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The Weather—Showers and cooler tonight and Friday.

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YESTERDAY WAS

29,200

THE GAZETTE OF WARSHIP EXPLODES

FULTON TO BE GIVEN SENATORSHIP IN 1912

Senator's Adherents Concede Chamberlain's Election Next June—Bourne to Be Knifed and Passed Into Oblivion—Fulton Will Head Oregon Delegation to the National Convention

Charles W. Fulton to the United States senate in 1912; Jonathan Bourne Jr. back to a niche of fame in Oregon's hall of political history.

Yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the state central committee the intention of Senator Fulton's friends first became plainly apparent.

Senator Bourne is not to be allowed to head the delegation to the national convention in May. If the friends of Senator Fulton can prevent it...

WANTS MRS. LONGWORTH ARRESTED

Washington Policeman Applies for Warrant for President Roosevelt's Daughter—Too Speedy With Her Electric Auto.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Pugh Advised Patrolman He Had No Evidence, but Copper Thought Otherwise.

Washington, April 30.—Policeman Morris, on the Pennsylvania avenue squad, has asked for a warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Alice Longworth.

The offense committed by her was not serious—only automobile speeding, but Morris was told by Assistant Corporation Counsel Pugh, to whom he applied for the paper, that he did not have enough evidence against Mrs. Longworth to fill the corner of his eye.

Morris is satisfied that he did his duty and can do no more. Mrs. Longworth has a high-power electric automobile—all her own—and Policeman Morris declares she appears the happiest in it when she is preceding great clouds of dust and running like a meteor.

"COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE"



JAP NAVY SUFFERS BY EXPLOSION

Field Marshal Oyama's and Vice Foreign Minister Chinda's Sons Among the Killed—Ship Was Blown to Splinters.

More Than Two Hundred Lives Lost When Training Ship Matsushima Goes to the Bottom—All Japan in Mourning.

Tokio, April 30.—In nearly every household of military and naval fame today there is sorrow. A projectile in the magazine room of the Japanese royal training ship Matsushima exploded early this morning.

Field Marshal Oyama has probably lost his son who is listed among the missing. Vice Foreign Minister Chinda's son was killed and the sons of many of the best known naval officers and military commanders of Japan are among the dead.

Admiral Moshimatsu reports that the ship was blown to pieces while maneuvering off the Pescadore Islands and that 141 of her complement of officers, cadets and sailors were saved.

The disaster was caused by the accidental explosion of a projectile in the stock magazine. The entire magazine was ignited and before any of the boats could be placed the ship was torn into shreds and her shattered sections of hull went to the bottom like a plummet.

The captain and most of the other officers are among the dead. None of the survivors were able to explain the cause of the explosion, and as all of the men in the magazine perished it is probable that it will never be known.

OVER TWO MILLIONS FOR NEW HOUSES IN LAST THREE MONTHS

Up to 11 o'clock today 587 building permits, providing for new construction to the value of \$973,485, were issued from the office of Building Inspector Spencer during the month of April.

COUNTY TO PUNISH BAD BANK NOTE MEN

Though the federal authorities could not punish Dorsey, Saylor, Sheehan and others for passing bills of the defunct Merchants & Planters bank, Savannah, Georgia, the whole gang will be brought before the municipal court this week.

HALF THOUSAND ON DEATH LIST

Official Reports Put Number Lost in Southern Tornado at 502; Injured, 2,298.

New Orleans, April 30.—Practically complete reports from the sections of Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee which were swept by the recent tornado show that the death toll reached a total of 502, and the injured totaled 2,298.

EDITOR BICKFORD DIES IN CHICAGO

Chicago, April 30.—L. H. Bickford, associate editor of the Chicago Inter-Ocean, died this morning from appendicitis after two operations had been performed.

Sewer Diggers Find Gold

Centrals, Wash., April 30.—Sewer diggers working in an alley late yesterday took out \$150 in gold dust from a shovelful of gravel, and as soon as the discovery became known the gold fever struck the citizens.

ETNA THREATENS TO BREAK LOOSE

Volcano Shows Signs of Dangerous Activity and Villagers Flee in Terror.

