

FIVE-CENT PHONE RATE GENERAL IN GREATER NEW YORK

Reductions Ordered in Zones Extending From Manhattan to All but One Borough. TAKES EFFECT JULY 1. Company to Comply With New Schedule Arranged by Public Service Commission.

ALBANY, June 12.—Further reductions in telephone toll rates between points in New York have been ordered by the Public Service Commission effective July 1. A five-cent rate is ordered between Zone 1, which comprises territory below One Hundred and Tenth street in the Borough of Manhattan and Zone 2, known as Upper Manhattan, Melrose and Tremont on the one hand and Long Island points within the city limits, except Hammels, Far Rockaway, Springfield, Hollis and Bayside, where a 10-cent rate is to prevail.

This is in line with the policy urged persistently by The Evening World which advocates a five-cent call in all of Greater New York.

A five-cent rate also is to be established between Zone 1 and Zone 2, which takes in that part of the Borough of the Bronx known as Kingsbridge, Williamsbridge and Westchester and between any two points within the city on Long Island.

The rate between zones 1 and 2, and Tompkinsville, West Brighton and New Dorp, is to be 10 cents. The same rate is to apply between zone 3 and Long Island points, except Hammels, Far Rockaway, Springfield and Bayside, where the rate is to be 15 cents.

Fifteen-cent rates also are established between zones 1 and 2, and Tompkinsville, L. I.; between Zone 3 and all Staten Island points, and between all Long Island and Staten Island points within the city limits.

The reductions provide a common 5-cent subscribers' toll rate between Manhattan, Melrose and Tremont, on the one hand, and all of the city territory on Long Island except Bay Side, Hollis, Springfield, Far Rockaway and Hammels, as to which the rate will be 10 cents.

Corresponding reductions are made from the Upper Bronx, known as zone three, and between zone three and zone one the rate is reduced as indicated to 5 cents. There is a common 5-cent subscribers' toll rate provided between all Long Island points within the city of New York.

No increases in rates are involved in the order, and no areas heretofore local are changed to toll rate service. There are also reductions made in rates between Staten Island points and other points in the city of New York, including Long Island, and this notwithstanding the question of jurisdiction of the commission, which exists in view of the fact that the company's lines from Staten Island to other points in New York City run through the State of New Jersey.

The commission still is investigating pay station rates. The New York Telephone Company, the commission announced, has consented to the new schedule.

JAPAN'S PREMIER REGRETS ALIEN LAND BILL SNARL IS STILL UNSETTLED.

But With Due Regard for Importance of Maintaining Peace, Tokio Is "Taking Appropriate Steps."

TOKIO, June 12.—Count Gombel Yamamoto, the Japanese Premier, today declared that he deeply regretted that the controversy over the question of the Californian alien land ownership legislation was still unsettled. He was addressing a gathering of Japanese journalists on the subject of foreign politics.

The Premier stated that due regard to the importance of maintaining peace and friendship between the United States and Japan the Government was taking appropriate steps, and, knowing the high sense of justice and humanity of the American nation, looked confidently for an amicable settlement.

