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YALE WINS VARSITY AND OTHER RACES FROM THE CRIMSON

Eli Crews Victors in All Three Water Events Over Harvard Oarsmen on the Thames River.

BIG MARGIN IN FEATURE RUN

New Haven Athletes Defeat Opponents by Five Lengths in Four-Miler.

FRESHMAN CONTEST DELAYED

REGATTA COURSE, NEW LONDON, Conn., June 25.—Yale won the varsity eight race over a course of four miles by five lengths. The special times were:

Yale 20:52
Harvard 21:13 1/2

The race started at 5:44 with Yale leading shortly after the start. Yale led slightly at the one-mile mark. Yale was in the lead at the two-mile post by a quarter length. Yale was two and a half lengths at the three-mile mark. Yale finished by five lengths.

Yale Wins Freshman Race.

Yale won the freshman eight-oared race over a course of one mile and a half by one and one-half lengths from Harvard. The contest was rowed in the dark. It started as a two-mile race, but an eighth of a mile from the start when Harvard was leading by half a shell's length the oarlock of Harvard's stroke oar broke.

The race was halted and after repairs were made it was decided to race only one and one-half miles because of the darkness. Yale started after the restart was made, took the lead and won by a length and a half. No time was taken because the start was made in an inaccessible cove.

Yale Wins Second.

Yale won the second varsity eight race by a third of a length from Harvard in a snappy two-mile contest over the Thames course today.

Yale led from start to finish, though Harvard made a game rally in the last quarter of a mile.

Yale caught the water first, and with a faster stroke opened up a lead of a length at the half-mile mark. The two crews rowed a clean stroke and there was little splashing. Harvard increased its stroke and came up on nearly even terms with Yale, but the Blues shook off the challenge and at the mile had a lead of nearly a length.

Near the finish Harvard came around and cut down Yale's advantage foot by foot. Yale, however, shot over the line with one-third of a shell length to spare. The official time was: Yale, 10:49; Harvard, 10:48.

Big Crowd Gathers.

Cheered by conditions favorable for both spectators and crews the thousands who form the most picturesque setting seen at any American regatta began to gather along the course before the sun mounted the first quarter mark of its course.

Special trains from east and west, motor cars, excursion boats, steam yachts and sailing craft, all contributed their share, and long before the starting time of the junior eight races the principal streets, railroad stations and water fronts presented a confusion of color and clamor. Alumni and underclassmen from the rival universities, guided parties of pretty girls, matrons and children to points of vantage from which to watch the contest.

The colors of the rival colleges were evident on every hand in form of flags, arm bands, feathers, balloons, confetti and paper streamers. Ticket speculators stood ready to supply observation car seats at prices ranging from \$10 to \$20 each, and did a lively business.

Wilson Arrives at His Summer Home

CORNISH, N. H., June 25.—President Wilson, accompanied by his daughter, Margaret, and Dr. Cary T. Grayson, arrived at his summer home near here soon after 1 o'clock today. He was met at the railroad station by his wife, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, and motored to Cornish.

The Weather

For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity—Partly cloudy; warmer.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday—Hours.	Deg.
5 a. m.	61
6 a. m.	61
7 a. m.	62
8 a. m.	63
9 a. m.	64
10 a. m.	65
11 a. m.	66
12 m.	67
1 p. m.	68
2 p. m.	69
3 p. m.	70
4 p. m.	71
5 p. m.	72
6 p. m.	73
7 p. m.	74
8 p. m.	75
9 p. m.	76
10 p. m.	77
11 p. m.	78
12 m.	79

Comparative Local Record.

