

SUFFRAGISTS IN LONDON PARADE

Forty to Sixty Thousand Women in a Procession that is Five Miles Long.

MILITANT AND NONMILITANT
All Questions of Caste Are Thrown to the Winds.

MANY CHARACTERS PORTRAYED
Females Garbed as Queens and Scrub Women Rub Shoulders.

LANCES AND BANNERS IN LINE
Described as the Greatest Demonstration in Support of Woman Suffrage that the World Has Ever Seen.

LONDON, June 17.—The procession of suffragists which traversed the streets of London this evening, prior to the meeting at Albert hall, was probably the largest ever witnessed in the city. It was a "great" procession of women in support of the suffrage movement the world has ever seen.

From 1900 to 1909 women, according to the various estimates, marched in the Victoria procession, which started at the Victoria memorial, which leads east from Westminster bridge, and proceeded along the coronation route to Kensington.

Militant and non-militant suffragettes combined in this occasion; all questions of caste were put aside, and women, or those garbed to represent such characters as the "Queen of Sheba," Catherine of Aragon, Mary, Queen of Scots, and Queen Victoria, rubbed shoulders with fellow workers in the suffrage cause from the sweat shops of Whitechapel.

Hundreds of historic characters from the early days down to famous Victorians like Charlotte Bronte, Grace Darling, Jenny Lind and Mrs. Browning were portrayed.

Seven hundred women who had been imprisoned for the cause formed a striking feature of the procession. They carried lances with banners and the suffragette colors. There were many Americans in the ranks. Miss Inez Mulholland led at the head of the brigade. Gertrude Elliott, the American actress, was another parader.

Miss Bryce, a daughter of John A. Bryce, a member of the House of Commons and a niece of the British ambassador at Washington, was at the head of one contingent. Other prominent women included Annie Besant, president of the Theosophical society; Sarah Grand, the novelist; Princess Dhuip Singh, Mrs. William G. Cavendish Bentinck, Lady Frances Balfour, sister-in-law of the unionist leader; Mrs. Millicent G. Fawcett, Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and Miss Sylvia Pankhurst.

One brigade was made up of women in highland costumes, who played a stirring march, while scores of bands led different contingents.

MORMON BAPTISM AT SEA

Holiday Makers at Sunderland, England, See Two Young Women Immersed.

LONDON, June 17.—(Special Telegram.) Thousands of holiday makers on Roker beach, Sunderland, witnessed a Mormon baptism at sea.

After addressing a great crowd, the Mormon missionary, who wore neither coat nor vest, suddenly walked into the sea, leading by the hand two pretty young women, attired in white summer costumes. When the water was on a level with their shoulders, they slipped and the missionary made a number of gestures, put his arms around the waists of the damsels and immersed them. The dripping trio then marched back to the beach, singing joyful hallelujahs.

Before he left the Mormon addressed a few words to the crowd on the virtues of baptism.

ROBINSON BEHIND THE BARS

Two Years in Minnesota Penitentiary for Fraudulent Use of the Mail.

ST. PAUL, June 17.—Tonight Herbert F. Robinson will be behind the bars of the Minnesota penitentiary to begin serving a sentence of two years for fraudulent use of the mails, in connection with a brokerage business.

Robinson was sentenced by Judge Page Morris in the United States district court at Minneapolis, three years ago, but while out on \$10,000 bail, fled. He was brought to St. Paul today from Montreal in charge of special agents of the Department of Justice.

STEAMSHIP STEWARDS QUIT

Men in Marine Department of Southern Pacific Threaten to Take Seamen and Stokers Along.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Fifty stewards of the steamship Mornu, plying between New York and New Orleans, to the marine department of the Southern Pacific railroad, struck today. They said they would take forty others with them and that 190 seamen, stokers and coal passers would follow. The men quit work without disorder.

The Weather

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.

Hour.	Temp.	Deg.
5 A. M.	66	
6 A. M.	67	
7 A. M.	68	
8 A. M.	69	
9 A. M.	70	
10 A. M.	71	
11 A. M.	72	
12 M.	73	
1 P. M.	74	
2 P. M.	75	
3 P. M.	76	
4 P. M.	77	
5 P. M.	78	
6 P. M.	79	
7 P. M.	80	

Comparative Local Record.

