

WOMEN ON JURIES  
D. C. BROUGHT  
UP AS QUESTION

District Code at Present Bars  
Them From Duty in  
Courts.

Shall we have women jurors in Washington?  
This question is likely in the near future to attract the thoughtful consideration of jurists, lawyers, litigants and women generally. Mixed juries are rather common in some of the western states, and recently in Illinois a jury of twelve women returned a verdict against a jealous wife, who attacked another woman, with whom the complainant's husband was discovered eating tea cream. But women have never served on juries in Washington.

Now that we have a woman Commissioner assisting in the civil government of the Capital of the Nation, a woman judge in the juvenile court and a female member of the city's rent commission, the question why should we not have women jurors forces itself on the attention.  
Code Bars Them.  
The District code, however, limits service on juries in the criminal and civil courts to "good and lawful men." Section 23 of the code under the heading "qualifications of jurors" reads: "No person shall be competent to act as a juror unless he be a citizen of the United States, a resident of the District of Columbia, over twenty-one and under sixty-five years of age, able to read and write and to understand the English language, and a good and lawful man, who has never been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor involving moral turpitude."

The justices of the District Supreme Court generally term the women who are the jury commission to summon 20000 men to report in court October 5 for service on the grand and petit juries. Under the limitation of the code the commission will continue to place in the jury box the names of men only, and no woman will be called for the October term.  
When the suggestion of the possibility of calling upon the women of Washington for the duty of jury service was made to Justice Gurd, who has been selected by the jury commission to qualify the October juries, he called attention to the sex limitation of the code and suggested that it would be necessary before women could be accepted as jurors in the National Capital.

May Be Put Up to Court.  
"I should be disinclined," he said, "in the face of the wording of the code, which uses the term 'man,' to hold that a woman could qualify for jury service in a criminal case. I am inclined to think that Congress would be amenable to the code before it would be safe to accept women as jurors in this District."  
The question of the eligibility of women for jury service will probably be considered by the justices of the court when they assemble next week. Chief Justice Mc Coy suggested that the chief justice pointed out the difficulty of getting juries because of the number of exemptions. The inclusion of women as jurors would lighten the burden of the jury commission, he said.

Col. Barry Bulkley, speaking for the jury commission, declared that he would welcome a decision by the court in favor of the eligibility of women to do jury service. Not only because it would be easier on the commission, he stated, but also because women would make good jurors, in his opinion.

COX IN SOUTHERN  
CALIFORNIA TODAY

Democratic Candidate Opens  
Fight With Speech at  
San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Calif., September 20.—A noon address here today opened the southern California campaign of Gov. Cox of Ohio. Arriving early today from San Francisco and Oakland the democratic candidate was the central figure of a long entertainment program ending only with his departure at 3 o'clock for Los Angeles where he speaks tonight and tomorrow.  
The league of nations headed the governor's theme for his audiences, as sentiment for the league was even to be unusually strong in this section. The largest theater in this city and one of the largest in the state was engaged for the candidate's address in preference to an outdoor site, where President Wilson addressed a great throng a year ago, because of the governor's throat, which was improved, but not sufficiently to be taxed with an outdoor address. Mayor L. J. White was chosen to open the governor's meeting, and Representative William Ketterer to introduce the candidate.  
Prior to the meeting the governor was entertained at breakfast, and, after an informal hotel reception for local friends, with a drive about San Diego on a sightseeing tour.  
The governor was accompanied here from the bar cities by National Committeeman Dockweller, National Committeewoman Donahue and other party leaders, and was met here by W. J. Pearson, vice chairman of the state committee.

AGREEMENT IS REACHED  
WITH EMPLOYES IN ITALY

Decision Is Made on Every Point  
Involved Except Question of  
Dismissal of Workmen.

