

GALA DAY IN CHARLESTON

President Roosevelt Reviews Great Military Parade.

TENDERED FORMAL RECEPTION.

One of the Day's Features is Presentation of Sword by Nation's Chief Executive to Major Micah Jenkins, a Rough Rider.

Charleston, S. C., April 10.—Greeted and honored by manifestations of respect and esteem of enthusiastic thousands, President Roosevelt was the guest of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian exposition yesterday.

Arriving at the exposition grounds the president reviewed the troops from a stand near the auditorium. Mrs. Roosevelt stood at the president's left. The president was particularly pleased with the appearance and marching of the jacksies and made several complimentary remarks as various state troops passed before him.

At the conclusion of the president's speech, President Wagener announced that the friends and admirers of Major Jenkins in South Carolina wished to present a sword to him on this occasion.

After the exercises in the Auditorium the president and his party made an inspection of the different buildings and viewed all the exhibits they could see in the limited time at their command.

FAIL TO DEFEAT TREATY.

Opponents of West India Sale Again Repulsed in Landsting.

Copenhagen, April 10.—Yesterday's session of the landsting was very exciting. The opposition moved to reject the treaty outright, but the majority report is understood to be couched in extreme terms, for the purpose of exacting concessions on the part of the folkthing.

Small Riot at a Banquet.

Chicago, April 10.—Rivalry between telephone companies represented at the convention of the Independent Telephone association caused riotous disorder at a banquet at the Sherman house last night.

Hardware Combine.

New York, April 10.—Authoritative announcement of a consolidation of the great hardware jobbing interests of the country, capitalized at \$120,000,000 is made by the Iron Age today.

Chectaw Road Changes Hands.

Philadelphia, April 10.—Announcement was made yesterday by Edward R. Smith & Co., bankers, of this city, that the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf Railroad company has been sold to Speyer & Co., bankers, of New York.

SEVEN INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

Pail Bearers and Driver Thrown From Vehicle Returning From Funeral. Cheyenne, April 10.—A serious runaway accident occurred yesterday during the funeral of John Meyers, an old time resident, and as a result seven men are suffering from broken limbs, cuts and bruises.

The funeral procession was returning from the cemetery and the horses attached to the three-seated carriage carrying the pail bearers became frightened. The driver, Ed Hotelling, was thrown under the wheels and both legs were crushed.

SAYS HE IS EMBEZZLER.

Paying Teller in First National at St. Joseph Makes Confession. St. Joseph, April 10.—Lee Gallher, the paying teller of the First National bank of this city, was arrested last night on a charge of embezzling funds of the bank.

POWDER PLANT IS WRECKED.

Two Men Lose Their Lives in a Terrible Explosion at Cleveland. Cleveland, April 10.—Two men were killed as the result of an explosion of nearly 3,000 pounds of powder at the plant of the Austin Powder company at Glen Willow, a few miles southeast of the city, early yesterday.

THREE BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Workmen in Sawmill Near Grinnell Killed in Explosion. Grinnell, Ia., April 10.—Frank Meyers, Dudley Boyd and James Shaffer were instantly killed in a boiler explosion at Peoria, a small town south of this place.

Stormy Weather Off Atlantic Coast.

New York, April 10.—The North German Lloyd line steamer Trave, from Genoa, which arrived off Sandy Hook yesterday, was prevented from crossing the bar by the gale and heavy sea.

Dam Swept Before Flood.

Huron, S. D., April 10.—A large dam which confined water in a lake covering many acres on the Fred M. Wilcox ranch in Milford township broke and the water flooded an immense acreage of lowland.

Side Stake Twenty Thousand.

New York, April 10.—A. J. Welsh of the Charter Oak track has arrived here with articles of agreement for the match race between F. F. Smather's Lord Derby and Thomas Lawson's Boralma for a side stake of \$20,000.

Wreck Victim Dies.

Kalspel, Mon., April 10.—W. O. Cheri, who was badly scalded and otherwise injured in the wreck of a Great Northern passenger train east of this place, died last night.

Train Does Deadly Work.

Grinnell, Ia., April 10.—While crossing the Milwaukee tracks between Albia and Foster, Mrs. John W. Madison, Sr., and her daughter-in-law were run into by a westbound freight.

White to Succeed Whitfield.

Milwaukee, April 10.—According to W. Van Brunt, president of the St. Joseph club of the Western League, W. D. White, formerly president of the Eastern League, will in all probability be elected president of the Western League, to succeed James A. Whitfield, at a meeting to be held in Kansas City tomorrow.

His Life Crushed Out in Car.

Humboldt, Neb., April 10.—David Cather, a colored boy about 20 years old, was killed in the railroad yards here yesterday while stealing a ride in a boxcar loaded with lumber.

