

PAGE RECEIVES OFFICIAL NOTE

Ambassador Is Preparing Reply to Secretary of State Bryan's Demand.

Condensation of Monroe Doctrine Remarks Leads to Confused Understanding of Speech.

London, March 13.—Ambassador Walter Hines Page today received from Secretary of State Bryan notification of the United States senate in regard to his speech on the Panama canal and the Monroe doctrine, delivered before the Association of Chambers of Commerce on Wednesday.

The secretary of state requested the ambassador to cable an explanation of the speech and Mr. Page immediately began the preparation of his reply.

After reading fuller accounts of the proceedings in the senate, Ambassador Page came to the conclusion that the senators had been misled by the excessive condensation of his remarks in regard to his interpretation of the Monroe doctrine.

Mr. Page declared that he distinctly had said that the United States would object to or prohibit any European power from taking more territory in the new world and then in concluding, had said amid the laughter of the audience:

"So you see that the United States would prefer that no European powers should gain more territory in the new world."

The ambassador's remarks, he declared, had been too greatly condensed. When referring to the Panama canal, he had said that Great Britain would profit most from the canal because she owned the great bulk of the world's shipping.

THEATERS

AT THE ORPHEUM.

The present week's bill of Empress vaudeville, that opened at the Orpheum theatre yesterday afternoon contains a lot of light entertainment, in which a trained donkey of the long-eared variety, and one of the short-eared variety carry off the honors in separate acts. The rest of the bill is of average merit, though parts of it were very well received.

Sylvester, the talkative trickster, opens the performance with an exhibition of magic, in which it is hard to tell which are tricks or which is talk. His talk at times borders on the "raw," but several of his tricks are new.

His act is followed by Barton and Lovera, presenting "a little idea of their own." The "idea" proved to be good entertainment, Lovera being a graceful dancer who dances in several different languages. Her efforts are parodied by Barton, in comedy

garb. The couple received several curtain calls.

Richard Milloy and George Mackey present a dramatic sketch entitled "The Fighter and the Boss." The act loses much of its effectiveness owing to Milloy "chewing" his words so that only about half of them are understood.

Katherine Klare, a lyric soprano, sings some up-to-date Irish songs that please everyone.

Joe Whitehead, the party of the "second part," referred to in the introduction to this criticism, bills himself as "a merry wag with a bunch of squirrel food," an introduction which proved quite correct. He is a good entertainer and kept the audience in continuous laughter.

"A day at the Circus" closes the vaudeville performance. In this the long-eared mule is the star. The animal is trained to a marked degree, showing rare intelligence. It adds, subtracts, and divides figures up to 15 units in any way the audience calls for, goes to bed, drinks a bottle of wine, plays an old melody with strings of bells and proves itself an adept at bucking. Some well-trained dogs and a Shetland pony also perform in the act, the whole being well received.

A Keystone picture entitled "The Riot" follows the vaudeville and furnished a lot of laughter.

FARMING CONTESTS OF THE Y. M. M. I.

Arrangements are being made by the officials of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association of the Mormon church to conduct a series of farming and gardening contests during the coming summer. One-half acre of ground will be utilized by each contestant and the object of the contests is to encourage the boys to follow the two industries.

The contestants must be between 12 and 18 years of age and the affair will be known as the "boys' half acre contest. The boys' club idea may be followed out but each club must not consist of more than five members and each boy must have the unit of ground called for.

The boys are to decide what crop to plant, the frequency of irrigation and how the crop shall be cultivated and marketed. They will also be expected to keep an accurate account of expenses incurred, do as much of the work themselves as is possible and keep an account of what they receive from the marketing of the produce.

OGDEN WHOLESALE DRUG ENTERTAINS

The Ogden Wholesale Drug company was host last night at a banquet given to the retail druggists of Weber, Boxelder and Davis counties and their clerks. The affair took place in the Weber club and proved a

splendid social success, with business affairs virtually forgotten.

John C. Culley was toastmaster and he proved to be eminently fitted for the position, his introductions befitting with original quips of humor and his toasts well chosen.

Among the speakers were J. H. F. Last and Charles Empey, president and manager of the company. Mr. Empey, in his talk, said that the affair had been arranged to bring the trade into closer social relations and a better personal acquaintanceship.

The banquet was excellently served by the dining room attaches of the club, under the direction of Chef William Soell and was thoroughly enjoyed. The menu was as follows:

- Martini Cocktail
- Clear Green Turtle
- Gifford Ripe Olives
- Celery Crisp
- Oyster Burgundy
- Sparkling Burgundy
- Broiled Sweetbreads on Toast with Bacon
- Roast Young Turkey
- Candied Sweet Potatoes
- Martini Asparagus
- Combination Salad
- Charlotte Russe
- Demi Tasse
- Osmundo Cigars
- Phillip Morris Cigarettes

A FAIR WARNING

One That Should Be Heeded by Ogden Residents.

