

## WINS FLOUR FIGHT

### Washington Court Sustains Secretary Wilson's Order.

### STAFFORD REFUSES WRIT.

Upholds Right of Secretary of Agriculture to Give Notice of Prosecution of Millers Using Chemicals in Bleaching Flour—Decision Ends Controversy Unless Some Other Court Interferes.

Washington, May 1.—Secretary Wilson was greatly pleased over a decision of Judge Stafford of the district supreme court upholding him in his recent ruling as to bleached flour.

This ruling was adverse to manufacturers using nitrogen peroxide in bleaching flour and required bleached flour to be labeled.

A company of St. Louis brought action here for a writ of mandamus to compel Secretary Wilson to show cause why he should not refrain from the enforcement of this ruling. Judge Stafford refused to grant the writ and upheld Secretary Wilson in his right to give notice of prosecution of manufacturers persisting in disregarding the ruling and using chemicals in bleaching flour. This probably ends the bleached flour controversy.

### LUMBER DUTY NOT NEEDED

### McCumber Declares Forest Product Should Come in Untaxed.

Washington, May 1.—An extended speech by Senator McCumber favoring free lumber occupied several hours in the senate. His remarks provoked an extended controversy among advocates of a tariff on lumber. McCumber said while he was a thorough protectionist he would not agree to a tariff on products such as coal, iron ore, lumber and oil, that are being exhausted and cannot be replaced. McCumber said that tariff revision this year is universally taken to mean revision downward. He asserted that lumber needed no protection and that no other industry had produced more millionaires for the amount invested than the lumber industry.

Senator Aldrich reported from the committee on finance additional amendments to the tariff bill and the senate adopted a motion made by him that until further notice the senate shall meet at 11 o'clock daily.

### PRESIDENT AT ALEXANDRIA

### Attends Dedication of Park to Memory of Washington.

Alexandria, Va., May 1.—President Taft attended in this city a celebration of the 120th anniversary of the first inauguration of George Washington and the laying of a cornerstone in dedication of a park to the memory of the first president. Vice President Sherman, Speaker Cannon, Governor Swanson of Virginia, a large congressional party from Washington and distinguished guests from a number of states sat in the stand with the president as the notable parade passed in review. Every branch of the United States service and some of the most famous of the military organizations of the old dominion were represented in the imposing array of troops.

President Taft made the journey from Washington and returned in an automobile. On the outskirts of Alexandria he was met by Governor Swanson and a troop of the Fifteenth United States cavalry as an escort.

### Britt Will Probably Recover.

New York, May 1.—Willis Britt, manager for Stanley Ketchel, the middleweight pugilist, who was taken to St. Vincennes hospital suffering from what is believed to have been poison, will in all probability recover. Britt was found unconscious in a doorway. The search of his effects brought to light a bottle of poison tablets.

### Colonel W. T. Shaw Passes Away.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 1.—Colonel W. T. Shaw, an Iowa pioneer and a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, is dead at Anamosa, aged eighty years. He was colonel of the Fourteenth Iowa Infantry in the civil war. Later he was assigned to command a brigade.

### Indian Shoots Man and Woman.

Southampton, L. I., May 1.—After brooding over alleged wrongs, John Hudson, an aged Shinnecock Indian, living on the reservation two miles west of Southampton, shot and killed an Indian woman, Harriet Eleazar, and wounded an Indian, Nelson Bunn.

### Two Suspects Arrested at Spokane.

Spokane, Wash., May 1.—Two suspects, believed by the police to have held up the Northern Pacific train, are in the city jail. They give the names of T. F. Rafferty and J. Hurley. They had but 75 cents in their pockets when arrested.

### Delirious; Leaps to Death.

Hot Springs, Ark., May 1.—While delirious from pneumonia Chester Cole of Hamilton, O., wound his bedsheet around his body and jumped from his room at a local hospital to the ground, sixty feet below.

### Many Michigan Saloons Closed.

Detroit, May 1.—Today 585 saloons and thirteen breweries in nineteen counties, which voted "dry" at the last election, closed their doors.

