

## PRESIDENT LED INTO MAKING BAD MISTAKE

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HERMAN RIDDER, PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS' ASSOCIATION, TELLS PRESIDENT THAT HIS CHANGE OF ATTITUDE ON PRINT PAPER SCHEDULE NOW THREATENS SERIOUS INDUSTRIAL DISTURBANCE.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 19.—In a letter addressed to President Taft by Herman Ridder, of New York, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, the latter declared that Taft was led into making a mistake, which threatens an industrial disturbance which will involve a business interchange with Canada amounting to eighty-five millions of dollars a year when he changed his attitude on the print paper schedule. The letter says in part: "You were apparently misled by designing men into a serious blunder when you changed on the print paper schedule. The rate you advised caused the province of Quebec to prohibit the exportation of pulp wood and many American mills must either close or go to Canada to get raw material. The United States is now in a fair way for a trade war with Canada. Hope you will find means to rectify the mistake."

## NO ALLOWANCE FOR O. M. CARTER

SUPREME COURT OF UNITED STATES ISSUES ORDER STAYING PROCEEDING IN CIRCUIT COURT OF ILLINOIS.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The supreme court of the United States today issued an order staying proceedings in the United States circuit court for the northern district of Illinois in the matter of application of Captain Oberlin M. Carter for the allowance of further counsel in the government's suit against him for the restoration of the funds alleged to have been procured by him through defalcation.

## TAFT ENJOYING STAY ON RANCH

PRESIDENT SPENT THE DAY IN GOLFING—WILL REMAIN FOR THREE DAYS, LEAVING FRIDAY FOR CORPUS CHRISTI.

Gregory, Texas, Oct. 19.—President Taft today began a three days' outing on his brother's ranch here. The day was spent in recreation, Taft golfing and member of the party enjoying themselves in various ways. The president leaves here Friday morning for Corpus Christi to address the convention of the Inland Waterways Association.

AGED MAN MURDERED. Albany, N. Y., Oct. 19.—John LaChapelle, aged 80, was murdered with a machinist's hammer at his son's farm, near here, last night. An 18-year-old Austrian boy farm hand disappeared after the murder.

SHOT HIS BROTHER. Winchester, Ind., Oct. 19.—John Dull shot and fatally wounded his brother, Marion, last night in a pistol fight over payment of a grocery bill.

## Skeleton of Young Woman Found, Another Murder Mystery

Islip, L. I., Oct. 19.—The skeleton of a young woman which was found in the woods between Brentwood and Islip yesterday may be that of Miss May Smith, a nurse in the Manhattan State Hospital at Islip. Miss Smith has been missing since last spring. A singular feature of the case lies in the fact that Miss Smith was believed to be the fiancée of August Schwarz, who is now in jail at Riverhead, L. I., awaiting trial on the charge of murdering Irving J. Nelson, of Central Islip, September 16. Belief that the skeleton was that of

## Yorktown is Celebrating the Surrender of Lord Cornwallis

By Associated Press. Yorktown, Va., Oct. 19.—On the historic ground where Lord Cornwallis 128 years ago sealed the doom of Britain's rule over what is now part of the United States, patriotic Americans gathered today to celebrate the anniversary of the famous surrender. The exercises were held under the auspices of the descendants of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, the Yorktown Historical Society of the United States, and the citizens of York county. The inaccessibility of the place made the attendance comparatively

small. Situated on the York river, more than ten miles from any railroad, Yorktown is practically without direct connection with the outside world, save for an occasional steamer from points down the river. Today every automobile within a radius of thirty miles was pressed into service to bring the patriots to the celebration. Excursion steamers from Norfolk, Newport News and Old Point Comfort took care of the overflow. Four companies of coast artillery from Fortress Monroe, and a detachment from the Atlantic torpedo flotilla participated in the celebration.

## AUTOS IN PLACE OF CARRIAGES

BUILDERS OF THE LATTER WILL HAVE TO RETIRE FROM BUSINESS AND DEVOTE ATTENTION TO CONSTRUCTING AUTO BODIES.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Automobiles have displaced carriages to such an extent that carriage builders are either obliged to retire from business or devote their attention to the construction of automobile bodies. In effect this was the statement of Maurice Connolly, of Dubuque, Iowa, president of the Carriage Builders' National Association of the United States, which convened here today.

