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WEATHER—For Ohio: Fair and colder tonight, except showers along lake shore. Friday fair and colder.

The spring plowing goes on as steadily as though Wall street did not exist.

The small boy who goes bird-nesting, will soon be developing a case of egg-mania.

Undoubtedly one way of "curbing swollen fortunes" is squeezing the money out of stocks.

The Memphis News-Scimitar seems to think that the Nashville papers are food for the sword.

Columbus officials are accused of having a "load of poles" aboard quite frequently.

The birthday of St. Patrick was also the birthday of Gov. Hoch of Kansas. Hoch qualifies by his greenness.

Mr. Roosevelt thinks that New York needs more religion. He has been trying to beat it into Wall street.

Ex-Senator Cammack insists that he is a private citizen of Tennessee with a keen interest in its moral issues.

Looks to a "man up a tree" as though a heap of money had been wasted to prove that a lunatic was insane.

If the average man picked his wife as carefully as he does his stenographer, there would be fewer proceedings in the divorce courts.

This is the season when the American school boy wishes that something would get up an international complication to forbid his going to school.

The Roosevelt third term movement has reached the straw ballot stage, but Fairbanks and Foraker are still fighting over the negro delegation.

"Ho, the woods!" warbles an Alabama poet. All right, ho it, and get through with it; they will need you pretty soon to help hoe the cotton patch.

President Pinley of the Southern is of the opinion that the railroads are not overcapitalized. If he be correct there is no use in saying that the people and the railroads have nothing in common.

If Hearst has lined up against President Roosevelt it is pretty certain that he is against Bryan. There is not so very much difference between Roosevelt's and Bryan's policies. There could not be, because Roosevelt got all of his reform ideas from the commoner.

Harriman need not get his back up so high about the president failing to send Senator Dewey to Paris as the ambassador to France so he (Harriman) could get his seat in the Senate. There does not seem to be a ghost of a show for Dewey succeeding himself and there is nothing to hinder Harriman making a try for the place when his term expires in 1911.

THE PORT OF MISSING MEN

By the author of "House of a Thousand Castles" one of the big sellers today—Publisher's list \$1.50—our price \$1.15.

C. G. Wiant ROYALTY AND STATIONER The House of Post Cards

It has been some years since Secretary Taft, then Governor Taft of the Philippines reported that all was lovely and the goose elevated, in the islands. The government has just awakened to the fact that there is an anti-government organization which is almost as formidable as the Pommer organization in this country. Those Filipinos never seem to know when they have been pacified.

Why not wait until sun flowers are in bloom in Kansas to settle the question of the quilt or innocence of the negro troops which were stationed at Brownsville, Texas, just as a blushing maiden settles the sincerity of the expressions of love of her first beau.

The sight of Mr. Cortelyou, as chairman of the Republican National committee refusing contributions from corporations would be very much like seeing an Indian refuse whisky.

What Others Say.

WHERE AMBITION ENLISTS IGNORANCE.

Is it the interaction of ambition and ignorance which makes such a turbulent zone of the Central American states? It is more than possible. Almost every war between neighboring states, or internal insurrection, has been brought about through the scheming of some ambitious leader, who found no difficulty in persuading his followers that war is profit instead of loss, is advancement instead of retrogression. Their ignorance is plainly demonstrated by the willingness with which they abandon the pursuits of peace and take up arms at the beck of every pompous wearer of feathers and epaulets who may cross their vision.

Years ago, it mattered little how the odd and faraway corners of the earth comported themselves, or how they fought. Now, the world is smaller in compass, but greater in needs; if our neighbors ten thousand miles away shut off our supplies of certain products we have learned to need, we feel the loss. Beside the great economic balance and the need of maintaining it, there is the fact that war is a contagion; it is not always easy to tell where it may spread. For these and many other reasons, the smaller nations may as well get accustomed to the idea that the greater powers will not permit or sanction continued or causeless turmoil, based only upon private ambitions. It is not at all necessary to imply that this means unlimited police duty for the United States; other great nations are just as desirous as we are of maintaining tranquility; and on the whole, some of them are doing vastly more for us than we are, in spite of our own often expressed fears of a disposition to use the big stick.—Columbus Dispatch.

A SIGN OF SPRING.

One of the infallible signs of spring in Ohio is the breaking out of the annual factional fight among the Republican leaders. It is always a fighting between conventions—but becomes especially active about this time. Mr. Burton resumed the warpath at Cleveland the other night for Taft, which was cheered to the echo by the Tippecanoe Club. At the same hour or thereabouts Senator Foraker was vigorously denouncing in Washington a report that he had been hamonized, and had declared a vote for Taft, with the characteristic remark that he had never said anything of the kind and had no intention of ever saying anything of the kind. Burton's announcement of his intention to resume the battle that was ended by the refusal of last convention to "less cordially" endorse when the President is made at the moment when the Senatorial candidate for judge who was also opposed by the Cleveland representative. From this and Burton's appeal for the nomination of a man who will continue President's politics, which the Senators would be better pleased to see discontinue, the politics figure out the insurrectionists. But last year's experience ought to modify any calculations based on that supposition. Administrative support, as Mr. Tillman would remind us, is a very changeable quality. The man who thinks that he has it occasionally discovers too late that he was mistaken. So it will be just as well to leave that unknown factor out of the consideration of the present Ohio rumpus.

