

TAFT PAYS HONOR TO COUNTRY'S AIDS

President Unveils Statues to Memories of Pulaski and Kosciusko.

ONE MADE U. S. CAVALRY

"Pulaski's Legion," Famous in War for Independence, Fought Valiantly—America Shows Gratitude by Fine Monuments.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—President Taft today paid tribute to the foreign soldiers who helped the United States win independence. He attended the unveiling of the statues of Pulaski and Kosciusko, the former at Thirteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, and the latter in Lafayette Square. Mr. Taft delivered the eulogy at the Pulaski statue, while Secretary Dickinson was the principal speaker at the Kosciusko ceremonies. The President said:

"It is idle to speculate what might have happened in the War of the Revolution had we not been assisted by foreign nations and subjects of foreign countries. It is sufficient for us that those who assisted us in that struggle contributed materially to our success. Hence to Lafayette, to Rochambeau, to Von Steuben, to DeKalb, to Pulaski, to Kosciusko, and to others, it is fitting that there be erected monuments like this, that it may be understood America is grateful and holds in sweet memory those who came to her in her hour of danger and distress. When Count Pulaski came here the American Army practically had no cavalry and to him, with the permission of Washington and with the vote of Congress, was turned over the question of the organization of a cavalry force. Subsequently, organizing an independent legion known as 'Pulaski's Legion,' he fought his way from north to south until finally, after taking part in the campaign about Charleston, he lost his life in a brilliant charge at the siege of Savannah. Chivalric and of knightly form, brave, dashing, courageous, but gentle as a woman, sweet in all the associations of life, there hangs about him all the romance of ancient knighthood. Could he have looked forward to the coming to this country of 3,000,000 of his Polish fellow citizens, could he have seen them take their honorable part in the American electorate, could he have seen the welcome they received, the prosperity they have added, the strength they have given to this country, and the happiness they have found under the starry banner, he indeed have felt his labors were not in vain.

STORY OF DEATH TOLD

STATE'S STAR WITNESS TESTIFIES IN PEPOON CASE.

Dramatic Recital of Dead Woman's Companion Impressive When Heard in Court.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—A special from Colville, Wash., says: Massie Downs, star witness, was the sensation of the Pepon case. This robust young woman, 22 years old and the mother of six fine children, told a plain unvarnished tale of Edith Pepon's death in a fashion that was impressive and thrilling from its very directness and simplicity. The utmost efforts of the defense failed to shake her testimony in any degree whatever, and her contribution to the case which the state is winding about George Pepon is one of its strongest parts. Most Crossan, one of the most picturesque figures in the case, was also an exceptionally good witness and is important from the evident intention of the defense to impeach him. If not to show that he might have been guilty of the crime. A startling thing about Crossan's testimony was his offer to identify a bottle found by Mrs. Volcott in the Pepon house as the same bottle in which he had left a quantity of water and was waiting for her with a dipperful of water. He gave her a big drink and she staggered back again. She said, 'Get me outside.' Mr. Pepon offered to help her, but she said, 'Go away, you devil.' 'I said, 'Will you let me help you?' She said, 'Yes,' and we carried her outdoors. 'Roy Wilcox carried her, by the head and shoulders, and I carried her by the knees. We put her in the rocking-chair and she had three convulsions. They lasted two or three minutes. She rallied a little after the first spasm, and said, 'Oh, please don't let me go.' Then went into a worse one and finally died in the third convulsion.

COUNTRYMAN MAY DIE SOON

Man Assaulted Reported as in Critical Condition.

John Countryman, who, it is alleged, was beaten by James Porter Tuesday night, is reported to be in a critical condition. He was delirious last night and appeared to be growing gradually worse, and unless a sudden change for the better takes place he cannot live long. Porter, the proprietor of the freak animal show located at 94 Sixth street, North, who assaulted Countryman, is out on \$250 bail. He is charged with assault and battery.

WATER ROUTES CUT RATES

Wagonmakers Denied Reparation by Interstate Commission.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today de-

clined that water competition forced down rates from interior points to the Pacific Coast terminals. The situation was peculiar in the case in point. Carriers had increased the rates on farm and dump wagons from Missouri River territory to the Pacific Coast from \$1.25 a hundred pounds to \$1.35, the reason announced being that the former rate was abnormally low. Subsequently, it was discovered wagons were being moved to the Pacific Coast terminals by water and the \$1.25 rate was restored. The restoration of the rate induced the Kentucky Wagon Manufacturing Company and the Millburn Wagon Company, of Toledo, O., to institute complaints before the Commission, demanding reparation on shipments on which they had paid the \$1.35 rate. The Commission denied the reparation, holding that the carriers were forced by water competition to restore the lower rate in order to get the business, and not because the higher rate was unreasonable.

HUSBAND BADLY SCARED

CHARLES THORNTON DECLARES WIFE TRIED TO KILL HIM.

Woman Retorts That Spouse Fired Shots—Both Get Freedom After Depositing Bail.