LONDON, September 19.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Rome says the negotiations between the employers and the metal workers in Milan were ended this evening and that an agreement was reached on every point except that concerning the question of the dismissal of workmen who have been guilty of crimes inside the factories during the time the workmen have occupied them.  
The workers, according to the dispatch, will evacuate the factories.  
ROME, September 19.—Delegates of Italian employers informed Premier Giolitti today they were unable to approve his formula for reaching a settlement of the controversy with their workmen, but would submit to it if the premier repudiated that he assumed full responsibility for imposing his plan, and later issued a decree making formal announcement of his action.  
Efforts were made earlier in the day to reconcile opposing views regarding the premier's plan. This meeting adjourned, and then delegates of the employers and the workmen held separate conferences. Most of the time at the joint conference was taken up with consideration of the question of dismissing workmen.

PAY INCREASE ENDS TIE-UP  
SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Sept. 20.—As a result of acceptance by seamen of a \$10 a month increase all boats which have been tied up for the last few days were moving again today.

Trolley Cars Idle  
8 Weeks Because  
of Jitneys Running

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 20.—Trolley cars here today for the first time in eight weeks. The jitney buses operated on streets parallel to the car tracks under a regulatory ordinance.  
Trolley cars were withdrawn by the Connecticut Company because it could not stand, in a financial way, the unrestrained competition of the jitneys. The reason was to suburban towns. In resuming operation today the seven-cent fare is the unit.

DISTRICT WORKERS  
ASK PAY INCREASE

Per Diem Employes Want  
Scale and Saturday Holiday  
of Navy Civilians.

The request of the per diem workers of the District government for the same wage scale recently granted similar trades at the navy yard will be laid before the new board of Commissioners within a few days after Miss Mabel T. Boardman takes office.  
Joseph H. Hurley, president of the City Employes' Association, representing nearly all of the per diem men, called on Commissioner Hendrick today and made known his desire for a conference with the new board as soon as Miss Boardman arrives.  
Commissioner Hendrick said he told Mr. Hurley that he would give careful consideration to the arguments of the men who are organizing "a fair deal," both for the employes and the city government.  
The men who recently received a 5 per cent increase to their daily wages, with the stipulation that they shall only work half a day on Saturdays throughout the year. Although the navy yard men will get more per day, the Saturday clause will tend to keep down their yearly earnings.

Mr. Hurley stated, following the conference with Commissioner Hendrick, that the per diem workers of the District would be willing to accept the navy yard scale with the Saturday half-day clause.  
It is considered doubtful, however, if some municipal functions, such as street cleaning, water main and sewer work, could be operated on the half-Saturday plan throughout the year.

CAR MOVEMENTS  
NEAR TO NORMAL

Freight Congestion Greatly  
Reduced, According to R. R.  
Association Report.

Freight movements are rapidly reaching a normal level, according to records kept by the car service division of the American Railways Association.  
This has given rise to the prediction by some government and railroad officials that this easing down of the emergency which necessitated governmental control of freight and freight car movements means that the emergency order issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission on May 29 will be rescinded soon.  
Want Plan Continued.  
There are other officials, however, who feel that the much better service that can be given by pooling equipment to meet sectional or periodic demands will be a drive about San Diego on a sightseeing tour.

A Striking Contrast.  
In contrast to this it is pointed out that during the week preceding May 29, when the order was issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission suspending all existing rules and regulations, the congestion amounted here to more than 28,000 loaded cars. This was reduced to 64,000 on September 4, which is within 20,000 of the lowest number on the railroads under normal conditions. The Interstate Commerce Commission relinquished control of the railroads on March 1 the report of the director general of the Interstate Commerce Commission amounted to 100,000 cars.

