

PENSIONS NEEDED BY AGED PASTORS

Many Live on \$500 a Year or Less, Says Presbyterian Delegate.

MANY LIVES NOT INSURED

Assembly Votes to Raise \$6,000,000 for Pension Fund—Pastor Who Denies Doctrines of Church on Trial for Heresy.

ATLANTIC CITY, May 22.—(Special of) cases of ministers dragging out an existence on a miserable \$500 a year or less caused the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church today to pass by acclamation a resolution to raise a \$6,000,000 fund, so that every superannuated minister can receive \$500 a year and every widow at least \$250.

Rev. Francis Irwin, of Louisville, Ky., who moved the resolution, declared it would be definitely kinder to take the old ministers and knock them in the head than to let them drag out an existence on a mere pittance, or send them to a home that was but a poor-house in disguise.

The report of the committee on ministerial relief makes a strong plea for the needy clergymen. "Less than half of our 3973 ministers," says the report, "are settled pastors of churches, and many of those who are pastors are receiving very small salaries. Of the 3973 ministers only about 2500 have salaries of \$1000 and upwards. Over 6000 ministers either have no salaries at all or receive the least that can be had. Less than \$1000 a year and many of them have salaries of less than \$500 a year."

Experience has taught us that only 8000 of our ministers are able to carry any life insurance, leaving 4000 ministers, who are unable to buy any insurance whatever.

Pastor Accused of Heresy. There is much interest in the heresy trial of Dr. William D. Grant, of Northumberland, Pa. Some of the statements in sermons and writings credited to Dr. Grant are:

"Moses had the blues when he wrote some of his psalms."
"There is no personal devil."
"Eve found sin in her heart and was not tempted by Satan."
"Christ was crucified in a perfectly natural manner by a mob of fanatical Jews, and did not plan his own crucifixion."

The testimony against him fills a book of more than 200 pages. Brigham Young Picture Opposed. The assembly went on record as being opposed to the acceptance by the Navy Department of a silver service for the battleship Utah, which has engraved on the coffee tray an etching of Brigham Young, and a view of the Mormon Temple at Salt Lake City in the background.

A resolution of protest, presented by Theodore Morris of New York City, was adopted unanimously without debate, and the stated clerk was ordered to send telegrams of protest to President Taft and the chairman of the committee of the House of Representatives which is considering the matter.

HULL HOUSE IS DENOUNCED Woman Missionary Shocked Because No Religion Is Taught.

DENVER, May 22.—"Hull House, in May Leonard Woodruff, National vice-president of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Chicago, declared that the Methodist Church here last night. "I would not take one leaf from the laurel crown that rightfully belongs to the woman who has been so bravely preparing their Sunday School lessons, and I came to the conclusion that Hull House was Christless, while Mercy Home has Christ."

KAISER NEEDS NO DOCTOR Francis Joseph Shows Good Health by Three-Hour Walk.

GORDONVILLE, Hungary, May 22.—Professor Nussner, whose arrival at the royal chateau here, where Emperor Francis Joseph is sojourning, caused some alarm, is so satisfied with the Emperor's condition that he today left for the Austrian capital. The Majesty took a three-hour's walk this morning.

VIENNA, May 22.—Notwithstanding the reassuring official reports concerning the Emperor's health, there is a feeling that his condition is less satisfactory than reported. The news that Professor Nussner had paid a professional visit to the Emperor resulted today in a weakening of the rumors.

PARIS BANKER KILLS SELF Examination of Books Discloses Shortage of \$40,000.

