

People and Social Incidents

AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Washington, June 7.—The President was gratified by the receipt of congratulatory letters, telegraph and otherwise from all sections of the country on the successful outcome of his conference with the Western railroads.

IN WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

Washington, June 7.—The President will return on Friday to accompany Mrs. Sherman to Utica, Mrs. Sherman will remain in New York a week or ten days, and then expects to occupy her Washington home until the adjournment of Congress.

FIRST AID TO MINERS

An American Red Cross Travelling Exhibit.

Sir: In the Tribune of last Sunday there appeared an editorial on "Rescue Work in Mines." In connection with the excellent suggestions made in this article, it may be interesting to the public to learn that the American Red Cross expects soon to have a car, generously donated by the Pullman company, fitted out with a travelling exhibit of first aid appliances and safety devices for the use of miners.

THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS.

Washington, June 7.—Baroness Uchida, wife of the Japanese Ambassador, has returned to Washington from Atlantic City. The ambassador and Baroness Uchida will devote the next few days to the entertainment of Prince and Princess Fushimi of Japan, who will arrive to-morrow. A large party in the New Willard has been engaged for the party.

NEW YORK SOCIETY.

Miss Eleanor Hoffman Rodewald, daughter of W. MacNeill Rodewald, was married yesterday afternoon to Gerald Moncreiffe Livingston, of St. Paul, in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, which was decorated for the occasion with roses and peonies, and large rose trees were arranged in front of the chancel.

IN THE BERKSHIRES.

Lenox, Mass., June 7.—Mrs. James Lenox has gone to Newport for a short stay. She is expected some time during the next month to spend the remainder of the season here.

WORLD'S FAIR HEAD WANTED

Henry Clews offers Mayor Suggs for Making Selection. Henry Clews, who was head of the committee which induced Mayor Suggs to take an active part in the movement for the proposed World's Fair in this city, has appointed a permanent committee to be in charge of the proposition, yesterday afternoon the Mayor, congratulating him on his committee selection. He added:

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT OUT

George E. Fellows, of Maine, Resigns After Long Fight. Orono, Me., June 7.—Long standing differences between President George Emory Fellows of the University of Maine and the undergraduates resulted to-day in his resignation. Last winter the students went on strike because of dissatisfaction with a number of the president's rulings with a week the senior class threatened to walk out of chapel if President Fellows preached the baccalaureate sermon. The class later decided to hear the sermon. The trustees have not acted on the resignation. Student President Fellows in a statement said:

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THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

CONGRESS.—The railroad bill was sent to conference by both branches and consideration of the postal savings bank bill was begun in the House. In the Senate five hours were occupied in consideration of the public land withdrawal bill.

FOREIGN.—An earthquake of great intensity killed many persons and caused much damage in Southern Italy. The Ex-President Roosevelt delivered a lecture at the University of Oxford and the university conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Civil Law. The Mexican government has published guidelines for the treatment of Maya Indians in revolt in Yucatan.

DOMESTIC.—A conference at the White House, in which President Taft and Presidents McCrea of the Pennsylvania Railroad, Brown of the New York Central and Williams of the Erie took part, resulted in an agreement by all the railroad companies represented to defer increases in rates until the Interstate Commerce Commission at once. The railroads appear to have perceived that advantage and are willing to wait for it until the pending railroad bill becomes a law. Wall Street, which was depressed to a mystifying extent by the news that the proposed increases had been temporarily enjoined—although it was obvious that if they were just they would not be permanently prevented—is now elated over the news that the plan to increase rates has been abandoned.

CITY.—Stocks were strong and active. Railroad leaders generally expressed satisfaction with the compromise in the rate fight with the special exception of the Michigan's Board and William Rockefeller, who said that his claim having been approved by Attorney General Wickham, will receive a moiety, possibly \$250,000, of the \$500,000 of the sugar weighing frauds. The New Haven Railroad disavowed the alteration of mileage tables contained in its new time tables, which it said were a clerical blunder. Wilbur Wright said that aeroplanes of Wright design would be entered for the large prizes now offered for country flights. The taking of testimony in the trial of the sugar company employees was practically completed. The city reached an agreement with the Metropolitan and the railway company will pay the rest of its franchise tax arrears for nine years. The Long Island Railroad Company was fined \$2500 for blocking a highway in Jamaica.

THE WEATHER.—Indications for today: Fair. The temperature yesterday: Highest, 69 degrees; lowest, 58.

A WANDERING JEFFERSONIAN.

The Tribune recently called attention to some striking passages in a speech made by William J. Bryan to the Catholic Total Abstinence Union in Chicago. Mr. Bryan took the extremely federalistic view that the will of the larger political unit should always be binding on the included smaller political units—that in prohibiting the liquor traffic the county could properly override the city or town, the state the county and the nation the state. He saw nothing inconsistent with local rights in state-wide prohibition and nothing inconsistent with state rights in nation-wide prohibition. That view, we said, might be logical and intelligible enough if expressed by an advocate of centralization and nationalism, but could it, we asked, be consistently held by a Jeffersonian and a Democrat?

PROGRESS IN THE CONGO.

