

U. S. MAKING RADIUM AT \$36,050 PER GRAIN

Secretary Lane Says Bureau of Mines Is Producing Article at Greatly Decreased Cost.

Secretary of the Interior Lane announced yesterday that the production of radium from Colorado carnotite ores by the Bureau of Mines, in connection with the National Radium Institute, has passed the experimental stage in its new process and is now on a successful manufacturing basis.

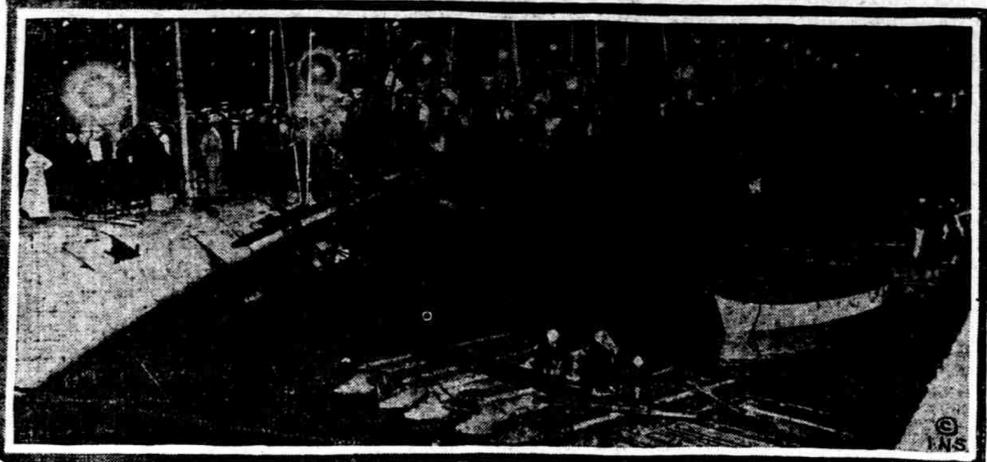
The cost of one gram of radium metal produced in the form of bromide during March, April and May of the present year was \$36,050, I am informed by Dr. Charles I. Parsons, in charge of the radium investigations of the bureau. This includes the cost of ore, insurance, repairs, amortization allowance for plant and equipment, cost of Bureau of Mines co-operation, and all expense incident to the production of high-grade radium bromide.

ITALIAN CHURCHMEN WIN IN SPY TRIALS

Friars and Catholic Canon Accused of Signaling to Austrian Battleships.

By BRIXTON D. ALLAIRE, Special Correspondent of the Washington Herald. Rome, July 27.—Two espionage cases, in both of which the defendants were clergymen, have just been conducted by martial courts at Bari and Ancona, and in both instances the accused men were acquitted.

RESCUERS WORK ALL NIGHT ON OVERTURNED EASTLAND



This picture was made at night, and shows the ill-starred Eastland on her side, with the bodies of the unfortunate victims protruding from the night dimly. These warehouses were used as morgues, into which the bodies were

side in the Chicago River, with electric lights strung overhead, while the work of taking as soon as they were drawn up out of the murky water.

Purely Personal

Rev. Dr. John W. R. Sumwalt, former district superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Church here, will preach Sunday at morning and evening services at Hamline M. E. Church, Ninth and P streets northwest.

Rev. Dr. Lucius C. Clark, pastor of Hamline M. E. Church, will be away from the city on his annual vacation during August.

Oscar Avelin Jackson, former vice president of the Business High School Bank, expects to leave next Sunday on a week's camping trip on the Lower Potomac.

Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, expects to leave the city in a few days on a trip through the Middle West.

Ben L. Prince, collector of taxes, has received word of the sudden death of his father, John H. Prince, at Coolidge, Tex., Sunday. Mr. Prince has left to attend the funeral.

J. P. Stewart, of the American Ice Company, is spending a few days at Colonial Beach aboard the yacht Marion S.

Purser William Danzer, of the steamer Frederick du Barry, has been relieved of duty on that boat to take up other work for the Potomac and Chesapeake Steamboat Company.

S. Lemon Hoover, who has been seriously ill at the New Emergency Hospital, is at the home of his physician, Dr. S. Wren Howard. His condition is slightly improved.

D. J. Callahan, of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, is out of the city for a few days.

Henry T. Oettinger, cigar merchant at 508 Ninth street northwest and member of the Chamber of Commerce, is away from his office on a vacation. He expects to return August 1.

