's dictum that a baby is worth \$90 at birth will be denied with wrath and scorn by every fond mother who is firmly convinced that her particular darling should be rated in the billions.

A Brooklyn judge decided that it was not cruel treatment for a wife to throw the breakfast dishes at her husband. He probably went on the well-known fact that a woman never hits anything at which she aims.

A judge has held that a parlor is a proper place for courting. Evidently he never lived in a boarding house.

Elderly man facing a long term for forgery blames an artist's model for his downfall. A model excuse, anyway.

The professional beggar of Spain is in jeopardy, as a decree has been issued against the profession of mendicancy. We can equal it right here to home. How about that anti-tipping fight?

One Boston girl has learned to see by auto-suggestion. This method of seeing is not recommended to poker players.

They still persist in calling Thanksgiving "Turkey day." You don't hear anybody calling Christmas "Goose day," do you?

What becomes of the automobile speeders who are caught after exciting chases by policemen? After the thrilling stories of their capture are published we never hear of them.

# PROMINENT PEOPLE

## HEAD OF WOMEN'S FEDERATED CLUBS



Mrs. Pennybacker, a picture of whom is herewith presented, was recently elected president of the Federation of Women's Clubs. It is said to be her idea that women, whose activities are directed to affairs outside their home circles, consist of three classes: First, those who work for their daily bread; second, those who are moved to action by the economic conditions surrounding working women and political abuses which affect the general public and strike particularly hard at women and children; third, those who are interesting themselves in public affairs as a means of broadening their mental horizons and acquiring a more liberal knowledge of the ways of the world.

In the first class there are in the United States six million women. Six million women are working for their bread and shelter. Their activities are, with few exceptions, compulsory. They work because hard practical necessity compels them. It is almost impossible to estimate the number of women in the second class. They are in every city and village. From the richest woman in the metropolis who is using her wealth to alleviate the hardships of overburdened girls to the poor woman in the small hamlet who insists that the village constable shall keep children out of the one pool room in the place are found these workers for the betterment of conditions.

## SIR GEORGE ALARMED BY AMERICA'S GAIN

Anglo-American amity means world supremacy or these two nations, according to the opinion expressed by Sir George Reid, high commissioner for Australia at the British capital, in an interview given out the other day. With a rupture of the friendship between the United States and Great Britain—and he sees no indication of unpleasantness—other powers might seek to change the balance of power, the commissioner said. Sir George and Lady Reid have just finished a tour of the United States that extended over several weeks. Of course, he is duly impressed with the remarkable growth of American industries and American fortunes. But, do you know, Sir George actually thought at one time that the bally American foundation wasn't solid. He says so himself. Listen:

"To one who lives as far from the United States as I do your tremendous strides and development appear so rapid that it is hard to believe they are built on a solid foundation. One feels that the bubble must burst some day. But my visit has convinced me that you have built solidly, and that impression of which I spoke has been entirely dispelled."

## DR. PAGE MADE BISHOP OF NEW MEXICO



Rev. Herman Page, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, East 50th street and Madison avenue, Chicago, has been chosen bishop of New Mexico by the Episcopal house of bishops. The announcement of Dr. Page's election came as a surprise to the members of his parish. None of the members had heard of the possibility of such action being taken. Some were inclined to express doubt as to whether Dr. Page would accept the appointment.

Only one other promotion was made by the house of bishops, that being the election of George Biller Jr., formerly of New Jersey, to the bishopric of North Dakota. The house of bishops was in session for two days.

Dr. Page has been rector of St. Paul's church for twelve years. He came to Chicago from St. John's Episcopal church at Fall River, Mass. The newly appointed bishop was graduated from Harvard with a degree of bachelor of arts in 1888. In 1891 he received the degree of bachelor of divinity from the Episcopal Theological seminary at Cambridge, Mass. In 1906 he was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of divinity by the University of Pittsburgh.

Dr. Page had been rector of St. John's church in Fall River for seven years when he was called to Chicago to occupy the pulpit of St. Paul's of the largest Episcopal congregation in Chicago.

Dr. Page is forty-three years old, married, and has one son, now a student at Harvard.

## JILTS A PRINCE TO WED AN AMERICAN

The engagement of Miss Katherine Britton, who, it is reported, jilted a prince to wed E. H. Harriman's son, Averill, is expected to be announced shortly. Young Harriman will inherit much of the millions left by his father, and Miss Britton, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Britton, will come into a large fortune.



Miss Britton spent the summer in Europe and at Narragansett Pier. She won fame in social circles at the national capital last winter by appearing at a dance with a golden snake twined about her corsage. The effect was so lifelike that it startled the guests until the wearer assured them it was made of jewels. As a devotee of aviation, she has also gained some prominence, having made several flights on the speedway with famous aviators.

At the time of Miss Britton's debut, several years ago, she was a member of the exclusive coterie of debutantes known as the "Big Six." Her associates of that year were Miss Laura Merriman, Miss Gladys Hinckley, Miss Eudora Clover, Miss Marguerite Draper and Miss Sophie Johnston.

With Miss Merriman, Miss Britton helped to organize the Monday Afternoon Skating club and the Dancing Fifty at the Playhouse club at Washington. She has also taken part in various society dramatics at the Playhouse and in Mrs. Barney Hemmick's affairs. She was particularly effective in the pantomime given by Mrs. Hemmick last spring. Attired in the colonial costume owned by her great-grandmother, she led one division of the minut at the Southern Relief ball, and won great admiration.

## SITE OF METHODISM

Central Hall in London Cost Five Million Dollars.

Location of Beautiful Buildings Connected With Stirring Events of English History—Funds Raised by Contribution.

London.—It is characteristic of the spirit of John Wesley, who made his ringing message not to a parish, but to a world, that in these days his followers—"the people called Methodists"—should have chosen a site alike so historical and so commanding as that on which the new Central hall and Connexional buildings have been reared at Westminster.

Here it was that Edward V. was "born in sorrow and baptized like a poor man's child," in 1470, and from here, too, 13 years later, his mother, Queen Elizabeth Woodville, sitting "alone below on the rushes all desolate and dismayed," saw him go out with his brother to the Tower to that pathetic death by murder. With a stone's throw is St. Stephen's hall, through which the Norman knights of Rufus tramped, and where King Charles I. stood on his trial before those who knew not what true freedom meant. Above all, the building stands under the very shadow of the noble abbey, the nation's Mother church.

Wesleyans the world over are proud of the vast pile and the position it occupies. Its inception goes back to the conference of 1838, when it was decided to endeavor to raise a twentieth century fund of a million guineas. When it is stated that the total membership of the church in this country was considered less than a million, including children, it will be realized that it was a great deal to ask.

The period for giving extended originally from January 1, 1899, to January 1, 1901, but it was found necessary to prolong it, and it was not until 1904 was well advanced that the last gift was received. In that time holidays were cheerfully foregone, clothes were patched and mended, walking was substituted for omnibus or car rides, and little luxuries of tobacco, sugar and butter were given up.

Out of the million guineas something like one-fourth million pounds was used for the purchase of the site. Upon this have risen two blocks. In the eastern one, called the Central Building, provision has been made for the departmental offices of allied organizations of the Wesleyan church—the Home Mission fund, the committee specifically charged with Wesleyan interests of the navy and army, the temperance committee, the central finance department, the London



Wesleyan Central Hall.

committee and the Methodist brotherhood. There are also offices for public bodies, and among the organizations already here is the Anglo-American peace committee. This block covers one-third of the area of the site, the total of which is about 30,000 square feet.

The main or western block is known as the Central hall, in which is a beautifully proportioned hall for meetings or concerts. It possesses the third largest dome in London, 90 feet in diameter and 220 feet in height to the lantern, and is surpassed in size only by those of St. Paul's and the British museum reading room. There will be seating for 2,500, or more, and room is provided for an orchestra of fully 100.

Included in this block is a fine library to contain modern standard books of theology, science, biography, travel, history and economics, and to be furnished as a reading room, with facilities also for obtaining tea and coffee. Adjoining this is a small hall, in which public receptions and luncheons can be held, and there is a handsomely appointed conference room, fitted on the lines of a council chamber, to seat 250. An enormous basement will be available for the use of Methodist boys' brigade, or for popular meetings, at which 1,500 will be able to sit down.

In England there are still the three groups of the Wesleyan Methodists, the Primitive Methodists and the Free Methodists. In America and the colonies these have reunited, and today it is estimated that they form the largest English speaking Protestant body in the world, exceeding in number the Church of England itself.