1915	1914	1913	1912
Highest yesterday	88	87	80
Lowest yesterday	61	67	65
Mean temperature	74	72	72
Precipitation	0.00	0.10	0.28

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal:
Normal temperature 74
Excess for the day 0
Total deficiency since March 1 136
Normal precipitation 47.4
Deficiency for the day 17
Total rainfall since March 1, 10.66 inches
North Platte, cloudy, 74
Omaha, clear, 84
Pueblo, partly cloudy, 78
Rapid City, cloudy, 74
Salt Lake City, clear, 79
Santa Fe, cloudy, 70
Shenandoah, rain, 74
Sioux City, clear, 82
St. Louis, partly cloudy, 74
7 inches 1/2 precipitation.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

THE MAN ACCUSED OF CAUSING THE GREAT WORLD WAR—First and exclusive photo of Wogo Tankositsch, who hatched the plot for the assassination of the Austrian crown prince and his wife, the denouement of which precipitated the present strife in Europe. Tankositsch is now a major in command of a battalion in the Serbian army.



GOVERNOR CLARKE GLAD HAND GIVEN IOWA DAY ORATOR OMAHA BOOSTERS

Exposition Officials Overlook Arrival of Hawkeye Executive and There is No Reception.

HE PRAISES STATE'S RESOURCES

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 25.—Governor George W. Clarke was the principal speaker today at Iowa Day at the Panama Pacific exposition. The welcome he encountered was hopefully expected to obliterate any impressions he might have received when yesterday he arrived at Oakland, ferried across the bay and hunted up his hotel alone for his immediate party.

It was explained to him that his staff of seventeen colonels, lieutenant colonels and other officers who had arrived the day before, and many high exposition officials had gone to meet him at the wrong time. Two hundred persons at Des Moines were reported "listening in" by telephone while the governor made his address.

Miss Frances Clarke, the governor's daughter, sang "Iowa." A lunch dinner and a reception were features of the program.

Governor's Address.

Governor George W. Clarke, in his address, said that there was nothing idle about the least that the Hawkeye state was the "Garden Spot of the World." He declared the statement had come to be the consensus of opinion of the "competent of all other states who have visited her or come to understand her vast resources." The governor declared that conditions of heat and cold, sunshine and rain, richness and responsiveness of soil throughout the entire extent of Iowa's area are so perfectly balanced as to justify the title.

"Whatever may happen or has happened elsewhere, Iowa never brings anxiety to her people," said the governor. "The products of its fields, frequently lavish, are always abundant. Like charity, Iowa never fails. There is a sense of security and substantially in Iowa."

Billion in Farm Products.
The governor reviewed the history of Iowa's production is now more than twice as much as it was fourteen years ago. "Last year," he said, "it was \$57,143,418, and when the value of live stock is added the 1914 value rises to \$103,984,419. What the state can do agriculturally is shown by its unrivaled exhibits here and the premiums it has taken."

"Iowa's School of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts—and I am only modestly stating an everywhere conceded fact, when I say this school is the greatest of its kind in the world—has been a wonderful help in increasing Iowa farm production and animal husbandry. The state challenges the world on fine cattle. Iowa appreciates this great school and last year there was expended there \$1,219,900. The state believes in an educated citizenship and last year expended on education \$20,296,772."

"The state is not simply agricultural. It would be interesting to tell you of the manufacturing industries. Last year the output of its factories was \$350,000,000. The state from the time the Indians were its only inhabitants and told of the record it had made in citizenship, pointing to those who had filled important roles in the history of the nation."

Auto Makers to Get More Pay.
TOLEDO, O., June 25.—The Willys-Overland Automobile company today announced that the wages of 15,500 employees will be advanced 5 per cent beginning July 15.

NEGRO CONFESSES KILLING 3, ONE IN NEBRASKA, HANGED

Black, Executed in Alabama, Leaves Note Saying Among Victims Was Crawford Deputy Sheriff.

BUT TWO WHITES AMONG THEM

He Grieves Because He Did Not Murder Another to Make the Number Even

INDIAN ONE OF THOSE SLAIN

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 25.—Syd Jones, hanged in the county jail here today, left a note in his cell in which he confessed thirteen murders. Two of his victims, a Mobile and Ohio brakeman and a Nebraska deputy sheriff, were whites. The others were negroes.

