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You ought to "look and see" whether there's an ad printed today that should be answered NOW. Weather Today: Fair.

THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO THE GULF

President Arrives in St. Louis Early in Morning and Will Find no Rest Until Late in the Afternoon.

PRESIDENT'S 'POSSUM' IS STOLEN FROM THE TRAIN

Train Bearing Party Stops at Texarkana, Where an Immense Crowd Had Gathered but Only Brief Speech Made.

CHILDREN HEAR SERMON

Little Rock, Oct. 24.—President Taft left Texas this afternoon after a passing time in that state, and is speeding to-night towards St. Louis, where he will arrive at 7:30 a. m. tomorrow. With an informal breakfast, a speech in the St. Louis auditorium, a luncheon and the dedication of the government building in East St. Louis before him, the President will have every moment of his time occupied up to 3 o'clock tomorrow.

Voice Still Weak.

Mr. Taft's voice this morning had shown no improvement over yesterday and after he had made a few short addresses in Texas and Arkansas, it was almost completely gone.

The President's physician is at work on the executive's vocal chords in the hope of having them in some degree ready for the Auditorium speech in St. Louis tomorrow. There is little hope for permanent improvement, however, short of three or four days.

Talk at Little Rock.

The train arrived in Little Rock shortly after 8 o'clock and left for St. Louis ten minutes later. The President's voice had somewhat improved and he spoke briefly here. He also spoke a few words at Texarkana, where the train was halted for a few minutes. The President's voice had so far gone from his earlier attempts to speak that he could only say a word or two in appreciation of his welcome.

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Charles N. Fowler, Congressman from Fifth New Jersey District, Desires to Discuss Question of a Central Bank.

RHODE ISLAND SENATOR IS SENT OPEN LETTER

Challenger Says Public Should Hear Both Sides of the Question, and Submits the Points He Will Debate.

OPPOSES THE NEW PLAN

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 24.—Charles N. Fowler, congressman from the Fifth New Jersey district and former chairman of the house committee on banking and currency, addressed an open letter to Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island, chairman of the monetary committee, and carried on for the purpose of opposing the new plan for a central bank.

Should Hear Both Sides.

"I am convinced that this country does not want a central bank, because it will not effect nor accomplish the necessary reforms, but in the end will make a bad condition immeasurably worse, therefore—in order that the American people, who I know will decide this most important question now pending before them for consideration and determination, should be fully informed of the merits of both sides of the question, I am presenting to you a copy of an open letter which I have written to you, and which I am sure you will find of interest and value."

"First—a central bank will not effect nor accomplish the necessary reforms as proposed, because it will not be a central bank, but a central bank of the present evils and precipitate and develop into a most serious nature."

DR. COOK WILL TALK TO THE DRY FARMERS

Missoula, Mont., Oct. 24.—A telegram from Dr. Cook today announces that he will leave Minneapolis on the North Coast limited Tuesday and arrive in Missoula at 10 p. m. Wednesday night. After spending the night here he will go to Hamilton by automobile and lecture there Thursday night.

JAMES D. MURDOCH'S DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

I will to the best of my ability safeguard the interest of the people in so far as I am able with the assistance of the council and the heads of departments. There will be equal rights extended to all and special privileges to none. I will endeavor to bring about competition in all classes of public contracts, and beg to assure all bidders that they will receive fair and courteous treatment at my hands.

ROOSEVELT OUT AFTER ELEPHANT

Wants to Kill One Where It Can Be Properly Mounted and Saved.

Nairobi, British East Africa, Saturday, Sept. 23.—Former President Roosevelt, accompanied by his son Kermit, Edmond Heller and R. J. Cunningham, left for Nyeri, in the early days of August, with the intention of getting a bull, a cow and a calf elephant.

DEATH TAKES A FAMOUS JURIST

Justice Rufus Peckham of the U. S. Supreme Court Passes Away.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Rufus Peckham, justice of the United States supreme court, died at his summer home at Altamont at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

FIRST BATTLE WON BY REBELS

Wireless Dispatches Show Nicaragua in Hands of Revolutionists.

Bluefields, Nicaragua, Oct. 24.—(By Wireless via Colon).—The tug Blanca, which arrived here from Greytown brings news of the first important battle of the revolution.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD!

Always to the fore in providing for its readers the best that is going, always on the lookout for a feature that will entertain and instruct, The Herald-Republican has secured in "Dolly Dimples" a feature that is sure to prove interesting.

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MINISTERS IN NEW YORK PLUITS

Take Occasion to Play the Political Boss and Much Vehemence Marks Sermons.

RECEPTION IS GIVEN AT THE HOTEL ASTOR

A Preacher Declares That While Mayor Is Studying Science, the Tammany Boss Is Washing Glasses.

HEARST MAKES ADDRESS

New York, Oct. 24.—With the exception of a reception at the Hotel Astor to William Randolph Hearst, the independent, or Civic Alliance, candidate for mayor, political activity in Greater New York today centered almost wholly in the pulpit.

TRY TO FREE DE LARA

Friends of Mexican Suspect Promise to Raise Bonds by Today.

MINISTER OF FINANCE TO DISCUSS RAILROADS

St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—Dispatches say M. Kokovoff, the Russian minister of finance, has arrived at Harbin, where on Tuesday he will meet Prince Li, president of the privy council of Japan, to discuss the general situation, particularly with regard to the railroads in Manchuria.

RIVER RISES 60 FEET.

Wind 95 Miles an Hour During Record-Breaking Storm.

AN ALASKAN MOUNT CLIMBER REFUTES COOK'S STATEMENT

Jacob Suter Says Wall of Ice Stopped Explorer From Ascending Mount McKinley.

Bellingham, Wash., Oct. 24.—Jacob Suter, a former Alaska miner and mountaineer, today issued a statement in which he says Dr. Cook never reached the top of Mount McKinley, and that the explorer was forced to abandon his attempt to gain the summit after climbing eight thousand feet, a wall of ice barring his further ascent.

WHOLESALE MURDER AND TORTURE TOLD BY OFFICER

Brussels, Oct. 24.—New atrocities in the Congo Independent state have been revealed by an officer of a rubber company. He has reported that between 1907 and 1909 a number of the companies' agents tortured and killed many natives, and that the natives were chained and impressed the natives to force them to work, and burned villages. The minister of the colonies has ordered an inquiry.