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## MR. TAFT WOULD TAKE ONLY HOT TEA

**VIRGINIA HOST, HOWEVER, HAD A VERY BIG SUPPLY OF LIQUORS READY**

WASHINGTON, May 4.—A story of President Taft's visit to the home of Representative Carlin at Alexandria last Sunday has just leaked out. The Congressman is a hospitable Virginian who had heard that the President was on the water wagon but took no chances. He is said to have had on ice plain and vintage champagnes, red and white wines, whiskies, brandies, beer and malt beverages. Also he had sparkling and still waters, Jersey and Holstein butter, ginger-ale and sarsaparilla pop and lemonade.

"Would you like some refreshment, Mr. Taft?" the host inquired.

"That hot ride has made me thirsty," said the President "I would like something to drink."

"What can I serve you," asked Carlin, brightening up.

"I would like a cup of hot tea."

As the story is told, the climax came in the discovery that there was not a bit of tea nearer than the grocery store.

### IN SESSION AT HELENA.

HELENA, Mont., May 4.—Enthusiastic Sunday school workers from all sections of Montana invaded Helena today for the nineteenth annual convention of their State organization. A welcome demonstration at St. Paul's M. E. Church ushered in the convention this evening and the sessions thus begun will continue until Friday. A large attendance and a programme of unusual interest combine to give promise of a successful gathering.

### BRYAN VISITS WINNIPEG.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 4.—William J. Bryan of Nebraska is in Winnipeg for a visit of two days. Tonight and tomorrow night he is to be heard on the lecture platform at the Central Congregational Church. Seats for both lectures were placed on sale a week ago and the supply was practically exhausted the first day of the sale.

### HE WANTED A FAKE.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 4.—"Advertised" A Sunday School Picnic.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—At the homecoming night of the King's Highway Presbyterian church last night the Dr. Rev. C. Goodson of the Highland Park Church, Chicago, former pastor

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here, told of a press agent story that won notice for the church several years ago, then a young organization. The Rev. Dr. Goodson sought publicity for the church and at a picnic was arranged that a boy should rescue from drowning another youth. A boy was pushed into the water and saved. The scheme worked successfully and the church picnic got a first page scare-head. The newspapers were told of the rescue but at the time were not advised of the prearranged plans.

### MONEY FOR IDAHO COLLEGE.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Dr. D. K. Pearson's benefactor of small colleges has made the first of his promised donations. He has given \$25,000 to the College of Idaho, at Caldwell. This was contingent upon the institution raising \$75,000 additional. The requirement was met largely through the efforts of Miss Julia E. Finney, a teacher in the college, who interested Dr. Pearson in its progress and worked diligently to raise the amount.

### OLD FOLKS WED.

CHICAGO, May 4.—In the latest batch of marriage license issued here are five couples, whose combined ages as reported, are 601 years. The banner pair was Hugh Hains and Alice Bransett, both of Rossville, Ind., and both 75 years old. Geo. Searle of Northfield, Minn., who is 60 years old, took as his wife Lizzie Beardsley, five years his junior. The other three were Chicago couple whose ages ranged from 44 to 64 years.

### DEAF MUTE TRAVELS.

BOSTON, May 4.—Melvin Lien, a deaf mute 21 years of age, has started to walk from south Boston to the Chicago City Hall. He will begin the trip without a cent in his pocket and is not to take a cent of charity during the journey.

If all goes well on his trip to Chicago, Lien intends to go on to San Francisco, and then, if able, to get work on a ship, to cross the Pacific continuing his way around the world and earning his way back across the Atlantic to Boston.

### DIRECT TO MANCHURIA.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 4.—When the Osaka Shosen Steamship Company starts its trans-Pacific service next month with the sailing of the steamer Tacoma Maru, a through traffic connection with Manchuria and Asiatic Russia to Europe will be effected under a Russo-Japanese traffic convention which has just been completed according to advice received here today. Connection will be made via Japan with the steamer's running to Dalny, the terminals of the Southern Manchurian Railway Company and via the Japanese Government railroad to Tsuanga and the Russian volunteer steamship line from there to Vladivostok.

### BACK TO KOREA.

Prince Ito Will Again Try To Quiet Things There.

TOKIO, Saturday, March 27.—Prince Ito, the resident general of Korea, who is now traveling for his health in the Southern part of Japan, it is believed will return once more to Korea. This means that the few thousand Koreans who are roaming through the country creating disturbances are now to be given one more chance to behave. But in the event of continued opposition to Japan control and reforms in Korea, Prince Ito will take his hands off the whole matter. Conditions have undoubtedly improved in Korea since September, 1905. A peaceful development is going on at the principal centers. The new courts are working more smoothly all the time, the educational system is steadily developing and the people are beginning to understand that every man has rights that will be protected.

## DEADLY MISCHIEF DONE TO GREAT CRUISER

FOREIGN BOLT FOUND IN THE MECHANISM OF THE SALEM'S TURBINES.

QUINCY, Mass., May 4.—The builders of the turbine scout cruiser Salem have issued a statement that will cause the U. S. Government to investigate the crippling of one of the turbines on the war vessels; an iron bolt, which had no connection with the turbine and which was not employed in that part of the vessel was found in the engine. It was this that hammered the buckets flat and practically crippled the cruiser.

Commander Bailey of the navy has arrived here to make the investigation on behalf of the Government. "We can account for the presence of this stray bolt in the turbine only by saying that it was put there with malicious intent," said Secretary McQuarrie of the constructing company. "We have made four or five examinations of the Salem's turbines. Last Saturday we made further examinations of both port and starboard turbines. When we opened the port turbine we found a bolt which aroused considerable suspicion. That grade of bolt was never used in constructing the turbine. It was never used in a part of the boat near the turbine."

