

TEST OF CREMATORY BLOCKED BY MAYOR AND CLAUDE ASHLEY

"Garbage Plant Can't Even Burn a Cat Size of an Ordinary Fie Dog." Councilman Tells Health Board Committee

COST AT LEAST \$40,000 YEARLY, SAYS MAYOR

Committee Is Told That Bodies of Animals Are Only Partly Incinerated. Crematory All Right, Says Canham.

Mayor James G. Woodward renewed his vigorous fight on the new \$250,000 crematory yesterday afternoon.

The mayor made the charge that the plant has proven inefficient up to the present date, and declared that its present physical condition indicates that it cannot burn refuse containing 45 per cent garbage for less than \$1.05 per ton.

"It can't even burn a cat the size of an ordinary fice dog," Councilman Ashley informed the committee.

Councilman Ashley is an engineering expert. He was formerly in charge of the entire plant of the Georgia Railway and Power company.

As the result of the mayor's attack on the plant, the health board committee "turned down" the proposal.

Mayor Woodward's motion was amended to read "that no test be made at this time" and was adopted without a dissenting vote.

The castings were burned out because of the mixture of sand and street sweepings in the plant.

Sanitary Chief John Jentzen informed the committee that the cranes at the plant do not appear to be able to carry the garbage to the furnaces.

Some days as many as 250 tons of garbage were brought to the plant and burned in less than twenty-two hours.

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Nation's Chief Assumes Role Of Fire Chief

President Wilson Hero of Gulf Coast After Directing Fight on Blaze in Large Dwelling.

Pass Christian, Miss., December 26.—President Wilson tonight found himself the hero of the gulf coast.

The president was returning from a quiet game of golf toward noon, and on passing through Gulfport, eight miles from here, saw a blaze on a roof of a big house.

He reassured woman. "Don't be alarmed," said the president coolly. "Your house is afire, but these men will put it out quickly."

"Well done," said the president, and the entire party left the house for the automobiles.

"The fires over," announced the president, and added with a proud smile, "my men have just put it out."

The president took no motor ride in the afternoon, but he did have his exertion at golf.

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MARSHAL'S BRAVERY SAVES NEGRO FROM BEING STRUNG UP

Hazelhurst, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—News was received here from Denton, a station twelve miles from here, of a near lynching at that place late last night.

A mob of some fifty or seventy-five men attempted to take him from Marshal W. A. Lawson, who arrested him.

BOY KILLS HIS FATHER TO PROTECT HIS MOTHER

Portland, Maine, December 25.—Norris W. Rowe, of West Buxton, died tonight of a bullet wound said to have been inflicted by his 12-year-old son.

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JOEL HURT PLANS FOR EARLY START ON NEW BUILDING

Addition to the Skyscraper Will Cover Remainder of Large Triangle on Edgewood Ave. and Ivy St.

STRUCTURE AND ANNEX WILL COST \$1,500,000

Plans Formulated by Mr. Hurt Will Give Atlanta Largest Office Building in the South.

Just so soon as his present new building is fully occupied—and that will be no great length of time—Joel Hurt will start work on the addition to it which will occupy the remainder of the vast triangle on Edgewood avenue and Ivy street.

Mr. Hurt has never made public the cost of his new building, but it is estimated to have cost in the neighborhood of \$700,000.

Between these wings will be a triangular court which will be covered to the third floor.

Six additional elevators will be installed in the new part and the line of the present corridor in sub-basement will continue straight through to Ivy street.

Beautiful Decorations. The decorations in the rotunda of the Hurt building have been completed and the work has called forth the most extravagant praise.

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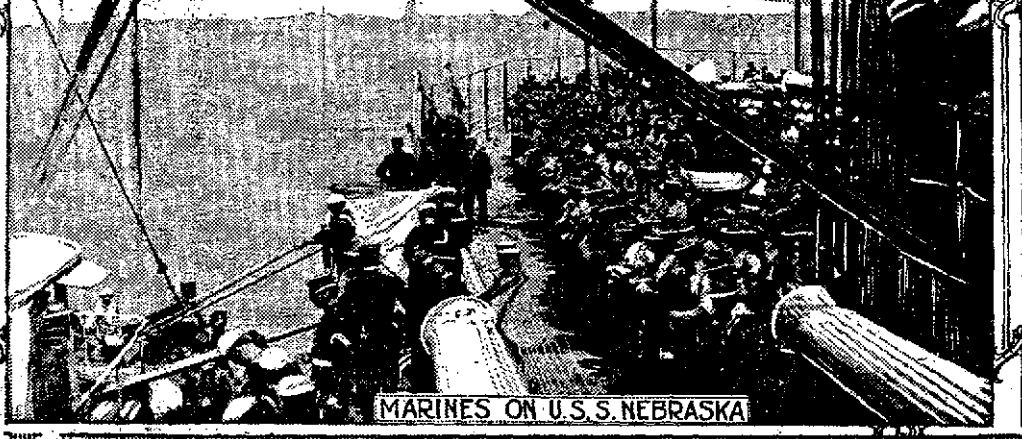
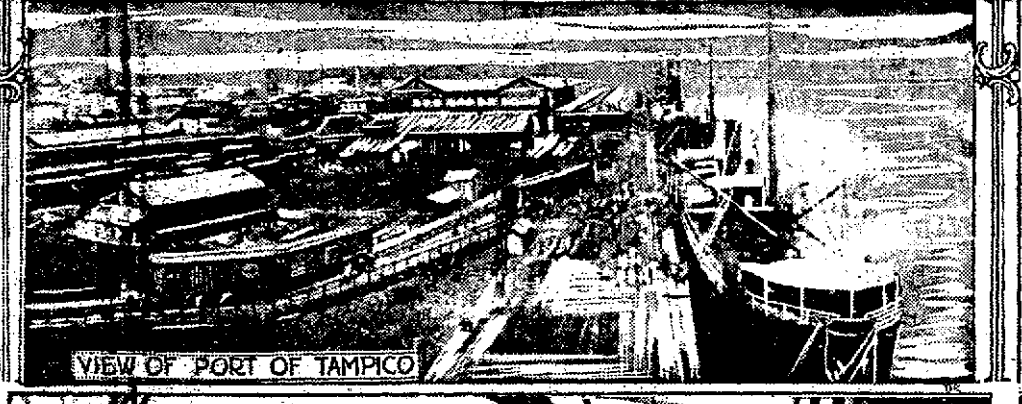
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Port of Tampico Where Battle Raged



The rebel move on Tampico, Mex., where millions of dollars' worth of oil properties are located, caused the United States steamship Nebraska to be rushed there under orders to land marines if necessary to protect the life and property of Americans.

FEARS FOR SAFETY OF JAPS IN MEXICO

Believed That Rebels May Retaliate for Shipments of Arms Sent to Federal Forces from Japan.

Washington, December 26.—The shipment of foreigners in Mexico who have incurred the ill-will of the rebels is again giving some concern to state department officials.

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Playing Santa Claus Rutledge Wounds 4 Year-Old Child

Pistol Loaded With Blank Cartridges Explodes and Injures Little Girl.

While portraying Santa Claus Christmas day at the home of Mrs. Johnson, 229 McDaniel street, S. G. Rutledge, a young man of 51 Eades street, accidentally shot and painfully wounded the 4-year-old baby girl of Mrs. Johnson.

The injured child was carried to Grady hospital, where it was learned that the wounds would not result seriously.

BLACK BOX GUARDED BY DYING CARDINAL

It Disappeared, However, After His Death—May Have Contained Will.

Rome, December 26.—All the evidence thus far adduced concerning the black box which was taken from the room of Cardinal Rampolla the day he died, tends to show the cardinal was fearful that it would be tampered with.

After the cardinal died and while the body was being moved from the bed to be prepared for the coffin, the black box fell to the floor.

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FEDERATION HEAD SENT OUT OF TOWN

Miners' Union Accuses Calumet Citizens' Alliance of Kidnaping Charles Moyer, President of Federation.

Calumet, Mich., December 26.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, was put on a train and sent out of the copper strike district tonight.

The action was said to have caused no great surprise, as it was said threats of such a possibility had been received two weeks ago.

NEW LIGHT COMING!

A YEAR or so ago a new light was invented that immediately reduced bills for illumination.

Probably the first news of this great discovery and many others of equal importance will come to you in the advertising columns of The Constitution.

Progress naturally seeks the channels of progress; and business news likes to run along live wires.

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VISIT TO ATLANTA TO FIX LOCATION OF RESERVE BANK

Organization Committee Will Make Decisions After Public Hearings Here and in Thirteen Other Cities.

HEARINGS ON QUESTION WILL BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Sessions in Atlanta Will Be Held Between January 28 and March 1, Probably in Federal Building.

Washington, December 26.—The organization committee which is to launch the new federal reserve banking system for the nation, tonight announced its plan of action for marking out boundaries of reserve districts and the selection of federal reserve cities.

Although these cities are the only ones to be visited, it was announced that the advantages of many others would be considered, and that bankers and others interested in cities not named in its list would be heard.

The two cabinet officers composing the committee will spend practically all of the next two months in this work and they expect to conclude their labors about the end of the period that is given all national banks in which to announce their intention of becoming members of the system.

Secretary McAdoo left his office today, suffering from a slight fever, and the other committeeman, Secretary Houston, decided to abandon the task until Mr. McAdoo's recovery.

The committee's announcement follows: A meeting of the majority of the members of the federal reserve organization committee, consisting of the secretary of the treasury and the secretary of agriculture, was held today.

"Under the provisions of the federal reserve act all national banks are required to hold sessions in any other cities, but ample opportunity will be given for representatives of various sections of the country contiguous to the districts to appear before the joint sessions of the committee."

