

IN SPOTLESS ATTIRE RUNS STEAM SHOVEL

Assistant Secretary of Treasury Newton Starts Work on Interior Building.

The modern way of "breaking ground" for the construction of a Government building was shown at 1500...

The Assistant Secretary didn't pick up a shovel and turn a bit of earth in the old-fashioned way...

He was photographed in the midst of this laborious task...

The contract for the building proper was let recently to the John H. Parker Company at \$1,622,487...

Concordia Church Spire Is Struck by Lightning

A bolt of lightning struck the steeple of Concordia German Lutheran Church...

Army and Navy

Medical Reserve Corps. Leave for two months and twenty-four days granted First Lieutenant J. Arthur Doshier...

Leave for two months and fifteen days, August 15, granted Captain Harold D. Coburn...

Leave for two months granted Captain Leartus J. Owen, Medical Corps...

Leave of absence for five days granted Captain Robert M. Blanchard, Medical Corps...

NAVY. Lieutenant (Junior Grade) J. C. Thom, to Raleigh...

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS. Arrived—Apache, at Iona Island; Nanshan, at Tutuila...

Youngest Theater Head Who Ever Came to City



HARRY JARBOE, Manager - Gayety

HARRY JARBOE TAKES CHARGE OF GAYETY

Youngest Theater Manager Washington Has Ever Seen Takes Office Tonight.

When Harry O. Jarboe takes his pen in hand tonight at about 10 o'clock and affixes his signature as final approval of his first daily box office statement...

Came Six Years Ago. Harry Jarboe came to Washington about six years ago from northern New York...

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Aged Woman Dead After Taking Acid by Mistake

Coroner Nevitt today gave a certificate of death by accident in the case of Mrs. Julia Gaskins, seventy-three years old, who died as the result of taking carbolic acid by mistake...

MOTOR TURNS OVER; WOMAN BADLY HURT

Mrs. Vincent Castell, 1240 L Street, Suffers Serious Fractures in Accident.

Mrs. Vincent Castell, of 1240 L street, in Sibley Hospital with her chest crushed...

Mrs. Castell was in her car with a woman friend, who was uninjured. There were two other automobiles in the party...

Mrs. Castell was pinned under the rear seat. Her companion fell between the two seats and was not injured.

Dr. Thomas Pools, who attended Mrs. Castell at Sibley Hospital, said today her condition was not dangerous.

NEW GANG MURDER PUZZLES N. Y. POLICE

Members of Rival Political Organizations Shot Down in Street—One Dead.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The New York police today were confronted with another mysterious political gangster murder.

Timothy Sullivan—no relation to "Big Tim" and "Little Tim," now both dead—and John Dehier, members of rival political organizations, were standing in Madison street early today...

Not a Single Murder On Manhattan Island During Month of July

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—There was not a single murder on Manhattan Island in July, and there had not been a gang murder in two months and four days...

There are now not more than six "big" homicides for which the slayers have not been arrested.

PRESTON DENIES "DEAL" WITH LEE

Baltimore Executive Questions Relations of Senator Smith and Congressman Lewis.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 16.—Mayor Preston denied today that a "deal" has been made to give Senator Blair Lee the twenty-eight votes from Baltimore in the Democratic convention...

Swedish Steamer Beached

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The Swedish steamer Spørge parted anchorships during a storm and was beached at total according to dispatches to Lloyd's today.

GET MOTORBOATS TO FIGHT SUBMARINES

Armored Vessels Purchased Here for Russian Government, Is Report.

A large number of armored motorboats, designed as offensive weapons against the submarines, are being constructed in this country for the Russian Government...

A big contract for such boats has been taken up by a large boat building company on the Great Lakes and deliveries will be rushed.

All of the boats are to be of the speed type, and armored along the water line. They are to be shipped without armament, but it is well understood that they will mount 6-pounder or perhaps heavier guns for use against submarines and torpedo boats.

Deliveries on all of the boats, and the contract calls for a large number, are to be pushed. The vessels will be used in Russian waters to repel the big German U-boats.

Three Russian agents are now in the United States, it is reported, placing big orders for munitions and supplies. Two of them are accredited government representatives while the third is purchasing for a big Moscow concern.

One of these men has headquarters at the Baldwin Locomotive Works near Philadelphia. He is chief of the division of locomotives of the technological department of the Russian imperial railways...

Lungmotor Demonstrated Before Major Pullman

A demonstration was given by W. F. Leopold, of the Bureau of Mines, in the office of Major Pullman today of the "lungmotor," an instrument used for the resuscitation of persons rescued from drowning...

Another government representative, with headquarters in New York, is traveling in the Middle West, visiting Pittsburgh and Detroit to place contracts for machine tools, machines, steel manufactures and automobiles.

The test was witnessed by Major Pullman, W. E. Longfellow, representing the life-saving department of the American Red Cross, and Corporation Counsel Syme.

Practical demonstrations of the lungmotor will be given by Mr. Longfellow and Mrs. Leopold at Keith's this week in connection with "Odiva's" act.

Mackerel With Bell on Tail Spoils Fishing

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 16.—A mackerel with a copper bell wired on its tail spoiled fishing at Santa Monica until hooked and hauled up, according to truthful rumors today.

The mackerel wagged its tail so the bell rang and other fishes fled.

Hit in Head With Ax, Canal Road Man Dies

Struck in the head with an ax while engaged in an altercation in a house in Canal road early today, John Jackson, a sixty-year-old colored man, was instantly killed...

Thomas told the police that Jackson took the stick away from Jackson, and that thereupon the latter grabbed an ax. In the scuffle that followed for the possession of the ax, he says, he struck Jackson in the head.

Thomas was arrested several hours after the killing, by Policeman A. B. Sorenson. An inquest over the body of Jackson will be held at the District Morgue later today.

Sons of Veterans Plan To Fete Commandery

Washington members of the Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., will meet tonight at headquarters, 119 G street, to launch a campaign for funds to entertain the commandery here during the G. A. R. encampment September 15 to October 1.

A special committee has been named to arrange for the entertainment of out-of-town veterans. On this committee are George W. Rollers, E. B. Johns and Omar J. Valey.

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- Buick Dodge Brothers Grant Haynes King Maxwell Mitchell Reo

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