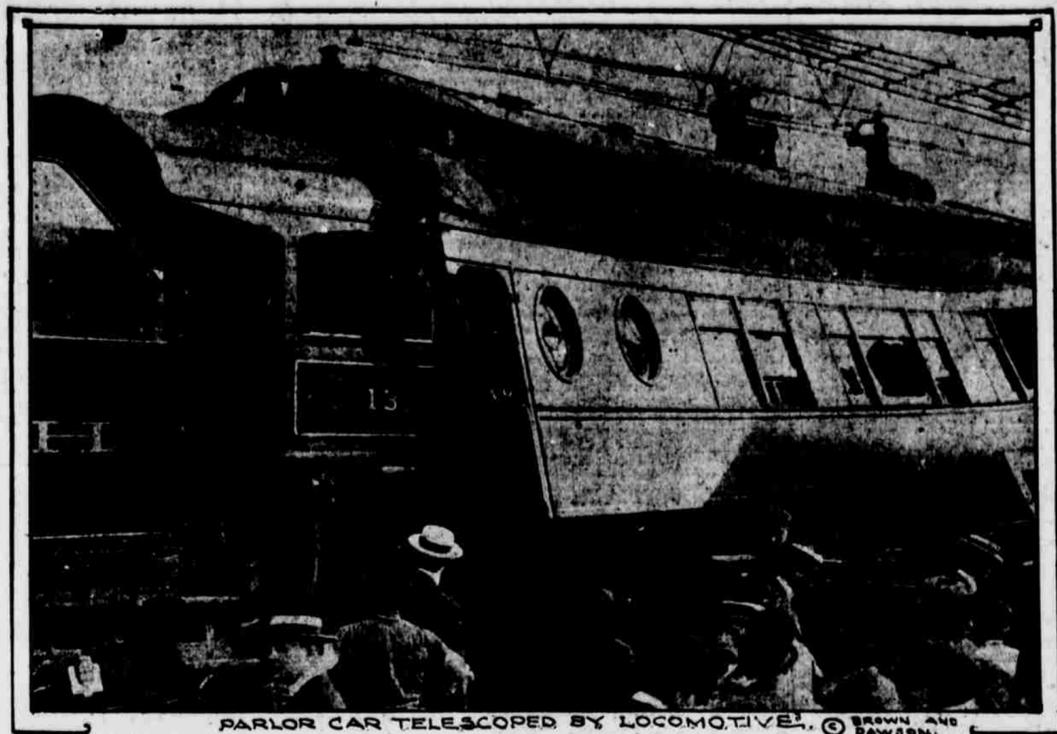
He also announced that the Government was introducing administrative reforms which would effect an economy of \$25,000,000.

UNION SQUARE LOUNGER USES KNIFE IN HOLD-UP.

Slashes Arm of Silk Salesman Who Passes by on Way From Meeting.

The benches in Union Square were doing duty as couches for the homeless Joseph Montague, of No. 210 Aqueduct avenue, Bronx, and George T. Canary of No. 20 West Fourteenth street, who had been at a meeting of fellow silk salesmen a block away, walked through the park early today.

Remarkable Photograph of Telescoped Pullman, Showing Force of Impact; Rescuers at Work



PARLOR CAR TELESCOPED BY LOCOMOTIVE. © BROWN AND SAWSON.

ASSASSIN BAND FIGHTS TROOPS AND POLICE IN HUNT FOR GRAND VIZIER'S SLAYER.

Judge, Police Official and Suspect Shot Before Men in Besieged House Are Captured.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 12.—Troops were called out here today to capture a band of plotters headed by a man named Zia, supposed to be one of the assassins of the late Grand Vizier Mahmud Schevket Pasha. In the fighting Zia was mortally wounded and a judge and a police officer received bullet wounds. A detachment of police proceeded early in the day to a house on Piraeus street, where they had heard Zia was hiding. They surrounded the house and Zia immediately began shooting with a revolver, one of the bullets wounding Lieut. Himi Bey in the chest and another striking the foot of Judge Samuel Effendi, the examining magistrate accompanying the police. The policemen returned the fire and shortly afterward entered the house, where they found Zia suffering from a mortal wound.

The fighting, however, was not over, and it was found necessary to call troops to the assistance of the police in capturing the house. Some of Zia's companions had retired to the top floor, where they maintained a hot fire on the besiegers until seized and arrested. It was stated by the police authorities that Lieut. Himi Bey's wound was likely to be fatal.

CROSS-EXAMINES OWN WIFE ON THE WITNESS STAND.

"Will Permit Plaintiff to Withdraw Action," Colby Says, but She Won't "While She Breathes."

Supreme Court Justice Hendrick was unsuccessful today as peace-maker between Mrs. Helen H. Colby and her husband, George B. Colby, a lawyer. Mrs. Colby is suing for a separation. They have been married twenty-three years.

