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MOONSHINERS ARE ACTIVE

SO ARE REVENUE OFFICERS.

Great Deal of Whiskey Making in the Vicinity of King's Mountain and Famous Battle Ground.

Yorkville, June 9.—Dispensary Constable Jackson, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Quinn and Constable Hendrix, raided a blockade still in the northwestern part of the county and captured a negro by the name of John Kirk, landing him in jail on the charge of making whiskey. The still was not in operation at the time of the capture, but all indications showed that it had been in use very recently.

There has been a great deal of moonshining in the vicinity of the King's Mountain battle ground, on the line between North and South Carolina, for the past few months, and the officers are doing everything in their power to put a stop to it. There are several more arrests expected to be made in the next few days.

The United States revenue officers also have been on the watch, and are co-operating with the county officials in trying to catch the moonshiners. A few days ago three of Uncle Sam's men came down from Charlotte and found a large still in operation on a little stream near the foot of the mountain, and they were very much surprised to find assembled around the little current of corn juice, flowing from a large still, a dozen men with shotguns. The latter happened to be only a crowd of squirrel hunters who were stopping to quench their thirst with a little of the mountain juice, for when the officers bounded down upon them they left guns, dogs and hats and pulled for the tall green. After the dust cleared away the officers were left by themselves with a large still and 10 gallons of corn whiskey, which they destroyed.

150 INDIANS IN HIAWATHA.

Will Vivify Longfellow's Version of Famous Legend.

New York, June 9.—One hundred and fifty Dakota and Ojibway Indians from the Lake Erie reservation will vivify Longfellow's version of the legend of Hiawatha twice a day from today until July 9 in the woods and fields near Van Cortlandt park. The aboriginal actors include a squaw of 90 years to portray the old Nokomis and a papoose strapped to a board will represent the infant Hiawatha.

The pageant is under the direction of the Women's Municipal League and is given for the benefit of tenement improvements, public playgrounds and educational purposes. Among prominent honorary committee members of the league are Colonel and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Low and District Attorney and Mrs. Whitman.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Disturbances, Now Forming, Will Move Eastward Across Country.

Washington, June 8.—Generally fair weather with moderately low temperature in the Eastern states, the Great Central Valley and the Lake region, and local rains along the South Atlantic and Gulf coasts are predicted for the early days of the coming week by the weather bureau. For the section west of the Mississippi Valley, generally fair weather and temperatures above the seasonal average are promised for the entire week.

"No important storm will cross the country the coming week," the bureau's bulletin said, "but a disturbance that is now forming over the western plateau region will advance slowly eastward, preceded by a general rise in temperature and attended by local thunder showers, across the Middle West about Thursday and the Eastern states near the end of the week. A general reaction to normal temperatures will set in over the great Central Valleys and the Eastern states after Tuesday."

DYNAMITE GOES OFF IN POCKET

Georgia Lad Blown to Pieces When Playmate Slaps Him.

Jesup, Ga., June 9.—The 15-year-old son of Bud Kennedy, a farmer, living near Jesup, was fatally wounded yesterday morning when a box of dynamite percussion caps exploded in his pocket. A playmate of the lad slapped him, causing the caps to explode. His leg was almost blown off and the thigh bone was shattered. The leg will have to be amputated below the hip joint. The other lad lost two fingers from the explosion.

Flag of Southern Confederacy on Indiana's Capitol.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 9.—For the first time the Stars and Bars of the Southern Confederacy decorated the state capitol of Indiana today when a bronze bust of Col. Richard Dale Owen, commandant at Camp Morton, near Indianapolis, in 1862, given to the Confederate soldiers, who were Colonel Owen's prisoners, was unveiled. The feelings of war days have mellowed.

EXPECTING BRYAN AT KINGS MOUNTAIN

Arranging to Celebrate the One Hundred and Thirty-Third Anniversary of Battle.

Kings Mountain, June 8.—Preparations are steadily going forward looking to the proper celebration of the hundred and thirty-third anniversary of the battle of Kings Mountain, which will be held at this place October 7, next. The committee that returned from Washington a few days ago feel sure that, unless something unforeseen happens that Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan, will be present and deliver the address.

In addition to the address of Mr. Bryan there will possibly be a short address by Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge, who is a direct descendant of Colonel Campbell one of the active participants of this famous engagement between the American patriots and British officers.

