

EXTRA SESSION TO ACT ON TREATIES

Will Hasten Settlement With Japan.

AGREE TO COOLIE EXCLUSION

On Condition Schools Are Opened to Japanese.

APPEAL TO SAN FRANCISCO

Waive School Question to Secure Exclusion or Fight to Finish in Courts—Democratic Senators Ready to Oppose.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 2.—It is the present intention of the President to call an extra session of the Senate after March 4 to consider and ratify the Santo Domingo treaty and the treaty with Japan now in process of negotiation.

March 4 there will be 61 Republican Senators, one more than enough to ratify the treaties, and the President is now in consultation with the Senate leaders to ascertain whether the Republican membership will act as a unit.

Japan Asks Concession First. It is authoritatively stated that Japan will not give her assent to a treaty excluding her coolies from the United States until San Francisco admits Japanese children now in that city to her public schools.

Every Senator and Representative from the Pacific Coast is heartily in favor of the compromise proposed by the President.

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REFUSE TO HONOR THE FLAG

Japanese Boys Strike on Flag Drill in Denver.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 2.—"We no like American flag; nothing to do with him." Two Japanese boys nearly 20 years old, and pupils of the Corona school for more than a year, threw down their American flags before the school flag drill at the school yesterday and bolted from the room, refusing to take part in the drill or even to accept presents of flags from teachers.

For more than an hour, while the other children of the school drilled and waved their flags in the corridors of the school, the two Japanese stood sullenly in the schoolyard in spite of the cold, and, when approached by other boys, refused to go into the building until "that flag drill was over."

"All Bosh," Says Callom.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—After a talk with the President today, Senator Callom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, said: "This war scare is all bosh. I'd like to go to war with Senator Perkins for talking as he did last night. There is no more chance of our going to war with Japan over this little school question, than there is of fighting China, Russia or Great Britain."

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YOUNG THOMPSON IS NOT GUILTY

Jury's Prompt Verdict in Murder Case.

"BY REASON OF INSANITY"

Slayer of Judge Emory Escapes Gallows for Asylum.

FATHER WINS HARD FIGHT

His Masterly Appeal to Jury Saves Life of His Boy and Family Name From Disgrace—Verdict Pleases Tacoma.

TACOMA, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Victory, sweeping, brilliant, complete, crowned the supreme effort of the life of Will H. Thompson, when the jury trying his son, Chester Thompson, on the charge of murdering Judge George Meade Emory, brought in a verdict tonight, which, though it declares his son a lunatic, removes the tarnish from the family name; though across the brow of the boy it branded the word "insane," it declared him not a criminal.

The state has been beaten, completely beaten. The defense has won. Chester Thompson has been declared not guilty by reason of insanity. The greatest legal battle on the Pacific Coast, a battle which has been fought for 59 days, inch by inch, piece by piece, mighty brain against mighty brain, a determined prosecuting official against a loving father, is over. The father is declared the winner.

father Has Won Great Fight. has gained the fee for which he sought; he gets it in the form of the life of his child, and though that child will have to spend a large part of his remaining years in a lunatic asylum, he left the courtroom tonight an innocent man, his hands washed clean of the life-blood of the man he shot down. For 12 of his fellow-men have held that he was not responsible for the act.

There were but few persons in the courtroom when the jury came in with their verdict. The prisoner was not placed in his accustomed seat, but led to one at the side, where his brother Maurice stood by him. Near him were the attorneys for the state.

On being placed in the chair his head sank into his hands and he again took up the attitude of apathy which has characterized him during the trial, and which has become a familiar sight to the jury and court.

Will H. Thompson, the father, took his usual seat, but it was noticed that his shoulders were bent and his head bowed. The jury was in its box when he entered the courtroom, but he did not look in its direction, his eyes being on the table before him.

News Flashed Over City. The silence was so intense that the rustling of the paper handed by the foreman of the jury was distinctly heard all over the room. The instant the last word of the verdict was uttered there was commotion. Newspapers sprang from their seats and rushed to telephones, and within a few minutes the news was being flashed on the wires, cried on the streets, the news that Will H. Thompson had won the greatest battle of his life; that despite the obstacles confronting him and the burdens under which he had labored he had girdled himself by a mighty effort, thrown off sickness, fought down death and saved his son.

This was the main thought in the courtroom. None congratulated the prisoner. When Attorney Thompson arose to thank the jury for its verdict

PRIMITIVE MATING BEATS HOME LIFE

More Romantic, Says Professor Thomas.