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Weather Prophecy FAIR

Local Weather Report

Reports from Various Stations

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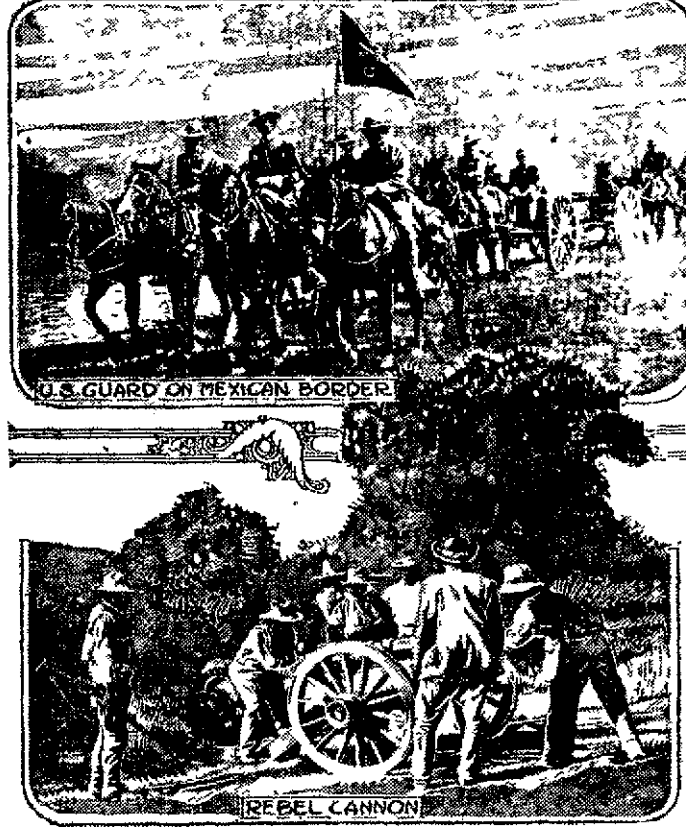
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Uncle Sam's Soldiers Patrolling Mexican Border; Rebel Cannon



The Mexicans have been causing a great deal of disorder on the border and Uncle Sam's patrol has had to be maintained with even more than usual strictness. The illustration shows soldiers on the job and one of the rebel cannon, part of the defense of Juarez.

LOW RATES OFFERED FOR SHRINERS' MEET
 Round Trip Tickets Will Allow Stopovers and May Be Extended a Month.

Announcement was made yesterday that the lowest railroad rates ever given to Atlanta will be in effect next May when the Shriners hold their convention here. Realizing the importance of the meeting and the great volume of travel which it causes, railroads throughout the United States and Canada have prepared especially low rates for the convention.

The round trip tickets which will be at a smaller rate than ever before will allow stopovers and may also be extended for one month. Tickets may be purchased any where in the United States and Canada from May 1 to May 12 unless extended the tickets will be good until May 20 but if desired they may be extended until June 20.

By the extension of the round trip tickets many more than 100,000 will be made possible and it is expected that thousands of the general public will take advantage of the rates in order to visit Atlanta and make trips to various other points in this section.

Some instances have been given of the cut in rates. The present holiday rate to Washington and return from here is \$20.10. The Shriners' rate was announced as \$20.00. The present round trip rate between Jacksonville and Atlanta is \$10.75. Rates from various points for the entire country will meet with a corresponding cut.

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Chorus Girl in Tears When Negro Thief Steals Grip Containing Divorce

Dublin, Ga., December 26.—(Special)—One of the girls belonging to a musical comedy company playing here this week, named Dottie Williams, had her suit case stolen by a negro who stated he was a hotel porter but when she gave him the baggage he failed to carry it to the hotel. The matter was reported to the police and they found the suit case cut open lying in a branch on the edge of the city.

The girl was called in to identify it and tell what she had lost and the police felt rather cheap when it was found that the satchel contained no money and not much but photographs and music. Still Dottie was badly worried and kept searching until she found a pair of rainbow hose put on the floor along with a fancy nightgown and a pair of slippers. She finally exclaimed in dismay, "Oh, they taken my divorce papers and I can't get married again." The police saw some reason for her anxiety about the suit case but could not help her as the papers were gone along with one or two photographs and some letters. The thief has not been caught.

Crew Saved at Sea.
 Washington, December 26.—The revenue cutter Miami today reported the rescue of the master and seven of the crew of the British barkentine Malwa abandoned at sea yesterday. The Miami took the men to Key West. They had been transferred from the steamers Contraband and Concho which were nearby when the Malwa was abandoned.

Best Lump Coal \$4.75.
 "Piedmont Coal Co., 1023."

113-15 Whitehall 164 Decatur

SEWELL'S Special Snaps for Saturday

Solid carload Sweet Florida Oranges, doz	12 1/2c
Large Indian River Grapefruit, 2 for	5c
Fancy Baldwin Apples, peck	45c
Fancy White Bacon, pound	12 1/2c
No. 10 Pail Pure Leaf Lard	\$1.22 1/2
No. 10 Pail Best Hogless Lard	94 1/2c
Meadowbrook Pure Creamy Butter, lb	34 1/2c
Fancy Full Cream Cheese, lb	19c
24-pound sack finest Patent Flour	68c

Solid carload Dressed Poultry and Fresh Country Eggs

"The Daylight Corner"

Clearance Sale! Starts Today!

Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats!

Prices Sacrificed!

HERE'S the sale you've been waiting for! Our Half-Yearly Clearance Sale of Men's and Boys' SUITS and OVERCOATS starts this morning! Because of the arrival of this COLD weather, we have decided to start this sale NOW—so as to give you all an opportunity of buying Winter Clothes while you NEED them.

Besides, you've probably been waiting till "AFTER" Christmas to get another new SUIT and OVERCOAT! So, here's your opportunity.

Remember, all the Men's and Boys' SUITS and OVERCOATS, in this sale, are THIS season's styles. Every garment is ALL-WOOL and made in the best manner!

Scale of price-reductions follows:

All Men's Suits and Overcoats, up to and including \$20, now	\$13.90	All Men's Suits and Overcoats, up to and including \$30, now	\$20.90
All Men's Suits and Overcoats, up to and including \$25, now	\$16.90	All Men's Suits and Overcoats, up to and including \$40, now	\$24.90

Boys' Suits and Overcoats Also at SACRIFICE Prices!

J. Eisenman & Sons Company

"The Daylight Corner" One Whitehall Street

UNEMPLOYED RIOTERS CONTROLLED BY POLICE

Historic Plaza District of Los Angeles Practically Under Martial Law.

Los Angeles, December 26.—The historic plaza district in the older section of Los Angeles where a riot among unemployed men resulted in the death of one man and the injury of more than a dozen others late yesterday afternoon was practically placed under martial law today.

LIFE SAVING SERVICE REPORTS FINE RECORD

Washington, December 26.—Out of a total of 1,743 casualties at sea during the fiscal year ending June 30 last, the highest in the history of the life saving service only sixty-nine vessels were lost and twenty-three were drowned according to the annual report of S. I. Kimball, general superintendent of the service, made public today.

FIRE CRACKER FATAL TO CHRISTMAS CELEBRATOR

Nicholsville, Ga., December 26.—William Watts county attorney of Jonesboro county and one of the best known politicians in the state died at a hospital in Nicholsville today of injuries caused by the premature explosion of a fire cracker at his home in Nicholsville last night.

Aged Man Arrested.

Rome, Ga., December 26.—(Special.) D. D. Brown an aged white man was arrested here yesterday upon a warrant from Georgia. He is in the home jail awaiting the arrival of officers to carry him back to Spalding county for charges of cheating and swindling.

KILLED SLEEPING WIFE WITH BLASTING POWDER.

Thomas Ellis Jailed After Infuriated Neighbors Had Tried to Lynch Him.

Charleston, W. Va., December 26.—Closely guarded by deputy sheriffs, Thomas Ellis was brought to jail here today charged with the murder of his wife on Christmas night.

"STORY OF CHRISTMAS" AT FIRST BAPTIST

The choir of the First Baptist church assisted by a large chorus, will render Sunday night, for the first time in Atlanta, H. Alexander Matthews's new cantata, "The Story of Christmas," under the direction of J. P. O'Donnally, organist.

FRAZER WILL COMMAND WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

Omaha, Neb., December 26.—W. A. Frazer of Dallas, Texas, governor of the world, will automatically succeed J. J. Allen, Rot sovereign commander of the organization who died Wednesday at Hendersonville, N. C. This statement was given out last night at the head quarters of the order in this city.

Bringing Christmas Joy to Poor of Atlanta



The Christmas season has been a busy one for the Salvation Army. Wednesday 400 baskets were distributed to the unfortunate. Thursday a special dinner to men was served at the Industrial Home on Whitehall street, and Friday a Christmas tree furnished presents to 600 poor people.

EFFECT OF FEEDING ON FLAVOR OF MILK

Washington, December 26.—The department of agriculture has just concluded a series of interesting experiments to determine the effect on the flavor of milk of feeding different kinds of rations to cows.

TWO LUNATICS A WEEK SENT FROM SAVANNAH

Savannah, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—More than two lunatics a week were sent to Milledgeville from Savannah during 1913, according to figures compiled by the ordinary of Chatham county.

Quiet Christmas at Dublin.

Dublin, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—With the exception of a rather noisy display of fireworks Dublin passed a quiet and sane Christmas. There was a noticeable decrease in drunkenness.

BRUNSWICK THREATENED BY SPECTACULAR FIRE

Sparks From Flaming Iron Works Blown Over Half of the City.

Brunswick, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Practically every resident of the southern section of Brunswick was aroused late last night, and forced to fight fire in order to save their homes.

WAYCROSS MAN FATALLY WOUNDED

Waycross, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—In a quarrel early today Dan Simpson was shot and probably fatally wounded by John Williams who was arrested by Sheriff Pittman.

2 KILLED, MANY INJURED IN TROLLEY COLLISION

Los Angeles, December 26.—Two persons were fatally injured and thirty-two others all Christmas merry-makers were more or less seriously hurt in a rear-end street car collision in Glendale a suburb late last night.

Clasping Left Hands, Two Kentuckians Fight Fatal Duel With Pistols

Lexington, Ky., December 26.—Solomon Jackson and Tate Souders killed each other in a duel yesterday at Pineville, Ky., according to word reaching here today.

Dublin Woodmen Elect.

Dublin, Ga., December 26.—The Dublin Woodmen of the World, elected officers this week for the coming year as follows: First consul, M. C. Moffett; advisor, lieutenant, V. L. Chapman; banker, T. H. Green; cashier, C. E. Buzetti; clerk, H. T. Jordan; watchman, J. O. Brantley; secretary, W. L. Stinson; physician, Dr. Frank Bright; managers, W. A. Keen, M. L. Jernigan and S. J. Hattaway.

Waycross Bank Qualifies.

Waycross, Ga., December 26.—(Special.)—Directors of the First National Bank of Waycross today voted unanimously to make application and qualify as a member of the reserve system under the new currency bill.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment with full instructions.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM. Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a permanent growth. Restores fallen hair. Prevents hair falling. Revitalizes hair follicles. Sold at 25c per bottle.