Frequently the first sign of kidney trouble is a slight ache or pain in the loins. Neglect of this warning makes the way easy for more serious troubles—dropsy, gravel, Bright's disease. It is well to pay attention to the first sign. Weak kidneys generally grow weaker and delay is often dangerous. Residents of this locality place reliance in Doan's Kidney Pills. This tested remedy has been used in kidney trouble over 50 years—is recommended all over the civilized world. Read the following:

Mrs. Albert Seaton, 634 22nd St., Ogden, Utah, says: "I believe that Doan's Kidney Pills are the most meritorious remedy on the market and I hold this opinion as their use in my home has proven it to be true. A case of kidney complaint readily yielded to Doan's Kidney Pills in a very short time. We procured our supply from the Culley Drug Co."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Seaton had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

NEW WAY OF KEEPING JOB

New York, March 13.—A new way of keeping tab on city officers and city affairs has been developed through the organized association of the grand jury. It is composed thus far of about eighty members of the general grand jury panel and has been forming secretly for some time. Leonard H. Handker is president. From four to eight members of eight current grand juries will be asked or allowed to join.

O'GORMAN LEADS SENATE FIGHT

Inquiry Into Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Precipitated by Debate.

CHARGES OF LOBBYING

Senators Probe Contributions Made to Organization—Appeal of Tolls Exemption Hotly Contested.

Washington, March 13.—James Brown Scott, secretary of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, testified today before the senate lobby committee. He submitted the financial statements of contributions and contributors to the support of the institution and record of disbursements. Inquiry into the endowment was precipitated by the charge made in executive session of the senate by Senator O'Gorman that its main purpose was not to promote international peace, but to bring about British-American alliance in the interest of a selected few who supported the institution.

Senator O'Gorman is leading the fight in the senate against repeal of the Panama canal tolls exemption, and the lobby committee sought to find if men interested in the endowment were in any way interested in that issue.

BIG WARSHIP TO VISIT TEXAS

Largest and Newest Super-dreadnought to Sail for Galveston—May Join Fleet.

Washington, D. C., March 13.—The largest and newest vessel in the navy, the super-dreadnought Texas, which was placed in commission yesterday at Norfolk, Va., will pay a visit in the next few weeks to the state in whose honor she was named. After dropping in first at her home navy yard, which will be New York, the big battleship will steam away from Galveston, where a silver service from the state of Texas is to be presented to the stern fighter.

While no official announcement has been made, it is believed here that advantage may be taken of this trip to have the Texas join the American fleet in Mexican waters or replace one of the battleships now there. This giant of the seas is 27,000 tons displacement, whereas the former vessel which bore the name Texas and which saw valiant service in the Spanish-American war, later being used as a target for battleship practice in Chesapeake bay, was of only a little

MILLINERY

The Leader

2351 WASHINGTON AVE

HATS, DRESSES, COATS, ETC.

Preliminary Display of Spring Millinery and Garments

Exclusive, Ultra Fashionable Styles

For Saturday we announce a Preliminary Display of Exquisite Spring Millinery, including the latest dictates of Dame Fashion. Styles that are "DIFFERENT" and out of the ordinary will be featured. There are dress hats, semi-dress and street hats in infinite variety, in black and all the leading colors for spring. We make a specialty of Children's and Misses Hats, also a complete line of Hat Shapes and Millinery Supplies at most reasonable prices.

Spring Suits \$12.75, \$15.00, \$17.50, \$22.50 & Up

Special attention is called to our handsome new Spring Suits which come in all the new materials such as wool crepes, basket weaves, serges, novelty suitings, plain silks, moire silks, etc. in the new eton, bolero, vestee, girdle, and other effects; paneled, tiered, apron and yoke skirts. There are plain blacks, plain colors and fancy combinations in all the new and most favored spring shades, such as wisteria, Tango, navy, Copenhagen, reseda, peacock, Nile, bottle green new shades of grey, brown, tan, purple, and black and white combinations. Made with plain kimono, butterfly and 2-4 length sleeves, of many different kinds. Extraordinary values at above prices.

Coats from \$10 up

Handsome styles in Spring Coats in the new short and three-quarter lengths in diagonal, novelty checks, invisible plaids, novelty cloths, plain and moire silks, in black and leading colors. Many are made with kimono sleeves and in semi-belted styles, and many have fancy oriental trimmings, at prices ranging upward from \$10.00.

Waists, Dresses, Skirts, Silk Petticoats, House Dresses, Kimonos, Dressing Sacques, etc. at Popular Prices. See Our Windows.



Gigantic Undermuslin Sale

SALE STARTS SATURDAY, MARCH 14

Undermuslins for the Thrifty as well as the Fastidious

LOT A Specially Priced **25c** See Our Windows

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GIVEN AWAY—FREE—TALKING MACHINES

LOT B SPECIALLY PRICED.

50c

REMEMBER SALE LASTS ONE WEEK.