1911. 1910. 1909. 1908.

Highest yesterday..... 77 81 78 74

Lowest yesterday..... 55 56 54 53

Mean temperature..... 71 70 71 70

Precipitation..... 7.00 .01

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal.

Normal temperature..... 72

Deficiency for the day..... 1

Total excess since March 1..... 500

Normal precipitation..... 31.1 inch

Excess for the day..... 4.12 inch

Precipitation since March 1..... 7.00 inches

Deficiency since March 1..... 4.12 inches

Deficiency for the period in 1911..... 4.12 inches

Deficiency for the period in 1910..... 4.12 inches

Deficiency for the period in 1909..... 4.12 inches

Deficiency for the period in 1908..... 4.12 inches

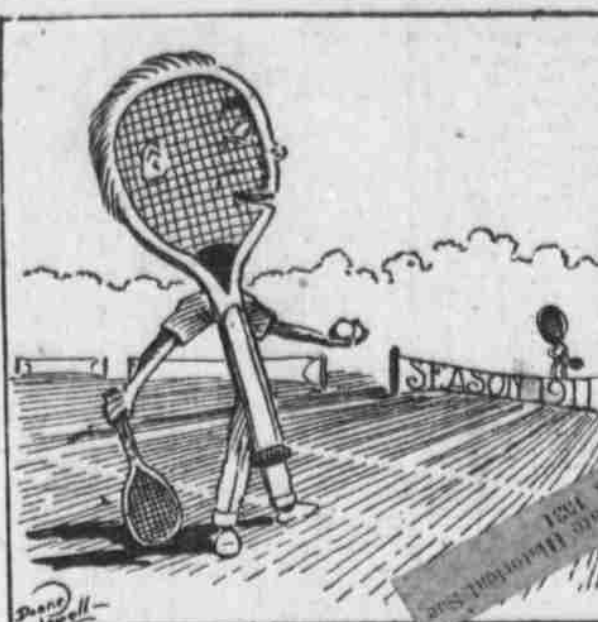
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

THE OMAHA SUNDAY BEE.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Nebraska—Generally fair.
For Iowa—Generally fair.

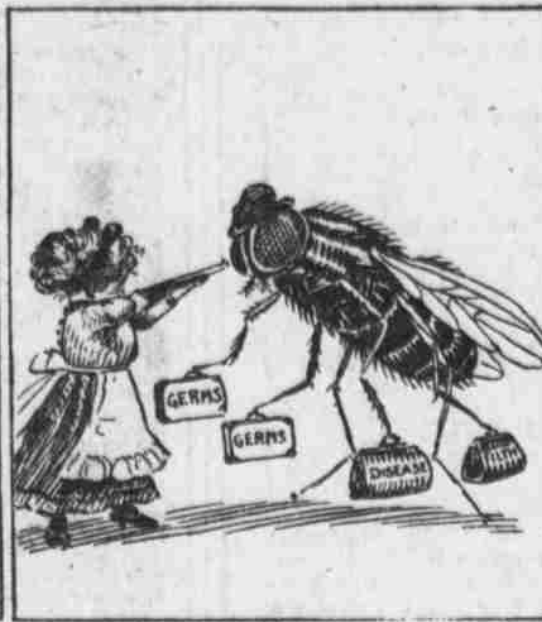
Coming and Going in Omaha



READY?



BOOK-LOVERS' CONTEST ENDS



GREETINGS



PICNIC GROUNDS

GENERAL DIAZ FEELS GRIEVED

Former President of Mexico Gives Out a Statement.

OLD MAN PHYSICALLY ENFEEBLED
Forgetting the Merits of His Administration, People Allowed Themselves to Be Dragged Into a Revolutionary Move.

CORUNNA, Spain, June 17.—Physically enfeebled and sick at heart, General Porfirio Diaz, an exile from the republic of which he was the chief ruler, at last has yielded to an impulse of self-defense. In a formal statement he justified his administration as president of Mexico and reproached his countrymen for what he described as their ingratitude.

