

Nothing Heard of Missionaries

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
PEKIN, Sept. 11.—As a result of the overflow of the Yangtze river which has swollen to 45 miles wide in places, the government is concentrating troops on the borders.
 Nothing has been heard from the missionary refugees at Chengtu for four days. These number about 100, 60 being Canadians and 30 Americans.
 Great distress is experienced by flood survivors. About 300 are dying daily.

Oddities in the News from Everywhere

Relatives Mixed Up.
CANTON, O.—Jas. J. Reamer will shortly become the father of his half-sister and Bessie T. Reamer the sister-in-law of her own daughter. In short, Reamer will marry his stepmother.

The Graft Was Soft.
CHICAGO.—Mrs. Edith Anderson gave a clairvoyant \$165 "to graft money on money." The graft worked for the necromancer and the money disappeared.

Here's Another Sneeze Story.
NEW YORK.—Scared by the sneeze of a hippopotamus imported for a menagerie, Max Harwat, cook on the liner President Lincoln, fell overboard in midocean. He was rescued.

Married After Twenty-Year Wait.
HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa.—Daniel S. Ferguson, a wealthy grain merchant of Altoona, and Mrs. Sarah Crawford were married after a 20-year wait. The bridegroom's son had hidden the license.

Reward For Daily Bath.
CINCINNATI.—Twenty-one children from the W. C. T. U. school at Hindman, a Kentucky mountain town, were given a visit to this city as a reward for taking a bath every day for a year.

Roasts Steam-Heated Flats.
CHICAGO.—Steam-heated flats are "a menace to health, a place to smell one's neighbors' cooking and thrive on gossip," according to Secretary R. E. Pritchard, of the health department.

Considerable excitement was caused in the Italian senate recently when Signor Franconi entered the chamber dressed in a fancy pattern coat instead of the black frock. Several senators even walked out as a mark of protest. The opposition was so strong that Franconi left the senate chamber, returning in a minute in the frock coat of an usher, lent him for the occasion. He was loudly cheered.

A Roman carabineer, who was standing with hand raised in salute at the railroad station for the arrival of a prince, felt a tug at the pocket where he kept his purse containing his month's pay. He at once ascribed it to the manipulation of a pickpocket, but remembered his discipline and did not move a muscle, but the captain saw the thief before he got away and gave orders to pursue. He was immediately run down.

PRESIDENT TAFT'S "SWING AROUND THE CIRCLE" TO COVER 12,000 MILES, 21 STATES



BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 11.—Here it is at last—Taft's itinerary for his cross-continent trip. It takes him through 21 states and extends over a month and a half of time, covering about 12,000 miles. Here it is from start to finish:

Sept. 15—Leave Boston.
 Sept. 16—Syracuse, Erie, Pa.
 Sept. 18—Detroit, Pontiac, Saginaw, Bay City, Mich.
 Sept. 19—Bay City, Sault Ste. Marie, Marquette, Mich.
 Sept. 20—Marquette, Mich.
 Sept. 21—Grand Rapids, Monticello, Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, Mich.
 Sept. 22—Peoria, Ill.
 Sept. 23—St. Louis.
 Sept. 24—Kansas City, Mo.; Baldwin, Kan.
 Sept. 25—Baldwin, Cherryvale, Coffeyville, Kan.; Independence, Kas.; Cherryvale, Chanute, Ottawa, Kan.; Kansas City, Mo.
 Sept. 26—Hutchinson, Kas.
 Sept. 27—Hutchinson, Topeka, Atchison, Leavenworth, Kas.
 Sept. 28—Council Bluffs, Denison, Fort Dodge, Webster City, Iowa Falls, Waterloo, Ia.
 Sept. 29—Waterloo, Des Moines, Knoxville, Albia, Ottumwa, Ia.
 Sept. 30—Moberly, Sedalia, Kansas City, Mo.
 Oct. 1—Omaha, Neb.
 Oct. 2—Omaha, Lincoln, Hastings, Neb.
 Oct. 3—Denver, Colo.
 Oct. 4—Cheyenne, Laramie, Rawlins, Wyo.
 Oct. 5—Salt Lake.
 Oct. 6—Pocatello, Boise, Idaho.
 Oct. 7—Walla Walla, Wash.; Lewiston, Moscow, Idaho; Spokane, Wash.
 Oct. 8—Lind, Ellensburg, Tacoma, Wash.
 Oct. 9—Bellingham, Mount Vernon, Everett, Seattle, Wash.
 Oct. 10—Seattle, Tacoma, Wash.
 Oct. 11—Tacoma, Olympia, Centralia, Chehalis, Castle Rock, Kelso, Kalama, Vancouver, Wash.; Portland, Ore.
 Oct. 12—Portland, Salem, Ore.
 Oct. 13—Sacramento, San Francisco, Cal.
 Oct. 14 and 15—San Francisco, Cal.
 Oct. 16 and 17—Los Angeles, Cal.
 Oct. 18—Salt Lake, Utah.
 Oct. 19—Butte, Livingston, Billings, Mont.
 Oct. 20—Sheridan, Gillette, New Castle, Wyo.
 Oct. 21—New Castle, Wyo.; Edgemont, Custer, Deadwood, Lead, Sturges, Rapid City, S. D.
 Oct. 22—Pierre, S. D.
 Oct. 23—Pierre, Huron, Aberdeen, S. D.
 Oct. 24—Aberdeen, S. D.; Coalgate, Shakopee, Mankato, Waterville, Faribault, Randolph, Minneapolis, Minn.
 Oct. 25—St. Paul, Minn.
 Oct. 26—Green Bay, Appleton, Oshkosh, Fond du Lac, Milwaukee, Wis.
 Oct. 27—Milwaukee, Racine, Kenosha, Wis.; Chicago.
 Oct. 31—Pittsburgh.
 Nov. 1—Washington, D. C.

Canada's Reciprocity Election is a Recall and a Referendum As Well

AND WHEN THE PEOPLE HAVE REGISTERED THEIR WILL ON THE ISSUE, SEPT. 21, PARLIAMENT WILL MEET IMMEDIATELY AND CARRY INTO EFFECT THE DECISION AT THE POLLS.

BY WM. ROCHE.
OTTAWA, Can., Sept. 11.—Canada has the recall. Didn't know that, did you? It's true, nevertheless.
 The Canadian election on reciprocity, to be held Sept. 21, is a recall election, not on a single officer, but on the whole membership of the house of parliament. Every member of the commons is going back to his constituents to find out, at the polls, whether they want him to stay on the job or get off.
 The "Canadian way" is different from the American way. Up here, when an issue arises, folks vote on it direct. In the United States elections are fixed events, held, whether or not, there are any issues.
 The Canadian parliament will not pass on reciprocity until its members have been definitely instructed by the people.
 Sept. 21 Canada, at the polls, will say whether or not it wants reciprocity. Then, when parliament meets, it will register that decree.
 The "referendum" and "recall" are not written into the Canadian constitution. They are part of the "unwritten law," an honored and respected tradition of British government, and they work.
 Furthermore, when the will of the Canadian people has been recorded, they don't have to wait 13 months for the new parliament to meet and make it law.
 Parliament meets immediately, while public sentiment is alive and campaign pledges fresh in the memory, and proceeds to carry into effect, the decision made at the polls.



To Make Tomorrow Better Than Today, Labors Aim

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 11.—Samuel Gompers, had a busy Sunday. After a conference with Clarence Darrow over the McNamara case and one with Job Harriman, socialist candidate for Mayor, he delivered a vigorous address to an overflow audience in one of Los Angeles' biggest auditoriums.
 In reviewing the London strike, Gompers paid a glowing tribute to David Lloyd George as the man who said "the Lord's will be done" and did it.
 In discussing the future he said:
 "It is the hope of labor to make today better than yesterday, and tomorrow better than today; to make the struggle of life less bitter; to make better manhood and womanhood and to make the world better for our posterity than when we entered it. The millions will rise up and thank us for the struggle we have made for the universal brotherhood of man."