The program for the day, in addition to the address will include music by one of the very best bands of the United States Army, a monster parade with floats representing the 13 original States and a band concert and fireworks display at night.

Other attractions will be announced as the plans more fully mature, but of one thing the public can rest assured, the Battle of Kings Mountain Memorial Association is going to do everything within its power to make this celebration one long to be remembered.

STONED TO DEATH BY MOB OF STRIKERS

An Organizer of Industrial Workers of the World Left Dead on Scent of Conflict.

Seattle, Wash., June 9.—A special to The Post Intelligencer from Wilson Creek, Washington, says: An unidentified organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World was stoned to death on Saturday during a pitched battle between special members of the Industrial Workers of the World and laborers employed by the Great Northern Railroad whom they had tried to persuade to quit work.

When the workmen refused the Industrial Workers of the World party began a stone fight. The leader was struck on the head and left with his skull fractured. No arrests have been made.

TWO MEN DROWNED.

One Gets Into Deep Water—Other Taken With Cramps.

Thomasville, Ga., June 9.—Two young men were drowned in Ochlocknee river yesterday. William Surratt, 16 years old, was in bathing with a party of friends near the Jones bridge, where the water was high because of recent rains, when he sank into a deep hole. His companions heard his struggles and tried to rescue him, but they were too late. The body had not been recovered last night, though rescuers had grappled for it all afternoon. Surratt lives with his parents a short distance from here.

While in bathing with a friend at Miller's Spring, on the river, yesterday afternoon, Ed McInnis, 25 years old, suddenly sank and drowned before help could reach him. He is believed to have had a cramp, as he was an expert swimmer. He came here from Alpharetta, about a year ago.

COLDEST WAVE FOR JUNE 9.

Frost in New England and Middle States.

Washington, June 9.—The coldest weather ever recorded in June in the middle Atlantic and New England states, the Ohio Valley and the Great Lakes region was reported today to the weather bureau. The Gulf states are the only ones east of the Rockies to escape an unseasonable drop. A "high barometric pressure of great magnitude" is the official reason. Frosts are reported in Vermont, central New York, New England, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Frosts are predicted for tonight in the Great Lakes region, the upper Ohio Valley, the North Atlantic states and the mountain districts of the Middle Atlantic states.

TRAIN WRECKS HOME.

Mother and Daughter Scalded to Death and Others Injured.

Roanoke, Va., June 9.—Mrs. J. Owens and her daughter are reported to have been scalded to death, the engineer and fireman of a Norfolk & Western freight train killed, and the Owens home demolished early yesterday when the train was wrecked near Cleveland, Va. Members of the train crew are reported to have been injured. Two engines were drawing the train and both left the track and plunged down a steep embankment, crashing into the Owens house and overturning it. It is said that the wreck was caused by the breaking of a truck on the tender of the leading engine. Eleven freight cars are reported to have been derailed and burned.

BLEASE ASKS WILSON'S AID

IN CAMPAIGN AGAINST TIGERS.

South Carolina Governor Asks President to Stop Issuance of Federal Licenses.

Columbia, June 9.—Governor Blease addressed a letter to President Wilson today asking him to instruct the commission of internal revenue not to issue any more licenses to parties in South Carolina as retail liquor dealers. The governor urged the President to send a special message to Congress asking for the enactment of such a law if he hasn't the authority already to forbid the issuance of liquor licenses.

"It does seem to me," he said, "that you could be of great assistance to me in the enforcement of the liquor laws of this state if you would instruct your United States commissioners of internal revenue not to grant license to any person, firm or corporation in this state, except the license necessary for the legal dispensaries, to engage in the retail or wholesale liquor business."

He urges the prosecution of persons violating the law in the United States courts.

"It does seem to me as a private citizen of the United States of America and the governor of the greatest state in the Union, that it is inconsistent for the United States government to license people to violate a state law, so far as the federal government is concerned," says Governor Blease.

The governor thinks that the refusal to issue such licenses would stamp out the "Social" club evil. He promises that if there is no law giving the President the right to issue instructions forbidding the granting of licenses he will introduce a bill along this line when he gets to the United States senate a year and a half hence, if he is elected.

