

REPORTER IS KILLED WITH TAFT COMING IN AUTO WRECK

HENRY L. BUCKLEY OF THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS MEETS DEATH IN MACHINE.

Reading, Pa., Sept. 18.—The transcontinental automobile relay run from Philadelphia to Seattle, under the auspices of the Philadelphia Press, came to a sudden and sad end late today, when the first relay car was wrecked at Robesonia, 12 miles west of here, causing the death of one of the occupants of the machine and the serious injury of several of the other passengers. The dead man was Henry L. Buckley, a reporter for the Press. William Brown of Philadelphia was so badly injured that he may die and William H. Bohm of Philadelphia sustained a deep laceration of the scalp. Clifford R. Ely, the chauffeur, and Halvard Carter, colored, a valet, were slightly injured. The automobile was going through Robesonia at a 25-mile clip, when something went wrong with a rear tire. The car upset and Buckley was thrown into the middle of the road, fracturing his skull. He lived but a short time. When the news of the accident reached the Press the run was immediately called off. The Press had obtained from President Taft a letter of greeting to President Chiberg of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition and had planned to carry it across the country by relays of automobiles. Buckley was 34 years old and a graduate of Lafayette college.

AND THEY LIVED ON HAPPILY EVER AFTER

Chicago, Sept. 18.—The final chapter of a story with a happy ending and paternal blessings was told yesterday in the marriage of Florence Wilkinson to Wilfred Muir Evans of Surrey, England, at the home of the bride's father, Professor William Cleaver Wilkinson of the University of Chicago.

More than four years ago Miss Wilkinson left her home to make her own living in New York. She chafed at the restrictions imposed upon her in her home by her father. She was ambitious to study life and social conditions.

After two years, she wrote a novel, which later was reviewed by her father with favorable criticism in a magazine published in Chicago. The scholarly father's recognition of his daughter's ability began the reconciliation when the daughter, having achieved fame, brought her affianced husband, a portrait painter of England home to be married. Mr. and Mrs. Evans left in the afternoon after a wedding breakfast for a short wedding trip. They will remain in New York during the winter and then will go to England to live.

LEPROSY CONGRESS ADMITS INCURABILITY

Washington, Sept. 18.—Virtually admitting the incurability of leprosy, declaring that the disease is contagious from person to person; that every country in whatever latitude should isolate those suffering from the disease; that children of leper parents should be separated from them at the earliest possible moment, and that lepers should not be allowed in certain trades and occupations, resolutions were adopted by the second international conference on leprosy held in Bergen, Norway, August 16 to 19 last. Statistics furnished by delegates were that there are approximately 200,000 cases of the disease throughout the world. India, it is stated, has 97,340; Japan, 46,000; the United States, 146; and the canal zone, 7 cases.

NOTIFICATION COMES IN OFFICIAL MANNER

Washington, Sept. 18.—The Japanese legation was officially advised today of the appointment of Mr. Uchida as the successor of Ambassador Takahira. Mr. Uchida is spoken of at the legation as the leading diplomat in the service of Japan. He is a graduate of the Imperial university of Tokyo, and is especially versed in international law and political science. He is about 45 years of age, and for about 24 years has been continuously in the diplomatic service of his country.

NORRIS WILL SPEAK ON COMMONER'S DAY

Seattle, Sept. 18.—William J. Bryan's day at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, October 12, is to be made a memorable occasion. The principal feature will be Mr. Bryan's address in the natural amphitheater. Before the meeting the exposition officials will give a luncheon in his honor. Among those who will participate in the Bryan day exercises are Governor M. E. Hay of Washington, Governor J. H. Brady of Idaho, Governor E. L. Norris of Montana and Senator George E. Chamberlain of Oregon.

