

1906 AUTOS ARRIVE AT RIVERSIDE

But Two Accidents Occur to Mar the Day's Test

Herald's Representative Describes Run in Detail

Citizens of Towns Along Route Turn Out to Give Welcome and Lend Aid in Directing

Stretching across the country like a huge snake, its head being well within the precincts of Pomona before the tail had begun to wiggle, one hundred and ten automobiles left Los Angeles yesterday morning from Sixteenth and Main streets on the automobile dealers' endurance run around the kite shaped track. In addition to the machines regularly entered at least fifteen others started on the trip without the formal sanction of the officials.

The start was made at precisely 6:55 o'clock when Leon Shettler's little sixteen horse power Reo, listed in class D, was sent away from the mark. From then on until nearly noon the machines were cheered on their way as fast as they could be assembled by the officials.

When the last car noted on the official sheet had been started F. A. Bennett proceeded on his way at the rear end of the procession to keep tab on the cars which fell by the wayside.

Each one of the cars in the run left Los Angeles with a clean score of one thousand points, and to the observer in each vehicle falls the task of registering all stops and adjusting the odometer may occur. Tire troubles will not be counted, although stops for this cause must be recorded by the observer.

The Herald's automobile expert, traversing the course of the run, has the following to say of the test.

BY ED MORIARTY REDLANDS, June 29.—Skimming across the hills and valleys which stretched away from the city of the Angels 110 cars participating in the greatest endurance run of local history sped along the kite shaped track today. Tomorrow they will continue on their way, and judging from the unparalleled success which has thus far attended about the event automobilists will receive the most pronounced impetus thus far accorded the sport.

From Los Angeles the cars were sent away in perfect order and by the time Redlands had been reached but four delays necessitated a marring of perfect scores.

Along the way a hearty reception was accorded the motorists. At Pasadena hundreds lined the route while at Monrovia and the other towns en route the residences and business houses revealed in masses of bunting.

DUEL MAY RESULT IN TWO DEATHS

By Associated Press. SPOKANE, Wash., June 29.—A report has been received by telephone from Grangeville, Idaho, of a shooting at Oro Grande, in which M. R. Mitchell and Michael Sweeney, brother of Charles Sweeney, the Spokane capitalist and politician, were principals.

According to the report Sweeney was killed outright and Mitchell seriously wounded.

A later report says that Mitchell is dead and Sweeney seriously if not fatally wounded.

There is no direct wire communication with Oro Grande. Trouble over business affairs is said to have caused the tragedy.

Sweeney is one of the most prominent mining men in the southwest.

NINE SUCCUMB TO HEAT IN CHICAGO

Hottest Day of the Season Leaves Many Dead and Dying in Its Wake—Children Suffer Severely

Special to The Herald. CHICAGO, June 29.—Nine deaths and over fifty heat prostrations were recorded today in Chicago as a result of the second day of broiling heat, from which the weather bureau predicts no relief.

The suffering was not confined to any class of inhabitants or to any particular locality. In the Ghetto and foreign colonies residents sweated, gasping for air. Prostrations were numerous in these quarters. In the stock yards district there were many prostrations and deaths.

Men fell from wagons and street cars. On the streets there were scores of prostrations, many being seriously affected. In the excessive heat far back from the lake front men fell as they walked on the streets or stood in the shade.

Children were reported to the health department as ill in large numbers.

THREE GO INSANE AT NEW YORK Thousands of Residents Sleep on the Sands at Coney Island

NEW YORK, June 29.—Thousands of New Yorkers are sleeping on the sands at Coney Island tonight and the rest of the population is wishing it could sleep in the surf, while special details of police guard the sleepers.

There were many cases of heat prostrations and three cases of insanity from the heat. The hospitals had a busy day with the heat patients.

Hot Wave Visits Philadelphia PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 29.—Several heat prostrations occurred here today, the hottest of the season.

One Death at Detroit DETROIT, June 29.—This is the hottest day of the season in Detroit and up to 1 o'clock, when the thermometer registered 93 degrees, one death and one prostration from the heat had been reported.

Warms Up in Old Kentucky LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 29.—The season's heat wave record was broken today. The weather bureau thermometer registered 97.

Mercury Rises at Capital WASHINGTON, June 29.—Today was the hottest day of the summer. At 2 o'clock the thermometer at the weather bureau indicated 92 degrees, where the mercury remained for over two hours.

THREATENS TRICKETT'S LIFE Crusade Against Saloons at Kansas City, Kansas, Brings Menacing Letters

KANSAS CITY, Kas., June 29.—In his mail today Attorney General Trickett received several letters threatening his life should he continue his crusade against the saloons.