Rome, April 30.—Natives living in the vicinity of Mt. Etna are trembling in fear, many of them fleeing in wild panic, because a serious eruption is hourly expected.

REPORTED THAT HUGHES IS OUT

Politicians Believe He Will Declare Wish for gubernatorial Renomination

Albany, N. Y., April 30.—Rumors that Gov. Hughes will soon announce his withdrawal from the presidential race and ask for renomination as governor are more persistent than ever.

BRYAN CONFIDENT OF WINNING OUT

Commoner Feels Sure of Pennsylvania Delegation—Is Guffey Victor?

Washington, D. C., April 30.—"I will have the Pennsylvania delegation in the Denver convention," said W. J. Bryan the other day.

At least two thirds of the delegates chosen at the recent uniform primaries in Pennsylvania are committed to Bryan. A majority of the delegates selected are under absolute instructions.

It is noted that anti-Bryan men are standing for the maintenance of Democratic traditions as to the two thirds rule in national conventions, a rule established in 1832 and honored invariably ever since.

WILL SPIKE JOE CANNON'S GUNS

Rebellion Declared Against Speaker by Roosevelt Members, Led by Townsend.

Washington, April 30.—Open rebellion against Speaker Cannon was declared today by a number of Roosevelt Republican members of the house, under the leadership of Representative Townsend of Michigan.

A petition for a conference of the Republicans to be held tomorrow evening was drawn up today, and 20 signatures were secured in short order.

Fleet Weighs Anchor. Santa Barbara, Cal., April 30.—The Atlantic battleship fleet weighed anchor at 6 o'clock this morning and sailed for Monterey, its next stopping place.

TOMORROW CARS STOP ON NEAR SIDE ONLY

All Portland streetcars begin stopping to let off and take on passengers on the near side of the street tomorrow morning.

This is the order issued by the company officials several weeks ago, and was decided upon only after due consideration for the benefit of the traveling public, pedestrians, the drivers of vehicles, the company, and everyone concerned as well.

PACIFIC CITIES ARE AT MERCY OF ASIA, SAYS CAPTAIN HOBSON

Seattle, April 30.—That congressmen in turning down the Pines bill for the construction of four additional battleships is the statement of Richmond Pearson Hobson, representative in congress from the Sixth district of Alabama, member of the house committee on naval affairs and former captain in the United States navy, who is in Seattle.

There is no arm of the service that could be mobilized quickly enough to withstand the invaders. If a strong Asiatic army should attack the Pacific coast during the absence of the battleship fleet, the cities would be laid to waste.

How Near Did the United States Come to War With Japan?

Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, U. S. N. and congressman from Alabama, has written four special articles for The Sunday Journal Magazine, the first of which will appear next Sunday, and others will follow for three Sundays thereafter.

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MASHER CAUSES RIOT IN CIRCUS BY INSULTING GRANTS PASS GIRL

Grants Pass, Or., April 30.—A free-for-all fight between Grants Pass men and employees of the Norris & Rowe circus occurred here yesterday afternoon just before the afternoon performance of the show. Harry Smith of this city, accompanied by a young lady friend, were on the show grounds, and as they passed a showman made a vulgar remark ostensibly to catch the ears of Smith and his companion. Smith ex-

pressed himself, and at once throttled the showman, throwing him down. He would easily have won the fight had he been left alone, but a second showman rushed up and struck Smith on the back of the head with a heavy club, knocking him senseless. Then several bystanders interfered, and the circus cry: "Hey Rube," was given. A half dozen of showmen, armed with clubs, hammers and various weapons, rushed into the fight, and a hard-fought battle began. Before the officers could

break up the fight, several men were badly injured, and it was only upon the promise of the circus management that the original offender would be surrendered to the officers. That a mob attack upon the show was prevented, Smith's injuries were very serious, and it was thought for a time that he was killed, as the blow inflicted was a heavy one. The man who struck him, as well as the fellow who made the vulgar remark, were both taken into custody by the officers, and will be given a hearing before local courts.

people of the east have been reminded of the need of more vessels. The cruise has done much to make a larger navy popular.