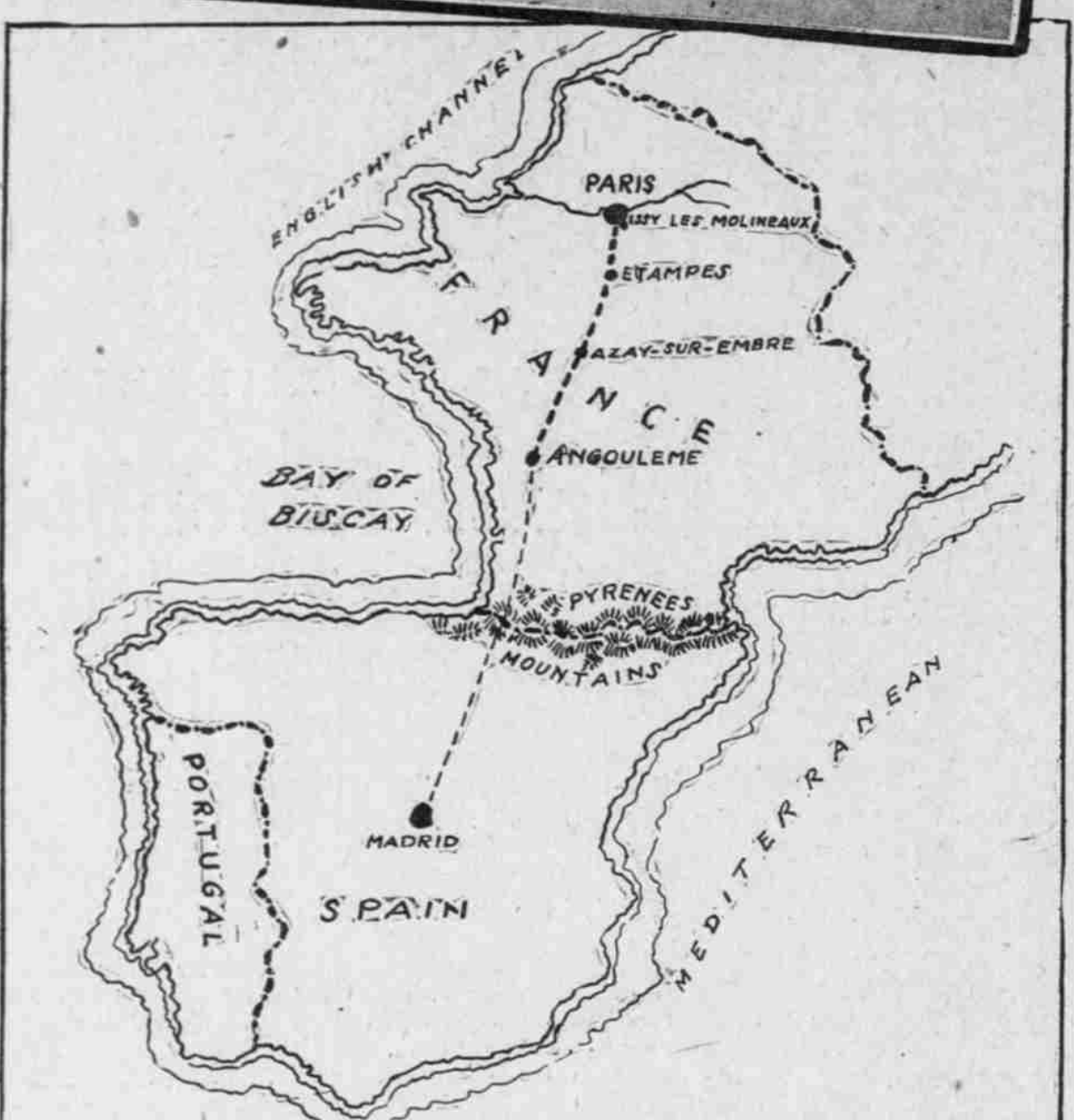
PARIS, Ky., May 22.—Following the suicide of Edouard J. Mynall, assistant cashier of the Citibank of Paris, an examination which was concluded last night disclosed a large shortage in his accounts. The shortage is said to be in excess of \$40,000.

Donelan Unseated at Cork.

