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Hottest May Day in Years Sizzles Atlantic Coast From Boston to Savannah; Lake Region Also Swelters.

TWO ATTEMPT SUICIDE IN NATION'S CAPITAL

Wave Hits Baltimore Hard; Number of Victims Struck Down is Appalling.

Effects of Heat Wave, Whole Atlantic seaboard, from Boston to Savannah, and Chicago and neighborhood, sizzles in hottest May day in years. Twelve deaths from heat in fugle day in Chicago; hospitals

taxed with victims.

Two attempt suicide at Washngton, D. C., to escape heat. Baltimore suffers severely; secord for prostrations probably exceeded; negro crazed from heat causes panie in fashionable hotel. reaches total of five.

The noon temperatures in many of the different cities of

the heat stricken east and Portland follow:

Washington, May 19.—The Atlantic seaboard, from Boston to Savannah, In today aweltering in the hottest May in 40 years. The prediction from weather bureau is anything but reassuring, Prof. Bowle declaring that material relief can be expected with

in \$6 or 48 hours.

Hy 10 o'clock this moining the mercury was relentlistly climbing and the humidity was at the highest point reached in years and not a breath of alr was stirring. At non today the thermometer had climbed to 100 degrees in the shade and the sun's rays were beating down onto the sizning city in a manner that indicated that the temperature would reach at least 105 before 2 p. m.

Leaps Into Lake. Disregarding the pleadings of her lit-tic children, Mrs. Elizabeth Fling leaped into the lake at the Soldiers' home, seeking death to escape the scorching heat.
After a hard struggle she was rescued and taken home, piteously pleading to be allowed to die.
Edna Hill 18, also leaped from a

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RESIDENCE LOTS **SOLD: LOCATED IN** QUIET CEMETERY

Former Los Angeles Police Chief Alleged to Have Juggled Deeds in Disposing of Lots in Two Cities.

Charles S. Elton, former chief of po-lice of Los Angeles, was arrested yes-terday afternoon by Detective Hellyer on a forgery charge, in connection with an alleged fraudulent transfer of property in Milton, Cal., on complaint of Elam Shaw, a local real estate man, who, through a juggling of deeds, fraudulent certificates of title and abstracts, purchased two lots in a supposed select residence section of the town, but which like the lots recently bargained for by Ray S. Smith, a Eugene jeweler, were both in a Masonio

Elton was released this morning on \$2500 Ball furnished through his attorney. John H. Stevenson, who appeared for the man in court this morn-

Trades Oregon City Lot. Elton, who conducts an automobile repair shop at 435 Stark street, bargained with Shaw, more than a year ago, for Shaw's bicycle business and as part of the consideration a lot in Oregon City, which Elton valued at \$1500, was given

This was held for several weeks when Shaw attempted to sell it. Elton had shown a piece of property to Shaw that was in the heart of Oregon City and asserted that it was that property which was being transferred to Shaw. He also secured a plat of the property showing

However, when Shaw attempted to sell this lot, on investigation at the court-house it was found that instead of the town lot being the one that had been (Continued on Page Two.)

WOULD USE UPPERCUT IF NECESSARY



Woodrow Wilson, who declared in speech last night at Press Club that he likes peace, but would not hesitate to use fists if he had to.

dorsed by Friends to Become Independent Candidate for the City Council.

William Schmeer, president of the Schmeer Furniture company, has deolded to become a candidate for the council as an independent in the Eighth ward against Councilman Kubii. Petitions to place his name on the ballot will be placed in circulation this afternoon. Quick work is required to complete the petition in time, as tomorrow is the jast day for filing, but the friends of Mr. Schmeer anticipate no difficulty in securing the required number of

Albert E. Kern, who filed his declaration as a candidate against Kubit several days ago, will not be a candidate. It was announced today that his petition will not be filed, and his name will therefore not appear on the ballot. Mr. Kern stated that he feared too much time would be required from his ousiness if he were elected as a coun-

Mr. Schmeer is an old resident of Portland and well known to the residents of the Eighth ward. He has been a taxpayer there for about 45 years and resides; at 645 Belmont street. The Schmeer Furniture company, of which he is president, is located at 174 First street. He was for some time presi-dent of the Oregon Furniture company. In the primaries Kubii won out over his nearest competitor by less than 50

his nearest competitor by less than 56 votes, and there were four men against him, all of whom poiled a good vote. The narrow race encouraged the opponents of Kubli to believe that he may be beaten by an independent, and the opposition seems now to be centered on Schmeer. An effort to bring out Dr. J. K. Locke met with failure, and with the withdrawal of Kern, Schmeer and Kubli will be left to fight it out.