As to the harmonizing of the Senators it is not more possible than the frequently demonstrated harmonizing of Ohio Republicans. Time was when the Senator was off the reservation during the McKinley candidacy, but he was back on it when needed. History repeats itself as it usually does when the Ohio Republican convention meets and the strident war whoops of the erstwhile contending factions unite in a cooling lullaby. There is only one thing certain about Ohio politics and that is when the cruel war is over, and the convention is called to order everybody who expects to fight an-

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other day marebas along.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

OLD HANNA FIGHT.

Continued from Page One. Similar with the details of that game than has been supposed. His information is that this same E. H. Harriman then had a secret conference with Senator Hanna and offered to deliver the six states of California, Colorado, Nevada, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska. The friends of the administration felt confident of being able to defeat Harriman's plans to this end in each of these states except California. This they finally captured through the efforts of a Mr. Van Fleet and the president smilingly announced that he had just appointed Mr. Van Fleet to a federal judgeship. While Harriman was at work former Senator Pritchard of North Carolina was approached, so it was stated today, by the anti-Roosevelt crowd. He reported this to the president, and promised him the solid North Carolina delegation.

Subsequently, so the White House story goes, Senator Pritchard reported to the president that he could not give him a solid delegation because an official of the American Tobacco Co. interfered in behalf of that concern, the American Tobacco Co. being enlisted with the opposition. Since that time the president has appointed Pritchard to the federal bench. This 1904 political history is recited as illustrative of what may be expected between now and the 1908 convention.

Washington, April 4.—In discussing the publication of the Harriman letters and the controversy which has grown out of that action over campaign contributions, the president says that to his own knowledge about a dozen contributions offered by corporations had

been declined by Chairman Cortelyou, but that others had been accepted. A contribution by the American Tobacco Co. he said, had been returned.

A prominent man had made a contribution of \$20,000 to the Republican campaign fund. Subsequently this man had made known his desire for an appointment in the diplomatic service in the event that the president was elected. As soon as his motives were understood the national committee returned his contribution.

The president asserted that none of the corporations that contributed to the campaign fund in 1904 had come to him for favors either directly or indirectly. In this connection he referred to the legislation enacted regarding corporations during the past two years as disproving any imputations that immunity would be shown them for their contributions.

NEW ANTI-TOXIN FOR SPOTTED FEVER.

Sandusky, O., April 24.—Barbara Kraft, aged 15, daughter of Rinehart Kraft, of Castalia, who was stricken with spotted fever last Saturday, is said to be greatly improved as the result of a treatment with the new anti-toxin for use in combating cerebro-spinal meningitis or spotted fever, recently discovered by Dr. Traxler, of the Rockefeller Institute for the Investigation of Infectious Diseases, of New York City. This is the second time the anti-toxin has been used on a human being, the other experiments all being made on monkeys.

The medicine was administered by Dr. Ladd, of Cleveland, who made a puncture between the fourth and fifth vertebrae. From this, about three drachms of the accumulated fluid was extracted and a similar amount of anti-toxin injected. After Miss Kraft had recovered from the effects of the anaesthetic, she talked with those about her and seemed much better.



LADY POLE-CAREW, BRITISH EMPIRE'S PREMIER BEAUTY, AND HER SON.

King Edward once pronounced Lady Pole-Carew the most beautiful woman in Ireland, and in a London paper's beauty contest she won premier honors in the whole British empire. She is the wife of Major General Carew, who won glory in the Boer war, and has three lovely children. This famous beauty was Lady Beatrice Butler, daughter of the Marquis of Ormonde, when she married the general. She is still under thirty and has traveled extensively. The present picture shows her with her young son, who partakes of his mother's good looks.

WELLMAN CONFIDENT

He Believes He will Find the North Pole and Find it in the Sea.

New York, April 4.—Walter Wellman, who arrived yesterday on the Kaiser Wilhelm II, expressed himself as well satisfied with the arrangements for his proposed trip in an airship to the North Pole. He informed the friends who met him at the pier that he would start surely in July. "I am informed," said Mr. Wellman "that Commander Peary thinks my plan is not practicable. He thinks it will not be possible to reach the pole in balloon by reason of the weather conditions—showers of icebergs and heavy snowfalls. In answer to his comment, I want to say that Peary has no idea at all about ballooning.

"My balloon is constructed to meet all of the Arctic conditions, and I have full confidence in my ability to reach the pole with it. When I set out from Spitzbergen in July, I shall think of nothing but success for my undertaking. My balloon has a resisting power of 500 pounds to the square inch, and that surely will be sufficient to turn all of the icebergs to which Peary refers.

