

SIMPLICITY DOESN'T APPEAL TO ARIZONA

Phoenix Plans Big Celebration in Spite of Governor's Jeffersonian Wishes.

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 12.—A conflict has developed between George W. P. Hunt, Arizona's first state governor and the various Phoenix committees...

MILWAUKEE ROAD HAS GRAFT CHARGE AGAINST OFFICERS

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MILLIONAIRE FOR A MONTH HIS LATEST

McDevitt Running for Congress But Willing to Sell Out For Another Trip.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 12.—John Jay McDevitt, who went broke while playing "millionaire for a day," has announced that he is in the race as a candidate for the democratic nomination...

REBEL FLEET IS SEEN OFF A CHINESE TOWN

Imperial Troops At Shan Hai Kwan Will Resist Landing of Insurgents.

London, Feb. 12.—A fleet of revolutionaries was sighted off the port of Shan Hai Kwan, situated on the railroad line from Peking, this morning, according to a news agency dispatch received here from Tien Tsin.

At the Russian concession in Shan Hai Kwan, extraordinary preparations have been taken. The approach of the railway station has been placed under the protection of strong patrols.

TREASURE HUNT ENDS IN A DOUBLE TRAGEDY

New Mexican Ranchman Acknowledges He Killed Kimmel and Clears Mystery.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 12.—John B. Swinney, a New Mexican rancher, testified in the Kimmel mystery case in the United States district court today that he killed the man who shot George A. Kimmel dead in a forest in Oregon August 14, 1898, two weeks after Kimmel disappeared.

Kimmel in company with the late Robert M. Snyder, of Kansas City, a man named Johnson and Swinney, according to Swinney's testimony, left Kansas City the night of Kimmel's disappearance for Coos Bay, Ore., to search for a buried treasure of \$40,000 in gold.

After finding \$4,000 of the treasure, according to Swinney, Johnson and Kimmel quarreled in the woods, Johnson shot Kimmel, Swinney, in turn shot and killed Johnson, and Swinney and Snyder buried the bodies of Johnson and Kimmel in the same grave, covered it with leaves, and quietly slipped away.

Swinney testified that Snyder took Kimmel's effects and intended to send them to his mother, but that Snyder was afraid to do so.

PROSECUTOR TRYING TO SECURE PARDON

District Attorney Aids Man Who Took Prison Term Rather Than Involve Woman.

New York, Feb. 12.—District Attorney Whitman took a hand today in the case of Folke E. Brandt, the former valet to Mortimer L. Schiff, who is serving a 30-year sentence in state's prison for burglary, by preparing evidence to be submitted to the grand jury.

The grand jury will investigate the case, Mr. Whitman said, with a view to determining if grounds exist for indictments charging conspiracy and subornation of perjury.

In addition, Brandt's case is before two courts. The issuance of a writ of habeas corpus yesterday by Justice Gerard will bring the prisoner before the supreme court here next Tuesday morning.

Brandt has already served five years of his term, and it is said that he pleaded guilty in order to save a woman in Schiff's household the embarrassment of appearing in court.

GRANITE STONE INSCRIBED "HE WAS FRIEND OF POOR"

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 12.—Relative of the late General Weaver today requested the proposed movement to erect a monument for General Weaver by general subscription be dropped.

News Brevities

NEW YORK—Mrs. Hettie Green, known as the richest woman in the world, attempted to extort money from William Raubold Hearst, according to C. M. Bovee, attorney for the editor, who obtained an order in court directing Mrs. Green to appear and show cause yesterday why she should not be compelled to accept \$275,000 with interest up till last Monday...

WASHINGTON—Intervention in Mexico by the United States is not intended by any mobilization of troops that might be made again along the southern border.

NEW YORK—Charles W. Morse, bank wrecker and pardoned federal convict, came back last night to the scene of his former triumph and his conviction, crumpled up in a wheel chair, silent and impassive as a lay figure.

EMPORIA, KAN.—Kansas barbers must name the same bowl in serving hair than their customers, or they must not let the Kansas state board of health catch them economizing in that way.

PALATKA, FLA.—The republican state convention split into two factions soon after being called to order here yesterday, one body going to another hall, where delegates to the national convention were instructed to vote for the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for president.

