

TAFT SPEAKS BUT DECLINES TO EAT

President Guest of Bankers and Later Addresses Members Psi Upsilon Fraternity SAYS ONE TERM IS ENOUGH Executive's Reference to Arduous Official Duties Taken as Jest, However

WASHINGTON, April 16.—President Taft attended two banquets and made two speeches tonight, but partook of neither feast. The president was the guest of the Bankers' association in the District of Columbia early in the evening, and after addressing the bankers joined with his Washington fellow alumni of the Psi Upsilon fraternity in their annual dinner. He arrived at the latter banquet in time to participate in Psi Upsilon antics, such as were in order when he was a student at Yale, and remained until the close of the festivities.

Clever Children Take Part in Program Which Pleases Elders



LILLIAN HARRIS JEAN DAVIDSON

OPENING with that clever little sketch, "Sir Peter and Lady Teazle," the program of the children's class of Egan's institute of dramatic art proved highly interesting to the goodly gathering of papas and mammas and others that attended the performance last night held in the dramatic school's miniature theater in the majestic theater building. Ronald Merdeth and Curly Englar were the principals in Sir Peter and Lady Teazle's school for scandal, and notwithstanding their extreme youth, after the dialogue one was convinced that they were thoroughly versed in how to create scandal. "My Ships," by Anna Bradley; "My Cousin Caruso," by Pablo Ferrando; "Angelina," by Lillian Harris, and the scene from "Rivals," by Lelia Darby as Lucy, Reba Darby as Lydia and Anna Zatsok as Mrs. Mal, were other parts in the first scene that were exceedingly good. In part two Miss Gilman gave "Cupid Plays Coach" exceptionally well, while Jeddly gained a warm spot in the hearts of all present with her "Character Study." "Dead Pussy Cat," as recited by that dainty slip of a girl, Joan Davidson, and her song, "What the Rose Said to Me," left a lasting touch of sweetness in the hearts of all those present. Curly Englar closed the entertainment in a clever bit of toe dancing and song.

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STAR WITNESS AGAINST HYDE FIGHTING FOR LIFE

Dr. G. T. Twyman Undergoes Operation for Serious Malady That Halts Trial

KANSAS CITY, April 16.—Another death may be added to the weird series of tragedies which have followed the mysterious death of Col. Thomas Swope, millionaire and philanthropist. Dr. G. T. Twyman, who is said to be the state's star witness against Dr. B. C. Hyde, is battling for his life, following an operation made necessary by an unusually severe attack of appendicitis, with complications.

BIG SUFFRAGE PETITION READY FOR CONGRESS

Women of National Association Plan to Present It Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, April 16.—A graceful and courteous reply from President Taft flatly declaring that he entertained no personal feeling in connection with the hissing episode at the suffragist convention Thursday night, and mingling his regret over the incident with the sorrow of the delegates because it might be used in an unfair way to embarrass the leaders of the National American Woman Suffrage association.

ROMANCE CAUSES NATIONAL CRISIS

Bulgarian Mob Storms Prison Where Girl Is Held—21 Killed

More Trouble Expected Elopement of Turkish Woman with Christian Starts Race Riots

SOFIA, April 16.—Details have reached here of the tragic elopement of Jordan Stefanoff and Miss Saadet Hanum, a beautiful Turkish girl, at Ruzchuk. Saadet, the daughter of a devout Mahometan named Mehemed Hanum, was making purchases in a Ruzchuk shop when she lifted her veil, and Jordan Stefanoff, a bank clerk, caught a glimpse of her face, fell in love with her. Stefanoff managed to secure an interview with Saadet, and found that she reciprocated his affection. Being a desecrator of the grave residence of a relative of Stefanoff, he became so strong that she agreed to elope with her lover. She left her home late one night, and went to the residence of a relative of Stefanoff. Preparations were made for her baptism as a Christian.

PEGTOP TROUSERS COMING TO STYLE

Authority on Men's Wear Says Old Fashion Is About to Be Revived

LONDON, April 16.—"Quiz," the well known authority on men's fashions, says: Pegtop trousers are coming in again, but not accompanied by side whiskers (for "weepers") and stove-pipe hats; wherefore we may think our stars that it is possible to revive a part of an old fashion without reviving the whole. Of course, our pegtops are not the pegtops of the 'sixties and the 'seventies—those exaggerated affairs which had the effect of blunting the man of average height down into a dwarf or blunting the tall man down into a man of average height, which flopped about at the hips like the pantaloons of the gendarmier, so that the wearer, in order to keep them steady in the walk, had to put his hands in their pockets and strain them out at the sides after the fashion of the circus clown. But they are pegtops all the same, however, they may be not the same but different. Full at the hip and full at the knee, the trousers of the time get narrower and narrower down the leg until they fit snugly over the instep, and as this style is the most difficult of all trousers to make and to make up with anything like success, I repeat the advice I have so often given, which is, go to a first-class tailor and pay a few extra shillings for first-class work.

