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SUIT UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Justice McCoy Takes Johnson Suit Under Advisement.

Justice McCoy, in the District Supreme Court, took under advisement late yesterday afternoon the suit of Philander Johnson, author of "Dr. Fakewell," against Raymond Hitchcock and authors of "The Beauty Shop" for alleged infringement.

Augustus Thomas and Channing Pollock were on the stand during the morning for the defense. Mr. Thomas testified he does not believe the plays similar. Mr. Pollock identified a copy of the manuscript of "The Beauty Shop." Dean Wilbur, of Columbian College, George Washington University, testified for Mr. Johnson.

Justice McCoy will not be able to render his decision for several weeks.

Geneva has 1,300 registered automobiles.

Philippines produce 10,000,000 gallons of alcohol yearly.

MISSION TO HOLD DINNER.

Florence Crittenton Home in Need of More Funds.

The Florence Crittenton Mission is endeavoring to raise money to meet its expenses, as on account of the many demands made upon its friends for relief of the war sufferers they have been obliged either to withhold or reduce their contributions.

This charity finds itself burdened with the heavy expenses of the winter season and very badly in need of funds. It will give a turkey dinner this afternoon from 4:30 to 7:30 p. m. at 218 Third street northwest. The leading hotels of the city have donated turkeys for the occasion.

School Society to Meet.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Towers School will meet tonight at 8 o'clock. The speakers will be A. T. Stewart and T. W. Walton.

NEW MILK LAW NEEDED, COMMISSIONERS REPORT

Campaign of Education and Prosecution of Violators in Vain, They Tell Congress.

In their annual report to Congress yesterday the District Commissioners called attention to the bill for the betterment of the milk supply and urged its early enactment. That efforts to secure a better milk supply for the District had failed during the year just passed was flatly admitted. The campaigns of education and the prosecutions by the Health Department against dealers of impure milk met with little success, the report stated. This the report held was due to defendants being aided financially by certain dealers throughout the country.

The report is, in part: "The prosecutions against dispensers of adulterated milk have failed because of the determined opposition of the defendants who have secured the financial support of a certain class of dealers throughout the country who are resorting to all kinds of dilatory tactics. At the writing of this report these cases are undisposed of, while the action in many others is suspended awaiting the result. These cases demonstrate the need of a better law regulating the milk supply of the District.

"When the milk dealer defends himself in court by evidence undertaking to show that even the vilest forms of filth may be properly introduced into milk so long as their detection is impossible it is manifest that statutary definitions as to what constitutes adulterated milk would be of great advantage."

BUSINESS IS BETTER, ASSERTS GEOLOGIST

Supplying Europe's Millions Aids United States, Says George Otis Smith.

George Otis Smith, director of the Geological Survey, today sent to the American Mining Congress in Phoenix, Ariz., a message of optimism on the outlook for business in the United States.

"Evidence of business betterment is before us on every hand," says Mr. Smith, "and reasons for optimism are many. The farmer has harvested a $5,000,000,000 crop. There is a high price market for all surplus foodstuffs. Our grain is pouring across the Atlantic. The millions of men fighting are not working. These hordes must be clothed, equipped, and fed.

"Foreign orders have started factory operations which tend to relieve stagnation in the steam coal trade. The steel situation has turned from serious depression to rapid improvement.

"While Europe has been mobilizing armies, America has mobilized its credit and begun to send forward to the market place its vast reserves of foodstuffs and mineral products."

SOCIETY

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follows: Mesdames Gross, Flora Dyer, Ambrose Timberlake, Hass, Broughton, Magee, J. C. Kondrup, Leo Odevoken, M. Masterson, J. T. Gibbs, Chester Smith, N. Kenodle, E. W. Harvey, S. E. Jackson, Theodore Michael, George Sherman, M. L. Bundy, Louise Perkins, N. Robins, G. Alleger, Huggins, Sollers, H. W. Szegedy, A. J. Riley, Owen S. Willey, and C. W. Simpson. Assisting these ladies will be Mesdames A. J. Rapp, A. Michaelson, Benjamin Cole, Bowles, Wood, H. S. Irwin, James Dyer, George Carter, Colt, A. R. Darrah, A. H. Giles, H. A. Matthews, S. W. Ramseur, W. P. Ramsey, T. J. Rowell, Leo Simmons, P. M. Walker, C. B. Walt, George Wallace, R. S. Wolfe, F. Watts, E. J. Smith, Chester Smith, W. G. Young, M. C. Bonham, C. F. Chamberlain, S. W. Hastings, S. E. Jackson, C. A. Menge, C. J. Pole, E. C. Woodall, C. H. Merwin, A. N. Johnson, J. Duehring, Thomas Darr, Loomis, N. Womble, G. Hedgcock, D. Brashford, A. C. Mayer, H. M. Dixon, James Dyer, J. B. Abraham, Misses Katherine Barlow, E. Benjamin, Sarah Stevens, Katherine Verran, Johnson, Mary Wedall, Pearl Leinbach, and Mrs. J. T. Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson Moore have announced the engagemnt of their daughter, Miss Doris Virginia Moore, to Ensign Richard Henry Booth, U. S. N. The wedding will take place in the spring.