NEW YORK—The 100th anniversary of the birth of Charles DeGaulle, celebrated here last night with a banquet at which more than 500 persons, prominent in the literary, professional and social life of New York city were present.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—That the Minnesota Progressive party will stand by Senator Robert M. La Follette in his race for the presidential nomination on the republican ticket was made known last night by a telegram was sent to Mr. La Follette, congratulating him on his election to the senate in Minnesota.

NEW YORK—The mystery surrounding the murder of Helen Taylor, killed by the explosion of a bomb in her apartment last Saturday night, grew deeper with the disclosure that the package containing the infernal machine apparently was sent by mail in advance of the day ideas being portrayed in autogenic terms.

COLUMBIA, MO.—Judge John D. Lawson will be dean of the school of law at the University of Missouri at the close of the school season in June, according to announcement by Ross Hill, president of the university.

WASHINGTON—Public hearings in the second senatorial inquiry into the election of general primer were declared closed yesterday by Chairman Dillingham, of the Senate Lorimer committee.

COLUMBUS, OHIO—One convict was shot and seriously wounded and another probably wounded as a result of a break for liberty which was made by the two from the Ohio penitentiary late yesterday.

WASHINGTON—A reduction of the cavalry force of the United States army from 15 to 10 regiments, with a subsequent reduction of the enlisted force of the army by 3,880 men, was voted into the army appropriation bill in the House late yesterday after a bitter fight.

NEW YORK—"John Doe" proceedings to determine whether a "butter and egg trust" exists in this city will be started before a magistrate here next Tuesday by District Attorney Whitman.

TOUCH OF DRAMA IN LABOR HEARING

Washington, Feb. 12.—John Mitchell's trial for contempt of court, in which he was involved with Samuel Gompers and Frank Morrison, officials of the American Federation of Labor in connection with the Buck stove and range boycott case, took on a dramatic touch at the hearing today.

Mr. Mitchell had seemed to be criticizing Justice Wright, before whom he is on trial, and the justice displayed some impatience with his critic.

Mr. Mitchell "at the time I was summoned to Washington to appear before this court I faced a long term in prison. It was on the day before Christmas eve. I was living in New York. I had not seen my family and children, who were in Illinois, for two months.

"I had bought and packed in my grip, toys and gifts for my children. I was summoned to Washington to receive my sentence. I asked that the decision be postponed. It was not. I was brought here and sentenced.

"No request was conveyed to the court," replied the justice. "It came as a demand. There was an atmosphere of antagonism about it. It was a demand from the vice president of the American Federation of Labor for a postponement. I did not think he had any more right to demand it than any other man.

DYNASTY TO QUIT WITHIN A MONTH

Shanghai, China, Feb. 12.—Tang Shao Yi, the representative of Yuan Shai Kai, today declared that he was confident that the abdication of the throne would be an accomplished fact before February 18.

There appears to be less confidence now than hitherto has been that Yuan Shi Kai will be selected for the presidency of the republic.

Mukden, Manchuria, Feb. 12.—The city of Kaiping province in China was subdued here today by the revolutionary troops. According to the latest reports the town is in flames.

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COLDEST JANUARY IN ALL CHICAGO HISTORY

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Gustave Meltzer, a printer, was found frozen to death on a sidewalk here today. The temperature here has hung around the zero mark during the last 24 hours, but, according to the weather bureau, warmer weather is due.

STATE BANK STATEMENT.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 12.—The state auditor today issued calls for a statement from Iowa banks, showing the condition on February 7.

WASHINGTON—Uncooked fruits and vegetables served in restaurants and the homes of millions are likely to be carrying agents of typhoid fever.

WOMAN HEIRESS OF HAWLEY IS CONVICT

Her Husband Was Magnate's Nephew and Will Get \$2,000,000 From Estate.

New York, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Frederick Crandell, nee McManus, came over to New York today from Blackwell's island and learned for the first time that her husband was an heir to the late Edwin Hawley and a prospective millionaire.

Since January 20 last she has been an inmate of the work house, sentenced there for "disorderly conduct and miscellaneous mischief," the outcome of a tenement house row. The children of the pair have been at Chatham, N. Y., awaiting their mother's release, and it understood that she will join them there.

Young Crandell once was one of the late railroad millionaire's favorite nephews, but they quarreled in 1896 when Mr. Hawley learned of Crandell's attentions to Miss McManus, then a telegraph operator in the offices of the Southern Pacific railway.

Since Hawley died intestate, Crandell will receive a share of the estate amounting, it is said, to more than \$2,000,000.