Declaring that he would rather go to jail for six months than to face his angry wife, Charles Thornton, who conducted a saloon at 75 Third street North, Wednesday deposited \$250 bail for his wife, who had been arrested with him on a charge of disturbing the peace, and permitted himself to be locked in a cell. However, his security from his spouse was short lived, for in less than an hour she was engaged with three holes in her forehead, which she deposited for her husband's release. A report was received at the police station about 8 o'clock that a number of shots had been fired in the Thornton home, at 167 Park street. Patrolman Ennis on entering the house found three chairs overturned and the furniture smashed, chairs overturned and other evidences of a struggle. A 38-caliber revolver was lying on the bed, with three chambers emptied, while three holes in the wall showed where the bullets had passed. Mrs. Thornton maintains that her husband came home drunk and began to abuse her and smash the furniture. Not satisfied with this she says, he picked up a revolver and fired three shots at her to frighten her. Thornton, on the other hand says his wife has frequent attacks similar to the one last night and that at such times she is exceedingly dangerous. "She fired three shots at me," he said, "and this is not the first time by any means that she has emptied a revolver trying to hit me. Our old home on Tenth street, is riddled with bullets which were fired by her." The angry woman refused to bestow as much as a glance on her husband after depositing his bail, walking away from the jail with her head in the air. Her thoroughly subdued husband lingered for several hours at the police station, saying he was afraid to leave.

BABY LOST IN SUBURB

CHILD DISAPPEARS IN MIDST OF CROWD AT SALE OF LOTS.

Left in Go-Cart by Mother, He Can't Be Found, Though Posses Seek Diligently TH Midnight.

Kenneth, the 3 1/2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy A. Woods, 1055 East Thirteenth street, North, mysteriously disappeared from his go-cart at Kusa during a real estate sale Wednesday afternoon and cannot be found. Posses of men have been searching in the vicinity since 4:30 P. M. for the child, but not a trace of him was discovered. It is not generally believed that the baby could have wandered away and kidnapping is the most accepted theory of his disappearance. Mrs. Wood attended a real estate auction sale at Kusa yesterday. She left the baby in his go-cart about 4 P. M. not more than 100 yards from the real estate office, where a big crowd had assembled. She returned to the go-cart half an hour later and found her baby gone. At first she thought the little one had slipped out of the buggy and nudged with the crowd, but when no one was found who had seen the child she became alarmed and the word spread through the crowd that a child was lost. Immediately volunteers began a thorough search. As night drew near and no trace of the baby was found, a general alarm spread through the community, more volunteers were enlisted and the search became more systematic.

CONVENTION SETS RECORD

Four Hundred Sunday School Workers Meet at Moscow.

MOSCOW, Idaho, May 12.—(Special.)—The largest Sunday school convention ever held by the Inland Empire Association, with an attendance of 400 delegates, aroused much interest today. Rev. E. L. House, D. D. of Spokane, was re-elected general secretary, and Adolph Nelson, of Spokane, treasurer, at today's session. President Hill presided over the convention, of Palouse, acted as secretary. At the afternoon session it was found advisable to divide the work into special conferences, and in the evening, after a reception in the Administration building at the University of Idaho, services were held at both Methodist and Presbyterian Churches. A chorus of several hundred pupils from the Moscow public schools was a feature at the afternoon session.

SOLDIER GOES TO PRISON

Corporal Pleads Guilty to Robbery. Woman Was Accomplice.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—Oscar Lester, a corporal in the United States Army, who came to Walla Walla from San Francisco to give testimony in a general court-martial, pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny this morning in the Superior Court and was sentenced, under the undersentencing act, to not more than 15 years in the State Penitentiary. One night last week Lester and a woman, Bessie Pink, robbed a German, John Smith, of \$250. Both denied their guilt, but later Lester confessed and the money was found in the woman's apartments. The woman will be tried at the next session of the Superior Court.

According to Consul-General Richard Gaidner, of Frankfurt, the German sea fishery in 1909 amounted to 88,881,890 fish and 1,430,000 lobsters and oysters, valued at \$7,838,000. German fishing increased in the German Ocean, but declined in the Baltic.

GOHL GUILTY OF MURDER, JURY SAYS

Big Crowd Hears Document Condemning Murderer, Who Sits Unmoved.

PRISONER'S WIFE ABSENT

Twelve Men Who Determined Fate of Slayer of Charles Hadberg Make Plea for Clemency for Him When They Report.

MONTESSANO, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—After requesting further instructions at 11:50 last night as to whether or not a verdict of murder in the second degree could be returned if premeditation was shown, and being ordered by the court to return to the juryroom and read their instructions, the jury in the trial of William Gohl for the murder of Charles Hadberg at 12:25 this morning brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, with a recommendation for clemency. Gohl was brought from his cell looking pale and haggard and as the Clerk slowly read the decree he seemed unable to comprehend the seriousness. He expressed a few hurried words with his attorney, James A. Hutcheson, before being hurried to his cell, in the jail below, by several deputies. For some reason or other Mrs. Gohl, who has not been absent from the court for a moment during the entire trial and who feverishly paced the corridor of the Courtroom and the sidewalk in front for hours after the jury retired, was not present when the verdict which may mean the gallows for her husband, was returned. J. O. Stewart officiated as foreman of the jury, which was discharged by Judge Ben Sheeks immediately. Despite the late hour, a considerable number of spectators were on hand to hear the result. No notice of appeal was given by the defense at this time.

