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Kansas City, Mo.

JAPS ARE RETURNING.

Departure From United States Greater Than Immigration.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—K. Yamasaki, Japanese consul in Chicago, made public a statement prepared by Matsuzo Nagai, acting consul general of Japan in San Francisco, showing that for the last two and a half years Japanese have been returning from the United States to their own country in greater numbers than they have been coming.

According to the statement in 1908 the departures from Japan for the United States numbered 3,826 and the arrivals in Japan from the United States, 5,492, making an excess of 1,667 returning. For 1909 the figures given are 1,913 departures from Japan and 4,538 arrivals in that country from the United States, making an excess of 2,625 returning. For the first six months of 1910 there are shown 1,371 departures from Japan and 1,867 arrivals from the United States, an excess of 496 returning.

BRIDAL PAIR IN CELLS.

Kansas City Couple Have Been "Hobobling" Since Marriage.

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Jarboe, of Kansas City, are occupying cells at the Joliet police station because the woman masqueraded with her husband in male attire. They have been "hobobling" since their marriage, a month ago. Mrs. Jarboe was formerly Jeannette Rich.

The bridal pair show traces of refinement. They declare their whole purpose in "tramping," and boarding "blind sleepers," was to experience a novel honeymoon.

According to their story they hastened to the outskirts of Kansas City as soon as the preacher tied the knot, and the bride donned a man's suit. They

Well Deserved

The Praise That Comes From Thankful Topeka People.

One kidney remedy never fails. Topeka people rely upon it. That remedy is Doan's Kidney Pills. Topeka testimony proves it always reliable.

Charles Botham, 512 Lake street, Topeka, Kan., says: "I take pleasure in confirming the public statement I gave in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills in November, 1908. During the time that I was in the hospital, I have taken this remedy occasionally and it has never failed to act promptly and effectively. A severe attack of typhoid fever left my kidneys badly disordered, and after that my back was constantly racked with pain. The passages of the kidney secretions were irregular and my condition was so serious that I was alarmed. An advertisement about Doan's Kidney Pills induced me to get this remedy at Rowley's drug store and begin its use in a short time I was able to get about with the aid of crutches and I gradually improved until I could walk alone. I am in much better health since taking Doan's Kidney Pills and in view of my experience, I feel justified in advising their use to other persons afflicted with kidney complaint." (Statement given November 12, 1908.)

CONFIRMED PROOF.

On April 21, 1910, Mr. Botham was interviewed and he said: "I can still endorse Doan's Kidney Pills in the highest terms. On two or three occasions during the past several years, I have taken this remedy and it has never failed to act promptly and effectively." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

TO PROBE JULY WHEAT.

Federal Grand Jury Will Investigate "Corner."

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Federal grand jury investigation into the recent "corner" in July wheat will be started within a few days in an effort to determine whether the alleged manipulators of the deal violated the Sherman anti-trust law.

STILL DOING THE MINES.

Colonel Roosevelt Spent the Night at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 3.—Colonel Roosevelt, who reached this city at midnight from Scranton and was the guest during the night of Rev. J. C. Curran, pastor of Holy Saviour Catholic church, arose early today and made himself right at home on the big porch which surrounds the priest's parochial residence. He read the papers and commented on the beautiful mountain scenery.

The news that the former president would be the guest of Father Curran became known last night and early this morning groups of people gathered about the residence. John Mitchell, who is also the guest of Father Curran, spent many months in Wilkesbarre while directing the big miners' strike of 1902. The distinguished visitor was particularly interested in the route which General Sullivan traversed when he came to the rescue of the white settlers of the Wyoming valley when they were besieged by the Indians a century ago. Sullivan's army marched close by where Colonel Roosevelt slept last night.

Colonel Roosevelt, John Mitchell, Lawrence Abbott and about forty others will be Father Curran's guests at luncheon at 1 p. m. At 4 o'clock the ex-president and party will leave in automobiles for Bear Creek, where they will be the guests of Albert Leeds, the lumberman, at dinner.

ONLY ONE INSURGENT.

Seems to Have Any Chance in Missouri Primary Returns.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—Missouri's ten Democratic congressmen and at least two of three Republican members of the lower house were renominated at the primary election. The exception on the Republican side is Congressman Charles A. Crow of the Fourteenth district against whom David W. Hill, an insurgent Republican is pitted. The result will probably not be known for a couple of days, because of the inaccessibility of the country comprising the district.

Congressman Patrick F. Gill of the Eleventh district, St. Louis, is the victor by a small margin, according to latest returns. His principal opponent is Daniel P. Meahan. Of the ten Democratic congressmen six were renominated without opposition. Boeber of the Fourth, Borland of the Fifth and Hamlin of the Seventh were obliged to contest for their nominations, but are said to have won easily.

