

WON'T ANTICIPATE NEW VIRGINIA RATE

Railroad Men Say it Will Take Until October to Prepare Change

RICHMOND, Aug. 17.—Rumors current today that the railroads operating in Virginia would anticipate the date for putting the 2-cent passenger rate into effect by a month, has been emphatically denied by some of the highest railroad officials in Richmond.

It is stated that the roads are at present engaged in formulating new tariff sheets, instructions, and tickets, and that this work, together with the printing and issuing of these, will take until nearly October 1, the date when the new rate shall become effective.

The refusal of Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, of the United States circuit court, to consider the modification of his injunction until the regular term of court here next month, will not give the State Corporation Commission time to publish the new rate as required by law.

Governor Swanson stated this afternoon that there will be no hitch, however, in making the rates effective. It is presumed that the railroads, in accordance with their agreement with the State, will go ahead and promulgate the lower rates.

PHYSICIAN ATTACKED; ASSAILANT LOCKED UP

Ralph Cheshire, newspaper and magazine writer, entered the office of Dr. John C. Cole, of 820 H street northeast, yesterday afternoon and attacked the physician with a cane without any known reason.

Cheshire is a man of small stature, and the doctor had little difficulty in overpowering him. The physician's son was sent for a policeman, and Cheshire was locked up at the Ninth precinct station, where he was charged with assault.

FEUD TRIALS MONDAY IN HARGIS CASES

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 17.—After two hours' argument here tonight of attorneys on both sides, Special Judge W. B. Moody has set the trials of Mill Britton, John Abner, and Elbert Hargis, charged with the assassination of Dr. R. D. Cox, for Monday August 20, at Sandy Hook, Elliott county.

Judge James Hargis was present, but took no part in the argument. Witnesses will be summoned from all parts of the United States.

Great Detective Dies; "Bob" Pinkerton's Life Ends During Sea Trip



ROBERT PINKERTON, Dead Chief of Great Detective Agency.

Brother William to Sail for Famous Man's Body.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—William Pinkerton will leave on the first steamer for England to bring back the body of his brother, Robert, head of the great Pinkerton Detective Agency, whose death aboard the steamer Bremen was reported today from Plymouth.

William Pinkerton is now en route to this city from the West to take charge of arrangements for the funeral and will arrive tomorrow.

The news of the famous detective's death was flashed over the cable from Europe when the North German Lloyd steamer Bremen, from New York, arrived off the Lizard on her way to Plymouth, Cherbourg, and Bremen.

The ship was nearing Europe when Mr. Pinkerton passed away. He had started upon a long tour of the Continent. His health had been bad for several weeks, and his physicians had told him, although this was not generally known, that his only chance for life was to give up work and go abroad.

He sailed from here in company with

Could Photograph Folks, Missed Funny Fowls

Expert Snap-Shooter Did Not Know Very Fine Subject Was Right Back of Him.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—Out in the west end of St. Louis lives an expert photographer who does things with a camera that Daguerre's wildest imagination never conjectured—one of the modern school of picture men up to photographing folks while they run. A few weeks ago this lightning lens operator bought a horse from Justice J. J. Driscoll, of East St. Louis, a meek-mannered little horse, guaranteed by his honor to be all that was to be desired for family use. The purchase of the rubber-tired runabout completed the camera man's transportation equipment.

Between sunset and dark the other evening the artist started out for a drive. While he is accustomed to being pointed out as the man who makes snap

shots that people talk about, he was not at all prepared for the amount of attention he attracted as he drove along the street. Particularly was this noticeable when he passed street lamps on the corner, and he failed to comprehend why the appearance of his rig caused so much merriment.

The horse was jogging along sedately with a dignity acquired from long association from his former owner, the judge. The runabout was neat and clean, and a careful survey of his companion and a hurried glance at himself failed to find anything was out of order. When he returned and unhitched the horse he found that three old hens had selected the reach of the runabout as a cooing place, and that they had ridden with him without losing their balance or uttering a cluck-cluck of discomfort.

"Florida" Sullivan and a party of prominent men suffered from heart disease, and was going to Carlsbad and other German resorts in the hope of recovering his health. It was his thirtieth trip across the sea.

Robert Ran Away.

It was Allan Pinkerton's intention to make a doctor or lawyer of Robert. William, who was older, had shown a natural aptness for the detective business, which the father had established in Chicago, and it was planned that he would succeed his father. But Robert ran away from the school in 1854 when he was sixteen years old and went to Chicago, where he served his father with the ultimatum that he was going to be a detective.

At that time Allan Pinkerton had close relations with the United States Government and was furnishing secret service agents at various points in the South, the civil war being at its height.

Entered Secret Service.

Young Robert was made a secret service agent and was sent to New Orleans. He operated along the Gulf coast and furnished much valuable information to the Government.

At the close of the war he went to Chicago, and then his father took him and William into partnership with him in what he then called, and what has since been called Pinkerton's National Detective Agency.

Robert was the originator of the trademark, "We never sleep." After the war Chicago was in the throes of anarchy, and Pinkerton established Pinkerton's Patrol, the merchant's paying his uniformed policemen. This system is still operating there. In 1867 Robert was sent to New York

DEBATER PICKED FROM BANK CLERKS



HARRY V. HAYNES, Washington Bank Clerk Who Will Debate at National Convention.

National Organization Soon Holds Convention in Detroit.

