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WEATHER—For Ohio: Fair to night; warmer in southern portion. Tuesday increasing cloudiness, probably rain in southern portion.

President Roosevelt has taken a shine to Secretary Taft and Governor Hughes. You can't judge a man by what he weighs.

With famine raging in China and India, Forepaugh's Asiatic animals can thank their lucky stars they were captured.

Mexico has determined to build another railroad. It is to be lapped the promoters will not pattern after the notorious branch of the Chicago and Alton.

The Harriman interests have determined to employ special counsel to represent them before the Interstate Commerce Commission. Harriman is evidently afraid of a square deal.

Adolphus Busch, the wealthy St. Louis brewer, too weak to walk, is going to Europe. He should take some of that hop tonic which is brewed in St. Louis and advertised so extensively.

Thousands of citizens visited the show grounds in East Marion, Sunday afternoon, yet many of them would have become indignant, had it been suggested that they were desecrating the Sabbath.

Toledo business men are accused of having formed a trust to control prices. When this "trust busting" campaign reaches home the cry against monopolies will not be so loud, but the average man will be leery to feel the good of the battle.

Mayor Badger, of Columbus, put another rivet in the "lid" Saturday, when he ordered all groceries with saloons in connection to close and stay closed. Practically the same step which Mayor Scheriff took some months ago.

Rev. Charles F. Aked, an Englishman, who has just taken charge of Rockefeller's church in New York city. He is amazed at conditions which he finds in America and realizes that the task of producing the remedy is a Herculean undertaking. Still we are told that Europe is rotten.

One hundred Filipinos have been brought over to this country to be exhibited at the Jamestown exposition. It is probable that after the exposition there will be another hundred pacified Filipinos. The same principle involved as in a jaunting trip for a city council or a state legislature.

John Temple Graves, the great democratic leader of Atlanta, Georgia, in a speech made in Chicago Saturday evening stated that he believed Bryan holds the power to make Roosevelt president again and that a word from Roosevelt would place Bryan in the White House. This is only another way of saying that party lines are being rapidly obliterated and that the voters are paying more attention to men and principles than to party lines. More astonishing things than either Bryan or Roosevelt indulging the other could occur, yet it is hardly likely that such a step

May Numbers

Ladies' Home Journal
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Red Book
American
Harper's Mag.
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Everybody
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will be taken by either. It is well known that the differences between the two great leaders are not so very great. Bryan and Roosevelt are not as far apart as are Roosevelt and Foraker, and it would not be surprising to see Roosevelt support Bryan in case Foraker should capture the next national convention.

What Others Say.

THIS IS THE PEOPLE'S YEAR

A re-hot presidential scrap in Ohio this year may be fun for Taft and Foraker, but it is apt to be mighty tough on the people of the state. Some time ago it was agreed that municipal politics ought not to be mixed up with national and state politics; and Ohio wisely decided to hold municipal elections in the odd years.

This year there are to be no state or national candidates on the regular ticket, and the people of the many Ohio cities expected to have one election when they could devote their attention to purely local affairs.

Now comes the pesky politician, however, and but in with a presidential primary more than a year in advance of the presidential election, and a senatorial primary three years in advance of a senatorial election.

What's the use? The people haven't asked for any primary to settle a scrap between Taft and Foraker. But because Foraker and Taft's brother have taken a notion to muss things up this year, all of the people of Ohio are asked to lay aside their local affairs and get down in the mud with two ambitious politicians.

And doubtless the machine bosses and franchise grafters all over the state will joyously boost the thing along. For they will see in it an opportunity for the corrupt municipal machines in the various Ohio cities to ride back into power.

A red-hot scrap between the Roosevelt and Foraker forces would mean a big machine vote at the polls. And while the people are being stirred up over presidential candidates, the bosses and the corporations will probably get busy and nominate their tools for the various municipal offices. A big machine vote would split the presidential candidates, but the bulk of it would be expected to go for the local machine tickets.

And this might mean the return of Boss Cox to power in Cincinnati, Boss Brown in Toledo, and bosses of the same stripe in the other cities of the state.