Fatally Crushed by Cars.

Fairbury, Neb., April 10.—Roy Hartman, an employe of the car repair department of the Rock Island, was caught between two cars on the repair track yesterday and so badly crushed that he died in 15 minutes.

WIPES OUT WHOLE FAMILY

Insane Woman Slaughters Her Husband, Son and Self.

MAN WAS PROMINENT BANKER.

Mrs. Shepard E. Bucey of Everett, Wash., Performs the Deed With Revolver—No Cause Can Be Assigned for the Tragedy Except Insanity.

Everett, Wash., April 10.—A shocking tragedy occurred shortly after 7 o'clock last night, when Mrs. Shepard E. Bucey, wife of the assistant cashier of the American National bank, killed her husband, their 4-year-old son and herself in a fit of insanity.

LAST RITES OVER RHODES.

Services at Bulwago Attended by Great Throng of Mourners. Bulwago, Matabeleland, April 10.—After an impressive service held at the drill hall yesterday by the bishop of Mashonaland, the coffin containing the remains of Cecil Rhodes started on the last stage of its journey to the Matopos hills.

LIGHT ON MURDER MYSTERY.

Witness McAuliffe May Have Met Death in Police Station.

New York, April 10.—Continued efforts to solve the mystery in the death of James McAuliffe, chief witness against Wardman Glennon, who was convicted and sentenced to Sing Sing for failure to suppress a disorderly house a few months ago, resulted in a sensation last night at the West Forty-seventh street police station.

BRUTAL MURDER AT DETROIT.

Girl Clubbed to Death and Her Body Lacerated With Knife.

Detroit, April 10.—Just before midnight the most brutal murder of recent years in this city was committed on One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Antoinette and McGraw streets. A young girl, who has not yet been identified, was stabbed and pounded to death.

Dr. Talmage's Condition is Critical.

Washington, April 10.—The prevailing symptoms in Dr. Talmage's case have been aggravated by congestion of the brain, which a consultation of physicians determined now exists. The patient has been most of the day unconscious and his present condition is now very grave.

TELEGRAMS TERSELY TOLD.

Two farmers named Kauser and Bustle were shot from ambush and killed at Bernstadt, Ky., Wednesday.

Major Waller, at the Manila court-martial, testified that General Smith ordered Samar natives over 10 years old to be killed.

The principal portion of the business district of Casey, Ill., was destroyed by fire Tuesday night and the loss will exceed \$50,000.

The machinery of the Canadian military department has been set in motion for the enlistment of 2,000 men for South Africa.

By the capsizing of the towboat Acorn at Pittsburg Wednesday, Captain Samuel Silvey and Lee Legg, a fireman, were drowned.

Ralph Marcum, marshal of Fallburg, Ky., was shot and killed by George Cooksey, whom he was trying to arrest for some minor offense.

Judge Tuley announced Wednesday that he would appoint a receiver for the Title and Trust Building and Loan association of Chicago.

The American Smelting company has decided to begin the treatment of the low grade sulphide ores in which the Leadville camp abounds.

Secretary Root, in a report to the house on the army transport service, admitted that extravagance and bad management had existed, but claimed the service is improved.

Major Joseph S. Smith of Bates, one of the most prominent farmers and stock raisers in central Illinois, died Wednesday at Corpus Christi, Tex., where he had been for his health.

General MacArthur in his testimony before the senate committee, said that American ideas would win the Philippines. The present war, he declared, was the most humane of modern times.

The All-American bowling trio, made up of crack rollers from New York, Chicago and one other city located in the middle west, will visit all bowling centers west of the Mississippi river to the Pacific coast.

KING LEOPOLD IS MOBBED.

Surrounded by Socialists Who Wave Red Flags in His Majesty's Face.

Brussels, April 10.—King Leopold was mobbed by socialists yesterday on his arrival here from Biarritz. The meeting between the socialists and the king was quite accidental, but it was none the less unpleasant for his majesty, whose automobile was surrounded by excited socialists who shouted: "Long live the republic."

The socialists had collected at the railroad station to bid farewell to the members of a delegation of Spanish republican deputies who had attended the socialist gatherings here.

The incident has aroused intense excitement and there are fears of further disturbances and complications. The minister of war, General Alkemade, has ordered the militia reserves of 18 regiments to be in readiness to rejoin the colors, and gendarmes of all the divisions are held in instant readiness to march wherever required.

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William Alden Smith Leads Opposition to Cuban Measure.

ASSAILS LEADERS OF HIS PARTY.

Michigan Man Urges Republicans Not to Support the Bill—No Limit to Debate in House—Chinese Exclusion Measure in Senate.