Congressman Barthold of the Tenth district in St. Louis, Elvins of the Thirtieth, and Murphy of the Sixteenth were the Republicans who had no opposition.

New Union Labor Party.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 3.—A Union Labor party will be launched in New Mexico tonight, similar to that recently formed in Arizona. The movement in common with that of the Arizona organization has for its object active participation in political affairs of laboring men as a party and the influence of the state constitution which is to be adopted next October. Labor leaders will meet here tonight to draw up a platform.

WOMAN IS SHOT.

Delegates Arriving for Young People's Convention.

More Than 1,000 Are Expected, Says the Committee.

STUBBS IS TO TALK.

First Session Will Be Held in the Auditorium.

Chorus of 200 Voices Feature of Christian Meeting.

Delegates arrived in Topeka today from all sections of the country to attend the Nineteenth annual convention and Twenty-first anniversary celebration of the Young People's Christian Union of the United Presbyterian Church of North America at the auditorium this evening. A special train load of delegates reached Topeka over the Santa Fe this afternoon and it is confidently expected by the committee in charge of arrangements that the attendance will be at least 1,000 persons.

POLICE GO ON STRIKE.

Eight Men Object to Working Seven Days in Week.

Hackensack, N. J., Aug. 3.—The entire police force of the town of Guttenberg, with the exception of the chief, has gone out on a strike. The men object to doing duty on Sunday unless they are granted some other day of the week without pay.

CROSS IS DEAD.

He Was Nominated for State Auditor in Oklahoma Tuesday.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Aug. 3.—Secretary of State William M. Cross died here at 8:30 o'clock this morning. He was a candidate at yesterday's primaries for nomination for state auditor on the Democratic ticket, and is generally conceded to have won. He had been suffering from heart trouble for years. Gangrene caused by weak heart action hastened the end.

FLESH-FORMING FOOD

"When you buy a package of Samose, the great flesh-forming food, weigh yourself and see how much you gain in the first week's use. George Stansfield will tell of many of his customers who a month or so ago were thin, pale and haggard, but who are now, through the use of Samose, plump, strong and happy, with perfect health and attractive flesh. He has seen so many instances of the wonderful power of Samose to restore the weak and sick to strength and health, and to make good natural flesh, that he gives his personal guarantee with every package of Samose he sells to refund the money if it does not prove satisfactory. Samose is a pure preparation and can be used with absolute confidence by the most delicate. It gives remarkable results with children who are weak and run down and without appetite. It builds up the thin, pale, young girl and woman to perfect plumpness and health. It is the only flesh-forming food of its kind and in addition, strengthens every organ of the body, restoring strength and health to the whole system. Sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50c.

WOMAN IS SHOT.

Mrs. Vrooman, Former Topekan, Hit Over Heart.

Bullet Was Discharged From Revolver She Held.

'DIDN'T MEAN TO DO IT'

Neighbors Are Told That the Shooting Was Accident.

Death of Child Had Made Her Despondent.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 3.—Mrs. Carl Vrooman, 504 Woodland avenue, a former Topeka resident, shot and dangerously wounded herself last night in her room on the second floor of her home. The bullet entered the left breast about an inch above the heart. Her condition at 11 o'clock was low. The bullet was fired from a revolver. Mrs. Vrooman and members of the family say the shooting was accidental.

Mrs. Vrooman was dressing for dinner when the revolver was fired. No one was in the house except a negro servant in the basement. At 6 o'clock the servant and neighbors in the Dykington Inn, 509 Woodland avenue, heard a shot in the Vrooman home. Mrs. J. W. Jones and Geo. Monroe ran to the house. When they got to Mrs. Vrooman's room she was lying on the bed and the revolver was on the floor beside the bed. She was partly dressed. Dr. A. L. Hearst and Dr. W. C. Morris were called. Hypodermic injections were administered and Mrs. Vrooman rallied quickly. The physicians reported that there was a slight chance for recovery.

She Didn't Mean to Do It. "I heard the shots and screams coming from the house, and I put on my collar," Mr. Monroe said, "I ran to the Vrooman home. I hurried to Frances's room and found her lying on the bed. I asked her how it happened, and she said: 'George, I didn't mean to do it. Carl told me the gun wasn't loaded. I didn't mean to do it.' I believe the shooting was accidental. She must have been examining the revolver, and not believing it loaded, perhaps, pulled the trigger."