## DRINKS POISON BY MISTAKE

Occultist Living at Hartington, Neb., Killed When He Mistakes It for Brandy.

Hartington, Neb.—Dr. W. A. Slack, an occultist of this city, died suddenly from the effects of drinking poison, just before he was ready to retire for the night. Slack stepped into the pantry of his home and took a bottle from the shelf, supposing it to be brandy. The doctor took two swallows before he discovered his error. His wife summoned a physician, but before he arrived the doctor died.

## TO RESTORE FAMOUS CHURCH

Boston's Revolutionary Landmark Is Taking an Odd Appearance.

Boston.—From the chaos of loose bricks and unplastered panels, Christ church (better known as the Old North church of the school histories) is re-emerging in something closely resembling its original guise. Restoration it at least a difficult and often thankless task, but fortunately this process at Christ church was in part simplified by certain authentic records of the building's earlier history.



Old North Church.

diamond or triangular shape, has been substituted. Above them is a fan light with leaded panes of glass. With the walls freshened to a glowing red and the spire and window frames trimmed with white paint, the church wears probably more nearly its original look than it has within the memory of any living person.

The new plan of the church was fortunately extant, and it was possible from the paneling which remained to reconstruct the pew arrangement in virtually the original form. This has been carried out, using as much of the original paneling and as many of the old doors as remained and making the new a faithful reproduction of the old. The pews as thus rebuilt are of the long, "slip" shape and nearly uniform size, except those set apart for the notables—the governor's pew (which has, by the way been made the graceful occasion of a generous gift from Governor Foss) and "the Pew for the Gentlemen of the Bay of Honduras," a group of merchants who gave, in the early days, the money for the spire.

During the turmoil of restoration the belfry of Washington has been removed from the marble niche, but will be replaced, not for any special merit as a work of art which it may possess, but for long association and for its unique position as being the first public monument erected to Washington in America. Its date is 1815.

The walls, which were previously blank, save for frescoes, will be diversified by an array of appropriate tablets; one in memory of the first officers of the church, bearing the date of April 1724; one in memory of Maj. John Pitcairn; one in memory of the Rev. Timothy Cutler; one in memory of the Rev. Mather Byles, the last minister before the revolution; one in memory of Capt. Thomas James Gruchy, commander of the privateer Queen of Hungary, who gave the cherubim which ornament the front of the organ; and one to the memory of Capt. Cyprian Southack, who gave the belfry clock in use before the revolution.

## GOLF BALL KILLED A BIRD

And It Kept on Its Way Toward Hol Without Even a Swerve at Country Club Links.

Boston.—A strange freak of golf was witnessed on the Brae Bur Country club links a few days ago when a ball driven from a tee killed a sparrow and then continued true in its flight. The incident was witnessed by a number of golfers.

The marksman was Joseph Gould. He was driving from the seventh tee. Gould got off a good drive and the ball soared high. The bird was flying in the same direction and swerved just a trifle, apparently as it heard the buzz of the golf ball coming behind.

It is common knowledge that a golf ball is no mean projectile, and in this case the bird was instantly killed and fell, a crumpled heap of feathers, a thought it had received a charge of shot. The ball was hardly checked in its flight and landed on the green not far from the hole.

## DESERTS ARMY TO MARR

Fort Meade Soldier Comes to Chicago, Then Surrenders When He Is Down and Out.

Chicago.—Frank Wilson, who deserted from the army two months ago to get married, surrendered to the South Clark street police station Wilson left company K of Ninth infantry, Fort Meade, S. D., to marry South Dakota girl.

They went to Lakeville, Ill., and two weeks ago Wilson came to Chicago to get work. He said he had no found work and "was down and out." Soon after he surrendered his 'self arrived in Chicago. She passed the night in the annex of the station. The police took up a collection today to send her back to her parer in South Dakota.

# The KITCHEN CABINET

Is the bugbear of the menu maker. A powdered ginger snuff added to a table for the every day browned sauce. A teaspoonful of Worcestershire catsup, a pinch of mace and a dash of celery salt, a bit of garlic and a mixture of herbs will always be found of service in a dish.

## THANKSGIVING DISHES.

For the Thanksgiving time, when friends, relatives and countrymen are dropping in for a social tea or luncheon, it is the prudent forerunner housewife who keeps her cake box well replenished, and other good things easily at hand.

**Honey Cakes.**—Melt a fourth of a cup of butter, add a cup of strained honey; let it cool, then add the rind of a lemon, grated, a teaspoonful of lemon juice, three tablespoonfuls of blanched, chopped almonds, a fourth of a teaspoonful of mace, half a teaspoonful of soda and two cupfuls of flour sifted together. Mix thoroughly and set aside for twelve hours to season. Roll into a sheet half an inch thick, cut in squares and bake in a moderate oven. When baked, brush over with a heavy syrup made by rolling together a cup of sugar and half a cup of water. Let cool a little before putting on the cakes.

**Baked Beets.**—Wash and put the beets to bake in a moderate oven, being careful not to break the skins. Turn frequently, using a wooden spoon. Remove the skins, add butter and serve hot.

**Stuffed Onions.**—Take sufficient onions to serve each with one; ball until tender enough to remove the centers. Chop the centers, add cooked chopped ham, season to taste with salt and pepper, and mix with the mixture and fill the centers with this mixture and place a bit of butter on the top of each onion. Set in a deep dish, pour a little milk over and bake, covered, for twenty minutes. Then sprinkle with buttered crumbs and bake ten minutes longer.

**Scalloped Oysters.**—Take six nice fresh oysters, cut away the tough parts and beard. Cover a sauce with fine bread crumbs, lay in the oysters, season and add a few drops of lemon juice, and dot with small pieces of butter. Cook in a hot oven until the crumbs are brown.

## SOME BEST RECIPES.

**Boiled Loaf.**—A simple pudding which can be made for an emergency. Take a loaf of rye or wheat bread and cut off all the crust; then press into the loaf as many seeded raisins as it will hold without breaking. After preparing a custard with two eggs, a pint of milk and a fourth of a cup of sugar, dip the loaf in it and let it stand long enough to absorb all the milk. Then drop it in a floured pudding cloth and twenty minutes. Serve with creamed butter and powdered sugar flavored with vanilla. Place the bowl of butter and sugar in hot water and stir until soft.

**Delicious Little cakes for tea** are made of the round crackers covered with a teaspoonful of boiled frosting and chopped nuts and raisins. These baked.

**Chicken Broth.**—A very wholesome and nourishing broth which may be made from the liquor in which a chicken is stewed. To a tablespoonful of butter, bubbling hot, add a tablespoonful of flour, then a cupful of the broth. When hot add a quarter of a cup of thin cream and pour the hot soup over a well beaten egg. Season with salt and red pepper.

**Cracker Dessert.**—When pushed for ideas on desserts try this: Put a half dozen of split milk crackers to soak in cold water for half an hour. Take them out with a skimmer and place them on a buttered dish, the inside up. Butter the top of the cracker and put into a hot oven. In a few minutes they will be puffed and brown. Serve with any kind of preserves and whipped cream.

**Black Bass, Okauchee Style.**—Prepare the fish and fill with several slices of bacon, which has been dredged with parsley and seasoned with pepper and salt. Wind a string around the fish and fry or broil a half hour. Serve with melted butter and lemon.

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Remove the meat and add two tablespoonfuls of farina to the stock, flavor with a little mace, add two cups of milk or cream and serve hot.

For the next day's meal remove the meat from the bone and cut in small pieces. Fry a small onion in a little fat, remove the onion and fry the meat. Cover with water and cook for ten minutes, flavor with two teaspoonfuls of curry powder, thicken the gravy with flour and add a tablespoonful of vinegar. Serve with a border of rice.

The pieces of rare broiled steak left from dinner make a most delicious dish when combined with a few vegetables. Fry a small onion in a little fat, in the bottom of a buttered casserole, add a generous layer of the cold meat, a sprinkling of grated onion, and then a large cup of tomato. Season and bake well covered for at least an hour. Just before serving scatter a tablespoonful or two of cooked peas over the top.

A casserole or heavy stone dish with a tight cover is invaluable in cooking cheap cuts of meat, as the long, slow cooking develops the flavor and makes otherwise unpalatable meat very tender.

