



FISHING IS OPEN AGAIN

LAUNCH PARTY OF SEVEN MEN DROWN IN CALUMET

One Man Saved by Swimming to Shore

BOAT STRIKES PIER

High Wind Makes Boat Unmanageable—Capsizes After Hitting Support

BODIES ARE NOT RECOVERED

Westergren, the Only Man Who Escaped Refuses to Tell Where the Party Were Going and is Held on Suspicion by the Police.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Seven men out of a party of eight were drowned in the Calumet River last night when the pleasure launch Lemon struck one of the supports of the Nickel-Plate Railroad Bridge in the river.

The owner of the craft, Elmer Westergren, was seated at the stern of the boat and after he was thrown into the water he swam to the shore.

Westergren's brother-in-law, John Frick, was one of the victims. Westergren seemed distracted and refused to give the names of the others.

According to information given the police by Joseph Kelley, of Irondale, early today, the men drowned were: OTTO YUNKER, GEORGE VAN HESSEN, PETER DUNCAN, JOHN FRICK, JOSEPH ZEBLOOM, JOHN ZINKE.

The Lemon was an 18-foot gasoline launch, Westergren, the owner, lives at South Chicago. The boat started from South Chicago and was on its way to Riverdale, about eight miles away. Because of the high wind which prevailed, causing a strong current in the river, some difficulty was experienced in running the boat. As it reached the bridge it was thrown against one of the supports and turned over, sinking after it had cleared the west end of the bridge.

None of the bodies was recovered. Westergren, who is said to be very wealthy, refused to tell the police the destination of the boat other than to say they were taking a little ride up the river. He acted suspiciously and will be held by the police.

TAFT'S VOICE WORSE FROM MANY TALKS

Sixteen Speeches Made by the Judge Play Havoc With His Throat, Which Is in Bad Shape

FARGO, Sept. 28.—Big crowds manifesting both interest and enthusiasm have surrounded the Taft party wherever it stopped today through Minnesota and North Dakota. Sixteen speeches were made by Taft today and worked sad havoc with his voice and tonight it is again in bad

BASEBALL GAMES.

American League.
St. Louis 12, 2, New York, 1, 3.
Detroit 4, Washington 1.
Chicago 2, Boston 2 (called on account of darkness).
National League.
Boston 3, Brooklyn 2.
New York 7, Philadelphia 6.
Northwest League.
Vancouver 14, Spokane 3.

ATHLETE INJURED.

DELPHIE, Ind., Sept. 28.—In a class fight between the classes of the High School today, Larry Cobble, president of Junior Class, was seriously injured from gunshot.

BLOODY SHOOTING AT SOUTHERN CHURCH

DRUNKEN MOUNTAINEERS COMMENCE A FUSILADE INTO CONGREGATION

THREE MEN ARE KILLED

Scene is Laid in East Tennessee—Near the Church is a "Blind Tiger," and the Bloody Murderers Had Become Drunk There.

JELICO, Tenn., Sept. 28.—One of the bloodiest affairs in the history of East Tennessee occurred near the Tennessee-Kentucky line, north of Antras post office yesterday. The scene was a little Baptist church near where is a blind tiger. Services had closed and nearly all the congregation had emerged from the church when a crowd of drunken men who had visited the "blind tiger" began shooting into the worshippers with pistols. John D. Bennett, J. W. McKinney and Edward Thomas were shot down at the church door and died almost instantly, streams of blood from their wounds flowing down the steps of the little church. The preacher, a Rev. Mr. Kind, was shot and mortally wounded, falling in the churchyard. Another worshipper named Gibson was also shot down in front of the church, but he is not dangerously wounded.

Antras is five miles from a railroad and has no telephone connection. Jellico officers could not learn the names of any of the men implicated in the shooting. All of the dead and wounded have families except Bennett.