## NARROW ESCAPE OF PASSENGERS

PLEASURE BOAT COLLIDED IN NEW YORK HARBOR WITH CAR FLOAT AND WAS GROUNDED TO SAVE PASSENGERS.

New York, Oct. 19.—The steamer Little Silver, of the Patten line, with fifty-five passengers aboard, bound for Pleasure Bay, New Jersey, collided with a car float off the Statue of Liberty this afternoon, and for a while it was thought she was sinking.

In his anxiety for the safety of the passengers, Captain Edwards headed the boat for the Mud Flats and grounded her. After the passengers had been removed the steamer was floated and taken to Hoboken for repairs.

## D. OF C. IN SESSION AT HOUSTON, TEXAS

Houston, Oct. 19.—The United Daughters of the Confederacy in convention here were formally welcomed today by the city and state officials. The day's session was taken up largely in preliminary matters. Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, of Galveston, the president general, was presented with a magnificent president general's jewel. Reports of officers will be heard tomorrow and probably the election of officers will take place.

## SENATOR MCCARREN IN PRECARIOUS CONDITION

New York, Oct. 19.—After a bad day, following a sleepless night, State Senator Patrick McCarrren, of Brooklyn, who was operated on recently for appendicitis, is in a precarious condition tonight.

## SHIP'S DOCTOR UNDER ARREST

ALLEGED THAT HE IS IMPLICATED IN THE SMUGGLING SYNDICATE, WHICH HAS BEEN BRINGING GULF INTO COUNTRY.

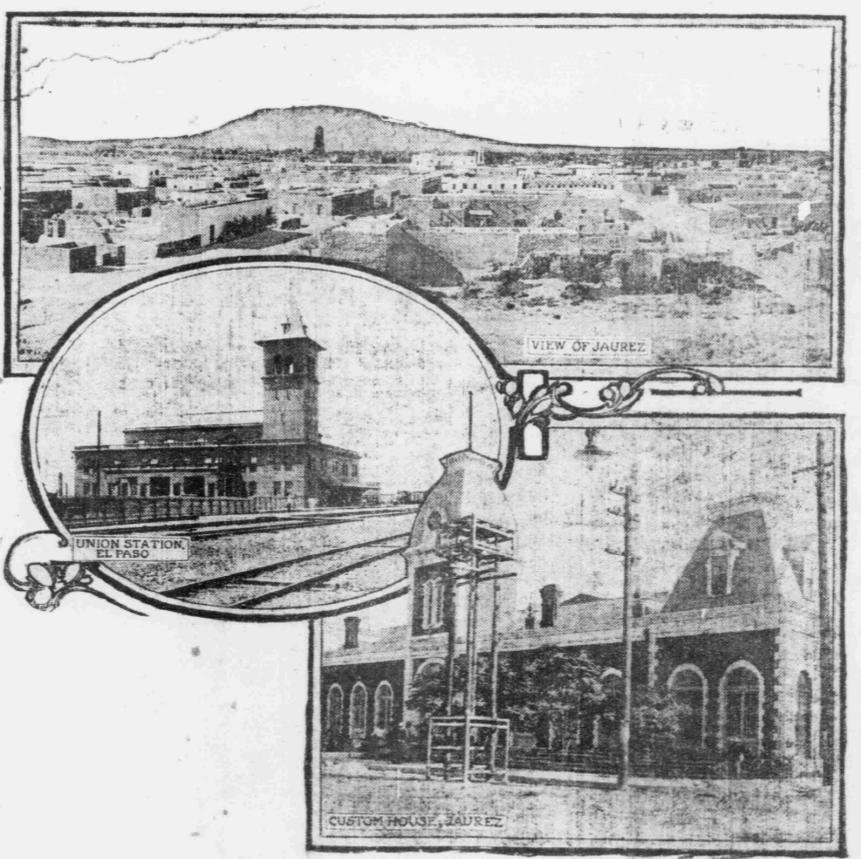
New York, Oct. 19.—Dr. Savino de Bellis, ship's physician of the Italian liner Regina D'Italia, was arrested here today charged with complicity in the smuggling syndicate, which is alleged to have brought many thousand dollars worth of gloves into the United States without paying duty.

## NEARLY DEAD OF STARVATION

BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS HAVE LIVED FOR TWO WEEKS ON SCANT HERBS—SUPPLIES SENT BY GOVERNMENT.