Mlle. Cavallieri Will Wed Chanler in Fall

Noted Songbird Says Acceptance Was Practically Unconditional

PARIS, April 15.—"It looks like an acceptance in principle," said Mlle. Lina Cavallieri, the grand opera singer, tonight, referring to the cabigrams that have passed between her and Robert W. Chanler of New York, grandson of the late John Jacob Astor. Mlle. Cavallieri went on to say she had sent a message to Mr. Chanler, in keeping with the promise she had made prior to sailing to Europe, accepting his proposal of marriage, on condition that the marriage should take place on her return to New York in the fall. Mr. Chanler replied, so she said laughingly, "I accept unconditionally."

U. S. Squadron Gives Cup to Chinese Navy

Presentation Made by Rear Admiral Hubbard on Flagship

AMOY, April 16.—The festivities in honor of the American sailors continued today. The silver loving cup, the gift of the American second squadron to the Chinese navy in commemoration of the visit to Amoy during the around-the-world voyage, was presented by Rear Admiral Hubbard, commander of the Atlantic fleet and was formally accepted by Admiral Ching. The presentation took place on the flagship Haichi. Admiral Hubbard spoke and Prince Ching replied. After the presentation Prince Ching gave a public reception to the American officers at the parade ground, the guests numbering 900.

Huge U. S. Fleet Going Around World in 1912

CHICAGO, April 16.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says: President Taft and Secretary of the Navy Myer plan to send the greatest battle-ship fleet ever assembled around the world. The program will become operative July 1 this year, and by 1912 the plans will have culminated and the fleet will begin the trip, which will overshadow that which the sixteen battleships made at the close of the Roosevelt administration. If congress allows the administration a free hand there will be a fleet on the Pacific larger than the entire American fleet at the time of the Spanish-American war.

LOS ANGELES MAN HURT AS AUTO IS WRECKED

SAN GREGORIO, Cal., April 16.—Frank H. Burke of San Francisco, Earl Lovell, chauffeur of E. J. Steele of Pasadena, and a Eureka merchant named Conroy are in the San Gregorio hotel suffering from severe injuries received here this afternoon, when Steele's automobile skidded off the roadway and turned several somersaults down an embankment, a distance of more than thirty feet. F. Fitzgerald, an Angeles capitalist, and Steele received only minor bruises, and proceeded to Steele's country home at Porquay. The accident occurred about a mile and a half north of this place.

FINDING OF CHILD'S BODY REVEALS REVOLTING CRIME

CHICAGO, April 16.—A revolting murder was unearthed here today, when the body of 6-year-old Freda Doverska, daughter of Marshall Doverska, a baker of 1461 Teal place, was found in a disused shed two doors away. Before the murder, which was investigated by the police, a candy store on Thursday evening. She purchased the candy and that was the last seen of her alive.

REPORT MISS MAUL IS FOUND IN AUSTIN, TEXAS

PITTSBURG, April 16.—It is reported that Miss Anna Maul, who is said to be a large stockholder in a prominent local bank, has been located in Austin, Texas, after a ten years search for her. A few days ago Miss Maul drew on the bank here for several hundred dollars, informing the bankers that she was a stockholder and had not drawn a dividend for ten years. This draft gave Pittsburg relatives a clue to her whereabouts.

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ONCE NOTED PAINTER DIES IN POVERTY AND OBSCURITY

CINCINNATI, April 16.—Penniless and almost forgotten, Edwin Cridland, whose paintings a half century ago attracted attention in this country and in Europe, and who was a learned astronomer, is dead in a hospital in this city. According to accepted statements, domestic troubles turned the course of his life. He was first time today, a companion in John Bruce. Together the two lived practically isolated in this city for half a century till last year, when Bruce died. For many years the two men applied themselves to astronomy, and it was their claim at one time that they expected to perfect a telescope that would show living persons and their movements on the various planets.

GOMEZ APPOINTS THREE NEW CABINET MEMBERS

HAVANA, April 16.—President Gomez today appointed the following as new members of the cabinet: Martin Morua Delgado, secretary of agriculture and commerce, succeeding Otelio Felo. Congressman Mario Garcia Kohly, secretary of public instruction, succeeding Dr. Ramon Meza. Emilio Del Juno, secretary of justice, succeeding Luis Octavio Divino. The latter is the only Zayista member of the ministry. Delgado, who was formerly president of the senate, is the first negro to receive a portfolio.