### WOMEN HELP POLICE.

CHICAGO, May 4.—A real "beauty squad" feminine instead of masculine had been added temporarily to the police force to sit on the lid. Girls—and women—have been recruited by Assistant Chief Schuetzler to act as detectives in seeing that the shutdown order is obeyed in places where there is known to be in search of refreshments with their escorts after midnight.

They will be a true "flying squadron" as they have no regular hours or days for work but will be sent out whenever the man in charge desires to send them or believes it necessary.

## WHERE DID IT GO?

ALL MISERY OF INDIGESTION VANISHES PROMPTLY.

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Some folks have tried so long to find relief from Indigestion with the common every-day cures advertised that they have about made up their minds that they have something else wrong, or believe theirs is a case of Nervousness, Gastritis, Catarrh of the Stomach or Cancer.

This is a serious mistake. Your real trouble is, what you eat does not digest; instead, it ferments and sours, turns to acid, Gas and Stomach poison, which will putrefy in the entire digestive tract and intestines, and, besides, poison the breath with nauseous odors.

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## CRIMES THAT DISGRACE ANCIENT RECORDS

STORY OF ITALIAN BRUTISHNESS COMING TO A HEAD IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Believing that kidnapers killed seven-year-old Antonio Malfetti and threw his body into the East River on discovering that no reward would be paid for his recovery, the Brooklyn police last night arrested two men on suspicion Antonio disappeared March 14, and his body was recovered in the river two days later.

On two different occasions following the disappearance of the boy, two strange men foreigners, called on the lad's mother and questioned her concerning the case, asked her how much money she had in the bank and if she had decided to offer a reward for the recovery of her son. When the body was found there were indications according to the police, that the boy had been frightfully beaten and possibly killed before being thrown in the water. This, and the fact of the visits of the two men to the Malfetti home led the police to investigate, and while the detectives were at the house last night, two men, strangers to the family, called. On the suggestion of the dead boy's relatives they were taken into custody. The parents of Antonio believe that when the kidnapers found that they were unable to pay a reward they killed the boy and threw his body into the river.

### CLUB CANT SELL EITHER.

Decision Against Elks Lodge In Canon City, Colo.

DENVER, Col., May 4.—The Supreme Court of Colorado held Monday that Clubs in prohibition towns have no right to dispense liquor even to their members.

The case involved primarily the Elks lodge of Canon City, which sought to make a test case of the matter.

### HE "EXPLAINS" FAITH CURES.

CHICAGO, May 4.—That the Emmanuel movement, new thought faith cures and all other systems of mental healing utilize electricity found in the human body, is the assertion of Andrew McConnell of New York in a communication to the League of Right Living.

"This curative principle can be proved with scientific exactness to be electricity," he says. "This is produced through digestion and assimilation. By this power most of our so-called faith cures are made."

### LUXURIOUS, BUT—

NEW YORK, May 4.—According to the figures of the Customs office the luxuries imported into this country during April indicate a return of prosperity. During the month diamonds, pearls and other precious stones aggregating an appraised value of \$2,418,242 were imported through this port. This is six times the quantity imported during the same month last year, and is more by nearly half a million more than value of the precious stones imported during April, 1907. In the same month 172 automobiles of the appraised value of \$315,662, were imported, while in April 1908, there were only seventy one automobiles, valued at \$181,496, brought in.

### HONORING THE WRIGHTS.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The reception of the Wright Brothers in this country will not suffer by comparison with their treatment abroad, if the plans of the Aero club of America, as announced last night, are fulfilled. When Wilbur and Orville Wright, with their sister, Miss Katherine, arrive at New York probably on May 14, they will be met down the bay by representatives of the Aero Club and aviation committee of Automobile Club of America who will take them off the steamer at quarantine and bring them up to the city. Here they will be tendered a reception at the automobile club or at a hotel, and a dinner will be given them at which distinguished persons will be invited to speak. On June 10 President Taft will present to the brothers the Aero Club's medal in the East room of the White House. After the presentation of the medal the Wrights will begin trial for Government contract.

### DEAD MAN'S MONEY.

NEW YORK, May 4.—A fight over the estate of Dr. Thomas W. Evans,

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the famous dentist, who assisted Empress Eugenie to escape from her palace in Paris at the time of the siege by the Prussians, attracted fully seventy five lawyers to the Supreme Court yesterday to hear the arguments. Dr. Evans, a native of Philadelphia, left about \$4,000,000, of which \$500,000 was to go to his heirs and relatives, and the balance to found the Thomas W. Evans Museum in Philadelphia, but the heirs objected and the matter was compromised by giving them an additional \$800,000.

This settlement was effected with all the heirs except two J. Roland Enos and Juliette C. Henderson, who have since died. The arguments were to aid in determining what amount should be paid to the estates of the two deceased heirs.

### TRIBUNAL REVERSED.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Supreme Court of the United States Monday decided the case of Mrs. Eleanor Strong of Manila versus Francisco Gutierrez Rapide of the same city, involving a charge of fraud incidental to the sale of the friar lands in the Philippines, in favor of Strong thus reversing the decision of the Philippine Supreme Court. The suit grew out of the sale to Rapide of 800 shares of stock of the Philippine Sugar Estate Company which belonged to Mrs. Strong. This company controlled the Dominican lands, and Rapide was the owner of a majority of the stock in the company as well as its managing director.

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