PANAMA CANAL The Magnificent New Steamship "EVANGELINE" The finest fitted and most luxuriously furnished steamship on the Atlantic Coast built expressly for tourist trade will make seven delightful cruises from Jacksonville. January 6, 24; February 11; March 2, 19; April 6, 24.—1914. \$125 Up.

"Correct Dress for Men" Essig Bros. Co.---December Reduction Sale 33 1-3 Per Cent Discount---For Cash On Our Entire Stock of Men's and Young Men's SUITS and OVERCOATS All Suits and Overcoats That Were 25 per cent Discount ON All Odd Trousers \$15.00 Reduced to \$10.00 \$18.50 Reduced to 12.35 \$20.00 Reduced to 13.35 \$22.50 Reduced to 15.00 \$25.00 Reduced to 16.65 \$27.50 Reduced to 18.35 \$30.00 Reduced to 20.00 \$32.50 Reduced to 21.65 \$35.00 Reduced to 23.35 \$40.00 Reduced to 26.65 This sale includes all Black, Blue and Fancy Suits, all Light, Medium and Heavy Weight Overcoats, in the newest patterns and latest models. Our clothing is manufactured for us by America's best tailors and we use only the best foreign and domestic woollens in all our Suits and Overcoats. ESSIG BROS. CO. "Correct Dress for Men" 26 Whitehall Street This Is Positively a Cash Sale

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learned not only to shop early, but to shop with intelligence and precision. In former years the two days preceding Christmas were veritable nightmares for those compelled to handle the holiday buying crowds. Clerks expected to drag through a weary personal Christmas, worn to exhaustion by overtax and knowing little of the genuine spirit of the day. Here and there lingered a little of the old thoughtfulness, but it was not dominant, as in years past. Shoppers did much of their purchasing early in the season, and those forced to wait until the eleventh hour knew what they wanted and were consistently considerate of the man and woman behind the counter.

No finer exposition could be asked of the bona fide genius of Christmas.

A WORLD DIRECTORY. One of the practical undertakings of the federal bureau of foreign and domestic commerce is what may be called a business directory of the world.

Within it are listed the great firms doing business in every country in civilization; the names and advertising rates of trade papers and daily periodicals; information as to commercial opportunities and routings for trade and passenger traffic. The publisher ought to prove of tangible benefit to the business men of the United States. It is true that our consular corps gathers much useful information. But these reports are not available to everyone in a digested form, and frequently important items are buried under a mass of inconsequential detail.

Incidentally, the very establishment of a world directory indicates the fast growing intimacy of commercial relations between nations, such as renders valuable and necessary reliable foreign data to even the humblest of business houses.

DESPOITISM FOR CITIES. The flood-devastated city of Dayton, Ohio, is about to present America with a striking experiment in municipal government. It is going to abolish, not only the mayor and council and substitute a city manager who shall have full charge of municipal matters. Henry M. Waite is the man Dayton has selected to be its business manager, and to redeem the city from the semi-chaos that still is an inheritance from the flood. Mr. Waite comes to Dayton with recommendations as to ability to hold public office, as well as experience in the management of big business enterprises. Dayton is going to pay him a big enough salary, \$12,000 a year, to make it worth his while to make good. The municipal commission of Dayton will, of course, retain a certain supervision over the policies and acts of General Manager Waite. But by and large he will be city boss in a sense almost unique in American politics, since most of the municipal bosses we have heretofore known have been such in spite of the public protest.

The idea Dayton is now executing is not a new one. It has been operative in Germany and lesser-known European countries for some time. In Germany, they make a specialty of municipal government. They advertise for business managers for cities, or mayors, if you like the more conventional term. Frequently cities hold what is equivalent to civil service examinations in the effort to find the right kind of man to govern a town with economy and efficiency. And it is notable that the cities of Germany can, in many respects, set an example to the rest of the world in efficiency of management.

There is every reason why a business manager should be a success in the government of a town. We have been told time and again that the proposition of running a city is different in degree only, and not in principle, from running a corporation. Presidents and managers of corporations are chosen for business and not political ability, as are officials of cities. That may be one reason why corporations return dividends and cities, as a national proposition, are generally affording material to the muck-rakers and the pessimists by reason of their short-sightedness.

The basic idea of a benevolent despotism for cities is, of course, centralization of authority and responsibility, with a conservative provision for recall. The experiment launched at Dayton will be watched with almost as keen interest as Galveston's experiment in commission rule. Both are parts of the effort to improve city government.

AN AGE OF CHARITY. A compilation recently published in New York estimates that during the year now closing \$80,000,000 on charity. The classification includes gifts to art museums and colleges, as well as for such popular "uplift" crusades as young Mr. Rockefeller's war on "white slavery."

The classification and definition here made of charity is decidedly a crude one. Much of the money spent in the way outlined should have been credited not to charity or philanthropy, but to constructive civic investment and to education. It is not philanthropy to give to art or to education. It is money spent from which you expect to get tangible dividends.

That aside, it remains by statistical evidence that we are living in the age of the world's most stupendous charities. It is probable that if all legitimate items coming under this head were possible of listment, the total would show for the year nearer half a billion than a mere \$80,000,000.

And the beauty of this form of charity is that it is practical and constructive. It does not beggar, but rehabilitates the recipients. It does not dole out pittance as a sop to conscience, then forget the woe that persists after the pittance has been spent.

Any man who doubts that the genuine spirit of the Galilean is spreading, and still will spread, may achieve reassurance by pondering these facts. They are among the most gracious and illuminating signs of our times.

Efficient Housekeeping. By HENRIETTA D. GRAVEL. Domestic Science Lecturer. MAKING BOTH ENDS MEET. "All around the market house the monkey chased the weasel. That's the way the money goes, just like the weasel."



Most of the troubles our young housekeepers have in their marketing come from their inexperience; their knowledge being gained at their husband's expense. It is very amusing to read about the bride telling the butcher he is out of lamb, but it is not so funny when it happens in real life. The wife who has to pay the difference in the price. No wonder so many men hold the purse strings tightly closed and insist on a credit system being maintained.

Just as soon as a woman can convince her husband that she can get as much for a dollar, he will gladly turn the handling of the household provision money over to her. There are a few hon-headed men in the world who want to manage the house, but only a few, and most of these have been made so queer by some woman's light touch of her household management. A man should not have to concern his mind, filled with business cares, with the price of milk, butter and cheese, but it is the continual discussion of such petty details of living that makes life tiresome.

Daily fashion note. Illustration of a woman in a dress.



Copyright, 1913, by The Criterion of Fashion. My dear Barbara— Women have the curious habit of accepting the most ridiculous things, and then applying common-sense to their adaptations. Skirts so tight at the bottom that a body could hardly step, were surely foolish. Then Milady sat up the skirt, and so found a way to place her feet. But to be practical, the skirt should be now taken from the top, and gathered it into a rubber band at the bottom. Probably her walk may resemble a rooster, one—distinct step—after—another. But animal amulations are very fashionable this season you know. The rubber bands on these skirts are about four inches wide and set into a hem of the same size, with a narrow heading at the bottom. The appearance of the skirt gives very definitely the peg-top silhouette, and is most comfortable. Dress makers are merely a matter of usage. So get one of the rubber bound skirts if you wish. They really are quite chic. Yours most interestedly, CLAUDIA.

A Story of the Moment. By WALET MASON. The Panama Cruise Feet. LADY OF THE HOUSE.

"Is the lady of the house?" inquired the stranger with the valises. "The lady of the house?" replied Curfew, "is— I mean, without violating a confidence, that she's all in. The lady of the house has a black eye and a sick headache, and is stretched upon a couch of suffering, and when she is not delirious she insists that hereafter she will keep a kettle of boiling water on the stove, the whole year, in order that she may give agents the welcome they deserve.

"Because of her dealings with agents the lady of the house has endured much travail and bitterness of spirit. In most cases she declines to deal with them, but now and then they catch her when she is off her guard, as you might say, and the results are always disastrous. I do not refer to her weakness with respect to her face, but to her similar ailments and again, and have had my whiskers and hair burned off by various healing compounds, and my intellect by complex washes, and my nerves by practical remedies. Every man has his moments of weakness and indecision, and I admit that the agents get me every now and then.

FAVORITE RECIPES OF DISTINGUISHED WOMEN. By MRS. EDWARD KEATING. Wife of Representative Keating of Colorado.

(Copyright, 1913, for The Constitution.) A bon vivand of the long ago prepared a recipe for cooking a hare by saying: "First catch you a mountain trout recipe. It is no joke to catch a mountain trout, for it enjoys the distinction of being the favorite member of the flony and extreme shy and snarling disposition. But if you are game, too, and will don wading boots and whip a mountain stream for a mile or two in the Colorado Rockies you will surely invest in a weak-minded trout and he will likewise secrete into the most piquant of sauces—a good appetite for your fish dinner.

The fisherman aspires to catch the big fish, but for home consumption the housekeeper prefers the trout weighing about one or one and a half pounds. Mountain Trout. After carefully cleaning it and removing the almost invisibly small fish with salt and pepper and placed in an aluminum fry-pan, in which a generous portion of butter is bubbling (not brown, but white hot), then the cook must stand guard over the trout, cooking it slowly and thoroughly over a steady fire and turning it from side to side until it is a rich brown. Serve with melted butter and sliced lemon.

When the backbone is removed by the slightest of hand known to the epicure, the rest of the other bones, supposed to have been implanted by his satanic majesty, may be left there, there is then left a morsel fit to tempt even that ancient food connoisseur, Lucullus.

Know Him Well. (From Tri-Week.) It was a contested will case, and one of the witnesses described the course of giving the evidence, described the testator minutely. "Now, sir," said the counsel for the defense, "I suppose we may take it from the flattering description you have given of the testator, his general points, and his personal appearance generally, that you were intimately acquainted with him?" "Him?" exclaimed the witness. "He was no acquaintance of mine."

"Well, then, you must have observed him very carefully whenever you saw him?" pursued the counsel. "I never saw him in my life," was the reply. "His preparation, as counsel thought, it was too much, and he said: 'Now, now, don't trifle with the court, please. How, I ask you, describe him so minutely if you never saw him or never knew him?'" "Well," replied the witness, and the smile which overspread his features extended to the faces of those in court, "you see, I married his widow."