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Omaha, Sept. 18.—The street car system of Omaha and Council Bluffs was unexpectedly put out of commission today when the trainmen went on strike. The walkout was so unexpected that not even the street railway officials were prepared for it, and it worked no little hardship on patrons of outlying districts. While the tieup was not complete the service on every line was seriously crippled, but no attempt was made to run cars on schedule time. Officials of the company, after a two-hour session in the middle of the day, decided to entirely abandon transportation service during the evening. No violence has been reported. The strike resulted from a failure of the employees of the street car company to reach an agreement in regard to wages, conditions and hours of employment. The walkout was precipitated when the city of Omaha was preparing to entertain the president of the United States and several national conventions of fraternal orders and other organizations. The president will arrive Monday afternoon and the committees are making extraordinary efforts to prevent any occurrence which might mar his visit to the city. The first lawlessness to result from the strike occurred late tonight at the car barns when several strikers pounced upon and beat officer Timms while the latter was endeavoring to disperse a gathering of strikers. Sergeant Sigworth hurried to the scene and arrested two strikers. An attempt will be made tomorrow to run cars on all lines.

TRAGIC HONEYMOON.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—The brief honeymoon of two aged inmates of the German Baptist old people's home of this city, who were married two weeks ago, ended tragically today when Julius Menzel, 78 years old, was asphyxiated by illuminating gas. By his side was his wife, Maria Menzel, 85 years old, unconscious. It is expected she will die. It is believed the asphyxiation was accidental.

IMPORT TRADE SHOWS A STEADY INCREASE

Washington, Sept. 18.—An increase of \$24,842,469 in the value of imports into the United States is shown for August last, compared with the same month of last year, the imports aggregating \$116,025,936. The exports for last August totaled \$110,123,679, a decrease of only \$319,376, compared with August, 1908.

For the eight months ending with August last the imports amounted to \$945,311,582, an increase of \$246,443,398 over a like period of last year, while the exports aggregated \$1,097,433,891, a decrease of \$84,006,345, compared with the corresponding period of last year. The excess of exports over imports in the eight months ending with August last was \$694,922,219, a decrease of \$330,477,741, compared with a similar period in 1908.

WARRANTS ISSUED FOR CHICAGO MEN

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Bench warrants were issued today by Judge Jesse A. Baldwin of the circuit court for John J. Holland, member and secretary of the Cook county jury commission; Nicholas A. Martin, secretary to Alderman Kenna of the First ward, and Willis J. Rayburn, real estate man. The charges against the three is that they conspired to draw names of grand jurors in a manner other than that required by law.

Coming at the height of the trial of Inspector McCann for alleged grafting, the news of the action based on alleged tampering with the jury lists caused great excitement in legal and political circles. The complaints on which the warrants were issued were drawn up by a special agent of the state's attorney's office, who has been investigating the jury-drawing methods for weeks.

JOLLY JACK TARS WRECK RESTAURANT

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 18.—Much excitement was caused at the White City Pine beach today by an attack on Charles Lee's restaurant by a large party of sailors on shore liberty from the fleet in Hampton roads. The place was stoned and practically wrecked, beer bottles and other missiles having been thrown through the windows and much crockery and glass smashed. The cause of the attack by the sailors is not given. The affair was reported to the naval authorities.

STORM IN CUBA.

Havana, Sept. 18.—A severe storm passed over Pina del Rio province yesterday. The telegraph wires are down and the extent of the damage is not yet known here. The coast steamer Julian Alonzo, lying in the harbor off Espinosa, dragged her anchor and went ashore. A tug was sent to her assistance.

SALT LAKE SUFFERS FROM FIRE

BLAZE IS FOUGHT FOR MORE THAN EIGHT HOURS.

Salt Lake City, Sept. 18.—For more than eight hours this afternoon and tonight an immense area in the southwestern section of Salt Lake, where scores of mercantile houses are located, was wholly at the mercy of a fire which, when finally controlled, had caused damage estimated at \$106,000. The greatest loss was suffered by the Granite Lumber company, in the boiler room of whose plant the blaze originated. Spreading to the paint shops and hardware rooms, the blaze was carried from building to building, finally enveloping the lumber and coal yards, where thousands of tons of lumber and fuel were stored.