INDIGESTION, DYSPEPSIA, SOURNESS, GAS AND STOMACH-HEADACHE GO

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and Eructate sour, undigested food or have a feeling of Dizziness, Heartburn, Fullness, Nausea, Bad Taste in mouth and stomach headache—this is Indigestion.
 A full case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents and will thoroughly cure your out-of-order stomach, and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from stomach trouble or indigestion.
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 This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranked about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever try a little for Indigestion or Gastritis or any other Stomach misery.
 Get some now, this minute, and forever rid yourself of Stomach Trouble and Indigestion.

Wants Women Chauffeurs

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—Miss Jeanette Everett, an expert automobile driver, is planning to organize woman chauffeurs.
 "There is no reason why not," she says. "It would prevent the daughters of wealthy households from eloping with chauffeurs, and would tend to keep the men away from disreputable resorts. What man would ask a woman chauffeur to drive him to a resort?"

NO WOMEN JURORS
(By United Press Leased Wire.)
SEATTLE, Sept. 11.—Owing to inadequate accommodations for mixed juries, Miss Jennie Gordon, the only woman juror on the panel, was excused by Judge Gilham today.

New Fall Jewelry

We have just received our first shipment of early Fall Jewelry—the self-same new things that are now being shown in New York and Chicago.

If you have recently been in either of those big cities and noted "what was what" in jewelry, make it a point to look in our windows this week and convince yourself that what we say is so.

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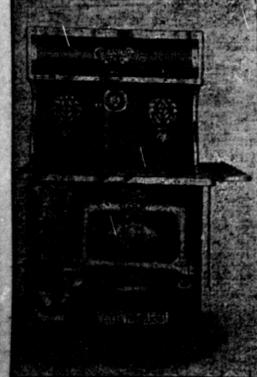
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AIR MAILMAN BREAKS LEG

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
LONDON, Sept. 11.—Aviator Hubert, who was carrying mail today from Hendon to Windsor as one of the new English aerial postmen, fell twenty feet and broke both his legs.

DALIA SHOW SOON

How many different kinds of dahlias are there?
 The average person remembers the dahlia that bloomed in the old home garden in about four colors and will be surprised at the show in the New York block Saturday.

New City Dock To Be a Beauty

Preliminary plans have been completed for the new municipal dock south of the new bridge. The plans contemplate a five-story structure, with roof garden, public exhibit rooms, offices, a small audience room or theater and other modern features. It will be the finest dock on the coast when completed.

May Give Up Five Churches

Central, Wesley, Grace, Fowler and Second Methodist churches are losing ventures financially, and District Superintendent Elliott will recommend that they be abandoned.

Minister Quits

The resignation of Rev. F. H. Groom of the Central Christian church was accepted by the congregation yesterday. Mr. Groom goes back to Bristow, Okla., to take charge of his father's estate. The church is considering Rev. J. S. Raum of Montana as his successor.

Good Water Now

Clover creek will be turned off the city water supply now. For the last week only half the flow was utilized and the whole creek with its contamination will now be turned off. Makes the laundress happy—that's Red Cross Ball Blue. Makes beautiful, clear white clothes. All good grocers. ***



HENRY BAKER.
 Henry Baker, the favorite nephew of the late John W. Gates, is determined to secure a sheepskin from a university and thus get the \$250,000 offered by Gates on condition that he graduate. Young Baker will go after the quarter million this fall by entering either the University of Chicago or the University of Wisconsin.
 Baker is 20 years old and Gates considered him a "bright boy."
THE HAGUE.—World wide war on Intemperance is the object of the 53rd annual convention of the International Congress on Alcoholism, opened today. President Taft named 12 delegates from the United States.