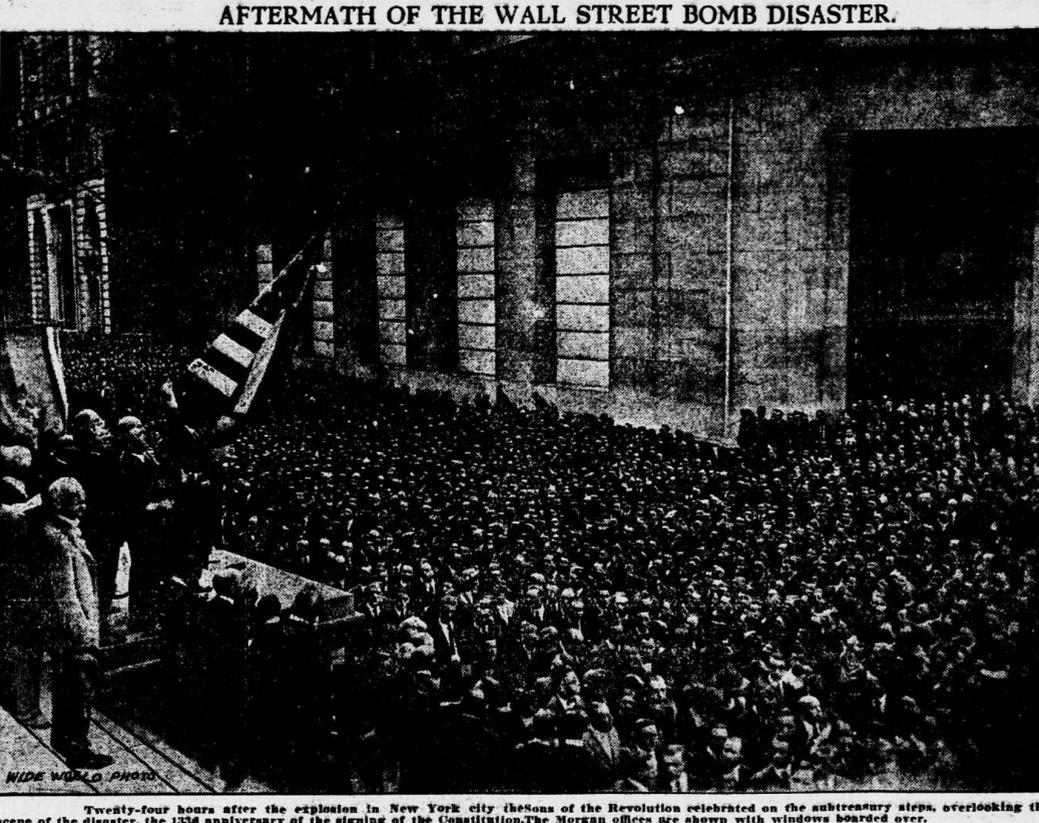
NEW THOUGHT ALLIANCE  
MEETS IN KANSAS CITY

James A. Edgerton of Washington,  
International Officer, Attends  
Annual Convention.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., September 20.—With delegates representing thirty-six units in all parts of the United States and Canada present the annual convention of the International New Thought Alliance opened here yesterday.  
Those here for the meetings include the following: J. C. Brown, president; Mrs. Mary E. T. Chapin, New York, first vice president; Mrs. May Miller, Cincinnati, second vice president; Miss Leona Feathers, Washington, secretary; W. E. Hutcheon, Cincinnati, treasurer; and R. C. Douglass, Boston, auditor.  
Business sessions will begin today. Speakers at meetings included Miss Nona Brooks, president of the College of Divine Science, Denver; Miss J. L. Miller, Los Angeles; Miss Louise Tase, Cincinnati; Mrs. Mary E. T. Chapin, and Mrs. Elizabeth Towne of Holyoke, Mass.

OUTRAGE IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, September 19.—With one suspect under arrest, police today sought to establish the motive for the dynamite attack on the Hotel de Ville last night. The hotel was owned by Wilfred Cormier. The side walls of the hotel and those of the Royal Broom Company's building adjoining were badly damaged.  
Walter E. West, aged twenty, who said he came here from the United States, had in his possession, when arrested, the police say, a stick and a half of dynamite and three lengths of fuse with detonating caps attached.



