

THOUSANDS VISIT WAR VESSELS

INSPECT FLEET ANCHORED OFF LONG BEACH

NO SERIOUS MISHAPS MAR DAY

Electric Line Between Los Angeles and Beach Resort Does a Land Office Business Going and Coming

Thousands of people visited Long Beach yesterday to see the cruisers Chicago and Bennington...

The war ships lay about two miles out, but could be plainly seen from the shore...

During the morning only the Chicago received visitors, but she became so crowded by noon...

The only mishap of the day occurred as one of the small boats drew alongside the Bennington...

All of the cars on the Long Beach electric line were crowded yesterday...

DESPONDENCY CAUSES HEIRESS' SUICIDE

Daughter of New York Bank President Shoots Herself in Room at Hotel Seville

NEW YORK, April 9.—Miss Mary Galloway, daughter of Robert M. Galloway, president of the Merchants' National bank...

Miss Galloway, who had suffered from dyspepsia for several years, was attended by two trained nurses...

GARFIELD IN KANSAS TO INVESTIGATE TRUST

Commissioner is to Have a Conference With Hoch Today

TOPEKA, Kas., April 9.—James Rudolph Garfield, commissioner of corporations, arrived here tonight to begin his investigation of the Standard Oil methods in Kansas...

MAYOR OF MINNESOTA TOWN IS MURDERED

Matt Gannon's Defiance of Rough Element Costs Him His Life

WINNIPEG, Man., April 9.—At Beaudette, the American town across the Rainy river, opposite the Manitoba boundary, Matt Gannon, the mayor, was shot and killed...

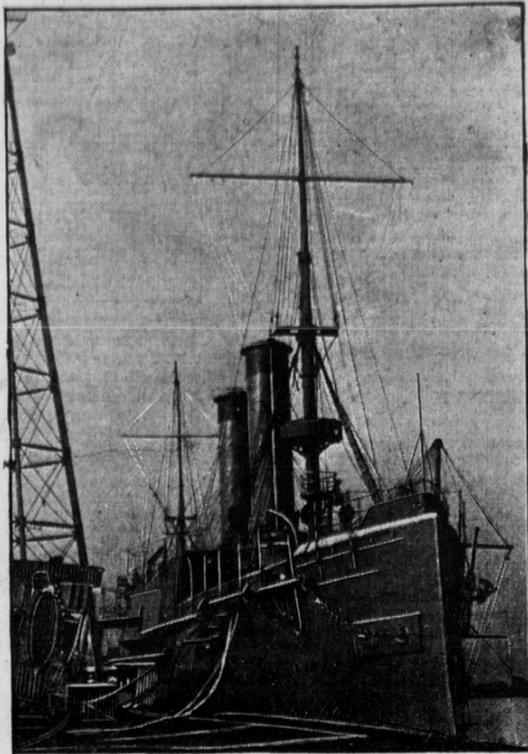
GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN DR. HARPER'S CONDITION

NEW YORK, April 9.—Dr. William R. Harper, who has been taking the X-ray treatment for cancer in New York city, left for Chicago late today...

COLLEGE VICE PRESIDENT CHARGED WITH ARSON

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 9.—Prof. T. R. Dunlap, who has been vice president of Jarvis college at Thorp Springs, Tex., has been arrested on a charge of arson...

U. S. CRUISER CHICAGO, NOW LYING AT LONG BEACH



GROUND TO DEATH BENEATH WHEELS

SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD BOY VICTIM OF TROLLEY CAR

Roy Bishop of Santa Monica Attempts to Board Moving Electric and is Hurl'd Under the Trucks

While attempting to board a rapidly moving electric car at Santa Monica last evening Roy Bishop, a lad of 16 years, lost his grip and was hurled beneath the wheels...

The accident occurred shortly after 6 o'clock at the corner of Pacific street and Trolleyway...

Car No. 214 of the Los Angeles Pacific railroad, in charge of Motorman John Moore, towing a trailer to accommodate the holiday crowd, left Santa Monica at 6 o'clock en route to Los Angeles via Ocean Park...

Young Bishop left home intending to catch this car, upon which he intended to meet his father and go to Ocean Park to work in the bowling alleys...

He was waiting when the car drawing its heavy load approached, going at a high rate of speed, and as the rear platform of car 214 came alongside he jumped, missed his grasp and the next instant his body was rolled beneath the trucks of the trailer...

The deceased was one of five children. He was regularly employed at the planing mill at Santa Monica and worked at the bowling alleys at odd times.

SENATOR MITCHELL TO BE ARRAIGNED APRIL 17

Congressmen Williamson and Hermann to Answer Indictments of Federal Grand Jury

PORTLAND, Ore., April 9.—During the present week United States Senator John H. Mitchell, Congressman J. N. Williamson and his partner, Dr. Van Gessner, and Marion Biggs will be arraigned and on April 17 Congressman Binger Hermann's arraignment will occur upon indictments returned by the federal grand jury...