Governor Blease continues: "I have positive information that there are now in this state several parties holding licenses from the United States government as retail liquor dealers, and I am informed that these licenses will expire on the 30th of this month. As you know, South Carolina has a statute which prohibits the sale of whiskey, wine or beer, except in eight counties, in which whiskey is sold by the county dispensaries, and any person, firm or corporation engaging in the sale of any whiskey, wine, beer, malt or vinous liquors, save the legal authorized dispensaries, in these eight counties, is guilty of a misdemeanor. Still the United States government has been and is yet continuously licensing the people which have dispensaries and people within the counties which have legal prohibition, to violate the law of this state by becoming retail liquor dealers."

BOGARTIS ESCAPED IN WOMAN'S SKIRTS

Wealthy Rancher Tells How He Got Away From Mexican Bandits in Feminine Attire.

Douglas, Ariz., June 8.—George Bogart, a Mexican-American rancher of wealth, attributes his personal safety and the possession of his money to his success at feminine impersonation. He arrived here yesterday to relate how by donning woman's clothes he escaped bandits who had demanded his money. Captured near Opolo, Sonora, Bogart was ordered to pay \$5,000 for his life. He took the bandits to his ranch house and told them to wait outside while he fetched the money. In the house he put on woman's clothing and hiding his money, which had been placed about the premises. The bandits doffed their big hats as the supposed woman passed and the rancher safely made his way to the border, depositing his money in a bank here.

Dr. C. Dussart, secretary of Sinaloa state, met here yesterday with the Constitutional committee, after which it was announced that Governor Felipe Rivera will not be reinstated as governor of Sinaloa. Rivera at the time of Madero's downfall, was taken a prisoner to Mexico City, where he escaped to Havana. He has agreed to act under the present Constitutional governor of his state.

Conferences held at Nogales, Sonora, between Governor Penquero and officials of the Blanco de Sonora, have led to a decision to reopen the banking institution which was closed some months ago on the arrest of Max Muller, its manager. Muller has been released and his misunderstanding with the state officials has been settled.

WILD WOMEN APPLY TORCH

And Kerosene Again Near London in Fight For Suffrage.

London, June 9.—The "arson squads" of the militant suffragettes have once more become very active. Besides the \$79,000 fire at the Hurst Park race course last night, they destroyed this morning a boat house on the river Lea and also the grandstand at the North Middlesex Cricket grounds.

The fire at Hurst Park was started in the royal box, the furniture of which had been saturated with oil. The flames were not extinguished until 8 o'clock this morning.

THE STATE SCORES POINT

IN THE RAILROAD CASES.

Supreme Court Decides State Has Right to Fix Rates Until Congress Makes Specific Provision.

Washington, June 9.—The power of the states to fix reasonable interstate rates on interstate railroads until such time as Congress shall choose to regulate rate, was upheld today by the supreme court of the United States in the Minnesota freight and passenger rate cases.

At the same time the court laid down far-reaching principles governing the valuation of railroad property for rate making purposes and according to these held that the state of Minnesota would confiscate the property of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Company by its maximum freight and 2-cent passenger fare laws. It enjoined the state from enforcing these laws as to this road for the present. In the cases of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern, however, the court held that these roads had failed to show that the rates were "unreasonable" or confiscatory, and consequently reversed the United States district court for Minnesota, which had enjoined their enforcement as both confiscatory and a burden on interstate commerce.

ALL STATES INTERESTED.

The decision, regarded as one of the most important ever announced by the court, had been under consideration for 14 months. Railroad commissioners from eight states and the governors of all the states filed briefs in support of the states in the cases, recognizing the principles involved affected them all.

Rate cases from Missouri, Arkansas, Oregon, Kentucky and West Virginia were not decided today, but the points announced in the Minnesota cases are regarded as governing them generally. These cases probably will be disposed of tomorrow, when the court will hold another session, as it will also do on Monday, June 16, the final day of adjournment for the term.

SPANIARD KILLS ACTRESS AND SELF

Eleanor Jackson, Young and Pretty, Shot to Death by Spanish Restaurant Chef.

Tampa, Fla., June 8.—Andres Bruno, a Spaniard, shot and killed Eleanor Jackson, a vaudeville performer of New York, and then blew out his own brains here today. The bodies were found by the 4-year-old child of the woman in a cottage next door where the child had been left overnight.