About 500 delegates from various chapters of the American Institute of Bank Clerks, the organization comprising the bank clerks of the country, will gather in Detroit, Mich., August 22, for the fifth annual convention, which will last three days. The delegates represent a membership of over 9,000 bank men in every city and town of the United States. Washington will send her full quota, 15, of representatives. One of the features of these conventions is a debate on some mooted question relating to banking and trade. The subject this year is "Resolved, That no commercial development of the age has been detrimental to the highest interests of the people." The four speakers who will discuss

RENEW FEUD WAR IN KENTUCKY HILLS

Burchett Kills Cousin and Latter's Sons Seek Revenge.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 17.—The Burchett family feud in the Floyd county mountains, has broken out anew and one man is dead as a result. His sons are on their way tonight to avenge the death of their father, and a general fight is expected when the two factions get together.

A few days ago Keen Burchett, while cutting logs on a mountain side, allowed one to roll down and crash against a building owned by his cousin, James Burchett. The latter took him to task about it to-day and claimed \$10 damages.

This Keen refused to pay, and James attacked him with a knife and Keen shot him to death. Three of Keen's relatives, including his father, saw the killing, and immediately gave him protection. When James Burchett's sons heard of the killing, they left their work, armed themselves with shotguns and started on their way to avenge his death.

Keen Burchett and members of his family are said to be entrenched in his home, and scared at prospect of a fight. People are wildly excited at the prospect. This is the eighth fatal shooting affray in Floyd county within the last month.

VETERAN DROPS DEAD; FOUGHT UNDER PICKETT

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 17.—William H. Spraggins, aged sixty-six years, a veteran of Pickett's division, dropped dead from heart disease today. He was born and reared in this city, and up to a year ago was in robust health. He sustained a fall while attending the State fair last year, from which he never recovered. He had not, up to that time, missed a day from his trade as a boxmaker.

The question are from Baltimore, Washington, Chicago, and Detroit, respectively, the burden of the affirmative resting on the first two. Washington Chapter has chosen Harry V. Haynes, of the Riggs National Bank, who is one of its best known members and an experienced and able debater. He has been engaged in many of the contests given under the auspices of the local chapter and his friends say that it is certain he will give a good account of himself. Washington Chapter has been very successful in carrying off honors at previous conventions, and they expect to add another victory this year through the efforts of Mr. Haynes and his Baltimore colleague.

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AND THE REMAINDER OF THE WEEK

We are determined to close out all Summer goods and reduce stock generally to make room for Fall arrivals, hence the great reductions.

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Ladies' Coat Suits, long or short coat effects; pleated skirt worth up to \$10.00. "Must Go" Price \$1.95

All-wool Black Broadcloth Jacket, white satin lined; sold for \$10.00; all sizes. "Must Go Price" \$3.95

Infants' Bedford Coats reduced. \$1.50 lined Bedford Cord Coats, braided, trimmed; long or short. "Must Go Price" 98c

\$2.50 Coats; 2 lace ruffles over shoulder; long or short. "Must Go Price" \$1.49

A CORNER FOR BARGAIN SEEKERS

\$1.69 Mercerized Dinner Napkins; big size. Per doz. 89c

19c Bureau Scarfs; braided embroidered. 49c

89c Pearl, Gold and Natural Handled Umbrellas. 49c

65c Double Bed Sheets. 43c

15c Arrow Brand Linen Peter Pan Collars. 8c

10c Pearl Buttons. Dozen. 15c

\$3.00 White Shirt Waist Suits. 98c

\$1.98 for any Silk, Lace or Net Waist in the house. Some sold for as much as \$5.00. Clearing Price \$1.98

Skirts at Final Reduction.

\$5.98 All-wool Black Panama Skirts; wide side-pleated effect; 2 folds of same material, or 2 folds of silk taffeta. Reduced price. \$3.97

Another lot of those \$8.00 Pleated Taffeta Silks, or All-wool Voiles; trimmed with 4 taffeta silk bands; actual value, \$8.00. Reduced price. \$4.98

Clearing Prices on Children's Wash Dresses.

\$1.25 & \$1.69 Dresses 87c

White and Chambray Dresses; suspender effect; sailor style, or embroidery trimmed. Actual value up to \$1.50. Clearance price. 87c

\$12.50 Silk Lingerie Dresses, Soft Silk Lingerie Dresses, elaborately trimmed with expensive embroidery, medallions, and laces. Skirts trimmed to match. A regular \$12.50 dress. Reduced price. \$4.97

Corsets at Prices Never Before Offered.

25c Batiste Girdle Corsets, 4 hooks; cool and comfortable. Reduced price. 14c

50c Summer Net Corsets; all sizes, 15 to 30; for quick clearance. 19c

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19c Flowered Organdy, for quick clearance, 8c

Sheer Fine Cloth, Beautiful Patterns

This Coupon and 22c Entitles Bearer to a Child's Muslin 39c Gown

This Coupon and 15c Entitles Bearer to a Pair of Ladies' 25c Muslin Drawers

Hosiery At Extremely Reduced Prices

Children's Black Rib and Tan Lace Hose 5 3/4c

Every size, regular 12 1/2c Hose. Clearance price, 5 3/4c.

25c Ladies' Silk Lisle and Rich Open Lace Hose 14c

In black, gray, or white; a real 25c Hose. Clearing price, 14c.

15c Ladies' Black With White Sole Hose 11c

Absolutely fast color. Bargain price, 11c.

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