



FROM WASHINGTON.

Correspondence of Alexandria (Gazette).

Fashionable Washington is busy guessing as to what will be done with the nude life-sized statue sculptured by Miss Alice Barney and posed for by her sister, Miss Natalie Barney...

From a business source the information is brought to New York that there is a change of sentiment toward Roosevelt in progress among the small merchants and their employees...

WHILE the true character of Mr. Roosevelt is becoming known in the north and while he is being repudiated by the republicans of that section...

It is said at Montreal that Sir Wilfrid Laurier in his coming speech will declare unequivocally for a generous measure of reciprocity with the United States.

Twenty Thousand Strike.

New York, Oct. 10.—The fight of 19-year-old Mollie Hamer for sanitary working conditions in the necktie factories of New York culminated today in a strike of 20,000 women and girls employed in that industry...

Conditions in Honduras.

New Orleans, Oct. 10.—Private messages reaching here from Central America today indicate that trouble continues in Honduras. The messages declare soldiers have taken possession of American mining property about Amapala...

Four midshipmen of the first class are under suspicion of having committed the offense of hazing, and their cases are being investigated.

FOREST FIRES.

Hundreds of Persons Perish—Two Thousand Missing—Mining Towns Wiped Out—Loss \$4,000,000.

Rainy Rivers, Oct. 10.—With forest fires still raging north of the towns of Baudette, Spooner and Pitt, sixty charred corpses recovered and 75 persons known to have perished while 2,000 others are missing...

The total number of dead as the result of the destruction of the towns so far leveled, is estimated today at 200 to 500 missing. Of the 2,000 still missing, the majority are believed to have taken refuge in the many small villages in this section...

The refugees from Baudette and Spooner rushed to these towns and were welcomed with open arms. The towns were within seven miles of Sprague and 20 miles of Warroad.

The authorities say that the conflagration today bids fair to result in the greatest since the fires at Hinckley, Minn., in 1896.

Warroad, Minn., Oct. 10.—At least 200 persons have perished in the forest fires which have raged in this district for the past three days and the death toll may even reach 750 to 1,000, according to information in dispatches received at Warroad...

Manuel and his mother first went ashore yesterday to attend mass in St. Mary's Church. They were attended by the military and naval aides of the governor general...

Supreme Court Opening. Washington, Oct. 10.—The U. S. Supreme Court presided over temporarily by John H. Harlan as senior associate justice, opened the October term today and prepared for what is likely to go down in history as one of the most important years in the record of that judicial body.

Including Justice Hughes there were only seven justices on the bench, the place formerly occupied by Justice Moody, being vacant and another vacancy occurring as a result of the death of Chief Justice Fuller.

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 10.—Well satisfied with his three days campaign in the south, Theodore Roosevelt today left Dixie behind and came into the west for four days of speechmaking, opening with an address at the Arkansas State Fair here.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 10.—Mayor Robert F. Maddox this afternoon said that on Saturday as he rode through the crowded streets, with Theodore Roosevelt, he thought that I could carry a single southern state, I would run for president.

Dr. Remley C. Rutter, who recently committed suicide in Cleveland, O., was a native of Harrisonburg, Va., and served as a Confederate soldier through the civil war.

New York Stock Market. New York, Oct. 10.—A fairly strong tone was displayed in the stock market this morning, and nearly everything traded in showing fractional gains.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Professor Gossio, the Indian bacteriologist, is convinced that cholera germs are transmitted to fish.

The senatorial investigation into the election of United States Senator William Lorimer, of Illinois, adjourned in Chicago on Saturday to meet at the call of the chairman in Washington.

A case of cholera developed yesterday in the steerage of the Hamburg-American liner Moltke, which has been detained at quarantine in New York.

A dispatch from Rio Janeiro says the governor of the state of Amazonas has been deposed by the deputy governor, with the assistance of the troops and the naval squadron...

