

GREAT SLAUGHTER OF AFRICAN LIONS

Season at Mombasa Closes With 110 Dead and 13 Men Mauled.

GET READY FOR ROOSEVELT

Earth Shakes, Rain Descends in Torrents and Newspaper Hails Him as Autocrat—McMillan Hastens to Ranch.

MOMBASA, East Africa, March 24.—The heavy rains have begun in the protectorate and yesterday there was a precipitation of four inches in three hours. The grass dried, which lately have been drying the prairies and driving the game in close to the railroad line, were extinguished by the downpour. The popular shooting season is at an end. The record for the months shows the killing of 110 lions, including two man-eaters, and 300 head of other game. During the season nine natives and four white men were mauled by lions.

McMillan Makes Ready. George McMillan, nephew of the late Senator McMillan of Michigan, has returned to the protectorate from a tiger-hunting trip in India. He left Mombasa yesterday for a new hunt, his property north of Nairobi, to make preparations for the reception of Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. McMillan's residence on the ranch is in the midst of the forest, but he has installed there an electric lighting plant and an ice-making machine.

There was a slight earthquake shock in the Kilindini district March 20, lasting in all 20 seconds. This disturbance was prophesied a fortnight ago by Emile Marchand, director of the observatory on the Pic du Midi, in the Pyrenees.

"Greatest Republican Autocrat."

The African Standard has published an eulogistic article welcoming Mr. Roosevelt. In it the ex-President of the United States is referred to as the "greatest republican autocrat in history."

Alfred L. M. Gottschalk, American Consul-General at large, has arrived here for the purpose of looking into the matter of the expected increase in trade with this district.

A complete taxidermic laboratory is being established here for the purpose of mounting and preservation of trophies for the Smithsonian Institution.

MUST PROVE NECESSITY

Otherwise War Department Cannot Remove Headquarters.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Senator Bourne, who is making a strenuous fight to prevent the removal of department headquarters from Vancouver, says the President will insist that the War Department produce positive proof of their assertions, that the military interests of the country would be best subserved, he said, by the removal of the headquarters. Senator Bourne is anxious to receive from the commercial associations of Portland a complete showing why the change should be made, to strengthen his protests filed with the President and Secretary of War.

In response to telegrams from Senator Bourne, William MacMaster, president of the Chamber of Commerce, has called a meeting of the proper committees of that organization for today. When the proposed removal of the department headquarters from Vancouver, Wash., will be considered. Since the rumor was first circulated that the change was a possibility that headquarters would be transferred from Vancouver to some Puget Sound point, the Chamber has been especially active in preliminary steps that might defeat any such intention on the part of the officials at Washington. The removal of headquarters from Vancouver would entail a loss of approximately \$2,000,000 annually to the business interests of this city.

STRICT LAWS FOR NEVADA

Gov. Dickerson Signs Banking Act and Other Bills.

CARSON, Nev., March 24.—Governor Dickerson has signed the Tallman banking act, the mining inspector bill, the anti-gambling bill, and the court bill. A strong fight was made to include the guarantee clause in the banking bill, and the bill as passed is a compromise result. The vital points include the following: Every officer and director of any banking corporation which shall violate any provision of the act shall be civilly liable for damages to any person injured thereby, and shall likewise be liable to the guaranty fund of such corporation for the amount of money paid out to the depositors therein.

The anti-gambling act provides that on and after October, 1910, no license shall be issued for any gambling game, and makes it a misdemeanor to play any game for money.

JAP'S FIANCEE ON WAY

(Continued From First Page.)

to Oregon, where we know that the people value you for your worth. Here in California everybody is concerned about something that is not their business. Time and again I have said that Aoki is a gentleman, well fitted to become the husband of my daughter. Why shouldn't he marry her, if we all wish it? Yet the whole of California is worried. We want to get away where the strangers will let us alone. Yes, Aoki is going to marry my daughter, and I am proud of it.

Miss Emery's brother, Charles, wrote to his mother in answer to her request for his opinion of the proposed marriage. His answer was short but emphatic.