MONOGAMY? "ONLY A HABIT"

Not Best Stimulation, Avers Chicago Teacher.

FAST WOMEN SEEK NORMAL

Their Object This "Greater Stimulation"

Married People Miss—University of Chicago Furnishes Another Thriller.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Romantic love in the modern family is a myth, according to Professor William I. Thomas, the University of Chicago sociologist. In a book on "Sex and Society," to be issued from the university press tomorrow, the Midway teacher declares that present day matrimony and the family institution are inferior to the unconventional mating of primitive men and women, from the standpoint of romantic happiness.

Professor Thomas presents the theory that the ancient practice of getting wives by capture or bargaining offered the highest stimulation to romance, while the modern monogamy system, involving "intimate association and daily familiarity" are unfavorable to it.

Professor Thomas' book contains numerous startling statements and theories concerning woman's "parasitic position in society. Modern styles in women's clothes, particularly in "dappled" fabrics and decollete dresses," are compared with the abbreviated covering of primitive savages.

More Cognition, Less Emotion. The professor's sensational articles on "The Adventitious Character of Woman" and "The Mind of Woman and the Lower Races," are included in the book. These articles recently aroused criticism throughout the country because of the attack on modern society, psychological defense of the "social evil" and depreciation of the intellectual powers of women. "States of high emotional tension are due to the presentation of the unfamiliar—that is, the unanalyzed, the uncontrolled—to the attention," he declares, in discussing modern matrimony. "And although the intimate association and daily familiarity of family life produce affection, they are not favorable to the genesis of romantic love. Cognition is so complete that no place is left for emotional appreciation.

"Our common expressions 'falling in love' and 'love at sight' imply, in fact, unfamiliarity, and there can be no question that men and women would prefer at present to get mates away from home, even if there were no traditional prejudice against the marriage of near kin. It is psychologically true that only the unfamiliar and not completely controlled is interesting.

How Monogamy Happened. "Monogamy is a habit acquired by the race, not because it has answered more completely to the organic interest of the individual, but because it has more completely served social needs, particularly by assuming to the woman and her children the undivided interest and providence of the man.

"Speaking from the biological standpoint, monogamy does not as a rule answer to the conditions of highest stimulation, since here the problematical and elusive element disappear to some extent, and the object of attention has grown so familiar in con-

Death Comes in Theater. Senator Gallinger's Wife, One of Belasco's Party, Stricken. WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Jacob H. Gallinger, wife of Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire, was taken ill in the Belasco Theater tonight, and died shortly afterwards. Senator Gallinger, his wife and four friends went to the theater tonight as guests of David Belasco. The party had just entered the building when Mrs. Gallinger swooned. While waiting for the ambulance from the emergency hospital, Mrs. Gallinger expired. Death was due to angina pectoris. The body will be taken to New Hampshire tomorrow.

Shooting Caps Hot Argument. LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 2.—H. H. Harvey, a prominent business man, was shot twice tonight and painfully wounded in a Mainstreet restaurant by E. A. Murphy, of Lynchburg. Murphy was arrested. Harvey's injuries are flesh wounds and a broken ankle. The trouble was caused by a discussion which developed into a personal quarrel.

BLIZZARD LEAVES DEATH IN TRAIL

Dakota Farmers Freeze on Their Claims.

SEVEN DEAD NEAR ONE TOWN

Latest Storm Aggravates Suffering on Prairie.

WHOLE TOWNS LACK FUEL

Storm Rages Over One Day Without Abatement—Snow Piles Deep and Trains Have to Be Dug Out.

FARGO, N. D., Feb. 2.—What is by far the worst storm of the winter is just subsiding, after having wrought havoc with the train service and occasioned much suffering and death among isolated homesteaders.

Beginning Friday afternoon, the blizzard raged with unabated fury until this evening. Sweeping across the plains, driving quantities of snow before it, and piling it in deep drifts in every cut, it has put an end to all traffic, not only in

THE HASKIN ARTICLE. The article by Frederic J. Haskin, usually published in this column, will be found on page 33 of this edition of The Oregonian.

North Dakota, but in Western Minnesota as well, and resulted in a complete stoppage of all railroads in this part of the country.