Twenty-four hours after the explosion in New York city the sons of the Revolution celebrated on the subway steps, overlooking the scene of the disaster, the 133rd anniversary of the signing of the Constitution. The Morgan offices are shown with windows boarded over.

"VACATION" COAL  
STRIKERS RETURN

Walk-Out in Anthracite Field  
at End—Only Two Dis-  
tricts Idle.

PHILADELPHIA, September 20.—Reports received here today by S. D. Warriner, president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company and head of the anthracite coal operators' wage scale committee, showed it was announced by reports received here by officials of the United Mine Workers, which showed that "vacationists" were returning to work in the Schuylkill field, where the hard coal diggers have voted to remain out until the operators have re-employed the sympathy strikers.  
Lehigh Valley railroad officials announced that an ample car supply was on hand to take care of the coal traffic and that the prospects appeared bright for a near normal output in this district.

Christ J. Golden, president of District 9, estimated that more than 10,000 workers would remain away from work until all the monthly men were reinstated. The majority of the "vacationists" are in the vicinity of Shamokin, while the mines at Mount Carmel are operating.  
Thomas Kennedy, president of the Hazleton district and chairman of the policy committee, said the expected word during the day from Philip Murray, international vice president of the mine workers, would be the reinstatement of the committee to formulate plans to reopen the wage negotiations before the Secretary of Labor Wilson.

All colliers with few exceptions will be produced during the day. In the Shamokin field the daily average produced is 1,400 cars.  
SHAMOKIN, Pa., September 20.—Complying with the order of the general committee, issued Saturday, the mine workers in the Shamokin district continued their vacation today, and will not resume work until after another meeting Wednesday night. Unless all men are reinstated by that time, the general committee, declares, the suspension will be continued.

READING, Pa., September 20.—Reports from coal companies in the Schuylkill hard-coal region received here today indicated slightly more than 75 per cent of the men have resumed work. Eight of the operations are idle, while with few exceptions all are short-handed. It is expected that at least 700 cars of anthracite will be produced during the day. In the Shamokin field the daily average produced is 1,400 cars.

SEEKS SPAIN IN CONTEST  
FOR WORLD COMMERCE

Extensive Coast Line, Strategically  
Important, Bar to Neutrality,  
Madrid Paper Says.

MADRID, September 19 (by the Associated Press).—Spain must become involved in the coming world struggle for the commercial supremacy of the seas, says the newspaper El Debate, in an editorial today.  
"The approaching struggle," the newspaper declares, "Spain, owing to her extensive coast line and the strategic importance of some of her ports, cannot remain neutral. We must pay attention to the subject in time to occupy positions in the maritime conflict between the great powers of the world."  
"America aspires to have the leading navy, and the Jones law is a

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challenge to Great Britain. The maritime rivalry between the United States and Japan, and the United States is the greatest factor in international politics with which we shall have to deal.

no less grave state of affairs existing between the United States and Japan, which will serve British interests. The British and Japanese are united to frustrate American plans and designs for dominion over the seas. The first skirmishes in the maritime struggle are developing between the United States and Japan, the two disputing for Pacific traffic, where rival companies have entered into freight competition.



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RECORD LIVESTOCK SALE.

Queen Has Most Friendly Feeling  
for Sofia Government.  
SOFIA, Bulgaria, September 19.—The Greek charge d'affaires here in an interview printed in the Mir today says that Greece entertains the most friendly feelings toward Bulgaria. Greece, he declares, is ready to collaborate with Bulgaria in the work of peace and progress.

Investigation of campaign expenditures will be reopened here Wednesday by the Senate election subcommittee, it was announced today at the office of Senator Kenyon, chairman of the committee. Subpoenas for a number of witnesses were issued today by the sergeant-at-arms of the Senate, but the names of the persons to be called were not made public.

