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ADAMSON TEST CASE SET FOR JANUARY 8

Law Goes Into Effect New Years.—Other Matters Passed On by Court

Washington, Dec. 11.—The United States supreme court will hear arguments in the Adamson eight hour law test case January 8.

The court set the date today when government lawyers asked that the case be expedited as much as possible.

The Adamson law goes into effect January 1.

By agreement between railroad and government attorneys, the Adamson law will not be enforced until the supreme court hands down its opinion.

Michigan Case Revisited.

Washington, Dec. 11.—The supreme court today revisited a Michigan court decision when it declared that the Detroit (Mich.) ordinance providing sale of three-cent "workmen's" tickets by the Detroit United Railways during the rush hours does not apply to certain distant suburbs annexed by the city after the reduced fare ordinance was passed.

Tank Car Case.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Deciding the tank car case, the supreme court today held the interstate commerce commission had no power to order railroads to furnish special types of cars to corporations using their lines.

Law Constitutional.

Washington, Dec. 11.—The supreme court today affirmed a state court which declared Indiana's electric headlight law for locomotives constitutional.

Fine Entertainment at Unitarian Church

The entertainment given by the pupils of Mrs. Anna Rogers Fish's School of Expression, at the Unitarian church last evening was well attended and the entertainment well received.

Rev. James M. Heary the pastor of the church, announced that arrangements for a similar entertainment for one Sunday evening each month, had been made.

Those who participated in last night's offering were: Theodore Howard, Kathleen Walsh, Helen Fry, Ceila Wilson, William Walsh, Blanche Drake, Laura Purvine and Lavonne Coppock.

An appropriate solo was rendered by Mrs. Hallie Parrish Hinges and a violin duet by Miss Joy Turner and Frank Frickey.

Cotton Slumped \$7 A Bale Today

New York, Dec. 11.—Cotton broke 110 to 138 points today, the greatest part of the downward stampede coming in the last few minutes of trading on the cotton exchange.

The day's loss amounted to nearly \$7 on the bale for some futures and the decline for one week was increased to 250 points, or \$12.50 on the bale.

Breaks of nearly a dollar a bale between sales were recorded this afternoon following publication of the government report estimating the crop at approximately 11,511,000 bales.

MRS. BOWERS VERY ILL

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 11.—Mrs. H. C. Bowers, wife of "Pop" Bowers, manager of the Calhoun hotel, was reported by physicians today in a very serious condition. Mrs. Bowers is not expected to survive the day. She has been suffering from Bright's disease for two years.

"Pop" Bowers, who has been head of the Calhoun hotel here for the last six months, is one of the best known hotel men on the coast. He came to Seattle from Portland where he was engaged in the hotel business for 22 years.

SAYS WOMEN CAN STOP IT

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 11.—A congress of women from the belligerent and neutral nations will do more to restore peace in Europe than a dozen such conferences by men, according to Miss Kathryn Clarke, Oregon's woman state senator, who is today visiting in Los Angeles. She advocates a determined effort in this direction by the women's organizations of the United States.

THREE DEAD 17 HURT

Petersboro, Ont., Dec. 11.—Three or four employees dead, seventeen injured and the almost total destruction of the Quaker Oats company plant, with property damage of at least two million dollars, was the summary loss at 1:30 today of one of the most destructive fires in the history of this city.

The county court house was on fire at that hour and may be totally destroyed.

The factory was in full operation when an explosion, caused, it is thought, by spontaneous combustion, blew out the walls of a portion of the plant. Many employees, men and girls, were buried in the ruins.

POSTAL INSPECTORS UNCOVER SWINDLE

Men High In Business Circles Accused of Selling Worthless Stocks

Philadelphia, Dec. 11.—A gigantic swindle exceeding even the wildest dream of the mythical J. Rufus Wallingford, was revealed today, officials declared, when United States postal inspectors conducted a wholesale raid that resulted in warrants being issued for the arrest of men who had formerly stood well in Philadelphia business circles.

One of the swindles is declared by the authorities to have involved \$2,500,000—most of it the money of widows and orphans.

Eight companies named by the authorities as being involved are: The International Gas and Electric company, Philadelphia; Buchman and company, Logan, Philadelphia; Concord Gas company, Concord, N. C.; The Suburban Gas company of East Syracuse, N. Y.; The Gaston Gas company, Gaston, N. C.; Georgetown Railway and Light company, Georgetown, S. C.; Southern Gas and Electric company, Philadelphia.

With the single exception of the Bankers of Independence, all passed in to the hands of a receiver in December, 1915, in one grand smash, said Smith.

Three men were arrested thus far today. They are: George P. Lancaster, Albert Lancaster and Percy K. Kissinger, all of Philadelphia. They are charged with using the mails to defraud.

Three other men of the same concern already are under indictment on the same charge. They are: Clawson Buchanan, Joseph T. Hayden and Amos H. Nissley, the latter of Steelton, Pa.

In special automobiles, escorted by city detectives, the postal inspectors started on a round of the homes where members of the nation-wide gang lived. Arrests will exceed 20 before the raid is over, the authorities declared, and they intimated it would spread to other cities.