How to Get One of These Machines Free

YOU DON'T PAY ONE SINGLE PENNY FOR THIS MACHINE. We are simply acting as distributing agents for the manufacturers, and ask that you, out of appreciation for the free machine, buy their make of records, which are superior to others.

Commencing this date a free talking machine coupon will be given with every purchase, according to the amount of your sale. For example: If your purchase amounts to \$2.50, you will receive coupons to that amount you save these: when you have a total amounting to \$25.00 worth of coupons, BRING THEM IN AND EXCHANGE THEM FOR A TALKING MACHINE ABSOLUTELY FREE. We have just 16 of these machines, and first come first served in distributing them. Ask for a coupon.

LOT C SPECIALLY PRICED.

75c

Sale starts Saturday and runs to following Saturday.

SALE STARTS SATURDAY morning at 8:30 and lasts up to and including the following Saturday. You cannot afford to miss this money-saving opportunity. Not in years have undermuslins been priced so low as during this sale. Conditions have been ideal for both you and us. This will be the event of the season in undermuslins.

LOT D—SPECIALLY PRICED.

We know these claims are made at all sales, but we invite you to come and COMPARE THE GARMENTS which are HERE at your service **1.00** with OTHERS sold at even greater prices.

LOT E—SPECIALLY PRICED.

Now is just the time that this sale will be appreciated, when you can begin to wear garments of this weight and discard the flannels **1.25** for the new.

There are many small lots of special value which we could not illustrate. Stroll through the store and verify our claims.

Men's Suits and Coats just arrived—specially priced

RASMUSSEN'S

ALWAYS BUSY STORE

Just arrived, a very beautiful lot of Fancy Rufflings and Ruchings. Specially priced 25c.

WOMEN MAY VOTE SOON IN DENMARK

Copenhagen, Denmark, March 13.—An agreement reached today between the Socialist, radical and moderate parties which control majorities in both houses of parliament, assures the passage of a constitutional reform bill under the provisions of which all elector qualifications are abolished and suffrage is granted women.

PLANNING TO HELP THE UNEMPLOYED

New York, March 13.—Plans for the immediate remedying of the conditions of the unemployed will be discussed late today at a meeting of the Religious Citizenship League, composed of ministers of all denominations. Albert Turner, Frank Strawn, Hamilton Joseph O'Carroll and other industrial workers of the World leaders have been invited to speak.

MILITANT COMMENT ON MUTUAL JUSTICE

London, England, March 13.—"Votes for Women," the suffragette news paper, edited by Frederick and Emmeline Pethick Lawrence, comments today on the mutilation on the Rokeby Venus in the National Gallery as follows: "Miss May Richardson has demonstrated once more that society rests on mutual forbearance and consent and that if one section, however powerful, outrages the feelings of another section, however small, there are means of retaliation open to those who have been wronged which will be keenly felt by the community at large."

JAPS TO BUILD MORE WARSHIPS

Tokio, March 13.—Appropriation for the construction of new ships for the Japanese navy was reduced by the house of peers today by \$15,000,000, bringing the figure down to \$45,000,000. The reduction was adopted by 240 to 44 votes.

PARIS THESPIANS IN SWORD DUEL

Quarrel Over Sharp Tilt Between Wives and Code of Honor Is Carried Out.

Paris, France, March 13.—A sword duel fought today between Jacques Richepin, son of Jean Richepin, the "immortal," and Pierre Frondaie, author of a play now being performed in Paris, resulted in the wounding of Frondaie.

The quarrel arose out of an incident in the lobby of a theatre on Wednesday. Mme. Frondaie, it is alleged, made some cutting remarks to Jacques Richepin's wife, known as Mme. Cora Laparcerie, who is co-manager of the theatre.

M. Frondaie took full responsibility for his wife's comments and was thereupon challenged to fight by M. Richepin.

The encounter took place in the suburb of Neuilly. More than a hundred notable literary and dramatic men, numerous reporters, photographers and moving picture operators watched the combat.

The wives of both principals appeared on the scene, but were not allowed to watch the combat. They remained on the road outside in their automobiles where they were surrounded by crowds of women friends. They could hear the sounds of the clashing of swords.

During the first bout neither combatant was touched. In the second, however, M. Richepin's sword penetrated M. Frondaie's forearm and the engagement was brought to an end.

Jean Richepin then embraced his son, and his wife threw herself into the surgeon to dress her husband's wound.

The combatants left the ground without being reconciled.

FRECKLES

February and March Worst Months For This Trouble—How to Remove Easily.

There's a reason why nearly everybody freckles in February and March, but happily there is also a remedy for these ugly blemishes, and no one need stay freckled.

Simply get an ounce of othine, double strength, from your druggist and apply a little of it night and morning; and in a few days you should see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the light ones have vanished entirely. Now is the time to rid yourself of freckles, for if not removed now they will stay all summer, and spoil an otherwise beautiful complexion. Your money back if othine fails.

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