After listening to testimony Justice Hendrick said: "I believe this matter ought to be settled among yourselves. Don't you think there is a chance for a reconciliation? Think of your two grown sons?"

"Your Honor, so far as I am concerned, there can be no reconciliation," replied Mrs. Colby, positively.

Mr. Colby acted as his own attorney and cross-examined his wife sharply on the witness stand. After an hour, he remarked to the Court: "I will permit the plaintiff to withdraw the action. This is all very disagreeable to me."

Mrs. Colby, however, announced her intention of continuing with the action "as long as she had breath."

VANDERBILT AND MOORE WIN COACHING HONORS.

Former Takes First Road Prize in London Marathon and Latter Leads Private Rigs.

LONDON, June 12.—Judge William H. Moore of New York today took first prize in the private coach class and Alfred G. Vanderbilt of New York first prize in the road coach class in the coaching Marathon from Hyde Park Corner to Richmond, run in connection with the Richmond Horse Show.

Repeats Murder Confession. HARRISONVILLE, Mo., June 12.—Mrs. Ida May Keller, who yesterday confessed in the presence of Sheriff, County Prosecutor and Coroner that she killed her husband, Arthur Keller, and their seven-year-old daughter, Margaret, Tuesday with an axe, today called Sheriff Prater to her apartment in the county jail and repudiated the confession, saying that the Kansas City detective who investigated the murders "scared it out of her."

Appalling New Haven Record Of Wrecks Within Two Years

The tragedy of the Boston Express at Stamford was the thirteenth wreck on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad in the last two years. In the thirteen wrecks forty-eight persons were killed and hundreds injured. A list follows:

- June 8, 1911, Fairfield, Conn., freight, 4 killed; signals were disregarded.
- July 12, 1911, Bridgeport, Conn., Federal express, 12 killed, 100 injured; due to carelessness of the engineer in taking a crossover at a high rate of speed.
- Aug. 28, 1911, Middletown, Conn., passenger train, 60 injured; rails spread.
- Oct. 15, 1911, Berlin Junction, Conn., passenger train, 3 dead, 5 injured; due to runaway freight cars crashing into rear end of train.
- June 11, 1912, Clinton, Mass., passenger train, 8 injured; ran into an open switch at high speed.
- July 25, 1912, Stonington Junction, Conn., passenger train, 3 killed, 4 injured; collision due to defective signals.
- Aug. 8, 1912, Dorchester, Mass., 5 killed, 16 injured; passenger train jumped track.
- Aug. 9, 1912, South Boston, Mass., passenger train, 7 dead, 40 injured; derailed.
- Oct. 3, 1912, Westport, Conn., Springfield express, 9 killed, 50 injured; due to taking a crossover at a high rate of speed.
- Nov. 16, 1912, Green's Farms, Conn., Merchants' Limited, 35 injured; due to defective equipment.
- Nov. 17, 1912, Putnam, Conn., freight train, 1 killed, 2 injured; rear end collision.
- Feb. 22, 1913, Waterbury, Conn., passenger train, 21 injured; rear end collision in fog.
- June 12, 1913, Stamford, Conn., Boston express by way of Springfield, 6 killed and about a score injured; collision caused by ignoring signals and failure of air brakes to work.

Terms the New Haven Made With Pullman Car Company

At the recent hearings in Boston of the Interstate Commerce commission regarding a contract by which the railroad company was to surrender to the Pullman Company its parlor and sleeping car service. It was the contention of Louis D. Brandeis that, as a result of the contract, the New Haven would suffer a loss of more than \$400,000 annually.

On April 28 President Millen issued this statement: "The New Haven has sold its parlor and sleeping car equipment to the Pullman Company for \$3,500,000 cash. This equipment was fast becoming obsolete. In its place we are receiving \$4,500,000 worth of steel cars, the latest and best that the Pullman Company can construct. We will thus save the interest on \$7,000,000, or about \$400,000."