It is said that Bruno, who is chef at a leading Spanish restaurant, in a cottage in Ybor City. She was employed at a local theatre. While both were away from home they left the woman's 4-year-old son with neighbors next door. To-day when the mother failed to call for the child it went over to the cottage and in a few minutes came back and told the neighbors that he believed his mother was sick, and he could not wake her. When the neighbors arrive they found both bodies on the bed. There were two bullets in the woman's head, one of them having passed through her hand as she threw it up, evidently to prevent Bruno from firing. Bruno shot himself in the temple and fell across the body of the woman.

The woman, who has been working in local theatres for about three years, was about 21 years of age and was very handsome. Bruno left three notes, one in English and two in Spanish. In these he stated that he was going to kill the woman because she insisted on staying out late at night after finishing her work. Relatives of the woman in New York have been notified but nothing has been heard from them.

LINCOLN MEMORIAL.

Taft Spends Several Hours Going Over Plans.

Washington, June 9.—Former President Taft spent several hours today with other members of the Lincoln Memorial Commission going over the plans for the new \$2,000,000 memorial to be erected in Washington.

Professor Taft was a luncheon guest of Speaker Clark at the Capitol with Democratic Leader Underwood and former Speaker Cannon. The commission approved plans for the memorial drawn by Henry Bacon. No decision was reached as to the choice of a sculptor of the Lincoln statue.

Professor Taft visited the supreme court with Charles D. Hilles and Miss Babel Beardman during the rendering of decisions. Not within a generation has a former President visited that court when in session.

Prefers New York to Turkey.

Washington, June 8.—Henry Morganthau, the New York lawyer, to whom President Wilson offered the post of ambassador to Turkey, at a long conference with the President yesterday declined the post. Neither White House officials nor Mr. Morganthau would discuss his declination, but it was understood that he did not feel willing to give up his practice in New York.

DIFFERENCES ON PAPER MONEY ISSUE

Secretary of Treasury McAdoo Would Have Government Issue All Currency.

Washington, June 9.—While the fundamental principles of an administration currency bill have been agreed upon there are essential differences, it has developed, between Secretary McAdoo and congressional leaders as to new issues of currency. These relate primarily, it is said, to the question whether the government should issue all the paper money or whether the proposed reserve associations should be authorized to issue notes in place of present national bank notes, permitting all of the present issues of United States currency to stand as at present. The obstacles, it is declared, are by no means insuperable and an effort will be made to compose the differences this week.

Secretary McAdoo's tentative suggestions, it is understood, would have the government issue all currency. He would retire the present issue of gold certificates, amounting to \$1,079,000,000 and the national bank notes, amounting to \$750,000,000. He would make all of the paper money "United States Notes," maintaining the present issue of such notes and replacing the gold certificates and national bank notes by an increased number of United States notes. Back of these notes would be gold, based on a certain percentage of the issue which has not yet been determined.

Chairman Glass, of the house banking and currency committee, on the other hand, it is said, would not disturb the present issues of gold certificates of any other United States notes, but would gradually retire the national bank notes and permit the reserve associations to issue currency based upon the assets of the membership banks to take the place of the national bank notes.

Secretary McAdoo's plan is designed to permit greater participation of the federal government in the operations of the reserve associations than his plan there would be about fifteen regional reserve associations with a sub-treasury of the United States in charge of each, and a central bureau in the treasury department at Washington, whose members would be appointed largely by the President. Under other plans the voice of the banks would be greater in the management of the reserve associations and there would be a central commission in Washington upon which the banks would be largely represented.

All schemes of reform would provide for elasticity by permitting the proposed reserve associations for rediscount commercial paper.

MINE WORKERS ARE SUMMONED

Defendants Charged With Attempting to Create Monopoly of Labor Market.

Charleston, W. Va., June 8.—John P. White, president of the International Organization of the United Mine Workers of America; Vice President Frank J. Hayes and 17 officials and subordinate officers of the District No. 17, the local miners' union, indicted by the federal grand jury last night charged with violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, will be summoned to appear before Judge Keller early this week. While the names of the witnesses who appeared before the federal grand jury in the case have not been made public it is known that coal operators of Pain and Cabin Creeks where labor troubles have been abundant, and former officials of the miners' organization assisted in gathering information for the indictment.

The defendants are charged with attempting to create a monopoly of refusing to allow members of the organization to work at lower wages. It is alleged the union prohibits men from working who are not members of the organization and that the miners' officials conspired to unionize the coal mines of West Virginia and to so fix the cost of producing coal in West Virginia as to give advantage to producers of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. It is charged the miners in the last four states are already unionized and the United Mine Workers of America control wage scales, and that the defendants conspired with coal producers of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois to give them a monopoly of the coal trade in the Great Lake region and other Western markets.