RESCUE MAN AT SEA

VICTORIA, B. C., April 16.—The steam whaler Orion returned to Secon station today with Mike Cletotet, a trapper, who was picked up in the open, clinging to an overturned boat. With his partner, Hans Hansen, he set out from Kuyotot in a small boat, which was overturned by a big wave. Hansen was drowned, but Cletotet managed to reach the overturned boat and clung to it twelve hours until rescued by the whaler.

NUNS SAVE HOSPITAL PATIENTS

CLEVELAND, O., April 16.—While the convent of St. Augustine, in Lakewood, was blazing last night the fifty nuns driven from their cells carried the sick from the convent hospital into the street. The convent was wholly consumed.

ADMITS NAME IS WEZLER; DENIES SLAYING WOMAN

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Charles J. Wezler, identified here yesterday as the man wanted in Gig Harbor, Wash., to answer a charge of killing Mrs. Henry Shultz, admitted today that he has been living in San Francisco under the name of Wezler, but denied that he has ever been near the scene of the crime of which he is accused. He claims to have come here from Texas. Mrs. Lottie Freeman, who identified Wezler yesterday, is the wife of Charles Freeman, a deserter from the navy, who was pardoned by President Taft a few days ago on the plea that his wife was dying of consumption. Mrs. Freeman denies any knowledge of the crime for which Webster is wanted by the Washington officials.

GRANTS REQUISITIONS FOR THREE ALLEGED KIDNAPERS

SACRAMENTO, April 16.—At the close of a stubbornly fought hearing, Governor Gillett this afternoon issued requisitions on the governor of Missouri for the return to Bakersfield of T. W. Helm, Jr., Dewitt Helm and Sir L. E. Roberts for the alleged kidnaping of T. W. Helm's three-year-old son at Bakersfield, April 1. T. W. Helm, Jr., is the father of the child and his wife is suing him for divorce.

JURY CONVICTS AND COURT FINES EIGHT NIGHT RIDERS

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 16.—Eight of the alleged night riders of Grant county, Ky., on trial in the United States district court at Covington, Ky., were found guilty by a jury today. Three others were acquitted. Fines ranging from \$100 to \$1000 were assessed by Judge Cochran, who released the men on their own recognizances pending an appeal to higher courts.

MINISTER CALHOUN IN CHINA

PEKING, April 16.—William J. Calhoun, the newly appointed minister to China, arrived today and was met at the railway station by members of the American legation, a representative of the foreign office and the legation's marine guard.

NEGRO GIVEN LIFE TERM FOR MURDER OF FAMILY

GIRARD, Kas., April 16.—Fred Parks, a negro, was sentenced to prison for life today for the murder of his wife and two children in a front porch near Frontenac November 26. He was taken to prison a few hours later. By an agreement made before trial, Parks went to trial, Edward Charles, who was with Parks on the night of the murders will plead guilty and accept a penitentiary sentence.

NOTED IRISHMEN COMING

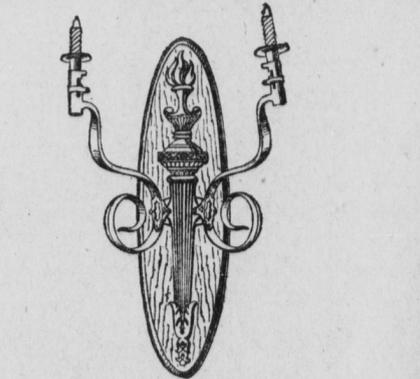
LONDON, April 16.—John E. Redmond, M. P., chairman of the Irish party, today cabled to John O'Callaghan, national secretary of the United Irish League of America, that he, R. P. O'Connor, M. P., and Joseph Devlin, M. P., would attend the fifth biennial convention of the United Irish League of America when it was held, probably at the end of September.

GOVERNMENT SEEKS STOCK

SAN DIEGO, April 16.—A. R. Frank, stock superintendent and special disbursing agent of the federal government, is in San Diego in search of high grade stock for the big government ranch at Mesa Grande. Mr. Frank states that it is the intention of the government to make the big ranch noted for its blooded stock.

FORMER JUDGE DIES SUDDENLY

ALAMEDA, April 16.—Former Judge James A. Wayne died suddenly today in his home in this city from heart failure, attributed to his advanced age. He was a boyhood friend of President McKinley and served in the latter's regiment during the Civil War.



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