E. W. McIntire, 715 East Capitol street, is in Atlantic City.



Instant Relief For Aching, Burning and Itching Feet. Gal-o-cide For all Foot Troubles.

C. and P. Telephone Co. Given Use of Streets for 25 Years

Alexandria City Council, by a Unanimous Vote, Adopts Ordinance that Had Been Returned to It by Mayor Fisher Without His Signature.

Alexandria, Va., July 27.—City council at its meeting tonight, by a vote of 13 to 6, adopted the ordinance granting the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company the use of the streets and alleys of the city for a period of twenty-five years, which ordinance had been returned to council by Mayor Fisher without his signature.

In the board of aldermen Alderman Summers voted against it. The fact that Mayor Fisher returned the ordinance, which passed council at its last meeting, without his signature, made it equivalent to a veto. It now, however, becomes operative.

The funeral of H. Leonard Reed, who was drowned Sunday while bathing in the Potomac River, took place at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon from the home in Rosemont and was attended by Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons and members of Post F. Travelers' Protection Association. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church. The pallbearers were A. C. Moss, H. Kirk, J. Y. Williams, A. H. Rogers, J. C. Freeland, and C. D. Hubbard.

Announcement is made that Frederick H. Treat, of Washington and Philadelphia, has been elected president of the Rosemont Developing Company, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of William L. Clarke. Mr. Treat, who was formerly president of this concern, commences erecting a large number of houses at Rosemont in the near future.

City tax bills have been placed in the hands of Collector of Taxes P. F. Gorman. On all bills paid by August 10 a discount of 5 per cent will be allowed. The bills are usually payable July 1, but owing to a change in the system of State taxation they were delayed.

The Holy Name Band, which will give its second annual excursion to Colonial Beach Wednesday, had a street parade tonight.

A resolution of Councilman H. R. Burke to adjourn for the summer until the second Tuesday in October was defeated by a vote of 13 to 6.

Bill of D. R. Stansbury for \$36 for extra help in making out tax bills was ordered paid.

The board of aldermen adopted the appropriation of \$15,000 for road improvements in the recently annexed territory, adopted by common council at the last meeting.

Sum appropriated for Parents-Teachers' Association for playgrounds; Alexandria Automobile Club granted permission to erect sign posts over certain streets for benefit of visiting automobilists; J. Matthews granted permission to erect kitchen in rear of house 215-23 South Columbus street; William Baader granted permission to improve house 1211 Queen street.

The proposed new Alexandria Hospital will be erected on a site other than the square of land purchased for that purpose, which is bounded by Columbus, Alfred, Pendleton, and Wythe streets. The reason for the change is that ground near the property purchased is soon to be used for industrial purposes, which would make it anything but desirable for hospital purposes, it is stated.

A subcommittee composed of Carroll Pierce, W. A. Smoot, Jr., and James R. Caton will look for a new location and report to the joint committee on site and plans, of which Robert S. Jones is chairman, and this committee will in turn make its report to the board of trustees.

It is reported that George Washington Park is favored as the site, being located east and west of the old city limits. This city contemplates taking charge of this property, and an offer for it is now being considered by city council. Should this site be chosen council undoubtedly would be asked by the trustees to donate the site to the hospital.

Plans for the new hospital, to cost about \$50,000, have been prepared by Waddy B. Wood, a Washington architect. They may, however, be changed to meet conditions for the best site to be selected. It is hoped to be able to start the work of erecting the new hospital early in October.

After hearing a part of the divorce suit of Edward L. Santmyer against Eva C. Santmyer in open court today, Judge C. C. Sprary continued the hearing until 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Defendant is charged in the complaint.

In the same court a divorce was granted

Official War Statements

Berlin, July 27.—Today's official report: "Eastern theater: An attack from Mitau was repulsed. Between Poswol, south of Mitau, and the Niemen River, we are closely following the retreating enemy."

"Russian attempts yesterday to push back our troops advancing across the Narow River by a great simultaneous attack from the line of Gogorowo, east of Rozan, Wyzkow, and Serock, south of Pultusk, completely failed. We captured 4,000 Russians and thirteen machine guns."

"East and southeast of Rozan our troops are pursuing the defeated enemy who advanced from an eastern direction."

"Fighting for the Prut, southeast of Paltuk, is progressing. The situation before Novy Georgievsk and Warsaw is unchanged."