Maj. Gen. Adolphus W. Greely, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Greely have returned for the season. Misses Rose and Gertrude Greely, who are in New York, will join them this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Waggaman will give a dinner tonight for Miss Margery Colton and Mr. Randall H. Hagner, whose engagement was announced recently.

The program for the Special Child Study Club, to be given at the Public Library tonight at 8 o'clock, will be as follows:

Miss M. A. Breen, "Statistics;" W. B. Patterson and Charles W. Skinner, "Need of the Public Schools for an Institution," discussion leader, Miss Janie Smith; Miss Ella Moore and Miss Emma O. Lundburg, "Dangers to Society;" Miss Adelaide Davis, "Need of the Home for Such an Institution;" discussion, leader, Dr. H. C. Macatu; Miss Matella King, "Dangers to Normal Children;" Miss Harriet Underwood and Miss Ruth Patterson, "Advantages of the Defective Children;" Dr. Shepherd Franz, "The Institution;" George F. Wilson, "Community Need;" Frederick Fenning, "The Bill."

Mr. and Mrs. Ignatius Grossman, of Paris, have arrived in Washington and are at the Shoreham for their annual visit.

With few exceptions all of the prominent horse show exhibitors of Washington will show animals or attend as spectators the Charity Horse show which opened last night in Madison Square Garden, New York City.

In addition to the usual list of exhibitors there are found in the catalogue scores of new ones.

Saddlers and hunters and jumpers showed a rather strong entry list, numbering among them some of the best timber-toppers in the country.

Mysterious Warship Floated.

The Navy Department was advised yesterday that the unidentified warship reported aground off Ocean City, Md., had succeeded in floating herself and had departed. The name or nationality of the vessel is not yet known, but naval officers here are satisfied it was not any American warship.

President Wilson Retaliates.

President Wilson has denied Senator Reed, of Missouri, the privilege of naming the postmaster of Kansas City, his home, because of alleged attempts of the Senator to oppose Democratic candidates. The President has given a recess appointment to William N. Collins. It is in Senator Reed's power to defeat the confirmation of Collins, however.

Russia this year had 1,973,000 acres planted to cotton.

JEW TO BE GOVERNOR OF IDAHO; FIRST IN HISTORY OF U. S.

MOSES ALEXANDER.

Moses Alexander, who will become governor of the State of Idaho on January 1 next, is the first Jew to be elected to the governorship of a State in the history of this nation.

Mr. Alexander was born of Jewish parentage in Germany sixty-one years ago. He removed to Chillicothe, Mo., when a lad of fourteen, and was soon in business and later in politics. He was elected city councilman and mayor. In 1891 he moved to Boise City, Idaho, and engaged in the clothing business. He was twice elected mayor of the city, the first time in 1897, and the second in 1901. In 1908 he ran for governor of the State and was defeated. This year he was the only Democrat on the State ticket to be elected, receiving a plurality of 7,500 votes over Gov. John M. Haines, his Republican competitor.

UNIVERSAL PEACE BIG QUESTION FOR YOUNG

Dr. David Starr Jordan Speaks at Commercial Club Dinner—Nation with Credit to Settle War.

England will find her colonial possessions loyal because she never has kept them close reined, Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford Junior University, said in a speech last night at a dinner in his honor at the Commercial Club.

"The only way to hold a possession of that kind is to 'let go' of it," said Dr. Jordan. "India does not want to let go of the helping hand of Great Britain to take hold of the mailed fist of some other country. The reason the recent Boer uprising was suppressed is that most Boers remained loyal because of the fairness of Great Britain. If England held Canada for six months as Germany has held Alsace-Lorraine there would be an uprising.

"The problem of universal peace is a problem for the young men of the world; what is needed most is to organize bodies of young men—university men or insurance men—to obtain peace.

"This war will be settled in the end by the country with credit; the country that can borrow money from the United States. People do not consider the cost of war; they seem to think that Germany, after using all its men and money will borrow the money in Philadelphia or New York to attack South America.

"The end of the war will see complete exhaustion, with much of the pride of nations gone. There can be no great victory; a naval victory of whatever magnitude can have no permanent effect; a defeat of an army can have no great effect on the war. This war really has been going on for six years; there has been no real peace in Europe in that time."

CAN'T CHANGE DEATH LAW.

Court Decides in Favor of Mrs. Augusta H. Sawyer.

A by-law providing that "the disappearance or long-continued absence of a member unheard of shall not be regarded as evidence of death" does not hold, the Court of Appeals decided yesterday in affirming a judgment of $5,000 on a life insurance policy, held by her husband, to Mrs. Augusta H. Sawyer.

Mrs. Sawyer claimed the right to collect because of the absence of her husband for seven years. Chief Justice Shepard held that a general authority to make by-laws or amendments does not authorize the passage of one that contravenes the law of the United States—which presumes death after seven years' absence.

Court Bows to Commissioner.

