

PENNSY. REPS. IN TURMOIL

Elkin Wants to Be the Governor—Quay Is Master.

(Journal Special Service.) HARRISBURG, Pa., June 10.—Tomorrow is the time fixed for the beginning of the Republican state convention, and though every politician of greater or lesser note is here and frequent conferences have been held, no agreement has been reached on a candidate for Governor so far as is known. Attorney-General Elkin is the only avowed candidate for the head of the ticket. But in the way of his success there are difficulties believed to be insurmountable. The old set campaigner cannot remember such a chaotic condition of affairs as prevails. Elkin is opposed by the state machine and it is believed the machine will have the upper hand on the convention floor. This belief may not be well founded, but it prevails, nevertheless. With Elkin out of the running all forecasts as to the result are problematical. There are a number of names mentioned, but the only man who could select a winner from the collection refuses at this time to announce his choice. This Warwick is Senator Quay. His adherents believe he has absolute control of a majority of the delegates, and if he wished could settle the question in short order. Unless he has divulged his mind in strictest confidence to his trusted lieutenants he has not signified his choice for the gubernatorial nomination. He has slated Elkin for defeat and so far as is known this is all of his program that has matured. The rest will probably be forthcoming tomorrow. Meanwhile Elkin and his supporters have not lost heart and express their determination to fight "the boss" to the last ditch.

BUNCOED BY A FAKE RACE

(Journal Special Service.) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 10.—The arrest of Tyler Crothers at Noblesville develops the fact that Lucius Stout, a wealthy farmer of Hamilton County, was buncoed out of \$21,000 a few days ago. It appears that Crothers entered a running race, on which Stout won a few dollars, and the two agreed to make a fake race with a man from Springfield, Ill. Crothers said if Stout would bet his money on the Springfield man he would allow the latter to win the race, and Stout the money. Stout secured \$21,000 by mortgaging his farm. The race was started all right, but Crothers won it. Stout charges that he was the victim of a conspiracy.

MACCABEES ARE FOR EXPANSION

Michigan Lodges Will Reach Out For Members.

(Journal Special Service.) MARQUETTE, Mich., June 10.—The state camp meeting of Maccabees which opened with a big parade here today marks an epoch in the history of the order. After a fierce fight Great Commander Boynton of Port Huron has carried the day for expansion. A large majority of the 120 delegates present declare themselves in favor of the expansion plan, which will allow the Michigan Maccabees organization to work in any state in the Union, instead of confining its membership to the State of Michigan as heretofore. Thomas A. Watson, leader of the anti-expansion forces, from all indications will be defeated for re-election for great record-keeper. A. M. Slay is his opponent and it is expected with the aid of Boynton will be elected.

EMMA MADE A BIG HIT

(Journal Special Service.) NEVADA, Mo., June 10.—Benjamin Franklin Birch of Tiffin, a millionaire, aged seventy-seven years, has been married here to Miss Emma Jennings, aged seventeen, until recently a waitress in a Philadelphia restaurant on Chestnut street.

WHEAT OUTLOOK IS PROMISING

Abundant Rain Promises a Record Crop This Year.

(Journal Special Service.) DULUTH, Minn., June 10.—The favorable weather conditions of the last few weeks has given a most encouraging turn to the prospects for the spring wheat crop in the great wheat-raising states of Minnesota and the Dakotas. The possibilities, according to reliable reports, are for a large crop. Last year's wheat acreage in the three states was about 14,700,000 acres; this year's will be a few hundred thousands less. But, while wheat will be shortened a trifle, the abundant moisture of the spring will aid the crop in growth. There will be a far larger crop this year of other grains than wheat, if the present promise is fulfilled. The flax crop is estimated for the three states at a little over 3,500,000 acres of land.

DANCED FOR THE JUDGE

(Journal Special Service.) OAKLAND, June 10.—While being examined as to her sanity Miss Jennie McDonald entertained Judge Melvin and the Lunacy Commissioners, consisting of Drs. O. D. Hamlin and J. J. Medros by giving a song and dance and cake walk. Her songs and her actions were peculiarly incongruous. While singing a gospel hymn she would be giving a cake walk or executing an original jig. At times she passed to give a rambling exhortation upon various subjects. At the conclusion of the performance Judge Melvin ordered the patient committed to the Ukiah Insane Asylum.

IT'S BROWN TRAMP SHOT BOYS

(Journal Special Service.) MATTOON, Ill., June 10.—While Mary Walker and Samuel Storm, each 12 years old, sons of wealthy farmers near Windsor, were riding horseback to their homes, an unknown tramp shot at them. Walker was wounded in the back, but clinging to his horse until home was reached. A posse with bloodhounds scoured the country for the miscreant. The boy's condition is serious.

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QUEEN LIKES PRETTY GIRLS

British Court is Full of Noble Beauties.