Washington, Oct. 19.—"Rocky Boy" and band of one hundred and fifty Chippewa Indians, encamped near Bird's Eye, Montana, are nearly dead from starvation. The band lived on scant herbs for two weeks. The government has ordered ample supplies sent the Indians.

## VIEWS OF JAUREZ, MEXICO, AND EL PASO WHERE PRESIDENTS TAFT AND DIAZ MET



## FRANCE WILL NOT ENTER TARIFF WAR WITH UNITED STATES

She Will, However, Enforce Maximum Rates Against All Imports.

WASHINGTON DO NOT CONSIDER THIS ACTION AS INTENTION OF FRANCE TO LAUNCH A TARIFF WAR, AS UNITED STATES WILL AFTER NOV. 1 APPLY THE MAXIMUM RATES FROM THAT COUNTRY.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Government officials here do not regard the action of France in deciding to assess the maximum rate duty against all imports from the United States as evidence of her intention to enter into a tariff war with the United States.

Last August President Taft, pursuing instructions of the new tariff act, formally notified France that the commercial agreement between that country and the United States terminated Oct. 31 of this year. Recently the secretary of state has received from the consul at Paris an announcement by the French government of the abrogation of her commercial agreement with the United States, and since then it is expected that, beginning November 1, American exports to France will be taxed at the minimum rates, as from that date exports from France to the United States will pay the full schedule of rates.

## MILITIA SENT TO GUARD NEGRO

Montgomery, Oct. 19.—A company of militia has been ordered to Greensboro to guard the jail there during the trial of Joe McDaniels, a negro, charged with the murder of Sheriff J. B. Drehs. The negro was once convicted of the crime, but the supreme court reversed the verdict, granting a new trial.

WILL REQUIRE SIX WEEKS, SAYS COOK

Columbus, O., Oct. 19.—Dr. Cook while here today declared it will take at least six weeks for him to prepare his data concerning the north pole for the Copenhagen University.

## Washington Closely Watching Another Tropical Disturbance

Washington, Oct. 19.—Another tropical disturbance, whose presence was first discovered Saturday last off the Island of Dominica, in the West Indies, is being watched closely by the officials of the United States weather bureau and their reports today indicate the storm is now apparently centered southwest of Jamaica, moving westward towards Yucatan. It is too early to predict, explained Professor Parriot today, whether the storm will veer to the northwestward and strike the coast of the Gulf of

## A MAN-HUNT FOLLOWED BLOODY ATTACK OF NEGRO ON YOUNG MAN AT CENTURY

Walter Hall Thought to Have Been Fatally Wounded.

Mexico, as these storms frequently do. For two or three days it will be impossible to determine the course of the storm as it is now passing out of the observation zone. Unless steamers in the Gulf of Mexico report by wireless telegraph to the weather bureau, the state of the weather in this vicinity, there is no way of learning conditions. Close watch as far as possible will be kept of the disturbance and all interests on the gulf coast will be amply warned to prepare for any emergency.

ROBERT STEWART, COLORED, STABBED YOUNG MAN SEVERAL TIMES, INFLECTING VERY DANGEROUS WOUNDS—HANDY AUTO POSSIBLY SAVED NEGRO FROM ROUGH TREATMENT AT HANDS OF A CROWD.

Had not Robert Stewart, a negro, have been removed as quickly as he was from Century yesterday afternoon, there was ample reason to believe that a crowd of men and boys, who had assembled at a preliminary trial of the negro, would have handled him roughly, for the black had just been ordered held to the criminal court for what was alleged to have been a most cowardly attack upon Walter Hall, a young white man, who was cut so badly by Stewart that a late report from Century stated his death is likely to occur soon.

Stewart was brought to the city at 6:30 p. m. o'clock yesterday and was locked up on a charge of assault with intent to murder. The first question he asked when he reached the jail was if the young man who had been assaulted was dead.

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## NIGHT RIDERS AGAIN ACTIVE

PLANTERS OF BATH COUNTY RECEIVE WARNINGS AND SOLDIERS ARE ORDERED THERE BY THE GOVERNOR.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 19.—No word has been received of the movement of soldiers ordered out from Cynthiana last Saturday night, but it is believed they are on the way to Bath county, where it is reported several farmers have been warned by night riders to pool their tobacco or suffer the consequences. Governor Wilson was here today, but refused to reveal the soldiers' destination.

