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PLEADS COMMON CUSTOM

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, July 7—Attorneys for Alton, this morning declared it was the custom among railroads to pay such rebates as Alton was convicted of. The court says if such is the case and can be proved, it will mitigate the degree of punishment. Attorney Morrison said that if such proved to be the case there would be more prosecution of a similar nature. The case was continued until next Wednesday. It is expected that Morrison will soon resign as district attorney and will be sent to St. Paul where he goes in the capacity of a special attorney to investigate the Standard Oil prosecutions.

PRESIDENT APPOINTS CLARK

(Scripps News Association)
Oyster Bay June 7—The President this afternoon appointed E. E. Clark grand chief of railroad conductors, as a member of the interstate commerce commission. Clark was a member of the commission which settled the anthracite coal strike three years ago.

AMERICAN ATHLETE WINS

(Scripps News Association)
London, July 7—J. P. Magerman of Los Angeles won second place in the broad jump during the international championship contests.

OYSTER BAY CONFERENCE.

(Scripps News Association)
Oyster Bay, July 7—Secretary of State Taft and the President are in conference today regarding the Panama army and the Philippines.
Upon leaving, Secretary Taft discussed the President's plan which was to enlarge the number of posts and have garrisons with at least a brigade to give the Brigadier generals something to do. Taft said that he would like to have a brigade on the Pacific coast but can't see how one could be located.

GOVERNMENT BUILDING

(Scripps News Association)
Washington July 7—Bids for the building of the public building authorized by congress are opened at the following dates Aug. 6 Great Falls and Missoula Montana, Lewiston and Moscow Idaho On Aug. 8 Logan and Provo, Utah North Yakima and Yakima and Bellingham Washington.

WOMAN ACQUITTED

(Scripps News Association)
Sacramento July 7—Mrs. Mary Spillman who killed her drunken husband Sunday was acquitted at the preliminary examination this afternoon. She shot her husband while the latter was attacking her father who attempted to prevent the dead man from beating his wife.

HOME COMING AWAITED

(Scripps News Association)
Findlay Ohio July 7—Sheriff Groves has gone to Cleveland prepared for an indefinite stay or as long as there is any hope of John D. Rockefeller returning armed with a warrant for his arrest. Judge Banker who would hear the anti-trust case against Rockefeller is regarded as fearless.

PACIFIC COAST MAN

(Scripps News Association)
London July 8—J. P. Magerman of Los Angeles won second place in the broad jump in the international championship contest this afternoon.

A REVOLT IN RUSSIA NOW SEEMS ASSURED

WOMEN AND CHILDREN BEING SENT ABROAD—CZAR SEEKS ADVICE FROM A CLARIVOYANT

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago July 7—The daily News St. Petersburg correspondent cables that all except the ministry, are agreed that a revolution has begun and none can tell where it will end. Today Warsaw, Tiflis, Riga, Kiel and Moscow report strikes. A bomb explosion and highway robbery—is reported in Kiel and Samara district where peasants and administration forces

met in regular battle, the government being defeated. Defection in the army is spreading and the Czar is in a quandry, even the Cossacks are disloyal and the Gendarmes are unreliable. The Czar today consulted a clairvoyant. The army the people and the Douma are feverish. Women and children are being sent abroad. The Jews are fleeing to America.

MRS. THAW IS LOYAL TO HUSBAND

(Scripps News Association)
New York, July 7—Evelyn Thaw visited her husband this morning as usual. The prison missionary was ordered not to interfere with Mrs. Thaw or the prisoner. Dr. Hamilton, an alienist, who has been employed by Thaw's counsel, spent sometime in the cell and then conferred with Judge Olcott. William Thaw and Harry Thaw, nephews of the prisoner, also called and encouraged their uncle.

WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, July 7—Secretary Taft, in his speech on July 9, at Greenboro is expected to sound the keynote of the oncoming congressional campaigns.

STARTS ON LONG CRUISE.

(Scripps News Association)
Washington D. C. July 7—Secretary of State Root, accompanied by Mrs. Root, Miss Root and a secretary sailed on the cruiser Charleston today for Rio de Janeiro, where Secretary Root will attend the Pan-American Conference to be held there the latter part of the month. Secretary Root expects to stay in Rio de Janeiro twelve days and the Brazilian government has made elaborate plans for the entertainment of Mr. Root and his party. They will be the guests of the President at his summer palace at Petropolis.