WHITE MATE FOR BLACK CHAMPION; WEDS IN SECRET

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 12.—Looking over the old dockets, the clerks of the marriage license office have discovered that John A. Johnson, better known as "Jack" Johnson, champion heavyweight fighter, received a marriage license on January 18, 1911, and that no return slip has been returned to the office.

Efforts to communicate with Johnson, it is said, have proven fruitless. A letter addressed to him has been returned from Chicago. The license was issued to Johnson and Etta H. Duryea, white, who gave her residence as Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—"Jack" Johnson, champion pugilist, confirmed the report that he had obtained a marriage license in Pittsburgh and said further that he had married Etta H. Duryea in Pittsburgh shortly thereafter.

She had been divorced a year before, Mrs. Duryea started the suit herself. I know nothing about her former husband, never having seen him, so far as I know. All I know is that she is my wife and who she was before that concerns no one but me."

JUDGE ENTERS ORDER FOR MINNESOTA DITCH

Luverne, Minn., Feb. 12.—At a special term of the district court just closed here Hon. L. S. Nelson made his final order granting the petition for the construction of a ditch, including the big marsh in Rose Dell township, this county.

Changes in business seem to have been the order of the day here for the week just ending. In addition to the change in the Luverne Mercantile company, the City feed store was sold by F. P. Jones, the old proprietor, to John Cameron, the popular grocerman.

TROOPS ARE ORDERED TO MEXICAN BORDER

Washington, Feb. 12.—A battalion of the Eighteenth infantry has been ordered from Whipple barracks, Ariz., to El Paso, Tex. The situation at Juarez, opposite El Paso, is reported to be ugly, the insurgents being much disturbed over the threatened entry of Madero troops into that place by way of a Mexican territory.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 12.—Mrs. John Franks, wife of a wealthy retired farmer of Cass county, has been granted a divorce and \$10,000.

Washington, Feb. 12.—By a vote of seven to five, the Senate committee on privileges and elections today approved the report of the sub-committee, exonerating Senator Stephenson from charges of corruption in connection with his election.

FOUNDLING RISES TO CLAIM ESTATE OF NOTED WOMAN

Greenwich, Conn., Feb. 12.—Rumor that the will of Mrs. Henry L. Cammann, who died last month, leaving an estate of \$287,187.09 to her husband, was to be contested and that there would be sensational developments was confirmed with the filing of an appeal and a bond in the Greenwich probate court by Mrs. Frank McGinness, wife of a chauffeur, who asserts she is the daughter and natural heir of Mrs. Cammann.

Mrs. Cammann was one of the most prominent women in Greenwich. Her husband is connected with the importing firm of Henry W. T. Mall, at No. 73 Fifth avenue, New York. As far as was known here, they were childless. The Cammann residence is on the exact spot where "Old Put" started his historic ride down the stone steps in the days of the revolution. The place is the pride of Greenwich.

Mrs. Cammann was the daughter of the late William Churchill, prominent in New York half a century ago. She was the first woman to take up modern farming here, where she ran the Northbrook farm, now the estate of J. H. Flagler, as a dairy. She was married to Mr. Cammann in 1890. No children were born to them so far as can be learned.

Those who know Mrs. McGinness always believed she was a foundling, without known parentage hereabouts. As far as Greenwich people knew generally she was cared for when an infant by a Mrs. Studwell, who was recompensed for her services. The child went by the name of Anita Smith.

It is also understood that she wrote to Mrs. Cammann asking for information as to the truth of the suspicions and seeking aid. Mrs. Cammann was known for her charity and it was believed she might render assistance. What the result of this was is not known.

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He said there would be no compromise and that Mr. Cammann would spend his last cent to uphold his wife's honor. They had made their home here for several years.

NEBRASKA SUPREME COURT

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—The supreme court held today opinions today on the following cases: Meury vs. Hinrichs on rehearing, former opinion modified; Judgment of affirmation adhered to.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—While friends of John Petro, the wealthy Greek, insist that he is not serving in the Greek army, it is asserted with equal positiveness by other Greeks that he is. Petro went to Greece last November for the purpose of visiting his old home at Athens.

WEALTHY GREEK FORCED INTO SERVICE ON VISIT TO ATHENS

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MOTHERS' CONGRESS.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—Announcement was made today by Mrs. Frederic Schoff, president of the National Congress of Mothers, that the executive committee of the organization has selected St. Louis as the place for holding the next congress. The meeting will open on March 29 and close March 31.

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