Another valuable reminder to the housewife who wants to keep her meat bills down is that a variety of flavorings which change the character of a dish make it more digestible and more attractive. Monotony

## SOME SUCCESSFUL DISHES.

An economical stew is made of a pound of round steak cut in one thin slice as broad as possible. Mix in a sauce pan a cup of bread crumbs, two tablespoonfuls of chopped suet, a parboiled onion chopped, two tablespoonfuls of chopped parsley, a beaten egg, and salt and pepper to season. Gather the stuffing in a large lump, roll it in the middle of the meat, tie with a string, and fry it all over until brown. Put into a saucepan a tablespoonful of dripping, chop half an onion and fry, then add the meat. Mix a tablespoonful of flour with a little soup stock and pour over the meat. Add enough stock occasionally to keep it well heated. Cook for three-quarters of an hour.

**Raspberry Buns.**—Rub four tablespoonfuls of butter into three cups of flour, add half a cup of milk, a half cup of sugar and two well beaten eggs. Mix a half teaspoonful of soda and a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, sifted with the flour. If the milk does not seem to make the mixture soft enough, add a little more, though the dough should be quite stiff. Mold in buns, place them on a buttered dish, put in a hole in the top of each bun, draw up a teaspoonful of raspberry jam, drawing up the dough to cover it. Bake in a hot oven.

## WELLIE MAXWELL.

Hardships of Travel.  
"Look here, conductor, why didn't you put me off at that last station?"  
"Why didn't you tell me to?"  
"I couldn't pronounce it."

Two or Three.  
Country Cousin.—Well, I was in the Metropolitan museum this morning.  
City Host.—That's nothing to brag about. I know two or three fellows living right here in New York who have been there.—Smart Set.

His Idea.  
"Don't you think we have laws enough already, senator?"  
"Oh, yes; but if I don't let 'em know what I'm here for, I'll never get here again."

A Question.  
The Critic.—That picture entitled "Charity" is pretty fair for Church-mouse to have painted.  
The Querist.—Yes; wonder where he got the model of the \$2 bill the woman is handing over.

In Suffrage Days.  
Pretty Girl.—Will you be entitled to a vote before long?  
Handsome Friend.—No; but I hope to have some one whose vote I can direct pretty soon.

A Possibility.  
Jinks.—If I had not married I would be worth a million.  
Binks.—But I am single and penniless.  
Jinks.—Ah, but if you had married you might have learned to economize.

Not That Kind.  
"I have a fine setter at home,"  
"Irish, English or Gordon?"  
"None of the three."  
"What is it, then?"  
"Plymouth Rock."

Welcome Arrival.  
"I don't think we had better lose any time about calling on our new neighbors," said Mrs. Mainchance.  
"Why" inquired her husband.  
"I have watched them unload the moving van and they have a lot of things we will want to borrow."

A Contrary Habit.  
"Is your laundress a careful washer, woman?"  
"Yes, despite the fact that she lets things go by the board."

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"I asked him to come over and play 'audience bridge' with us last night, and he said he would rather waste his time playing 'bean-porridge-hot' or 'tit-tat-toe'."

England's Motto.  
"Dieu et Mon Droit"—God and My Right—the royal motto of England, was the parole of the day given by Richard I. (the Lion Heart) to his army at the battle of Gisors, in France, on the 29th of September, 1188, when the French army was signally defeated. Dieu et Mon Droit appears to have been first assumed as a motto by Henry VI, 1422-1462. Semper Idem—"Always the Same"—was one of the mottoes of Queen Elizabeth; also adopted by Queens Mary and Anne.

HIS FATE.  
Husband (holding up a lot of bills)—Here's the devil to pay.  
Wife (sweetly)—Don't let him worry you. You can settle with him hereafter.  
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"For 30 years," she writes, "I have used coffee. Have always been sickly—had heart trouble and dyspepsia with ulcers in stomach and mouth so bad sometimes, I was almost distracted and could hardly eat a thing for a week."  
"I could not sleep for nervousness, and when I would lie down at night I'd belch up coffee and my heart would trouble me. It was like poison to me. I was thin—only weighed 125 lbs., when I quit coffee and began to use Postum."  
"From the first day that belching and burning in my stomach stopped, and I could sleep as soundly as anyone, and after the first month, whenever I met any friends they would ask me what was making me so fleshy and looking so well."  
"Sometimes, before I could answer one question, one of the children or my husband would say, 'Why, that is what Postum is doing for her'—they were all so proud and glad."  
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Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pgs. "There's a reason."

Never read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

## With the World's Workers

REVIEW OF PROGRESS THAT IS BEING MADE ALONG ALL LINES OF ENDEAVOR

### WON BY CONFIDENCE

#### How One Man Secured Position Well Worth the Striving For and Keeping

#### TOOK LESSON FROM FAILURE

Too Nervous to Do Himself Justice in His First Attempt, He Resolved, and Successfully, to Overcome That Insurmountable Bar to Progress.

I consider myself a fair stenographer and have worked for various firms in the city in different lines and in that way have obtained a diversified experience.

As stenographer for the treasurer of a theater I wrote letters to chorus girls, vaudeville performers and comedians. In a mail order house I wrote letters for the different department heads. The manager of the dry goods department would describe to a customer the embroidery on a certain skirt; the manager in the sporting goods department would write on the bore of a "goose gun," or the style of fish nets they had for sale; the druggist would explain the quality of a certain salve; the hardware man would tell his customer there was no better fencing made than "Smith's" fencing. He usually ended his letter by saying he would send separate cover the firm's great book which would describe other useful articles.

When the following advertisement appeared in a paper I promptly answered it:

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO CAN TAKE SHORTHAND DICTATION; MUST BE QUICK AND FIRST CLASS FOR BOARD OF TRADE WORK; WILL PAY \$100.00 PER MONTH; GIVE REFERENCE. Address

I answered the advertisement in a style that usually brought me many replies and often positions.

The answer I received read as follows: "If you can live up to the style of your application we may be able to make a deal. We want a man who can work like Edison and display brains in writing his letters. Kindly call and ask for Mr. —, Board of Trade, Room —."

Upon the receipt of his reply I immediately went to the board of trade and located the advertiser. The noise, bustle and confusion there was terrific and got on my nerves so that I completely lost all the self-possession I had. He gave me four lines of simple dictation as a test, no word containing more than two syllables, and which any 35 stenographer would have received with delight in order to prove her efficiency.

### MADE THE BOSS THINK

#### LITTLE ACT OF COURTESY THAT HAD RESULTS.

Just by Writing a Nice Letter, Young Man Boosted Himself Into a Really Good Position.

"Far be it from me," said the general manager to the superintendent. "To pry into your affairs, but will you kindly tell me why you pulled young Harrison away from the Varnish company and gave him a better job here when you didn't know anything about him?"  
The superintendent smiled.  
"That's just where you are wrong," was his answer. "I do know something about him—a great deal. Of course, it was partly a hunch that made me bring Harrison over, but I believe it will work out well."  
"Harrison came here three months ago looking for a job. He seemed a clean-cut young fellow of average intelligence, but I didn't need anybody just then. He was mighty anxious to get on and was a bit persistent. Not as I disliked that—a fellow who is persistent carries with him an asset that's valuable. But there was no vacancy, and so I told him the old story that I liked his looks, would keep him in mind and let him know if anything turned up."  
"I guess I've told that same story a thousand other fellows and forgotten all about it the next day. There's always somebody waiting at the door as soon as a job turns up, you know, and there never is any need to notify any one. So I forgot Harrison just as I had forgotten every one else."  
"About a week ago a letter came to me from Harrison. He simply thanked me for keeping him in mind, and told me he had got another place and there would be no further need to look out for anything for him. This letter was so courteous and it showed so much consideration that I figured Harrison would make a good man for my firm. I looked up where he was working, and how much he was getting. Then I offered him five dollars a week more. He came, as you see."  
"And I figure," continued the superintendent, "that a fellow who is thoughtful enough about others to write a note of that kind, is thoughtful enough and trustworthy enough to do good work."  
The superintendent was not disappointed.

#### Age and Profitable Service.

At what age does a man cease to be useful to his employer? There is to this question no proper answer that may be expressed in figures. Much depends upon the kind of work that is done; more depends upon the man who does the work. The trouble with the dealing in general terms with the problem of age and service lies in the fact that individuality has so direct a bearing upon it.

Yet it is not to be denied that there is a perceptible tendency in practically all branches of industry to shift its burden to young shoulders. Many employers look with growing suspicion upon men whose shoulders have begun to droop or whose face wrinkles are beginning to grow deep. By such employers young men are given the preference, notwithstanding that their experience is relatively small.

