

WHEN IS MAN DRUNK ISSUE IN T. R.'S SUIT

**Trial Expected to Develop
Much Argument Over Fine
Points Involved.**

COURT DECISIONS DIFFER

Trial Judge Also Confronted by Necessity for Determining on Which Side Burden of Proof Shall Fall.

MARKETTE, Mich., May 24.—After the selection of a jury and the opening statement of counsel for the plaintiff in the libel suit of Theodore Roosevelt against George A. Newett, which begins here next Monday, Judge Flannigan among his first duties probably will be called on to rule just how much proof must fall on the plaintiff and the defendant.

The points on which local lawyers are cogitating is whether Colonel Roosevelt must prove in detail that the drunkenness charge was libelous, or whether his claim for damages can be sufficiently set forth in a simple denial of the editorial charge, leaving to the defense the burden of proving the truth of the allegations in the editorial printed in the Iron Ore during the Presidential campaign last year.

Tests of Drunkenness Vary.
What constitutes drunkenness is another point which it is said will arouse much argument for counsel, much quoting of authorities and considerable thought on the part of the jurors. It is said that drunkenness has been defined many ways by many courts, as judged by many tests, including the conduct of the legs, ability to distinguish colors, remember one's home address, clarity or thickness of speech and a hundred other signs.

The significance of these evidences vary with the individual, according to the court decisions, for while some men have proved complete control of their faculties after many drinks, others guilty of only one or two have behaved with great eccentricity and hilarity.

Roosevelt Takes Witnesses.
Word was received here today to reserve accommodations for the following members of Colonel Roosevelt's party: Frank Harper, Jacob Reis, Gifford Pinchot, Frank H. Tyree, Robert Bacon, William Loeb, Jr., Edmund Heller, Walter Brown, J. C. O'Laughlin, O. K. Davis, J. Sloan, Judge A. Z. Blair, W. Emilin Roosevelt, Philip Roosevelt, Dr. Alexander Lambert, James R. Garfield, Truman H. Newberry and eight others whose names are not given. Most of them are to be witnesses.

PORTOLA PROMISES TREAT Portland Man Tells of Preparations for Big Holiday.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.—(Special.)—San Francisco is certainly making good in its preparations for the Portola festival of October 23-25 next. Speaking for Portland, I see among the San Franciscans that the Bay City feels something like a community of interest in this celebration, which is to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the discovery of the Pacific Ocean. The Portola fiesta is part of a big movement which has come to be known as the Western Rose Festival, in which the Portland Rose festival is an important part. So said George T. Murton, of Portland, today.

Mr. Murton is now in San Francisco and has in the last few days become acquainted with the plans for the Portola festival.

"When I go back to Portland," he added, "I am going to tell them of the great work that is going forward here. This will be an especially fit time, because of the approach of the Portland Rose festival. San Francisco is evidently determined to show once more next fall that it knows how to make a real holiday."

GOODWIN AND HOPPER WED

LOS ANGELES, May 24.—Nat C. Goodwin, the actor, married for the fifth time today at his Ocean Park home. His bride was Margaret Moreland, his leading woman at the stage, who was divorced from Charles Dougherty, of San Diego.

Hardly was the ceremony over when Goodwin learned that De W. Hopper the comedian, who was divorced a month ago by Nella Bergen, his fourth wife, was married secretly a week ago in New York to Edna K. Hopper, who only smiled on learning of Hopper's fifth matrimonial plunge and declared that marriage was not a subject for jest.

FRENCH LOAN APPROVED

PARIS, May 24.—The draft of a bill authorizing the French government to borrow \$200,000,000 for 20 years in order to meet military expenses, was submitted to the cabinet today by Charles Dumont, minister of finance, and approved.

STOCKTON MALL CHANGES HANDS.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 24.—The Stockton Mall, a Democratic afternoon newspaper of this city, founded 23 years ago by Colonel J. J. Nunan and Edward L. Colton, has changed hands. According to an announcement in today's issue of the paper, the controlling interest has passed into the hands of M. J. Nunan and C. R. Nunan, sons of Colonel Nunan. For the past several years the paper has been controlled by the heirs of the late Edward L. Colton.

Morgan Gift to Be Tax-Free.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 24.—The valuable collection of works of art, pictures, books and antiques of the late J. Pierpont Morgan will be exempt from the state inheritance tax, provided the collection is turned over to a municipal corporation of the state for educational purposes by the date within two years. The Ormond bill, which so provides, was signed by Governor Sulzer today.

PRINCIPALS AND OTHER PROMINENT PARTICIPANTS IN GERMAN ROYAL WEDDING.



ROYAL COUPLE WED

**Kaiser's Daughter Becomes
Young Prince's Bride.**

THRONE TO BE RESTORED

German Emperor Makes Clear His Wish That Houses of Hohenzollern and Hanover Again Shall Be United.

the Kaiser started a kissing bee. He saluted his daughter with a resounding kiss, then kissed his new son-in-law. He then turned and kissed the tearful Kaiserin, who in turn kissed the bride and bridegroom. King George and Queen Mary next claimed the privilege and the Kaiser followed. After that the general relatives came up for kisses and altogether the kissing and embracing lasted several minutes.