"North of Jurbulewz we ejected the enemy from several villages, capturing 3,491 Russians, including ten officers. Otherwise the situation of the German troops under Field Marshal von Mackensen is unchanged."

"Western theater: Weak French attacks with hand grenades north of Arras were repulsed. The French expelled the German and British troops from near Meul and north success."

"In the Argonne we occupied some of the enemy's trenches. We repelled a renewed bombardment of the enemy at Thiancourt by firing on Pont-à-Mousson."

"In the Vosges the enemy yesterday took possession of our advanced trenches at Lings Kopf, north of Munster."

"Near Renok, southwest of Turcoing, French and British aeroplanes were forced to descend. Their occupants were captured."

Petrograd, July 27.—Latest report of Grand Duke Nicholas: "On the Narow front the enemy's attacks on the Russian positions have not succeeded. The Russian troops are in a stubborn combat. The Russians drove back from the region of Ostrow to Olizaki the Germans who crossed the Narow."

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"Southeast of Pultusk enemy attacks on the river front were repulsed. Minor combats occurred at Novo Georgievsk. In the direction of Tuckum and Schlock, near the Baltic, the enemy's offensive was repelled by firing from the sea."

"The Dublissa-Niemen front the enemy approached the front of Polievierz and Keldany. Fighting continues at the southwestern approaches to Kovov."

"On the Upper Bug Ziota Lipa and Dniester River there has been no fighting."

"In the Black Sea forty Turkish sailing ships carrying coal were sunk by our warships. We also destroyed in the Black Sea a new mine field and a suspension bridge."

Paris, July 27.—This afternoon's official communication: "A bombardment of Furnes and Oost-Dunkerque was followed by a repulsive cannonade on our part on the German encampment of Westende and Middlekerke."

"Five bombs were thrown last evening by a German aviator upon Dunkirk. They caused no damage."

"In Artois, in the sector of Souchez, there was a cannonade and fighting with grenades during part of the night."

"In the Argonne the German attacks by the Germans near Layon, Binarricks and La Harzax were easily checked."

"In the Vosges we succeeded last night in extending and consolidating our positions on the crest of Lingekopf and occupied the hill located between Ling and Les Carrières. The enemy counter-attacked three times, but without success. German artillery bombarded the hill of Schlucht."

Roma, July 27.—This morning's official statement: "The enemy cruiser and four torpedo boats bombarded the railroad between Fano and Senigaglia this morning; simultaneously hydroplanes bombarded Ancona. The damage done was slight."

OUTING ENJOYED BY 1,000. More than 1,000 picnickers went to Cranespeake Beach yesterday on the annual excursion of Columbia Lodge No. 664, Brotherhood of Eagles, Trueman. The excursion was for the benefit of the relief fund of the lodge and was declared a success to those in charge of arrangements.

The afternoon was devoted to athletic events. A game of ball was played by members of the lodge. In the evening the couples folk crowded the dance pavilion. Arrangements were made by D. S. McMahon, J. S. Adams and J. McCauley.

The committee on dancing and order consisted of C. E. Brown, F. S. Ratchette, H. M. Bell, C. A. Bond, M. W. Moricourt, W. O. Laycock, L. Rander, J. E. McHugh, E. W. Watson, J. W. Adkins, J. N. Fry, W. W. Stokes, W. S. Powers, C. E. King, J. A. S. Dawson, M. L. Pettit, E. F. Sawyer, J. Fiddler, L. Roberts, J. A. Sawyer, and T. J. Dawson.

BECKER WILL HAVE NEW CHANCE, REPORT CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE.

trocuted for murder or because he possessed a distorted and wholly fallacious conception of loyalty. Mr. Becker asserts that come what may, Becker is ready. And it is known while Becker has never realized how sweet life is until the shadow of the chair has darkened him, he is quite calm and totally resigned.

Prepares Last Statement. Moreover he is preparing a statement which he will leave for public consumption after he is dead.

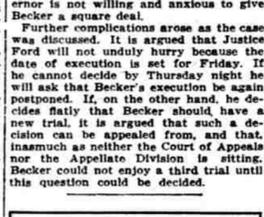
Its writing will, if Justice Ford decides against him, be his final act. That he will do this is virtually assured. Just what the statement will contain is not known except by Becker and Mrs. Becker. Names never before linked with Becker's in print, may be mentioned. And again it may be another protestation of innocence. Justice Ford worked almost all of last night. He was in his chambers at 10 o'clock this morning. At noon he was leaning over his desk, collarless, costive, his hair rumpled and a catarrh of perspiration pouring down his face. On one side was a heap of affidavits and briefs. On the other and scattered around by the broad desk were twenty-nine bulky law volumes from each of which numerous slips of paper protruded.

