WANTED A LIVE NUMBER.

The Elocutionist—"Half a league, half a league, half a league——"
Mr. B. B. Fan—"Aw! Cut it out! We don't care to hear about them busted bush organizations."

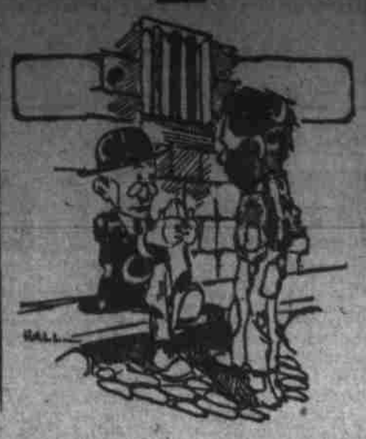
SO VERY CONSIDERATE.

Mrs. Homwin—"Maggie, it grieves me to see you break those little dishes."
Maggie—"But, ma'am, I hate to be breaking the big ones all the time."

THAT BRAWNY MIEN.

Stern Father — "Are you noted for anything at college, anyway?"
Athletic Bonny—"I'm the only one on the basket ball team that doesn't look like a plucked turkey in gym clothes."

CLINCHED.



Lawyer—"You are charged with stealing the chicken on Thursday night."
Prisoner—"I kin prove an alibi on dat night."
Lawyer—"What were you doing?"
Prisoner—"I wuz eating de chicken."

ITEMIZED.

House Owner—"What! Five dollars for mending a little leak?"
Stern Plumber—"No, sir. One dollar for the leak, $2 to come to the house and $2 to go away again."

WOMAN'S VIEW.

Mrs. Wayne—"Don't she putting a lot of work into that song she's singing?"
Mrs. Datus—"Well, let me tell you it's no easy task to screech like that!"

Brief Items of Tuesday's Late News

Short Stories of World Happenings Not Received in Time for Yesterday's Issue of The Journal.

Congressional.

The fortifications appropriation bill, carrying a total of $4,186,285, including $150,000 for the purchase of a site for the protection of the entrance to Chesapeake bay, was ordered favorably reported from the senate committee on appropriations Tuesday.

The agricultural appropriation bill, which carries approximately $15,300,000, passed the house Tuesday, after a filibuster by Minority Leader Mann, in which he succeeded in forcing out an item of $10,000 for expenses for the division of accountants and lopping off salary increases for officials of that division.

The senate public lands committee has reported favorably the Chamberlain bill to establish the Saddle Mountain National park, Oregon.

Congressman Lafferty introduced a bill to increase the cost limit of The Dalles postoffice building $25,000.

The house adopted a resolution calling on the department of justice to make known whether the department was investigating any "smelter trust" in the United States, whether the American Smelting & Refining company was connected with it, and whether prosecutions were begun or were in contemplation.

Brigadier General Rogers, insular bureau chief, told the committee investigating Major Ray case, that he assumed all responsibility for the delay in transmitting some of the papers in the case.

Representative Littleton announced he would introduce a bill to meet the "legalized monopoly" patent decision handed down by the supreme court.

Freight rates of the steel corporation's railroad subsidiaries were explained to the Stanley investigating committee by G. M. Freer.

The finance committee of the senate agreed to vote on the house steel tariff revision bill on Thursday.

Political.

Tennessee Republicans renominated Ben W. Hooper for governor at a convention held in Nashville Tuesday.

Colonel Roosevelt characterizes the letter of Representative Campbell, addressed to him on Monday, alluding to the overturning of the decision of Pontius Pilate, as in exceeding bad taste, and needing no discussion by him.

According to the present plan, Colonel Roosevelt's set speeches before the date of the Chicago convention will be limited to six or eight. He expects to make three or four speeches in the west and a few in the east.

Miss Eloia L. Callhan, said to be a woman who "really knows practical politics," after more than 10 years of retirement from active politics, has taken charge of the Taft campaign in Minnesota by installing herself as "chief" of the Taft headquarters in St. Paul.

Two delegates to the Republican national convention, chosen Tuesday at Council Bluffs, Iowa, were instructed for President Taft.