### PEACE THEIR AIM

### Congress of War's Enemies Assembles in Chicago.

Chicago, May 3.—The second national peace congress, which opened in this city today and will remain in session until Wednesday evening, is wider in scope than the United States. It should be termed an international peace conference, since the representatives of many nations are taking part in its deliberations.

It had been expected that Secretary of War Dickinson would represent the government at the opening of the congress and deliver one of the opening addresses. His trip to Panama inter-



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vened, however, and Secretary of the Interior Ballinger was delegated by President Taft to declare the cordial sentiments of the Washington government toward the congress and its purposes. Among the other Americans interested in the congress are Edward Everett Hale, Archbishop Ireland, Charles W. Elliot, former president of Harvard; President David Starr Jordan of Leland Stanford, Jr., university, Mrs. Philip N. Moore, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead of Boston, Senator Theodore E. Burton, Governor Deneen and Samuel Gomper.

### THIRTEEN TURKS EXECUTED

### Five Are Hanged at Entrance of War Office Building.

Constantinople, May 4.—Thirteen civilians and soldiers, sentenced by the military courts to death for murder, were hanged in different parts of Constantinople at 4 a. m.

Major Youseef, his son and three other men, who killed the Syrian deputy, Emir Mohammed Arstan, in front of the parliament buildings, were executed on the spot where they committed the crime. Five others were hanged at the entrance of the ministry of war and three men at the Stamboul end of the Galata bridge. Among these there is said to be Maurod, editor of the newspaper Nizam. Upon the breast of each criminal had been planned a large placard in Turkish, setting forth the sentence of the court. Around the foot of the gibbets on the bridge the early morning buying of fruits, flowers and vegetables proceeded as usual, while the bodies were in full sight of the great crowds that made their way over the bridge between Stamboul and Galata.

### ROOSEVELT BAGS FOURTH LION

### Report From East African Hunting Camp Says Chase Was Exciting.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 4.—Theodore Roosevelt bagged one more lion at Wami, near Kapiti. This gives him a total of three lions and one lioness on the present expedition. Kermit Roosevelt succeeded in bringing down a cheetah. The hunting was exciting and both marksmen did excellent work.

It is rumored in native sources that the Roosevelt party will arrive at Nairobi, May 15, before proceeding to Sotik.

The lion killed by Mr. Roosevelt was brought down at close range. His quick work with his rifle saved the lives of some of his mounted escort, who had narrow escapes from the infuriated beast. The accuracy of Mr. Roosevelt's marksmanship is a matter of astonishment.

### RIOTS IN BAKERS' STRIKE

### Two Men Taken to Hospitals and Ten Men Placed Under Arrest.

New York, May 4.—Two men were in Gouverneur hospital and ten were under arrest as a result of disorders arising out of the strike among the bakers on the east side. Schולם Rubenstein entered Michael Novak's restaurant and wine cellar and when he found a loaf of bread without the union label he attacked the proprietor. Novak's wife threw a bowl of sugar at Rubenstein, fracturing his skull. An attack by nine men was made on a bakery kept by Nathan Fryer and Samuel Broklow. Both were badly injured. Broklow being taken to the hospital. Their assaults were locked up.

### Popcorn Wagon Explodes.

Waterloo, Ia., May 4.—The gasoline tank of a popcorn wagon, operated by O. H. Green, exploded, injuring Green and wrecking all the windows in the First National bank and in nearby buildings.

### Castro Quits Paris for Spain.

Paris, 4.—Cipriano Castro left Paris suddenly for Santander, Spain, where he will await the arrival of his wife, who is returning from the West Indies.

## M'PHERSON PROBE

### Missouri Member Makes Serious Charges Against Judge.

### PHILLIPS IS ALSO INVOLVED.

### Representative Murphy Introduces Resolution Asking Investigation of Two Jurists—Conduct in Litigation Between State and Roads Over Maximum Freight Law and Two-Cent Passenger Fare.

Washington, May 4.—Making serious charges against Federal Judges John F. Phillips and Smith McPherson of the western district of Missouri, Representative Murphy of that state introduced a resolution to investigate their conduct in the litigation between the state and the railroad companies over the maximum freight law and the Missouri 2-cent passenger rate law.

The preamble of the Murphy resolution claims that the two judges accompanied certain railroad attorneys on a fishing trip, on which occasion members of the party were arrested for violating the game laws of the state.