A striking exception to this modern rule of industry is furnished by one of the great railroads. It has on its payroll 2,040 active employees who have served the company 40 years or more, 489 of its men have been with the company more than half a century, and one has been receiving his pay envelope for 66 years. Although the table of mortality used by insurance companies shows that the expectancy of a man of 21 is 40.75 years, yet this railroad company has 4,015 employees who have exceeded this scientifically established limit.

This railroad's management evidently does not believe that it pays to discharge or otherwise retire a man simply because he seems to be growing old. Which raises again the question of the age limit for employment from the point of view of the employer who intelligently seeks a fair profit in exchange for wages paid.

A factory in England has succeeded in making paper from Australian blue gum wood, of which there is a large supply available.

#### Uniforms for Working Girls.

A firm has drawn up a sartorial code to which the young women engaged in the office are expected to conform. Many girls were dismayed at the new rules. Some declared that they would rather lose their situations than remove their earrings.

All women clerks must wear dark coats and skirts, of serge or other fine material. The skirts must be short enough to avoid sweeping the dust, but not of a length to display

## POULTRY

DON'T'S IN POULTRY SHIPPING

Most Profitable to Use Clean, Fresh Boxes With Care and Neatness in Packing Poultry.

There are a number of "Don't's" that should be observed by shippers of market poultry: Don't ship bony, skinny stock. Don't ship half-picked, flesh-torn poultry. Don't ship to every strange house that solicits your consignments. First look them up; investigate the references. Don't ship dressed stock in any old box that may be handy.

It pays to use clean, fresh boxes, using care and neatness in packing. Frequently the buyer is present when the box is opened, and a sale spoiled because of the packing. Don't pack poultry after dressing until all the animal heat is out. Don't let some little market fluster cause you to change houses.

Get a good, solid house and stick to it. That keeps the commission man interested in retaining your trade, and oftentimes he will pull you out of a hole caused by a glut. Don't fail to carefully inspect your shipment before closing the box.

### CLEAN ROOST FOR CHICKENS

#### Slope of Dropping Board Sufficient to Prevent Hens From Walking on its Surface.

(By GEORGE B. FRANKER, Edmonton, Alberta.)

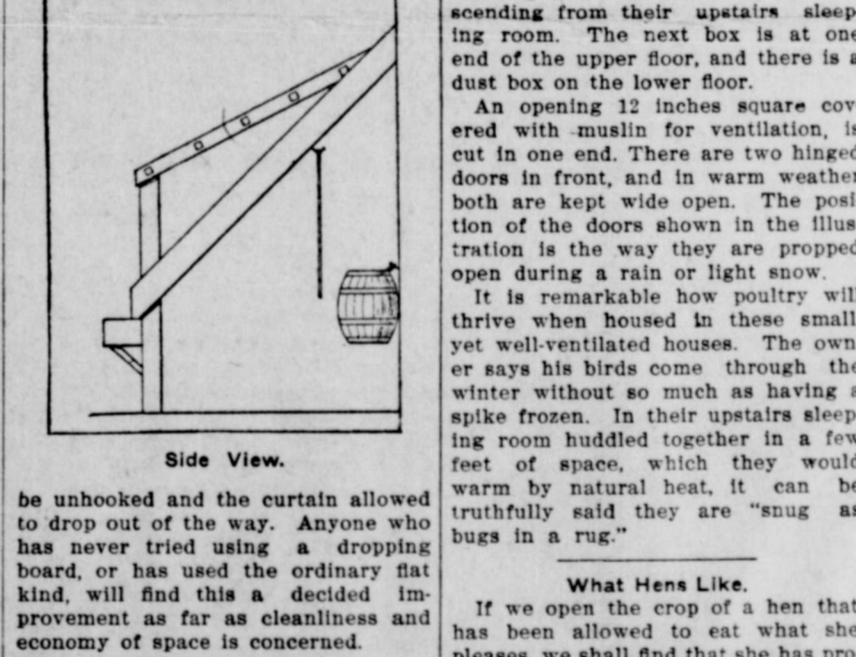
The illustrations represent a chicken roost of my own design, which I find to be both cleanly and economical. The dropping board requires a slope of 45 degrees or more, if the height of the henhouse will permit, and it is raised high enough to permit the use of all the floor space for scratching purposes. The trough at the bottom catches the droppings, and

### Two-Story Poultry House

Old Piano Box May Be Transformed Into Comfortable Building for Winter Use.

I recently visited a successful poultry raiser who was using a two-story piano-box house. It was not covered with roofing paper and there was only a dollar or two expense involved in transforming it into the present house. The breeder told me that he kept seven hens and a cockerel in one of these houses last winter and it proved very satisfactory. The hens laying well, writes Dwight Bronson of Chicago in the Farm and Home.

At about one-third of the height, the upper floor was laid. Six inches



above the floor the roost extends from one end to the other. At one end of the floor at the back there is a 10x15 inch opening (long way opposite length of box) and a 10-inch slanting board extending to the lower floor. The chickens use this slatted slanting board in ascending or descending from their upstairs sleeping room. The next box is at one end of the upper floor, and there is a dust box on the lower floor.

An opening 12 inches square covered with muslin for ventilation, is cut in one end. There are two hinged doors in front, and in warm weather both are kept wide open. The position of the doors shown in the illustration is the way they are propped open during a rain or light snow.

It is remarkable how poultry will thrive when housed in these small, yet well-ventilated houses. The owner says his birds come through the winter without so much as having a spike frozen. In their upstairs sleeping room huddled together in a few feet of space, which they would warm by natural heat, it can be truthfully said they are "snug as bugs in a rug."

### What Hens Like.

If we open the crop of a hen that has been allowed to eat what she pleases, we shall find that she has provided herself with three kinds of food—grain, green stuff and meat. The last named is usually in the form of bugs and worms.

### Poultry Profits.

A small flock of healthy hens, given the best of care and attention, will give a yearly profit of \$1 per hen after paying for the food consumed.

### Get Turkeys Ready.

Prepare the turkeys for the Thanksgiving market. Feed generously the young growing stock that is to be marketed.

### POULTRY NOTES

A small pen for the market birds will hasten fattening.  
Feed, care and hen sense decide what the profits shall be.  
It is not too soon to put houses and coops in shape for winter.  
The dull, listless bird cannot be removed from the flock too soon.  
A little iron tonic in the drinking water is good during moulting.  
In the fall and spring eggs should be marketed at least once a week.  
"Clean the nest and not the egg," is the advice of a successful eastern egg farmer.  
After dumping and burning the nesting material whitewash the inside of the nest box.  
The early moulters are the early layers. It is a good plan to mark them for breeders.  
A good stock dip also makes a good disinfectant to kill disease germs in poultry quarters.  
More disease outbreaks in the flock can be traced to unclean conditions than poultrymen generally think.  
When the clean, fresh eggs are gathered, they should be put in a clean dry, cool place until marketed.  
Getting rid of all birds as soon as they are two years old will lessen the chances of disease in the flock.  
To hasten feathering after the molt, give a tablespoonful of sulphur in a mash to every ten hens twice a week.

### Hens Must Have Enough.

We must furnish our hens with grain, green stuff and meat. Moreover, the quantity must be about right of each. If they are not given enough they will have to use it all for body-building and heat production, and will have nothing left over to make eggs with. If we feed too much of some kinds the surplus will go to fat, and the hens will get too lazy to lay.

### Ventilation for the Chickens.

Unless there is fresh air to reach all parts of the body, the hen will not do well. Unless there is good ventilation to carry off the moisture of respiration the house is bound to be damp.

## A Sick Man

Writes Dr. Harman About Kidney Disease.

A gentleman writes me: "I have been greatly interested in your article describing the Kaufmann case of disease of the kidneys. The description of his case exactly outlines my condition. I am sure if you cure him you will cure me also. I am losing flesh rapidly and the doctors say I have every symptom of Bright's disease of the kidneys. If you think I would be benefited by Peruna I will certainly try some as the doctors have practically given me up, the same as they did him."

In reply I wish to say, first, that I never make any promises as to what Peruna will cure. No physician can make positive statements of that sort. I can say this much, however, if I were in your place I should certainly give Peruna a trial. I know of no other remedy that would be so likely to be of use to you in your present condition as Peruna. Take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bedtime. Continue this for two or three weeks and then if there is anything you wish to ask me further write me and I will give you my letter prompt attention.