Jones named among his victims Thomas Thompson, Charles Bennett and Deputy Sheriff W. S. Mosely of Crawford, Neb.; Shay White, Thomas Shay and Sam Lee, Monterey, Cal.; Pattie Quiroga, a Mexican at Fort Wingate, N. M., and John Littlejohn, an Indian at Sheridan, Wyo. The unnamed railroad brakeman, he said, he killed at Boyd, Ky. "I am sorry I missed getting Richard Moore September 13, 1912," Jones wrote. "Just one more would have made an even number."

Crawford Calls It Myth.
CRAWFORD, Neb., June 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Sidney Jones, the negro hanged at Birmingham, Ala., and who confessed to the murder of Deputy Sheriff W. S. Mosely of Crawford, Neb., is unknown here. George Uhl, one of the oldest settlers of Crawford, having resided here continuously since 1858 on being interviewed regarding the confession of Jones said: "I have known every sheriff and deputy sheriff of Dawson county for the last thirty years and none were killed and no one by the name of Mosely has ever acted in that capacity. The only officer that was killed here to my knowledge was Arthur Moss, deputy sheriff of Crawford, who was killed by Private Reed of the Ninth cavalry about twelve years ago. Reed, who was a colored trooper, was convicted of murder and sentenced to the life imprisonment at Lincoln where he died."

J. R. Mosely, a resident of Crawford for thirty years, disclaims any relationship to W. S. Mosely or knowledge of any such person.

Many of the oldest inhabitants, however, recall several cases of murder where identification was incomplete, but none where any officers of the law was concerned.

Car Bearing the Bell to Be Parked While in Omaha

En route to San Francisco the Liberty Bell will be in Omaha from 5 until 10:30 o'clock the morning of July 5. During its stop in Omaha the car carrying the bell will be parked on a siding alongside of the Wright & Wilhelm building on Jackson, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

In order that children and others may get a good look at the bell approaches will be built alongside the car, the top flush with the floor. Guards will be with the bell constantly. From here the bell will go to Lincoln and thence to Denver.

Hundred Drowned by Collapse of Pier

PETROGRAD, June 25.—(Via London.)—A dispatch received here from Kazan, European Russia, 400 miles east of Moscow, sets forth that upward of 100 people have been lost in the collapse of a river pier at a local pleasure garden. The last steamer returning to the city was to leave the garden at midnight. A crowd of holiday-makers—men, women and children, were forcing their way in the darkness to the boat over the flimsy pier, when the structure collapsed. Virtually everybody was thrown into the water.

Suit Against Oil Man is Frame-Up

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—A \$250,000 damage suit brought by Leon H. Fairchild against Walter P. Shaw, wealthy oil operator of Los Angeles, Cal., came to a sudden close here yesterday after witnesses for Shaw had testified that the suit was a "frame-up" and after Fairchild's attorneys had asked Superior Judge Hunt if it would be unethical for them to withdraw from the case. The judge told them not to do that, but to submit the case without argument. They did so and the jury promptly returned a verdict in favor of the defendant. Mrs. Fairchild killed herself in Los Angeles about two months ago.

Mrs. Annie C. Fleming, a friend of the Fairchilds, testified that they came to her last New Year's evening and Mrs. Fairchild took her aside and told her that a "plot" had been arranged by her husband and herself whereby she was to entice Shaw into her room, where Fairchild was to discover him and threaten to kill him if he did not give him \$20,000.

FOUR EDGAR AUTOISTS MAKE TOUR OF THE EAST

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, June 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Voorhees and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stout of Edgar arrived in Washington yesterday en route to their former home in Trenton, N. J. They motored all the way from Nebraska, making the trip in about six days by way of Chicago. They will remain in the east for a month and then return by auto to their home in the Prairie state via Albany and Buffalo. Mr. Voorhees is president of the Clay County bank of Edgar, his son-in-law, Mr. Stout, being engaged in real estate.

London Times Demands Nation Be Told Truth About the War

LONDON, June 25.—A demand that the nation be "told the truth about the war" is voiced by the Times in an editorial. The paper declares there is no immediate prospect of being able to compel the Germans to withdraw within their own frontiers, that it will take months to provide the British forces with the big guns, high explosives and machine guns which are necessary.