CORK, Ireland, May 22.—The court which has been hearing the petition against the election of Captain Anthony J. Donelan, the Nationalist whip who defeated William O'Brien in the East Division of Cork at the last general election, today unseated Donelan, and declined to brand the latter with personal dishonor.

Musicians Mourn for Mahler.

FRENCH AVIATOR WHO LEADS IN PARIS-TO-MADRID RACE, AND MAP SHOWING ROUTE OF FLIGHT.



ABOVE, PIERRE VEDRINE, IN HIS AEROPLANE. BELOW, HEAVY DOTTED LINES SHOW FLIGHT ACCOMPLISHED BY VEDRINE TO ANGOULEME, ABOUT 250 MILES. LIGHT DOTTED LINES SHOW PROPOSED ROUTE, ANGOULEME TO MADRID, ABOUT 450 MILES.

GLOOM ON CONTEST

Death of Minister of War Casts Shadow.

DAY HAS OTHER MISHAP Condition of M. Monis Continues to Improve, but Physicians Fear to Tell Him of Death of Bertaux Until Later.

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Of yesterday's four starters, Gilbert reached Pontlevoy, but, learning of the catastrophe on the Isny field, at first decided to proceed no farther, but subsequently determined to go on. Le Lasseur landed near Combe, having lost his way in a fog. Beaumont descended at Azay-sur-Imbre, and on attempting to resume his flight damaged the left wing of his aeroplane by dashing against a tree.

The disaster yesterday, at the commencement of an international contest which promised to be one of the principal aviation events of the season, plunged the whole French nation into grief, and the death of Minister of War Bertaux is mourned, without political distinctions, throughout the republic as a national loss.

Today the body of the Minister is lying in state at the Ministry of War. The funeral, which is expected to take place on Friday, will be conducted with full national honors. The army will go into mourning for 30 days.

The physician's bulletin issued tonight regarding M. Monis says: "M. Monis' condition continues satisfactory." The Premier was permitted to take light nourishment and Professor Lannelongue, after a consultation, said there was no longer fear of complications.

The age of M. Monis, who is 65 years of age today, is another factor in his general condition.

There was a pathetic scene at the bedside of the injured minister when, this morning, he received Emile Constant, Under Secretary of the Interior, and the members of his own family, all of whom extended their birthday wishes.

The Premier first asked concerning the health of his colleague in the Cabinet, M. Bertaux. M. Constant replied that the condition of the Minister of War

was grave, whereupon M. Monis murmured, "Oh, poor fellow; we both had a narrow escape!"

If the Premier's condition strengthens this evening he will probably be informed of the death of Bertaux. The funeral of the War Minister has been definitely fixed for Friday.

CITY IS MONUMENT

Memorial to Designer of Washington Is Unveiled.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—On a green knoll in front of the old Lee mansion in Arlington Cemetery, a memorial was unveiled today to Major Pierre Charles L'Enfant, the French engineer to whose prophetic vision Washington owes its broad avenues and its symmetry of design.

President Taft, Ambassador Jusserand, of France, and Senator Root, of New York, spoke in eulogy of Major L'Enfant.

"L'Enfant will now lie here appropriately in state and in rest, with the gratitude of the Nation that he served so well," said the President.

"By the million every year immigrants, travelers, tourists and men of leisure visit the United States," said M. Jusserand. "The majority of them see this land for the first time. Without exception they are struck by its immensity, its resources, the number of its inhabitants, now nearing 100,000,000. Those who visit the Federal city are unanimous in their praise of its beauties and its adaptation to the needs of a great Nation. With the mind of a prophet, with the soul of a patriot, a man foresaw over a century ago what we now see and that man now lies under the monument which a generous Congress allows us to dedicate today to Major Pierre Charles L'Enfant."

The speaker told dramatically the story of how L'Enfant, the Parisian, born son of a royal painter, holding the rank of Lieutenant of Engineers in the French army, came to America in one of the ships of Beaumarchais' mythical firm of "Horlaing & Co." and cast his fortunes with the struggling revolutionists.

