

NEIGHBORS GREET STIMSON

SECRETARY PRAISED BY FOLKS DOWN HUNTINGTON WAY.

Tells Them That Home Is Where a Man Is Accurately Sized Up—Eulogized by the Colonel From Oyster Bay and by Comptroller Prendergast of New York.

HUNTINGTON, L. I., June 10.—Neighbor Henry L. Stimson, who summers at Jayne Hill, Huntington, when he is not in Washington helping President Taft run the Government, was greeted by some thousand neighbors from nearby towns at the Huntington Opera House to-night and was told how much his neighbors think of him and how proud they all feel to have a neighbor at the seat of government.

Secretary Stimson got a lot of cheers and a set of engrossed resolutions. One of the features of the evening was the presence of Neighbor Theodore Roosevelt of Oyster Bay. The committee of arrangements made sure of the Colonel's presence by sending Neighbor Hiram Bayles to Sagamore Hill with his automobile to bring him over. They arrived just as Supervisor Edward S. Ireland was getting well along with his opening, which he said he had to read because he had not committed it to memory.

"This meeting is getting away from us," said Chairman Ireland. "It is a sort of a go as you please affair, but we are all glad to see Neighbor Roosevelt here."

At this there was a lot more of hand-clapping, during which time Mr. Roosevelt swung around the circle of locally distinguished men who sat upon the platform behind stiff fronted boiled shirts and perspired in hot evening clothes. "I'll finish the rest of this speech if you will give me a chance," said Chairman Ireland when quiet had been restored, "because it is on the programme. This meeting is an evidence of the confidence and esteem of residents of the town in which you have made your home."

Mr. Ireland made a gesture that included the audience and ended in front of the secretary of war. "It is a public confirmation by the people of the appointment made by the Chief Executive."

Secretary Stimson responded, briefly, saying the demonstration filled him with hope. "I am thankful to you for this demonstration," he said. "I thank you, children, and I certainly thank you, my friends, from Sagamore. It is the touch of the friendly hand, the one of the greatest influences for uplift in the world. The forces which move this world are so hidden that away from home a man is known either by what he does or by what he really is. But at home among his neighbors he is known for just what he is. If I go wrong after this it will be because I am not worthy of the great respect which what is ahead of me. Let him that putteth on his armor not boast as him that taketh it off. I feel keenly the greatness of the duties before me when the great seven officers of the United States army filed before me in my office. I thought of what the army of the United States meant throughout the world."

The audience here became insistent to hear from Neighbor Roosevelt. They began stamping and calling "Fuddy!" in front of the platform. Without waiting to be introduced he began: "It is a very rare pleasure to me to be here and witness the greeting given to Harry Stimson when he takes up a new work. I don't wonder he's touched. It means much to have friends and neighbors greet a man. I am glad to see the children. You know my boys. I like to hear them sing and as long as there were enough to drown out my voice I joined with them. I had to talk about a job before it started and I was glad to hear Mr. Stimson quote a sentence that is a favorite of mine. He makes no promises what he will do, but he will always do what he says. The reason you honor Harry Stimson is because he has always done what he says. You can take anything he says with the knowledge that it is true. He says as much as he will do. He has shown himself the friend of the many and he will do anything he can for the many. He will stand for the rights of the few and the many. We couldn't trust him if we felt that any pressure from us would make him deviate from duty. There is not a crook in the country that does not object to Harry Stimson being put in office if he has to deal with him. The big Wall Street crook and the labor dynamiter will have to look out for him; the honest business men and the honest laborer will have no stancher friend than Harry Stimson. He is not only a dead straight man but he is clean game."

Col. Roosevelt was complimented by Comptroller William A. Prendergast of New York city, who said: "When Mr. Stimson was appointed there was a question as to what qualifications he had for secretary of war. I want to suggest that the next time he is to be appointed Secretary of War he shall be prepared to be elected a position in New York city. It was there all the time. We were together at the battle of Gettysburg and when similar conditions arise again we will be there. I believe the people of this state, now that they have had time to think, are sorry they did not honor Mr. Stimson a short while ago. Had they done so, some things would be different to-day."

After the complimentary remarks by Col. Roosevelt standing beside him at the front of the hall, shook hands with all his neighbors. On the platform during the speaking, Mr. Stimson and his friends, Secretary Stimson and several men friends.

Secretary Stimson arrived at his home at Jayne Hill yesterday morning. Early in the afternoon a detachment from Troop C of Brooklyn that has gone into service in Indianapolis. It is believed by some who have examined the paper that the telegram was sent to Los Angeles a week before the arrest of McNamara.

