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now it has all passed away. Apparently not even Brookhart could use his stuff.

Pressed on by a desire to vindicate a foolish utterance, no doubt he paid out many thousands to those who told him tales as tall as the one to which he gave publicity.

It was great while it lasted. Senator Walsh, reporting for the majority of the oil investigating committee, finds that neither Secretary Denby nor Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the Navy department was culpable in any degree in connection with the Teapot Dome lease.

Insofar as the Walsh investigation dealt with direct evidence, such as the Fall connection with the lease, the efforts of Harry Sinclair to clear up the title to the Teapot Dome by buying off rivals, however shadowy their claims, its work was proper, and its report is proper.

Senator Spencer, speaking for the minority of the committee, criticizes the report, charges that it is filled with mistakes as to facts and glaring errors as to law. He charged, too, that the minority was not given an adequate opportunity, even to see the report before it was submitted to the senate, to say nothing of being requested to help in its drafting.

When senators are running for office or otherwise advancing their political interests, it is of course proper for them to strive to get their names into the front page headlines of the newspapers.

"We beg your pardon, madam," said Alkali Ike to the newly-made widow, "the joke is on us. We have lynched the wrong man."

Governor Jack Walton is finally down and out, so far as the courts are concerned. And he long ago broke his plate with Oklahoma voters. That big barbecue was given in vain.

When you used to complain about waiting their turn in the barber shop are getting shaved twice a day now that so many handsome women are sitting around waiting their turn.

June is also the month of rains, as well as of brides and roses.

Express rates are to come down. Now the freight schedule has a good example.

The Most Noticeable Thing About the Cleveland Convention Is the Apparent Elimination of a Lot of Old Familiar Faces From the Cast



No Money for the Bonus

He stood at Armageddon and battled for the right. Senator Pittman, democrat of Nevada, wants what he wants when he wants it—aye, though all the world crack.

It was the last hours of the dying senate. Pittman was on guard. The appropriation bill was coming to a vote. Somewhere in that bill was an item for \$800,000 to establish an irrigation project at Spanish Springs, Nev.

What mattered all these things to Pittman, democrat of Nevada—his \$800,000 had been cut out. Until it was put back he would hold though the whole senate took arms against him.

Experts say an extra session may be necessary to pass the appropriation bill if there are to be any bonus payments—if the departments are to be given their funds.

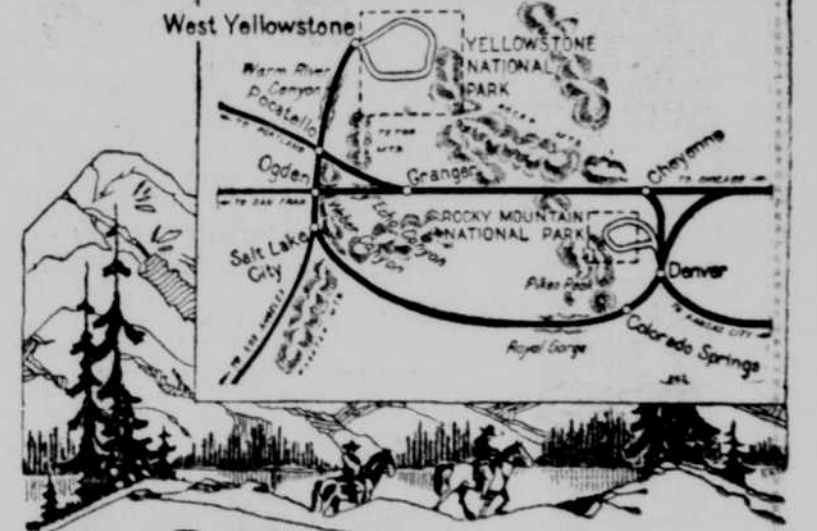
Advertisement for Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Includes a table of 'SUMMER FARES EAST' with destinations like Asheville, Atlanta, and Denver. Also features 'NET AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION' for May 1924 and contact information for V. A. Bridge, Ctr. Mgr.

SUNNY SIDE UP

Take Comfort, nor forget That sunrise never failed us yet. A poem by Will M. Maupin. 'NO JUSTICE! These women sure do puzzle me...'

STILL PRAISING TANLAC AFTER SEVEN YEARS

'It Brought Me Relief 7 Years Ago and I'm Still A Well Man' Says Eley. 'The best of results, lasting results, that is what I got from Tanlac...'



Yellowstone Salt Lake City Colorado

Advertisement for Union Pacific Railroad. Promotes 'All for the Lowest Round-Trip Fare to Yellowstone Alone'. Includes details about fares, motor tours, and escorted tours. Contact information for W. E. Bock, G. A. P. Dept.

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WHAT SHALL BE THE PUNISHMENT?

Murder being one of the few crimes for which the extreme penalty is exacted in the United States, a murder trial always attracts great attention.

Why, it is asked, is a trial necessary after they have confessed the crime? Why not accept their admissions as a plea of guilty and proceed to sentence them according to law?

The theory of our law, especially in criminal cases, is that guilt must be proved beyond the shadow of a doubt. A judge invariably instructs the jury that if any doubt exists, it must be resolved in favor of the accused.

In any criminal case the attorney for the defense is an officer of the court, as much as the attorney for the state, and has a solemn duty to society that is unescapable.

Juries have been known to bring in some remarkable verdicts. In the trial of Pat Crowe, a few years ago, a Douglas county jury disregarded the written confession of the accused, and returned a verdict of not guilty.

We may expect, then, that the attorneys employed to defend the two boys in the Cook county court will go as far as the law will let them to secure their acquittal.

The public is interested in the one question: What shall be their punishment? The whole purpose of the trial will be to determine this point.

It is to be hoped that Mr. Vanderlip will issue a statement. The people are entitled to know why he has given over so promising an enterprise. Press dispatches give an inkling.

Reformers of many and diverse types poured in on the Vanderlip bureau. It is reported, "They had grand schemes for purging and purifying the government. But first of all they wanted to connect with the payroll. A great many of them succeeded in that important phase of their ambitions."

There is much of such gossip in the gutters of Washington and no doubt, he swept clean many of those gutters and some of the sewers during his short and hectic career as a super-reformer. And

When we are dead and gone, Though great the parts we played, The world will still go on, As though we might have staid, And flung our challenge out, And held our word as law, And walked like kings about, And sanctioned all we saw.