Let the presidential and senatorial aspirants keep off the grass. This is not their year. This is the people's year, to get control and keep control of their local affairs without the interference of hired bosses and franchise-seeking corporations.

If Foraker and Taft want to fight let them fight next year. Let's have one year in Ohio anyhow, when the honest citizens in all parties may give their attention to municipal affairs, without bothering their heads about the tariff, the trusts, the railroads, the Philippines, the colored troops at Brownsville, Harriman the 1904 campaign fund, the Panama canal or the personal animosities and ambitions of any party bosses or leaders.

Let Taft and Foraker climb back into their incubators until next year. Then they may come out and fight until their proud hearts burst.—Columbus Citizen.

THE MENACE OF MOROCCO.

The expected has happened in Morocco. The growing business intercourse between Europeans and the natives of the most fanatical districts in the country has resulted in mob outbreaks directed against the foreigners in the ancient city of Morocco, one of the capitals of the sultanate. A Frenchman of note and official station has been killed in the city where the power of the Moroccan government is supposed to be greater than it is anywhere else except in Fez. France demands ample reparation and the condign punishment of all who were responsible for the murder. By way of warning the Sultan as to what may be expected to happen if he fails to satisfy the French government a military force has crossed the border from Algeria and taken possession of a Moroccan town.

If the nominal ruler of Morocco were able to capture and execute the men who killed Dr. Marchand and had funds at hand to settle the pecuniary demands of France, all might be smoothed over for the time being. The hatred of Christians and all Europeans which is common and chronic in Morocco would be intensified, however, and future trouble would be made more certain. As it is, the Sultan is poor and little able to control his subjects. It is doubtful whether he can punish the mob leaders in the ancient capital of his realm. It is difficult to perceive how he can raise the money which France demands.

Therefore the French occupation of Oudja is likely to continue so long that it may easily become ominously suggestive of permanency. A European force can hardly hold one frontier town, in such a country as Morocco, without seizing other territory. Attacks by fanatical natives will be likely to lead to such military advances, as reprisals and measures of safety. Only a very sanguine view of conditions in Morocco can foresee the evacuation by France of the town which French troops have seized.

That is what brings Germany into the Moroccan problem and creates a situation which may result in grave complications between great powers. The Kaiser has gone far in pledging himself to prevent the ascendancy of any European state in the rich but shockingly misgoverned country of the Moors. He has committed Germany to a sort of "open door" policy in that corner of Africa which will be exceedingly difficult to enforce in the face of a complete or partial French occupation, however brought about.

It is certain that Morocco must be changed radically in government and in relations with the great civilized powers. It is clear that present conditions cannot continue indefinitely. But in the process of evolution into a modern state or the dependency of some great nation Morocco may bring several of the foremost military states of the age to the verge of war.—Cleveland Leader.

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FROM THE COMMONER.

James J. Hill says inland waterways will help to solve the transportation problem. Quite correct. That is the only way to use water in this transportation business.

Mr. Reut, of San Francisco, is now putting up a plant about not being given a fair show. That is usually the way with men when they are given a dose of their own medicine.

"Trusts are an economic evolution," says Richard Olney. The people are determined to remedy the situation by inserting an "r" before the last word within the quotation marks.

The court martial that acquitted the young officer who filed charges against General Wood now finds its membership listed among the falsifiers discovered by Columbus Roosevelt.

The man who deliberately wrecks a railroad train is sent to the penitentiary. The man who wrecks a railroad is put upon a pedestal and pointed to as a "Napoleon of Finance."

"The country needs me," says Mr. Harriman. Why, it positively wants you, Mr. Harriman; wants you right where it can keep a watchful eye and a restraining hand upon you.

The New York Herald editorially discusses "the increasing prevalence of heart troubles." The spring season usually has that effect, especially on those under 25 or 30 years of age.

Mr. Carnegie is scoring the stock gamblers. The men who gamble in stocks take desperate chances. Mr. Carnegie is above such a course of action. He insists on having a sure thing.