Tomorrow a motion in abatement in behalf of Henry P. Ford and others will be filed on the grounds that John Gulston, one of the members of the recent grand jury, is not a naturalized citizen, and that therefore all the acts of the grand jury have been null and void.

KANSAS CITY HAS DRY DAY

KANSAS CITY, April 9.—Saloons in both Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kan., and the suburbs of the latter city, as well as all outlying saloons and wine gardens in Jackson county, Mo., were closed today.

Returns to White House

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Mrs. Roosevelt and three of her children, who have been away on a short cruise in Florida waters, returned to Washington today.

ROCKEFELLER HAS SANTA FE STOCK

ADMISSION BY AN OFFICIAL OF THE ROAD

First Vice President E. D. Kenna Tells of Holdings of Stock by Members of the Oil Trust

TOPEKA, Kas., April 9.—E. D. Kenna, first vice president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway, said today the Santa Fe has probably 25,000 stockholders.

There are some big ones of course, but they are not many. In this class is John D. Rockefeller and his associates, who own about 250,000 shares of common stock or about 11 per cent of the authorized capital.

Not long before the last annual meeting they expressed the desire to have some representation upon the board of directors on account of their large holdings of stock.

The subject was considered by the Atchison management and it was decided that no representation could or would be voluntarily given to these gentlemen if they were acting in Union Pacific or Southern Pacific interests and that no officer of the Union Pacific or Southern Pacific company would be acceptable as member of the Atchison board of directors.

These gentlemen stated their interests in Atchison were substantially as large as their interests in Union Pacific and that they did not ask for representation as representing Union Pacific or Southern Pacific interests but solely on account of their own large investments in the Atchison company.

Wills Undertaker his Property

REDDING, April 9.—Hiram Cochran, the old pioneer who died here last night, called in an undertaker and willed him all his property for burial expenses. The property consists of two city lots in Stockton and personal property.

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Redding to Issue Bonds

REDDING, April 9.—Redding's city council last night decided to submit a proposition to the voters to bond the city for \$130,000 for new sewers and streets.

EVANS ALARMED BY DESERTIONS

BLUEJACKETS LEAVING BY HUNDREDS

VARIOUS CAUSES ASSIGNED

Rear Admiral Notified That 600 Men Had Left Squadron—Navy Weakened by Serious Conditions

MOBILE, Ala., April 9.—When report was made to Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans that the desertions of blue jackets from his fleet numbered fully 600 the language used by the fighting commander is said to have been luridly picturesque.

The squadron is now experiencing a condition that never before presented itself in such extended form. Officers say there is alarming wholesale desertion of blue jackets from the ships and it is today estimated that at least 600 sailors are missing from their crews.

Sailors who have been seen on shore give varying reasons for leaving their ships. Some of them have an idea their vessels will for the most part be made station ships at some out-of-the-way place where disturbances are not infrequent, and others say their treatment is not as it should be.

City and county officers have been out hunting the deserters. Today the chief of police went to the flagship Maine and had a conference with Rear Admiral Evans regarding methods of apprehending the deserters.

ADVERTISING MEN MEET IN SAN JOSE TODAY

Addresses Will Be Made by Experts Prominent in the Business

SAN JOSE, April 9.—Over a hundred members of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's association, which meets here tomorrow, arrived today. They were entertained by the San Jose chamber of commerce. This morning they were taken for an electric railway ride to Saratoga, Congress Springs and Los Gatos, at the latter place having luncheon.

Tomorrow morning the association will hold a business session. In the afternoon a number of addresses will be made and papers read by prominent advertising experts of this coast and the east.

CAVALRY RAISE A BIG DISTURBANCE IN VERMONT

Many in Guard House at Fort Ethan Allen and Others Being Sought For

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 9.—Twenty-five members of troop B, Fifteenth cavalry, commanded by First Lieutenant George T. Bowman, are in the guardhouse at Fort Ethan Allen tonight as the result of disturbances following pay day, while as many more are being sought by a detail of soldiers.

Accused Sicilian Still at Large

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Up to a late hour tonight the police had not arrested Torturiti, the alleged murderer of Baggio Vilarde, and there were no important developments in the case.

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REAR ADMIRAL ROBLEY D. EVANS

PRESIDENT AND PARTY IN CAMP

HUNT BEGINS TODAY FOR WOLVES AND RABBITS

Sportsmen Are Established on Banks of Deep Red Creek, Eighteen Miles From Frederick, Oklahoma

By Associated Press. FREDERICK, O. T., April 9.—President Roosevelt and party left Frederick shortly before 7 o'clock yesterday evening and arrived at the camp, eighteen miles southeast of town, a little after dark.

