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WEATHER: Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday; Probably showers Sunday; light fresh south winds.

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CHIPLEY MURDERER KILLED BY POSSE

Negro Who Shot Marshal Watson Rounded up by Officers Near Cottondale.

A PITCHED BATTLE

Fought With Desperado Who Refused to Surrender.

TOOK REFUGE IN CABIN, THEN SALLIED FORTH AND FIRED UPON POSSE WHO RIDDLED HIM WITH BULLETS—TWO MEMBERS OF POSSE HAD NARROW ESCAPES.

Special to The Journal. Chipley, June 30.—A posse of twenty men from Chipley, Cottondale and Allie, headed by Tom Watts who have been scouring the country for the past two days with dogs hunting for the desperado "Doc" Peterson, alias Joe Johnson, who shot Marshal Watson at the jail in this place on Tuesday, were rewarded this evening at 2 o'clock when the negro was tracked to the Goodwin plantation, six miles west of Cottondale.

The negro took refuge in a cabin, heavily armed, and refused to surrender. After a number of shots were fired into the building he came to the door, threw it open, and opened fire on the posse, one shot striking and making a hole in the vest of Mr. Watts at the waist and another bullet going near the head of a man named Resher from Cottondale. The fire was returned and a general fusillade followed, fifty or more shots being fired, and the negro was killed instantly. None of the posse was injured.

Marshall Godwin, colored, is in jail for harboring Peterson as are two others who are suspected of smuggling the pistol into the jail with Marshal Watson was shot.

Resher Watson is in a critical condition and is not expected to survive the night. Everything is quiet in town.

Peterson was followed yesterday to the vicinity of Allie, five miles east of town, when a heavy rain made it impossible for the bloodhounds to follow the scent.

EXCITEMENT OVER AT WATKINSVILLE

By Associated Press. Watkinsonville, Ga., June 30.—Excitement here over the lynching of eight men yesterday has about died out and efforts are being directed to discovering who composed the mob. The body of Aycock, the only white man killed, was buried today.

The citizens will meet tomorrow to pass resolutions condemning the lynching and offer their services to the state in bringing the members of the mob to justice.

CASE AGAINST MITCHELL WAS NOT SUBSTANTIATED

By Associated Press. Portland, Oregon, June 30.—Former Senator John M. Thurston began argument today in the United States Circuit Court in defense of Senator John H. Mitchell. He declares the mass of testimony introduced by the government did not substantiate the charges of the indictment. The case cannot go to the jury before tomorrow.

ARTILLERYMAN ARRESTED FOR MAKING BOGUS COIN

By Associated Press. Honolulu, June 30.—J. T. Cooper, one of the soldiers of the Twenty-fourth regiment of coast artillery, arrested on charges of counterfeiting, passing and possessing spurious gold coins, has confessed his guilt. He said the coins were made here and when it was found they would not pass readily he became frightened and destroyed the plates. He says he threw out 250 of the counterfeit coins made. Very few had been passed.

Rockefeller Gives Ten Millions for Education

By Associated Press. New York, June 30.—John D. Rockefeller has given ten million dollars, non-sectarian and will favor institutions already well established. There will be no attempt to reconstitute moribund schools. It may be used for endowment, buildings, current expenses or for any purpose which is found serviceable.

New Secretary of the Navy Who Will Take Office To-day



CARICATURE SKETCH OF CHARLES J. BONAPARTE. Mr. Bonaparte is a grandnephew of Napoleon 1st and will be the new head of the Navy. It is also rumored that he later on will be offered the portfolio of attorney general.

AMERICAN SQUADRON ARRIVES IN FRANCE

FLEET OF ADMIRAL SIGSBEE, WHICH WILL RETURN WITH BODY OF PAUL JONES, ENTHUSIASTICALLY WELCOMED AT PORT OF CHERBOURG FRIDAY MORNING.

By Associated Press. Cherbourg, June 30.—The American squadron, commanded by Rear Admiral Sigsbee, consisting of the armored cruiser Brooklyn, flagship, and the protected cruisers Chattanooga, Tacoma and Galveston, which is to convey the body of Admiral John Paul Jones to the United States, arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning and was greeted with the roar of guns from the land forts and warships and the dipping of flags on board all the vessels in the harbor.

The American squadron presented a handsome appearance as it approached, with the Brooklyn leading the line. The batteries at the arsenal fired a welcoming salute of twenty-one guns to which the four American vessels answered gun for gun. The squadron anchored in the inner harbor at a point designated by Admiral Besson, commander of the port.

FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS ON U. S. NAVAL RESERVATIONS

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—In furtherance of a movement begun by it some months ago, the executive council of the Public and Federal Educational Association of this city has requested the National Educational Association which meets at Asbury Park, N. J., next week to use its influence for public schools on United States naval reservations. The effort had its inception thirty years ago and in his last annual message to congress President Roosevelt called attention to the lack of school facilities on these reservations, and urged legislation looking to the establishment upon them of public schools.

Military Operations Cease.

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BLOODY SCENES FOLLOWED MUTINY OF BLUEJACKETS

Revolt Result of a Plan Concocted by Members of Revolutionary Organization.

COMRADES KILLED

Mutineers Turned Guns Upon Both Sailors and Officers.

BATTLESHIP WEIGHED ANCHOR AT DAYLIGHT FOR UNKNOWN DESTINATION—OFFICIALS CHARACTERIZE UPRISING AS "DRUNKEN ANARCHY"—THRONE OF RUSSIA SERIOUSLY MENACED.

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The official version of the revolt puts a new light on the affair. It is claimed that the mutiny was the result of a plan concocted between twenty sailors, who were members of the revolutionary organization. The complaints about bad food, it is alleged, was only a pretext. When the complaint was made to the captain of the battleship he assembled the bluejackets on deck, asking those who were satisfied to step forth. It was seen that they were in the majority. Then the minority, headed by the revolutionists, seized guns and turned them on their comrades. Bloody scenes followed, nine officers and many men were killed or jumped overboard and the mutineers, placing the remaining officers in irons, took charge of the ship and sailed for Odessa after hoisting the red flag.

The Potemkine weighed anchor at daylight. Three wounded officers were retained on board and the others were sent ashore yesterday morning. During the night many steamers in the harbor which escaped the flames, sailed away. Rear Admiral Kruger's squadron had not arrived when the last report was received.

The official giving the information said: "This is not revolution; it is merely drunken anarchy."

THRONE OF RUSSIA SERIOUSLY MENACED.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—Not since the unsuccessful insurrection in December, 1825, when a portion of the guard regiments joined in an attempt to set up a republic in Russia has the situation of the autocracy and the Romanoff dynasty been so serious. Nevertheless, the crisis may be passed in a few days. Either the open revolt will by that time be stamped out or the flames will have spread possibly beyond the hope of control. At the admiralty it is said that Rear Admiral Kruger's squadron is expected to arrive at Odessa during the day. No explanation is offered of the squadron's sailing from Sebastopol nor of the nature of Kruger's orders. It is admitted, although great reticence is manifested, that at 9 o'clock last night the Kniaz Potemkine was firing into the city. The officials consider it possible that the crew were probably drunk and were supporting the strikers and rev-

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NEGOTIATIONS FOR AN ARMISTICE IN MANCHURIA

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—It is understood on good authority that negotiations are progressing in Manchuria for an armistice, which it is believed will be drawn up by Linevitch and Oyama. The administration plan is for the plenipotentiaries to be announced after an armistice has been arranged, but should negotiations for an armistice fail to indicate early conclusion of an agreement the plenipotentiaries may be made in the near future.

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BASEBALL

By Associated Press. American League. Washington 1, New York 4. St. Louis-Chicago, postponed, rain. Cleveland 2, Detroit 0. National League. Philadelphia 7, Boston 3. Brooklyn 6, New York 5. Pittsburgh 3, St. Louis 2. No more games scheduled. South Atlantic League. Jacksonville 2, Charleston 3. Macon 1, Savannah 4; six innings, rain. Columbia 8, Augusta 5. Southern League. Atlanta 3, Birmingham 2; first game. Atlanta 0, Birmingham 2; second game. Montgomery 7, Nashville 1. Shreveport 6, New Orleans 1.

Ex-Secretary Morton, Who is Now Head of Equitable



CARICATURE SKETCH OF PAUL MORTON. Paul Morton, who retires from the Navy as secretary and goes to New York July 1st. He will be engaged in the street railway business at a salary of \$50,000 per year.

TAFT OFF FOR PHILIPPINES

SECRETARY OF WAR ACCOMPANIED BY DISTINGUISHED PARTY COMMENCES LONG JOURNEY TO THE FAR EAST.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—Secretary of War William H. Taft, accompanied by a distinguished party, including Miss Alice Roosevelt, members of both houses of congress, army officers and others, began the journey to the Philippines this afternoon. The party will be absent three months.

