



LONG HAUL CLAUSE BLOCKS CONGRESS

Agreement on Other Issues Easier.

HOUSE LIKELY TO PREVAIL

Adjournment Before End of Present Month Expected.

STATEHOOD WILL GO OVER

Senate Sentiment Favors Accepting Amendment to Postal Savings Bank Bill, Which Will Oblviate Another Conference.

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On the tentative draft the only questions remaining in serious dispute are those relating to long and short hauls and the period for which increases in rates should be suspended.

Withdrawal Bill Slated. The bill to authorize the President to withdraw public lands for conservation purposes is the only conservation measure slated to go through this session.

Statehood Will Wait. No decision has been reached on statehood legislation but it is the impression that nothing will be done at this session.

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TREASURE HUNTING IN DEEP SEA, PLAN

WRECKS ON SOUTH AFRICAN COAST SURVEYED.

Experienced Mariner to Head Explorations to Recover Riches on Ocean's Floor.

LONDON, June 12.—(Special.)—A company has been formed to engage in the recovery of "specie, bullion, tin, copper and other metals" from wrecks lying around the coasts of South Africa.

During the last few years, however, great strides have been made in perfecting diving apparatus and it is now practicable to work at a much greater depth than was heretofore possible.

An experienced mariner, Captain Gardner, is to superintend the operations on the wrecks. Evidently they are plentiful down South, for it is stated that after an exhaustive search in the archives of Cape Colony the captain selected no fewer than 137 of the more valuable and accessible wrecks and succeeded during the course of seven years, at an expenditure of \$20,000, in locating 32 of them.

BOYCOTT OFF; MEAT HIGHER

Trust Notifies Retailers in Gotham of Advance in Price Today.

NEW YORK, June 12.—(Special.)—Beef at wholesale will jump from 12 to 13 cents a pound when the packing-houses open upon Monday morning.

Then the agitation ceased and after about four weeks at the 12-cent rate the retail butcher, adding a fraction of a cent occasionally, so that the increase grew almost imperceptible until last week when the 12-cent figure was again attained.

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DOUBLE MURDER IS THEORY OF POLICE

Russian Suspected of Killing Charltons.

TRICK OF DETECTIVE FAILS

Awakened From Sleep Spolotoff Not Caught Off Guard.

'KNUCKLE DUSTER' SHOWN

Letters Found in Trunk Disclose That Charlton Was Jealous of His Wife's Divorced Husband.

MILAN, June 12.—(Special.)—The special police called by the procurator of Lombardy to investigate the murder of Mrs. Mary Scott Castle Charlton, a Russian adventurer, in his cell early this morning.

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ROOSEVELT NOW IS PARTY ISSUE

New York Republicans Busy for While.

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FORTUNE DEEDED TO TRADE SCHOOL

DAVID RANKEN, JR., OF ST. LOUIS, WILL DIE POOR.

Giving Away Three Millions, Philanthropist Keeps Only \$3000 a Year for Himself.

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—(Special.)—David Ranken, Jr., one of St. Louis' wealthiest citizens and founder of the David J. Ranken, Jr., School of Mechanical Trades, has joined the Carnegie class of philanthropists and will die a poor man.

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DEATH CAR RAISED; NO BODIES FOUND

Only Two People in Auto Wreck, Latest Theory.

DAY AND WOMAN, TOTAL DEAD

Policeman Tells of Stopping Joy-Riders on Bridge.

BOTH VERY DRUNK, HE SAYS

Ten Thousand People Visit Trestle Over Oregon Slough Where Motor Is Brought to Surface, Telling Its Tragic Story.

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CANNON AND SHERMAN LOSE

Speaker and Vice-President Must Pay Their Chauffeurs' Salaries.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Vice-President Sherman and Speaker Cannon must pay the salaries of their chauffeurs and buy their own gasoline.

MUNICIPAL NURSERY OPENS Babies Cared for, Free of Charge, at English Beach Resorts.

NEW BRIGHTON, Eng., June 12.—(Special.)—A municipal day nursery, situated right on the seashore, is the latest inducement New Brighton offers to the jaded seeker after novelties at the beach resorts.

8000 Watch Work.

Fully 2000 people watched the operations of the diver and the tug yesterday morning, being stationed at every possible point of vantage along the bank of the slough and the edge of the trestle.

SOME STAY AFTER DARK. It was not until dusk had fallen last night that the morbid curiosity-seekers departed from the scene.

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