By Ed L. Keen (United Press staff correspondent) London, Dec. 11.—The energizing force of Lloyd-George's magic touch has within five days electrified the British nation.

While the new war dictator was today forced to his bed with a chill brought on by a fortnight of 20 hour working days, London was in a fever of enthusiasm for the new order. That the most cursed—and most respected—figure in the last half century of British politics is to have the full force of the British nation behind him in whatever he does became evident today.

Not only the press of the nation, but the faces of every man, woman and street urchin reflected the fact.

The seemingly impossible has been accomplished. The hard shell of British conservatism has been cracked. Veneration for precedent and the thing which "is done" has gone into the discard.

For the first time since August 1, 1914, John Bull is looking forward, not stumbling along with his glance back over his shoulder.

Triumph of Democracy

While the German press referring with contempt to the new British "dictator," Englishmen, even staunch conservatives of the Northcliffe type, are visualizing the new development as democracy's greatest triumph of the century.

Moreover, it is apparent that Lloyd-George is no man's man, but his own. Charges of newspapers antagonistic to the Welshman that he was a mere tool of Lord Northcliffe have been effectively dispensed by Lloyd-George's choice of two men in his ministry who have been particularly under the fire of the Northcliffe newspapers—Arthur J. Balfour and Lord Robert Cecil.

In the rise of Lloyd-George to the supreme command, the British people see a fresh people's answer to the claim, repeatedly made since August 1, that in a crisis their democracy with its scattered control and its divided authority cannot cope with the efficiency and the force of centralized power possible under an autocracy of the German type.

France went a long way toward developing the German argument so far as it concerned the military, when she produced Joffre. The British believe they have clinched the argument (even though it required 28 months) by a process of elimination which has finally placed in the hands of the man who has had the confidence of the overwhelming majority the supreme power to mobilize and direct the entire strength of the British empire.

Fairbanks at Best on Screen

That's what Heywood Brown New York Tribune, said in his paper after he had seen Douglas Fairbanks in "Manhattan Madness," the Triangle play we are showing 3 days starting tomorrow.

And to quote further he printed the following:

"People who think they don't like motion pictures should see Douglas Fairbanks in 'Manhattan Madness.' If they can derive no amusement from this merry farce melodrama they are correct in supposing they are film blind."

Embodies All Elements

The new government embodies in an unprecedented degree all England's national elements. It is noteworthy in that it has eliminated as much as possible the purely professional politicians heretofore bulking largely in cabinets. A striking illustration of the wide range shown in Lloyd-George's selections is in the laborites, who were called upon among his 28 department heads.

One, Arthur Henderson, became a member of the war council. He started life as an iron moulder, John Hodge, minister of labor, is the head of the steel smelters corporation. The honorable Neil Primrose, son of Lord Rosebery, is his under secretary.

The making of the actual cabinet into a working body of only five members assures promptness of decision and execution which would otherwise be unobtainable under the present ministerial system. Further concentration and co-operation is provided in a scheme for commissions of committees in parliament similar to those in the congress of the United States.

THE OREGON

A Leader—Results are our Want Ads—They lead the way to Better positions Better Workers 45.

Starting Tonight and All This Week FUN FUN FUN

Watch Your Friends Pose for Moving Pictures— After Every Show Your Photo will be Taken By Arthur Sydney, Director General.

Formerly Director of the Essany Co. and Directing such stars as Francis X. Bushman, Henry Walthall and other stars of equal note. Now is your chance to be a star—Get in line.

THE OREGON

No raise in prices THE OREGON No raise in prices "The Place To Go"

AUTHORITY PLACED IN HANDS OF FIVE TO CONDUCT THE WAR

EVERYBODY READS IT

Just to prove that people do read Capital Journal Ads. Mr. Thompson of The People's Meat Market inserted an ad in which his phone number 904 was printed 995.

The latter number proved to be an apartment in the Court Apartments. The residents of the apartments spent most all of this morning telling folks that they would not be able to fill the meat orders that they were insisting on leaving.

We insert this apology to the Court Apartments and in order that they will not have to stay home this evening to answer the phone or fill meat orders.

We also add, as we can't help adding it—For results advertise in the Capital Journal.

FINE CORN ARRIVES FOR THE BIG SHOW

County Corn show are coming in today and are being rapidly placed in the Derby building, High and Court streets.

Corn exhibits will be shown on the first floor while the balcony has been reserved for the potato exhibit, to be held under the auspices of the Marion County Potato Growers' association.

Mrs. Winnie Braden, secretary of the Polk county fair, is assisting in the arrangement of the displays. She will have charge of all displays coming from Polk county.

Entries may be made as late as Tuesday afternoon as judging will not begin until Wednesday morning.

Up to today noon, the following entries had been made:

Yellow Den corn—W. Ascherman, Salem, route 5; F. W. Wilson, route 2; William Blake, Jr., route 8; W. McDonald, Silverton; Ed McDonald, Silverton; A. Garrobb, route 4; Alex. Turnbull, route 8; Thomas Winn, Sr., Marion; J. B. Hawthorne, route 4; J. H. Fisher, route 4; John Spranger, route 4; Clair Donker, Aumsville; Burt Adams, Aurora; and H. O. Dahl, Silverton.

