

## TEACHER BANS HOBBLE SKIRT; WOMEN EXCLUDED FROM CHURCH

Clark, N. J., Sept. 1.—The crusade against the hobble skirt has been started by Rev. Peter Henry, pastor of the First Reformed church at Groveville, N. J. He has issued an edict that no woman wearing such a gown be admitted to his church. "any woman who would so demean herself and sex as to wear such a sartorial travesty," he declared, "is unwelcome."

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MAY BE ADVISOR OF THE EMPEROR

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## CAMPAIGN IN NEW MEXICO ACTIVE

Democrats and Republicans  
Have Their Best Speakers  
in the Field at Work.

## PULLING WIRES FOR PRESIDENCY

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## EXPENSES CUT; ALSO HEADS OF POLICEMEN

Likewise, the Mayor Gets  
Rid of Eight Men on the  
Force Who Voted for Hall

## EXPENSE OF DE- PARTMENT REDUCED

For reasons of "economy," which lopped off the heads of five patrolmen and three mounted men, the new Kelly administration has started on its campaign of retrenchment by firing the members of the force who voted for P. J. Hall in the recent race for sheriff.

It was done with "one sweep of his pen," to quote the dog press agent, the "his" meaning his honor the mayor.

The men who lost their heads under the official guillotine of the city administration when the pay checks were distributed Wednesday evening were: Patrolmen—Will Ford, Charles Henderson, W. B. Murray, Harry Cherry, L. L. Parker, mounted men—C. H. Haynes, Irvy Finley, Ike Stevens.

Det. Edgar W. Mebus was also laid off, but he is a nephew of the mayor and had to go according to law. He is to be a deputy sheriff later.

There were to be no discharges for not voting right at the primaries. This was stated and reiterated quite often. And there weren't. All that happened was that "in order to reduce the force," eight men who voted for Hall discovered suddenly that they were no longer employees of the city because the police force was too expensive. It was a mere coincidence that they happened to have voted for Hall at the primary election. Also it was a mere coincidence that all were Americans—not a Mexican.

All Were For Hall.

One of the discharged patrolmen, Will Ford, who was stationed at the union station, voted for Hall and made no bones about telling his neighbors he was a Republican.

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## DEMAND FOR MEXICAN LABOR IS VERY HEAVY

Demand for Mexican labor in El Paso clearing houses is greatly exceeding the supply. It is the opening of the fall season of railway work. All Mexican laborers, passable under the laws, are being promptly admitted at the local immigration station. Within the last few days they have been flocking over the border in daily numbers of from 50 to 100 men. This will be continued as long as there is demand in El Paso labor agencies.

## SERIOUS STRIKE RIOTS OCCUR IN SPANISH CITIES

Bilbao, Spain, Sept. 1.—The strike situation is alarming. The funds of the men are exhausted and the strikers are in an ugly mood. Collisions between police and strike breakers are constantly occurring.

Many factories have closed and work in the harbor has been wholly suspended. Troops are being concentrated and a cordon of soldiers has been thrown about the city to prevent the entry of strikers from other districts.

Saragossa, Spain, Sept. 1.—Twenty-two workmen's organizations today declared a general strike in sympathy with the strike at Bilbao.

Madrid, Spain, Sept. 1.—In view of the strike rioting reported from Bilbao, the government is considering the advisability of declaring that city in a state of siege.

HEINZE WEDS; IS SUE  
BY A FORMER SWEETHEART

New York, N. Y., Sept. 1.—At a dinner given last night at the Waldorf-Astoria, Augustus Heinze, the millionaire copper man, announced his marriage to Mrs. Bernice Henderson, an actress. The engagement was recently published.

A few hours before he was married, the American says, Heinze was served with a summons and complaint in a suit of Mrs. Lillian Hobart French to recover \$25,000 in bonds which she says that Heinze gave to her but refused to return when she loaned them to him during the panic of 1907.

Mrs. French has figured in the newspapers lately and has declared repeatedly that she and Mrs. Henderson, would be Heinze's bride.