If I find that the Peruna is not helping you I will be perfectly frank and tell you so. If I would not have you take Peruna unless I was really helping you. But it has rescued so many cases of kidney disease that I am quite confident you will find it exactly suited to your case.

Kidney disease begins with catarrh of the kidneys. Peruna is a powerful remedy. Unless the destruction of the kidneys is already too great Peruna relieves the catarrh and the cause of the kidney disease is removed.

I shall anxiously await a report of your case. Remember, all letters are severely confidential. I never use any one's name or address without his written consent. My correspondence is absolutely private.

Peruna, Mann-Matin and Laca-pia manufactured by the Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio. Sold at all drug stores.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Many persons inquire for the old-time Peruna. They want the Peruna that their Fathers and Mothers used to take. The old Peruna is now called Katarren. If you're drugged or drugged does not keep it for sale write the Katarren Company, Columbus, Ohio, and they will tell you all about it.

### The Wretchedness of Constipation

Can quickly be overcome by **CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.**

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# THE TEXAS STATE TICKET

Democrats Take all Offices Save One in the House.

Dallas, Texas: The following is the personnel of the Texas State government, excepting the House of Representatives and the Senate. All are regular Democratic nominees, except in the case of Hon. William Bierch, who (Republican), elected to succeed himself as Representative from the Eighth-Seventh District.

- United States Senator—Morris Sheppard.
- Governor—Osar B. Colquitt (re-election).
- Lieutenant Governor—Will H. Maes.
- Attorney General—B. F. Leeper.
- State Treasurer—J. M. Edwards (now serving by appointment).
- Comptroller—W. F. Lane (re-election).
- Land Commissioner—J. T. Robinson (re-election).
- Commissioner of Agriculture—Ed R. Kouss (re-election).
- Superintendent of Public Instruction—F. M. Bralley (re-election).
- Railroad Commissioner (full term)—W. D. Williams (re-election).
- Railroad Commissioner (two years)—Charles B. Mayfield.
- Chief Justice Supreme Court (full term)—Thomas J. Brown (re-election).
- Associate Justice Supreme Court (four years)—Nelson Phillips (now serving by appointment).
- Associate Justice Supreme Court



Senator Morris Sheppard.

- (Two years)—William E. Hawkins.
- Associate Justice Court of Criminal Appeals (full term)—A. C. Frasier (now serving by appointment).
- Presidential Electors—Harry P. Lavoy, George D. Armistead, H. C. Wagner, Felix McCard, J. M. Henderson, W. T. Norman, M. D. Carlock, W. L. May, John D. McRae, J. R. Freeman, L. A. Daniel, Thomas H. Stoney, John W. Gaines, J. M. Mathis, Joe E. Edson, T. H. Rimer, J. W. Sullivan, M. L. Slater, John T. Briscoe, Walter S. Pope.
- Congress at Large—(Two to be elected.)—Horton W. Summers, Daniel H. Garrett.
- Congress by Districts—1, Horace W. Vaughan, Texas; 2, Martin Dies, Woodville (re-election); 3, James O. Kuykendall, (re-election); 4, Sam Houston, Bonham; 5, Jack Beck, Waxahatchie (re-election); 6, Rufus Hardy, Jourdons (re-election); 7, A. W. Gregg, Palestine (re-election); 8, Joe Davis, Houston; 9, George F. Burrese, Gonzales (re-election); 10, Albert S. Burleson, Austin (re-election); 11, R. L. Henry, Waco (re-election); 12, Oscar Callaway, Comanches (re-election); 13, John H. Stephens, Vernon (re-election); 14, James L. Slayden, San Antonio (re-election); 15, John C. Garner, Uvalde (re-election); 16, W. E. Smith, Colorado (re-election).

Main field in portions of North Texas and this, perhaps, to some extent, interfered with voting. However, the light vote polled was probably due to confidence in Democratic victory. The returns indicate that the total vote is in the neighborhood of 270,000, as compared with 360,000 in 1902. The highest vote ever cast in Texas was 549,589 in 1895.

Gov. Wilson Chooses Pinckston. Princeton, N. J.: Gov. Wilson voted the straight Democratic ticket in the interior of an engine house. He was in the voting booth several minutes, and remarked as he came out that the ballot was so big he had a hard time finding the Democratic Presidential electors. On the way to the voting booth he stopped abruptly in front of a machine in charge. "When I was a freshman in college," he said, "I used to get in that house. One night I came a shaver in my throat and happened off that piazza six times in an effort to get it out, but wouldn't get it. When the audience arrived at the polls both he and spectators.

Democrats Sweep Indiana. Indianapolis, Ind.: Indiana apparently went overwhelmingly Democratic. Gov. Wilson, on the basis of the returns from 117 precincts out of the 2172 in the State, had almost as many votes as Taft and Roosevelt combined. Wilson was leading Taft by more than 2 to 1. For Governor, Samuel M. Ranney, Democrat, led over Albert J. Beveridge, Progressive, and Winfield T. Durbin, Republican.

# WILSON AND MARSHALL WIN

Late Count of Electoral College Vote For the Democratic Ticket Will be Above 387 in the Total of 531.

# ROOSEVELT IS AHEAD OF TAFT

Latter May Possibly Lose His Home State to Wilson, and Returns Show Numerous Other Reversals from Previous Elections.



Woodrow Wilson, Thomas R. Marshall.

New York: With the election of Woodrow Wilson to the Presidency and Thomas R. Marshall to the Vice Presidency assured by the earlier returns, these reports gave indications that the electoral vote of the Democratic candidates would pass the 300 mark.

In Pennsylvania the race was so close as to bring all three candidates within range of success. Early returns gave Gov. Wilson and Gov. Marshall the "solid South" and the States of Connecticut, Delaware, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New York, West Virginia, Indiana and Missouri.

As the night advanced and returns from the West began to come in, these earlier estimates were confirmed and Montana, New Jersey and New Mexico were added to those that seemed certain for the Democratic candidates, while scattering returns from San Francisco and Los Angeles made it probable that California might join the Wilson-Marshall column.

The States where results were reasonably certain Wednesday afternoon gave the following electoral votes: Wilson 387, Roosevelt 99, Taft 12, doubtful 23. Chicago reported later returns, which included many from Democratic countries in the southern part of the States of Illinois, took away the Roosevelt plurality shown in early returns gave Wilson a slight lead, his total on 682 precincts heard from being 14 votes more than Roosevelt.

Rhode Island also became a doubtful State on the returns near midnight, and, based on the later votes reported, it seemed not wholly probable that its five electoral votes would go to Wilson.

The early returns gave an apparent victory to Taft in New Hampshire and Vermont, but the Taft pluralities divided to a very few hundred votes in each State and seemed likely to be wiped out entirely. The vote in Utah, indicated the State might be carried for Taft.

The vote in Pennsylvania was amazingly close, the returns from over 1,000 precincts, embracing over 185,000 votes, giving each of the three leading Presidential candidates more than 60,000 votes.

# WILSON VICTORY COMPLETE

Democratic Chairman McCormack Sends Word to New Jersey Executive.

Democratic National Headquarters, New York: Early returns on the night of the election from New York and the seaboard States were the cause of much exultation at Democratic National headquarters. Chairman McCormack sent word to Gov. Wilson that his election was indicated by an overwhelming vote. Later he made the following statement: "Victory is now complete. The returns are coming in so fast that I can not keep up with them. Gov. Wilson has carried Massachusetts, Maine, Connecticut, New York, Maryland, New Jersey and all of the South. National Committeeman W. R. King wires that Wilson will get 10,000 plurality in Oregon. I believe we will carry Pennsylvania for Wilson.

While the experiment of a change in the tariff is being carried out by the Democratic Administration, it behooves Republicans to gather again to the party standard and pledge anew their faith in their party's principles and to organize against to defend the constitutional Government handed down to us by our fathers. We must make clear to the young men of the country who have been weaned away from sound principles of government by promise of reforms, impossible of accomplishment by mere legislation, that patriotism and common sense require them to return to a support of our Constitution. Without compromising our principles, we must convince and win back former Republicans and we must reinforce our ranks with Constitution-loving Democrats.

"We favor every step of progress toward more perfect equality of opportunity and the ridding society of injustice. But we know that all progress worth making is possible with our present form of government and that to sacrifice that which is of the highest value in our governmental structure for undefined and impossible reforms is the wildest folly. We must face the danger with a clear knowledge of what it is. The Republican party is equal to the task. It has had no nobler cause. Let us close ranks and march forward to do battle for the right and the true."