Grasshoppers Overrun State.

Washington, June 9.—The grasshopper problem in New Mexico is a serious one, according to Harrison E. Smith, entomological expert of the department of agriculture, now stationed at Elida, New Mexico, to help in the fight against the pest. He telegraphed to the department that he had been able to secure no aid from the farmers. Mr. Smith also reported that attorneys have decided that poison can be used in the fight against the grasshoppers, although it was feared a few days ago that the state law would prohibit it.

ANOTHER CONFLICT LIKELY

WAR IMMINENT SAYS EXPERTS

The Balkan Disputants Are Standing Stubbornly by Their Guns.

London, June 9.—With both sides stubborn in refusing to make the slightest concession, war between the Balkan states is hourly becoming more imminent. If Bulgaria sends a negative reply to the Serbian note—and nothing indicates that she will—answer otherwise—Serbia and Greece will proclaim the annexation of the occupied Macedonian territories, thereby establishing a definite casus belli.

The only hopeful feature of the situation consists in the belief that Bulgaria is lacking the sinews of war. Serbia and Greece are not only better situated in this respect, but also occupy superior strategical positions. These facts probably account for the calmness with which Serbia apparently regards the prospects of war.

The final session of the peace conference was held today at St. James' palace and ended without anything being decided as to the exchange of prisoners or other matters. The delegates agreed to leave outstanding questions to their respective governments.

Each of the Balkan delegations advised his government to conclude a separate convention with Turkey. The Montenegrin delegate who presided at today's session delivered a speech of farewell.

Had the peace conference lasted longer there would have been few delegates to attend it, as Dr. S. Daneff, representing Bulgaria, left some days ago and the two principal Serbian delegates were hastily recalled to Belgrade yesterday.

PREPARING FOR WAR.

Servia Seems to Be Expecting the Worst.

Belgrade, Servia, June 9.—Gen. Radomir Putnik, chief of the general staff of the Serbian army, arrived here today by special train to attend the war council which will be held under the presidency of the King.

The Bulgarian reply to the Serbian note respecting a revision of the treaty of alliance, which it is believed will be in the negative, is expected at an early date. Preparations for war continue and the hospitals are being reopened.

MAPS OF GETTYSBURG.

Showing 50 Square Miles Over Which Blue and Gray Fought.

Washington, June 9.—In recognition of the coming celebration on the battlefield of Gettysburg, the United States Geological Survey announced today that it had produced a map of the battlefield which it prepared to sell to the public at half price. The concession, it is said, was made by special authority granted by Secretary Lane, of the interior department. The map shows the territory about 950 square miles, over which the Federal and Confederate legions fought. Routes taken by Generals Lee, Hooker, Meade, Pickett and other leaders are plainly shown.

"Such a map," says the announcement of the survey, "would have been worth a thousand times its weight in diamonds to either of the commanding generals at the battle of Gettysburg, where the fate of their great armies and probably of the Union and the Confederacy hung on the issue of a day."

MEMORIAL DAY AT ARLINGTON.

Southern Organizations in Washington Decorate Heroes' Graves.

Washington, June 8.—Confederate memorial day exercises were held today at Arlington National Cemetery, under the auspices of Southern organizations in Washington. The ceremonies took place in the Confederate section of the cemetery and was featured by an address by Senator Swanson of Virginia, who dwelt upon the achievements of the army of Virginia and the greatness of Gen. Robert E. Lee. Following the program of speeches and music, flowers were placed on the graves of the known and unknown dead.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

Yeggmen Blow Open Safe and Carry Off Money and Stamps.

Greensboro, June 8.—The post-office safe at Kernersville, a small town 13 miles from here, was blown open this morning, presumably about 2 o'clock and \$1,263 in stamps and \$50 in money taken. The theft was discovered this morning at 6:30 o'clock when the postmaster entered the office. Post-office Inspector Hodgkin of this city was notified and went to the scene, but it is said, secured scanty clue. Some people in the town heard a rumbling noise about 2 o'clock this morning and it is presumed this was the explosion that blew the safe. The postoffice inspector believes the robbery was the work of professional yeggmen.