"Dear mother," it read, "you know how I love a nigger."

BOTH FAMILIES ARE DIVIDED

Marriage Opposed by Brothers of Both Girl and Aoki.

CORTE MADERA, Cal., March 24.—(Special.)—Unrestrained by public opinion, which strongly condemns what it believes a mesalliance, Gladys Emery,

the youngest daughter of Archbishop John Emery, of the Episcopal diocese of California, aided and abetted by her mother, is preparing to evade the law of the state by marrying Gunjiro Aoki, Japanese, outside of California. Miss Emery and her mother are packing their trunk, preparatory to a flight from their home, and the Japanese don't declare that Aoki is a Japanese Don state where the girl may become the bride of the Japanese.

Aoki's relatives and Japanese friends have offered him \$1000 to forsake his plan to marry the white girl, but he has spurned their offer. Their friends don't declare that Aoki is a Japanese Don, but at some time in his life, the Rev. C. Aoki, who has been asked to resign his pastorate of the Japanese Mission, refused to relinquish his claim to Miss Emery.

The Emery family, however, is seriously divided, and the women's continued defiance may result in the breaking up of the household. Recently Mrs. Emery sent a message to her son Charles, asking him how he viewed the

STUDY OUR MILITARY SYSTEM

General Hoar.

NEW YORK, March 24.—(Special.)—General Hoar is Inspector-General for the commonwealth of Massachusetts.

He recently from London to make a careful study of our military system. Every facility will be afforded him by the War Department to obtain all the information he desires.

approaching nuptials of Aoki and his

the answer was succinct and to the point: "It reads:

"Dear Mother: You know how I love a nigger."

The archbishop still remains away from the family home.

He has been socially isolated at Corte Madera since the announcement of the girls' engagement became public property.

CARNEGIE IS DISPLEASED

SAYS HUGE BATTLESHIPS ARE BLUNDERS.

After Scoring Present Naval Policies, Peace-Seeker Suggests New Style Alliance.

NEW YORK, March 24.—The growing tendency toward bigger and more formidable navies, shown by the leading nations of Europe, and now by the United States, was denounced tonight by Andrew Carnegie at the international peace festival in Carnegie Hall under the auspices of the Peace Society of the City of New York.

"Never before in the history of the world," said Mr. Carnegie, "have the leading powers been engaged in hastening the construction of engines of destruction to the extent that we are now doing."

Explanation of this deplorable condition is to be found in the fatuous blunder of the Government of Great Britain in creating a class of battleships, the so-called "Dreadnoughts," which have a displacement of 25,000 tons.

A short time ago England had a navy which was considered as being five times more powerful than that of Germany.

In order to remain the unchallenged mistress of the seas all she had to do was to avoid increasing the size and armament of her vessels.

With the building of British Dreadnoughts came the building of German ships of equivalent displacement and armament.

President Roosevelt exerted all his influence to secure a limit to the size of battleships, but to no avail, and now the United States and the other world powers are all actively engaged in turning out 25,000 ton battleships.

Mr. Carnegie then took up the suggestion made by a writer in the United States Gazette of London, that the fleets of Great Britain and the United States be mutually reduced to the British fleet to guarantee the American fleet to guarantee British possessions in the Pacific and the American fleet to guarantee British possessions in the Atlantic.

Mr. Carnegie suggested that it become operative only after the nation involved with either Great Britain or the United States had refused to put its grievance to peaceful arbitration.

CRATER LAKE ROAD SURE

Jackson County Adds \$50,000 to \$100,000 State Appropriation.

JACKSONVILLE, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—The County Court of Jackson County today entered and ordered the appropriation of \$50,000 toward construction of the Crater Lake road.

This supplement the appropriation of \$100,000 made by the recent State Legislature.

LADIES' SUIT SALE.

As the alteration will affect our suit department, every suit, coat, skirt, petticoat, kimono, wrapper and blouse will be closed out, regardless of cost.

McAllen & McCord, corner Third and Morrison.