Noting the determination of the people to make the corporations "toe the fair," Mr. Cleveland hauls out the old "widow and orphan" wall and starts it off with the air of a man launching something original.

"Why should men teachers receive more than women teachers who do the same work?" queries the Buffalo Courier. Only because the women teachers seem willing to stand for that sort of injustice.

The Liberty Bell will be taken to the Jamestown exposition. While there it will feel more at home than in Philadelphia and Pennsylvania, where liberty seems sadly restricted by the grafters.

It is reported that J. Pierpont Morgan has studied the question until he is an expert at preproofing. Water is the best thing which to fight fire and Mr. Morgan has plenty of it in his stocks.

It seems much easier to upset a court martial verdict of "not guilty" than it is to haul upon the carpet a man who was jumped over the heads of about 1,200 of his superiors both in office and in experience.

"What is a Democrat?" plaintively queries the New York World. In view of the fact that the World has not associated itself with the Democrats for a number of years, its ignorance is not to be wondered at.

Governor Folk has at last performed an act that meets with the commendation of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. This is not an indication that Governor Folk is growing better, but that the Globe-Democrat is growing falser.

Large bodies move slowly, which explains why Mr. Cleveland was a little late in getting around with his depreciation of the fact that the people are determined to make the railroads be good. But he managed to arrive, all right.

"I am an honest man," says Mr. Carnegie. It pays to observe laws that you cannot evade, but it pays better to buy laws that will enable you to acquire honestly—or legally—what would have been stolen loot before the law was purchased.

Mr. Cleveland is quite certain that the next campaign should be fought on the tariff issue. But if anybody attacks the corporations, Mr. Cleveland would doubtless consent to drop the tariff subject long enough to administer a "stinging rebuke."

A Missouri editor declares that it is no more harm to fish on Sunday than it is to run down a yellow-legged chicken for the preacher's dinner. The decision in this debate will depend on whether it is closed by a fisherman or a minister.

The president, noting that peace has again been restored in the Philippines, has issued a call for an election for delegates to the first Philippine assembly. No, the 15,000 troops will be left over there for a while yet. There may be a call for some more "benevolent assimilation."

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MAXIM GORKY AND HIS SECOND WIFE.

Maxim Gorky, the famous Russian revolutionist and novelist, is said to be suffering from lung trouble at his present place of residence in Italy. Gorky's visit to America is still fresh in the public mind. He was accompanied by the woman who, under the peculiar Russian status, is his wife, but when it became known that he was not regularly divorced from his first wife, it being impossible for a revolutionist to obtain a divorce, he was ostracized in America. The couple retired to a country place, and Gorky spent the time writing a new novel. The present companion of the author was formerly a noted Russian actress.

TRACTION CO. FILES ANSWER

In Damage Suit of C. W. Solomon

THEIR FILES PETITION

To Partition Estate of Late Silas Miller.

Local Electric Light Company Files Demurrer to the Petition in Suit of Orlena Lilley.

The Marion Railway Light & Power company, defendant in a suit for damages brought by John Schweckendek, has filed an answer to the petition. It is claimed that if the plaintiff's property was damaged as is claimed, it was due to his own negligence. Schweckendek's horse and wagon were struck by a street car on West Center street.

In the damage suit of Charles W. Solomon against the C. D. & M. Electric Railway company, the defendant company Monday filed an answer to the amended petition. It claims that if Solomon was injured as he sets up, it was due to his own negligence. Solomon was injured in a wreck near Prospect July 12, 1906. At that time he was employed as brakeman on a work train.

A suit asking that the estate of the late Silas Grant Miller comprising 21 acres of land in Waldo township be partitioned, was brought in the court of common pleas today by Emma Albrecht, through her attorneys, Crissinger & Guttry. The defendants are Stella Bartlett, Ella Koelber and Alphens Miller, administrator of the estate of Silas Grant Miller. The plaintiff claims a five-sixths interest.