PHYSICIAN ON 7709-MILE SICK CALL, RACES WITH DEATH TO CONTINENT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, May 13.—On a
7709 mile sick call, Dr. J. J.
Choate is hastening eastward today in an effort to beat death in a race to Rome, Italy. The suf-ferer is Miss Mildred Browning. 18, daughter of a wealthy Los Angeles family, stricken down while on a tour with her mother. Dr. Choate, who has long been the Browning family physician, was summoned by cablegram. and was told to spare no expense for speed. He hopes to leave New York on the Mauretania in five days, reaching Landon five days later. The entire over trip, it is planned, will take

SAVE MANY LIVES

Furniture Manufacturer Is In- Blaze Frightens Women Employed in Los Angeles Hairdressing Parlors-Elevator Operators Are Heroes.

> (United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, May 19.-The lives of 200 women were menaced in a fire which started in the Corenzon dressing pariors on the fourth floor of the Norton building today.

Fifty girls employed in the place rushed frantically for the elevators when the fire was discovered. Only the presence of mind of the elevator opera-tors in slamming the doors shut pre-Male employes with backs to the doors hurled the terror stricken girls back, admitting them a few at a time to the cages until all had been carried to the street.

One hundred and fifty other women employed in a millinery store on the fifth floor climbed out onto the roof of an adjoining building and were lowered to the ground in a freight elevator. The fire did only \$2000 damage.

PACT IS RENEWED

Appointment of Stimson Is Pleasing to the Colonel; the "Old Guard" Is Placated.

New York, May 19.—The New York World prints a staff special from Washngton declaring that President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt have renewed their old intimacy and that Roosevelt Is now seeking Taft's renomination.

The article asserts that the appointment of Henry L. Stimson as secretary of war greatly pleased Colonel Roosevelt. It also declares that Roosevelt, Senator Root and Collector Loeb recently reached an agreement with Vice President Sherman and Committeemen Barnes and Ward of New York whereby the delegates from the Empire state will be instructed for Taft prior to the next national Republican convention.

New York, May 19,-Friends of Theo dore Roosevelt here today are very skeptical as to the truth of a Washingskeptical as to the truth of a Washington special printed by the World, which stated that Roosevelt and President Taft would work together for the latter's renomination. They point out that yesterday's Outlook attacks Taft's arbitration plan and inferentially scores Taft's attitude in regard to the Mexican revolution. This, it is generally believed among politicians, shows very plainly that no Roosevelt-Taft bargain has been struck.

THE JUDGES

If Jurist Does Not Attempt to "Make" Law, Do Net Unseat Him, Says Democratic Leader in Noonday Speech.

MILD CRITICISM OF STANDARD OIL RULING

Do Not Put Temptations in the Way of State Legislators, Is His Advise.

Wilson's Last Day Here. club and alumni of Princeton 7:36-Opens public address in rmory; free to all.

Don't select anyone but bachelors to to the legislature, If he does his duty he will be financially embarrassed or bankrupted and the grief will be upon those dearest to him:
"Ministers, also, should be bachelors, because if they tell their congregations

the truth they will soon be seeking other jobs." These were two of the hard-hitting things said by Governor Woodrow Wil-son of New Jersey to 400 men in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium this afternoon

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DIVOLITIES INVOLUME

With Triphammer Verbal Blows Governor of New Jersey Defends Oregon System-U'Ren Gets Bouquet, Too.

Wilson Epigrams

You have broken the machine. I do not think Oregon people are so radical as described Oregon's system is nearest the solution of governmental prob-

The legislature sits in Oregon only 40 days in two years, because you distrust it, Many measures before legislatures originate in offices of cor-

poration lawyers. What we need is some one who will submit trained brains to the people's service.

The initiative is better than

the legislature, because it's more public. Our problem is to set organic processes going in public busi-

In nine cases out of ten you don't know what is going on under your own political roof. This is the time for organic thinking and acting.