The expression, the first of a personal nature since he was forced from office, was made on board the steamer Ypiranga during the brief stop in this harbor last night. Diaz had received the governor of Corunna and the commandant of the port, who, with their staffs, had boarded the vessel at the direction of the government to present the greetings of Spain and the Mexican consul.

When Diaz was approached by newspaper reporters, at first he asked to be excused, pleading indisposition, and explaining that though the troublesome tooth had been extracted, he still suffered from an abscess of the lower jaw. However, after some discussion with his party, the following statement was given to the Fraternidad Agencia, the official press association of Spain:

"General Diaz is saddened by the recent events in Mexico and the ingratitude of his countrymen.
"He voluntarily sacrificed his ambition in the hope of obtaining tranquility for the nation, foreseeing that if he continued to defend his cause he might afford a pretext for intervention."
"The bitterness and deep disappointment which he felt was mitigated by the warmth of the manifestation of sympathy on his departure from Vera Cruz."

"Much has been said about a military dictatorship, but can one thus define a regime which rested on an army reduced to 14,000 men?"
"General Diaz, when he assumed power, had to deal with conditions requiring energy, but afterwards the nation ripened and was more able to direct itself constitutionally. General Diaz's later policies were a revolutionary movement."

"During the night the Ypiranga departed for Santander and Havre. According to the present plans Diaz will land at Havre and go with his family to Switzerland."

King and Queen Are Now Back in London

Coronation Festivities Now in Full Swing and Are to Continue Until July.

LONDON, June 17.—The coronation festivities were fully inaugurated with the return today of the king and queen to Buckingham Palace from Windsor, and the functions connected with the central event of next Thursday will crowd upon one another until July 1, when the court will again leave London. Semi-private marked the arrival of the king and queen at the station, the procession from Farringdon station to Buckingham palace consisting of landaus drawn by four bays with postillions and escorted by the Royal Horse Guards.

Large crowds everywhere welcomed the king and queen, and the king's cheering party, John Hays Hammond, special ambassador from the United States, will make his official entry into the city Monday noon, arriving from the country, where he is spending the week end.

No More Men Are Wanted for Harvest

Director Harris Warns Men Not to Come to Kansas Looking for Work.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 17.—Charles Harris, director of the state free employment bureau, has issued a warning today to men who are planning to come to Kansas to work in the harvest fields.

Mr. Harris says the demand has been met, and that hundreds of men for whom there is no work are flocking to the state.

RAILROADS GET AN INJUNCTION

Fifty Companies in Ohio Court in Effort to Prevent Car Demurrage Order.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—Judge E. B. Dillon of the common pleas court today granted the temporary injunction asked for by fifty railroads of the state, preventing the State Railroad commission from enforcing its recently promulgated order concerning car demurrage and making them apply to interstate as well as state business.

WITNESSES TO BE SUMMONED

Entire Illinois Legislature to Appear in Lorimer Investigation.

TO HEAR MCCORMICK AND YATES
Information to Be Sought Relative to Collection and Disposition of Hundred Thousand-Dollar Bush Fund.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The Lorimer investigating committee of the senate today practically decided to summon nearly every member of the Illinois legislature who elected Senator Lorimer.

Cyrus H. McCormick, president of the International Harvester company, and former Governor Richard Yates of Illinois, will be heard by the committee Tuesday. Mr. McCormick will be questioned as to his knowledge of the collection and disposition of the \$100,000 fund, alleged to have been used in procuring the election of Mr. Lorimer. Mr. Yates will be interrogated concerning his knowledge of the so-called "jackpot" fund in the Illinois legislature.

The decision to summon witnesses practically all the Illinois legislature indicates the committee proposes to examine every one having the slightest knowledge of the facts surrounding the election of Mr. Lorimer.