In the damage suit of Orlena Lilley against the Marion Railway Light & Power company, the defendant company, through its attorneys, Williams, Taylor & Pretzmann of Columbus, has filed a demurrer to the plaintiff's petition. It is claimed that the petition does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action.

TEDDY TAKES EARLY LEAVE FOR VACATION

Washington, April 22.—It was announced at the White House today that President Roosevelt would leave for his summer vacation at Oyster Bay, June 12. This is the earliest departure from Washington since the president has been in office.

Thirty days treatment for kidney bladder troubles and rheumatism for \$1.00. Your money refunded if not satisfied. Pineules contain no alcohol. Do not derange the stomach. Easy to take. Sold by Flocken Drug Store.

TRUST COMPANY EMPLOYEE CONFESSES IS A THIEF

New York, April 22.—W. O. Douglas, employee of the Trust Company of America, arrested yesterday on the charge of stealing \$50,000 of railroad securities, made a confession, the police say, to taking \$35,000 in securities which he lost in stock speculation and races. Bank officers, however, say only \$50,000 of bonds are missing.

The salve that acts like a poultice is Pine Salve Carbollized. No other salve so good for cuts, burns, boils and chapped skin. Ask about it. Price 25 cts. Sold by Flocken Drug Store.

RAIN FLOODS STREETS AND CLOSES SCHOOLS

Mobile, Alabama, April 22.—Torrential rains visited Mobile from midnight, Sunday, until 9 o'clock Monday morning. Streets were covered with water. Schools are closed for the day. The new union station is completely surrounded by water. Damage to houses and buildings is heavy.

BELLEFONTAINE MAN DIES BENEATH RUNAWAY STEED

Bellefontaine, O., April 22.—A runaway team dashed into West Liberty this morning. James Kitchen tried to stop the team. He was knocked down and killed.



THIS LITTLE ARTIST WILL SOON BE HAPPY

For she is going to win the Buck's Junior Range now on exhibition in one of our Windows. This is not an exact portrait of the winner, but it looks very much like her—about as much as you do. Perhaps you will be this fortunate little girl. If you will draw just as well as you can, the Buck trade mark, shown above, you may be the proud possessor of this little stove after Saturday, May 4th, the day on which the award will be made. Get particulars at our store today. If you have not entered the Contest you must do so at once. Come in sign your name. Every little girl entering the Contest will receive a prize. All papers must be handed in by noon on Friday, May 3rd. The winner's name will be announced at our store Saturday, May 4, at 2 p. m.

McCLAIN'S

A BANK CLERK'S CRIME.

Trusted Employee of a New York Trust Company Stole \$50,000 in Railroad Bonds.

New York, April 22.—W. O. Douglas, loan clerk of the Trust Company of America, was arraigned in the West Side police court Sunday and remanded without bail on the charge of taking from the company \$50,000 in bonds. He was arrested Saturday on the complaint of Oakleigh Thorne, president of the trust company, who discovered the loss of the bonds and personally traced Douglas to a hotel. Mr. Thorne stated that after his arrest Douglas admitted to him that he had taken the bonds, which were those of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., about ten days ago, and also told where they were. He said he had made no attempt to dispose of them and that he did not know why he took them. Douglas had been with the company for a number of years and was not suspected of any wrong doing until he suddenly left the office Saturday morning. He telephoned to his home in Brooklyn for his wife, who met him and they went to a hotel, where he registered under an assumed name. Douglas's salary with the trust company was \$7,500 a year and he was not known to be in financial straits.

Personals

Robert G. Lucas of Windsor street is sick of appendicitis. Miss Stella Bell was the guest of friends in Gallon over Sunday. Mrs. George Leffler, of Marysville, is visiting at the home of Mrs. O. W. Midlam, of Seffer avenue. John Kreis and brother William Kreis left today for Hamilton where they will attend the funeral of a friend. Mrs. Thomas Mack and daughter Cora of Cardington were the guests of relatives in the city today. Miss Effie McPeak, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Thomas, of Blaine avenue, was called to her home in Iberia today on account of the serious illness of her mother.

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