

MRS. COLBY TALKS TO LARGE AUDIENCE

Mrs. Sarah Bewick Colby, one of the pioneers in the Equal Suffrage movement in America, addressed a large gathering in this city Monday evening and won many local people to suffrage. Mrs. Colby is an excellent speaker and her remarks were closely followed. Arrangements are being made by the local equal suffrage workers to have other noted speakers appear here.

SULLIVAN IS COMMISSIONER TO OLYMPIC GAMES

WASHINGTON, April 30.—James E. Sullivan was today appointed by President Taft American commissioner to the Olympic games at Stockholm, Sweden, this summer.

Sullivan has been for years one of the prominent figures in amateur athletics in the United States. Since concluding his active career, when he was one of the foremost athletes in the country, more than twenty years ago, he has been noted as a patron of athletic sports, as a publisher and an official. He is at present secretary of the Amateur Athletic union of the United States.

Sullivan was American commissioner to the Olympic games in Athens in 1904 and in London in 1908.

WOMAN BOWLS PERFECT TEN PIN SCORE AT VENICE

VENICE, Cal., April 30.—The only woman west of the Mississippi who ever bowled a perfect 10 pin score, 300, Mrs. George Watkins, is being showered with congratulations today. By throwing 12 successive balls on an alley here last night she established a record that cannot be beaten, and which surpassed her own southern California record for women, 298 pins.

FLOYD ALLEN PLACED ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

WYTHEVILLE, Va., April 30.—Floyd Allen, one of the Allen clan of bandits, was placed on trial for murder here today for the part he took in the Hillsville court house tragedy March 14. Allen is being tried for the killing of Commonwealth's Attorney Foster. The entire day was spent in summoning witnesses and veniremen.

SHE DISTRIBUTES "HOUN' DAWG" BUTTONS



MISS MAY BIRKHEAD

"Houn' dawg" buttons were popular in the Martha Washington Hotel, in New York, the stronghold of woman suffrage, because Miss May Birkhead, of Louisiana, Mo., was so pleased by the victory of Champ Clark, her home neighbor and political idol, in the Illinois primaries that she had to tell every one and distribute the buttons. Her Ozark Mountain badge was soon in general demand. Miss Birkhead, who is well known in New York society, has gone to Europe, taking with her a big supply of the campaign badges.

D. APPLETON & CO. HIT BY FLAMES

NEW YORK, April 30.—Four floors were burned with a total loss of \$500,000 today by fire which broke out on the top floor of the 12 story building in West 32nd street. The offices of D. Appleton and company, publishers, were gutted.

New Gunboat Ordered.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The navy department today has drawn and signed specifications for a new gunboat to be known as the Sacramento. The vessel, exclusive of guns and armor, is to cost \$500,000. Bids are to be opened July 1.

MANY OFFERING TO TAKE TITANIC WAIFS

So many letters have been received from points in the northwest offering to provide a home for the Titanic waifs that it is necessary to announce that a wire has been received from New York stating that it is believed that the mother of the little boys has been located.

Should this prove to be an error, those who have so kindly offered to take one of the boys will be notified.

CHOOSES DEATH BY HANGING; SPURNS BULLETS

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, April 30.—Without a quaver in his voice as he urged the officers to be quick about their work, J. J. Morris, convicted murderer was, by his own choice, hanged at the state prison here early today. He was pronounced dead nine minutes after the drop fell.

Morris, who shot and killed J. Walter Axtell in an effort to escape after he had robbed a pawn shop, selected hanging in preference to shooting, a choice seldom made in this state. Although Morris sent a written invitation to Axtell's father to witness the hanging, the latter did not accept.