Mr. Taft has many times declared his intentions of returning to Cincinnati and resuming the practice of law if defeated and that intention was said not to have been altered. President W. H. Taft sent telegrams to Gov. Wilson and Chairman Hill of the Republican National Committee. Here are the messages: "Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 5.—Hon. Mr. Woodrow Wilson, Princeton, N. J.: I cordially congratulate you on your election and extend to you my best wishes for a successful administration. "WILLIAM H. TAFT."

"Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 5.—Hon. Charles D. Hill, chairman Republican National Committee, Times Building, New York City: You have conducted a most difficult campaign in the face of unusual obstacles. I congratulate you heartily on the light you have made and I am deeply grateful to you for it. "WILLIAM H. TAFT."

Wilson Statement on Election. Princeton, N. J.: Responding to a telegram from the Democratic National chairman asserting that Gov. Wilson unquestionably was elected, the Democratic candidates sent a dispatch to Mr. McCormack as follows: "I deeply appreciate your telegram and wish to extend to you and the members of the campaign committee my warm congratulations on the part you have played in the organization and conduct of a campaign fought out upon essential issues."

A great cause has triumphed. Every Democrat, every true progressive, of whatever alliance, must now lend his full force and enthusiasm to the fulfillment of the people's hope, the establishment of the people's right, so that justice progress may go hand in hand. This was Gov. Wilson's first utterance of a public character after his acceptance of the reports that he had been elected.

Considering Trip to Texas. Princeton, N. J.: Gov. Wilson will start within a few days a retreat somewhere in the South, where he may be alone for a long rest and to think out his program of administration, according to a report. It is not known where the President-elect proposes to go. That the Governor will go South is regarded as settled by some of his friends. There is much speculation whether he may go to a ranch owned by Col. House, a personal friend, in Texas.

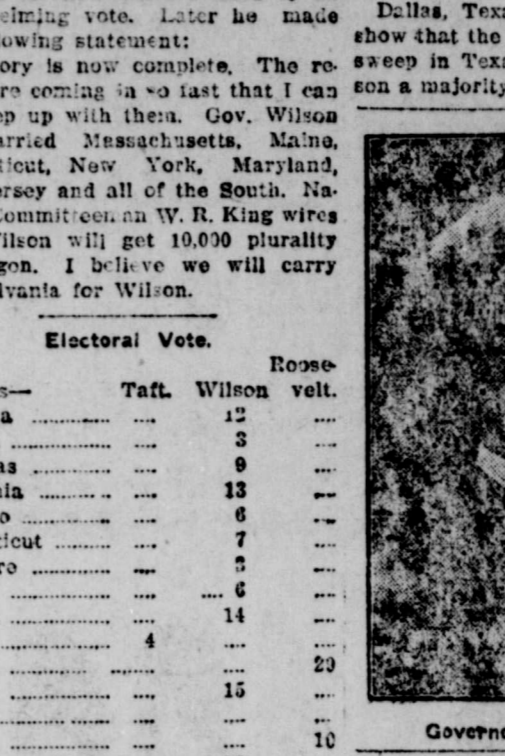
HOUSE LARGELY DEMOCRATIC. May Control by 113 Votes Over all Other Parties—Senate in Doubt. Chicago, Ill.: The next House of Representatives, the sixty-third in the history of the Nation, will be overwhelmingly Democratic. At an early hour returns indicated that there will be 255 Democrats, 84 Republicans, 6 Progressives and 29 districts unreported. Total membership, 425. The foregoing shows the standing of the house of representatives in the Sixty-third (new) Congress. The total of 255 gave the Democrats 57 more than the 218 necessary for a majority and was 22 more than the Democratic membership in the Sixty-second Congress.

# WILSON WINS WITH EASE IN TEXAS

DEMOCRAT'S MAJORITY IN STATE APPROXIMATELY 150,000.

# COL. ROOSEVELT LEADS TAFT

Progressive's Advantage is Slight, However, and Race for Second Place Seams Neck and Neck.



Governor O. B. Colquitt.

Dallas, Texas: Returns revealed show that the Democrats made a clean sweep in Texas, giving Woodrow Wilson a majority something in the neighborhood of 150,000, out of a total vote which probably will fall something below 300,000, which was the vote cast in 1903.

The returns further indicate that Roosevelt and Taft combined have polled something less than Taft alone polled in 1902. Up until early Wednesday morning Taft consistently led Roosevelt in the returns, but in the latest summary these two candidates are practically neck and neck, Roosevelt leading by 169 votes. Debs, Socialist, has made gains over his record of 1903, the returns indicating that he has polled approximately 12,500 votes in Texas, as compared with 7,370 in 1903.

The four constitutional amendments were carried by large majorities, that for home rule of cities, which was bitterly resisted, doing about as well as the others, and that for the establishment of a State Board of Education.

Mrs. P. A. Westbrook died last Monday morning at 2 o'clock at Robert Lee, and was buried at the Sterling City cemetery in the afternoon of the same day. Deceased was the widow of J. B. Westbrook, who died on the 15th of October. She was born in Texas 53 years ago, and leaves two sons and four daughters to mourn for the loss of a loving mother.

We offer our sincere sympathy to the bereaved ones.

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States—	Taft	Wilson	Vote.
Alabama	12	10	2
Arizona	6	3	3
Arkansas	9	6	3
California	13	6	7
Colorado	6	3	3
Connecticut	7	5	2
Delaware	3	2	1
Florida	6	3	3
Georgia	14	9	5
Idaho	4	3	1
Illinois	13	20	7
Indiana	15	8	7
Iowa	8	7	1
Kansas	10	10	0
Kentucky	13	8	5
Louisiana	10	6	4
Maine	6	5	1
Maryland	8	7	1
Massachusetts	11	15	4
Michigan	13	10	3
Minnesota	10	10	0
Mississippi	10	8	2
Missouri	12	10	2
Montana	4	3	1
Nebraska	8	5	3
Nevada	3	2	1
New Hampshire	4	4	0
New Jersey	14	10	4
New Mexico	5	3	2
New York	45	45	0
N. Carolina	12	8	4
N. Dakota	5	5	0
Ohio	24	20	4
Oklahoma	10	7	3
Oregon	6	5	1
Pennsylvania	25	28	3
Rhode Island	5	5	0
S. Carolina	8	5	3
S. Dakota	4	4	0
Tennessee	12	10	2
Texas	20	20	0
Vermont	4	4	0
Virginia	12	8	4
Washington	7	5	2
W. Virginia	8	5	3
Wisconsin	12	13	1
Wyoming	8	5	3
Doubtful	23	23	0

	For	Against
For home rule	121	119
Against	119	121
For prison commission	121	119
Against	119	121
For boards	121	119
Against	119	121
For pensions	121	119
Against	119	121

Returns received indicate very probably that the total vote cast was probably something less than that cast in 1902, and that of this, Wilson had perhaps gotten a larger proportion than did Bryan in 1902, and that Roosevelt and Taft combined had not polled as many votes as did Taft alone in 1902.

These early returns, which were afterward confirmed, showed that Colquitt ran almost even with the best of the ticket; that the Democrats elected all Congressmen and all members of the Legislature save one; they furthermore showed that the four constitutional amendments were adopted by overwhelming majorities. These amendments are (1) providing home rule for cities over 5,000 inhabitants; (2) authorizing their people to frame charters within certain limitations; (3) establishing a board of prison commissioners as a constitutional body with six-year terms; (4) providing six-year terms for the boards of regents and boards of managers of the various State institutions, and (5) levying a special tax for Confederate pensions, so that the same may be increased.

Hon. C. W. Taylor of Rogers, Texas, was elected to fill the vacancy in the State Senate caused by the resignation of Hon. Carl B. Marshall, who was elected Railroad Commissioner. Status of Electoral Vote. Mr. Taylor resigned the nomination for Presidential elector on the Democratic ticket from the Elvessville District in order to run for Senator and Sen. Joe Eldson of Hamilton County was named in his stead as candidate for elector. However, Mr. Taylor's name appeared on the ballot in most of the counties, and there is some doubt as to whether the entire vote should be counted. Mr. Taylor's name appeared on the ballot in most of the counties, and there is some doubt as to whether the entire vote should be counted. Mr. Taylor's name appeared on the ballot in most of the counties, and there is some doubt as to whether the entire vote should be counted.