He spoke of the building of what is now the French Washington as being among the works of the French engineer, but said that his great work, "the one for which he now enjoys the supreme honor of the presence at this ceremony of the respected successor of George Washington, President Taft, was the planning of the Federal city."

Since annexation by Japan, about 200,000 Koreans have cut off and sold their topknots, materially reducing the price of human hair in the Far Eastern markets.

lockout in Prussian Textile Trade.

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STIMSON IS SWORN IN

New War Secretary Will Attend Cabinet Meeting Monday.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Henry L. Stimson, of New York, was sworn in today as Secretary of War, succeeding Jacob M. Dickinson, resigned. The ceremony took place in the office of the Secretary. The oath was administered by John Randolph, who has performed similar functions for many Secretaries. Secretary Stimson, standing beside ex-Secretary Dickinson, then received the Army officers on duty in Washington.

Stimson left Washington this afternoon for New York to wind up some personal affairs. He will address the Intercolonial Club at Boston on Wednesday, but is not expected to return to the capital until Monday. Consequently, he will not be inducted into the Cabinet conferences until May 20.

Husband to Succeed Wife.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Representative Lafferty has recommended John A. Stevens to be postmaster at Dufur, vice his wife, whom the Department refused to reappoint because she failed to give the office personal attention. The Department promised Lafferty that the mail situation at Leitz would be relieved by providing a later morning delivery.

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REBELS MASSACRE TORREON CHINESE

Capture of City Ends in Savage Riot, Mob Killing 206.

CHINA DEMANDS REDRESS

Scores of Residents Slain With Ordeals—Diaz Only Awaits Madero's Pleasure to Give Up Office.

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ward to the Mexican peace agreement were private advices from Mexico City that members of the Centrist party, deposed because of the Maderista movement, were thinking of starting another revolution against the latter.

Trouble with the Centrist element, it is admitted here, is expected, but whether or not it will take the form of armed revolution after Madero assumes power is not yet clear. It is not thought that the Mexican people will rally to any revolutionary movement for some time at least and the opposition from the Centrists, it is believed, really will be in the nature of vigorous political activity.

The insurrecto troops may be kept at their various garrisons in Mexico for a few months, in readiness for trouble, but no definite plans along that line have been formed by Senor Madero. He intends to see that the guarantees are carried out by the installation of good Governors and his intention at present is to keep the troops mobilized merely until complete order is restored.

News of the signing of the peace agreement was sent to every rebel commander in the republic today.

Senor Madero and his political chiefs today discussed the makeup of the new Cabinet which is to surround Senor de La Barra, the incoming provisional president. The most satisfying news to them was the receipt of a message from Ernesto Madero at Monterey, a brother of Francisco I. Madero, Sr., announcing that he would accept the portfolio of finance. The Cabinet presently still remains intact.

The portfolio of Minister of Justice, which has been offered to Senor Yaquez Tagle, a well-known lawyer in Mexico City, has not yet been accepted by him on account of ill health. Should he be unable to take the post, it is said that Rafael Hernandez, a cousin of F. I. Madero, Jr., the rebel leader, and one of the gobetweens in the peace negotiations, may be named. Senor Elmo Suarez, of Yucatan, is another whose name is frequently mentioned, but he prefers to be provisional Governor of Yucatan, where he is said to be very popular and where Senor Madero can count on him for strong political support in the coming general elections. General Rascón is still the choice for Minister of War.

Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez left here at 8 o'clock tonight for San Antonio, Tex., where he will meet his family and journey on to Mexico City three days later. He will confer at San Antonio with his brother, Emilio, who has been named for the post of Gobernador. It is considered possible that the two brothers may exchange portfolios before Senor de La Barra installs the new Cabinet.