A resolution indorsing the administration of President Taft was rejected by the Seventh Iowa district convention at Des Moines, Tuesday. The convention elected two delegates to the Chicago convention and instructed them for Senator Cummins.

Four delegates-at-large instructed to vote for the renomination of President Taft were named by the Virginia Republican state convention at Roanoke, Tuesday. This action puts into the Taft column the entire Virginia delegation of 24 votes in the Chicago convention.

After a conference between President Taft and his advisers Tuesday, it became known that herefater the literary end of the Taft bureau would not indulge in personalities nor attacks on Colonel Roosevelt or the men who are supporting him. President Taft insisted, it was said, that this method of attack be abandoned.

Eastern.

Aroused by the tremendous bearing of the supreme court's patent monopoly decision upon the government's anti-trust campaign, Attorney General Wickersham has turned his attention toward the probability of a rehearing of the case. The department of justice, it was said, would lend its assistance in presenting the case to the supreme court, if a rehearing were granted.

The marriage of Miss Mary L. Duke, daughter of Benjamin N. Duke, the tobacco magnate of Durham, N. C., to Prince Ludovic Pignatelli d'Aragon, is announced to take place within the next few weeks.

A decision of sweeping importance in the administration of the tariff law, declaring that an importer can appeal from an assessment of duty by a collector of customs on the ground that the assessment was too low, was rendered Tuesday by the United States court of customs' appeals.

Gilbert Stuart's painting of Washington known as the Vaughn portrait, was sold at auction in Philadelphia Tuesday to Thomas B. Clarke, of New York, for $16,100.

Three grains of corn that had begun to sprout were found in the appendix of James B. Powell, a wealthy farmer of Lawrence, Ind., when he was operated upon for acute appendicitis Tuesday.

For using the mails to defraud by sending "black hand" letters to Mrs. Charles Strong of Erie, Pa., Gilbert B. Perkins, head of the Perkins Detective agency, and Charles Franklin, manager of his Philadelphia branch, left Pittsburg Tuesday for Leavenworth prison to serve their sentences of three and five years respectively.

The crest of higher wage movement in New England textile circles reached Fall River Tuesday afternoon. The 25,000 employes of 100 print cloth mills there will receive a five per cent advance March 26. This increases to 175,000 the total number of New England textile workers who will get better pay.

J. Johnson, supposed slayer of George A. Kimmell, is alive, instead of reposing in a grave in the woods near Coos Bay, Or., according to Edward O'Bryan, chief counsel for the insurance company, who says he will produce Johnson at the next trial.

Performing an operation made possible only by recent discoveries in surgery, Dr. William S. Baer of Baltimore transplanted the muscles of Miss Ruth Coffey, of Lenoir, N. C., in an effort to stay the ravages upon her system caused by infantile paralysis. Miss Coffey is a cousin of Dr. Robert C. Coffey, of Portland, Or., upon whose recommendation the operation was performed.

Charles A. Bigelow, the actor, widely known as "the bald headed comedian," is dead at Meadville, Pa. Bigelow went on the stage at the age of 14.

William E. D. Stokes, owner of the Ansonia hotel in New York, who was the target for the bullets of two show girls in the early summer, is planning to go to a hospital soon for the purpose of having one of his kidneys removed and substituting the kidney of an animal.

Pacific Coast.

Bids are soon to be invited for the construction of the new Y. M. C. A. building at Baker, for which $27,000 was raised by subscription in a whirlwind campaign last fall. The plans call for a building 100 by 100 feet and three stories high.

Fifteen hundred dollars has been pledged and the trustees offer to give an additional $500 to install a pipe organ in Marsh hall at Pacific university.

The Portland, Eugene & Eastern Railway company has begun actual construction of several miles of extensions to its street railway system in Eugene. Between 75 and 100 men were put to work Tuesday.

The members of the Ashbury Methodist church at Hood River will begin work during the next week to build a new structure to cost between $10,000 and $15,000.

Declaring that they are not provided with adequate water for domestic purposes, settlers on lands embraced in the Columbia Southern project have complained to the state desert land board. A. D. Katz of Portland, who was lately awarded a preliminary contract for the project has been in charge of it, and the complaints will be forwarded to him.