DYNAMITE APPLIED TO  
A SEATTLE BUILDING

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 1.—An attempt to dynamite a new six-story building under process of construction at Third and James street shortly after 11 o'clock last night shattered all the windows within the radius of a block and led to the report that an attempt had been made to rob the National Bank of Commerce in the rear of the building that was the object of attack. Two persons passing by the building at the time of the explosion were slightly injured.

The police say the attempt to wreck the building was due to labor trouble. One man has been arrested.

OFFICIALS INDICTED FOR  
THE NEWARK LYING

Newark, O., Sept. 1.—In a report made today the Licking county grand jury placed the responsibility for the lynching of "Jug" detective Carl Ethelbert on the sheriff of Licking county, all of whom have since resigned or been deposed.

Fifty-eight indictments were returned by the grand jury during its sitting, all in connection with the lynching.

TEXAS NEWS SERVICE IS  
HOLDING GENERAL MEETING

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 1.—With practically every member present, the Texas News Service annual meeting was called to order at the Board of Trade auditorium here this morning by B. C. Utecht, general manager.

The first business session lasted an hour and a half and was confined to routine matters.

## UPRISING OF NATIVES IN VISAYA

Former Native Official, Under  
Prison Sentence, Is the  
Leader of Revolt.

## BARRICADED IN A MOUNTAIN TOWN

Telegraph Wires Are Cut.  
Constabulary Force De-  
spatched to Meet Enemy.

Manila, P. I., Sept. 1.—An uprising against the government is reported in the province of Nueva Vizcaya. A constabulary force is hurrying to the scene and a battle is expected hourly.

The rebel movement is headed by Simcon Mandac, former governor of the province Ilocos Norte, who has long been a fugitive from justice.

Mandac occupies Salano, a town of about 6000 inhabitants.

Telegraph wires north of Bayanong have been cut and it is impossible to learn the number of Mandac's followers. It is doubted, however, that the rising is serious.

Mandac, while governor, subjected a prisoner to such a severe "third degree" examination that he died. The governor was convicted of homicide, and was sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment.

He appealed and jumped his bond.

GEORGIA DEMOCRATS ENDORSE  
HOKE SMITH FOR PRESIDENT

Resolution Endorsing Him is Adopted at Atlanta—He Was Member of Cleveland's First Cabinet.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 1.—The Democratic state convention today adopted a resolution endorsing Hoke Smith, former governor and a member of Cleveland's first cabinet, for president of the United States. The resolution declares him "eminently fitted to perform the arduous duties of the high office of president."

TEXAS RAILROADS MAKE  
A FREIGHT AGREEMENT

Denison, Texas, Sept. 1.—In anticipation of the completion of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad into Denison Monday next, an arrangement has been completed between officials of that line and officials of the Texas & Pacific railway here today, for an exchange of freight business here. Freight crews will be run on the Texas & Pacific from Fort Worth to Denison. Both roads will build terminals here and also repair shops for locomotives and cars.

TEXAN SHOTS MAN  
IN OKLAHOMA DUEL

McAlester, Okla., Sept. 1.—Joseph Dyer, formerly of Texas, shot and seriously wounded Pat Robinson in a street duel at Quinton, near here, this morning.

Dyer is a cattle dealer and a quarrel is supposed to have arisen over a controversy regarding trade.

Robinson's condition is reported serious.

John A. Rice and R. C. Camby have gone to Ahumada, Mex., to inspect a number of mining properties for the American Exploration company.

## PLATOR WANTS TO RANCHISE NEGROES

Sept. 1.—Yas in the house today sent up a concurrent resolution in congress to seek the repeal of the 15th of the 14th amendment to the United States constitution in that of ballot taken away from the negro race, but all other property be saved and guaranteed to that race.

CAMPBELL CONGRATULATED.

Culloch, and also, of Kaufman, were authors of a resolution house this morning extending the congratulations of that camp on his recovery from illness and wishing him good re, closing in the wish that "if he continues as useful at four years may live a thousand years." The resolution was adopted.

CONCISE MEASURES.

more, the law recommended the vote by which the Reedy conviction public roads was adopted in the penitentiary. The bill was amended providing against acquiring 10, farms in the different counties was tabled. Tillotson de- crimes as result of the location of convict farms in and counties.

