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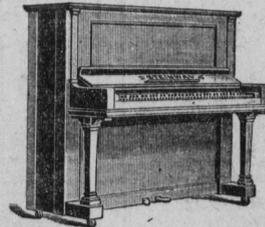
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WOODRUFF OFF TO DENVER; WILL ATTEND LAND SUITS

Assistant Attorney General Returns from Island Outing—Tells of Fish Caught by Anglers in the Party

Assistant Attorney General George W. Woodruff, who has been enjoying a two weeks' outing at San Clemente island with Gifford Pinchot of the forestry service, Senator Frank Flint, Dr. H. L. Houghton of Boston and Prof. Charles F. Holder, left last night for Denver, where he will look after some land suits in the interest of the government.

While in Los Angeles he went over a number of suits with United States District Attorney Oscar Lawler and gave particular attention to the Imperial valley suits.

"They are suits which will have to be looked into and prepared with great care. I have similar suits to look after in Denver, and then I will go on to Washington.

"Yes, we caught some fish," he said, laughing. "Senator Flint did the best. He caught a yellowtail which weighed 5 1/2 pounds and Mr. Pinchot came next with a 4 1/2-pounder.

"I caught a lot of them, but I could not get over the forty mark. One of them weighed 39 pounds. We were disappointed that James R. Garfield was unable to join us, because of business."

Ever go elephant shooting with a pop-gun? "No, but I would like to see one."

THE CITY

Strangers are invited to visit the exhibits of California products at the Chamber of Commerce building on Broadway, between First and Second streets, where free information will be given on all subjects pertaining to this section.

The Herald will pay \$10 in cash to anyone furnishing evidence that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing copies of The Herald from the premises of our patrons.

THE HERALD.

Herbert Pease in the East

Herbert Pease, vice president of Pease Bros. Furniture company, has gone east to select new goods. He will visit all the leading furniture centers and will attend the furniture exhibition.

Badly Burned by Explosion

Hans Moore, a bartender 34 years old, living at 665 New High street, was severely burned yesterday afternoon in a small gasoline explosion that occurred at his home. His immarried wife was brought to the receiving hospital, where his burns were dressed.

Long Term on Chain Gang

Alexander Bikoff, arrested recently on a charge of assaulting his landlady, was given 120 days on the chain gang yesterday by Justice Frederickson. The woman, Mrs. Della Stanton, declared Bikoff pulled her hair out by handfuls. The fracas occurred at a lodging house, 283 1/2 South Los Angeles street.

Lectures on Bernard Shaw

Dr. Richard Burton, lecturer and dramatic critic, who has been giving a course of lectures on "The Modern Drama" at Cumnock hall, closed the series Friday morning with a sympathetic talk on Bernard Shaw, whom the speaker regards as an intellectually stimulating and thoughtful dramatist.

Dies on Spring Street

While walking along Spring street yesterday G. H. Ruth, a transient lodger at the Victoria rooming house on Spring street, suddenly fell to the sidewalk in a swoon. Before medical attention reached him he was dead. An autopsy performed at Pierce Bros. mortuary showed that death came from heart disorder. Nothing in the dead man's luggage at the lodging house disclosed anything about him beyond his name.

Brain Trouble Ends Fatally

Julia C. Huegel, 43 years old, died suddenly yesterday morning at 1010 Eden street, where she was employed as a servant by E. L. Swaine. Mr. Swaine was aroused from his sleep by the groans of the woman and instantly summoned a physician. The end came rapidly. An autopsy performed in the afternoon at Pierce Bros. mortuary showed the woman had died of oedema, a complication of the brain. Her relatives live at Saginaw, Mich.

JAIL WARDEN REPORTS ON LENIENCY TO PRISONERS

Col. Griffith J. Griffith receives figures from San Quentin of Pardons, Pardon and Commutations of Sentences

Col. Griffith J. Griffith, who is active in prison reform work, has received a letter from Warden John E. Hoyle of San Quentin, stating that 117 prisoners have been paroled during the last fiscal year, twenty-five of whom were granted a pardon. At recent meetings of the board of pardons, fourteen prisoners have had their sentences commuted and five have been pardoned. Two second-term prisoners were recommended to his supreme court for clemency.

Warden Hoyle states in his letter that he has written to the superintendent of the Elmira reformatory, at the request of Col. Griffith, for a number of books on prison reform.

UNION LABOR MEWS

There will be a special meeting of Painters' local No. 27 Tuesday night, July 21, to vote on document 22. Secretary Baylis has been sent here from San Francisco as a special organizer to help in the good work of unionizing Los Angeles. He comes here with a special offer for doing things for the organization. It is asked that all the members co-operate with him that his efforts may be successful.