Strike of Chorus Girls. Melbourne, Australia, has had a strike of chorus girls. It was very brief and hopelessly unproductive. The chorus girls are practically unlimited. So the young women of the opera company who struck in Melbourne for an extra \$1.20 a week speedily discovered that they were not chorus girls at the antipodes are paid \$11.20 a week when singing in Australia and \$15 when touring in New Zealand. The cost of living is high there.

The World's Mysteries. WAS JONAH SWALLOWED BY A WHALE? Many of the Biblical stories have been the subject of much controversy, which has come about through a misinterpretation of different persons as to the true meaning of these stories, and this controversy is usually brought about through a difference of opinion in the translation from the original.

One of the most discussed of these stories is that of the whale swallowing Jonah. Some of the learned men have taken the corresponding Hebrew word to mean "a great fish," and not necessarily a "whale." But it must not be lost sight of that in calling the "great fish" which swallowed Jonah a "whale" that our Lord, in giving this sign to the Hebrews, calls it in our English version "whale."

What was the "great fish"? As it is called a whale in the Septuagint and in St. Matthew, twelfth chapter and fortieth verse, one can hardly call it a vulgar error to speak of it commonly as a whale. An anonymous writer, in commenting on this story from the Bible, says that the Hebrew word "dag" means a fish boat, and that the word which is translated "whale" should have been "overseer," but this criticism is inconsistent with itself and void of authority.

In his book, "Sacred Literature," says that the Septuagint is not a safe and practical asylum; but "the throat is large and provided with a bag or intestine so considerable in size that whales frequently take into it two of their young when weak, especially in the fall of the year. In this case there are two vents, which serve for inspiration and expiration. There, in all probability, Jonah was preserved.

John Hunter compares the whale's Jonah to a toothed shark, and says that the baleen, or whalebone and tongue together, fill up the whole space of the jaws.

In his book, "Program de rebus Jonae," Herman de Harid considers that Jonah stopped at a tavern hearing the sign of the whale. The Arabic version of the Scriptures has the word "choono" translated in Walton's Polygot as "cetus," but the word, according to Castell, means "a tavern" or "Merchandise office." This may have led to Herman de Harid's idea as noted.

The Targum of Jonathan and the Syriac version of the Bible both have the word "Jonah" both the identical word which was most probably used by our Lord. "Noona," fish, the root signifying "to be produced" for which "Jonah" are eminently remarkable. "Dag," the Hebrew word, has the same original significance.

The misunderstanding in the translation, according to one writer, appears to be in the Septuagint of Jonah, where the particular fish, "the whale," is mentioned instead of the general term "fish." Possibly the disciples of Christ were aware of the fact that the fish was a whale, and the habit of such of them as were fishermen might have familiarized them with its description or form.

It is certain that the whale of Aristotle and the "cetus" of Pliny was one of the genus "Cetacea," without gills, but with blow-holes communicating with the lungs. The disciples may also have heard of the mythological story of Hercules being three days in the belly of a whale. The word used by Aeneas-Gazaeus, although Lycophron describes the animal as a shark.

The remarkable event recorded by Jonah occurred just about 300 years before Lyophilus, a German writer, thought he had heard the true story, though it is difficult to attribute it to Hercules, to whom all other marvelous feats of power, strength and dexterity were appropriated by the mythologists. The story means that a ship with a figurehead (Zeichen) of a whale took Jonah on board, and in three days put him ashore; from which it was inferred that the ship-whale had vomited (discharged) him.

CAPTAIN ENGLISH SAYS THAT CREDIT BELONGS TO OTHERS. The Constitution is in receipt of the following communication from Captain James W. English—written with characteristic modesty: "Less than a week ago The Constitution devoted a two-column article on the wonderful work of Ivan Allen in the DeKalb County, Ga., and the splendid enthusiasm and telling efforts of Dr. Thornwell Jacobs have often been emphasized.

THE PRAIRIES. By GEORGE FRICK. Author of "At Good-Old Sitwah". (Copyright, 1913, for The Constitution.) Much of the United States is grand and peculiar, sticking up as far as three miles into the climate in spots. Still more of our much beloved country, however, is flat and unexciting except at harvest time. A section of the United States which has only two dimensions, length and breadth, is called a prairie.

The great prairies begin at the Missouri river and roll gently westward towards the setting sun almost far enough to scare said sun off of its nest. When discovered, these prairies are profuse and covered with a delicate, sunshiny and horizon, but were otherwise as empty as a new flat before the van from the installment furniture house gets around. The eye could wander in all directions without stumbling over any object more prominent than a prairie dog mound, and a map might travel a week without finding enough timber to cut a fish pole. However, this lack is thoughtfully palliated by the great scarcity of streams in which to fish.

Originally the prairie was upholstered with long waving grass and had to be navigated with the aid of a compass and a sextant. Many a strong man with no sense of direction has gone rashly out on the great American prairie and has wandered several hundred miles in irregular circles without finding a lunch counter. In the end, a completed undertaker, Grass, wind and dimensions were the great possessions of the prairie, and it was luxuriantly provided with all three. More wind passed a given point on the prairie in twenty-four hours than a year's wind on New York could emit concerning Broadway in a month.

When man came rudely westward, elbowing his way through the primeval solitude, he took the prairie in hand and tamed a sextant. Many a strong man with no sense of direction has gone rashly out on the great American prairie and has wandered several hundred miles in irregular circles without finding a lunch counter. In the end, a completed undertaker, Grass, wind and dimensions were the great possessions of the prairie, and it was luxuriantly provided with all three. More wind passed a given point on the prairie in twenty-four hours than a year's wind on New York could emit concerning Broadway in a month.

"A section of the United States which has only two dimensions—length and breadth." men, and bear the automobiles of a hundred thousand farmers on their smooth, flat backs. The prairie is no longer a wild, free thing. Even there a few weeks ago, a few weeks ago, was visited by one of his old comrades. "Halloo, Benny!" said the visitor, "how's the gettin' on?" "Oh, Ah'm 'goin' on first rate, thank you," answered the afflicted one, "Ah'm very glad to hear it, lad," said the visitor, "I suppose you'll be comin' back to work soon, eh?" "Wot!" exclaimed Benny, while a look of great surprise spread over his countenance. "Leave a big house and a grand garden, and this to come back to work?" "Wot, doest tha think Ah'm wrong in my head?"

Changes in Missouri River. (From The Engineering Record.) Changes in the Missouri river are so rapid that a stranger can hardly realize them. For instance, at a point near Kikapoo ferry landing, where there is a current of maximum downstream current of about seven miles an hour and an upstream current of about two miles, the sandy bottom shifted so fast that in two days a shoal 600 feet long and 2 feet out of the water increased to 2 feet. In another place water shoaled 12 feet in three days. At some points shoals formed in a very few minutes, and in the same time the current would change from four miles downstream to two miles upstream.

Basic Weakness. (From The San Francisco Chronicle.) London papers profess to be able to see light on the question of militancy in the following story: "Your mother a suffragette?" asked the man. "You bet she ain't," answered the small boy, "me father's a prizefighter." The moral inferred is that militancy is three-fourths lack of domestic discipline.

Don't give yourself away if you have any idea that the world takes a man at his own valuation. Any lawyer will tell you that some people won't take advice even when they pay for it. Extremes meet, but they don't always speak as they pass by.

MAGNANIMITY. By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS. The real answer as to whether a man is Great or not lies in his ability to be Magnanimous—whether he has the ability to see the big and little points about Character or a great problem, and through Patience, render impartial judgment without Bitterness and without Pique.

When in doubt, in times of test, do the Magnanimous thing. When General Grant at Appomattox handed back to General Lee his sword and told him to keep his horses and his equipment, that the work of Reconstruction, the bitter warfare might immediately begin, he was Magnanimous. There and then Grant left evidence sufficient to emblazon his name among the great of the earth.

WILL ASK COUNCIL TO AID IN PLAZA PLAN

Atlanta Improvement Committee to Push the Project at Earliest Moment.

The executive committee of the Atlanta Improvement Committee will go before council early in January and ask an appropriation for a definite constructive work toward their proposed city plan.

FREEZING TEMPERATURE WILL LAST WHOLE WEEK

Georgia Is in Grip of Near Blizzard, According to Weather Reports.

The rest of the holidays will be cold and then some. According to the official weather forecast freezing temperatures will be registered locally until the end of the next week.

94 Years Old Christmas Day But Still Works Every Day

Here he is—the character you encounter in the chapters of Thomas Nelson Page's books or in the writings of Joel Chandler Harris, read of but seldom seen—the genuine, old-time southern dork.

His name is Caesar Page. He was 94 years of age Christmas day and he is still pert enough to work every day that the sun shines. He asks no odds of anyone and plugs along from day to day working first here and then there as an odd job turn-up.

NEGROES TO OBSERVE FREEDOM ANNIVERSARY

Emancipation day, January 1, next, marking the fiftieth anniversary of President Lincoln's proclamation will be observed in Atlanta by the colored people of the city.

The main feature of the freedom observance in Atlanta will take place at 10 o'clock with a large assemblage in the auditorium of the city hall.

DEFENSE WILL STRESS JUDGE ROAN'S DOUBT AS TO GUILT OF THE PRISONER.

Supplemental briefs will be filed in the supreme court today by attorneys for the defense in the Leo M. Frank case calling attention again to the doubt which rested on Judge Roan's mind when he declined to give the defendant in the case the benefit of a new trial.

This point is stressed in the supplemental brief because of the vigorous argument made by Attorney General Feiler attacking the validity of incorporating into the bill of exceptions Judge Roan's expression of doubt.

PAYS THE FINE OF MAN SHE STARTED TO SHOOT

Woman Detective Says Vision Saved Life of Man She Thought a Burglar.

Mrs. Hattie Barnett, the woman detective—the only licensed one in the state—started to shoot at a man Christmas morning whom she believed to be a burglar. In the afternoon she pleaded for lenience and paid the fine the recorder imposed.



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OWLS' CLUB IS HOST FOR 250 CHILDREN AT CHRISTMAS TREE

The Owls club had their annual Christmas tree on Friday afternoon in the lobby of the order in the Brower building.

VOLUNTARY GIFTS MADE TO OGLETHORPE FUND

Three voluntary Christmas gifts came into the Oglethorpe university fund (Thursday) E. W. Allred telegraphed a subscription of \$500 from New York.

