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## CHILDREN'S SAD DEATH

### Six Are Burned to Death in Farmhouse

### TWO OTHERS MAY DIE

### Rosa Shultz, in Efforts to Save Younger Sisters, Is Seri- ously Burned

### MOTHERS AWAY AT A PLAY

### May Shultz Burned Around the Head But Will Recover—Cause of Fire Unknown—Is Discovered When Girl's Hair Starts to Burn.

COLFAX, Wash., Aug. 20.—In a vain effort to save his sisters, who were burning to death, Rose Schultz, aged 11, lies at point of death at the Palouse Hospital. At the undertaking parlors are the charred bodies of her brother, Arthur, aged 6, her sister Gladys, aged six months, and four cousins—Ester, aged 5, Lucille aged 4, Mila aged 2, and Celia aged 6 months. May Schultz was burned over her head but will recover. Alma Schultz, aged 12, escaped injury. The fire broke out in the Schultz home on Palouse-Colfax, at 11 o'clock Wednesday night.

Schultz and W. W. Fix, a brother-in-law of Freshing, Mrs. Schultz and Mrs. Fix, were at a theatre at Palouse. The cause of the fire is unknown. It was discovered by Rosa, her hair being on fire at the time. She tried to save her baby sister while Alma ran to a neighbor's half a mile distant to summon aid. When the house was reached it was burned to the ground. The Fix family lived at Walla Walla and were spending the threshing season with relatives. The dead bodies were taken to Spokane this afternoon.

### CANNON WILL TOUR.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—It was announced at republican headquarters that Speaker Cannon will make a speaking tour of the country beginning in September.

### ABANDON RACE TRACK.

Homes Will Be Built On Brighton Beach Grounds.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The Brighton Beach Racing Association plant has been sold to a land development company and within a week laborers will be at work cutting the famous race course into streets and building lots.

Among the large and small business men to whom the annual revenues derived from the free spending crowds that frequented the course were an important factor in the success of their enterprises there is much gloom. The staggering blow which racing received by the passage of the anti-gambling bills was a hard one for the local hotel keepers and merchants, but they were all hopeful of the ultimate return of the old brisk days and a revival of racing interest at Brighton. With the abandonment of the course and its transformation into a home center, all hope of racing ever again getting a foothold now the sea has vanished.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American League.**  
Boston 5, Cleveland 4.  
Philadelphia 6, Chicago 1.  
New York 4, Detroit 3.  
Washington 2, St. Louis 0.  
**National League.**  
Pittsburg 1, Brooklyn 6.  
Chicago 10, Boston 2.  
St. Louis 4, Philadelphia 0.  
Cincinnati 0, New York 2.  
**Pacific Coast League.**  
Los Angeles 3, San Francisco 1.  
Portland 6, Oakland 3.  
**Northwest League.**  
Tacoma 3, Seattle 3.  
Butte 4, Spokane 5.  
Aberdeen 1, Vancouver.

### DYNAMITERS INDICTED.

John and Peter Claudinos and Felix Paudeveris.

OAKLAND, Aug. 20.—The Alameda county grand jury today indicted John and Peter Claudinos and Felix Paudeveris, charging them with placing explosives under a building with intent to demolish it. Claudinos' brother has been under arrest for some time but Paudeveris' whereabouts is unknown. The bail of each is fixed at \$40,000.

### OF ROYAL CONNECTION.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 20.—Declaring that Alphonse Gregus, convicted in 1906 of burglary and sentenced to seven years imprisonment in the Missouri state penitentiary is a descendant of the old bourbon house of France, Father Gretchen, a Parisian priest, in a letter to Val Mason, a local attorney received yesterday, asks that efforts be made to obtain the convict's pardon in order that he may return to France in time to see his invalid mother before she dies. References are given by Father Gretchen to prove Gregus' connection with the royal family. The letter was sent to a priest at Jefferson City.

### RUMOR AROUSES MOB

### Boy Who Testified Against Richardson Is Shot

### WAS THOUGHT NEGRO DID IT

Rolla Keyes is Accidentally Shot by His Friend, and the Incident Was Quickly Rumored That Friends of Richardson Were Responsible.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 20.—The city is again inflamed tonight by a report that Rolla Keyes, the 17-year-old boy who testified before the grand jury in the case of assault on Mrs. Hallam, had been shot by friends of George Richardson, the accused negro. Before the rumor had time to spread far, however, it was learned that the shooting was accidental, the wound having been inflicted by a friend of Keyes. The boy may not live. Because of the excitement caused by the rumor extra precautions were taken by the military to prevent the gathering of crowds. The occurrence caused fresh fears in the "Black belt," despite the attempts of the officials to quiet the town. The arsenal was crowded with refugees again, and there was also a large number of negroes who slept under the protection of a guard at Camp Lincoln.