Had Just Planned Trip. "I don't see why she did it," Mr. Vrooman said. "She didn't have any reason. She just was planning a trip with my mother to Michigan. I don't know what it was unless she was despondent about the loss of our baby. She was so devoted to Carl, the baby, and she hadn't been herself since he died a year and a half ago. She was impulsive, too, but I can't believe it was anything except an accident. I left the revolver on the dresser where I put it a few nights ago. It hadn't been used for a long time. A few nights ago I believed I heard prowlers at our refrigerator so I got out the revolver. I put two cartridges in the cylinder."

Grandfather a Millionaire. Mrs. Vrooman is a granddaughter of the founder of the Grassell Chemical Works of Baltimore, who died many years ago leaving an estate valued at \$20,000,000. Her father, J. A. Grassell, is said to be the richest man in the vicinity of Eureka, Kan., where he has a magnificent home and wide acres of farm land. He receives interest on part of the original Grassell estate.

Mrs. Vrooman is 30 years old. She and her husband were married fifteen years ago in Eureka and went to Topeka where they lived several months. They lived at the address on Woodland avenue, the former home of W. H. Winans, vice president of the National Bank of Commerce for ten years. About three years ago she became the mother of a son, Carl Vrooman, Jr., who died at the age of eighteen months. Since this

tragedy in her domestic life, according to Howard Vrooman she has not acted as before. She has been downcast and melancholy and much given to brooding on her bereavement. Mr. Vrooman was reared in Topeka.

TOPEKA FAIR DATES.

Following is a list of fairs to be held in Kansas in 1910, their dates, locations and secretaries, as reported to the state board of agriculture and compiled by Secretary E. D. Coburn:

- Allen County Agricultural Society, Frank E. Smith, secretary, Iola; August 30-September 2.
- Barton County Agricultural Association, W. P. Feder, Great Bend.
- Butler County Agricultural Association, W. F. Benson, El Dorado; September 20-22.
- Butler County-Douglas Agricultural Society, J. A. Clay, Douglas; September 23-25.
- Clay County Fair Association, Walter Packer, Clay Center; September 13-18.
- Clay County-Wakefield Agricultural Society, Eugene Elkins, Wakefield; October 6 and 7.
- Cloud County Fair Association, Fred W. Sturges, Jr., Concordia; September 29-31.
- Coffey County Agricultural Fair Association, Henry Jackson, Burlington; September 27-29.
- Cowley County Agricultural and Live Stock Association, F. W. Sidle, Winfield; August 30-September 2.
- Cowley County-Eastern Cowley Fair Association, W. A. Bowden, Burden; September 17-18.
- Dickinson County Fair Association, Charles Morton, Abilene; September 27-29.
- Douglas County Fair and Agricultural Society, Elmer E. Brown, Lawrence; September 27-29.
- Elk County Fair and Racing Association, Howard, Kan. Four days, August 18 to 21.
- Elk County Agricultural Fair Association, J. J. Marshall, Gronola; September 11-12.
- Franklin County Agricultural Society, J. E. Shinn, Ottawa; September 20-22.
- Gray County Agricultural Society, Charles Bull, Cimarron; September 29 and 30.
- Greenwood County Fair Association, H. T. Scott, Eureka; August 22-25.
- Harper County, Anthony Fair Association, L. G. Jennings, Anthony; August 24-25.
- Harper County Agricultural Association, S. C. Lobaugh, Harper; September 27-30.
- Leavenworth County Fair Association, C. A. Sparrow, Leavenworth; September 24-25.
- Logan County-The Inter-County Fair Association, C. A. Spencer, secretary, Oakley; August 31, September 1 and 2.
- Linn County Fair Association, John O. Morse, Mound City; September 27-29.
- Lyon County Agricultural Society, D. P. Cowan, Emporia; September 30-31.

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Women's Dresses

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Thursday \$2.95

They are made of plain blue percale, plain white lawn, figured lawns and white, light blue and pink line and blue and white check gingham.

Those made of line have embroidered waist and tunic style skirts—the lawn dresses, have low necks, three-quarter sleeves and full plaited skirts—the plain white lawn, in a becoming style, with high neck, long sleeves, tucked waist and plaited skirt; white the gingham dresses are made with round necks, short sleeves and plaited skirts.

Every dress in the collection is a desirable style and a splendid value. Regular prices are \$3.75 to \$5.95 but as a special for Thursday's selling we lower the price for this one.....\$2.95 day to.....

White Linen Jacket Suits

We have in stock exactly 20 White Linen Suits that have been selling at \$6.95—these you can have choice of tomorrow.....\$2.95 for only.....

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Lady (upon recovery of lost purse)—May the good Lord reward you for your honesty, sir. Fuzzy (anxious for a square meal)—If you don't mind, missus, I'd just as lief you would.