THE PRESIDENT'S UNCLE PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY

Chillicothe, Ohio, December 25—Henry W. Woodrow, an uncle of President Wilson died suddenly today at his home in this city.

ATLANTA PROVES MECCA FOR GEORGIA NEWLYWEDS DURING HOLIDAY SEASON

There has been a perfume of orange blossoms and bridesroses and almost an echo of wedding bells around the hotels of Atlanta for the past few days.

G. H. WILCOX RECEIVES RAILROAD APPOINTMENT

George H. Wilcox, well known in railroad circles has been made assistant general freight agent for the Macon and Birmingham and the Hawkins line and the Georgia Railway.

CHURCH WILL SHOW FAMOUS PAINTINGS

The feature of the evening service at the First Baptist church Sunday will be a display of famous paintings of events connected with the nativity.

Advertisement for Elgin Watch at \$15.00, the most popular watch sold in the South. Includes an image of the watch and text describing its features and availability at Maier & Berkeley, Inc.

Advertisement for Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co. featuring a 1/2 Price Sale in Junior Department. Lists various clothing items like coats, sweaters, and robes with their sale prices.

Large advertisement for EISEMAN BROS., Inc. titled 'Cold Here To Stay!!!' and 'Overcoats'. Promotes winter clothing with various styles and prices, including men's and youths' overcoats.

Continuation of Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co. advertisement, listing more clothing items like fur sets, blankets, and children's sweaters with their respective sale prices.

Society

Masque Ball Brilliant Event; Scores in Picturesque Garb

The Nine O'Clock German club gave their Christmas entertainment in the form of a masque ball last evening at the Piedmont Driving Club and there were 200 guests enjoying the hospitalities of the occasion. These came promptly at 9 o'clock and soon after the fun began. Everybody had everybody else fooled and wives and husbands and sweethearts frolicked with one another and kept up the bantering until the time of unmasking.

More than at any previous ball the members of the club and their lady friends observed the idea of the fancy costume and everybody was on a par. There were peasants and dancing girls, Christmas belles and Colonial belles, Night and Morning, Flora Disna and dozens of others, though they did not call themselves by the latter name. Every name had its representative in

either court or peasant costumes. There were many in domino many who wore with conventional evening attire. Most to accomplish disguise and many of the ladies wore the most artistic of headgear while others had the motif of funnishing.

A Delicious Supper

It was after 11 o'clock when the unmasking began and supper was served. The latter was a delicious repast in which all the holiday gubbin' tales and delicacies and the decorations on each table of crimson and white flowers combined well with the general color scheme in the hall and parlors. The handiwork had their share all over the tables and the decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

Governor and Mrs. Slaton Will Entertain Scientists

Governor and Mrs. John M. Slaton will entertain at 9 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the executive mansion in honor of the delegates to the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science which will be in session in Atlanta next week.

The reception at the mansion promises to be one of the most brilliant of the series of affairs in honor of the distinguished scientists and their wives and families who will attend the meeting of the several societies affiliated with the association.

The first reception to be held will be at 9 o'clock Monday night at the University club following the first general session of the association. On Tuesday the local association of college women will entertain in honor of the ladies who will attend the reception which will be held at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and will take place at the residence of Mrs. Emma Gaither, 194 Washington street.

To the governor's reception and that given by the local association of college women will be invited as well as the members of the local executive committee, the local finance committee, the honorary reception committee and the directors of the chamber of commerce with the wives of all the various members of the committees.

The members of the ladies' committee headed by Mrs. John K. Butler, will also be invited each day being expected to organize a luncheon or an escort with her to the affair at the University club will be informal and full dress will not be considered.

necessary, although it is expected that many of the visitors will wear it.

Advance Guard Here.

The Howard I. of the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, permanent secretary of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and J. S. Grew, assistant secretary of the Department of Geology, United States Geological Survey, arrived in Atlanta last night at 10 o'clock and will be in the city until the 15th of the month.

Both are engaged in making final arrangements for the convention which will take place at the Atlanta Athletic Club in the city from January 1 to 15, 1914 and will be working to see that the arrangements are made in the most satisfactory manner possible. The association is the largest of its kind in the world and its members are the leading scientists of the world.

professional entertainers provided for their amusement a unique cabaret feature.

The dinner table had beautiful decorations in the Christmas colors. The centerpiece of the table was a miniature Christmas tree laden with souvenirs for each guest. The place cards were hand made in the most artistic manner and the details of the pretty table were in the holiday colors. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

For Mrs. Abbott.

Mrs. W. L. Abbott was the honor guest at a beautiful Christmas luncheon given by her son and daughter, Edward and Mrs. E. L. Parker, at their home on Christmas day. The house was bright with Christmas decorations of holly, mistletoe and poinsettia blossoms. The centerpiece of the table was a miniature Christmas tree laden with souvenirs for each guest. The place cards were hand made in the most artistic manner and the details of the pretty table were in the holiday colors. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

Miss Walker Entertains.

Miss Florence Walker entertained at tea at the Georgian Palace yesterday afternoon. The occasion was a special one in honor of Mrs. Lillian Parker, who was the guest of honor. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

Holiday Dance.

Mrs. M. O. Jackson entertained at a party during the holidays at her home on Myrtle street. The occasion was a special one in honor of Mrs. Lillian Parker, who was the guest of honor. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

To Mr. Cunningham.

Mr. Howell Jackson will entertain a party of twelve at the dinner dance at the Hotel Hamilton on Tuesday night. The occasion was a special one in honor of Mrs. Lillian Parker, who was the guest of honor. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

To Miss Woolley.

Dr. and Mrs. Jesse Woolley entertained at a party during the holidays at their home on Myrtle street. The occasion was a special one in honor of Mrs. Lillian Parker, who was the guest of honor. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

Mothers' Class.

On Sunday morning at 10 o'clock Dr. Charles W. Daniel will address the Mothers' class of the First Baptist church. His subject will be "The Practical Value of a Mother's Influence." The occasion was a special one in honor of Mrs. Lillian Parker, who was the guest of honor. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

Gude-Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gude will entertain at a party during the holidays at their home on Myrtle street. The occasion was a special one in honor of Mrs. Lillian Parker, who was the guest of honor. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful. The decorations were of the most artistic and beautiful.

TALENTED YOUNG MUSICIAN



MISS RUBY ASKEW.
Concert pianist and accompanist who has returned home for the holidays from a successful tour of the principal cities of the south with the Rheldaffer-Galey company, under the Alkahest Lyceum system's direction.

Coleman will be at home after January 17, at 5624 Kimbark avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Allingham-Lee.
Mr. and Mrs. George W. Plans have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Lucy Tinsie Allingham, to Mr. William Jesse Lee on Thursday evening, January 15, at 8:30 o'clock at 186 Sells avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Lee will be at home after January 20 at 186 Sells avenue.

Theater Party.
Miss Janet Hurt had as her guests at a box party at the Atlanta last night Misses Virginia Lipscomb, Margaret Rogers, Mary Edw. Horne and Mrs. P. H. Forester.

Lane-Benton.
Mrs. Mary Veneta Lane announces the marriage of her daughter, Eva, to Mr. Hamilton Benton on Tuesday, the 24th of December, Nineteen hundred and thirteen, Monticello, Ga.

For Miss Dargan.
Miss Jan her dancing club and a few other guests at an informal dance last night at her home in Ansony park in compliment to Miss Thelma Dargan, who is spending the holidays with her sister, Miss Dargan.

Atlanta in Europe.
Mrs. Orme Campbell, Miss Campbell, Mrs. Chris Wampler, Misses Jennie and Josephine Mobley, who are traveling in Europe and during the winter at school in Paris are at St. Moritz, Switzerland. They will be a visit with Miss Thelma Dargan, who is spending the holidays with her sister, Miss Dargan.

Afternoon Reception.
Mrs. Arthur Haas was at home yesterday afternoon to a large company of callers the occasion in compliment to Mrs. Marion Rosenberg of Greenwood S. C. and to Miss Lillian Loh whose marriage to Mr. Milton Rice will take place Monday night.

MEADOWS-ROBERTS.
West Point, Ga., December 26 (Special)—Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock Miss Margaret Meadows and Mr. Reld Roberts were married at the home of Rev. Graham Forrester, pastor of the First Baptist church of West Point.

Basketball Sponsors.
Miss Lida Nash has been named as sponsor for the Atlanta Athletic club basketball team in its game tonight.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Parker have bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Callaway on Fourteenth street and will take possession the early part of January.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Horne and family have moved to their new home on East Fourteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Conyers are spending the holidays with Mrs. Conyers' parents in south Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Spalding are visiting Professor and Mrs. Stewart, in Athens.

Mr. Clark Howell Jr. has returned from a visit to Americus.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Powell and Mr. Calhoun Caldwell returned to their home in Newnan yesterday after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Colquhoun Carter.

Mr. Baxter, of Nashville, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Robert F. Maddox.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Carlin entertained a few friends informally Christmas at their home in Ansley Park.

Mr. Howell Foreman is at home from Harvard for the holidays.

Mrs. George S. Newell, of Marietta, Ga. is the guest of Mrs. W. B. Crouce, 75 St. Charles place.

Professor and Mrs. M. T. Peed and Misses Virginia and Eugenia Peed are spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Arch Abery. Professor Peed remains to the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Palmer are the guests of Mr. Palmer's father in Ansony Park.

Miss Sarah Robertson and Mr. Preston Robertson are at home from school for the holidays.

Mr. Colton Leidy, of Griffin, spent Christmas day with his sister, Mrs. E. H. Barnes and Miss Mollie Boettick.

MONEY ENOUGH TO MEET ALL NECESSARY DEBTS

State Treasurer Speer Says Georgia Can Pay All Obligations Due on Jan. 1.

State Treasurer W. J. Speer declared yesterday that the state would have enough money in the treasury on the first of the year to meet all of its necessary obligations.

The money has been coming in slowly, he declared, but it is now evident that the state will be in a position on the 1st of January to pay both the extraordinary loan which was made late last summer and also the interest on the state bonded debt, which falls due at that time.

These are the only obligations of the state which must be met on the first of the year in order to maintain the state's credit. These we will be able to meet as they fall due.

As to the payments to public schools and pensions, he will meet them as we receive the money in the treasury. It is always the case, many of the county tax collectors are behind on their payments and our receipts during the month of January should be heavy.