"As between income and outgo it is possible in dollars and cents to figure a loss to the road by virtue of the Pullman contract, but the economic gain, including the gain to the travelling public, in the opinion of the directors, more than compensates for a nominal loss in revenue."

While on the witness stand in the commission's hearing on May 2 President Millen declared that the contract with the Pullman Company was "the best contract that any railroad company ever made with the Pullman people."

CURRAN INVOKES FUSION TO FORCE WALDO OUT.

Writes Urgent Letter Asking Majority in Board of Aldermen to Adopt His Report.

Chairman H. H. Curran of the Aldermanic Police Investigating Committee whose report demands the removal of Police Commissioner Waldo, has sent a letter to each member of the fusion majority in the Board of Aldermen assuring that "every word of his report is based upon sworn or documentary evidence and the conclusions are well within the facts."

Alderman Curran adds that the fifty recommendations the committee makes are the result of ten months of "constructive study of the administrative needs of the police department," and says: "I urge you to consider each recommendation by itself. They cover every branch of the department's activity and provide a broad basis for the betterment of the city's policing."

ONLY FRIDAY 13 THIS YEAR HER REASON FOR WEDDING; OTHER BRIDE SCOUTS HOODOO

Two Ohio Girls Laugh at Superstition and Play on Dreaded Numeral—Pastor in Line.

COLUMBUS, O., June 12.—"Why be afraid of Friday the thirteenth?" said Miss Donna Gertrude McKillip, who was united in marriage at 11 minutes after 12 (1 o'clock) today to Albert Carl Murdoch, a tailor. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. F. Gould.

"We just selected this day because it is the only Friday the thirteenth in 1913, that's all," said Miss McKillip in explaining why she chose this date.

The couple will start housekeeping at No. 13 West Oakland avenue after Aug. 12.

MANSPFIELD, O., June 12.—Friday, June 12, 1913, holds no terrors for Miss Nell Leppo and Reid D. Palmer, who will be married at 1 o'clock this afternoon, the thirteenth hour.

"It is only the superstitious who believe Friday a hoodoo day and an unlucky number," said Miss Leppo. Just to prove that she means exactly what she says, Miss Leppo will have 13 at her bride's table.

BALTIMORE, June 12.—Asserting that the "thirteen hoodoo" should be abolished on this, Friday, the thirteenth day of the month, the thirteenth year, Rev. J. F. Bryan invited all couples desiring to wed to call at his home. He asserted that in defiance of superstition he would perform the ceremonies free.

ONE IS DEAD, ONE DYING FROM MOTORCYCLE CRASH.

Two Returning From Church Run Into Party Going to Church Festival.

(Special to The Evening World.) HOMERVILLE, N. J., June 12.—Riding home from a church festival on a tandem motorcycle last night Edward McCarron and Frank Cook of Haritan ran head on into a team attached to a beer wagon. McCarron died early this morning from internal injuries received in the collision. Cook has a broken hip and other injuries and is in a critical condition.

The horses were stripped of their harness and the front of the beer wagon was splintered. Besides Joseph Bell, the driver, there were four young women in the wagon. They were going to a church festival at North Branch.

ENGLISH KNIGHT MUST PAY.

Sir William Naysmith's Venture Into "Trade" Cost \$850.

A verdict of \$850 in favor of Charles J. Naysmith, certified accountant, and against Sir William B. Peat of London was returned by a jury sitting before Supreme Court Justice Erlanger today.

Mr. Naysmith had asked for \$33,000 on the ground that Sir William had contracted with him to start a branch office in New York and then withdrew from the bargain without adequate cause.

VOTES FOR WOMEN BILL FAVORED BY SENATORS

Committee Recommends Action on Chamberlain Amendment to the Constitution.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Senator Ashurst submitted today the report of the Woman's Suffrage Committee recommending the passage of the Chamberlain resolution for a constitutional amendment extending suffrage to women.