In the face of this he issued a writ of abatement against thirty additional saloons. It has been found that several saloons are owned by a certain brewing company now in a receiver's hands, and it is contended that these joints cannot be molested as they are nominally under the protection of the federal court.

Call a Halt at Hot Springs HOT SPRINGS, Ark., June 29.—As a result of action taken at a mass meeting Sheriff Williams ordered all pool rooms and all gambling houses and questionable resorts to close. A reign of crime, in which scores of visitors have been robbed during the last two months, led to this action.

STREET DUEL MAY CAUSE TWO DEATHS COLUMBIA, S. C., June 29.—W. A. Tatum, dispensary commissioner, has received information that J. T. Parks, auditing clerk of the state dispensary, and R. H. Covar, business manager of the Orangeburg Patriot, were mortally wounded there today in a street duel.

Both men were shot through the body. Parks formerly owned the Patriot and sold it to Covar. The shooting is the result of trouble over the settlement.

Parks is secretary of the state Democratic executive committee.

KILLED IN AUTO

Mrs. Tanner Is Victim of Accident

Car Runs Down Steep Embankment

Inspection Trip of Commander-in-Chief of Grand Army Ends in Disaster at Helena, Montana

HELENA, Mont., June 29.—Mrs. James Tanner, wife of the commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died this afternoon as the result of an automobile accident.

General and Mrs. Tanner arrived here this morning, the general being on a visit of inspection to the Montana department of the Grand Army.

This afternoon General and Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. J. K. Toole, wife of the governor, and General Lester Wilson of Bozeman made up an automobile party visiting points in the vicinity of the city.

On the way to Fort Harrison, while going at a fairly swift rate along a narrow road, the chauffeur turned out to make room for a freight wagon.

The road runs along an embankment and is so narrow that the automobile ran off the edge, turned over and threw the occupants out. Mrs. Tanner struck the ground first, Mrs. Toole and General Wilson falling on top of her.

She was unconscious and was taken immediately to a hospital, dying just as she reached there.

The other members of the party were not seriously injured.

MRS. TANNER KNOWN HERE Visited in Los Angeles During Early Part of May

Mrs. James Tanner, who was killed in an automobile accident in Helena, Mont., yesterday, was well and favorably known in Los Angeles. She, together with Corporal Tanner, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army, visited Los Angeles during the first week of May. They were the guests of Capt. H. Z. Osborn, a most attractive young man.

Osborn last night, "I am deeply shocked and grieved at the news of her death. Corporal Tanner has not only lost a good wife but also a dear friend he ever had. Mrs. Tanner was ever with him. He never made a trip of over a few miles without taking Mrs. Tanner along.

"You know Corporal Tanner is a cripple. He lost both his legs in the Civil War. Mrs. Tanner married him a short time after the war. She has always been constant in her devotion. She took the greatest pains to see to it that the corporal never took an extra step. I saw the corporal demonstrated in my own home while the corporal and his wife were here.

"In Red Cross work Mrs. Tanner was one of the foremost. She ranks second to Clara Barton in this respect. Mrs. Tanner had wonderful executive powers and has organized hundreds of hospital and relief societies.

"Her name is revered and loved by thousands of women and men throughout the United States, and her death will be mourned by every member of the Union Veteran legion, the organization of which she was, and of the Women's Relief corps.

"During the Spanish war Mrs. Tanner was most active in the organization of hospital corps. Living as she did in Washington, D. C., she had ample opportunity to show her devotion. She lived up to the reputation for charitable work during that time. She was equipped and sent into the field a large number of hospital corps which in turn proved a godsend to the boys at the front.

"Surviving Mrs. Tanner besides her husband are two daughters and two sons. One son is a captain in the regular army and is now stationed at Fort Logan, Colorado, just outside of Denver. The other son is an attorney and is connected with the attorney general's office in Washington, D. C. The two daughters are living in Washington, D. C.

Is Pretty Romance Behind the marriage of Corporal and Mrs. Tanner is one of the prettiest romances of the Civil War. During the troublous days which ended a struggle to the death between the north and the south Corporal Tanner, then known as "Jim" Tanner, the good fellow and young lawyer of Brooklyn, N. Y., was courting his deceased wife. When the call to arms sounded he was one of the first to answer. Behind him he left his sweetheart.

Within a few weeks after "Jim" Tanner had enlisted he was made a corporal. At the Battle of Bull Run, while leading his little band to a hazardous attack, the corporal was struck by a cannon ball, which carried both his legs away.

For hours the corporal laid on the battle field, retching the proffered aid of the surgeons, because he saw another man other than himself seriously hurt than himself. Finally he was taken to the hospital and the stumps of his once legs were trimmed into shape.