In addition to the Granite Lumber company, the following other concerns suffered heavy losses: Sugar Banking company, Granite Drug company and Sugar House Hardware company. It is stated that the total amount of insurance is less than \$15,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

GOVERNOR MARSHALL CAN'T LEAVE HIS WIFE

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—Because he declines to be separated from his wife and she from him, Governor Marshall declined the invitation of the lakes-to-the-gulf deep waterways session to be a member of the governors' meeting at New Orleans. No provision can be made for the wives of governors on the steamer Alton, as there are only 35 state rooms and 31 governors are going. Governor Marshall said in his letter to W. K. Kavanagh: "As Mrs. Marshall endured the arduous work of the campaign in order to be with me, and I am not convinced that my presence is necessary to do public good to my state, I must reluctantly, but gratefully, decline the invitation."

WITHDRAWS SITES.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Secretary Ballinger today withdrew for temporary power sites 13,760 acres of land lying along the Kikikiat river, in Washington.

BANDS AND BUGLES SPOIL REVOLUTION

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 18.—Mail advices received today by the Herald states that the uprising attempted at Monterey on the night of September 15 is believed to have been an attempt of Reyes' supporters to start a revolution.

At 11 o'clock, while Reyes was addressing throngs on the plaza in front of the state house, firing began in the section surrounding General Trevino's residence.

A hundred or more shots were fired, whereupon, as previously arranged, General Trevino ordered every light turned out and called the troops from the barracks, headed by bands and buglers.

The general had been expecting trouble and had his hands ready. The bands and trumpets blared loudly and the troops discharged their guns as they moved, making as much noise as possible. The rioters, afraid of the dark, slunk away in the midnight and all was quiet.

PLUCKY HARPOONER BRINGS WORD OF CREW

St. John's N. F., Sept. 18.—The pluck and hardihood of a young Scotch harpooner, David Ritchie, who crossed the stormy waters of Hudson straits alone in an open boat to the Moravian settlements on northern Labrador, was the means of bringing, as from the dead, word of the safety of the crew of eight of the Scotch whaling ship Snow Drop, which was lost in Froushier strait September 18, 1908. Further particulars of the hardships of the crew reached here tonight, the first since definite news of the Snow Drop's loss came Wednesday from Indian Harbor, which Ritchie reached on Dr. Wilfred T. Greenell's missionary schooner Lorna Doone.

The Snow Drop was given up for lost, with all on board, last December, when a bottle was picked up off the coast of Scotland, in which was a note saying the ship was sinking.

BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Sept. 18.—The statement of the clearing house banks for the week says: Loans \$1,327,573,600, decrease \$294,731,600; deposits \$1,355,385,000, decrease \$25,943,800; circulation \$51,717,300, increase \$86,300; legal tenders \$41,988,800, increase \$126,800; specie \$274,439,100, decrease \$5,499,400; reserve \$248,437,900, decrease \$5,363,600; reserve required \$288,816,255, decrease \$6,485,950; surplus \$7,591,725, increase \$1,122,350; in United States deposits \$8,009,590, increase \$1,211,275.

NICK IS ILL.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 18.—According to reports from Sebastopol, the czar's health is very bad.

Ladies' Section

If it's new, if it's a novelty in women's ready-to-wear suits and coats, we have it. Ladies, keep this in mind.



Warm Bargains for Frosty Fall Weather An Opportunity to Save Money

Ladies' Stylish Coats

ON SPECIAL SALE TODAY

A sale of this kind, commencing at the beginning of the season, with not an old garment in the lot, is nothing short of marvelous, and should be without exception the most phenomenal sale of ladies' and misses' coats in this section.