Wilson Bros.' mill, one of the most constant producers of any plant in Aberdeen, has been closed down for 30 days to permit the installation of new machinery, which will increase the output from 125,000 feet a day to 150,000 feet daily.

Los Angeles will not buy its city street railway system just at present. The committee on public welfare of the city council, to which was referred the resolution reported "the matter was inopportune."

Mrs. Colla Moore has obtained a divorce from her husband, Thaddeus Moore at San Francisco, because he talked too much. She told Judge Morgan he was a good husband, but he kept her awake nights talking about baseball, woman suffrage, National politics, the war in China and other current topics.

The judgment of the Idaho court in the suit brought by the Home Lumber Manufacturing company against Donovan Hopka and the Ninnewan company, limited, of Idaho, to recover $10,000 damages has been affirmed by the United States circuit court of appeals. The jury in the lower court found for the plaintiff in $1 damages.

A trust deed for $6,000,000 was filed at Placerville, Cal., Tuesday, to cover a mortgage to the Merchants Loan & Trust company of Chicago, by the C. A. Smith Timber company. The Smith company owns 379,000 acres of land in Coos Curry, Douglas, Linn, Lincoln and Malheur counties. The principal holdings are in Coos, Curry and Douglas counties, and these are the only counties included in the trust deed.

Miss Mary F. Ledyard, for the past 10 years kindergarten supervisor of the Los Angeles public schools, is preparing to leave for China to install a complete kindergarten system in the new republic. The offer was made to Miss Ledyard by the new officials of China.

Foreign.

The Aurora, the ship used by the Australian exploring expedition headed by Captain Douglas Mawson, returned to Hobart, Tasmania, Tuesday. It had landed one party on Adelie land and another in Determination land, the most westerly point reached by the American expedition under Captain Wilkes in 1840.

Captain Roald Amundsen's debts on account of his South Polar expedition amount to $18,000. A special committee has been organized at Christiania to appeal to the Norwegians to subscribe this amount, so as to cable Amundsen at Hobart that his debts have been paid. Later a national subscription for the benefit of the explorer will be opened.

Captain Amundsen says it will be impossible for him to comply with the request from the United States to have his ship, the Fram, at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco in 1915, as he will be in the Arctic regions at that time.

A motion presented in the Norwegian Storthing Tuesday for the establishment of a chair for Roald Amundsen in Christiania university was referred to the budget committee.

General Bernandez de Castro, during a assembly of veterans at Camaguey, which lasted throughout the night, declared that should the United States attempt another intervention the veterans of Cuba would fight as they fought against Spain. He was applauded enthusiastically.

The round of official functions in honor of Secretary Knox' visit was continued enthusiastically at San Salvador Tuesday. The feature of the program was a dress parade of the army on the Compo de Marte. For Mrs. Knox the ladies of the city arranged an excursion to the picturesque city of Santa Tecla, or Nueva San Salvador, the capital of the department of La Libertad. Tuesday night the American visitors were the guests of honor at a presidential ball in the Casino.

Miscellaneous.

What is claimed to be the largest range steer ever sent to market has been shipped to Chicago from Billings, Mont. The animal weighs more than 2500 pounds and brought $200, which is said to be a record price for a range steer.

The mild winter in Alaska is being followed by a warm spring, and early destruction of the trails, followed by early opening of the Yukon river, is promised. The last men from Seattle who will reach Fairbanks overland will leave Seattle next Saturday on the steamship Northwestern for Cordova.

In a message to the New Mexico legislature Governor McDonald recommends the adoption of the Australian ballot, more rigid control of the liquor traffic, local option, absolute penalizing of all forms of gambling, direct primaries, advisory primaries for senators, adoption of an income tax amendment, a corrupt practices act, publicity and limitation of campaign expenditures.

The Mormons, who have greatly improved the Cardston country near Calgary, where the colony is located, are to move in a body back to the United States, settling somewhere in Nevada. It is said that the order to remove to Nevada is to come from President Smith, head of the church at Salt Lake city.

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