Practicing students of advanced govrnment heard as from a prophet the itterances of Woodrow Wilson at the ommercial club last night. Terse, analytical, epigrammatic, his force was in his facts and the master-

ful logic of their presentation. He defended the Oregon system against its critics and would-be destroyers. He brilliantly interpreted the pature of the Oregon system's place in the modern progressive governmental move-ment. The two hundred and more oftisens present believed he had prescribed a cure for the embarrassing situation in Portland at the time of the primaries recently when he said:

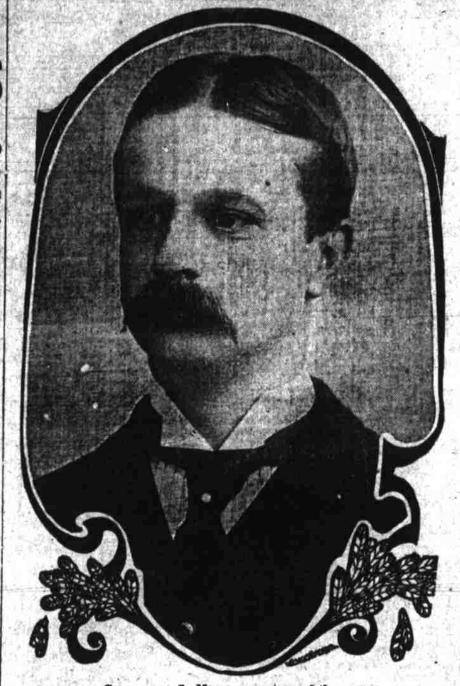
"You have broken the machine. Have you substituted yourselves for the ma-(Continued on Page Thirteen.)

Governor Woodrow Wilson

Will Speak in the Armory at

7:30 Tonight Admission Free

MAY BE AMBASSADOR TO BERLIN



George von L. Meyer, secretary of the navy

navy department today has it that Secretary Meyer is to be appointed am-bassador at Berlin. The only thing that s said to stand in the way is the ethi-

Washington, May 19.—Rumor at the | cal question as to whether an ambas sadorship is a higher or lower grade office than that of a cabinet minister, In a number of instances amba

When Judge Taswell dismissed the case against Mr. and Mrs. P. Poshkowski, proprietors of a shirt factory at 587 First street, who were arrested on laint of Mrs. Martha E. McMahon of 184 Sherman street, on a charge of according to the complaint made to the profane and abusive language, Mrs. Mc-city attorney, who issued the warrant Mahon took the matter of administering for the arrest, Poshkowski called her justice into her own hands and with a a "liar and a drunken dead beat." well-directed blow of her fist, almost floored Mrs. Poshkowski, inside the court room. She then made a vicious fore the contestants were separated. Attorney Vaughn, who was standing same view. in the ante-room, attempted to stop the The women raised a large black and blue welt,

Poshkowski in his shirt factory, and when she went to collect her wages, an argument over the amount due resulted in a wordy battle. In this discussion, In court this morning, Attorney Max Cohen, who represented the defendants,

made a statement to the judge in which attack on the other defendant with her he declared that such language could umbrella, striking him several times be- not be construed as being profane and abusive and Judge Tazwell took the

The woman protested wildly against onslaught on Poshkowski, and for his the action of the court, asserting that pains received a rap on the back of his it was impossible to get justice and hand with the heavy umbrella that then proceeded to assault the woman in the court room.

300 CORPORATIONS LIABLE TO BIG FINES FOR FAILURE TO PAY TAXES

Thirteen hundred corporations in Ore- | arrears have been calling at the United gon have failed to comply with the pro- States attorney's office with offers to visions of the new corporation tax law compromise by payment of the tax, the and are facing prosecution at the hands penalty of 50 per cent and a cash penof the federal government. These 1300 alty in addition but as yet no basis of are subject to a fine of from \$1000 to compromise has been agreed upon by the attorney general in Washington and \$10,000 and the district attorney's of-\$10,000 and the district attorneys of unless one is reached, the suits will fice is preparing to push the cases vighave to be instituted against those who orously

For the past two or three days representatives of the various companies in

CHILDREN OF SPANISH MONARCHS DEFECTIVE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Geneva, May 19.—News that Queer Victoria of Spain is coming to Switzerland late in June to have her second son, Prince Jalme, operated on for defect of speech, comes as the first definite confirmation of previous reports that the Spanish royal children ports that the Spanish royal children are defective. The truth is, according to apparently reliable information, that all of them are so, and there is good authority for the statement that in at least one case the weakness is mental as well as physical.