ST. LOUIS FIREMEN NARROWLY ESCAPE

By Associated Press. EAST ST. LOUIS, June 29.—Four firemen hoisted in an electric crane twenty feet above five enormous furnaces at the American Foundry company's plant, fighting a fire on the roof, were left stranded half an hour because the men operating the crane became frightened and left their post.

The heat from the furnaces and burning roof became almost unbearable and for half an hour the firemen pleaded to be let down.

At last fireman Mike Sullivan in desperation jumped to the ground between the seething furnaces, threw a rope to his comrades and they descended, badly blistered.

The fire was trivial.

CIRCUS TENT IS TOSSED BY WIND

Two Are Killed Outright and Many Injured—Keeps Narrowly Prevent Performing Elephants From Stampinged

CHICAGO, June 29.—Two persons were killed and several injured at Aurora today when an enormous tent of Ringling Bros' circus was blown down during a severe wind and thunder storm.

A panic followed, in which several narrowly escaped being trampled to death.

Eighteen elephants performing in the arena at the time were prevented from stampeding by the prompt action of their keepers.

MATTHEW BURY, Aurora, who was struck by a falling tent pole. WILLIAM CRESS, Danville, Ill. Cress died from heart disease due to the shock. Three women are among those severely injured.

There were over 5000 spectators in the tent at the time of the accident. The first gust of wind gave but an instant's warning and the next moment the center pole supporting the canvas roof snapped near the top.

The audience was composed largely of women and children. They were unable to lift the heavy canvas. Egress was slow at the regular exits and it was in the crush at these points that many were injured. Rescue work by the police and fire departments was under way within twenty minutes.

The storm approached the proportion of a tornado and damaged many buildings in Aurora and vicinity.

STORM PREVENTS FESTIVITIES Public Observance of King Edward's Birthday Postponed Because of Heavy Downpour

LONDON, June 29.—Most of the arrangements for the public observance of King Edward's birthday were canceled today on account of a severe rainstorm which visited this city early in the morning.

Over two inches of rain fell in London in eight hours, constituting a record.

Many districts were flooded and the people driven out of their houses, the underground railroads were inundated and traffic was stopped.

In some of the suburbs of this city the streets were impassable to pedestrians and the imprisoned occupants of flooded houses were rescued by firemen in boats.

The king ordered the cancellation of the ceremony of trooping the colors on the horse guards parade and the abandonment of the reviews of troops at Aldershot and elsewhere.

A great amount of damage was caused by the storm in the agricultural districts.

CARNEGIE GIVES \$3,000,000 This Amount Donated During 1905 as Gifts to Libraries in United States

NARRAGANSETT PIER, June 29.—The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the American Library association began here today.

For the year 1905 Andrew Carnegie's gifts to libraries in the United States numbered 21 and amounted to over \$3,000,000.

Gifts of money to libraries in this country for purposes other than the purchase of books, including the Carnegie gifts, were about \$5,000,000.

The San Francisco disaster made it necessary for the National Educational association to give up the meeting which was to have been held there this year.

The library department of this association will for the first time meet in joint session with the conference of libraries.

SENATE CONFIRMS LANE'S NOMINATION



FRANKLIN K. LANE

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The senate in executive session today confirmed the nomination of Franklin K. Lane of California to be a member of the interstate commerce commission to succeed former Governor Joseph W. Fifer of Illinois.

The president sent the nomination to the senate on December 6 last, but the interstate commerce committee failed to take action.

Opposition to reporting the nomination, it was publicly stated, was based on the fact that if he was confirmed the Democratic members would dominate the commission, Mr. Lane being a Democrat. Senator Elkins made a favorable recommendation upon the nomination today, by polling the committee.

Senator Foraker led the fight against confirmation, contending that Mr. Lane lacks conservatism and is a pronounced reformer in railroad affairs.

Senators Kean and Tillman were both opposed to confirmation. Senator Elkins urged confirmation, and in this was joined by Senator Flint, who said he had opposed the nomination on account of Mr. Lane's plan, but now that the commission is to be enlarged by the new rate bill he withdrew his objections.

On a viva voce vote Mr. Lane was confirmed.

TUPPER DEPARTS FROM CHICAGO HOUSE MEMBERS READY TO FIGHT

For Three Months He Has Been on Lake Michigan's Shores Expecting Storm to Break—No New Developments There

Special to The Herald. CHICAGO, June 29.—Wilbur S. Tupper, who resigned his position as president of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance company as a result, it is alleged, of pressure by the company's directors after hearing stories concerning him and a Los Angeles woman, departed from the Auditorium Annex June 26. He left no forwarding address and his location was not known today by the local agency of the company.

It is feared that Tupper may have been affected by the alleged scandal which cost him his \$12,000 position more seriously than was thought at the time.