## Exit the Straw Lid; Enter the Oyster

Also, the School Ma'am and the Rah Rah Boys Are With Us

Exit the straw lids. Enter the month of "Rs"—readin', ritin' and 'rithmetic. Also the college ah! rah! and the raw oysters. September first has arrived on schedule time, bringing with it a real taste of fall weather and receiving in return the thanks of a sun baked community.

Back in the short grass country, where men dress according to the marquis of Queensbury rules, straw hats are detestable. In place of the chattered top pieces, the fuzzy end of the straw season are brought from their place of repose on the topmost shelf of the closet and gently brushed and crushed the other way. On the stock exchanges and in the marts of trade, a straw hat after September 1 is considered an affront to the aesthetic sense of the beholder that they are crushed underfoot or sent flying into space after the fashion of the cardboard sailors of the small boy.

The Straw Hat Back East.

Not so in this land of untrammeled sunshine and personal liberty. Emancipated from the shackles of old mistress Fashion's slavery, the Texas country folk continue wearing the head piece of the summer season until the faithful companion of the hot day has become sere with age and has gone to seed. To quote a certain Battle Creek breakfast food faddist, "There is a..." When

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summer breaks through its shell in the back east country, ye swell dresser is staid into a hat shop by the gentle phylax, produces three sinkers for a straw hat which makes his ears look like switch targets and his head like a box kite. This same hat proceeds to do duty as a top covering for the remainder of the summer.

The Difference Out West.

Out here where the sun is on the works each day of the Gregorian calendar, one straw hat per capita is not sufficient by half. Instead of walking into the hat shop for a single straw to be used as an aerometer during the entire summer season, Mr. E. L. Paso decorates his poll with one and has a second one laid aside for ready reference. He loves his straw hat in September as he does in May. If it has escaped the west wind, the second love is retained as affectionately until the porch sleepers begin to move inside and the quarters to tinkle merrily into the way as you enter meters of the gas heaters.

The Oyster Is Here.

From the day that oysters were first discovered by Lord Baltimore in the bay after which he was named, this same pet month of September has served to introduce the oyster season. The test of the season for the bivalves is to take the name of the month, separate it into its component parts and find the letter "R" in its makeup. If it's there you win and the prize is a plate of oysters

## By N. M. Walker

to be eaten raw with a fish fork. September stands the test. Likewise October, November, December and the rest of the winter family of months. Being out of the seaboard zone, El Paso does not get in on the oyster season first hand. The "R" test holds good here the same as it does in the oyster bay district, but the sea food is a bit late arriving in these parts. The open season for these pearl producers is the last week of September when cocktails and steaks become the piece de resistance to a salad and cold meat eating community.

The Rah Rah Boys.

With an appropriateness that is most fitting, the same September that ushers in the raw oysters introduces to a long suffering public the rah! rah! boys with the scoured cellophane cut hair and reefed trousers. All over this broad land the knowledge waves are being opened, fanned and put in readiness for the seekers after learning and the togs of the footballist. The college boys are hurrying back to their alma mater after spending a delightful summer selling vacuum cleaners on commission or tending the boats at a \$1 roundtrip summer resort.

Some little months is this same September. It escorts the straw hats to the door of outer darkness, ushers in the school marm with an escort of oysters, college boys and fall ready-to-wear clothes.

## Farm News That Is Written By Men Who Know

The Herald confidently and without egotism lays claim to publishing the best practical farming page of any daily paper in the United States. It is all written by experts in the Southwest, men who have had their experience here and write of personal knowledge and observation. Prof. H. H. Schultz, assistant professor of agronomy in the New Mexico A. & M. college, is the expert who deals with all subjects of inquiry and contributes regularly to the department each week, and G. A. Martin, president of the Texas Dry Farming congress, is the editor of the department. Contributions are regularly received from some of the most able men in the country, particularly those of this immediate region. Last week's page spoke for itself.

This week The Herald has the following in store for its agricultural readers:

"Farming West of the Pecos and How to Do It," by Prof. H. H. Harrington, director of experiment stations, Texas A. & M. college.

"Facts About the Coddling Moth and Valley Agricultural Notes," by Prof. H. H. Schultz.

"How to Preserve Fruit for Exhibition Purposes," by L. E. Mundell, assistant professor of agriculture, New Mexico A. & M. college.