### GERMANY ADOPTS TREATY.

BRUSSELS, Ger., Aug. 20.—After several months of bitter struggle, the chamber of deputies today adopted the Congo annexation treaty, and though today's action will probably insure the solution of the great Congo problem there still remains an open important question of Belgium's financial responsibility.

## HOT SPRINGS ALL READY

### For the Great Republican Rally Today

### BIG CROWD EXPECTED

### Judge See Tells Why Foraker Will Not Speak at Opening of the Campaign

### HE HIT ROOSEVELT POLICIES

### Judge Woodman See Declares That it Would be Impossible For Foraker to Speak at Youngstown Since His Recent Attack.

HOT SPRINGS, Aug. 20.—Hot Springs is in readiness for the republican rally tomorrow. Colonel Brown of Staunton made a final inspection of the ball park and placed his approval on what had been done. Col. Brown's estimate of the crowd to come is 7000. Judge Woodman See, a cousin and old friend of Judge Taft, was an arrival today and gave out an interview regarding the decision of the Ohio state committee not to invite Foraker to speak at the opening of the national campaign at Youngstown, September 5th, in which he said, in part:

"Senator Foraker in the chamber of commerce speech delivered in Cincinnati only a short time ago, made a severe attack upon the policies of President Roosevelt. How could the party which intends to wage a fight standing squarely on those policies as declared in the platform, consistently invite him to take the most conspicuous part in the campaign? It was practically impossible and most of Foraker's friends see it. I yield to no one in my admiration of Foraker, and the splendid service he has heretofore rendered the republican party, cannot, and must not be forgotten, and no one shall regret more than myself, that he finds it impossible to serve his party during this important campaign"

### EDITORS ELECT OFFICERS.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 20.—Practically all sessions of the National Editorial Association were finished today when Seattle was chosen the 1909 meeting place. The following officers were elected:

President, Will Hayes, of Brownwood, Texas.  
First vice-president, A. N. Pomeroy, of Chambersburg, Pa.  
Second vice-president, R. E. Dowdell, of Artesian, South Dakota.  
Third vice-president, W. F. Parrott, of Waterloo, Iowa.  
Secretary, I. H. Walker, of Athens, Ala.  
Treasurer, Will Kurres, of Kewanee, Ill.

### FIRE CONTINUES.

Many Houses and Cattle Lost in California.

SONORA, Aug. 20.—The forest fire which is raging in Hetch-Hetchy valley continues, according to reports received here tonight. The fire is sweeping northward and already great damage has been done. A number of houses have been destroyed and numerous head of cattle perished.

### BRYAN STARTS TRIP.

Will Speak on Trusts at Kern's Notification Next Tuesday.

FAIRVIEW, Aug. 20.—Colonel Bryan left here tonight for a seven-day trip in the course of which he will deliver several speeches and hold three days' conference with his campaign managers in Chicago. His first stop is Des Moines, where tomorrow night he will discuss the tariff question. Saturday, Sunday and a part of Monday he will spend in Chicago. Tuesday he will be present at the notification of John W. Kern, the vice presidential nominee and upon which occasion he will speak on the subject of trusts.

Two days later, at Topeka, he will deal with the question of guaranteeing bank deposits and will return to Lincoln on August 28th.

Notwithstanding his eagerness to complete the speeches which he will deliver within a fortnight Bryan found time to hold several long distance conferences over the telephone with Chairman Mack. C. O. Stockslager, the anti-DuBois candidate for senator in Idaho discussed the situation in that state, but neither Bryan nor Stockslager vouchsafed any information concerning either conference. It was ascertained, however, that an effort will be made to bring the warring Idaho factions together in the expectations of strengthening the national ticket, in that state.

### AMBASSADOR COMING.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 20.—Ambassador David Thompon will leave Mexico in a few days for the United States. He will go to Lincoln Neb. It is stated that he will remain in the United States until after the presidential campaign has terminated. W. J. Sands, the first secretary of the embassy will act as Charge d'Affaires during the ambassador's absence.

### HITS OIL DECISION

### Attorney General Hadley Makes Strong Assertions

### LEGAL FICTION APPARENT

Says Any Judge Who Cannot See Through Standard Oil's Offend is Blinded by Prejudice—No Civil or Criminal Case Should be Reversed.

DENVER, Aug. 20.—"The Judge who cannot see the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey in the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, and who cannot see through both of these legal fictions to the real owners and the real offenders, John D. Rockefeller, H. H. Rogers, John D. Archbold and others, is either blinded by prejudice or by an unfortunate disposition to obscure the merits of a controversy by strained and irrelevant technicalities," declared Attorney-General Herbert S. Hadley, of Missouri, today in his address before the second annual convention of the National Association of Attorneys-General, of which he is president.

The statement was made in the course of a review of the reversal by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals of the \$29,000,000 fine which was assessed against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana by Judge Landis, of the United States Circuit Court.