The children's infirmity is attributed to Alfonso's condition at the time of his marriage. It is known that he inherited grave troubles from his father and was only kept alive furing baby.

and was only kept alive during baby-hood by the most heroic treatment. Later an outdoor life and constant exercise seemed to work an improvement but that recently his health has been breaking down again and his survival for a great deal longer is deemed im-

Moroccan Rebels Kill British Consul (United Press Lessaid Wire.)
Tangier, May 19.—It is reported here today that the Moroocan rebels have attacked the town of Alcasar, killed British Consul Carleton there and seized a supply of arms. The French relief ex-pedition under Colonel Brulard is ex-pected to reach Fea tomorrow or Sun-

have failed to comply with the law. The new corporation tax law gave corporations until March in which to file statements of their business with Collector of Internal Revenue Dunne. Those showing a net income greater than \$5000 annually were compelled to pay a tax on this income. Failure to return the statements and to pay the tax by March 1, laid the corporations liable to suit to collect the tax, 50 ber cent of the tax in addition and a penal

ty of from \$1000 to \$10,000. It is thought a great many corpora-tions falled to pay the tax because they expected the United States supreme court, which was then considering its, fy both Diaz and Madero unless he is legality, would declare it unconstituting iven a finger in the neace pic about the A few weeks ago the supreme court declared the tax constitutional. Since then the delinquents have been hurrying in with one excuse or another and with offers to compromise.

CONFLICTING PRAYERS TEAR ZION CITY; RIVAL PROPHETS IN CONTEST

(United Press Leased Wire.) Zion City, Ill., May 19,—Rival prophets are engaged in a prayer contest, one to bring rain, that gardens may be aided, and the other to ward off the rain, in erder that worldly goods of his people may not be damaged. The contestants are Wilbur Gienn Vollys, who wants rain, and Elder Taylor, leader of the original Dowle sect, who hopes it will continue dry until he has a chance to get his possessions and those of his followers under a

to date Elder Taylor's prayers seem to have be

PEACE IS ASSURED IS PROCLAMATION; DIAZ WILL RESIGN

In Statement, Midget Physician, Head of Rebels, Says: "Revolution Has Succeeded." To Go to Capital.

MEXICAN PRESIDENT ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

Wires Insurgent Chief He Will Quit Between May 24 and June 1.

Juarez, Mexico, May 19 .- Provisional President Madero today received a priva ate telegram from President Diaz ansuring the rebel leader that Diaz will resign between May 24 and June L.

Mexico City, May 19,-Semi-official announcement was made here today that President Diaz will retire May 24 or 25 and that Vice President Corral's resignation, attested by the Mexican minister to Spain, will be cabled from that country.

El Paso, Texas., May 19.—"Peace in Mexico is assured. The revolution has succeeded."

This statement was made in Juares today to the United Press by Francisco L Madero, Jr., the midget physician who has overthrown Diaz, the dictator of Mexico, and, probably the most pow-erful individual that republic has ever

"Dr. Vasquez Gomez," Madero con-tinued, "is arranging for my trip to Mexico City. I shall go there unguard-ed. The first thing to be done there is

No More Pighting. The present armistice expires on The present armistice expires on Monday, but there is hardly a doubt that by that time the final papers will have been signed. In any event I can safely say there is to be no more fighting. The revolution has won."

With the practical surrender of Diameter of the scane of action in the war drama now begins to shift to the capital. The Madero family is already beginning to

return in triumph to Mexico from their safe quarters here and at San Antonio, Francisco Madero, Sr., goes to Mexico City tonight and the wife of the pro-visional president and his daughters are preparing to accompany him to capital within two days.

To Travel in Triumph Madero's train to the capital will make a triumphal progress. The common people of Mexico consider it their duty to show approbation of the rebel chief who has won through difficulties to victory and all along the line preparations are under way to make his present worth of his triumph.

pessage worthy of his triumph.

Despite the apparent certainty that
war is to end, the rebels are taking no chances of a slip at the last moment. Two thousand of the insurgents have left Juarez within the last 24 hours.
They have gone toward Chihushua and
will be ready to at once attack that
city should any check come to Madero's (Continued on Page Six.)

IN MEXICO WANTS SLICE OF PEACE PIE

eader of Rebels in South Says If He Doesn't Get Cut He'll March on the City of Mexico.

Mexico City, May 19.—Promising encamp with his army of 12,000 men the gates of Mexico City within month, General Figueros in command the rebels in the south, says he will de given a finger in the peace pie about to be cut by the two leaders of the warrin Mexican factions.

Nothing short of Diaz's actual resig nation and Madero's accession to t presidency will satisfy him, says Fi ueroa. There must be no tempora president. Other reforms will be d president. Other reforms will be demanded by Figueroa, but that will be the first thing asked and must be granted. General Figueroa's pien are intensely loyal to him, and should he choose it is thought he could make a stubborn fight against the combine ferces of Diag and Madero.

Many other commanders have demanded slices of the peace pie.

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT TO TRY TO EXTRADIT PRYCE, ARRESTED BY U.

San Diego, Cal., May Mexican government will-tradite General Pryos, lead forces at Tia Juanu, who lary laws, was the pr