Burns and Hossick Are Both Indicted

Indianapolis Grand Jury Returns True Bills in McNamara Kidnapping Case.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 17.—Detective W. J. Burns and James Hossick, a detective of Los Angeles, were indicted on charges of kidnapping John J. McNamara, secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers from this city, and McNamara was indicted on charges of conspiracy to dynamite by the Marion county grand jury today.

In all the grand jury returned eight indictments, but named only the three men in the charges. Three of the indictments are against McNamara, who is in jail in Los Angeles, where he was taken after being arrested in this city April 22. One indictment charges him with conspiracy to dynamite industrial work on the Peoria & Pekin Union railroad at Peoria, Ill., and the other two are said to be for storing dynamite in this city.

The other five indictments are against Detective Burns, who is under \$10,000 bail to the local grand jury, and Detective Hossick of Los Angeles, who has not been arrested.

Governor Marshall, who honored the request for McNamara, "acted clearly within the law and did in the premises what he should have done," according to the grand jury's report.

Fatal Shooting on Oregon Short Line

Idaho Sheriff Fatally Wounded and Conductor Killed by an Unknown Man.

SALT LAKE CITY, June 17.—An Idaho county sheriff, whose name has not yet been learned, was shot and fatally wounded today and Conductor Kidd was shot and killed on a southbound Oregon Short Line train at Spencer, Idaho, by an unknown man. Only meager particulars have been received here of the tragedy.

The sheriff, who was taken to High Bridge and arrested two men. When the train reached Spencer, the sheriff put his prisoners in the smoking car and began to search them. He took two pistols from one of them and while he was reaching out for handcuffs, one of the men grabbed the pistol and shot the sheriff through the abdomen. The conductor seized the man, who turned the pistol on the conductor and killed him.

The prisoners then pulled the bell cord and when the train stopped sufficiently, jumped off and fled. A posse is in pursuit.

Conduct of Burdge Keeps Him from Bar

State Bar Commission Sustains Findings of Douglas Bar Committee in His Case.

Charles C. Burdge, collection agent, will be denied the privilege of practicing law in Nebraska, according to the State Bar commission's findings Saturday on testimony against the character of Burdge. Charges against him were filed by Harison H. Brown, an Omaha attorney, and a committee from the Douglas County Bar association confirmed him. Burdge's petition for admission to the bar will be reported upon adversely to the supreme court, according to the findings of the commission. Burdge was accused of lack of preparation and other faults, and the commission found that he had kept high swimmers from the court of P. C. Caldwell, South Omaha, justice of the peace, and had sent them out to frighten creditors into paying debts.

ROBBERS LOOT THE MAIL CAR

Shasta Limited on Southern Pacific is Held Up.

QUICK WORK AND NO SHOT FIRED
Sacks of Letters Cut Open and Contents Ransacked, After Which Men Disappeared Down Streets of Yoncalla.

DRAIN, Ore., June 17.—The south bound Shasta limited train on the Southern Pacific, which left Portland at 4 o'clock last night was held up and the mail car robbed by two highwaymen at 11:15 p. m., between Drain and Yoncalla. The robbers entered the car, held up the clerks and looted the mail. They stopped the train at Yoncalla and made their escape. Posses are searching for them west of Yoncalla this morning.

Although the two robbers brandished their revolvers, not a shot was fired. The mail clerks found themselves helpless before the weapons of the highwaymen. One robber held them covered while the other ripped open the mail sacks and ransacked their contents. It is not known how much booty was secured.

As the train neared Yoncalla one of the highwaymen pulled the emergency signal and the train was stopped. The robbers then leaped from the mail car and disappeared down the village street.

The first intimation the mail clerks had of the attack was when the door of the car swung open and they found themselves faced by the highwaymen. None attempted resistance as the intruders pointed their revolvers at their heads.

Officers and Sheriff George J. Roseburg were notified and a posse was immediately started in pursuit of the robbers.

Premier Laurier Sees No Cause for Alarm

Canada Would Trade with Mother Country, But Not with Her Alone.

LONDON, June 17.—At a luncheon presided over by A. J. Balfour, today, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada, told the big gathering of British statesmen and overseas premiers that the reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada need cause no alarm to any one. Canada, he said, wished to trade with the mother country in preference to other lands, but that did not mean that it would treat with the United States alone. Whatever privileges were granted to other countries would be given equally to England.