Following the wedding there was a reception and entertainment in the white marble hall of the palace. The bride and groom were seated at the head of the table. The Emperor and Empress followed. King George and Queen Mary were seated at the far end of the table. The wedding banquet followed.

Kaiser Wilhelm, in high good humor, in ancient times the garters of the bride actually were cut into bits and distributed among the guests, but on this occasion the ceremony was merely traditional. The Princess' garters were not divided. Instead she gave to each guest a bit of ribbon on which was the bride's name in silver letters.

STANFIELD ROYAL HOST

STANFIELD, Or., May 24.—(Special.) The cow and the hog had their day here today. Three hundred and fifty farmers and citizens from the irrigation projects adjacent to this city, as well as a number of bankers and business men from neighboring towns, listened with close attention to the afternoon and evening programmes. C. L. Smith, O. W. & R. agriculturist; J. D. Meikle, Oregon Dairy Commissioner; Professor Serven; E. L. Potter, professor of swine husbandry, Oregon Agricultural College; and W. L. Thompson, president of the American National Bank at Pendleton, were on the afternoon program.

FARMERS LEARN NEW IDEAS FROM EXPERTS.

On account of the fact that Mayor Ruslight wished to be present at the trial trip of the fireboat David Campbell, the annual muster and inspection of the police department which was to have taken place at the same time yesterday morning, has been indefinitely postponed.

LAIRD TAKES ISSUE

Carnegie Says Dr. Abbott Is Wrong About War.

BROTHERHOOD IS REMEDY

Division of Nations into Too Weak and Too Strong Declared to Be Shown by World's History to Be Impracticable.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Before sailing today for Europe, Andrew Carnegie gave out a statement in which he takes issue with Dr. Lyman Abbott on the subject of peace. He refers to Dr. Abbott as "our lamented brother who has recently wandered astray," and characterizes as an astounding solution Dr. Abbott's recent declaration that "there are two ways of promoting peace, one by making our Nation so weak that it cannot fight and the other by making it so strong that it need not fight."

OREGON LANDS RESTORED

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 24.—President Wilson has restored to entry under the homestead law Eastern Oregon lands which had been withdrawn on the presumption that it contained valuable deposits of oil. Investigations by the Geological Survey showed that while small quantities of gas exist, it is not of commercial importance and is only slight traces of oil have been found.

ASHLAND GETS MINING CONGRESS.

REDDING, Cal., May 24.—I. J. Lucas, of Etma Mills, was elected president and W. D. Egilbert was chosen secretary of the Northern California and Southern Oregon Mining Congress at the four days annual session of the organization which has been concluded here. Ashland, Or., was chosen as the place for the next annual meeting.

FAIR LOCOMOTIVE PILOTS ADVOCATED

President of Auxiliary to Trainmen Says Her Sex Is Well Qualified.

STRENGTH HELD ENOUGH

Mrs. Clara Bradley Sees in Railroad New Field of Industry for Women—Oil-Burning Engines Offer Chance.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.—Mrs. Clara Bradley, grand president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, asserts the belief that transportation companies will soon be employing women engineers, conductors and even firemen.

"A woman has sufficient strength to operate the levers of oil-burning engines, which are coming into general use," said Mrs. Bradley today. "It is not at all improbable that railroading will come to be a field of industry for the fair sex."

Sessions of the convention of the auxiliary and the trainmen were held this morning. The question of a woman's compensation act was resumed at the meeting of the men.

Oakland will entertain the delegates tomorrow and arrangements have been made to give them a 65-mile automobile ride.

The question, which is better for the railroad men of this country, the present Federal liability law or the proposed compulsory workmen's compensation law, is still the uncracked nut of the biennial convention of the brotherhood. The question occupied the attention of the delegates as a special order of business all of today, and it will be argued further Monday. Several speakers went into the problem at length displaying a divided sentiment among the railroads.

'EMPIRE DAY' OBSERVED

MORE THAN 6000 BRITONS CELEBRATE IN PORTLAND

Thomas E. Erskine, New British Consul, Makes First Public Appearance Here.

Between 6000 and 7000 persons who now owe, or once owed, allegiance to Britain, gathered at the Oaks Amusement Park yesterday to pay their respects to the memory of the late Queen Victoria by celebrating "Empire Day."

The affair partook somewhat of a semi-official nature, from the reason that Thomas E. Erskine, British Consul in Oregon, made his first public appearance at the address before an audience in Portland in the Oaks Theater, when more than 2000 Britons packed the building to the doors.

Consul Erskine paid a marked compliment to "dollar diplomacy" when he remarked in the course of his speech that the office of Consul used to be to foster, build up and increase trade relations between England and the United States.

The Consul paid a tribute to Portland when he said that this city was far ahead in helping what he might describe as the "distressed British subject."

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BOTTLE CHOKES PELICAN

NEWTOWN BEACH, Cal., May 24.—A large gray pelican was picked up dead here today with a beer bottle tightly wedged in its throat. The bird, from its manner of flight, evidently was in distress. It was seen to plunge into the surf and when it did not rise again, R. J. Shafer, a fisherman, waded in and brought the bird ashore. It was dead and the bottle was so tightly stuck in its throat that it was dislodged with difficulty.

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