

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS

Residents Want Site of Drinking Fountain Changed.

WOODEN TRESTLE AFLAME

Structure in Railway Yards Damaged—Court Takes Children From Mrs. Saunders.

BRITAIN MAILS A REPLY TO CENSORSHIP PROTEST

The British reply to the American mail note of May 24 protesting against the mail censorship left London Friday.

WELFARE COMMITTEE LAUDED

Board of Trade Pleased With Labors for Guardsmen's Families.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING

Probing Allegations of Four Convicts in Chicago Draft Cases.

ALIENIST VICTIM OF MADMAN

Dr. G. G. Hankins of Williamsburg Asylum Hit With Weight.

SEEK ALIBI FOR VILLA

Agents Would Blame Columbus Raid on Pablo Lopez.

TALKS OF PERSONAL LIBERTY

Prohibition Candidate for President Continues Campaign Tour.

COMMERCIAL SECRETARIES MEET

CLEVELAND, Ohio, September 25.—Three hundred and eighty secretaries of chambers of commerce from all over the United States are here today for the opening of the convention of the National Association of Commercial Secretaries.

ATLANTIC FLEET AT MANEUVERS

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., September 25.—All of the ships of the Atlantic fleet, which spent the week end in Hampton roads, steamed out to sea early today.

"MILK TRUST" PROBE COMPLETE

CHICAGO, September 25.—Investigation of charges that a virtual "milk trust" existed in this section of the country was finished today by Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture.

CHILD BITTEN BY PET DOG

A pet bulldog this morning attacked and severely wounded Virginia Mahoney, thirteen years old, daughter of Clara V. Mahoney, 1339 W street, at 12th and W streets.

TAR HEEL TROOPS OFF FOR BORDER

MOREHEAD CITY, N. C., September 25.—Brigade headquarters and the 1st North Carolina Infantry left here today for El Paso, Tex., on three special trains.

ARMY—NAVY

Army Orders.

Lieut. Col. Thomas G. Hanson, Quartermaster Corps, at Calexico, Cal., will proceed to Fort Sam Houston, Tex., for duty.

First Lieut. Ward E. Duvall, Coast Artillery Corps, is relieved from duty in the coast defenses of Baltimore and will proceed to Fort Du Pont, Del., for duty.

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8-FOOT BALLOT FOR SOLDIERS

New York to Send Carload of Election Supplies to Border.

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Cox was questioned at the offices of Attorney George P. Hoover, John F. Shields and William H. Hoover, who represent Miss De Gray. Mrs. Cox's attorney, E. W. Baker, cross-examined Cox. No counsel appeared for Mr. Cox. No information could be gained regarding the husband's statement, which was sealed and will not be opened until the trial of the divorce in court.

Mrs. Cox has also sued Miss De Gray for \$50,000 damages on a charge of alienation of her husband's affections.

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VICTORY FOR ARAB REBELS

Turkish Garrison Surrenders Forts at Taif to Grand Sheriff.

LONDON, September 25, 3:46 p.m.—Another success for the Arabian revolutionists is announced in a Reuter dispatch from Cairo today. It states that the grand sheriff of Mecca, leader of the revolutionary movement which has resulted in the capture of Turkish garrisons at Mecca and other important points, now reports that the Turkish garrison which has been holding out in the forts at Taif, sixty-five miles southeast of Mecca, has been forced to surrender.

FINDS FARMER FOR PRESIDENT

Carl Vrooman Declares Loan Law Pleases Them.

CHICAGO, September 25.—Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, arrived at western democratic headquarters today after a trip through the western states, and declared that he has found farmers more interested in the farm loan law than any other issue of the campaign.

1,700,000 PELTS BRING \$2,000,000

ST. LOUIS, Mo., September 25.—During the fur sale which closed here Saturday night, 1,700,000 pelts were auctioned for a total of more than \$2,000,000.

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STEAMSHIPS

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