There are necessary obligations of the state fall due on January 1, amounting to about \$700,000. These include the extraordinary loan from the Atlanta national bank, made in the summer and also the interest on the state bonded debt. Already \$5,000,000 of the \$75,000,000 loan made by the governor last summer has been paid.

This is the first year during which the governor has been authorized to borrow more than \$200,000. The constitution was amended in 1912, increasing the governor's temporary borrowing authority to \$500,000. The next obligations that will be coming due to the state are the interest on the state bonded debt. It has been estimated that the state will have to pay about \$1,000,000 of interest on the \$75,000,000 loan. This will be more than \$1,000,000 at a rate of 6 per cent. The total amount of the interest will be \$1,000,000. It will be paid first, the veterans of the war.

J. N. LANGSTON DEAD

He Was One of the City's Pioneer Citizens.

Judge J. N. Langston, one of the real pioneers of Atlanta, died Friday morning at 1 o'clock at his home, No. 9 West Teath street. He was born seventy-five years ago within the present city limits of Atlanta and spent his long and useful life here.

When the civil war broke out Judge Langston was one of the first to enlist in the First Georgia regiment, and after being mustered out at Pensacola Fla. he enlisted in Cobb's legion of horse. He later served in the Gate City cavalry and the First Georgia dragoons.

After the war Judge Langston returned home. He served for a number of years as city councilman from the sixth ward. Later he was elected judge of the peace, which office he held until a year ago. He was always an advocate of any measure pertaining to the development of Atlanta, and was honored and respected by his wide circle of friends.

Three children survive him, two sons, W. L. and J. P. Langston, and a daughter, Mrs. Harriet W. Langston. He also has two grandsons, W. Langston and four granddaughters.

The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock Saturday morning from the residence, Rev. C. O. Jones officiating. Interment will be in Oakland cemetery.

W. L. BECKHAM DIES AT HOME IN ZEBULON

Zebulon, Ga., December 26 (Special)—W. L. Beckham, aged 32, died here this morning. He has been in failing health for several years, but was up and at work the day before his death. His body will be here until the arrival of his wife, who is at present in California.

He has two children and is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Beckham, of this place, two brothers, R. Beckham, Jr., of Dublin, W. R. Beckham, of Harvard law school, and Virginia Beckham, of Rogers of Ocala and Miss Susie Beckham.

A party of eight young men at dinner Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gwyn Jones will entertain at dinner Saturday evening at their home in Decatur in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Manley McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Chipley and Mr. William Chipley remained for the holidays in New York.

Mrs. Frank Myers, Jr. will give a matinee party today in compliment to Miss Virginia Loh and her guests, Miss Wicks of Spokane and Miss Mary Howard.

Furs and Fur Coats Reduced

It's never too late to present a fur coat or a set of furs. We sell more furs for gifts after Christmas than before. The rush is over and one has ample time for selections. A fur set or coat is a purchase of importance and deserves some deliberation. It is our part to see that you get just the fur you want, and to guarantee the quality.

Your Christmas Money Is Splendidly Invested When It Buys a Set of Good Furs After-Christmas Fur Reductions

Real Mink Muffs		Red Fox Sets	
\$165 Muffs	\$115	\$70 Sets	\$38 50
\$95 Muffs	\$74 50	\$25 Sets	\$19 75
\$85 Muffs	\$64 50	\$25 White Fox	\$19 75
Real Mink Neck Pieces		French Mink Muffs	
\$100 Piece	\$84 50	\$45 Muffs	\$34 75
\$95 Piece	\$74 50	\$40 Muffs	\$29 75
\$75 Piece	\$59 50	\$35 Muffs	\$26 75
		\$30 Muffs	\$23 75
		\$25 Muffs	\$19 75
Black Lynx Sets		French Mink Neck Pieces	
\$125 Sets	\$97 50	\$45 Pieces	\$34 50
\$150 Sets	\$123 00	\$40 Pieces	\$29 75
\$190 Sets	\$157 50	\$30 Pieces	\$23 75
		\$25 Pieces	\$19 75
		\$18.50 Pieces	\$14 75
Black Fox Sets		Black Coney Sets	
\$80 Sets	\$67 50	\$15 Muffs or Scarfs	\$11 75
\$50 Sets	\$41 50	\$12.50 Muffs or Scarfs	\$9 75
		\$10 Muffs or Scarfs	\$7 75
French Seal Coats		Pony Coats	
\$85 French Seal Coats	\$69.50	\$50 Pony Coats	\$34.75
\$75 French Seal Coats	\$57.50	\$45 Pony Coats	\$29.75
\$67.50 French Seal Coats	\$48.50	\$35 Pony Coats	\$24.75

Pile Fabrics, Baby Doll, Arabian Lamb, Chinchilla and Zibeline; all in new cuts; Mandarin sleeves, vokes, and belted styles, plush and fur trimmings. Every one of these of surprising quality and absolute style.

Pile Fabrics, Chinchilla and Zibeline Coats, \$25 and \$30 values	All Sport Coats, all colors, \$15, \$17.50 and \$18.50 values	Chinchilla Coats, Gray, blue, brown, \$12.50, \$15 and \$20 values	Fur Fabric Coats, Broadtail, Mole Plush and Brocade Velvet, \$40, \$45, \$50, \$60 Coats, \$29.50
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Statements for Goods Bought in This Sale Will Not Be Rendered Until February 1st.

J. P. Allen & Co. 51 and 53 Whitehall

Any musician will tell you to buy a used piano of good make rather than a poor new one. Advertise for one in a Constitution Want-Ad. Telephone Main 5000—Atlanta 5001.

Baker's Cocoa IS GOOD COCOA

Of fine quality, made from carefully selected high-grade cocoa beans, skillfully blended, prepared by a perfect mechanical process, without the use of chemicals or dyes. It contains no added potash, possesses a delicious natural flavor, and is of great food value.

Booklet of Choice Recipes sent free

Walter Baker & Co. Ltd.
Established 1780 DORCHESTER, MASS.

JAPS GIVE BIG WELCOME TO ENVOY FROM MEXICO

Citizens of Tokio Then Pass Resolution Criticizing United States for Discrimination.

300,000 December 26—A "welcome" "national welcome" was given today to the Japanese ambassador...

WARDENS MUST ENFORCE LAW AGAINST BAITING

Commissioner Davis Calls Attention to Statute and Insists on Its Observation.

Special attention has been called by Game Commissioner Charles L. Davis to the feature of the game law which prohibits the baiting of hunting fields...

E. H. PEACOCK LEAVES Pastor of Buckhead Church Goes to Knoxville.

Rev. I. H. Peacock, founder and pastor of the Buckhead Baptist church has resigned the pastorate to accept a call to assistant pastor of the...



E. H. PEACOCK

DITCH DIGGER FINDS DOLLAR WORTH \$3,500

American Coin of 1804, and Other Valuables Unearthed at New Haven.

New Haven Conn. December 26—A silver dollar bearing the date 1804, highly prized by numismatists, and understood to be quoted at \$3,500 for collection purposes, was found here today...

Mr. Phya Prabhakaravonga He's a Siamese Diplomat, Not a Printer's Mistake

Washington, December 26—The latest diplomatic list issued by the state department discloses the fact that the new minister from Siam holds the name of Phya Prabhakaravonga...

WORKMEN ON CANAL FORCED TO CONTRIBUTE

Albany, N. Y. December 26—W. C. Elmendorf, who was foreman on the state canal construction work in 1911 testified before Governor Glavin...

RESCUE MISSION WILL FEED HUNGRY THURSDAY

A good New Year's dinner will be served at the Rescue mission, 100 North Marietta street next Thursday, to feed the hungry...

CHICAGO POLICEMAN ARRESTS BIG BULLY

Chicago, Dec. 26—Mrs. Mary Boyd, one of Chicago's ten police women, has arrested a powerful built man who was bullying with a street race conductor...

CENTRAL CHURCH PLANS SPECIAL SUNDAY SERVICE

Special services will be held at the Central church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in commemoration of the dying year...

ELEVENTH BANK OPENS AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Ga., December 26—(Special.)—The Muscogee bank the eleventh banking institution for Columbus and suburbs was opened this morning...

Little Disorder in Rome.

Rome, Ga., December 26—(Special.)—Holiday week in Rome has passed with little disorder and with few accidents...

RECEIVERS OF FRISCO LINE TO SUE DIRECTORS

Litigation Based on Purchase of Feeder Lines by Officials of Frisco.

St. Louis, December 26—Receivers of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad today were directed by Circuit Judge Sanborn, in the United States district court, to bring restitution of the Frisco and former directors of the railroad...

AUTOIST HITS GIRL BUT SEES NO REASON FOR STOPPING CAR

San Francisco, December 26—After ploughing through a little group of children on their way home Christmas night from a moving picture party...

NEW POLITICAL PARTY IS FORMED IN FRANCE

Paris, December 26—The Briandist, a new political organization was formed today by 100 republican senators...

LOVE SLAVE TO SEEK REST IN SANITARIUM

Monticello, N. Y., December 26—Miss Adelaide V. Brance who has been a voluntary prisoner in the county jail since the death of Melvin H. Brance...

DEWEY CELEBRATES HIS 76TH BIRTHDAY

Washington, December 26—George Dewey, admiral of the navy, began celebration of his seventy-sixth birthday, appearing at the office of the secretary of the navy...

CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT

Cures Croup, Whooping Cough, Fifty years on the market and sold everywhere for 25c. Beware of cheap imitations. Buy only the genuine. Do not buy by new and untried remedies. Write for free literature. It is sure—(Advt.)

Advertisement for The Vanderbilt Hotel, 34 St. East at Park Ave., New York. 'An hotel of distinction with moderate charges'.

UNDERWOOD BEGINS SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN

Beginning at Gadsden, Democratic House Leader Will Deliver 26 Addresses.

Washington, December 26—Representative Underwood of Alabama, democratic leader of the house left today for Alabama to give his senatorial campaign some attention during the recess of congress...

"TIRED" STEEL CAUSE OF BROKEN SHAFTING

Washington, December 26—With the broken shaft of the battleship Vermont an object lesson, the naval board of inspection and survey is going to the Norfolk navy yard in a few days to determine the cause of the shafting of the bracking of the great main shafting of the vessel...

95-YEAR-OLD TWINS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Babylon, N. Y., December 26—The Muncy twins, William and Samuel, 95 years old, celebrated their birthday yesterday in the United States, which consist of children, grand children, great grand children and great great grand children...