(Journal Special Service.) LONDON, June 10.—Queen Alexandra is very like Queen Anne, in that she takes the sincerest pleasure in flowers and pretty women. Since her husband has assumed supremely royal state and influence, she has slowly, gently, but firmly been retiring from all the posts of honor about her person and household the good but frumpy elderly ladies who ministered to the pleasure of the late gracious Queen.

By the time the coronation takes place the English court will be justly famous for a galaxy of lovely girls and youthful matrons, all worthy the brush of Sir Peter Lely, and the admiration of that notable judge of feminine beauty, say King Charles II. About the court this preference of the Queen for good looks and good temper and good hearts is well known, and nobody was in the least surprised when two of the most picturesque twin beauties in Great Britain were chosen as her first maids of honor. These sweet girls are the Honorable Doris and the Honorable Violet Vivian. Though they are twin sisters, they are not counterparts, one of the other, and the Honorable Violet is esteemed rather the fairest of the two. If the Honorable Doris is just a trifle less perfect than her tall, slender, chestnut-haired, violet-eyed, Rosetti mouthed sister, she is keenly witty and quite as popular with the Queen, who is not so severe a stickler for royal etiquette as was her predecessor, and likes to hear of the jokes and pranks of her shrewd maids of honor. The Honorable Doris is one of the few persons who can read aloud to the satisfaction of her mistress, who is hard of hearing, but does not wish to be reminded of her weakness.

INVITES FRIENDS TO HIS FINISH

Queer Freak of North Carolina Man.

(Journal Special Service.) ELLENBORO, N. C., June 10.—Allan Cogswell, one of the wealthiest men in this county, has sent out printed invitations to a number of his friends and relatives inviting them to a dinner to be held at his home, four miles from here, tonight. The dinner is to be served at 11 o'clock. Promptly at 12 o'clock, Cogswell announces, he will give his guests an opportunity of seeing a man take his own life. Just how Cogswell will commit the deed is not stated and there is much interest manifested as to whether or not it is to be a case of real suicide.

BIG PEARL

(Journal Special Service.) MILWAUKEE, June 10.—The largest pearl ever found in the Mississippi has been purchased by Hinde & Upmeyer. The gem is nearly a perfect sphere, three-quarters of an inch in diameter, and was found just north of Prairie du Chien by a pearl fisher, who received \$10,000 for it. It weighs 121 grains.

SHRINERS IN FRISCO

First Session Preceded by a Grand Parade.

(Journal Special Service.) SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—The business session of the 28th annual convocation of the Imperial Council, A. A. O. N. M. E. S., which began in this city today, was preceded by a street parade escorting the members of the grand body from headquarters to the convention hall. The public exercises were held in Golden Gate hall, during which addresses of welcome were made by Mayor Schmitt and others, responded to by Imperial Potentate Philip C. Shafer of Philadelphia. The council then went into legislative session.

OVER THE WIRES.

BOSTON.—Over 20 persons are believed to have been drowned here last night as the result of a sudden squall on the bay. TUCSON, Ariz.—A force of 500 Yaquis was almost utterly wiped out by a Mexican command yesterday in the San Manhattan mountains. CHICAGO.—Nine men and one woman are dead and about 30 are seriously injured as the result of the fire in St. Luke's hospital here yesterday. COPENHAGEN.—Many young Swedes are emigrating from this port to America. The stringent military regulations recently enforced is the cause. BLOEMFONTEIN.—Great bitterness exists between the Boers who surrendered before the terms of peace were signed and those who came in afterwards. LONDON.—A small fire here yesterday proved fatal to nine young girls. The fire department proved wholly inadequate.

DES MOINES.—Claude Bristow, of Cawker City yesterday shot two identified highwaymen who attacked him, killing them instantly. WILKESBARRE.—Every union in Pennsylvania is now in active sympathy with the striking coal miners, and are rendering them active assistance.

BADLY TORN BY AN EAGLE

(Journal Special Service.) TACOMA, June 10.—Alfred F. Eastman of Tacoma, who has been living at Skagway during the past year came near being killed by an immense bald eagle near Chilkoot where he had been hunting and fishing. Eastman was accompanied by D. C. Stevens. While crossing a mountain divide they scared up the eagle, which Eastman shot. The bird fell to the earth and lay motionless as if dead.

Eastman rushed forward and tried to pick it up, when it suddenly became active. It attacked Eastman with beak and talons, lacerating his hand and tearing the flesh on his breast and upper body, when Stevens rushed to his rescue. The latter caught the eagle by both wings and pulled him away by main force. The eagle was then killed and was found to measure eight feet from tip to tip of its wings.