"In Canada," he added, "the policy of British preference has been hoisted to the top of the mast and there it will stay, whatever Great Britain does or does not do."

President Smith is Not Able to Attend

Head of Mormon Church Not Anxious to Appear as Witness in Sugar Trust Investigation.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, June 17.—Joseph F. Smith, president of the Mormon church, has telegraphed the chairman of the house committee investigating the sugar trust that he is unable to appear as a witness in the investigation.

Mr. Smith's message was in response to one from Chairman Hawdick of the committee asking if Mr. Smith were willing to go to Washington without subpoena.

Two of Seven Bird Men Given Places

Lindpainter and Buschner in at Finish in the Air Race from Hamburg.

KIEL, Germany, June 17.—Seven aviators arrived here today from Hamburg, covering the fourth stage of the national aviation circuit race course. Lindpainter and Buschner, however, as the only competitors to this place within the prescribed time set for the various stages.

The aviators will remain here one week, taking part in daily contests, which will be a feature of the program for the entertainment of the American warship crews.

Boy Falls Dead on Horns of Angry Bull

Spanish Shepherd Climbs Electric Standard to Escape Animal and Grasps Live Wire.

MADRID, June 17.—(Special Cablegram.)—Francisco Padilla, a 15-year-old shepherd, running from an angry bull near Seville, climbed an electric standard to escape. He touched a live wire and fell dead on the horns of the bull.

GEORGE KNOTT FOUND GUILTY

In Returning Verdict Jury Recommends Judicial Clemency.

PRISONER TO DEMAND RETRIAL
Accused of First Degree Murder in Killing Wife Following Dance, but Verdict is for Manslaughter.

George Knott was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury which had been out since noon Friday. In a verdict returned at 8:30 o'clock last evening. The jury recommended "the lightest possible sentence at the discretion of the court." A new trial will be asked for by Knott's attorney, A. S. Ritchie.

Knott was on trial charged with first degree murder for the shooting of his wife, which occurred on the Burlington tracks near Fifth and Williams streets on the evening of April 23. George Graham, engineer on a late passenger, saw a man answering Knott's description fire a number of times with a shotgun at a woman and testified that he heard her groans as she went by. When he arrived at the station he notified the police. The authorities found Mrs. Knott dying, her body riddled with 18 shots, as afterward counted.

Knott was found beside her with their little girl. On the witness stand the prisoner testified that the shooting was accidental. According to his story he asked his wife to come home with him from "Granny" Brown's, across the tracks near the river. The Knotts lived at Fifth and Williams streets. She refused, but followed later. He got home first and returned with a gun. They met in the darkness. Knott asserted that there was a man with her, who opened fire on him first. He shot, but hit his wife because of the darkness.

His story was slightly confused and disagreed in some important details with a statement he signed shortly after the crime.

James P. English, county attorney, in his closing speech, ridiculed Knott's story as ridiculous and the unknown man with his wife as a mythical personage.

Knott was a switchman.

House Continues to Discuss Wool Bill

Chairman Underwood Expects a Vote Will Be Taken Next Tuesday or Wednesday.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—With a view to clearing the atmosphere of speeches on the wool tariff revision bill, the house today resumed general debate on the measure, with the probability that another night session will be held.

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Diaz Has No Feeling Against Uncle Sam

United States is in No Way Responsible for Resignation of Office.

PARIS, June 17.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Sebastian says that General Diaz declared at Vigo that his resignation of the presidency of Mexico was his final service to his fatherland, as he had been convinced by his friends that only through his withdrawal could peace be restored. Nevertheless he believed that he could have remained and won over the revolutionists.

In conclusion, General Diaz insisted that the United States was in no way responsible for his resignation.

ONE CENT POSTAGE POSSIBLE

Statement by Cowles, Who Appears Before Committee on Postoffice and Post Roads.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Efficient administration of modern transportation is all that is necessary to make possible a one cent postage at once, according to the testimony of James L. Cowles, secretary of the Postal Progress league, who appeared before the committee on postoffice and post roads.