OCCIDENTAL FAILS TO DRIVE OUT CO-EDS

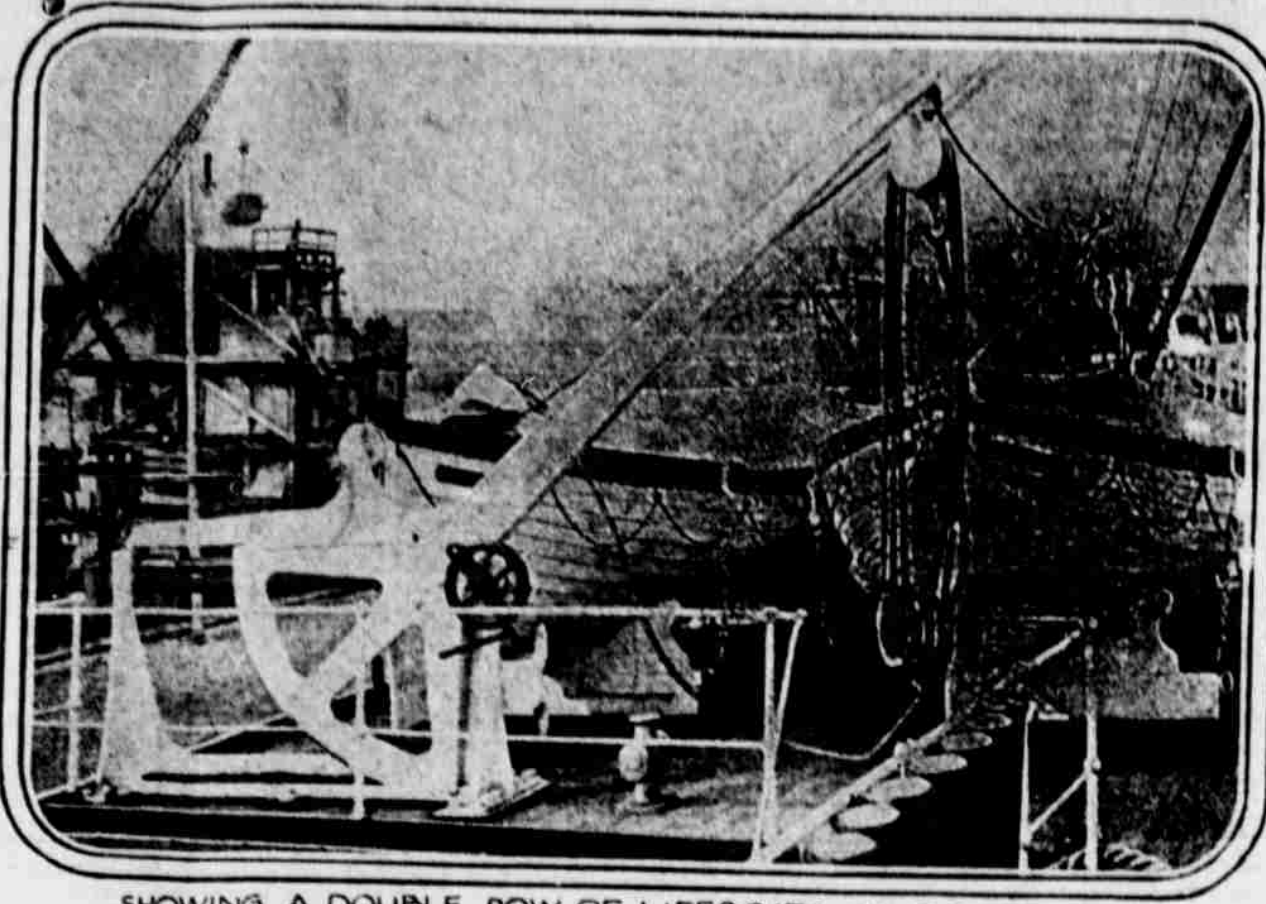
LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 30.—Students and alumni of Occidental college today are celebrating their victory in a fight to maintain a co-educational standard at the institution, the losers in the contest being President J. W. Baer and supporting members of the board of trustees.