GHASTLY RELIC

(Journal Special Service.) NORTH YAKIMA, June 10.—Conrad Weeber, who is working at the drilling of the artesian wells near White Bluffs on the Columbia, came to this place carrying with him a ghastly relic of an Indian's unerring aim with a bow and arrow. It is a human skull picked up from among the sand hills near that place, and near where it was found lay the rest of the skeleton. Through the forehead of the skull was imbedded a small flint arrow point protruding half and half on each side. The point punctured the skull about one inch above the inner part of the left eye orbit and is so firmly set that a breaking of the bone would be required to release it. The bone around the point is not fractured and shows indications of contraction or "knitting." The skull has the appearance of being that of a white man. The forehead is higher than that of a savage, but it is narrow. The skull may be that of one of the victims of the raid headed by Chief Moses through Central Washington in 1878, when the Perkins family was massacred. In this County and three Indians were hung and two shot to death for the offense. The skull is on exhibition in the drug store of Dr. Taft of this city.

CLOSE CALL

(Journal Special Service.) PITTSBURG, Pa., June 10.—The "rat" in a pompadour prevented a tragedy in Bradwood, and the women of that town more especially Mrs. Cycozeski, will be more addicted than ever to that fascinating style of hairdressing. David Allen, aged 12, threw a stone at a sparrow, but hit a bicycle ridden by Joe Bukonal. Bukonal dismounted and fired at the lad with a revolver. The bullet went wide and struck Mrs. Cycozeski. She was made unconscious, but finally revived. It was found her heavy pompadour and "rat" saved her life. Bukonal was fined and may be re-arrested.

ART EXHIBIT

(Journal Special Service.) RICHMOND, Ind., June 10.—The sixth annual art exhibit, which opened here today, surpasses all previous efforts of the kind. The exhibition continues for two weeks. Among the exhibitors is Henry Mosler, the famous artist, who was once a boy in Richmond.

HOISTED SHIP OVER MOUNTAIN

(Journal Special Service.) VANCOUVER, B. C., June 10.—One of the most unique undertakings ever taken in hand in British Columbia was that successfully carried out in Kootenay, when a steamer was transported from one river over a mountain divide to another. Of late years trade for steamers on the Kootenay river has become demoralized, and as a result, the steamer owned by a private company has had little to do. On the other side of the watershed flowed the Columbia, and into this river the steamer was taken.

The course of the two rivers is peculiar, and at one point, at rather high altitude, they come close together. Some years ago the Government undertook to build a canal, but it was not a success, and the unused locks have fallen into a state of disrepair. It was by this course that the boat was taken by means of massive derricks. The short distance was successfully traveled, and today the steamer is making a profit trading on the Columbia.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

- H. E. Collier..... 29
- May O'Gara..... 21
- Wells B. Chalke..... 28
- Ruby W. Clark Sewell..... 17
- Robert E. Frazier..... 23
- Jessie Stephens..... 24
- W. F. Shortridge..... 24
- Allice Noland..... 34
- Dillon S. Farrell..... 45
- Eva E. Stone..... 45
- Edward I. Mills..... 45
- Mary I. McMahon..... 20
- Michael J. Travers..... 44
- Margaret Skiffington..... 44
- J. R. Johnson..... 41
- Allice Gordon..... 42

PATTERSON AGAIN

(Journal Special Service.) MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 10.—The Democratic Congressional convention of the Tenth district here today resulted in the renomination of General M. E. Patterson.

SHOT DURING GAMBLING RAID

James McCoy Wounded by Officer in Gotham.

(Journal Special Service.) NEW YORK, June 10.—In a raid on a big pool room at Forty-second street and Lexington avenue conducted by deputies of District Attorney Jerome, James McCoy was shot through the head and several others in the party of officers and fleeing gamblers were slightly injured. The raiding party, headed by Deputy District Attorney Chadwick, surprised the gamblers. Many of them dropped through a trap door to the cellar, others jumped out of the window, and several who gained the roof and started down an alley toward the Grand Central station opened fire on the officers with their revolvers. The officers returned the fire and excitement in the neighborhood was intense for a time. McCoy claimed to be a hotel-keeper and was in the party of escaping men. He is 45 years old. His injury may not prove fatal. District Attorney Jerome says Detective McLellan of his office shot McCoy after McCoy had shot at him, and he says he will stand by McLellan but will surrender him to the police if McCoy dies.

NOW, DEWET, DON'T BE SULKY

How Lord Kitchener Brought Dewet to Terms.

LIVERPOOL, June 10.—The Post learns that the settlement in South Africa was due pre-eminently to General Lord Kitchener, whose influence with General De Wet persuaded the latter to accept the British Government's terms. Kitchener, the paper says, discussed matters with the Boer delegates with a freedom and unconventionality which they fully appreciated. Indeed, Lord Milner at one time telegraphed the Government complaining that Kitchener was undignified. It seems on one occasion, the Post continues, while discussing with De Wet, Kitchener slapped him on the back and said, "Now, De Wet, don't be sulky."