Steamers Clear With Lumber.

ASTORIA, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—The steamer Bowdoin cleared at the customhouse today for San Francisco, after loading 250,000 feet of lumber at Rainier.

The steamer Olympic cleared today for San Pedro. She took on 350,000 feet of lumber at Westport.

Subscribe for the Spectator, Portland's leading weekly. Special, 50 cents for four months. Write for sample copy. 323 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. A. 2924. Main 4224.

TEXAS TORNADO KILLS AND Maims

Twelve Persons Fall Victims to Storm, Eight Being Burned in Ruins.

SEVERAL TOWNS WRECKED

Whole Family Pinned Down in Wreck of Farmhouse, Cremated Alive—Score of Persons Injured—Loss Is Heavy.

DALLAS, Tex., March 24.—Twelve known dead, property loss reaching into the thousands of dollars, and possibly a score injured are the results of a tornado which swept over the northeastern part of Wise County last night. Several small towns suffered serious damage.

The greatest loss of life occurred in the country districts. The destruction of one farmhouse alone caused the death of eight persons, whose bodies were found scattered near Sildell. The farmhouse of Ira Rice was crushed in by the storm, and the family of eight members pinned down beneath the wreckage. A light in the house at the time of the disaster caused the ruins to become incandescent, and almost every person who was in the house was killed.

The towns of Sanger and Greenwood were hit, and a number of houses were moved from their foundations. The Good View schoolhouse, near Sanger, was wrecked. In this vicinity two farmers and two children of negro tenants were killed.

At Crafton, every business house save one was blown down. The Methodist and Baptist churches were completely wrecked. At Dan, also in Wise County, near Sildell, two houses were destroyed. The Christian Church at Greenwood was destroyed.

DENVER TANGLED IN WIRES

Over \$200,000 Damage Done by Heavy Fall of Wet Snow.

DENVER, March 24.—Eight inches of wet clinging snow, following several dry days, has tangled the city in a mess of wires. The damage is estimated at \$200,000, and out of all communication with the outside world so late that it had not been restored.

Every wire of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies, and every telephone wire, was carried down by the snow. 5000 telephone wires in the city were rendered useless and hundreds of trees in the parks and along the boulevards were badly damaged. For several hours this morning streetcar service was at a standstill and thousands plodded to work through the slush. Suburban electric lines were put out of commission and trains on all railroads were many hours late, as the dispatchers were helpless.

In the vicinity of Seventh and Laramie street poles are down for a distance of a mile and the great mass of telephone, telegraph and electric wires in falling tangled with them part of the city street viaduct and completely blocked railroad and streetcar traffic.

Many small fires were caused by broken and crossed wires.

EASTERN WIRES ALL DOWN

Storms on Prairies and Rockies Stop All Communication.

CHICAGO, March 24.—A serious storm has developed in the Rocky Mountains. Telegraphic communication has been lost over all routes. The most difficulty appears to be within 20 miles of Denver. It is reported that Brewster, Kan., was struck by a tornado, but direct communication is lacking.

30 DEGREE DROP ON PRAIRIE

Oklahoma Has Bitter Weather, but No Lives Are Lost.

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 24.—One of the severest winter storms and blizzards of the winter visited the western and southwestern part of Oklahoma today. Telephone and telegraph wires are down in all directions. No loss of life is reported.

FIERCE GALE IN TENNESSEE

Chattanooga Experiences 50-Mile Wind With Drenching Rain.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 24.—This city experienced tonight one of the most severe wind and rain storms in the last ten years. A 50-mile gale blew for nearly a half hour, resulting in damage. Windows were blown out of large buildings.

Train Blown From Track.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 24.—At Edson last night a tornado struck a freight train on the Rock Island Railroad, and nine cars were blown from the track.

Two hundred and damaged several houses, but no lives were lost. A few cars of steel, rain and snow prevail throughout Northwestern Kansas.

GIVES LECTURE AT Y. M. C. A.