That it may not review the action of the Commissioner of Patents on matters within his jurisdiction, was the opinion of the Court of Appeals yesterday in refusing to compel the registration of the Lincoln Highway Commission's label of a red, white and blue marker, containing the wording Lincoln Highway and the letter "L," designed to indicate a roadway across the continent as a memorial to Lincoln.

Famine in Holy Land.

Constent appeals are coming to the American Red Cross to relieve the distress in the countries involved or affected by the war. The State Department has just forwarded to the Red Cross a cable from the American Ambassador at Constantinople, quoting one addressed to him by the Consul at Jerusalem relative to conditions in Palestine. The Consul's cable:

"Need of provisions very pressing. Is it possible to ask help from America to send ship full of provisions to Jaffa for distribution among needy people without distinction of religion?"

Mr. Morgenthau adds "Inform Red Cross am convinced from additional information that needs in Palestine are very great." Appeals have been received by the Red Cross for relief in Albania. The reports state that 300,000 people are facing famine and 30,000 have already died of starvation.

Teachers' Scare Unwarranted.

Public school teachers yesterday expressed elation upon learning the falsity of the rumor that Congress proposed discontinuing the longevity pay system. The rumor had spread throughout the schools of the District, causing much worry. The District appropriation bill, ordered reported to the House by the Appropriations Committee, contained an item of $425,000 for longevity pay, thereby officially denying the rumor.

SUFFRAGISTS REQUEST CONGRESSIONAL FAVOR

National American Women's Association Writes to Members Urging Support of Movement for Ballot.

With the convening of Congress yesterday, the National American Woman Suffrage Association began through its Congressional committee a vigorous campaign, when Mrs. Antoinette Funk, chairman of the committee, sent to every member of the House a pointed letter, requesting their views regarding the movement generally, and urging a serious consideration of the cause.

The three suffrage measures now before Congress—the Bristow-Mondell resolution, the Shafroth-Palmer resolution and the French bill—briefly were outlined in the letter. The attitude of every member toward each bill was asked.

Following is a part of the letter: "Women from all over the United States are under no misapprehension as to the attitude of Congressmen generally toward their demands, and they insist that this committee make it clear to Congress that we no longer are in the elementary, educational or sentimental stages. Our problem is one of practical politics, and Federal lawmakers are now facing a widespread demand to give this question its proper consideration."

VICTIM OF PLAGUE, MARRIAGE IS ANNULLED

Important Decision Handed Down by New York Justice—Was Tubercular Before Wedding.

Special to The Washington Herald.

New York, Dec. 7.—An important and far-reaching decision affecting the marriage relations in this State was handed down by Supreme Court Justice Blanchard today when he annulled a marriage on the ground that the husband was a sufferer from tuberculosis. It is the first decision on this subject ever made by the courts in this State, and a careful search of the law books of other States fails to reveal a similar case.

On June 20, 1912, Sarah Sobel married Joseph Sobel, formerly a business man of Freehold, N. J., who is now trying to regain his health in Denver, Colo. While courting the young woman Sobel consulted a physician and learned he was afflicted with the white plague, but he did not inform her of the fact. When he coughed and she grew suspicious that his sickness was graver than he claimed, he allayed her fear by telling her he had a bad cold. Almost immediately after he learned the nature of his illness. Sobel married in great haste, although the doctor told him he would be committing a crime if he did so, it was testified. Finally his condition became so grave he had to go West to prolong his life.

TAXI HEARING ON MONDAY.

Public Utilities Commission to Consider Property Valuations.

Work having been completed on the valuation of the properties of the Terminal Taxicab Company and almost finished on that of the Federal Taxicab Company, the Public Utilities Commission next Monday will hold a public hearing on the matter in room 500 of the District Building.

The commission has sent the Terminal Taxicab Company its report on the valuation of properties owned by it. Work of taking the valuation of the other company's possessions probably will be completed this week. It is understood the commission has found that the rates maintained by the two companies are not exorbitant.

HUTCHINS MENTALLY WEAK.

So Says George A. Mills at Hearing Yesterday.

Stilson Hutchins was in poor mental and physical condition during a visit to the Highlands apartment in the summer of 1910, about three months prior to the execution of his will, declared George A. Mills, manager of the apartments, which are owned by the Hutchins estate, during the hearing yesterday of the contest over the $4,000,000 will of Hutchins.

Mr. Mills was the only witness of the afternoon. He said Hutchins had made a number of impractical business propositions to him.

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Bonbon Compotes.. $1.50 to $12.00
Celery Trays..... $2.00 to $12.00
Ice Cream Dishes.. $5.00 to $15.00
Water Pitchers.... $3.00 to $25.00
Water Sets..... $6.50 to $35.00
Almond Sets..... $8.50 to $14.00
Salad Bowls..... $2.50 to $30.00
Sugar and Creams, $3.00 pair to $10 pair
Whisky Sets..... $4.50 to $18.00
Bonbon Dishes..... $1.00 to $5.00
Fruit Dishes..... $3.50 to $25.00
Candlesticks ..... $1.50 to $6.50
Mayonnaise Bowls and Plates, $4.00 to $6.50
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