Washington, April 10.—The feature of the second day's debate in the house on the Cuban reciprocity bill was an impassioned speech in opposition to the measure by William A. Smith, a Michigan Republican. Senators Spooner, Quarles and Dooliver and a group of Michigan beet sugar manufacturers in the gallery were in his audience and he was liberally applauded by his Republican supporters.

He announced that he was willing to vote to overrule the chair in order to support an amendment to take the differential off refined sugar. Morris (Minn.), another Republican who made a strong speech against the bill, also made a similar announcement.

The Democratic and Republican opponents of the measure are trying to get together on the proposition to take the differential off refined sugar. The indications are that the debate will be protracted. The demand for time to speak is great and there is now no expectation that general debate will be completed until next week.

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WANT LAND LEASING BILL.

South Dakota Cattlemen Vote to Request Passage of Measure.

Rapid City, S. D., April 10.—A resolution calling upon congress to pass the land leasing measure was passed by the western South Dakota cattlemen after a spirited discussion among themselves. Bartlett Richards of Chadron and Jerry Simpson were the hardest workers in favor of the measure and the debate lasted half the night.

The cattlemen donated \$200 to the South Dakota children's home, President Howard giving a check for \$100. The business of the meeting is over. The executive committee voted to hold the next meeting at Rapid City.

WOMAN GIVEN NEW TRIAL.

Supreme Court of Iowa Reverses Verdict in the Hossack Murder Case.

Des Moines, April 10.—The supreme court yesterday reversed the verdict and ordered a new trial in the Hossack murder case. The defendant, Margaret Hossack, is serving a life sentence for the alleged murder of her husband, a wealthy farmer, who resided near Indianola. His head was split open with an ax two years ago. He was asleep at the time of the murder and his wife was by his side. She claimed the crime was committed by burglars.

Illinois Miners Give In.

Springfield, Ill., April 10.—The threatened coal miners' strike in the Seventh district has been settled. The miners wanted 45 cents per ton and the operators were willing to pay only 42 cents, the old rate. A conference was held, at which the miners receded from their demands and returned to work at 42 cents. They have been endeavoring for three years to secure an increase to 45 cents.

Will Form Reciprocity League.

Chicago, April 10.—At the convention of the Western Reciprocity League, which opens here today, a national reciprocity league will be formed. Governor Stanley of Kansas, the chairman, arrived yesterday and went in conference at once with Chicago people who are interested in Mexican reciprocity. Governor Stanley said it was a question for the convention whether he should retire from the chairmanship.

Endorse Michigan Strike.

Indianapolis, April 10.—The national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America endorsed the strike now in progress in the Michigan field, but instructed the national officers to urge another conference between the miners and operators, with a view to settling the differences. The strike has been on since April 1 and affects 3,000 men.

Live Stock Rates Reduced.

Chicago, April 10.—Traffic officials of western lines have determined to place live stock on a parity with dressed beef in respect to the rates charged. At a meeting yesterday it was decided that between the Missouri and Chicago the rate on live stock should be 18½ cents, instead of 23½ cents.

Crushed the Objector.

Booker T. Washington told an amusing story of an old colored preacher who was endeavoring to explain to his congregation how it was that the children of Israel passed over the Red sea safely, while the Egyptians, who came after them, were drowned. The old man said:

"My brethren, it was this way: When the Israelites passed over, it was early in the morning, while it was cold, and the ice was strong enough so that they went over all right; but when the Egyptians came along it was in the middle of the day, and the sun had thawed the ice so that it gave way under them, and they were drowned."

At this a young man in the congregation, who had been away to school and had come home, rose and said: "I don't see how that explanation can be right, parson. The geography that I've been studying tells us that ice never forms under the equator, and the Red sea is nearly under the equator."

"There, now," said the old preacher. "That's all right. I've been 'spectin' some of you smart Alecks would be askin' jest some such fool question. The time I was talkin' about was before they had any jogafries or 'quators either."

A New English Author.

The traveler who happens to be weather bound at Perugia may find some amusement in the library of one of the leading hotels. Among the contents of the shelves there is a considerable sprinkling of English books; but to the visitor's surprise, a large proportion of these are by a mysterious author, "Bart," of whose name he is probably ignorant. But when he finds that Bart has written "Ivanhoe" and "The Last Days of Pompeii" the key to the mystery is discovered. The local binder has taken the author's title for his name, and Sir Walter Scott and Sir Edward Bulwer-Lytton are credited with but one personality between them.

Conscience Money.

"Conscience money" in Great Britain now amounts to thousands of pounds annually. The first sum noticed was on March 30, 1789, when £260 was carried to the public account in consequence of a note received by the chancellor. The writer with troubled soul implored him, "as an honest man, to consider the money the property of the nation and to be so just as to apply it to the use of the state in such a manner that the nation may not suffer by its having been detained and thus to ease the conscience of an honest man."