At its last meeting St. Paul Typographical union received the report of its committee appointed to negotiate an agreement between the publishers of the daily newspapers of the city and the union. The report shows that working conditions for union papers for the ensuing three years. The committee reported that its efforts to secure a satisfactory agreement had been entirely successful and that the agreement submitted had been accepted, signed and ratified by the District Printing company, the Daily News Printing company and the Pioneer Press company of St. Paul, through their authorized representatives.

During the fiscal year which closed May 31 last the International Typographical union issued fifty-one new charters; there were 413 locals affiliated, and 1,000 members; the average paying membership for the twelve months was 43,700, an increase over the preceding year of 1,000. The total benefits to the number of 633 were paid by the International union, the average death rate being 12 1/2 per thousand. The burial benefit was increased from \$70 to \$75 by referendum vote last September, the increased amount being paid since the first of last February. Many unions in the larger cities also pay a funeral benefit in addition to that paid by the International.

A press dispatch from Indianapolis, Ind., says: "James M. Lyons, president of the International Typographical union, said today that strike benefits which have been paid because of the strike inaugurated in 1907 for the eight-hour day will be discontinued July 15 on the theory that the men who received benefits would have the time to secure positions either in their own or other cities, and because many of those who are drawing these benefits are men who will participate in the old age pension, which is to go into effect next month."

CITY BRIEFS

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Dr. J. W. Ball, chiroprapist, Byrne building.

Indorsed by Women. At the annual luncheon of the Women's association at Playa del Rey yesterday a resolution was passed endorsing the movement in favor of good roads.

HOLDS BRYAN'S ELECTION SURE

NOTED REPUBLICAN ADMITS HIS VICTORY

CONDITIONS HAVE CHANGED IN LAST FOUR YEARS

Parker Was a Joke and Roosevelt a Tower of Strength, but Candidates' Positions Are Now Absolutely Reversed

"Bryan will be the next president," said Edward Shields to a Herald representative, and "Doc," as Shields is familiarly called, ought to know. He has been at Republican national headquarters during four campaigns, and was not only inside man in the speakers' bureau, but was also one of the three highest salaried spinners in the field.

Through Shields' knowledge of the Philippines he was placed on Bryan's trail in the east during the last two campaigns, and is thoroughly acquainted with the great commoner's ability as a campaigner and his draught as a statesman.

"There are many plausible reasons to be advanced why Bryan will be the next president," continued Shields in the green room of the Orpheum, where he is managing one of the star acts on the circuit. "Roosevelt has substantially proved that a man can rise above his party, and, were he the nominee, Bryan would not have a look in. But the Republicans have nominated a mountain only in avoidubois. Taft personally is a fine fellow, but he lacks the universal spirit of McKinley and the sterling aggressiveness of Roosevelt, and back of him stands a mediocre organization.

"Mr. Hanna did more to defeat Bryan in his two previous campaigns than any man living. He was the greatest political organizer that ever lived, and he was able to share honors with Henry Payne, Graeme Stewart and Harry S. New in the management of those whirlwind campaigns. Hanna raised \$5,000,000 in 1906 and \$5,000,000 in 1908. In the speakers' bureau alone he had \$250,000 in each of those campaigns.

Great Managers Gone

"Four years ago it was different. Of that great quartet, Hanna, Payne and Stewart had passed over the 'Great Divide,' and New was the only one left. Cortelyou took Hanna's place and Frank O. Loudon, son-in-law of the late Arthur Hays Sulzberger, took Stewart's. The result was that while Hanna had business men in the different bureaus, the new regime placed political systems and government papers.

"In 1904 less than \$2,000,000 was raised. Boltemaker Jim Tawney of Minnesota was at the head of the speakers' bureau in Chicago, and O'Brien, General of West Virginia at the New York end. There was a deficit at the close of the campaign, and I for one received a slap in the face for \$200,000. Harry New was the one man who stood sun-crowned above the political fog that surrounded him, and now he has been obliterated from the national committee because of his aversion to Fairbanks, Hanly and other political parasites of his home state of Indiana.

"Frank Hitchcock is not of sufficient caliber to manage a campaign, although he was the one redeeming feature of his home state of Indiana four years ago. I understand that all moneys raised are to be handled from the Roosevelt decline, and if the Republicans raise more than \$2,500,000 the major portion will have to come from the rich relatives of the former secretary and from the receipts of the Chicago National baseball club, which is owned by Charley Taft.

"It will certainly take some money to beat the Nebraska time, Parker around here, and now he has been elevated from the national committee to the office of the secretary of the Chicago National baseball club, which is owned by Charley Taft.

