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Man Who Provided Funds to Defend Patrick Well Repaid.

Denver, May 3.—John T. Milliken, Colorado wealthy mine owner, now a resident of St. Louis, who advanced the funds to defend Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of William Marsh Rice, who was pardoned a few years ago and came to Colorado, has been repaid manyfold by the once life convict.

Oil lands in Oklahoma with which Patrick repaid Mr. Milliken, have been sold by the latter to the Sinclair Oil and Refining Company for \$9,500,000 in cash and \$250,000 of the company's stock.

According to Attorney Leonidas E. Hill of Denver, who sued Milliken in the Federal Court here last year for an accounting of the money furnished for Patrick's defence, the deal involved 18,000 acres of Oklahoma oil land and resulted from an original investment of \$5,000.

John T. Milliken, is a brother-in-law of Albert T. Patrick. He financed the twelve year fight for the freedom of the lawyer who had been convicted of the murder of William M. Rice, Gov. John A. Dix pardoned Patrick. Milliken admitted that he spent over \$150,000 in the course of his efforts to free the lawyer. Milliken is a manufacturing chemist and mine owner.

**HUGHES SECOND CHOICE**

Michigan Delegates to Drop Ford After First Ballot.

Lansing, Mich., May 3.—Justice Charles E. Hughes received a qualified endorsement for the presidency in resolutions adopted by the Republican state convention here this afternoon. The resolutions agreed upon by the committee after considerable debate recommended that the Michigan delegation, after voting for Henry Ford on the first ballot at the national convention should support Hughes or "some other good Republican."

**FREE PRELATE, POPE URGES**

Berlin, via London, May 3.—The Overseas News Agency states that according to the Zeitung am Mittag, Pope Benedict has written to Czar Nicholas requesting the release of the Rev. Andreas Ezeptycki Archbishop of Lemberg.

**CHARGE LOSS OF PENELOPE**

Germans Hear the British Cruiser Was Ruined in Lowestoft Fight

Berlin, May 3. (By Wireless to Tuckerton.)—The British cruiser Penelope was so badly damaged in the naval engagement of the British coast that followed the German bombardment of Lowestoft on April 25 that she cannot be repaired, according to reports received in Holland says the Overseas News Agency today.

**JUDGE BARS I. W. W.**

Says Members Can't Become Citizens in His Court.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 3.—Judge Peter A. O'Boyle, sitting in naturalization court here today, announced that members of the Industrial Workers of the World cannot obtain citizenship papers in this county. He said aliens of this type are not wanted here and cannot be given the privileges of the country through his court.

**CONGRESS ON UNTIL SEPT. 1.**

Kern Says Legislative Program Will Carry Session to That Date

Washington, May 3.—The Democratic Steering Committee of the Senate tried to devise a way today to hasten the legislative program of the session. At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Kern, the majority leader, he did not believe Congress could possibly adjourn before Sept. 1.

**A Dramatic Situation.**

Beau Brummel was once sitting at a table with one Bilgh, who was known to be insane. The Beau, having lost a considerable stake, affected, in his farcical way, a very tragic air and cried out, "Waiter, bring me a flat candlestick and a pistol!" Upon which Bilgh, who was sitting opposite to him, calmly produced two loaded pistols from his coat pocket, which he placed on the table, and said, "Mr. Brummel, if you are really desirous to put a period to your existence I am extremely happy to offer you the means without troubling the waiter." The effect upon those present may be easily imagined at finding themselves in the company of a known madman who had loaded weapons about him.

**MILITIA TO CHECK SMALLPOX**

Wilmington May Be Quarantined—Du Ponts Offer Aid.

Wilmington, Del., May 3.—During a conference between Gov. Miller and Mayor Price today, to consider calling out the local militia companies to enforce the quarantine because of the outbreak of smallpox, John J. Kaskob, treasurer of the du Pont Powder Company, called the Mayor by telephone and placed at the city's disposal the company's entire resources, both financial and otherwise, including sanitation experts, in an effort to assist in checking the spread of disease.

**Trespassing Forbidden.**

All persons are hereby forbidden to trespass on the property known as Hathaway hill. Those who do not heed this warning will be prosecuted according to law.

William H. Snow, Bennington, Vt., May 3, 1916.

**WOODFORD HOLLOW**

There will be a service at Ferndale chapel, on Sunday afternoon, May 7, at 3 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

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**NORTH BENNINGTON**

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Burton Bromley. The program is in charge of Mrs. E. H. White.

**ROOSEVELT SECOND CHOICE**

Nearly Half the Illinois Delegation Said to be for Colonel.

Chicago, May 3.—Of the fifty-eight Illinois delegates to the Republican National Convention it is reported that at least twenty-six will go to Roosevelt as soon as they have satisfied their instructions for Sherman. The figures are attributed to Sherman managers, who, after canvassing the situation, are said to estimate that fully 45 per cent of the Illinois delegation appear to favor Roosevelt on the first ballot taken after the "favorite son" voting. The remaining 55 per cent of the delegation are said to be split, the bulk favoring Hughes, some being for Root and one or two for James R. Mann.

**GYPSY MOTH SPECIMEN MOUNTS**

Being Presented to Libraries by State Commissioners of Agriculture

Specimen mounts of the gypsy moth are being furnished by Commissioner of Agriculture E. S. Brigham for exhibition in the libraries of the state.

The present distribution includes practically all the public libraries on the eastern side of the state and those located at other points considered in particular danger of infestation this insect through railroad or automobile traffic. It is proposed ultimately to provide each public library in the state with one of these mounts.

The specimens have been collected and mounted by the commissioner's assistant in charge of insect suppression, Harold L. Bailey of Bradford. Each mount contains an egg mass, a caterpillar, a male and female pupa, and a male and female moth. Print-cards of explanation accompany them.

The gypsy moth is highly destructive in its caterpillar stage, both to orchards and forest growths, and has caused tremendous damage in the other New England states.

The fact that the line of its progress since its introduction into Massachusetts has gradually extended until it now touches our eastern border, and that several egg masses have been covered in the state, makes it imperative that every effort be made to prevent the establishment of the pest here.

For this reason it is hoped that people will familiarize themselves with the appearance of the insect in its several stages by examining these specimens, and that they will at once notify the commissioner of agriculture should its presence be located or suspected.

**FAMOUS NEWSPAPER STORY**

What Richard Harding Davis' Hero Said About It.

They say it is a wise son who knows his own father, and he is a wide-awake hero who recognizes his own creator. When the late Richard Harding Davis was a Philadelphia reporter one of the office boys on the newspaper where he worked was Gallagher. He was a precocious lad, and some years after Davis had become famous as a novelist and Gallagher himself had graduated into a brickyard, the latter revisited the Press office.

Meeting J. O. G. Duffy, who had

been a reporter with Davis, Gallagher asked him what had become of the "big guns" on the paper in the "old days." He wanted to know about Bradford Merrill and R. E. A. Dorr and Andy Watrous. "Then there was a tall guy," said Gallagher, "who used to give me a nicker to dance on the table. He called himself Mr. Richard Harding Davis. What's become of him?"

"What!" exclaimed Duffy, "don't you know that Dick Davis is now famous and that he made you famous in a story?"

Gallagher wouldn't believe it, so Duffy went to the office library and got out a copy of "Gallagher." The original locked only at the cover and said—

"Why, the durned fool spelled my name wrong."

And it appears that he had—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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