"The country has got to set its teeth," says the Times, "disregard confusing bulletins and face the probability of a prolonged and unprogressive campaign in the west while General von Mackensen's successful march probably had postponed a resumption of the Russian offensive for several months until they also are provided with guns and shells."

BRYAN WILL COME BACK FOR CAMPAIGN

Former Secretary to Take Lively Interest in Senatorial Campaign, Says Tom Allen.

HITCHCOCK TO HAVE BIG FIGHT

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, June 25.—(Special Telegram.)—T. S. ("Brother Tom") Allen of Lincoln, who has been in Washington for a day or more, left this morning for the west. Mr. Allen, while refusing to talk politics to any appreciable extent, intimated that Senator Hitchcock would not have clear sailing for the senatorial nomination next year, notwithstanding present conditions.

"Colonel Bryan will continue a factor in the political life of Nebraska, although out of the cabinet, and I look for him to take the liveliest possible interest in the campaign next year in our state, not as a candidate, but in favor of the principles for which he has stood for the last twenty-five years."

After talks with a number of Nebraska politicians, who have been in attendance upon the arguments that have been going on this week before the Interstate Commerce commission to increase freight rates on western roads, it has been learned that Governor Morehead will make the fight for senators against Senator Hitchcock and that John L. Kennedy, Elmer E. Burkett, ex-Governor Aldrich and possibly Representative Charles Sloan will be in the running for the republican senatorial nomination.

Attorney General Willis Reed has the senatorial bid hanging loudly in his honor and if going into the field will make the race for Senator Norris' seat in 1918. But then 1918 is a long way off and a world of things may happen in the meantime.

Coming for Short Visit.

LINCOLN, June 25.—W. J. Bryan is coming to his Lincoln home early next week for a stay that is expected here to be brief. He wired his brother, Charles W. Bryan, today that he would be here about next Tuesday. The understanding is Mr. Bryan will go from Lincoln direct to San Francisco, where he will arrive in time to celebrate independence day.

Proposal to Name Regent in Turkey Causes Deadlock

PARIS, June 25.—Information has been received from Constantinople, says a Hava dispatch from Athens, that after it became apparent last week that the illness of the sultan was of a serious nature, the royal princes met and decided that Yusuf Isaidid, eldest son of the late sultan, Abdul Hamid, should assume the regency. This proposal was vigorously opposed by the committee on union and progress, resulting in a deadlock, the solution of which has not yet been found.

An operation for the removal of a stone in the bladder has been performed on the sultan by Prof. Israel, the German specialist, who has been at the sultan's bedside for several days, according to a Constantinople dispatch received at London last night by the Reuter Telegram Co.

"Big Hank," Alleged Swindler, is Arrested

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—Henry M. Meyers, alias "Big Hank," who had been sought throughout the country for more than a year, is under arrest here today, charged with having been one of the gang that defrauded Henry Davis out of \$10,000 in San Diego in February, 1914, by what is known as the "pay off" game. The police say he is also wanted in Buffalo, N. Y., where he is accused of having defrauded a victim out of \$2,000. The police say also that Meyers was at one time a member of the famous \$5,000,000 swindle syndicate that operated in many large cities and of which J. C. Mabry was the head.

Fac Simile of the First Resolution First Legislature of Nebraska.

Adopted by the First Legislature of Nebraska.
This is in the handwriting of its author and illustrates an interesting gripping story, telling how A. J. Poppleton came to locate in Omaha a few months after the town was laid out.
See it in The Sunday Bee

RUSSIANS SAY WARSAW LINE STRONG AS EVER

Petrograd Reports Defensive Position So Secure that Germans Cannot Withdraw Troops for Elsewhere.

LULL IN FIGHTING IS GENERAL

Belief Expressed that Teutons Are Preparing to Make Drive Into Russian Poland.