Clair Donker, of Aumsville, had made the only entry of White Dent up to today noon.

Entries of 12 ears of popcorn were as follows: Wilfred Wilson, Salem, route 2; W. McDonald, Silverton; Clarence Greig, route 9; John Winn, Marion; Homer H. Best, Turner.

Entries of potatoes were as follows: E. E. Matten, Salem, route 6; George Schnapp, Pratum, Otto Bentler, Macleay; Clyde Ault, route 8; W. Ascherman, route 5; J. P. Aspinwall, Brooks, and J. B. Hawthorne, all exhibiting Burbanks, B. G. Brasler, of Salem, is showing Gold Coin; T. A. Bateffo, of route 5, Normal Four; Ray Ohmart, Gold Coin; Thomas Winn, Jr., Gold Coin, and J. B. Hawthorne, Early Rose variety.

The famous ear of corn, made by J. W. Maroney of the asylum and his assistants will also be on exhibition. This ear is about three feet long, properly proportioned and was exhibited at the state fair.

Chairs and tables, all made of corn, will be exhibited by Mr. Maroney.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

THE OLD STANBY

CHARLIE CHAPLIN TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY

BLIGH THEATRE

If it Catches You There "ANURIC"

Will Quickly Stop It

Simply to realize the importance of the oncoming kidney trouble, by its first symptoms, backache or throbs through the kidney region, is money in one's pocket as well as years of sickness forestalled.

No organ of the body is more easily deranged than the kidneys. Day in and day out their action is constant, in separating poisonous matter from the blood. Most cases of kidney trouble may easily be overcome by merely taking a little "Anuric" with the meals. Citizens daily voice their praises of the merits of "Anuric," the recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, of "Favorite Prescription" and "Golden Medical Discovery" fame. For instance, here is a letter, that of Mr. Henry A. Love, who says:

"For a long time I suffered from backache, pain in left side, frequent urination (bothering me at all times during the day and night), and the urine in my blood caused me to suffer from rheumatism along with a constant tired, worn-out feeling. I heard of the new discovery of Doctor Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., called 'Anuric.' After giving 'Anuric' a good trial I believe it the best kidney remedy to-day. I have tried other kidney medicines but these 'Anuric' tablets of Dr. Pierce's are the only ones, in my opinion, that will cure kidney and bladder troubles."

NOTE:—Experiments at Dr. Pierce's Hospital for several years proved that "Anuric" is 37 times more potent than lithin in removing uric acid from the system, as hot water melts sugar.

Just ask for "Anuric" at druggists, or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial package.

THREE ARE KILLED ANOTHER IS DYING

Exposition Street Car Strikes Auto in Park at Los Angeles

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 11.—Mrs. Margaret Hale, 65; her daughter, Mrs. Eva Hills, and Mrs. Kitty Nicholson, 77, all of Los Angeles, were killed here today when an exposition street car crashed into the automobile in which they were riding in the city park.

H. E. Kritch, a chauffeur, of Los Angeles, who was driving the automobile, was seriously injured.

The entire party came here yesterday to see the exposition. They were driving through the park and approached a grade crossing just south of the exposition main entrance. Kritch was pointing out the places of interest and did not notice the approaching car until it was almost upon them.

Mrs. Hills and her mother, Mrs. Hale, were instantly killed. Mrs. Nicholson died in an ambulance a few minutes after the accident.

Kritch was rushed to the exposition hospital, only a block away, where physicians are fighting to save his life.

The motorman of the street car, A. V. Howarth, declares the car was running at the "usual" rate of speed. As the tracks run through the park at this point, the cars often travel from 30 to 40 miles an hour, according to the company officials.

Sell it—Journal want ads will sell it

Rostein & Greenbaum

All Goods Advertised at mill prices of today.

Men's Felt Slippers 75c	Heavy Black Sateen Overshirts 75c	Men's Silk Ties pretty colors 25c
Girls' Winter Union Suits 50c	Ladies' Winter Union Suits 50c	Children's Union Suits 25c

Christmas Toys, now on display; kid body dolls, doll buggies, toy wheel barrows, toy chairs, Children's rockers, boys' tool sets, Tinker toy sets, toy tea sets, building blocks, etc., Daisy air rifles, toy trains and large rubber balls.

Nice Wool Nap Blankets, pair \$2.25	Men's Heavy Bib Overalls \$1.00	3 lbs. Cotton Batts 50c
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Clean up sale New Millinery, Hats at a trifle of its original cost. See them or you will miss a bargain.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, latest style, \$4 to \$5 value, now \$1.75	Ladies' Trimmed Hats, Bargains \$1.00	Ladies' Hats \$3.00
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A few Ladies' Nice Coats, Bargains—Some new this season's Coats, to clean up at \$5.00

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America's Most Versatile Star, in a photoplay about colonial persecution

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