"Portland, Oregon, Sept. 28th, 1908."
"To the Morning Astorian, Astoria, Ore.:"
"A restraining order was issue today by Judge Wolverton, covering the entire river, upon complaint of E. C. McDonald, assistant attorney-general of Washington, to remain in effect until a decision in the Christ Nelson case is rendered by the United States Supreme Court. This will permit fishing on both sides of the river, the same as in the past."

"Signed, McALLISTER."

The foregoing is the full text of a despatch received at this office at 7 o'clock last evening, from Master Fish Warden H. C. McAllister, of the State of Oregon.

It has been expected for some time, and will be gladly received on all sides by those interested in the fisheries, canneries and cold storage plants. It means the resumption of business and that means much to thousands hereabout. The news was received here last night with evident interest and a number of boats went out on the late ebb; though for the matter of that, there have been a number of fishermen, it is alleged, who have been running all manner of risks in this behalf, of nights; here lately.

The major part of the fleet will be out again today.

Until the federal court will finally determine whether the state of Oregon has or has not right to enact legislation governing the waters of the Columbia River from bank to bank and to enforce these laws, anyone who was permitted to fish in these waters under the law as it stood previously to June 1 last may pursue their occupation unmolested.

This is the effect of an injunction

granted today in the matter of the State of Washington against the fish warden of this state. Oregon fishermen intervening, asked that the injunction which recently was granted restraining the Oregon authorities from interfering with the Washington fishermen, fishing for salmon in the Columbia River be extended so as to permit the Oregon fishermen the same privilege. It was contended by the Oregon fishermen that as the matter stood, the Washington fishermen could come over into Oregon waters and take fish unmolested by the Oregon authorities, whereas the Oregon fishermen were prohibited from fishing on either side of the river. United States District Judge Charles E. Wolverton, took the same view that the Oregon fishermen did, and enlarged the scope of the injunction as requested.

From now until the supreme court of the United States decides the "Chris Nielson" case the same laws will govern the action of the Oregon authorities that did before, the people under the initiative and referendum law, last June enacted acts which are at the bottom of the controversy between the States of Oregon and Washington over the jurisdiction of the Columbia river.

SUPREME COURT DECIDES IN FAVOR OF ANTI-DUBOIS

Mormon Question Will Now Be Kept Out of the Campaign in Idaho

THE ANTI-LEADERS MAY RUN INDEPENDENT

Decision Is the Culmination of One of the Most Bitter Contests Ever Waged in the West, Covering a Period of About Six Years

BOISE, Sept. 28.—The Supreme Court today decided in favor of the anti-Dubois faction the contest between the two factions of the democratic party known as the Dubois and anti-Dubois factions involving a petition for a writ of mandate filed by attorneys for the Dubois faction, to compel the Secretary of State to certify to County Clerks the ticket nominated by that faction at the convention at Wallace, Idaho. The court denied this petition. The effect of this action will be to place on the ballot at the November election the ticket nominated by the anti-Dubois faction, headed by Moses Alexander, of Boise, for Governor, and Judge C. D. Stockslager, of Hailey, for United States Senator. Unless, therefore, the Dubois faction puts an independent ticket in the field, the Mormon question will not be an issue in this campaign.

The decision of the Supreme Court is the culmination of one of the most bitterest political contests ever waged in the West, covering a period of about six years. Ever since the old Steunenberg wing of the party, which was in control during the time of democratic supremacy in Idaho, lost the party organization to Senator F. T. Dubois and his associates, the Democracy of the state has been divided into two factions. At the bot-

tom of the fight has been the Mormon question, of which Dubois is the embodiment. When elected to the United States Senate in 1900 by a Legislature controlled by the Silver Republicans, Dubois announced his allegiance to the democratic party. He had previously been elected Senator as a Republican in 1894, and in 1896 organized the Silver Republican party in Idaho. It was as such that he was elected Senator in 1900, but in addressing the Legislature which had elected him he announced that he would in the future affiliate with the democrats.

HISGEN RAPS BRYAN.

Thinks Democrat Should Have Investigated Haskell's Oil Deals.

SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 28.—Thomas A. Hisgen, candidate for president on the independence party, said he believed Bryan should have investigated Haskell's alleged connection with the Standard Oil Company. "But Bryan is not the same man we used to know," he continued. "In 1896 he was a white metal man. Also in 1904 he was a white metal man; but in 1904 he sold out to Parker, a gold man, and now he himself is a gold man. In 1912 he will change color again and now he looks like kerosene oil."

MEDICAL SCIENTISTS MEET FOR TUBERCULOSIS CONGRESS

WILD GOOSE CHASE.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Sept. 28.—Sheriff Langford who went to Sherman, Texas, to investigate A. Dunham, a suspect, tonight wired from that place: "Wrong man."

BRYAN IN SOUTH DAKOTA.

ELK POINT, Sept. 28.—Conducting a one-day campaign in South Dakota today Colonel Bryan poured volleys of criticism into the republican platform, Judge Taft and President Roosevelt. He spoke a dozen times, the principal remarks being at Mitchell, Yankton, Vermillion and here.

REJECT PLAN OFFERED BY BRYAN

CALIFORNIA BANKERS' ARRIVE IN DENVER AND MADE THAT DECLARATION.

OKLOHOMA EXAMPLE BAD

Plain Reasons Given For Repudiating the Scheme Which Does Not Satisfy the California Bankers.

SALT LAKE, Ut. Sept. 28.—The California delegation to the American Bankers Association which will hold its annual convention in Denver this week, arrived here about one o'clock yesterday.

The delegation is representative of the bankers of California and without exception is opposed to guaranteeing of bank deposits by the state. E. W. Wilson, vice-president of the American National Bank of San Francisco when asked for an opinion on the proposed regulation of the banking laws says:

"We are absolutely against the proposed regulation as now in practice in Oklahoma. We believe in curing the evils which exist in the management of state, national and private banks from the inside, not from the outside. In California we believe that the clearing house system gives absolute protection to the depositor without affecting the individual banks to their detriment and that such a law as is in effect in Oklahoma would unduly restrict the legitimate expansion of the individual banks."

"In California we are extending the clearing house system by the estab-

Every Civilized Nation in World Represented

DR. KOCH GETS CHEERS

German Discoverer of Tubercular Bacilli Receives Hearty Welcome

GENERAL SESSION OCT. 3

Cortelyou as Personal Representative of President Officially Declared Congress Open—After a Number of Addresses Session Adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Medical scientists representing every civilized nation united today with their brothers in America in an effort to solve the problem, how best to cope with tuberculosis, the occasion of the meeting being the sixth triennial congress on tuberculosis. Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou as a personal representative of President Roosevelt officially declared the congress open. When Dr. Robert Koch, the discoverer of tubercular bacilli arose to respond in behalf of the German government there was a remarkable demonstration in his honor, men and women waving hats and handkerchiefs for nearly five minutes. The official welcome in behalf of the United States was extended by Cortelyou. Following this there were responses from official representatives of 30 foreign countries. At the conclusion of response, congress adjourned and not meet again in general session until October 3. The afternoon was devoted to deliberations of various sectional meetings where a number of addresses were made.

ishment of district clearing houses."

J. A. Park of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Haywards, Cal., also expressed himself as strongly opposed to Mr. Bryan's plan.

"I think I can safely say that not a member of our delegation is in favor of the proposed legislation," said Mr. Parks. "We feel that the clearing-house system affords ample protection to the depositor. I do not believe the American Bankers' Association as a whole will take any action either for or against the movement."

ORVILLE WRIGHT WANTS MORE TIME

Inventor Asks Government for Extension of Original Contract to Make Official Test

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—In order to give Orville Wright time to recover from his injuries recently received at Fort Myer, the Wright brothers have made application to the signal corps for an extension of nine months in which to make the official tests of their machine. Today was the last which Orville Wright had to

deliver the machine to the government under the original contract.

ANOTHER FOOTBALL VICTIM.

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 28.—Wilfred Balthazar, a high school football player whose spine was injured during a practice game last week died yesterday.