The camp consists of about twenty tents belonging to the presidential party and is called Camp Roosevelt. One large tent is occupied as a mess hall, a number of tents being used for sleeping apartments.

Major J. E. Murchert of Sherman, with C. E. McHugh and J. R. Abernathy of this place located the camp last Monday, riding out to the big pasture which begins four miles east of here.

SHOOTS TWO DEPUTIES

Man Condemned to Death Attempts to Escape

PATERSON, N. J., April 9.—Arthur Laster, who is under sentence to be hanged on Friday next, made a desperate attempt to escape from jail here today. He shot the two deputy sheriffs on the death watch, but failed to get away and finally was clubbed into unconsciousness by policemen whom the deputy sheriffs called to their aid.

RATHER BE MURDERER THAN J. D. ROCKEFELLER

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 9.—"What Would a True Christian Do With Rockefeller's Wealth?" was the theme of a sermon delivered tonight by Rev. S. Edward Young of the Second Presbyterian church of Pittsburg, to a congregation in which there are more millionaires than in any other town in this city.

FORECAST

Southern California: Cloudy Monday, fresh west wind; maximum temperature in Los Angeles yesterday 64 degrees, minimum 53 degrees.

EASTERN

President and party in camp at Oklahoma, ready for hunt. H. C. Frick to enter national politics from state of New York. One killed and many injured in theater fire at Kokomo, Ind.

FOREIGN

Vladivostok fleet threatens Togo's squadron from the north. Ambassador G. Van L. Myer reaches St. Petersburg. Japanese and Russian fleets may meet today in China sea.

THEATER FIRE CREATES PANIC

ONE KILLED, MANY INJURED IN STAMPEDE

Light—Sixteen-Year-Old Boy Leaps Forty Feet to Death

By Associated Press. KOKOMO, Ind., April 9.—George Armstrong, 16 years old, was fatally injured and a score of persons severely burned tonight during a fire in the Sipt theater, caused by a roll of celluloid films used in operating a moving picture machine having ignited.

During an intermission a bag of celluloid films, suspended over the balcony railing, was ignited by an electric light. The machine operator brought the audience into a panic by crying, "Look out everybody; the theater is on fire."

That more were not hurt is due largely to the excellent system of fire escapes and exits in the theater and the department of the house employes.

TOKIO IS CONFIDENT

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TWO SQUADRONS THREATEN TOGO

VLADIVOSTOK FLEET GOES SOUTHWARD

SERIOUS MENACE TO JAPAN

Tokio Admiralty May Be Forced to Order Fighting Ships Back to Northern Waters

ST. PETERSBURG, April 10, 12:40 a. m.—There is reason to believe that Vice Admiral Rojstvensky's entrance into the China sea has been followed by orders for the cruisers Gromobi, Rossia and Bogatyr, which have been ready for some time at Vladivostok, to put to sea.

Whether it is the intention to send them south immediately, or to hold them in the vicinity of Vladivostok, is not known. Their appearance outside the roadstead of Vladivostok would constitute a potential threat against Admiral Togo's rear which will compel the retention in or dispatch of a number of fighting ships to Japanese waters.

Peace Advocates Busy

The peace influence in the government urges that this favorable strategic position presents the psychological moment for offering officially the olive branch to Japan, reasoning that no matter how confident the Japanese government may be of Togo's victory it cannot overlook the possibility of defeat nor fail to appreciate the complete disaster which would follow the transfer of the mastery of the sea to Russia.

With so much depending upon the issue, they argue, both countries have mutual interests in avoiding an actual test, and it is not impossible, therefore, that a new move in the direction of peace may come just as the world expects to hear the call to quarters for the greatest naval battle of modern times.

Still Hope for Victory The Russian admiralty on Sunday received a long dispatch from Singapore, but no intimation as to its contents has been given the newspapers.

The papers Sunday morning printed Singapore dispatches without comment, the Soviet being the only exception. This paper views the news from Rojstvensky as an auspicious prelude to a decisive battle, "which may show that over Rojstvensky still shines the happy star which helped him when a lieutenant to save the fragile Vesta in an unequal conflict with a Turkish battleship."

The Soviet expresses the hope that Rojstvensky is destined to turn the tables, and that even in case of defeat, some of his vessels will be able to break through and reach the Japanese sea.

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LOCAL

Thousands inspect warships off Long Beach. Youth loses life in trolley accident at Santa Monica. Physicians believe aggressive weather conditions responsible for suicides. Auto police patrol captures fleeing cyclist after long chase through residence section. Mechanic commits suicide by shooting himself in mouth. County conservative farms scheme of Dr. Nichols gets little support from county officials. Slogan of the hour: On to Goldfield!