W. P. OLDS ON "CHOOSING COMMERCIAL VOCATION."

Address Is First of Series by Men Who Are Leaders in Various Occupations.

"Choosing a Commercial Vocation" was the subject of an address given by W. P. Olds at the Y. M. C. A. last night to the members of the association. This is the first of a series of lectures by W. P. C. A. is planning for the benefit of the members. It is the intention to have prominent men give addresses on the various occupations with the view of assisting the young men to make a choice. The next talk will be given on April 28. The speaker for this address has not been chosen.

Mr. Olds declared the great callings to be agriculture, manufacture, commerce and the professional or learned vocations. He named some of the subdivisions of each and then went on to the commercial division. Mr. Olds said in part:

"In a great majority of cases the

young man falls into his occupation by accident. It is necessary for one to choose his vocation if one is to be a success in life. Steer your own boat and do not leave it to chance. In the present battle of life circumstances are against us and if care is not taken in the calling chosen you are apt to be a square plug in a round hole. In the commercial life 95 out of 100 are failures at some time in their lives, so you can see the odds that are against you. Do not choose a calling unless it is one that you can like. Choose work that you can enjoy and get all the pleasure out of it that you can or you do not get all that is coming to you.

"Commerce is the most necessary thing in the world today, and if it were not for commerce the present civilized world could not exist. In one part of the world certain things are produced, and others in another part. These productions are distributed over the world by commerce, without which our quantities would spoil at the place where they are made or raised, and the people in the other parts would have to do without them. For instance, say oranges were raised in California, and the people who raised them would not exchange these for cloth, flour, etc., but the people who raised them would not have bread to eat nor clothes

MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS FOR VENEZUELA.

Gonzales Guinaud.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—(Special.)—Gonzales Guinaud is the Minister of foreign Affairs for Venezuela.

He was charged with the burden of straightening out the tangle with foreign nations in which Castro left Venezuela when he went to Beria.

Dr. Paula, his predecessor, had charge of foreign affairs when Venezuela was embroiled with Holland and France. The new minister has succeeded in restoring good feeling between the nations in a very short time.

TO WEAR.

It is the trading of different kinds of produce.

"In order to be successful in the commercial line as well as any other kind of vocation it is necessary to do things a little better than common. It does not mean having better clothes, but a great amount of money, although in order to have great commercial ability it is necessary to have means, but success is the satisfaction of doing something well."

"In order to be successful it is necessary to get down to the foundation of success, to lay the cornerstones to have certain principles. These principles are good health, good habits, good character, honesty—the most necessary qualification—good will toward people, energy, knowledge, tact, courtesy, intelligence, persistence, economy, expression, and personal appearance."

Mr. Bernachi is clear, concise, interesting and instructive, and was much appreciated by the members present.

PRaise GIVEN SHACKLETON

ANTARCTIC TRIP MAGNIFICENT FEAT.

Scientists Expect Much From Discoveries of Expedition Into Far Southern Region.

LONDON, March 24.—Lieutenant Shackleton's discoveries have brought a chorus of praise and admiration from other explorers, geographers and scientists. Louis Charles Bernachi, who was in the party of the Discovery Antarctic expedition in 1901-04, said in an interview today that the sledging journey of 125 days under such conditions as were described is one of the most magnificent feats in the annals of polar exploration.

The whole address was clear, concise, interesting and instructive, and was much appreciated by the members present.

JUDGE DISLIKES "CUSSING"

Fines Excited Man, Then Has Him Thrown in Jail.

PENDLETON, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—C. C. Hendricks, one of the city's heaviest taxpayers and a prominent citizen, spent two hours in the City Jail today for contempt of court. He was fined \$10 for contempt because he would not keep still and stop swearing, and when this sentence was pronounced he got another oath and started for the courtroom as if to strike him. He was detained by the City Marshal and thrown into jail on order of the court.

Hendricks had been cited to appear in court to explain the presence of a quantity of rubbish in a certain street. He says he put it there to be hauled away, as he was cleaning up his premises, and his arrest so angered him that he hardly waited to get inside the courtroom to begin telling the police and Police Judge what he thought of them. The language used was strong and the flow continuous. Hendricks threatens to bring suit for damages.