"To assert that men may, by the organization of a puppet corporation escape the proper measure of punishment for their wrongdoing," said President Hadley, "is to give to the legal fiction corporation greater rights, privileges and immunities than those which belong to natural persons.

"This case should serve as an im-

## AUTO RIDE WAS A RUSE

### Hains Took Annis Out to Learn the Truth

### MEN WERE NOT FRIENDS

### But Hains Suffered Annis' Com- pany in Order to Silence the Gossiping

### MUCH CONFLICTING EVIDENCE

### A Positive Denial is Made That Mrs. Hains Will Testify in Her Hus- band's Behalf to Effect a Recon- ciliation

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Interest in the Hains case today centers in conflicting statements of the different counsel connected with the opposing sides of the case. Frank G. Wild, Mrs. Hains' counsel, insisted that the confession is to the contrary notwithstanding Mrs. Hains has not ever been guilty of improper conduct with Annis. A wild denial in a published story is that Mrs. Hains is trying to effect a reconciliation with her husband and would testify in his behalf.

Regarding the much exploited automobile ride on which Hains took Annis, Weldon C. Percy, the first lawyer called into the case by Hains and his brother, said that after Hains had returned from the Philippines, his wife convinced him that the gossip connecting her name with Annis was false. In order to silence the detractors the captain openly invited Annis and his wife to the barracks and afterwards they went riding. Subsequently the captain discovered the truth. He adds that the talk about Mrs. Hains not being in full possession of her faculties when she signed the confession is ridiculous. He says fully 12 hours elapsed between the oral and signed confession.

pressive argument as to the necessity of the National and State Governments enacting a law to the effect that no judgment in a criminal or civil case should be reversed unless the court can affirmatively say upon the entire record, that the judgment will be for the wrong party, and that but for the error complained of, a different judgment would have been rendered.

### BRAVE LITTLE WOMAN.

Has Big Husband Arrested For Cruelty To Kitten.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Fannie Mahon, a small woman, appeared yesterday in the court of special sessions and charged her husband, James, a gigantic longshoreman, with cruelty to a kitten in their home.

According to Mrs. Mahon, her husband was lying on a lounge when the kitten stole up and purred against his army, which was hanging down toward the floor. The man took off his heavy brogan and with one blow paralyzed the kitten.

Mrs. Mahon called a policeman who shot the animal to put it out of its misery and then on the wife's complaint arrested Mahon.

Justice Wyatt fined Mahon \$10 which he paid. His wife refused to speak to him in the courtroom.

### LINER MAKES RECORD RUN.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The Cunarder Lusitania finished a record run across the Atlantic at 5:30 tonight and when the official figures for the trip became available it will develop that she broke all records for trans-Atlantic voyage by nearly four hours and three others records.

She made the passage in just four days and 15 hours, lowering the old mark by three hours and forty minutes. She made an average speed on the whole trip of 25.05 knots an hour, a new record, the previous one being 25.01. The third record broken is for the greatest day's run, 650 knots during which day she set a new pace by steamer an average of 25.66 knots per hour.

### WONDERFUL INSTRUMENT.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 20.—Professor Alexander G. McAdie, director of the weather bureau for the Pacific coast, is here to aid Professor Church of the University of Nevada in setting up the Ferguson meteorograph, a marvelous invention that registers automatically for forty days at a time, the temperature, atmospheric pressure, humidity, and other data of importance in determining weather conditions. It will be installed on Mount Rose, which is 10,800 feet high. It is one of the four or five such instruments in existence in the world.

Such an instrument is on Mount Blanc, one in Rome and one in South America.

### MILLS CLOSE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Record Herald from Evansville, Ind., says:

The Evansville Cotton mills closed down yesterday owing to the inability to secure raw material. Several hundred employes are idle.

### LEAVE AMMUNITION

### American Mariners Carry Guns, But Not Loaded

### IN FLEET PARADE AT SYDNEY

Imperial Regulations Forbidding Armed Men to Land Threatened to Spoil Program But a Compromise Was Finally Reached.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 20.—There arose today circumstance which at one time promised to make it impossible for the carrying out of the program of the parade by the American marines tomorrow as planned. This was owing to the imperial regulation forbidding the landing of armed men in Australia. This fact was communicated to Admiral Sperry who replied not to permit the men to parade unless armed. The matter was compromised by Sperry's agreeing to land the armed marines but without ammunition. This enabled the carrying out of the unaltered tomorrow's program.

### ODD STAGE WORK.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—New York had a theatrical novelty this afternoon when "Paid in Full," was performed by three separate companies, at Weber's theatre. The western company, opening in Reading on Monday, played the first act. The Pacific Coast Company, appeared in the second and the New York company did the last two acts. The actors of the disengaged companies came to the rear of the theatre and watched their respective roles being performed by the others. The Pacific Coast company appears Monday night, in Bayonne, and then jumps to San Francisco for a two week's tour.