RED EXECUTES 100 MARINES.  
LONDON, September 15.—A Helmsingford dispatch to the Associated Press says that Admiral Baskinley, commanding the Russian Baltic fleet, has executed 100 marines for refusing to obey a mobilization order.

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Sizes up to 18 Years.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
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Pretty fancy plaids, checks and stripes; good Quality Gingham Dresses, for girls 6 to 14 years. Six entirely new styles.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$2.25 Women's Crepe Gowns \$1.34  
Blue and Pink Cool Slip-over Gowns, of fine crepe, crocheted edged neck and armholes; silk embroidered.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
Babies' Stomach Bands 11c  
Made of good quality bleached domest flannel. Pure white. Special for Tuesday.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$2.00 Corsets \$1.39  
These Topless or Rubber-top Corsets are for one day only at this price. Sizes range up to 25.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$1.39 Babies' Dresses 79c  
Bishop and Yoke Style Dresses, of fine batiste; pretty lace and embroidery trimmed.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
Strapped Handle Leather  
Pocketbooks, Worth to \$3.00 \$1.19  
Sample line finest grades Pocketbooks, in a nice variety of shapes and sizes.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$3.00 Women's Kid Gloves \$1.74  
Black, white, gray and brown 2-clasp flexible quality with silk embroidered backs.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
SILK DRESSES \$8.99  
Worth to \$3.00  
50 Dresses, consisting of beaded Georgettes, crisp taffetas, a few satins and crepe de chine and silk and Georgette combinations. Beaded, braided and embroidered.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$40.00 Coat Suits \$28.75  
Fine All-wool Silverstone, Oxford, Serges and Gabardines. Suits in at least 29 entirely new fall styles. Every color in lot. Fur, braided or tailored effects. Match if you can under \$40.00.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
Up to \$10.00 Georgette Waists \$4.95  
Dark suit shades as well as white and flesh. Extra heavy quality Georgette Waists, exquisitely beaded, embroidered and lace trimmed.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
Up to \$8.50 Silk Petticoats \$3.95  
Finest Taffeta, Satin and Jersey Combination Silk Underskirts. Some have embroidered ruffles.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
New Pleated Skirts \$4.98 to \$15.00  
Black and Blue Serge, Heavy Velour and Beautiful Plaid Skirts, in richest colors, newest styles.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
1,000 Pairs  
Ladies' \$1.00 Silk Hose, 50c  
Wonderful Quality Silk Hose, with double sole, high spliced heel and smooth garter top. All popular plain colors—black or white. The new sport and lace effects are in the lot. These are slightly imperfect, but not anything to interfere with the service.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
85c Fancy Hair Ribbons 49c  
There's a varied selection of satin-ribbons. Figured and plaids. Heavy quality for hair bows and bags. Up to 6 1/2 inches wide.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
59c 36-inch Fancy Outings 39c  
In lengths from 2 to 15 yards, to be sure, but any reasonable length cut. Good heavy quality in a large assortment of pretty colored stripes.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$4.00 Red Star Diapers, Dozen, \$2.98  
The best quality made; put up a dozen in a sealed package. 24x24 Cut and hemmed ready for use. It's a year or more since you bought this quality at so low a price, so we advise getting the limit now. Not more than 3 dozen to a buyer.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
35c Bleached Outing 23c  
Fine Heavy Quality Bleached Outing, regularly selling at 35c. Special for Tuesday only.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
\$3.50 Bedspreads \$2.89  
Full Bed Size Crochet Bedspreads, in a variety of Marseilles designs.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
20c Cotton Batting 9c  
Good quality white cotton, put up in 1/2-lb. packages. Limit, 15 to a buyer.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
95c Unbleached Sheetting 64c  
Full 86 inches wide and especially heavy. Will bleach white in a few washings.

TUESDAY SPECIAL  
79c Bunny Silk 59c  
36-inch cotton and silk mixture, for underdrops—Hings and underwear—in all colors.