

RING TORN FROM THE DYING GIRL'S FINGER IS FOUND IN N. M. RIGGS' SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX WITH HER MONEY

DIRECT PRIMARY ENDORSED IN N. D.

Insurgents Win a Great Victory for Principle After a Long Hard Fight.

BOTH FACTIONS IN A HAPPY MOOD AT END

Next Legislature Called Upon to Frame New Law—"Machine" in Saddle.

By Charles B. Cheney. Jamestown, N. D., July 13.—The North Dakota insurgents went out of the republican state convention in a blaze of glory. They secured the adoption of a resolution favoring a direct primary on state officers...

DEBATE FOR TWO HOURS

The primary resolution was adopted after a hot debate lasting nearly two hours. It was first offered in the afternoon, when the resolutions of the committee were read...

The machine leaders supported the substitute, urging that the convention have the right to direct the legislature's action. All the argument for the Christians resolution was by insurgent leaders...

Table with 3 columns: Name, Votes, and Party. Lists names like Barnes, Benson, Billings, etc.

After the vote, N. Johnson made a brief speech thanking the convention for the passage of the resolution...

The famous North Dakota machine is still in the saddle. The long pre-convention fight is over and the organization has added another to its long string of victories...

BLOWN TO PIECES BY THIEVES' BOMB

Laborers Slain by Terrific Explosion and Dead Bodies Robbed.

Chicago, July 13.—Three men were blown to pieces, three others fatally injured and several others badly hurt by an explosion which early today wrecked a shanty in the McLaughlin stone quarries at Bellwood...

ROADS ARE QUIZZED ON GRAIN BUSINESS

Interstate Commerce Commission Begins Searching Probe Authorized by Resolution.

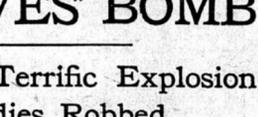
Washington, July 13.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has started its investigation of the relation between the railroads and grain elevators...

The companies are asked to state: First—Name, location and capacity of the elevator along main line, switch, sidetrack or spur...

Europe's Armies to be Reduced Great Britain, France and Italy Agree to Cut in Their Fighting Forces.

London, July 13.—England, France and Italy have taken the lead in a plan for the reduction of the great armies of Europe. The proposal made in the house of commons last evening by War Secretary Haldane...

Evans Is Victor



Nashville, Tenn., July 13.—Henry Clay Evans of Hamilton county, former commissioner of pensions and recently American consul general in London, was last night nominated for governor by the republican state convention...

ARMOR TRUST GETS HALF OF BIG JOB

Carnegie and Bethlehem Steel Companies "In" on Big Battleship Contracts.

Washington, June 13.—Secretary Bonaparte announced today that the Carnegie and Bethlehem Steel companies will be given the contract for armor for one of the new 16,000 ton battleships at the price named by the Midvale company...

PRESIDENT TO VISIT MINNESOTA; TO HUNT DEER AT BOVEY IN FALL

Washington, July 13.—President Theodore Roosevelt will visit Minnesota next fall. Arrangements have been made whereby the nation's executive, nothing now unforeseen preventing, will hunt deer in the northern part of the state...

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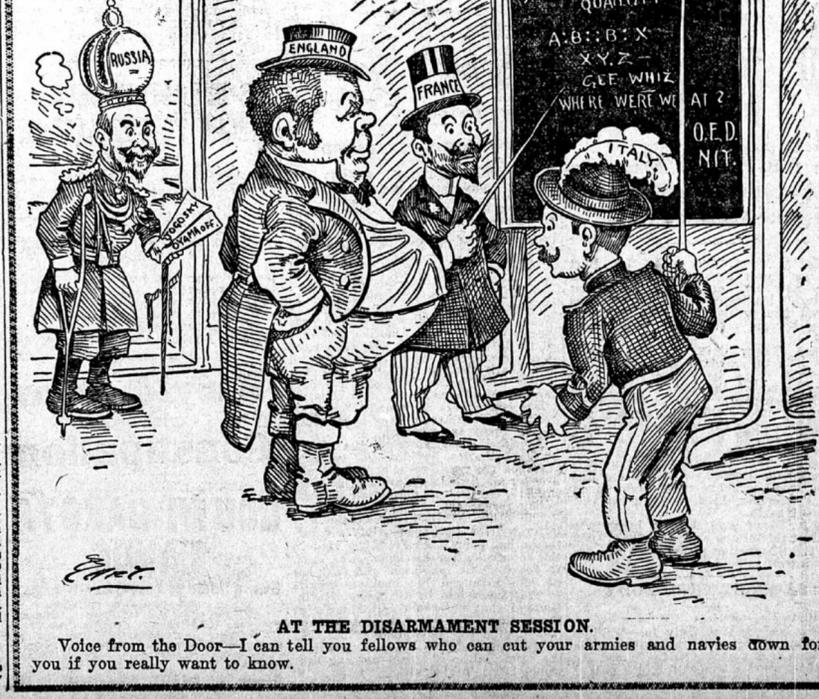
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Thousands in Cash

When the lid of the box was thrown back the first thing to startle and yet satisfy the breathless spectators was a brown envelope stuffed with bills of all denominations.

Girl's Pathetic Letter

Even the things found in the box proved this, and especially a letter which was found among the papers contained in it were torn and the mark of the ring was still visible in spite of the flames that had scorched her body.



AT THE DISARMAMENT SESSION. Voice from the Door—I can tell you fellows who can cut your armies and navies down for you if you really want to know.

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