MANY BRITISH OFFICERS DEAD

LONDON, June 25.—Something of a lull in the fighting as compared to the feverish activity of the last fortnight is enabling military observers on both sides to take stock and forecast future operations.

Petrograd claims that the Russian defensive positions are so secure that the Austro-Germans will not be able to withdraw many troops for use against the allies of Russia. The Russians assert, further, that their present line before Warsaw is as strong as it ever was and that their armies on the river Dniester will fall back only if the eastward drives of the Austro-Germans from Lemberg threatens to cut them off.

The authorities of the central empire are less communicative concerning their future intentions and movements, but it is believed that Warsaw again is their objective.

In England the campaign for munitions is in full swing with the possibility of national registration to ascertain the "man power" of the nation. That England appreciates the need of adding to its fighting resources is significantly indicated by the publication in the London Times of tables showing that the casualties of officers during the last month come within a few hundred of the total casualties during the entire South African war. The total in South Africa was 2,732, while the lists since May 25 show that 2,440 officers have been killed or wounded or reported missing.

Italian Official Report.
ROME, June 24 (Via Paris, June 25)—A gradual advance along the Isonzo river, with the occupation of Globna, north of Flavva and the edge of the plateau between Serrado and Montalona are announced in an official statement issued tonight at the headquarters of the Italian general staff. The communication follows:

"In the Tyrol-Trentino region and in Cadore there have been methodical attacks."

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The Day's War News

ACTIVITY ALONG the Italian frontier is still chiefly in artillery engagements, with occasional interludes of infantry activity.

GERMAN OFFICIAL accounts of the fighting along the Dniester agree with the Russian as to the desperation of the struggle which the two armies are still waging in that part of Galicia. The Teutonic version, however, admits retrogression only at one point, stating that superior counter attacks by the Russians at Tarnow had caused a portion of General Linington's troops to be withdrawn toward the Dniester's southern bank.

ELSEWHERE in the southeastern theater of war progress was being made by the officials and, while farther north, although the Germans had evacuated the village of Kopyczyska, which they had recently captured, they had broken through the Russian lines near Stegna and held their footing there.

CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE shows the resumption of supreme activity on the heights of the Meuse, where the French tell of a violent German attack. The German claim is that the operations there were begun by the French and that a trench was retaken from them. The French admit a German advance, but declare the former lines later were re-established. In the Argonne the Germans declare they have gained ground.

PHILADELPHIA, June 25.—Scores of skilled workmen are leaving the employ of the government arsenal at Frankfort to accept positions with private concerns that are supplying orders for munitions of war for the European belligerents.

For the first time in years the arsenal is suffering from a shortage of employees and officials fear the situation may become serious. Twenty men in the machine shop and twenty-five in the fuas department resigned yesterday. A number of others gave up their positions last week and it was said today that nearly every department had been more or less affected. The defections have occurred not only among the workmen, but among officials as well.

The men declare they have been given three-year contracts with the private firms at wages far in excess of those paid by the government. According to officials at the arsenal there is a federal statute which makes it unlawful for private concerns to employ a promise of higher wages to induce an arsenal employ to leave the service of the government and an investigation was said to be under consideration.

Colonel Montgomery, commandant at the arsenal has recommended to the Washington authorities that the men be given a 25 per cent increase in wages.

Great Lake of Wine Burning at Fresno

FRESNO, Cal., June 25.—Surrounded by a great lake of fire, the complete destruction of the buildings of the Barton Vineyard company, one of the largest wineries in the world, located about three miles east of Fresno, was threatened at an early hour today. The main winery and storehouse, together with about 100,000 gallons of wine, already had been destroyed by the fire, which broke out about 10 o'clock last night. The loss thus far is about \$500,000.

The burning wine spread out in a huge lake and ran down ditches surrounding the buildings. Shortly before 2 o'clock today a brisk wind sprang up and scores of men were hurriedly called back to the fire line in an effort to save the remaining buildings.

The government warehouse, containing brandy, the sherry house, containing more than 100,000 gallons of sherry; the distillery and cottages, were the buildings threatened.

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