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**LOCALS**

The Ladies Aid will give a dinner on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Foster left yesterday for Marlin.

Mrs. J. O. Aiken returned to her home at Sweetwater yesterday.

The road bonds lost. The bridge bonds carried.

Bertlett Mann was among the visitors of our town Wednesday.

Judge J. W. Hill, of San Angelo, was here yesterday on legal business.

R. Wilbur Brown, of San Angelo, was transacting business here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rogers were among the guests of our town Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Rawls of San Angelo, visited friends and relatives here this week.

Drakes For Sale:—I have four Indian Runner drakes for sale.—J. A. Cannon.

C. J. Dunn was elected Constable of Precinct No. 1.

A. H. Allard was elected Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

Judge A. V. Patterson was elected J. P. and Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

We learn, with regret that our friend, Judge Renshaw, is on the sick list this week.

Judge A. V. Patterson, this week, sold to W. J. Morgan, section C, in Block 15, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., for \$4,000, cash.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lobban left last Monday for Alzada, Mont., where they will make their future home. The good wishes of their many warm friends go with them, and many are the hopes that their life in their new home will be one "grand, sweet song."

S. P. Stone and the two Dean Brothers, of Ballinger, were prospecting here this week. The Dean Brothers were looking for some irrigable land on which to open an irrigated farm.

Mr. Stone was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Alexander, the latter being his daughter.

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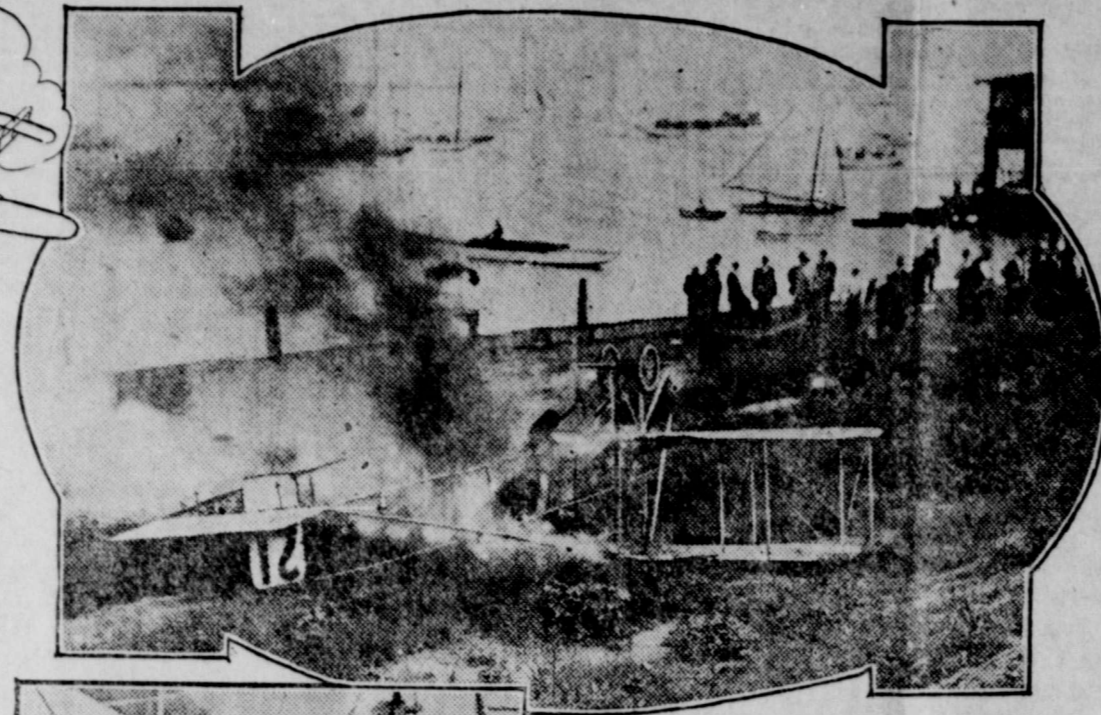
The lease on the store, fixtures and the \$75,000.00 stock of Dry Goods, clothing and shoes all go. Mr. Henderson is to leave West Texas to engage in business at Houston. It's the lure of the dollar that calls him. He has decided to leave a pleasant memory behind him by letting West Texas purchasers have some mighty tempting bargains. Come to San Angelo and make your fall purchases. You'll save much more than transportation. This is the chance of a life-time to get the best goods at the lowest prices. It is a genuine Closing-Out Sale. Come early. This large stock will not last always. Only cash gets the goods. Nothing sold on credit. Goods can be exchanged, if not satisfactory.

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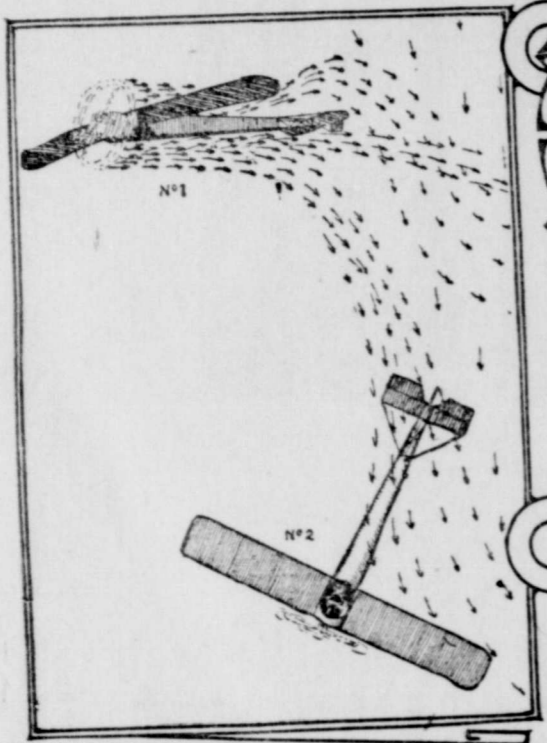


WRECK OF MCURDY'S MACHINE



RALPH JOHNSON, KILLED IN AEROPLANE ACCIDENT

The ever-growing number of human lives sacrificed to the advancement of aviation gives us ample reason for pause and serious thought. The toll so far paid is rapidly nearing a total of two hundred since the death of Lieutenant Selfridge, of the United States army, in September, 1908. Naturally, some of these fatal accidents were to be expected after flying became a money-making spectacle in some directions. The professional aviator felt obliged to make his flights thrilling in the eyes of the spectator, and to that end he has done things of a venturesome nature for which he has paid dearly more than once.



DOWNWARD REACTION AIR CURRENTS CAUSED BY NO. 1 DRIFTING NO. 2

and the adaptation of the flying machine to the needs of the army and the navy in time of war. These officer students have gone into the work with that spirit of professional devotion which is of the utmost value to the promotion of helpful knowledge, and they have generally avoided those half-raising performances which are valuable only as an asset for the showman.

These calm-minded devotees—the term enthusiasts might be misleading—have earnestly striven to make the most out of the instruments placed in their hands, but in doing this they have made more than one fatal stumble despite their caution. The use of the aeroplane in recent military maneuvers has exacted its cruel price, and it is time that due thought was given some of these many accidents. Strange as it may seem, the recent mishaps which have been most suggestively illuminating have been those that were generally not fatal in their consequences, although some have exacted the lives of the participants.

On March 13 at Johannistal, just outside of Berlin, a flying machine driven by Schade and an aeroplane handled by Rottlinger came together while in the air a short distance above the ground. The machines were instantly smashed and sent crashing to the earth. Neither of the aviators was injured, but a passenger was hurt. Unquestionably, this collision was brought about by the mutual effect of the disturbed air between the two machines. The next mishap of a kindred character occurred at Douai, France, on June 19, but with disastrous results. Captain Dubois and Lieutenant Meignan, both of the army, were operating aeroplanes during a dense fog, and drove into each other while going at high speed. Lieutenant Meignan was killed almost instantly, and Captain Dubois died in the hospital a few hours later. The machines were splintered by the collision. Here we have a counterpart of conditions which have so often caused trouble upon the water, but conditions which may be even more frequent aloft under atmospheric circumstances of common occurrence. Of course, the gravity of a collision in the air is unfortunately increased by the necessarily high speed at which the flying machine must advance in order to sustain itself in flight.