After leaving Rio Janeiro Mr. Root and his party will continue their way south. They will stop at Buenos Ayres, Montevideo and, possibly, one or two other cities, will double Cape Horn and sail up the West coast to Panama. The Secretary and his party will cross the isthmus and then return home on a Government steamer. The Charleston will go on to San Francisco from Panama.

LOS ANGELES STANDS FIRM

(Scripps News Association)
Los Angeles July 6—Local credit men are making an investigation watching the insurance companies who are defrauding the San Francisco policy holders. They declare that they will boycott all of such companies and estimate the business to the extent of \$10,000,000 will be cancelled within six months and within one year this will be extended to over \$50,000,000.

TENDER LOCATED

(Scripps News Association)
Washington D. C. July 7—The lost light house tender Laurel was located this morning lying under Lebos Island north of Cuba where she was safely awaiting the abatement of the wind. She sustained very little if any damage.

FUNSTON DISBANDS THE BOARD

(Scripps News Association)
Washington July 7—General Funston administered a severe rebuke to the members of court martial, for their undue leniency shown a prisoner. The court on trying Arthur Armstrong charged with breaking out of prison at Alcatraz Island by forcing the cells of three other prisoners and liberating. The prisoner pleaded guilty and the court decided that it was no crime in escaping, sentenced Armstrong to three months in close confinement, releasing the others. Funston says "That Armstrong should be in prison for fifteen years for offenses against women. That he is most probably the most desperate and is certainly the most despicable prisoner on the island. It is evident that officers comprising the court are incompetent and the court is hereby dissolved."

AN IDAHO CHOLERA VICTIM

(Scripps News Association)
Washington July 7—Governor Ide cables the following, W. H. Poppard died here today. Notify Lizzie Poppard, of Caldwell Idaho. There is a decided improvement in the situation, only 18 cases in the 24 hours ending at seven this morning. The daily average has dropped about one half. A majority of the mentioned cases are found dead.

INTERSTATE COMMISSIONERS

(Scripps News Association)
Oyster Bay July 7—The President this afternoon appointed E. E. Clark Grand Chief Railroad Conductor as a member of the Interstate Railroad Commission. Clark was a member of the commission that settled the anthracite coal strike three years ago.

HONORING CHAMBERLAIN

(Scripps News Association)
Birmingham, England, July 7—The entire populace today is celebrating the seventieth anniversary of the Hon. Joseph Chamberlain. While his political policy has been rejected by the people, nevertheless he remains the idol of his home people and thousands of his heretofore supporters.

FOUND A FRENCH INVADER

(Observer Special)
London, July 7—Some turf cutters the other day found the skeleton of a man in the bog of Coolamber, near Granard, county Longford, at a depth of about six feet. The head was missing, having evidently been rudely severed from the body. There were some fragments of military clothing adhering to the remains, and on some of the appointments around the body was found the insignia of the Fleur-de-Lys of France. Everything pointed to the fact that the skeleton was that of an ill-fated officer of Gen. Humbert's army during the French invasion, who, after the allied forces of Ireland and France had fled from the battlefield of Ballinamuck, which is only a short distance from where the discovery was made, was probably overtaken in his flight and his head taken as a trophy after his execution.

CALIFORNIA FLOODS INCREASE

(Scripps News Association)
Stockton, Cal. July 7—Before tomorrow morning more of the big reclamation works of the city will be flooded. The San Joaquin is falling at on river points but it is rising steadily about the threatened islands of the old river. At Clifton court the river is three inches higher than ever before known. On the Grant line canal the water is within two inches of the top of the levy, which is sure to break this afternoon or tonight.

PAGIN IS STILL A VERY BUSY MAN

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland July 7—Special Assistant Attorney General Pagin is here assisting in drawing the indictments against the Standard Oil Company. Pagin is to visit other cities where investigations of the company are to be made. Pagin is the man who drew the indictment upon which U. S. Senator Mitchell of Oregon was convicted.

ECKLES WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, July 7—Former treasurer Eckles denies that he is a candidate for the presidency of the New York Life Insurance Co., to succeed president Orr. He says that he has not considered nor discussed the possibility.

TO CHANGE TACTICS

(Scripps News Association)
New York, July 7—It is intimated that Thaw's attorneys will be forced to abandon the defense of emotional insanity as it is admitted that there is not the last legal evidence produced to substantiate the plea. Justification by continued persecution of Thaw's wife by White will be pleaded.

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White and Tan Oxfords \$2.00 to \$3.50
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Our Assortment is Complete
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