The news that President Diaz might retire on Wednesday or Thursday of this week increased the activity of Senor Madero in preparing for an immediate departure to the Mexican capital. Should the Mexican Railway line from here southward still be out of commission by the end of the week, it is quite likely that Senor Madero will journey by way of San Antonio and Laredo, Tex. Warrants held by United States authorities for violating the neutrality laws when he was in American territory have been waived and he has been assured of unimpeded passage through Texas.

Madero this afternoon received a telegram from Minister de La Barra, at Mexico City, indicating that harmony will prevail in the establishment of the new government.

Madero also received telegrams from his chiefs at Colima and Pachuca that work was progressing in establishing the provisional government in places recently taken by the insurrectos near Mexico City.

TOTAL OF DEAD INCREASED Revised Estimates Show Juarez Battle Especially Deadly.

JUAREZ, May 22.—Revised estimates today of the casualties of the battle of Juarez places the total number killed at 180 with about 250 wounded. The federals are believed to have lost 150 in killed and 180 wounded, while the rebels lost 20 killed and 150 wounded.

Many of the dead were buried without knowledge of the commander of either side. Only persons and surgeons who were first on the scene know the story of the real number buried in wells and under houses. It was reported that 45 federals had been found piled in a well after the first day's fighting, that 12 others were discovered on a roof and buried nearby before the battle ended.

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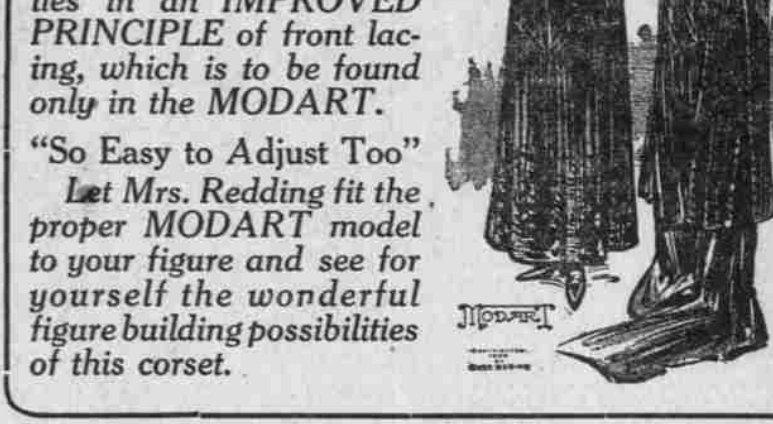
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Mexican White Cross and the Red Cross and only about a half dozen deaths have been recorded since the battle ended. The White Cross, under Miss Elena Arismendi Mejia, grand daughter of General Arismendi, the Secretary of War, was first on the scene. It was organized when the Mexican Red Cross was alleged to have refused aid to insurrecto wounded. The number of dead, it appears, was far out of proportion to the wounded, but General Viljoen, who fought with the Boers in South Africa and has been military adviser to Senor Madero, declared today the heavy loss in killed was inevitable, on account of the close range of the fire.

Beware of All Sensational Piano Sales

Dependable pianos are not sold at the ridiculously low figures quoted by houses which abuse the public confidence by sensational statements in their advertising. The piano offered as "Was \$550; now \$115," or "Was \$600; now \$98," is merely a bait to catch the unwary and unsuspecting buyer.

Of one thing be certain, no house sells pianos at a loss; no house sacrifices its merchandise, selling at less than cost; any firm advertising a "special sale" every few days, must sell pianos at regular prices.

The instruments mentioned in such statements as "Was \$400; now \$218;" are usually pianos that should never sell for more than \$200. The \$18 is added to offset the expense of extra advertising which a so-called "Special Sale" necessitates.

Misrepresentation may, for a time, succeed, but they who purchase pianos under the belief that they are getting \$100 or \$150 in piano value for nothing are storing up trouble for the future.

Go about the selection of your piano calmly. Do not be influenced by sensational statements in the advertisement of any house. Bear in mind the fact that better pianos are sold at lower prices and on as favorable terms, any and every day in the year, at our stores.

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