INVENTIONS OF TOMORROW

Peeps Into the Electrical Dream of the Future.

Popular Electricity. Chances for a successful career in the electrical field better than ever before—electrical inventions not all made by any means—electricity the only thing that has become cheaper in the last few years—high cost of living comes from the cost of delivering small quantities to the ultimate consumer—houses have no place in city streets—hereafter motors will do all the chores—houses of cement for plain folks for \$1200 by the Edison system of molds. We shall have easily \$50,000,000,000 of money in the electrical service in 1925, and five times as many persons will then be employed in electricity as now. There is absolutely no reason why horses should be allowed within the city limits, for between the gasoline and electric car, no room is left for them. A higher public level of health and cleanliness is working toward such banishment swiftly, then we shall have decent streets bordered by stairways of cobblestones instead of stables made to carry that step further and devise automatic stores where the distributing cost is brought down to a minimum on every article handled. Houses have no place in city streets—hereafter motors will do all the chores—houses of cement for plain folks for \$1200 by the Edison system of molds. I believe a family could live the year around without using anything but good package food. Why the old ways to carry that step further and devise automatic stores where the distributing cost is brought down to a minimum on every article handled. Houses have no place in city streets—hereafter motors will do all the chores—houses of cement for plain folks for \$1200 by the Edison system of molds. I saw it coming long ago and hence went into making cement, the go-cart had most durable building material man has ever had. Just mold a house instead of a brick. I believe that the houses can be erected complete with heating apparatus for \$1200 each when erected on land underlaid with sand and concrete. A house cut out stone such a house would cost \$50,000.

LION TOYS WITH TINY BABE

Trained Beast Hears Call of Wild in Crowded Opera-House.

CLEVELAND, Tenn., May 12.—A trained lion exhibited on an opera stage here last night suddenly became again the bloodthirsty beast of the jungle, and snatching a babe from the arms of its mother, carried it to the back of the stage, dashed it to the floor and planted both his forepaws on the little one's body, licking the blood from the wounds on the baby's head and face. Excited citizens advanced on the lion and diverted its attention, while a man snatched the baby from the stage. The child is terribly lacerated and may die. The keeper finally succeeded in getting the lion back into its cage.

CLACKAMAS STILL COUNTS

Volunteer Enumerators Will Find Thousands Missed in Census.

OREGON CITY, Or., May 12.—(Special.)—Volunteer enumerators will go to work in Clackamas County tomorrow with the approval of Census Supervisor Hendricks, of Salem, who came here tonight to attend a meeting of the Oregon City Commercial Club. Reports having reached the Commercial Club that the enumeration in the county is incomplete, one precinct, Mill Creek, reporting that 1900 persons had been overlooked, appeal was made to Mr. Hendricks and he came here tonight to familiarize himself with the situation. He approved of the club's plan to send out volunteer enumerators.

PIONEER FAILS TO AWAKEN

Death Steals Upon Benjamin F. Flathers as He Sleeps.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—Benjamin Franklin Flathers, 74, one of the earliest pioneers of the Pacific Coast and one of the Walla Walla Valley, was found dead in bed at his residence in this city early this morning. Flathers had not been in the best of

DON'T STIMULATE EXHAUSTED NERVES

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health for some time, but when he retired last night was in somewhat better health than usual. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

GOVERNOR SLIGHTLY ILL

STATE EXECUTIVE GOES TO CALIFORNIA FOR SHORT REST.

Affection of Nose, With Grippe and Insomnia, Only Troubles—He Laughs at Rumors.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—(Special.)—Governor Frank H. Benson, of Oregon, is stopping at the Alexander Hotel in this city while he is being treated by a local specialist for an affection of the nose which for many months has troubled him. In addition the Governor is bothered with a slight attack of the grippe, as well as insomnia. His condition is not considered serious, however, and when seen late tonight the Governor stated that on Saturday he proposes to go to San Jose for a visit of a week or so to a brother who is residing in the Garden City. The Governor is accompanied by Judge Henry Benson, from Klamath Falls, and both of them laughed heartily at the stories that the condition of the Executive of Oregon was serious. "A month ago," said the Governor, "the specialist who was treating my nose told me that I was practically cured. Since then I have been slightly ill with the grippe, and the fever bothered my nose. He advised me to come to California for a rest of three or four weeks, and my brother persuaded me to make the trip. I have never bothered somewhat by inability to sleep, and for that reason have been keeping as quiet as possible, but the illness is nothing serious about my condition. We will probably remain here until the end of the week and then go to San Jose for a visit." The Governor was in good spirits. He is occupying a suite of rooms with the Judge, and there are no evidences of medical attendance. Palmistry, in its modern acceptance, is divided into two branches, chronometry and chiromancy. Chiromancy defines the outward shape of the hand, and of its members, the thumb and finger. The name is derived from the Greek and means the lines of the hands. Chronometry is also derived from the Greek and signifies divination by the hand—namely, by the lines, mounts and other marks on the palm of the hand.

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