YEGGS HID IN THEATER AND ROBBED BOX OFFICE

New York, December 26—Two thousand dollars' receipts of Christmas day was stolen from the box office of the Orpheum theater early today by four men hid under the balcony seats after last night's performance...

A. FURUSETH RESIGNS FROM SEA CONFERENCE

London, December 26—Andrew Furuseth, president of the International Seamen's union has called to President of the Orpheum theater a delegate to the international conference on safety at sea...

Grant's Orderly Dies.

Pittsburg, December 26—Captain William F. Roberts who served as orderly to General Grant and Meade during the civil war died last night in the Soldiers Home at Pittsburg...

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children should never neglect a bottle of Mother's Best Food for Children for use throughout the season. They break up Colic, Colic, Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. Used by Mothers from what they call 'IRON BARS NEVER FAIL.' Sold by all Drug Stores. Write for FREE Address Allen's 514 West 1st St. N. Y.

SAY HOBBS ATTEMPTED TO ENTRAP CASTLEMAN

Such Is Defense Put Up for Senator in Bribery Trial.

Vicksburg, Miss., December 26—Attorneys for State Senator G. A. Hobbs, on trial on charges of receiving and soliciting bribes, attempted today to show that Hobbs was trying to catch receiver Castleman in a bribery plot when he accepted money from him...

CAPITAL SUFFRAGISTS PLAN TO HOLD RALLY

Washington, December 26—A jubilation rally of the Congressional Union for Suffrage is planned to be held here the night of January 11 on the eve of the first meeting of the new congress. Plans for continuing the fight to procure a standing committee on equal suffrage in the house are being discussed...

FAST TRAIN KILLS 3 IN PITTSBURG SUBURB

Pittsburg, Pa., December 26—Three fatalities were caused by a fast train while waiting on the Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania railroad at 2:30 p. m. Sunday. The three men were mangled beyond recognition...

How to Get Cows of the Right Kind.

The right kind of cows cannot be found—and the needed number never has been—the dairymen has no other recourse than to raise them and he to make sure that the heifer calf he feeds and cares for for two years or more is a cow of the right kind...

Novel Use of Pendants.

According to the Dry Goods Economist there are new ornaments in pendant form which will be used for various purposes—among these weighting the corners of collars or the ends of neckties, for example, and also in dresses. They will also trim the fronts of blouses, blouses, blouses, blouses...

Begin the New Year With the Information This Book Will Give You

On account of the educational value and patriotic appeal of this book, The Constitution has arranged to distribute a limited edition among its readers for the cost of production and handling.

HOW TO GET THIS BOOK

It is found in heavy cloth. It contains 400 pages, 100 illustrations and diagrams, an index, and two maps (one of them a beautiful bird's-eye view of the Canal Zone in four colors). IT IS ACTUALLY A \$2.00 VALUE.

OUR GUARANTEE

The Constitution has undertaken the distribution of this book solely because of its educational merit and whatever benefit there is to be derived from the good will of those who profit from our offer. The Constitution will cheerfully refund the price of the book to any purchaser who is not satisfied with it.

"Within the Law."

This afternoon's public will see a another opportunity to see the great melodrama of modern life. Within the Law is the most brilliant and most powerful of the great plays...

"The Blue Bird."

Scenes are now selling at the Atlanta Theatre. The Blue Bird is the most beautiful and most powerful of the great plays...

Keith Vaudeville.

The last opportunity to see the Keith Vaudeville troupe is this afternoon. The Keith Vaudeville troupe is the most brilliant and most powerful of the great plays...

Norman Hackett.

Norman Hackett is the popular singer who has made so many friends here in Atlanta. He is the most brilliant and most powerful of the great plays...

Moving Pictures.

A splendid picture is now being shown at the Grand Theatre. The picture is the most brilliant and most powerful of the great plays...

"A Slave of the Mill."

A Slave of the Mill is the most brilliant and most powerful of the great plays. It is the story of a man who is a slave of the mill...

Sports of the Day

EDITED BY Dick Jemison

COLLEGE CHAMPS PLAY ATHLETICS

S. I. A. A. Basketball Champions Meet Atlanta Athletic Club Five in Fourth Game of Season.

Local basketball fans are in a treat at the Atlanta Athletic Club tonight...

MOBILE Y. M. C. A. WILL NOT PLAY THIS SEASON

Mobile A. A. December 26—(Special) It has been announced that the Mobile Young Men's Christian Association will not have a basketball team this season...

TINKER CONFERS WITH THE FEDERALS

Chicago December 26—(Special) The first conference between the Chicago Tinker former manager of the Cincinnati team and President Gilmore of the Federal League...

TENNIS MATCH First Tourney for New Trophy at Gotham Today.

Tuxedo Park N. Y. December 26—The first tennis tournament for the new national championship trophy...

TO PROHIBIT PASSING OF HEAVY HITTERS

Chicago December 26—A plan to eliminate the dangerous passing of heavy hitters from the National Baseball League...

WORLD'S SERIES GAMES AT PANAMA EXPOSITION

New York December 26—The first exhibition of the world's series games at the Panama Exposition...

Welsh Will Give Whitney A Boxing Lesson, He Says

Prodded Welsh lightweight champion of England and owner of the Lord Lonsdale belt...

Local Knights of Columbus Five to Play Chattanoogaans

Chattanooga Tenn. December 26—(Special)—A splendid basketball game is in store for the basketball lovers of this city Saturday night...

LOCAL MOGULS WILL GO ON HUNTING TRIP

Managers Billy Smith President Frank F. Callaway and Directors Charles Nunnally and Gus Ryan of the local baseball association...

ALL-STAR FOOTBALL AT 'NOOGA TODAY

Chattanooga Tenn. December 26—(Special)—The all star eleven of the local football association...

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New York December 26—The Players' Fraternity announced that a committee representing the players...

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RUN MOTORCYCLE RACE AT SAVANNAH TODAY

Forty-Eight Entrants Ready to Start on 300 Mile Sprint on Grand Prize Course.

Savannah Ga. December 26—(Special)—The 300 mile motorcycle race which was scheduled for the 10th...

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Howell Woodward Here On Leave of Absence Visiting His Parents

Howell Woodward, lieutenant commander in the United States navy son of Park Woodward is in Atlanta on a month's leave of absence...



Photos by Francis Price Staff Photographer LIEUTENANT HOWELL WOODWARD

special squadron in the interests of the Panama Pacific exposition...

Father William F. Rigge, Scientist, Will Lecture On Life in Other Worlds

A lecture by Rev. Father William F. Rigge, S. J. the rector of the cathedral at Creighton university...

CHORUS OF 400 WILL SING NEXT SUNDAY

The Atlanta Music Festival Chorus composed of 400 voices, which was heard in a big Christmas concert last year...

FITZGERALD MAN'S BODY FOUND IN RIVER

Fitzgerald Ga. December 26—(Special)—The body of Woodson John A. Fitzgerald was found in the Ocmulgee river...

DALLAS MAN IS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Dallas Ga. December 26—(Special)—Albert Freeman a young man 19 years old was shot while hunting...

Negro Shoots His Wife.

West Point Ga. December 26—(Special)—A shooting occurred on the Hudson River about 10 miles north of here...

Johnson Bound Over For Burning of Barn

Jonesboro Ga. December 26—(Special)—John Johnson charged with the burning of the barn of J. J. Waldrop...

ANOTHER SALOON RAIDED AT MACON

Macon Ga. December 26—(Special)—Continuing his raid against alleged blind negroes...

FITZGERALD MILLS TO ENLARGE PLANT

Fitzgerald Ga. December 26—(Special)—The new year by adding one hundred new looms to the weaving plant...

SILVER SERVICE IS GIVEN L. O. BENTON

Sylvania Ga. December 26—(Special)—A handsome silver service was given to L. O. Benton...

73 Tons on Keel.

Bristol R. I. December 26—Eighteen tons of lead today were added to the keel of the Vanderbilt syndicate's tugboat...

GRIFFIN BEER LICENSE IS RAISED TO \$15,000

Georgia Town Now Has What Is Highest License Fee in America.

Griffin, Ga. December 26—(Special) As a result of the forming ten days ago of a law enforcement league...

CHEMISTS OF ATLANTA TO ENTERTAIN VISITORS

Chemists of Atlanta and the state are preparing an elaborate entertainment for Section C of the American Association...

Geo. T. Ruffin Dies Suddenly at Reynolds

Reynolds Ga. December 26—(Special)—George T. Ruffin died at his residence here at 4 o'clock Christmas morning...

CHRISTMAS CANTATA AT PERRY, GA., TODAY

Perry Ga. December 26—(Special) Mrs. Beattie Houser Nunn has arranged a very elaborate Christmas cantata...

CHILLY RIDES HOME FROM CHRISTMAS TREE

Monroe Ga. December 26—(Special)—While a Christmas tree celebration was being held...

WEST PANAMA CANAL INDIES BERMUDA HAWAII, GREECE, ITALY, Etc.

JOHN M. BORN, Steamship Agent 517 Third National Bank Building.

AMUSEMENTS ATLANTA TONIGHT

Matinee Today, 2:30 Within the Law ALSO FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

SEATS SELLING RAPIDLY FOR NEW YEAR'S WEEK STARTING DEC 29

MAETERLINCK'S THE BLUE BIRD Original New York Cast and Production

ATLANTA'S BUSIEST THEATER FORSYTH

SERGEANT BAGBY Lewin Lobb's Comedy Gem

THIS WEEK LYON'S MATINEES TUE-THU-FRI-SAT

HAPPY HOOLIGAN The Greatest Laughing Success of the Age.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY

For motor cars, motor trucks and motor boats. Does away with much of the taking down and putting up of motors...

SHOOTING AT RABBIT HE KILLS COMRADE

Richard Ferrell, of Marietta, Killed by Milton Warren.

Marietta Ga. December 26—(Special)—Milton Warren aged 19 shot and instantly killed Richard Ferrell...

CUNARD Liverpool Service

NEAR SAILINGS OF THE EASTEST STEAMERS IN THE WORLD LUSITANIA, . . JAN. 14 MAURETANIA, FEB. 11

SAILING HOUR I. A. M. QUICKEST ROUTE VIA ENGLAND FOR LONDON PARIS BERLIN VIENNA

Cunard Line Dec 27 Lusitania Feb 25

New Orleans to Bremen \$65 One Class (11) Steamships

Regular service just established. Splendid steamers exceptionally fine passenger accommodation...