The materials that these garments are made of are broadcloth, serges, mixtures, diagonals and chevrons. Special sale prices from \$5.00 to \$15.00

Cravenettes

Without doubt you will need one of these garments in a few days. Why not buy it now and be ready for the cold, chilly rains? The coats are well made and we are closing out a small lot for this sale only. Prices from \$6.95 to \$10.98

Misses' Coats at Cost

These garments are made in a neat, up-to-date style, and every garment is well made and durable. The materials consist of diagonal serges, emu bearskin and plain worsteds in different shades. Special prices from \$8.00 up to \$12.50

Blankets Lower Than the Cost of Production

And our patrons will without a doubt recognize this as an unusual opportunity to purchase blankets at greatly reduced figures. Certainly no one who is in need of blankets can afford to miss this sale. We quote a few of the prices:

- Blankets, size 11-4, worth \$7.00; sale price \$4.79
Blankets, size 10-4, worth \$7.50; sale price \$4.98
Blankets, size 11-4, worth \$8.50; sale price \$5.48

CONVICT LAYS CLAIM BEFORE COURT

PRISONER IN WISCONSIN PENITENTIARY WRITES TO SPOKANE JUDGE.

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 18.—C. Henry Davis, an inmate of the state penitentiary at Wapuna, Wis., defendant in proceedings for divorce instituted in the Spokane county superior court by his wife, Ella Davis, who wants the divorce because he is a convict, has sent a communication to the court alleging that he was the victim of a plot.

Davis says in his letter that in March, 1908, he was sentenced to serve four years in the penitentiary on the charge of obtaining money under false pretense, and declares that he was convicted upon the false testimony and persecution of his wife's son-in-law, a notorious gambler at St. Paul, and the acts of his wife and her former paramour.

Davis writes that he first met the woman in a barroom at St. Paul on August 6, 1907. She was a dashing widow, known as Mrs. Ella McLean, and in 24 hours from the time of meeting they were making preparations to be married, and 48 hours after the first meeting they were husband and wife.

They hardly saw a sober day from that time until he got into trouble, two months and a half later, on her account. The honeymoon included a trip to Spokane and up the St. Joe river, and Davis found that his wife was a veteran at that sort of celebration.

"While I had her on my hands," Davis adds in his communication to the court, "my expenses have run as high as \$20 a day, and were never less than \$10. She told me she married me for my money, as she had learned that I had some property. She did not dare attempt to procure a divorce in Minnesota, where she is known, so went to the far state of Washington for that purpose."

By direction of the court, the communication has been filed as an exhibit in the case.

TO ENTERTAIN PEARY.

Portland, Me., Sept. 18.—The South Portland and Portland city governments representatives formed plans today for the entertainment of Commander Peary at a reception and banquet Thursday or Friday evening of next week. It was decided to invite Governor Gernard and President Dewitt Hyde of Bowdoin college, of which Commander Peary is a graduate.

BOARD OF INQUIRY SAYS "SUICIDE"

FINDINGS IN CASE OF SERGEANT COMPLETELY EXONERATES COMRADE.

Helena, Sept. 18.—William Monroe, color sergeant of the Sixth infantry, found in a dying condition at the post Wednesday evening, died by his own hand. This, in substance, is the finding of the board of officers which conducted a hearing to determine the cause of Monroe's death. Sergeant Arthur Whaling, who was held in connection with Monroe's demise, is completely exonerated from any culpability by the findings of the board. He has been released from the guard house and will be restored to duty.

The strongest circumstantial evidence tending to show that suicide was the cause of Monroe's death were the two notes found in the Whaling kitchen, where Monroe had been sequestered. These were submitted to a handwriting expert, along with other samples of Monroe's handwriting, and he found that the same man had written it all. The testimony of Monroe's messmates showed that he had been moody and despondent of late.

FOREIGN WARSHIPS ARRIVE AT NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 18.—Two foreign warships here to attend the Hudson-Fulton celebration—the Presidente Sarmiento from the Argentine Republic and the Utrecht from The Netherlands—sawing at anchor tonight in the North river roadstead and the ships of the Atlantic fleet are steaming up the coast, under easy headways, bound for New York.