He urged the passage of a parcels post law and said that practically all the people of the country are in favor of it with the exception of the express companies.

SILVER WEDDING AT CAPITOL

President and Mrs. Taft Receive Many Messages of Good Will.

HEARTFELT TRIBUTE OF NATION
Thirty-Three Years Ago Mrs. Taft, Then a Young Girl, Attended Silver Jubilee of President and Mrs. Hayes.

(BY MRS. JOHN A. LOGAN.)
WASHINGTON, June 17.—(Special Telegram.)—While the ceremonies attending the coronation of King George and Queen Mary next week will be on a scale of far greater magnitude and magnificence than the silver wedding anniversary of President and Mrs. William H. Taft, it will in no sense be a more spontaneous and heartfelt tribute of a great nation's affection for those who have been called to rule over its destinies.

It has been my fortune to observe closely many important functions and I can recall some where there has been heartier desire on the part of the whole people, of all conditions, to show the interest and good wishes for the continued welfare and happiness of this typical American family. This is evidenced not alone by the great number of presents received, but by the thousands of letters that have flooded the White House mails offering congratulations. They are from the great, and from the humble, the rich and the poor, but all breathe the same spirit of good will.

President and Mrs. Taft have every reason to feel proud and happy at these abundant evidences of the high esteem in which they are held by their country people.

The splendid reception which will formally mark the silver jubilee of the Tafts held on Monday will emphasize the message of the presents and the letters. Only once before, if I am correct in my history, has a silver wedding been celebrated in the White House. That was on December 30, 1877, when President and Mrs. Hayes celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding.

It is a curious coincidence that Mrs. Taft—then Miss Helen N. Herron, daughter of President Hayes' law partner, a beautiful young girl—was a guest at the Hayes reception. It is reported that Miss Herron at that occasion jokingly remarked to the president that she would never marry a man who would not become president of the United States.

Princely Presents Given to a Bride

One Hundred Thousand Check to Miss Sheedy When She Weds Burden.

DENVER, June 17.—Miss Florence Sheedy of Denver and J. Townsend Burden of New York, were married at noon today at the residence of Dennis Sheedy, father of the bride, in this city.

Never in the history of Denver has a bride received such princely presents. Dennis Sheedy gave his daughter a check for \$100,000, which he will furnish her New York home and other expensive presents in addition. I. T. Burden of New York, father of the groom presented the young couple with a \$35,000 silver table service.

Tobacco Company is Willing to Be Good

Instead of Asking for Rehearing it Will Submit a Plan for Reorganization.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—It is understood at the Department of Justice that the American Tobacco company will not file application for a rehearing in the supreme court, as it has permission to do any time before June 29, according to the court's order.

Delancy Nicoll and W. W. Fuller, the company's attorneys, will soon have another conference with Attorney General Wickersham, at which they will probably submit some plan for a reorganization.

TAFT INVITED TO MITCHELL

South Dakotans Hope to Get President to Visit State Despite Declination of Haron Bid.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, June 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Following the receipt of President Taft's declaration of the invitation extended to him to visit the Huron, S. D., State fair, Senators Gamble and Crawford and Representative Burke today presented the president with an invitation to visit the Mitchell, S. D., corn exposition, which will be held September 25 to 30. The president said he would take the invitation under consideration and the South Dakotans are hopeful that because of his Kansas trip, September 25 to 30, he will be able to accept. The invitation to Mitchell, though given several days ago to the invitation to Huron, and they waited accordingly for the president's decision on the Huron invitation before presenting the Mitchell corn exposition bid.

ICE MEN DEFEND FIXED SCHEDULE

Small Peddler Sells Product for Less Than Scale Exact by Big Companies.

OTHER CITIES SELL CHEAPER
Omaha Distributors Put Blame on Short Harvest Season.

PRICES FIXED EARLY IN YEAR
Local Consumers Pay More Than Anyone in Middle West.

KANSAS CITY HAS LOW FIGURE