Cardinal Gibbons confirmed a class of 160 at the church of the Sacred Heart, in Washington yesterday evening. Of the number 30 were converts.

John Dietz, who had defied the authorities for more than a week, finally surrendered Saturday after a pitched fight at his cabin near Cameron Dam, Wis. and after his house had been riddled with bullets and he and members of his family had been wounded.

In a highly-spectacular finish and by a margin of only six seconds, Len Zengle, driving the No. 12 Chadwick race car, won the third annual 200-mile automobile race over the Fairmont Park course, Philadelphia, on Saturday in the presence of a vast crowd.

Lambert Tree, former circuit judge of Chicago, died at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York suddenly Saturday evening from heart disease. He was 78 years old.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Eppa I. McFarland and Ella L. Woolf, both of Rectortown.

Postmaster Charles M. Keelz, of Harrisonburg, is under investigation on the charge of "pernicious political activity."

Edward Diehl, a young twin son of Oliver Diehl, was scalded to death today when his mother upset a pan of hot water.

The Old Dominion Steamship Company's new steel freight and passenger steamer was launched at Newport News on Saturday.

Dr. Hugh M. McIlhenny died at the University of Virginia Hospital yesterday afternoon after a week's illness of blood poisoning resulting, it is believed, from boils.

Virginia farmers are organized and will make a fight against the fertilizer trust. Last winter the farmers supported a bill which had for its object the establishment of a line plant by the state which would furnish agricultural lime at cost.

The federal grand jury convened in Richmond last week and so far has taken no cognizance of the charge against Miss Rena B. Askew, who is alleged to have been short in her account to the amount of more than \$2,000.

Beverly, Oct. 10.—Senator Elihu Root, of New York, had a long conference with President Taft today. Supreme Court vacancies, New York state politics, the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation and the recent fisheries decisions at The Hague were discussed.

Norfolk, Oct. 10.—Mr. W. A. Young the apparent choice of the recent democratic congressional primary held in the Second district, but which primary last week was declared null and void, issues a statement that he is no longer in the service of the party to be subject to the party's decision, and declares himself the victim of a political expedient.

Georgetown Wheat Market. Georgetown, D. C. Oct. 10.—Wheat 50 1/2

THE EPISCOPALIANS.

The Episcopalian Church, in convention in Cincinnati, refused on Saturday to change the name of the church by rejecting by an overwhelming vote a new preamble for the constitution.

The clerical vote on the project was 13 ayes, 42 nays and 7 divided. The lay vote was 16 ayes, 42 nays and 4 divided. The voting was by delegations.

Dr. Morrison's speech startled some of the delegates. He said that inaccurate statements in the amendment were sufficient to justify its rejection, saying, among other things, that the preamble stated that the Bible was the word of God.

It is impossible, in this age of scholarship, to maintain that the Bible is the word of God," he said. "It would be unfortunate to bring up a discussion on this now, so I merely mention it in urging against the adoption of such a statement."

The widely discussed question affecting Canon 19, the various interpretations of which led to the vexed "open pulpit" question, and which provides that only ordained clergymen may occupy pulpits of the Protestant Episcopal Church was decided against the open pulpit by the house of bishops.

The question, one of the most important to be brought before the great triennial convention, came up to the bishops on a petition signed by twelve hundred laymen and clergymen, who asked for an authoritative interpretation of the church law. The reply of the bishops follows:

"It (Canon 19) cannot be fairly interpreted as in the least degree modifying the position of the church, as expressed in the prayer book and ordinal, which restricts the ministry of the word and the sacraments in our congregations to men who have received Episcopal ordination."

The bishops failed to reach an understanding for a reconsideration of the ballot by the proposed creation of suffragan bishops was rejected. It is pointed out that because of the bad weather on Thursday ten of the 104 bishops were absent when the vote was taken.

A majority of the entire membership is necessary to pass the project, which lacked only one vote of this margin, although a clear plurality of those voting recorded in its favor. The matter was made a special order for next Wednesday.