The agreement of Great Britain, Germany and Belgium concerning the delimitation of their respective territories near the headwaters of the Nile marks a distinct advance in mid-African affairs and a settlement of one of the most important boundary disputes in that continent. Perhaps it should scarcely be described as a dispute, at least in the ordinary meaning of the word, but it was an uncertain and undetermined state of affairs which might at any time have induced unpleasant complications and which obviously would grow steadily more embarrassing and perilous with the passage of time. It is highly creditable to the three powers concerned that they have been able so promptly and amicably to dispose of the matter on lines which are satisfactory to all and which commend themselves to reason.

THE CLAIMS OF LEISURE.

Washington seems to be in the grip of another crisis. We learn from the newspapers of the capital that the tranquil routine of life there is threatened by an extension of the hours of work in the executive departments. The government clerks already labor seven long hours a day, and the tyrannous suggestion has been made by certain persons high in authority that they might work eight hours every day except Saturday and Sunday without extending themselves or returning more than an equivalent for their salaries. Some of the protests against an extension of office hours make queer reading away from Washington. It is argued seriously in the local newspapers that to compel government clerks to stand at their desks after 4 p. m. would prevent many of them from attending professional schools and thus preparing to

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Miss Margaretta Drexel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel, will be married to-day to Viscount Maitland, of St. Mary's Church, London. The bride is the daughter of a prominent family. Her father, Maitland Carter, Miss Nellie Post, Miss Edith Wayne, of Philadelphia, Lady Glynne Finch-Hatton, Lady Constance, Lady Glynne Rhoda Astley, Miss Sibyl Fellows, Lady Letta Manners. They will represent the "Spring," and will wear draped gowns of white crepe, caught up by the bridemaids in a flowing train. The wedding will officiate at the wedding, and a reception will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drexel, in Grosvener Square.

Miss Alice Borland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orme Wilson, Jr., this afternoon, at the Church of the Incarnation, the wedding will be followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Borland, in East 87th street. In Trinity Church, Boston, to-day, St. Anita Caley, daughter of Mrs. W. C. Shorey Caley, will be married to Dr. Bradford Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boardman, of this city. Bradford Sherman will act as his brother's best man and the ushers will be Richard S. Channing, Frank Brookfield, Edward Comstock, C. Cortland Hay, Miss Clara Temple Boardman, sister of the bridegroom, who will officiate at the wedding, and a reception will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drexel, in Grosvener Square.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clews will go to Newport for the season on Monday. Miss Ruth Winsor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Winsor, will be married to Hugh Mintrich, of this city, on June 22, at the First Parish Church, Brookline, Mass. Miss Winsor spent part of the winter studying abroad, and the engagement was announced shortly after her return to the country. Among those sailing for Europe today are Mrs. M. McDougall Hawkes, Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Scribner, Harry S. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. E. Francis Hyde and Mrs. Clara Hyde, daughter of Mrs. Clarence S. Hyde. Mrs. George G. Haven and Miss Haven sailed yesterday for Europe on the Kaiser Wilhelm II.

Dr. and Mrs. Francis F. Kimball, of Morristown, N. J., for a short stay, they will go to Dark Harbor, Me. Mr. and Mrs. Birdseye R. Lewis have left town for Millbrook, N. Y., to spend the summer. The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Richard S. Campbell, of Plainfield, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marguerite Alice Campbell, to Greenville Temple Strong, Jr., of Southport, Long Island.

SOCIAL NOTES FROM NEWPORT.

Newport (By Telegraph to the Tribune). Newport, June 7.—Lady Herbert, of England, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Shaw Safe, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Gammell at Providence. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. D'Almeida and Mr. and Mrs. James Laurens Van Alen are expected on Saturday. James Van Alen has gone to Canada. Mr. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and family are expected some time during the next month to spend the remainder of the season here. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rider, of New York, will spend the summer here this year. Mr. and Mrs. Charles De Looney, of New York, will be here to-day, registered at the Casino during the day. Mrs. De Looney has also registered. Laspender Stewart has gone to Newport for a short visit.

IN THE BERKSHIRES.

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WORLD'S FAIR HEAD WANTED

Henry Clews offers Mayor Suggs for Making Selection. Henry Clews, who was head of the committee which induced Mayor Suggs to take an active part in the movement for the proposed World's Fair in this city, has appointed a permanent committee to be in charge of the proposition, yesterday afternoon the Mayor, congratulating him on his committee selection. He added:

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT OUT

George E. Fellows, of Maine, Resigns After Long Fight. Orono, Me., June 7.—Long standing differences between President George Emory Fellows of the University of Maine and the undergraduates resulted to-day in his resignation. Last winter the students went on strike because of dissatisfaction with a number of the president's rulings with a week the senior class threatened to walk out of chapel if President Fellows preached the baccalaureate sermon. The class later decided to hear the sermon. The trustees have not acted on the resignation. Student President Fellows in a statement said:

WOMEN AND TEMPERANCE.

Mr. A. W. H. of the Tribune says: "The women of Denver divided on the question of beer or no beer, just as the men did." The leader of the anti-liquor movement, Wayne Williams, writes in the Denver News: "The women