A special from Mason county says the following note was found pinned to the door of the residence of Frederick Adams today: "Fred Adams and Wife—We give you just five days to sign your tobacco to the Mason County Board of Control, or one of its solicitors, and if at the end of that time you find you have not signed, you will have to suffer the consequences. (Signed) "BRACKEN COUNTY NIGHT RIDERS." Adams says he will not sign his tobacco and is prepared for the coming of the riders.

## TAKES IT AS AN INSULT TO MISS

THE PLAN TO SERVE WINE AT BANQUET TO BE GIVEN PRESIDENT TAFT DOES NOT APPEAL FAVORABLY TO MINISTER.

Magnolia, Miss., Oct. 19.—That the action of the committee having charge of the banquet to be given to President Taft at Jackson, Miss., in proposing to serve wine at that function, was nothing short of an insult to the state was the declaration of Rev. J. G. Galloway, in a sermon here last night. "The minister held this to be the case," because Mississippi has led all other states in the cause of prohibition.

## BISHOP MOORE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 19.—At the annual meeting of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational Society of the Methodist Episcopal church today, Bishop David H. Moore was elected president; Bishop John Walden, president emeritus and first vice-president.

## DIVORCE CASE COMES TO CLOSE

New York, Oct. 19.—The jury in the Batony divorce suit tonight reached a verdict, but it will not be announced before tomorrow. Aurel Batony, a native of Austria, is being sued for a divorce by his wife, Frances Works Burke Batony, a daughter of Frank Works.

## GUATEMALA IS NOT IN SCHEME

IS NOT PROMOTING OR AIDING IN ANY WAY THE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT IN NICARAGUA, ACCORDING TO DISPATCH.

Washington, Oct. 19.—A denial of the charges contained in telegrams originating in Managua, asserting that the government of Guatemala is promoting and aiding the present revolutionary movement in Nicaragua, has been received by the minister of Guatemala at Washington. The telegram follows: "I will make denial of these false assertions, stating that the government of Guatemala is complying strictly with its international obligations. (Signed) "EMANUEL ESTRADA CABRERA."

## THE WRIGHTS GET PART PAY

TWENTY THOUSAND OF THE MONEY FOR AEROPLANE IS PAID BY GOVERNMENT—WILBUR WRIGHT CONTINUES INSTRUCTIONS.

College Park, Md., Oct. 19.—While Wilbur Wright and Lieut. Lahm were about twenty feet in the air in the aeroplane today the motor stopped, but Wright succeeded in landing without accident. Five instructions in flights were made today. Lieuts. Lahm and Humphreys accompanying Wright. Today Wright received the government's check for twenty thousand dollars, which is part of the thirty thousand dollars to be paid the Wrights for the aeroplane. The other ten thousand will be paid when the two army officers are pronounced accomplished aviators.

## CELEBRATION ADJOURNS.

Pittsburg, Oct. 19.—With street meetings in various parts of the city this evening, the International Centennial celebration and convention of the Disciples of Christ (Christian church), adjourned after a great nine days' session.

## WOMAN SERVING AS JUROR IN CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles, Calif., Oct. 19.—For the first time in the history of California a woman was sworn in to serve on a jury, when Mrs. Johanna Engelman took her place in the jury box of the superior court here today.

## Judge Semmes Overrules Judge Alford in Liquor Cases

Mobile, Oct. 19.—Judge O. J. Semmes today in the city court rendered his opinion in the mandamus proceedings filed by the state to compel the judge of the inferior court to render final judgment in all violations of the Fuller prohibition law, holding that the law was constitutional and ordering him to restore all cases to his docket, granting the mandamus asked for. Notice of appeal was given. The following order was made: It is considered and adjudged by the court that Jules E. Alford as

judge of the inferior criminal court of Mobile county restate on the trial docket of said court the following cases: State of Alabama vs. Fred Poes, J. H. Zuckerman, Mack Pandelis, Lawrence H. Madesen, J. E. Zeigler, Anthony Schroeder, William Abrams, Bernadine Alvarez, John S. Blalock, Clarence S. Blalock, R. A. Myers, Alex. Baumer, Lee Sims, John P. Barrett, and proceed in the placing of above named cases until a final judgment in each of the cases is rendered, in the inferior criminal court of Mobile county.