"The surface is just about as penetrable as the ordinary sheet metal roof. I am not in the least superstitious. If I were, I would not be launching my balloon on this expedition to the unknown north for the very spot where Andre took his departure, never to return. He was not properly equipped as a mechanic in his ship, and I am confident that he fell into the Arctic sea. "I shall carry with me 7000 pounds of gasoline to supply gas for the bag and 3000 pounds of rations. I shall take with me about 12 Eskimo dogs for possible use. If I do succeed in finding the pole, I fully expect it to be nothing more than the center of the open sea."

Notice to Patrons.

The books of the Marion Lumber and Coal company will be found with J. T. Mathews at the Wollenweber Lumber Co., and anyone indebted to said company will please call and settle the account. M. LAWRENCE.

STILL TALK REVOLT

Filipinos are Now Forming an Anti-government Society

Manila, April 4.—The president's proclamation fixing July 30 as the date for the election of a national assembly, finds a somewhat involved political situation in the islands. The progressive party is not considered likely to elect its whole ticket, as the independent party is making a strong showing. Advances from the provinces indicate that the two parties' methods are inconsistent, both posing as friends, or as enemies of the Americans, as the situation demands.

The governor of Laguna province has discovered the existence of a reorganized Katipunan, or Tagalog anti-government society, similar to that formed under Spanish rule, now headed by Dominador Gomez, a name likened to that of Dr. Rizal, the martyr to the cause of the Filipinos. The remodeled seal of the society shows the clasped hands of Japanese and Filipinos and the rigid oath of the members ends with the words "Without quarter."

LOVE PROMPTS FATHER TO MURDER CHILDREN

Montreal, April 4.—William Simpson, a prosperous young farmer of St. Charles, yesterday afternoon, during his wife's absence shot and killed his two infant daughters, respectively two months and two years old, and then tried to kill himself by putting two revolver bullets in his own body. He is very low and was brought to the Notre Dame hospital here. He comes of good family and has prominent relatives all over Canada. Physicians say that excessive affection for his children caused insanity.

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DR. HAUGH IS GIVEN A RESPIRE

Columbus, O., April 4.—Governor Harris today granted Dr. Haugh, the Dayton murderer, whose execution was set for Friday night, a respite to April 19, to allow the pardon board to hear his case.

HARRIMAN HEARING RESUMED AT WASHINGTON

Washington, April 4.—Inquiry into Harriman's railroad deals was resumed by the Interstate Commerce Commission, this morning. Harriman was not present. His counsel, Orvath, said the public had taken a wrong view of the deal and that it was really a good thing for the roads and public. The commissions counsel will answer Crayth.

JAMES GILLESPIE GETS A NEW TRIAL

Indianapolis, Ind., April 4.—A new trial was granted today to James Gillespie. The court holds that Gillespie was once placed in jeopardy by the discharge of a juror after the trial had begun, and that he is now entitled to his liberty. Gillespie was convicted at Rising Sun for the murder of his twin sister.

MICHIGAN HAS A TWO CENT FAIR LAW

Lansing, Mich., April 4.—The senate, by a vote of 27 to 3 passed a bill requiring a 2-cent a mile passenger fare on all Lower Peninsula railroads whose net earnings exceed \$1,200 per mile. Upper Peninsula fares which are now 4 cents being restricted to 3 cents a mile. A 3-cent rate is provided for in Lower Peninsula roads earning less than \$1,200 per mile.

SALOONKEEPERS MUST EXPECT A BEATING

Brooklyn, April 4.—Saloonkeeper must expect to be beaten up occasionally; a man engaged in that business should not be disturbed if a fight occurs in his place and he should take it as a matter of fact. This was the opinion expressed by Justice Foraker after he had heard Herbert Rexer, a bartender in Sheephead Bay, in the court of special sessions yesterday make a complaint against Michael J. Smith of Manhattan who has followed the races for sixteen years.

Rexer claimed that Smith entered the saloon on Lincoln's birthday night and beat him up, knocking a few of his teeth out. Smith protested that he was the eloped one and had fought to protect himself against four men who had attacked him in the saloon. Judge Foraker said: "You men in the saloon business should expect these things. Smith, we suspend sentence on you. Go on home."

SENT AN INFERNAL MACHINE TO A RIVAL

Schenectady, N. Y., April 4.—By the explosion of an infernal machine, believed by the police to have been sent him by a rival for the affections of a woman, Daniel Miller was terribly injured last night. If he recovers he will be totally blind and a cripple for life.

man is under arrest with attempted homicide.

The machine was sent to Miller by express from North Adams, Mass. He took it to his room, and a few minutes later there was an explosion which practically wrecked the house. Miller says that he unwrapped the package and that is all he remembers.

The small wooden box which contained the explosives, was filled with copper nails, and a dozen of these were blown into his body. Miller was to have been married to Miss Lillian A. Bedard of this city, in June. The police claim Hallaman and Miller had quarreled over the girl.

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