Gov. Marshall Tells the Grand Jury How Dynamite Suspect Was Requisitioned.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 10.—Gov. Marshall was before the Grand Jury to-day in the John J. McNamara "kidnapping" case and told of all the steps which he had taken in issuing the warrant for the arrest under the requisition from the Governor of California. All the papers in the case were in the hands of the Grand Jury, and these were presented and the Governor explained them. It developed that the requisition was ready for presentation to Gov. Marshall on the day McNamara was arrested.

In the requisition a telegram was quoted purporting to show that Detective Burns had notified the California authorities that John J. McNamara had been arrested in Indianapolis. It is believed by some who have examined the paper that the telegram was sent to Los Angeles a week before the arrest of McNamara.

Borough Secretary Haskell Operated On.

Borough Secretary Reuben L. Haskell of Brooklyn was operated on for appendicitis in the German Lutheran Hospital on Friday. He was reported to be doing well last night.

NO FRAUD IN LAND DEAL.

Magistrate Discharges Three Men Arrested After Wire From Pittsburgh.

Thomas M. Latimer, the Pittsburgh promoter, and John Phillips, a retired English barrister, and his secretary, H. R. de Ridder, who were arrested on Friday on telegraph despatches from Pittsburgh which said that they were wanted on a charge of conspiracy to defraud in a deal involving 30,000 acres of West Virginia coal lands, were discharged in the Tombs police court yesterday by Magistrate Harris after a long hearing at which the complainant Edward A. Stolzenbach, a Pittsburgh mine operator, and his two partners testified. The complainant and his partners had come on to New York to be at the hearing yesterday, as on Friday it was said that if the necessary proof was not offered the prisoners would be discharged.

Yesterday after a talk over the telephone the Pittsburgh police decided that if any crime had been done it had been done in New York, and the hearing yesterday was to see if a complaint could be sustained in this county's jurisdiction.

Stolzenbach said on the stand that he had met Latimer through one of his partners, L. B. Sharp, in Pittsburgh on May 31 and that Latimer, whom he knew as a promoter of a banking and a power-broker in Pittsburgh, already knew that he and his partners owned or controlled by option the West Virginia land, which he valued at \$4,000,000. He said that Latimer suggested that the partners come to New York and meet Mr. Phillips, who he said was the representative of an English investment company, and a company could be formed to buy up the land and a bond issue for \$12,000,000 floated to finance the deal. So Stolzenbach, Sharp and L. B. Orr, the third partner, went on to Philadelphia at the Buckingham Hotel. With Phillips was his secretary, De Ridder.

After a conference at which the three presenters from Pittsburgh gave Phillips a check for \$2,000, which he said was to pay for the work of organizing the company, and a check for \$10,000, which he said was to be used to buy up the land, Phillips and de Ridder should look over the land before they went to England to float the bond issue. The defendants and the partners went to the hotel separately. At Wheeling they looked over the 30,000 acres, and Phillips reported satisfactorily on it. Then they were to meet in Pittsburgh and Latimer was to complete the deal. Latimer did not appear, and did not notify any of the partners. On cross-examination he said that he and his partners owned outright 800 acres, and had options on 3,400 acres more, but had no interest in the rest of the 30,000. They expected to get it, though.

L. B. Sharp corroborated his partner and the defendant in the case called on Magistrate Harris then said that he did not think any crime had been done. The draft for \$2,000 was still in the defendants' possession and Phillips had not decided to go to England. He had not attempted to cash it, although they had it for nine days. He discharged the three men without asking for a deposit.

The check for \$2,000 had been offered in evidence and was in the stenographer's possession. The lawyers for the defendants insisted that it be returned to them. Magistrate Harris refused to do this at that point and left the check with the stenographer. The District Attorney will have to decide it.

MONITOR PURITAN MAY BE SOLD

Board of Survey Reports That She Is Unfit for Further Naval Service.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The monitor Puritan, which was badly damaged in an ordnance experiment held last November in the Newport News middle ground, will be sold to the highest bidder if a recommendation made by a board of survey is approved by the Navy Department. The board recently investigated her condition at the Norfolk Navy Yard and reported that she was unfit for further naval service. The board appraised her as worth about \$12,000.

The Puritan sank following the explosion of two charges of 200 pounds each of nitroglycerine against her turret armor and the water line armor belt. The explosion on the water line caused considerable damage to her hull and water line and she sank about twenty hours after the experiment.

Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, president of the special board of naval ordnance, who was in charge of the experiment, was exonerated of all responsibility for failing to remove the monitor to the Norfolk Navy Yard before she sank. The ordnance board indicted many other damages than the ordnance experts of the navy expected. She was submerged for about six months before civilian divers raised her. The board reported that she was not worth repairing.