On June 20, at Aix-les-Bains, Mlle. Helene Dutrieu, while aloft, fell upon two ascending monoplanes, and all three machines dropped to the ground in a heap. The two ether aviators were pretty seriously bruised, but Mlle. Dutrieu was uninjured, fortunately falling upon the underlying machines and thus having the force of her drop greatly lessened. Undoubtedly, Mlle. Dutrieu hit a "hole in the air" and her monoplane started earthward before she could check or control its descent by a gliding volplane. The question is, What caused that hole in the air? Did the movement of the two ascending aeroplanes create the disturbance which narrowly escaped causing a serious catastrophe? This has been answered by subsequent accidents.

Two French army officers, Lieutenants Briez and Duriez, on July 6 started for Belfort, on the eastern frontier, leaving the aeronautic station at Villa Comblay, just outside of Paris. Lieutenant Briez had the start of his associate, and was

already about six hundred feet up, when Lieutenant Duriez overtook him, passing at greater speed something like a hundred feet above. Lieutenant Briez's machine created, so it is said, a downward moving "hole in the air," and this struck Lieutenant Briez's monoplane in such a manner as to destroy its equilibrium. Lieutenant Briez and his machine were dashed to the earth, the aviator having both legs broken and being otherwise seriously but not fatally injured. In this case the innocent cause of the accident was the movement of the aeroplane passing above at a height of a hundred feet, while Mlle. Dutrieu's drop was probably brought about by the maneuvering of the two monoplanes beneath her. These accidents have brought us face to face with new problems in the art of mechanical flight—they show us that we have much to learn about the air in which we are seeking to vie with the bird.

The man in the street has a mistaken notion of what these air holes really are; he imagines that they are areas of partial vacuum which fall to give the flying machine proper support. The hazard they present is reasonably pictured all the greater because there is no visible sign of their presence—the aircraft just suddenly starts to drop and may fall several hundred feet before the movement can be corrected, if corrected at all. If successful, the next judgment is required of the part of the aviator lest he suddenly bring pressure to bear upon his planes in excess of their reserve of strength. Collapse of this sort has happened with dire results upon a number of occasions. But, notwithstanding these physical evidences of something wrong, still, in the stricter sense of the word, the term air hole is a misnomer, and a cavity as such does not really exist.

Did you ever watch the surface agitation of a boiling pot? Well, that is substantially a duplication of just what is going on in the air about us. The earth acts like a great reflector of the sun's heat and starts the air boiling below here where we are and sends it upward in great columns of rising atmosphere like the movement of the boiling water in the pot. This is what the meteorologist calls "convective disturbances" of the atmosphere, and he tells us that this state of things would not annoy the aviator if the venturesome aviator would only keep aloft at a height of from four to five miles—a matter of from 21,000 to 25,000 feet in round numbers! Georges Legagneux has recently reached the amazing height of 18,766 feet.

We are all familiar with the old saying, "What goes up must come down." In the agitated belt of air the upward rising column of warm air is replaced by a descending column of cooler air. The downward moving column is what really constitutes the so-called "holes" of the aeronaut's parlance. The layman scarcely appreciates the conditions that are bringing about this convection or boiling motion. When the sun strikes the earth the air is heated and rises; in the shadow of a cloud the air is cooler and descending. This saw-sawing is of greater or lesser magnitude, depending upon the directness of the sun's rays and the temperature of the air when shaded. The evenness of the aviator's flight or the uniformity of his line of advance—which ever you choose to call it—is controlled by the constancy of the pressure which the air exerts on the under or lifting side of the planes as his machine is driven forward by its motor. The net result is a sustaining or lifting moment, as the engineer expresses it. If the approaching air, instead of

moving horizontally or upward in opposition to the surface of the planes, should be falling, then the support of the flying machine is suddenly diminished to that extent, and the aeroplane drops. Again, if the aviator is traveling against a stratum of wind of a definite speed and then purposely descends, reaching an air belt of lower speed or altered direction, these changes may reduce the force of the air striking the surfaces of his planes, and this drop in pressure may cause his machine to fall speedily earthward. This is another proof, of course, of the imaginary vacant places in the air.

We must bear in mind that the problem of the flying machine is quite distinct from that of the balloon. The balloon floats because it is either lighter than the air it displaces—when it rises—or remains at a fixed altitude because there is a perfect balance between its weight and that of the air which it thrusts aside. It remains aloft whether drifting with the wind or being driven by a motor. The heavier-than-air flying machine, on the other hand, is sustained in flight only so long as its movement forward arouses sufficient opposition on the part of the air to lift or to sustain it. When the propellers cease to revolve the aeroplane starts earthward, and disaster can be avoided only by volplaning or performing a sweeping spiral descent. A maneuver of this sort is nothing more nor less than a modified drop. The safety of the aeroplane, therefore, when in midair, depends upon the nice balancing of the machine and the proper equalizing of pressure upon the planes. Eddies in the air or any other disturbance which will bring the aeroplane into conflicting atmospheric belts or zones will imperil the stability of the machine and the life of the aviator unless he is ever watchful, and there are some of these conditions against which he cannot sufficiently guard.

The flying machine, in going ahead, hits the air a succession of rapid blows, and by this causes an area of compression which is equal in the force of its reaction to the weight of the flying machine. The fact of it is, this compression actually affects a volume of air equal in weight to the air craft it sustains, and as a cubic foot of atmospheric air weighs only .08 of a pound at the freezing point, a little figuring will show how wide is the area upon which the aviator must draw for his support.

What happens then when the flying machine has moved onward and the atmosphere tries to resume its normal state? The reaction is like the release of a spring, and the air acquires a vibratory motion—greatest in a vertical direction—akin to the prolonged bobbings of a partly water-soaked log after being hit a blow. But this is not all.

We are living at the bottom of an ocean of air, and we are living in that region of the atmosphere where it is densest. The natural tendency for the atmosphere is to fall when not made lighter by heat and caused to rise. An aeroplane shooting through this lower belt is substantially knocking out the foundations from beneath the atmospheric columns reaching many thousands of feet heavenward, and we have in the air a virtual duplication of our bobbing log, many times repeated at every stage of the onward movement of the flying machine and the successive reactions of the compressed air which has momentarily sustained that mechanical flight. Isn't it clear, then, that an aviator when passing above or below another aviator is either stumbling into air holes thus created or producing a similar condition to menace his nearby fellow? The airman advancing at the greater speed will produce the wider area of disturbance and, within any prescribed limit, the more dangerous reaction.

The flying machine when aloft is in a state of decidedly delicate equilibrium, otherwise the mere flexing of wing tips would be incapable of correcting its horizontal position. Any change of pressure at the extremity of its wings is equivalent to adding or reducing the weight at the one or the other tip, and an upsetting movement is started. It is quite probable that even though one aeroplane may be a full hundred feet above or below another, still the greater speed of the overtaking machine may cause a sufficient downward movement on the part of the air to overweight suddenly one wing of the other machine. This is certainly what happened in the case of Lieutenant Briez, Mlle. Dutrieu and a number of others.

The task set the investigators is that of finding how wide is the region of agitation created by a flying machine in flight, and, with this knowledge, to prescribe the proper distances which aviators must observe when approaching one another.

Fortunately, the flying machine is now studied in the laboratory, and recent progress in experimental aerodynamics is doing much toward clearing the way for safe advance in the near future, but the public must be patient and it must realize that flying is full of hazards at best, and we are really scarcely much more than upon the threshold of this wonderful science.

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### EGYPT TO BE A KINGDOM?

General Belief in That Country That Ancient Glory Is to Be Partially Restored.

There is a general conviction in Egypt that the country is to be declared a kingdom, that the present khedive will be its first king, and that England is only waiting the conclusion of the Turkish-Italian war to make the necessary announcement to which

France has already given assent. It is said that the project has immeasurably gratified the national pride of Egypt, and that nothing could be so well designed to end the disaffection with which the country is now saturated. Evidently Bellamy spoke the words of truth and soberness when he said that titles, decorations, and honors were greater human incentives than money. For such a change would

make no practical difference to the state of Egypt. It would be a decoration, nothing more. The English protectorate, that is to say control, would be unchanged. In fact it might even be strengthened, since a part of the story is to the effect that England will pay to Turkey the sum of \$100,000,000 for the relinquishment of her suzerainty powers, such as they are. The story may have no foundation, but if it should be true let us hasten to make a suggestion for the further stimulation of the Egyptian national pride.

If the title of khedive is to be abolished why not replace it by that of Pharaoh instead of king, and establish the national capital at Memphis or Luxor?

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