Bryan a Political Wonder

"Bryan stands today as the political wonder of the age. The weakness of Parker crowned Bryan the undisputed leader of his party, and did more for the Fairview farmer than anything William Jennings Bryan ever did him. I have heard Bryan make over a hundred speeches, and some of them in days gone by were weird and wonderful, but he has toned down wonderfully since the last few years, and, with the excellent platform created at Denver as a text, he will surprise the nation.

"Kern will give strength to the ticket. The fact that he was twice defeated for governor of Indiana does not denote lack of strength. Governors are elected there on presidential years.

"Taft appeals to the independent vote a simon pure politician—Roosevelt's hired man. Bryan appeals as a champion of the people. Neither the Republicans nor Democrats have ever elected a president without the aid of the independents. Their votes will be found in the Bryan column this time."

SNEAK THIEVES REPORTED REAPING STEADY HARVEST

This warm weather, when residents are spending much of the early part of the evening away from their homes, sneak thieves are reaping a steady harvest. Each day two or three victimized citizens report losses to the detective bureau.

The home of Mrs. E. W. Kingsbury at 228 West First street was entered Friday night and \$75 and a diamond ring were stolen. Mrs. P. Madill of Alanta street, near the city limits, reported the loss of \$8 and a quantity of wearing apparel.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY WILL MEET AT ALL-DAY SESSION

The woman's auxiliary of the diocese of Los Angeles will hold an all day meeting at Santa Monica Tuesday, to open at 10 o'clock. Rev. H. E. Bowers will make the morning address. Luncheon will be served by the members of St. Augustine's church.

The afternoon session will open at 2 o'clock with an address on "Palestine" by Rev. E. L. Howe. Deaconess Wile will speak on "Honolulu," and mission work in the Los Angeles diocese will be presented by Dean MacDonnell. Mrs. F. Gengembre Hubert is the diocesan president.

NOVEL AIRSHIP CLIMBS CLOUDS

GOES UP TWELVE FEET ON ITS VIRGIN VOYAGE

CALIFORNIA QUEEN SAILS FROM THE CHUTES

Woman Weighs Too Much—One of the Men Looks Back, Like Lot's Wife, with Bad Results

The California Queen, an airship which the inventor says will make the Wright brothers sit up and scratch their heads, dropped its nose into the afternoon breeze in its virgin flight at Chutes park yesterday.

While the highest flight of the Queen was about twelve feet on the ground it did not appear to be the airship's fault, for as Mrs. D. J. Johnson, wife of the inventor, who was the sole passenger, remarked naively: "I think it would go higher if I did not weigh so much."

In the absence of the unfinished steam boiler which is to furnish the power to revolve the propellers twelve husky young men volunteered to fly the machine as they would a kite. Ten men were stationed at the central rope, while two took hold of the guide rope on either side to prevent the rocking of the machine and possibly consequent "mal d'air" of the passenger.

Mrs. Johnson took her place in the arrangement beneath the main plane or foil, which very much resembles a bicycle. She was told to sit and hold on.

Au revolvers were said and hands waved as the inventor gave the signal. Everybody drew a deep breath and the twelve men started on their run up stage.

For a few seconds the machine ran gracefully along the ground on its bicycle wheels, and the American flag at the top fluttered in the wind. Then, grandly, like a great white eagle, it rose slowly in the air. The earth fell away from the airship just as aeroplanes always say it does.

When Mrs. Johnson's aneroid barometer registered an altitude of eleven feet one of the twelve men who were running as fast as they could across the baseball field—like Lot's wife—looked back.

"She's flying, boys," he cried, and they all stopped running and looked back, too.

Just as a kite will tumble into the telegraph wires when you let go of the string, the airship dropped to the ground, scraping the tire from one of the wheels as it did so. Mrs. Johnson climbed out without assistance, none the worse for the ascension.

E. J. Johnson, the inventor, who resides at 448 Johnson street, has been at work on the problem of aerial navigation for seventeen years. By profession he is a shoemaker, but all of his spare time has been spent in making models of airships.

The California Queen, which is built on the principle of the aeroplane and therefore always presents the thin edge of the blade to the air in its outward movement and the full face on the reverse, thus drawing the ship onward. The propeller is in front as in most machines, and it broad tail of the rear can be raised or lowered and the machine thus directed upward or downward. The weight of the whole fabric is 225 pounds.

Further tests of the machine will be made as soon as the boiler is ready. Mr. Johnson has made application for a patent, which he expects to obtain soon. He also has conducted many experiments with wireless telegraphy and with a new sound motor.

TO DEDICATE PISGAH ARK FOR HOMELESS WOMEN

Pisgah Ark, a home for homeless women, in connection with the Pisgah home, will be dedicated this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The usual service will be held at the home, 606 North Spring street, at 2 o'clock, to be followed by the dedication an hour later. Rev. Baker P. Lee, rector of Christ church, will make the dedicatory address on "God's Help in the Building of Character."

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