Led by the co-eds of the college and reinforced by the alumni organization and the women's clubs of southern California, the battle was waged so fiercely that the president and trustees surrendered and rescinded their action driving women from the college.

Honor for French Delegates

NEW YORK, April 30.—Elaborate arrangements are being made for the banquet to be given in this city tomorrow night in honor of the distinguished French delegation that has just arrived here with the bronze bust of "La France," which is to be presented to the United States and to be placed at the base of the monument to be dedicated next June to Samuel de Champlain, the French navigator and explorer.

SCARCITY OF LIFEBOATS ON THE TITANIC STILL CRITICISED.



SHOWING A DOUBLE ROW OF LIFEBOATS ON THE TITANIC. Herein is shown a double row of lifeboats on the Titanic, and, according to the builders' plans, if the required number of these had been on the decks of the ill fated vessel there would have been many more saved.

MANY SELLING ORDERS NEW YORK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 30.—A considerable number of selling orders were in the market at the opening today. Reading, Canadian Pacific fell 1. United States Steel and the coppers lost fractions. National Biscuit with a gain of 1/2, and Baltimore & Ohio, which was up 1, were the only notable advances. The market closed irregular. Bonds were steady.

CONDEMNED MURDERER INVITES CROWD TO HANGING

LINCOLN, Neb., April 30.—"You had better all come down to the little necktie party we are going to have at the home," declared Albert Prince, a negro convict, turning to the spectators in a crowded courtroom here today when he was found guilty of first degree murder. Prince stabbed Deputy Warden Albert Davis at the state penitentiary February 11. He wants a large crowd at the hanging.

D destroyer Jenkins Launched

BATH, Me., April 30.—The torpedo-boat destroyer Jenkins was launched today at the yards of the Bath Iron works. The Jenkins is a sister ship to the Jouett, which was recently launched at the same yards. She is 293 feet long and will have a speed of 29.5 knots. The Jenkins was named in honor of the late Rear Admiral Thornton A. Jenkins, who was known as "the father of the lighthouse board." Miss Alice

Thornton A. Jenkins of Washington, D. C., a daughter of the late rear admiral, performed the christening ceremony at the launching.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 30.—Dr. Linda Burfield Hazzard, the fast specialist, today completed the fifth week of her fast. She seems to be in good health and proposes to continue the fast for ten days longer. Her weight has dropped from 135 pounds to 107 since the fast began.

TAFT HOARSE AS RESULT OF CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON, April 30.—So hoarse as to be unable to speak above a whisper as a result of his campaign tour of Massachusetts, combined with a cold which he acquired on the golf links, President Taft arrived here today. The president was in a most confident mood, and was very sanguine over the outcome of the Massachusetts primary.

President Taft started for Savannah, Ga., this afternoon. He will speak in that city tomorrow night, and then continue to Augusta, where he will participate in services in memory of his late military aide, Archibald Butt, who went down with the liner Titanic.

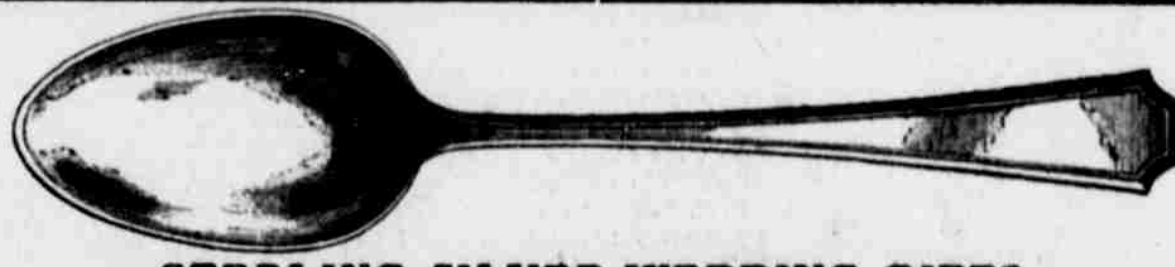
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