

ON A CARTER WITH ROOSEVELT

GEN. BRUGERE AND PARTY GET A TASTE OF SERENOUS LIFE.

Caught in a Thunderstorm, the President Leads the Party in a Mad Tiptoe through the Mud From Rock Creek Park Back to the City. All Wet.

WASHINGTON, May 25 (Gen. Brugere and the members of the French special mission sent here by President Louber...

When the Frenchmen of the party returned to the French Embassy from the ride this evening they were tired and soaking wet...

Within the city limits the horses went at a walk, but when the concrete pavement ended the President urged his fine animal into a sharp gallop...

Clouds that betokened a heavy rain had begun to gather by this time and it was decided by the President that it would be best to start for the city...

President Roosevelt is opposed to riding a horse at a fast pace over concrete pavements and a regard for his guests required an exception for once in the record...

From all accounts the ride of this afternoon was a new experience in American history...

HE WANTS WALLER PUNISHED

GEN. CHAFFEE'S IDEA OF THE KILLING OF SAMAR NATIVES.

Major Waller Not Guilty of Murder Because of His Mental Condition, but Acquittal Makes a Bad Precedent—Lieut. Day Censured for Obeying Orders.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. MANILA, May 25.—Gen. Chaffee has disapproved the action of the court-martial in acquitting Major Waller and Lieut. Day...

He holds that while the laws of war justify summary executions in certain cases, such cases did not arise in the Samar campaign...

However, considering the mental condition of Major Waller, so much of the findings as declare the accused not guilty of murder are approved.

Lieut. Day is censured because he knew Major Waller's condition and did not counsel desert. Instead he seconded Major Waller's orders...

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GIRL MURDERED IN CHURCH

Jealous Suitor Shoots Her Down as the Doxology is Being Sung.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 25.—While the last notes of the doxology were being sung today in the little Methodist church at Ben Hill, a hammer a short distance from the young girl was seen to sink, diving into her father's arms...

The shooting was caused by jealousy on the part of Lee. He had been paying attention to Miss Suttles for some time, and was resentful over the admiration she received from other suitors...

Lee was seated in the church to-day directly behind his intended victim. During the service he leaned over and spoke to her, seeking to make an engagement for the evening service...

As soon as Lee had fired the second shot he made a bolt for the door of the church, but he was stopped by the police...

There are two steamers set to sail from Chalmers, the Kelvingrove on May 27, and the Lake Michigan on June 2...

Eight persons were injured last night by the collapse of the floor of Louis A. Phillips' dining room at the shore end of Phillips' pier at the foot of Pier avenue...

Will reports spread and a great crowd gathered from other parts of the beach. The Rockaway police were notified that several persons had been killed and Capt. Keschner with forty policemen hurried to the pier...

The injured were carried to St. Meyer's Hotel, Meyer is an ex-Alderman of Brooklyn and occupies the premises...

White Boy shoots a Negro Thief and Nearly Starts a Race Riot.

BRITISH MAKE FINAL ANSWER.

BOERS MUST ACCEPT OR REJECT TERMS AS THEY NOW STAND.

Several Points Raised by the Boers Discussed at the Last Cabinet Meeting—Some of Them Important—More Hopeful Feeling Now in London.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. LONDON, May 25.—The continued official silence regarding the peace negotiations is interpreted by a majority of the British public as a refusal to discuss the terms...

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It is significant that a despatch from Wellington, New Zealand, contains the following message from Mr. Seddon, the Prime Minister of New Zealand...

It is understood that the Boer delegates are awaiting a reply to half a dozen points which they raised...

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Another Professor Goes. Rosenthal at Stanford University Resigned by Prof. Pease's Dismissal.

THREW STONE AT ITALY'S KING.

Attack by a Thief When Victor Emmanuel Reached Naples.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. NAPLES, May 25.—King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena arrived here this evening on their way to Palermo, where they will open the agricultural exhibition...

During the halt of their train at the arsenal here two stones were thrown at the royal carriage. The man who threw the missiles was arrested, when it was found that he already had been convicted of theft...

Charles Whiteman Run Down Same of Automobile Unknown.

PATERSON, May 25.—Charles Whiteman, 35 years of age, living at Butler, was run down by an automobile this afternoon near Pompton and mortally injured...

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NO ERUPTION AT GUADELOUPE

FALSE REPORT KEEPS MARTINIQUE REFUGEES AWAY.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. POINT-A-Pitre, Guadeloupe, May 25.—The steamer Leffel arrived here this morning from Fort de France, bringing only twelve passengers from that city...

Two thousand persons have left Martinique for Trinidad and a thousand for Colon. Others are leaving as the opportunity offers.

Mont Pelée is still active. It is throwing out vast quantities of fire, ash and lava. Frequent detonations are still heard.

From the village of Basse Pointe to Carlet an area of fifty kilometers is covered with lava.

The captain of the French barkentine Marquette, from Point-A-Pitre, Miquelon, of St. Pierre, with a cargo of fish, arrived at St. Pierre on Friday last, but finding that the city had been destroyed, came here.

The beginning of the eruption heavy rainfalls and thunderstorms have been experienced in Guadeloupe.

ERUPTIONS IN PORTUGAL. Believed to Be a Result of the Disturbances in the West Indies.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. LONDON, May 25.—A despatch to the Central News from Lisbon says that the inhabitants of Póvoa, six miles from Oporto, were thrown into a panic to-day by a tornado of wind and fire and smoke issuing from fissures in the earth.

The phenomena are believed to have been connected with the volcanic eruptions in the West Indies. Previous disturbances in that part of the world were, it is said, accompanied by disturbances in Portugal.

MORE THANKS FOR OUR AID.

President Louber's Representative Speaks of Our Profuse Generosity.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. FORT DE FRANCE, May 25.—The steamer Fontainebleau has arrived here bringing 1,300 packages of supplies for the relief of the volcano sufferers...

Mr. William R. Corwin, Secretary of the Merchants' Association of New York, who came here to report on the situation, has had an interview with Acting Governor L'Houere...

The Governor has passed a tug at the disposal of Mr. Corwin to carry him to St. Vincent.

Work of the French Mission Now in Martinique.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. FORT DE FRANCE, May 25.—Acting Governor L'Houere cables M. Douma, Minister of Colonies, in a despatch dated yesterday...

The mission is seeking to restore the confidence of the people. It will proceed soon to St. Pierre and the other affected districts.

La Souterraine's Dust Fell 200 Miles Away.

The British steamship Cora, in yesterday from South American ports via St. Lucia, while approaching that island on May 8, and when about 200 miles from St. Vincent, was nine hours under a shower of volcanic dust from the Soufriere.

Three Women and a Little Girl Killed in One Place and One Man in Another.