LAKE MERGER COMPLETED.

Five Steamship Companies Combine With Paid In Capital of \$6,000,000.

CLEVELAND, June 10.—The merger of five companies controlling twenty-one of the finest bulk steel freighters on the great lakes was completed to-day. These included the companies which Horace S. Wilkinson and his Syracuse associates dominate.

The companies merged are the United States Transportation Company, the L. C. Smith Transportation Company, the Wilkinson Transportation Company, the Standard Transportation Company and the American Transit Company.

The new company takes the title of the Great Lakes Steamship Company. It will have a paid in capital of \$6,000,000 and a bonus issue of \$1,000,000 bearing interest at 6 per cent and payable serially in amounts of \$150,000 annually for the next ten years.

The company's savings and Trust Company is trustee and depositor and the Titcomb & Walker Company is handling, underwriting and selling the bonds.

Woman's Body Found Off Cones Island Point.

Nels Neilson, mate of the steamboat Alaska, found the body of a woman floating off Norton's Point yesterday and took it to the Atlantic Yacht Club. Later it was taken to the Brooklyn morgue, where an autopsy was performed last night. The woman was about 5 feet 10 inches tall, weighed 140 pounds and had dark hair and blue eyes. She was about 45 years old. She was dressed in a black wrapper with black stockings and low shoes and two aprons. Her face was covered with scratches and contusions. She had been in the water not more than two days.

EX-MAYOR OF COLUMBUS INDICTED.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 10.—C. A. Bond, ex-Mayor of Columbus, now a resident of Cleveland, was indicted yesterday by the Franklin county Grand Jury. It is charged that he tried to influence ex-Senate Senator Drake to keep the Rose county local option bill in the temperance committee, of which Drake was a member. L. C. Miller, a salary loan agent of Akron, was another of those indicted. He is charged with bribing Representative Owen J. Evans of Stark county and with perjury.

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REAL PEACE IN PORTUGAL

THEODORE STANTON RETURNS FROM A TRIP ABROAD.

Thinks the United States Should Have Recognized the New Republic Months Ago—Alfonso of Spain is Keeping in the Background, He Thinks.

Theodore Stanton, son of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, who has had large experience as a European correspondent for American publications, returned yesterday on the steamship Savio after a three months visit to European capitals. Mr. Stanton, who is a brother of Harriet Stanton Blatch, spent part of his time in Portugal and Spain and he made some comments on the political situations in the countries.

"I was in Lisbon for more than a week," said Mr. Stanton. "I do not believe that Americans know very much of what has been going on there. While at sea I saw a wireless message to the effect that this country proposed to recognize the provisional Government in Portugal. I was gratified to learn that at last such action is to be taken, although it is very tardy recognition. The only governments that have recognized the republic of Portugal are Switzerland and Brazil. I know that the representatives of the provisional Government expected moral support from our country and they were disappointed that they did not get it."

"And they should have had it. The Portuguese republic should have been recognized by us months ago. We recognized the French republic promptly, two days after it had been organized. There was less reason for us recognizing the republic of France than there was for this country stepping in and giving the Portuguese republic moral support. In France the republicans repudiated the charge of the organization of the Government on their own initiative, but in Portugal a committee organized by the republicans who successfully carried on the revolution and banished King Manuel was in charge of the Government. Now we have done nothing to hold up the hands of this republican Government."

"One thing is certain; I do not believe that the facts of what is going on in Portugal have been truthfully presented to the rest of the world. I have seen reports of trouble and disorder in the country. Personally I saw nothing of the kind in all the time I was in Lisbon. Everything was orderly and peaceable, and the Government is in the control of competent and capable men."

"Minister of Foreign Affairs Machado is a cultivated and intelligent gentleman. He is progressive and up to date in his methods. Americans do not understand what influence they have on the democracy of Europe. They are too much interested in their own affairs, domestic and economic. We are solving problems, great problems, which the other countries are only facing."

"Let me illustrate what I mean. Take the subject of woman suffrage. Minister Machado, who has twelve children, many of whom are girls, questioned me about woman suffrage at luncheon with him one day. He wanted to know what we were doing about it. I told him that we

had been dealing with the question for years and that it was now actually being tried in five States here. It was no longer an academic question with us; we were actually solving it. "He was very much interested and we had a rather lengthy discussion of the question. Two days later I left Lisbon and imagine my surprise when I read a despatch saying that Minister Machado had informed the journalists, whom he sees every Saturday, that the provisional Government would introduce a bill for woman suffrage."