The resolution recites the various phases of the litigation, including a statement that the railroad companies agree to establish certain rates within the state of Missouri in violation of the state anti-trust law. It is stated that the two judges rendered certain decisions which, in effect, usurped the legislative powers of the legislature.

### MEN OF SCIENCE CONVENE

### Mechanical Engineers Begin Their Annual Convention in Washington.

Washington, May 4.—The American Society of Mechanical Engineers, embracing in its membership 3,455 of America's scientific men, began its annual spring meeting in this city today.

More than 300 engineers are in attendance at the meeting. During the convention, which will last four days, President Taft will hold a reception for the members at the White House. The war department will give a special exhibition drill at Fort Myer. At the same time, if the conditions are favorable, an ascension of a dirigible balloon will be made.

An address will be delivered by Rear Admiral Melville, retired, past president of the society and former engineer in chief of the navy, the subject being "The Engineer in the Navy," and F. H. Newell, director of the reclamation service, will deliver an illustrated address on "Homemaking in the Arid Regions."

### FAMOUS HOG CASE DECIDED

### Judge McPherson Ordered to Remand Winn Suit to State Courts.

Washington, May 4.—The supreme court handed down a decision in the case of Winn vs. the American Express company and ordered a writ of mandamus to issue directing Judge Smith McPherson to remand the case to the state courts. This is a victory for Winn. This is the famous case involving damages for the loss of a prize hog said to be worth \$8,000. It was the contention of the plaintiff that the case should be tried in the state courts. The American Express company got it removed to the federal court and Judge McPherson tried it. Now the supreme court holds that it is a state case.

### CONFER ON LIBEL SUIT

### World and News Publications Are Discussed.

Washington, May 4.—The federal government's prosecution of the proprietors of the New York World and the Indianapolis News for alleged libelous publications in connection with the purchase by the United States of the Panama canal was the subject of a conference at the department of justice. The participants were Attorney General Wickersham, United States District Attorney Baker and Assistant United States District Attorney McNamara, who has just returned from Indianapolis, where the proprietors of the News were arraigned Saturday.

### Union Society of Civil War.

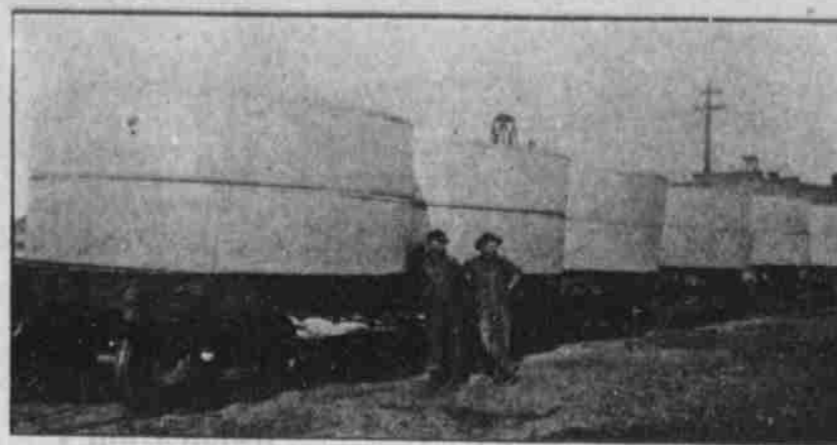
New York, May 4.—The Union Society of the Civil War was incorporated. Its objects are: To perpetuate the memory of those loyal officials who, outside the military and naval service of the United States, rendered invaluable aid and assistance to the national government and the union cause during the civil war; to encourage historical research in relation to the officials of the war, as well as documents; to foster true patriotism, and to maintain the institutions of American freedom.

### Straus and Rockhill Envoys.

Washington, May 4.—Oscar S. Straus, former secretary of commerce and labor, has been selected for ambassador to Turkey, and W. W. Rockhill was formerly assistant secretary of state and later minister to China.

### Railroads Liable for Mental Anguish.

Little Rock, Ark., May 4.—The house passed a bill providing that railroads shall be liable for damages for mental anguish, even in the absence of physical injury. The state now has a mental anguish law affecting telegraph companies.



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