THE BUCKEYE CONVENTION

(Journal Special Service.) COLUMBUS, O., June 10.—Members of the Democratic state central committee, pursuant to the call of Chairman W. J. Frey, assembled at the Neil House this afternoon to discuss arrangements for the state nominating convention. There is some speculation as to whether the party will follow the lead of the Republicans and hold the convention in some city other than Columbus. Cincinnati and Dayton are mentioned, but it is regarded as hardly probable that their bids will be strong enough to induce the committee to leave the capital city. Talks with the committeemen prior to their going into executive session indicated that they favor a late date for the convention and a short "whirlwind" campaign.

HE HAD A TENDER HEART

BERKELEY, June 10.—Dr. Rowell of this city has parted with \$100 and a "relative" of his also known as Dr. Rowell. He does not expect to see either again. When the well dressed stranger appeared in the doctor's office he introduced himself as Dr. Rowell, late from the East. He appeared intimate with the Berkeley family and the doctor soon lost all suspicion that he was not genuine. Before the relative from the East had left Dr. Rowell had written out a check for \$100 for him because they were relatives.

HEPBURN NOMINATED.

CRESTON, Ia., June 10.—Congressman William P. Hepburn was renominated without opposition here today by the Republicans of the Eighth Congressional district.

NORTHWEST NEWS

DENVER.—Four men were badly hurt in a collision yesterday on the Colorado & Southern near Yalverde. An engineer disobeyed orders. DEER LODGE, Mont.—Two little sons of William Kozel were drowned in a flooded creek here yesterday. TOWNSEND, Mont.—I. W. Hubbard, a Northern Pacific fireman, fell between two cars here and was instantly killed. His body was literally cut to pieces. SEATTLE.—A coroner's jury at Ballard has rendered a verdict implicating Mrs. Nellie Underwood in the death of her infant child. WALLACE, Ida.—Fred Witts committed suicide at Mullian last night by shooting himself through the heart with a rifle. OLYMPIA, Wash.—Loggers in the vicinity of Kamliche report having seen Underwood, the Aberdeen murderer. Poses are scouring the woods for him, but as yet have found no trace. BOISE, Ida.—H. H. Harper was drowned in the Natatorium here yesterday. He was a good swimmer and in the manner of his death is a mystery.

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WOMEN'S CLUB OF KENTUCKY

(Journal Special Service.) PARIS, Ky., June 10.—The Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs opened its annual convention here today. The delegates commenced arriving last evening, and all were promptly escorted to the quarters assigned them. The arrangements for the meeting are of the most elaborate character. The auditorium of the old Christian Church, where the meetings are held has been most handsomely decorated with immense palms, vines and flowers. The session this evening is in the nature of a welcome together with an elaborate musical program. The real business will commence tomorrow forenoon. Large delegations are present from Louisville, Paducah, Bowling Green and other cities of the state.

BURGLAR TOOK LONG CHANCES

(Journal Special Service.) CARBONDALE, Ill., June 10.—Harry Kelley, the noted negro burglar, whose carnival of crime has extended over the states of Tennessee, Mississippi, Kentucky, Missouri and Illinois, escaped from the Bardwell County, Ky., officials, about two miles south of this city. The prisoner was heavily ironed and was en route south to answer the charge of burglary.

NOTORIOUS NEGRO CROOK LEAPED FOR HIS LIBERTY.

When nearing the Big Muddy bridge he was permitted to go to the rear of the train and at once jumped. It is believed that part of his gang were concealed near the place and that they will attempt to capture him. The fact is borne out by the appearance of his wife in the city, and her active movements since her arrival.

MURDER CHARGED

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 10.—Dr. J. H. Reilly, a prominent physician, is under arrest, charged with the murder of Mrs. Lula Jones. The husband of the woman was not satisfied with the manner of his wife's death, and asked for an inquest. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that Mrs. Lula Jones came to her death from having her entrails taken out by Dr. J. H. Reilly while performing an operation on 4

TEXAS GROCERS

DALLAS, Tex., June 10.—About 40 titles of the state are represented at the annual meeting of the Texas Retail Grocers' Association, which opened here today. President J. P. Cline of Texarkana called the gathering to order and W. E. Best welcomed the visitors. These formalities concluded the convention took up the discussion of various matters affecting trade interests. The gathering concludes with a banquet tomorrow night.

BIG BRIDGE

WACO, Tex., June 10.—The magnificent new steel bridge over the Brazos, one of the largest in the United States, was formally opened to traffic today. The bridge is 400 feet long, of solid steel, 65 feet high in the center of the truss and without any supporting piers other than those at the ends of the structure. The span is one of the longest in the world and its construction is considered quite an engineering feat, in view of the difficulties which had to be overcome.