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD

Sailings from New Orleans

Orient Cruise 64 DAYS Independent Trips Thru Europe

ROGERS B. TOY STEAMSHIP AGENT Ticket Office Union Station Phone M. 213

Piedmont The Cigarette of Quality. Quality made it the biggest-selling 5c. cigarette in America. Quality keeps it the biggest. Whole coupon in each package.

YACHT SYNDICATE TO MEET NEXT MONDAY. Boston December 26—The Philadelphia New York and Boston yachtsmen comprising the syndicate...

For All Motors A Perfect Motor Oil—In Cans or by the Barrel. You can now buy Polarine—the motor oil with a perfect body—in cans, by the barrel, or by the half-barrel.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY. For motor cars, motor trucks and motor boats. Does away with much of the taking down and putting up of motors...

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Little Talks on Babyology

By Anna Steess Richardson, Director of the Better Babies Bureau, of The Woman's Home Companion

BABY'S LITTLE DEFECTS, AND HOW TO CURE THEM. These little talks on Babyology are not designed to be read by the family physician in the home circle...

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RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains at Atlanta.

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NASH-OBEAR SPLIT AT CRITICAL STAGE

Evident One or Other Must Give Way—Obeas Confers With Governor—Nash Issues Statement.

Who will win out in the conflict that is now going on between Adjutant General Obeas and Governor Slaton is still agitating the national guard throughout the state and will continue to do so until Governor Slaton announces his final decision in the matter.

That it has become an "irrepressible conflict" and means that one or other of the two officials must give way, there remains hardly room for doubt.

At the close of the conference both he and the chief executive were approached to see if they had anything to give out to the public as a result of the conference. Neither was ready to talk.

Governor Slaton said: "I am working on the case, but have nothing to announce as yet. As soon as I have come to a conclusion as to what the law requires, I will announce my decision."

Meanwhile General Nash gave an statement to the effect that he has no objection to the fact that some have done an injustice to former Governor Brown, and he wishes to correct any erroneous impression that may have been made thereby.

Statement From Nash. "In the issue of your paper of December 21 you credit to me the following statement:

"I know that Governor Brown, when he placed me in the office of adjutant general, did so purely from the kindness of his heart and his unwillingness to throw me out of the office because he recognized my need of the office."

"I am sorry that the office was not given to me without a quartermaster general and that as an injustice has been unintentionally done to Governor Brown and his family by a public correction of a statement which has been made in my paper."

At that time there existed no federal laws conflicting with the state laws, and Governor Brown was entirely right in restoring the two offices as prescribed by the state law.

Now, however, the federal law does not recognize the office of adjutant general, and the state law which provides for the office of adjutant general is discontinued.

Therefore, it is now entirely proper that the adjutant general be discontinued and the state statute repealed.

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FRIENDS MAKE SEARCH FOR WALTER DANZIGER

Reported in New Orleans That Missing Man Had Been Seen in Atlanta.

New Orleans, December 26.—While relatives and friends of Walter Danziger tonight vainly tried to ascertain his whereabouts, the state bank examiner was going over the books of the South Carolina Trust and several accountants were checking books of Mr. Danziger's varied interests.

Mr. Danziger is a member of the real estate firm of Danziger & Tessler, one of the largest in New Orleans; is liquidator of the Teutonia bank, the Mitchell Trust Company and the People's insurance company. The combined bond required of him for his work with these interests is \$235,000.

Mr. Danziger had about \$500 with him when he left his apartment in a local hotel Tuesday. His young wife to whom he was married less than a year ago believes he has not fled.

His business associates offer no excuse for his absence.

Michael Mitchell, who is financially interested in the Mitchell-Borne construction company, according to reports from New Orleans last night, Danziger is said to be in Atlanta.

The local branch of the Burns Detective agency, which organization represents the Teutonia Bank in New Orleans, stated through its superintendent late last night that they had traced Danziger to Atlanta.

The Pinkertons also said they knew nothing of the case.

Captain and His Crew Rescued From Rigging Of Sinking Barkentine

Key West, Fla., December 26.—The revenue cutter Miami, Captain Quinn, headed today for the British barkentine Malwa, bound from Gulfport, Miss., to Trinidad, West Indies, with asphalt, which was being carried in the hold.

The barkentine was struck by a heavy sea about 10 miles southwest of the entrance to the Mississippi river.

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WILSON OF ATLANTA IS SHAMMING INSANITY

Ex-Priest Is Crafty and a Clever Actor, Declares Alienist

New York, December 26.—That Hans Schmidt, a retained United States attorney, has been shamming insanity, was the burden of testimony given today by four alienist appearing before the state.

Dr. McDonald, the first expert called by the prosecution, testified that on September 24 the accused ex-priest had told him:

"I am willing for the law to take its course, for you can have my body." Dr. McDonald gave it as his opinion that Schmidt is a man of normal intelligence and that he had shamming insanity much more cleverly than an ignorant person could have done.

He also thought it possible that the two alienists of the defense had been suggested by the accused, and that Dr. Hermann, who examined Schmidt for the royal court of Munich, Germany, had been misled upon by the simulations of Schmidt.

Dr. George H. Kirby said he had found the witness to be working rapidly, but that it had given no indication of abnormality. In his opinion, Schmidt is a man of normal intelligence, and he doubted the truth of Schmidt's assertions that he had visions.

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TEEN LIVES LOST IN COAST STORM

While Atlantic Coast Is Lashed by Elements, Huge Breakers Do Much Damage on Pacific

New York, December 26.—New York and vicinity and miles of the north Jersey coast suffered today from a combination of wind, rain and tide, incident to a storm which began last night and increased in fury near dawn.

Two barges, broken from their tow, sank near the Forker river (N. J.) life-saving station with a possible loss of ten lives; Seabright, N. J., was partly inundated, many fishermen's shacks destroyed, hotels undermined and the Central railroad of New Jersey put out of commission.

Small craft here and there broke away from their moorings and were either damaged or lost. A car float ran amuck in the East river, sinking eight motor boats, and the Erie steamer at Jersey City was flooded.

How many, it is believed, perished on the sinking barges would be determined only when the identity of the tug Edgemoor of Jersey City was ascertained. Owners of the tug Edgemoor, F. Luckenbach reported that she was slowly coming into the harbor minus two barges she had been towing.

Each had crew of five aboard. A driving rain in the storm belt gave way to snow for a time this afternoon.

Other others were on board the tug, but if their crews were not taken off before the vessels sank, they must have been drowned. The barges were not identified nor was there any sign of wreckage on the beach for some distance.

A small metallic lifeboat, such as is usually carried by tugs and bearing the name Undaunted, drifted ashore from the wreckage.

STORM ON JERSEY COAST. LEANING WALL OF STORM WHICH RAGED ALONG THE NORTHERN NEW JERSEY COAST EARLY TODAY LEFT A trail of wreckage on the beach for miles.

The heavy surf washed away houses, undermined streets and furred up the beach.

The fishermen of Seabright were the worst sufferers. Many who lived in shacks near the beach were hospitalized today. Many were at work shoring up buildings which threatened to collapse under the weight of water.

Tracks were blocked by sand. Two hotels were undermined and all but no loss of life was reported.

DINERS IN BASEMENT GRILL ALMOST DROWNED BY TIDE. Ocean Park, Cal., December 26.—Twenty-foot breakers, tumbling in on the beach, today threatened to drown diners in a basement grill.

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TWO AUTOS KILL WOMAN AND INJURE HUSBAND

Mrs. Gertrude Lee and Husband Hit by Two Cars on Broadway.

New York, December 26.—Mrs. Gertrude Lee, daughter of Colonel Philip B. Harvey, a retired United States army lieutenant, was killed and her husband, Richard B. Lee, Jr., was seriously injured by two automobiles which ran them down early today as they were returning home from Christmas dinner at the house of a friend.

The Lees were crossing the street struggling under an umbrella against a driving rain when the first car, a Buick, knocked them down. The second, a taxi, ran over them before the driver could stop. Mrs. Lee died in a hospital, but her husband was recovering.

The chauffeur of the taxicab was arrested, but released. The police started a hunt for the driver of the limousine which, after the accident, disappeared.

Colonel Harvey, here on a visit from Washington, accompanied his daughter and son-in-law to the dinner and was walking about of them. He did not learn of the accident until he reached home. Lee is superintendent of transportation for the American Sugar Refining company.

Before her second marriage, Mrs. Conville Arnold.

MRS. REYNOLDS DIES AT DAUGHTER'S HOME. Mrs. Susan M. Reynolds, sister of Mrs. W. T. Cooper, No. 24 West 10th street, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Cooper, No. 24 West 10th street, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Reynolds was 70 years old and formerly lived at Athens, Ga., removing to Atlanta in 1908. Her funeral services will be held from the residence at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

TURKEY DINNER FOR CONVICTS. Gibson, Ga., December 26.—(Special.) County Commissioner H. S. Sammons started with a gang of convicts a turkey dinner yesterday. The two officials have made it a custom to have a turkey dinner for the convicts of the county of Glascock.

It is reported that a five hours' skimmish took place between the convicts and the followers of Zapata. Capolin mountain, near Ajusco, at the end of the district. The convicts' commander claims that 45 rebels were killed and the others dispersed.

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FUNERAL NOTICES.

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SWITZER.—The friends of Mrs. Marie Switzer, Mrs. A. J. Switzer, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Switzer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McWaters, Mr. and Mrs. A. Switzer, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Colquhoun, Mr. and Mrs. L. Long and Mrs. W. E. Crawley are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Marie Switzer, which will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. J. H. McWaters, 9 West 10th street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment at Woodlawn cemetery.

BAKER.—The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. H. Baker and family are invited to attend the funeral of their little daughter, Annie May, Saturday, December 27, 1913, at 2 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. H. Baker, 9 West 10th street. The Rev. W. H. Bell will officiate. Interment at Woodlawn cemetery. The casket will be in charge of H. M. Patterson & Son at 1 o'clock.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS. BARCLAY & BRANDON CO. Funeral Directors, are now located in their new home, 246 Ivy street, corner Baker. Auto ambulance. A. O. & ROY DONEYHO. FUNERAL PARLORS. 99 Marletta St. B. Phone M. 1647. Atlanta 4100.

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