"In this Republic," says the report, "the people constitute the government. They are its creators and its maintainers. They are the government. That the granting of the elective franchise to women would add to the strength, efficiency, justice and fairness of government we have not the slightest doubt."

"It is anomalous and archaic in a free republic, professedly made up of, controlled by and administered for all the people, to deny to one-half of its citizens the right of exercising a valuable function of citizenship, to wit, the elective franchise, thus precluding that one-half from the right and power to say what law or policy shall be its rule of conduct. And this anomaly becomes odious and abhorrent when we reflect that the particular half of citizenship thus excluded is the identical one-half from which spring so much wisdom, courage, cheer, hope and good counsel."

The report sets forth that the things to be considered in granting equal franchise are whether women as a class will "vote whenever full opportunity is offered; attempt to comprehend the questions upon which they vote; attempt to learn something of the character and fitness of the person for whom they vote; vote against dishonest persons for office; oppose dishonest measures, refuse, directly or indirectly, to accept a bribe, and refuse, directly or indirectly, to give a bribe; place country above party; recognize the result of the election as the will of the people, and therefore as the law, and continue to fight for a right which, although defeated, cause so long as there is a reasonable hope of success."

"We submit," the report concludes, "that the class of voters sought to be enfranchised by this resolution answer each and every one of these interrogatories with distinguished credit to itself and that it fully, fairly and in good faith measures up to these requirements. We, therefore, upon all grounds, conclude that the resolution should be submitted to the States for their adoption or ratification."

Senator Ashurst said he would use forceful energies to secure a vote on the resolution at the special session, but that he would not press it in such a way as to arouse opposition or interfere with tariff legislation.

PROTRUDING PENCIL HOOKS A WATCH IN THE SUBWAY.

Insurance Broker Now Seeks Owner of Timepiece With Whom He Came in Collision.

A newly sharpened pencil sticking out of his upper outside coat pocket, S. J. Karp, an insurance broker of No. 16 John street, got off of a subway express train yesterday morning at the Fulton street station. When he reached the exit from the station he met a crowd of persons running for the same train he had just left, and bumped squarely into a tall young man wearing his watch, at the end of a chain fastened to his lapel, in the same kind of pocket that Karp's pencil stuck out of.

"Did I hurt you?" said the young man, recovering from his collision with Karp.

"Not a bit," answered the insurance broker. Arrived at his office, Karp put his hand in his outside lower left hand pocket and pulled out, instead of a letter, an open-faced, silver metal watch with case No. 75,000. It flashed over him that his pencil must have hooked this watch from the pocket of the tall man into whom he had bumped. He took the watch to Police Headquarters.

Hand Out Flags To-Morrow.

Flag Day has found its way back again and to-morrow all patriotic citizens are requested by the Sons of American Revolution to hang out the Stars and Stripes.

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UPHOLD MARTIAL LAW IN MINING REGIONS AT SENATE INQUIRY

Prosecutors Declare Rules of War Were Necessary to Keep Strikers in Check.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 12.—That the rules of war were necessary to govern the coal strike disturbed district of West Virginia was the conviction stated in the Senate Coal Strike Committee here today by Congressman S. P. Avis, who was Prosecuting Attorney of Kanawha County when the strike began.

"Feeling ran so high in this controversy," he said, "that I believed it impossible to secure a fair and impartial trial for anybody."

Ex-Gov. Glascock waited the greater part of the session, but was not called. The entire time was taken up with the testimony of Avis and the present doubt.

"The attorneys of the union men to attack the indictment of criminal conspiracy in restraint of trade, and filing demurrers alleging that the indictments are faulty under the law, the principal fight, however, on the part of the law facts probably will be postponed until next fall.

This fight will center about the charges in the indictment that the accused, members of the United Mine Workers, "corruptly and feloniously engaged in a conspiracy and combination in restraint of trade and commerce, for the purpose of ruining the coal industry of West Virginia," and inspired the strikers upon them in the Federal courts as a result of their attempts to reorganize the West Virginia coal field.

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