Secretary William J. Hammer of the aeronautic committee said today that Wilbur Wright has made a verbal agreement which guarantees that during the celebration he will give a more positive demonstration of what aviators now dare than anything yet attempted.

PINCHOT LANDS SWORDFISH.

Avalon, Catalina Island, Cal., via wireless to Los Angeles, Sept. 18.—Chief Forester Gifford Pinchot, at San Clemente today, caught a swordfish weighing 180 pounds. It was seven feet nine inches in length. For over two hours the fish fought the angler.

HIGH SCHOOL HAZERS INJURE VICTIM

YOUNG FRESHMAN IN RHODE ISLAND SCHOOL NEARLY KILLED BY FELLOWS.

Cranston, R. I., Sept. 18.—As the result of hazing by upper classmen at the Edgewood high school, Maxwell Harrison, 14 years old, son of Rev. Zachariah Harrison, pastor of the Second Free Baptist church, a freshman in the school, is so seriously injured that he is not expected to live.

From the story of young Harrison, it appears that Tuesday night he was waylaid by a half a dozen hazers, who dragged him to the entrance of the school furnace and shoved him in bodily. He fell about eight feet, and as he fitted tightly inside the shaft, he was unable to climb out.

Although suffering severe pains from the injuries caused by his fall, he crawled and wormed his way through the hole, dark air tunnel, which is under the floor of the basement, only to find himself finally up against the grate of the burning furnace. Being unable to turn around in the confined space, he suffered terribly from the heat, until the hazers finally were able to rescue him. Young Harrison was taken to his home, and six stitches were taken to close wounds in his right leg. The boy was then sent to the Rhode Island hospital. He is suffering from a broken right leg, a badly lacerated kneecap, and several burns, and it is feared that gangrene may set in.

TO OPEN HARVARD HOUSE.

London, Sept. 18.—The first public function which will be undertaken by Whitehall Reid on his return to England will be the opening of the Harvard house in Stratford-on-Avon, October 8. The ceremony will be coincident with the installation of Dr. Lowell as president of Harvard university. The Harvard house was the home of Katherine Rogers, mother of John Harvard. Edward Morris of Chicago bought the house and presented it to Harvard university.

REFUSES CONTRACT.

San Jose, Costa Rica, Sept. 18.—The Costa Rican congress today refused the loan contract with the National City bank of New York, to cover the funding of the internal and external debt of the government. The Costa Rican government has negotiated all previous loans with England.

WILL AFFILIATE.

Washington, Sept. 18.—Secretary Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor today received word that by an almost unanimous vote the United Brotherhood of Carmen, in connection with Atlanta, Ga., decided to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor.

Men's Section

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Any man would be proud to have one of these overcoats. They are made of heavy, all-wool materials, plain blue and mixed colors. Sale price \$12.50

Men's Cravenettes

Waterproof coats, black unfinished worsteds and dark striped worsteds; special price \$12.50

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Made of good, heavy worsted yarns, in assorted grays; worth double the money; for \$1.50 Others not quite so heavy, in gray worsted 95¢

Men's Boots and Shoes

Men's high hip rubber boots, made of strong, durable rubber, worth \$7.50; sale \$5.00 Men's knee rubber boots, worth \$4.00; sale \$2.98 Men's heavy laced shoes, just the shoe for this time of year; worth \$7.50; sale \$6.00

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CAN'T SHAKE THE DUKE.

Paris, Sept. 18.—Miss Katherine Elkins, her mother and her brother have gone by automobile to Switzerland. When the family left the Hotel du Kilm, Miss Elkins informed the management that she would return to Paris, probably within a fortnight. It is presumed that the Duke of the Abruzzi paid a secret visit to Miss Elkins here. It is presumed, also, that he arranged this trip to Switzerland. It is thought he will join her at some point where they can be more free from inquiring newspaper men.