"Minister of Justice Costa, who is referred to as the 'strong man' of this energetic provisional Government, is businesslike and his methods are very American. You know in Europe if you have arranged for an interview with an official that interview is carried out in the traditional formal manner, no matter how trivial the subject may be. Minister Costa of course deals with affairs of importance as they should be dealt with. I have seen him clean out a whole room, shaking hands here and with a word here and there, as one of our hustling American officials would."

"I had an amusing experience when I left Lisbon. Minister Machado was at the hotel and there was an automobile waiting outside. He told me to have my luggage put on a bus and he would take me to the boat in an automobile. When I stepped into the auto I saw the coat of arms of the Queen Mother. Of course the provisional Government uses all the traditional forms in order to maintain respect for the monarchy, but I am sure King Manuel and his family were treated very decently. I know that the royal jewels, which they left behind in their hurried departure, were sent to them."

"Conditions in Spain are very unsettled. A prominent journalist told me that the republicans wanted the Spanish monarchy would fall. It is plain to the most careless observer that King Alfonso is now as never before minding his p's and q's, lest he be called King Manuel to order. He is almost sure that the separation of the Church and State will be brought about. King Alfonso is taking no part in this. It is all being done by the United States. King Alfonso is keeping very much in the background."

"Here is something that may explain how King Alfonso is fettered. A year ago I saw the late Senator Calzada for the purpose of having King Alfonso published something for a book that was to be published in Madrid. Calzada was the right hand man of Castelar. When I told him my mission, he said: 'Why do you want that? He isn't of any consequence.' I believe that is how the King is regarded to-day, although he is doing everything to keep on the right side of the public. "While everything is unsettled in Madrid it struck me that most everybody in the United States is following the lead of the late Senator Calzada. He is almost sure that the success of the Portuguese republic will encourage the Spanish revolutionists. Mr. Stanton and his sister, Mrs. Blatch, are preparing a book in regard to the life of their mother. The book is to be entitled 'The Letters of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Her Friends: An Epistolary Study of the Revolution of 1848.' Mr. Stanton said yesterday that he did not believe that the book would be ready until next January. "I found among my mother's papers," said Mr. Stanton yesterday, "many interesting letters which she had received. Evidently she kept most of her letters, or the important ones. For instance, there are a number of letters from Mrs. Seward, wife of the Secretary of State, written in the civil war period. There are many references to Lincoln. You know my mother opposed the reelection of Lincoln. Mrs. Seward said she should not be too severe



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SCARE IN PROSPECT PARK.

Half Dozen Stranger Frightens Women and Children and Gives Cop a Chase. A man supposed to be demented caused a stir about noon yesterday among a crowd of women and children by disrobing himself along the edge of the lake in Prospect Park near the flower garden.

When the man noticed Bicycle Policeman Albert Gallagher approaching he took to flight in his half clad condition and was not run down until he had reached the Malbone street entrance. He turned on the policeman and was not overpowered until after a severe struggle.

At the Park police station the prisoner said he was Joseph Nicoll, 47 years old, and had been living in a Schermerhorn street boarding house since his recent arrival from Scotland. He told a rambling story of having been bounded from Scotland by some non-union workmen who were taken to the observation ward at the Kings County Hospital.

KILLED IN STRIKE RIOT.

Garment Workers Quarrel With Police and a Bystander is Shot. CLEVELAND, June 10.—One man is dead, another is under arrest charged with murder and six others are under arrest charged with disorderly conduct as a result of to-day's developments in the strike of 5,000 garment workers here.

A quarrel between pickets stationed in front of the H. Black Company's plant and policemen caused the killing. George Zeitman, a teacher, stranger to the dispute, was shot and died in a hospital. The man charged with murder is Benjamin Aquino. Those charged with disorderly conduct are Josephine Casey, an organizer from Chicago, and six other pickets.

The shooting took place after a detail of police ordered to watch the strikers had arrived.

COTTON HARVEST STARTS.

First Bale Shipped in Texas Two Weeks Earlier Than Last Year. KINGSVILLE, Tex., June 10.—The first bale of new cotton of the season was shipped from Riviera, ten miles south of here, yesterday. It will make the rounds of the cotton exchanges of Houston, Galveston and New Orleans, and reach New York in about ten days.

This bale was harvested two weeks earlier than the first bale last season. Floating Hospital Starts Its Season. The floating hospital Helen C. Juilliard is to make its first trip for the season on Wednesday, July 5, carrying patients to the Seaside Hospital for Children at New York.

Since the destruction of the old church the congregation has been holding services at the Bedford Branch of the Y. M. C. A. and there has been an increase of sixty-one in the membership. The Rev. Dr. Carlisle, the pastor, says that the new location would be more accessible to a larger percentage of the members.