Tupper was formerly a student and later an instructor at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, Wis. He was a noted athlete in his youthful days. For many years he has been on the Pacific coast in the insurance business.

For three months Tupper has been in Chicago or near here. He was in the city ostensibly on business for his company. It was reported from Los Angeles that the real reason for his coming was to be found in threats of exposure of an alleged Los Angeles scandal.

George I. Cochran, director of the company, returned to San Francisco on June 25 with Tupper's resignation, it is said.

Danford M. Baker, local representative of the company, went with Mr. Cochran and will not return for a fortnight.

THREE DIE IN EXPLOSION Dynamite Comes in Contact With Miner's Candle and Fatalities Result

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. EVLETT, Minn., June 29.—Three men lost their lives in a powder explosion at the Mohawk mine, between Biwabik and Aurora, last night.

All were unmarried. It is supposed that one of the men was getting out dynamite which he used in sticks, and that the flame of his candle touched it.

MEETING CLOSES IN DISORDER

Sixth Warders Have a Free-for-All Fight

Control of Chair Causes Rival Factions to Clash

Resolutions Charging Dock Houghton With Improper Conduct as Councilman and Demanding His Seat Are Adopted

Fighting for his political life against the Hay-Fennessy-Welch gang, Dock Houghton last evening was almost forced to fight for his physical life, and had it not been for the timely arrival of Sergeant Lenhausen with four officers, there would probably be floral wreaths, crosses and other signs of bereavement at Dock Houghton's house today.

Riot and disorder were rampant at the meeting in the Sixth ward last evening. One free fight occurred and half a dozen incipient fights were only quelled by the rapid sequence of events, passing so swiftly that little time was left for fighting. Not until the arrival of a squad of police did anything like order settle on the meeting and the hot heads chafed restlessly under the restraint of the blue coats. They had come to fight and they objected to the police interfering in their fun.

Pack the Hall It all happened at what purported to be a meeting of the Sixth Ward Public Ownership league. Some members of the league were undoubtedly present, but most of those who filled the large hall at Adams street and Central avenue last evening were sobriety that Hay and Fennessy had carefully gathered together to pack the meeting. Another large proportion of the rioters were friends of Dock Houghton who have no affiliation with the league.

There were two purposes of the meeting. One was to oust Dock Houghton from the remnant of control he exercises over Sixth ward politics and the other was to keep Houghton in control. The Houghtonites and the anti's were almost equal in number.

At 8 o'clock the doors of the league headquarters were opened. Houghton has had a little tutelage in politics and he and his followers were the first to crowd into the little hall.

The space was entirely inadequate even to afford standing room for all of the Dock's adherents and most of the anti's were forced to stand outside the door. This was Houghton's grand opportunity.

He moved that John Welch, the regular president of the league, and who should have taken the chair, be deposited for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman at a recent banquet of the organization and that Gus Mays, the vice president, be made

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THE DAY'S NEWS

FORECAST

Southern California: Fair Saturday; light west wind. Maximum temperature in Los Angeles yesterday, 77 degrees; minimum, 55 degrees.

- 1—Meeting closes in disorder.
2—Senators clash over rate bill.
3—Quarrels, then dies on tank.
4—Close season with comedy.
5—Sports.
6—Editorial.
7—City news.
8—Southern California news.
9—Markets.
10—Classified advertisements.
11—Public advertising.
12—Buy San Pedro terminal land.

EASTERN

Senate confirms nomination of Franklin K. Lane as a member of the interstate commerce commission.

W. H. S. Tupper departs from Chicago and leaves no address. Congress renews end of labor adjournment being expected today.

Nine succumb to heat in Chicago, over fifty prostrations being reported. Stanford White, the victim of Harry Thaw's pistol, declared to have been heavily bleb.

Senators Tillman and Bailey clash over rate bill. Automobile accident at Helena, Mont., results in death of Mrs. James Tanner. Yale professor declares it possible to lengthen average life to sixty years.

FOREIGN

Anarchistic utterances increase in action Russia and a minister is all but ready to dismiss ministry.

COAST

Prominent Idaho men fight duel to the death. Former deputy sheriff of Polk county, Minnesota, commits suicide at Seattle. State board of education members wrangle over text books at Berkeley. California promotion commission declares state's prosperity is unprecedented. Standard Oil company believed to be seeking chance to enter San Francisco's "water field." Sailing ships make big profits while steam vessels are laying idle. Vice president of Diamond Match company expires at Portland, Ore.

LOCAL

Friday Morning club holds final exercises. Chairman Spellacy thinks Phelan may be induced to run for governor. Divorce suits of United Spanish War Veterans arrive. Consolidation commission and delegates from surrounding towns get together. Bill raises fare federal court. Los Angeles breaks building records. High school's record breaking class holds its commencement exercises.