Digging Out Trains. From 2 o'clock this morning till 7 o'clock this evening not a train arrived in Fargo from the east or west. Trains leaving St. Paul yesterday arrived tonight, from 12 to 16 hours late. No trains are running north or west of Fargo tonight. Eastbound Coast trains on the Northern Pacific were held all day at Mandan, Bismarck, Medina and Jamestown. Two passenger trains which left Fargo early last evening were caught in a snowdrift 13 miles east of here and it was found necessary to send 75 men with shovels to dig them out. They were not released until this evening.

Telephone messages from Sharon and Sheldon say that both towns are short of fuel and conditions are serious.

Death in Its Trail. That the present storm has carried great suffering and death in its trail there can be little doubt. Many were short of fuel and the blizzard aggravated this condition, but it is among the homesteaders that the greatest suffering exists and scores of those have undoubtedly perished.

T. M. Kruger, a homesteader residing 21 miles northwest of Williston, N. D., who reached here today, stated that within eight miles of his home seven men had frozen to death on their claims.

PART OF MEMPHIS SUBMERGED. River Reaches Record Mark and Climbs Over Levees. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 2.—With the Mississippi River tonight at a higher stage than ever before recorded here, at many points lapping the summit of the weakened levees, and a further rise anticipated before the crest of the flood is reached tomorrow, the situation is acute. At Memphis several city blocks are under water as a result of the breaking of a protection levee in the northern section of the city. Several hundred persons were forced to leave their homes. The river (Concluded on Page 3.)

WOULD NOT GO TO CHURCH

SERGEANT LYNCH LOSES CHEVRONS AND IS TRANSFERRED.

Fault Not in Disliking Services, but in Refusing Superior Officer's Orders to Attend.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 2.—In accordance with orders received today from the Military Secretary, Sergeant James L. Lynch, of the Tenth Company of recruits at the Columbus army post, who refused to obey Lieutenant Colonel Glenn's orders to attend the Roman Catholic service, will lose his chevrons and be transferred to Company B of the Fourth Infantry at Fort Thomas, Ky.

The War Department held that Lynch was wrong only in that he did not obey the orders and then make complaint. It also held that the courtmartial charges against the Sergeant could not be sustained.

Lieutenant Colonel Glenn was held to be wrong in issuing the order, which subsequently was modified to compel the Roman Catholic soldiers at the post to march only as far as the church doors. The obligation to attend the services was optional.

Much dissatisfaction was expressed by the men at the barracks because they are compelled even to march to the services. It is declared that even this modified order is unprecedented in Army circles. Captain Cabanis, acting commandant, declared today that the order, issued by Lieutenant Colonel Glenn just before he left for San Antonio, Tex., to defend Major Penrose, will be enforced tomorrow.

MORE SAGE MONEY GOES WIDOW GIVES AWAY \$1,250,000 IN TWO REQUESTS.

Emma Willard Seminary, Her Old Home School, at Troy, N. Y., Gets \$1,000,000 Unconditionally. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The Herald tomorrow will say: Announcement was made yesterday of a gift of \$1,000,000 by Mrs. Russell Sage to the Emma Willard Seminary, of Troy, and also of \$250,000 to the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association. Mrs. Sage finished her education at the Emma Willard Seminary and has been for several years president of the Alumni association.

Robert W. DeForest, Mrs. Sage's counsel, made the arrangements and they followed closely the gift of \$1,000,000 to the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, announced Friday evening. All these gifts are made unconditionally and it is provided that in the event of Mrs. Sage's death before the money is paid it will be turned over by her estate.

It is understood that the gift to the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. will be used to erect a building here for the executive offices.

Ex-Governor Higgins Improving. OLEAN, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Dr. Schott, the German specialist, says ex-Governor Higgins is somewhat improved.

THE WEEK'S VARIABLE WEATHER PUTS THE OLDEST INHABITANT IN A REMINISCENT MOOD



"Huh! This silver thaw ain't nothin'— "Why, long about '27 there was a thaw that knocked down every telegraph, telephone and electric light pole in Portland and b'gum the streetcars couldn't run at all. "An' talk about your ice gorges; that ice jam at Oregon City in the winter of '43 damned up the Willamette Falls, and the water went clean up over the bluffs. "An' along in '47 the Columbia froze up so tight the Northern Pacific ran trains at Kalama over the ice. "Why, in the Spring of '51 there was such a big rise in the Willamette you had to take a plumb-line to find The Oregonian tower." And the next day it snowed.