STOP WAITING FOR HENEY

Binger Hermann and Others to Be Given Speedy Trial.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU. Washington, March 24.—Binger Hermann, J. N. Williamson and other Oregon men who have long rested under indictment, some for more than four years, will be given a speedy trial or else the indictments against them will be dismissed.

Attorney General Wickersham has learned of the manner in which the trial of these cases has been staved off from time to time, and has given orders that such proceedings will no longer be tolerated. These defendants, who are in the hands of the federal government, are guaranteed a speedy trial, and if the Government after all this time is unable to place them on trial other steps will be taken to close the cases.

There is no disposition to longer postpone these trials to suit the convenience of any one connected with the prosecution, and it is therefore improbable that the Herman case, unless dropped, will be turned over to some other than Heney for prosecution.

FREE MAGAZINES.

With \$1 purchase or over we give a year's subscription, worth 50 cents, to Paris Modes, a handsome illustrated monthly magazine. Sample copy free. McAllen & McCord, agents for Paris Modes, price 10 cents.

Pumps that Fit at Rosenthal's.

Use Wizard Carpet Cleaner. All dealers.

MRS. DUDEN FREE OF BURGEAR

San Diego Woman's Plea of Self-Defense Accepted by Jury After Brief Wait.

VERDICT HISSSED IN COURT

Pathetic Scene as Verdict Is Rendered, Wife and Husband Embracing Each Other and Their Friends.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 24.—Mrs. Effie Duden, charged with the murder of her brother-in-law, Bruce Scheffer, recently, was acquitted today by a jury, after two and a half hours' deliberation. As L. A. Creelman, foreman of the jury, arose and announced to the court that a decision had been reached, Mrs. Duden leaped forward, a strained look on her face, her hands twitching, and her body trembling. When the verdict had been passed to Judge Lewis and handed to the clerk of the court for reading, there was a deathlike silence in the courtroom.

"We, the jury, find the defendant not guilty."

Hissing in Court.

Immediately following the reading of these words by the clerk, a storm of hisses, mixed with the handclapping of Mrs. Duden's relatives and friends, came from every part of the room. Judge Lewis rapped for order and threatened to clear the courtroom if the demonstration did not cease.

When Mrs. Duden heard the verdict she started up and turned to her husband, who took her in his arms, embracing her strenuously. Then he broke down and cried like a child. Mrs. Duden's emotion, so plainly visible before the jury reported and before the verdict was read, faded when she heard the words "not guilty," and received the congratulations of her relatives, friends and attorneys in a calm manner.

Story of Crime.

Mrs. Duden, with her husband, J. H. Duden, her two sisters, Misses Eva and Effie James, and Bruce Scheffer, husband of James Duden's dead sister and partner in Mr. Duden in the contracting business here, lived at the Sixth-street rooming house, which had been owned by Scheffer's wife and was a part of her estate, which, up to January 25, had not been settled.

On the evening of that date, two shots rang out, followed at a short interval by another. Officers rushing to the scene found Bruce Scheffer in his shirt-sleeves on the sidewalk in front of the rooming house, unconscious. He died without making a statement. Upstairs they inquired if he had committed suicide.

"No," responded Mrs. Duden, his sister-in-law, "he tried to knock a pistol out of my hand and I shot him. Is he dead?"

Mrs. Duden was at once placed under arrest. As she was being led away to jail, she turned to her husband and said:

"Just had to do it, Jack. He tried to kill me."

She also asked her husband to send some magazines to the jail.

When the grand jury convened, Mrs. Duden was indicted for the murder of Scheffer, her husband, despite the rumor that he was implicated, not being indicted.

After her incarceration her attorney, Eugene Daney, said it was freely admitted that Mrs. Duden shot Scheffer, but added that when the case was tried it would be found that she had shot to defend that which was most dear to all mortals. That was the only inkling given as to what the defense would be. The state contended that it was a deliberate plot to murder.