Although Secretary Taft expects relief from his arduous duties, the trip is one of official inspection for him and he will have many matters of administration to consider.

CAPTAIN SUICIDED WHEN TOLD OF RUSSIAN DEFEAT

By Associated Press. Astoria, Ore., June 30.—Captain Robertson of the steamer Sandurst, which arrived here today from Tsingtau, China, states that while he was there he was anchored a short distance from the disabled battleship Czarevitch. Captain Robertson states that when the news of Rojestvensky's defeat was received here the captain of the Czarevitch committed suicide. One of the Czarevitch's officers, the captain says, while reading an account of the battle of the Sea of Japan, which blamed defeat on the sailors, was overheard by a sailor of the Czarevitch. Captain Robertson states that the sailor picked up a hammer and saying: "It is such men as you who are to blame," and brained the officer. Both dead officers were buried the following day.

Cossacks Disperse Crowd.

Kalisz, Poland, June 30.—Cossacks today dispersed with whips a crowd which attempted to make a demonstration.

NEW ENGINEER FOR CANAL APPOINTED

John F. Stevens, of Chicago Selected as Successor to Mr. Wallace.

WILL GET \$30,000

But Will Not be a Member of Canal Commission.

MR. WALLACE MAKES STATEMENT EMPHATICALLY DENYING CHARGES MADE BY SECRETARY TAFT BUT DECLINES TO DISCUSS FUTURE PLANS—BELMONT DON'T WANT HIM.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—Secretary Taft today appointed John F. Stevens, of Chicago, chief engineer of the Panama Canal Commission, with residence on the Isthmus, to succeed John F. Wallace, whose resignation was accepted yesterday. Mr. Stevens will also be made general manager of the Panama railroad but will not be a member of the commission. His salary will be thirty thousand dollars a year.

Mr. Stevens is now in the service of the Philippine Commission as general manager of the railway expert. He was to have accompanied Secretary Taft to the Philippines to report on 1,000 miles of road to be built in the islands with government aid. He will be transferred to Panama.

Mr. Stevens was formerly vice-president of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway.

ENGR. WALLACE DENIES CHARGES OF MR. TAFT.

New York, June 30.—John F. Wallace, who resigned as chief engineer of the Panama Canal Commission, made a statement to-night replying to the charges of Secretary Taft, who charged him with leaving the canal work at a critical period. After making the statement public Mr. Wallace left the city for a vacation, not expecting to return during the summer. He would not make public his plans for the future, saying that his plans are to be connected with which he is to be connected, when they deem it proper. Mr. Wallace said: "The primary causes which led me to tender my resignation were underlying and fundamental and I emphatically resent the charge that the motive was a financial one."

WILL NOT BE EMPLOYED BY INTERBOROUGH CO.

New York, June 30.—August Belmont, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co., said he had not engaged Engineer John F. Wallace, who resigned from the Panama Canal Commission, adding, "The Interborough Company does not make a practice of buying men from other engagements, and particularly does not go into the government service, to its detriment, to take away its best instruments."

BONAPARTE TO SUCCEED MORTON

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—Paul Morton today relinquished the duties of Secretary of the Navy and Charles J. Bonaparte will tomorrow take the oath of office as Morton's successor. Mr. Morton has left for New York to take up a permanent residence.

STRANGE CONSEQUENCES OF PARANA INUNDATION

Docks and Harbor of Buenos Ayres Invaded With Hosts of Tropical Animals and Serpents. By Associated Press. New York, June 30.—The recent inundation of the River Parana has had strange consequences, cables the Herald's correspondent at Buenos Ayres. By the great extension of the River Platte, the docks of Buenos Ayres and the harbor have been invaded by floating islands or land torn from the banks of the Parana. These have brought hosts of tropical animals, hundreds of big serpents and many crocodiles. Even a tiger cub has been captured within the harbor and delivered to the zoological gardens.

Intense Excitement Over Attempted Criminal Assault

By Associated Press. Birmingham, June 30.—Intense excitement was caused at Dolomite, ten miles from here, this morning, when it became known that an unknown negro attempted criminal assault on a little white girl of thirteen years. An immense crowd with bloodhounds has been scouring the woods all day searching for the negro, but he has not been found so far.

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