It is known that he was considering only his legal rights and had thrust aside all idea of a usurpation of the governor's power of granting clemency. On all the affidavits submitted by Mr. Becker, that of Harford T. Marshall, is considered most important by the justice. Marshall, once Webber's lawyer, alleges that Webber confessed to him that Becker had not part in the plot to kill Rosenthal.

"New Evidence" Denied. But the code says that "new evidence" must not be contradictory in character, that it must be of a character that is not composed of faces known by the defendant at the time of the trial.

"The problem in Marshall's affidavit is his alleged element of pure contradiction. Justice Ford is not satisfied that he has all the inherent power ascribed to him by Mr. Becker. He is inclined to the opinion that his powers are defined uncomprehensively by statute. He refuses to consider whether Gov. Whitman has reviewed Becker's case from an unbiased standpoint or not. He takes the stand that there is no evidence that the governor is not willing and anxious to give Becker a square deal, and that he cannot decide by Thursday night he will ask that Becker's execution be again postponed. If, on the other hand, he decides that Becker should have a new trial, it is argued that such a decision can be appealed from, and that, inasmuch as neither the Court of Appeals nor the Appellate Division is sitting, Becker could not enjoy a third trial until this question could be decided.

THIS PHOTOGRAPH of Mrs. Charles Becker, wife of the condemned New York police lieutenant, was made as she came from the chambers of Justice Ford, of the Supreme Court in New York, following the plea of Becker's attorneys for a new trial on July 26.



LATEST PHOTO OF MRS. C. BECKER.

The quantity of aluminum consumed in the United States in 1914 was 73,123,000 pounds, against 72,573,000 pounds in 1913. The growth of the industry is shown by the fact that production was 150 pounds in 1884, 550,000 and 6,670,000 pounds in 1894, 1904, and 1914.

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Mrs. Skitterton Slash has long since forgotten the day when her husband pounded a box on Motherly street and gave continuous performances of the thirty soul in "Chank" Milligan's bar. He was plain "Skittles" then and the most artistic "velvet" annexer on the force. Barkeeper acquired the habit of slamming open their cash registers whenever they saw him coming; did he approach them, sleek-digited giant held forth their purloined increment as the price of his silence. Today, bank presidents are the flunkies of Mr. Skitterton Slash, and Mrs. S. S. fits to social functions in her monogrammed limousine.

"You don't! Just wait until you hear the rest of it!"

"All right, dear, go ahead."

"That woman came down to the back fence and said she supposed I was Mrs. Hetherington. And in a haughty, patronizing tone of voice, too, I said I was Mrs. Hetherington, and then, what do you suppose?"

"Couldn't guess."

"Why, she asked me if you, Robert, required me to do the family washing."

"I laughed. 'And what did you say?'"

"Oh, that I didn't know any one required such service from me, but that I did it in order to help out because we couldn't really afford to hire a washerwoman."

"Quite frank of you, Myra. I replied. 'Was that all?'"

"No," and Myra smiled. "That wasn't all, Robert. She said it was too bad I had to do the washing, and that—and that, she was so thankful she had never seen the time when she was—stinted—for—help, or the means to employ help."

"Did she say that? I was angry now. Such infernal snobness, I insist, was enough to make the most evenly tempered man that ever lived a raging lion."

"You dear girl," I said, "What has happened now? My voice must have sounded flippant. At any rate, Myra turned on me, sharply."

"Are you making fun of me?"

"Indeed, I am not, Myra. I declared, 'You know I wouldn't do that—particularly when it is evident you have passed through some trial.'"

"My wife was reassured, and permitted me to encircle in my arms herself and the broom. After a few moments she continued: 'It happened this way. Robert. I was in the yard hanging up some clothes, when Mrs. Slash appeared at her back door and asked if I had seen her maid. The idea?' Her nose hooked upward with disdain. 'Well, what of that?' I interjected. 'What of that? Do you mean, Robert, to say that it was nothing? Could she have had the right to assume that I was keeping tabs on her domestic help?'"

"I don't believe she meant it that way," I concluded.



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