JUDGE DISLIKES "CUSSING"

Fines Excited Man, Then Has Him Thrown in Jail.

PENDLETON, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—C. C. Hendricks, one of the city's heaviest taxpayers and a prominent citizen, spent two hours in the City Jail today for contempt of court. He was fined \$10 for contempt because he would not keep still and stop swearing, and when this sentence was pronounced he got another oath and started for the courtroom as if to strike him. He was detained by the City Marshal and thrown into jail on order of the court.

Hendricks had been cited to appear in court to explain the presence of a quantity of rubbish in a certain street. He says he put it there to be hauled away, as he was cleaning up his premises, and his arrest so angered him that he hardly waited to get inside the courtroom to begin telling the police and Police Judge what he thought of them. The language used was strong and the flow continuous. Hendricks threatens to bring suit for damages.

STOP WAITING FOR HENEY

Binger Hermann and Others to Be Given Speedy Trial.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU. Washington, March 24.—Binger Hermann, J. N. Williamson and other Oregon men who have long rested under indictment, some for more than four years, will be given a speedy trial or else the indictments against them will be dismissed.

Attorney General Wickersham has learned of the manner in which the trial of these cases has been staved off from time to time, and has given orders that such proceedings will no longer be tolerated. These defendants, who are in the hands of the federal government, are guaranteed a speedy trial, and if the Government after all this time is unable to place them on trial other steps will be taken to close the cases.

There is no disposition to longer postpone these trials to suit the convenience of any one connected with the prosecution, and it is therefore improbable that the Herman case, unless dropped, will be turned over to some other than Heney for prosecution.

Amusements

What the Frons Agents Say.

Harry Beresford at the Baker.

Everyone is praising Harry Beresford, the comedian and his play, "Who's Your Friend?" at the Baker this week. Of Mr. Beresford's reputation his talents are indisputably recognized as of the first order.

Charcoal Lozenges a Natural Breath Perfume

Charcoal Assists in Gaining and Retaining a Sweet Breath.

Breath perfumes should never be resorted to. They seldom conceal the odor and never remove the cause, and are very suggestive.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges sweetens the breath by removing the cause—a sweetened condition of the stomach, and by this means imparts to the breath the natural, healthful odor, void of all unnatural or suggestive condition. Fourth, charcoal cleanses the blood, sweetens the breath and keeps the stomach to it the natural odor nature intended it to have. Second, charcoal is an absorbent, absorbing 100 per cent per volume of gas, by this means relieving flatulence and gases of the stomach and bowels. Third, charcoal aids digestion and by this means regulates the action of the bowels, relieving flux, diarrhoea, piles, constipation, etc. Fourth, charcoal cleanses the blood, thus preventing pimples and other eruptions that arise from indigestion and impurities of the blood.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are a household necessity and should be in every home, containing only young willow-wood charcoal and honey. They are perfectly harmless and of food quality may be taken without ill effects. Old and young alike can take Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges with the same beneficial results.

The next time that you have sour stomach, indigestion, bad breath, heart burn, gastritis, bad taste in the mouth, belching or belching up of food, just step in the nearest drug store and get a box of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges and try them; the results will be gratifying and almost instantaneous. The stomach will soon feel better and the disagreeable odor disappear in a very short time.

If you prize a sweet breath and healthy stomach, you should occasionally use Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. A lozenge now and then will suffice to sweeten the breath and keep the stomach in a healthy condition; try them; for sale everywhere, or a sample will be mailed free upon request. Address The F. A. Stuart Co., 200 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

of comedy from coast to coast. Saturday matinee and Saturday night will close the week.

"Tune and Back."

They are laughing at the Bungalow this week at George Arliss' funny farce, "There and Back," which the Baker is offering. The play is presenting for the first time in the West, and is a masterpiece of comedy. Russell, William Gleason and, in fact, nearly the entire company great chances for fun making, which no one overlooks.

AT THE VAUDEVILLE THEATERS.