Only one session each of the house of deputies and the house of bishops was held, the latter part of the day being left open for a general mission meeting which was distinctly a woman's auxiliary gathering.

The presentation of the "united offering" of the auxiliary took place at solemn religious services in Christ Church early in the day. The amount of the 1910 contribution will not be officially announced until the general mission meeting, but it is understood to be approximately \$300,000.

The offering represents funds collected by the woman's auxiliary for missionary work. Of the amount given yesterday \$20,000 has been appropriated for a building in memory of the late George C. Thomas, of Philadelphia, treasurer of the board of missions of the church for several years.

Entombed by an explosion in the Starville, Col., mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, at least 52 men are the objects of heroic efforts of rescuers, who worked throughout the day trying to penetrate the black depths of the mine in the hope that some or probably all of the imprisoned miners might be rescued.

As a society sensation, the trial at Hot Springs, Va., on Saturday of Thomas O'Brien, proprietor of the Woodland Club, on charges of keeping a gambling house, was a disappointment.

No women were called as witnesses, as society circles had feared; no effort was made to have the proceedings held secret, and no witnesses testified other than those who appeared at the preliminary hearing two weeks ago.

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Only one in a great while city council passes a law, or ordinance, that directly concerns the police department. It would like to ask if such ordinances, if their approval by the mayor, are read to the policemen and the importance of enforcing them impressed upon their minds.

After making all preparations for his funeral, selecting pallbearers and directing other details, Cyrus Milton Nesbet, of Winchester, died Sunday of a complication of diseases, aged 67 years. He entered the Confederate army when a boy and served under Capt. Harry Gilmore in the Eleventh Virginia Cavalry.

Ladies, you will always wear a smile if you wear the Red Cross Shoe. For sale only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

WORTH WEIGHT IN GOLD.

Lady Learned About Cardui, The Woman's Tonic and is Now Enthusiastic in its Praise.

Mount Pleasant, Tenn.—"Cardui is all you claim for it, and more," writes Mrs. M. E. Rail, of this place. "I was a great sufferer for 2 years and was very weak, but I learned about Cardui, and decided to try it. Now I am in perfect health."

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N. B.—Write: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Free Sample Book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Virginia. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of October, 1910.

Beulah E. Totten, complainant, vs. Ernest C. Totten, defendant. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of desertion for a period of more than three years before the institution of this suit...

TO LOTTE GAVE.—Take notice that on Saturday, 24th day of October, 1910, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 6 o'clock p. m. at the office of Frederick P. Russell, 117 North Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Va. I shall proceed to receive and determine by my belief in a certain suit in equity now pending in the Corporation Court of said city...

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ONE HUNDRED WOODMEN wanted. wages \$1.75 per day. Apply to R. E. GROVER, Fairfax and Franklin st.

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LOST—A GOLD MEDAL on Cameron street between 10th and Alfred street, on an Alfred street, between Cameron and Prince, or on Prince, between Ash and West streets. Owner's name inscribed on same. Reward if returned to 1010 Cameron street. oct31

WANTED. A good WHITE MAN for the stable at Ravensworth. Write to Mrs. LEE, Burke, Virginia. mar11

FOR SALE. ONE ICE BOX, one 6 foot COUNTER, one COMPUTING SCALE and one single horse WAGON. SIMMONS'S, Braddock House. oct19

FOUND.—On the corner of Prince and Washington streets a TOY DOG which the owner can have by paying for this advertisement. It.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—All members of ALVA AERIE, No. 851, P. O. E., are requested to assemble at their hall on Monday, AFTERNON at 2 o'clock to meet Washington Aerie, No. 125, P. O. E., to set as honorable escort at the funeral of Brother H. T. Bates, of Washington Aerie, No. 125, which takes place at 4th North Columbus street at 2:30 o'clock. W. E. JACOBSON, Secy. J. H. WEST, Wor. Sec. Wor. Pres.

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