

OFFICIALS ARE CONFIDENT

NO DOUBT OF BONDS SUCCESS

Treasury Department Feels No Doubt as to Success of Panama Bonds and One-Year Treasury Certificates...

GAMBLING FOR OFFICES

THAT COIN-TOSSING AFFAIR

How the President Settled the Factional Dispute Over the South Dakota Plans by Means of Paper Balls and a Coin—The Antagonistic Senators From the States Line Up Before the President and Settle the "Scrap" by Taking Chances For the Privilege of Naming the Candidates Which Will Be Sent to the Senate...

RATE HEARING IS RESUMED

CLERK BROWN FIRST WITNESS

Late of Profit to Either Side Developed at First Day's Hearing, But the Session is Made Interesting by the Personal Statements of Standing Master Montgomery, Who Explains Why He Has Made the Several Continuations...

BAD DAY FOR MRS. BRADLEY

MUCH DAMAGING TESTIMONY

Government Has Its Inning and Many Witnesses Offer Damaging Evidence in Bradley Trial—Newspaper Men, Police Officials, Doctors, Prison Attendants and Others Declare That Mrs. Bradley Has Been Rational in Manner—Dramatic Description of Encounter Between Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Bradley at Hotel in Idaho—Senator Brown Came to Mrs. Bradley's Rescue and Firmly Denounced His Wife—No Court-To-Day...

CLOSE RELATIONS EXIST

VICE PRES. HILL ON STAND

Official of American Tobacco Company Testifies as to Relations With United Cigar Stores Company—No Direct Admission of Absolute Control But Unusually Close Relations Exist Between Two Companies—Cigar Company Given Regular Discounts Allowed Jobbers Who Encourage Buying of Company's Products—Personal Letters of Mr. Hill Relative to Plan for Maintaining Prices Introduced...

AMZI HELMS CONFESSES

SAYS HE KILLED ELLA PRYOR

The Young Fellow Charged With Shooting the Hopewell Girl Admits That He Did It, But Did Not Know That the Gun Was Loaded—The Only Way Out of Very Close Quarters—Attorneys Retained to Make the Fight—Helms Thought the Gun Had Been a Single Barrel and He Unloaded That Before He Pointed It—Had No Idea He Had Shot the Girl...

WILL SETTLE IT AT ASHEVILLE

Decree in Virginia Passenger Rate Cases Will Be Sent to Judge Pritchard at His Home For His Opinion—Hill's Family the Reason—Both Sides Determined to Carry Case on Whatever the Decision of the Observer...

EXPLAINS CONTINUANCES

Standing Master Montgomery before he proceeded with the taking of the evidence in the case of the Southern Railway against the corporation, made some remarks, saying these were to make plain his position regarding the several postponements of the hearing and the reason for such delay...

LEAVE HOTEL TOGETHER

After leaving the hotel at Pocatello where this meeting took place, Brown, Mrs. Bradley and the witness went out to another hotel, where the Senator and Mrs. Bradley had a cocktail or two...

DAMAGED OFF HATTERS

Steamship Admiral Schley Returns to Philadelphia For Repairs—Suffers From Drift Around For Ten Hours—Philadelphia, Nov. 27.—During the storm which swept along the Atlantic coast last Saturday night and Sunday the steamship Admiral Schley, bound from Philadelphia for Port Antonio with 10 passengers on board, five of whom were women, sustained damage to its machinery which caused the vessel to drift about for 10 hours...

LICORICE APPEAL FILED

Two Companies Convicted of Cornering Trade in Licorice File Appeal in Supreme Court—Fine Amounting to \$18,000, Imposed by Circuit Court—Washington, Nov. 27.—The appeal of the MacAndrews and Forbes Company and the J. S. Young Company in the prosecution of those corporations by the government on the charge of cornering the trade in licorice used in the manufacture of cigars and tobacco was filed to-day in the Supreme Court of the United States...

ENFORCE VAGRANCY LAW

Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 27.—For the benefit of the cotton and sugar cane fields, Governor Blanchard to-day sent instructions to every sheriff in Louisiana strictly to enforce the vagrancy law. This means that idle men will be forced to seek work or leave the community. Agricultural laborers are much needed...

WHY WEDDING WAS POSTPONED

Vienna, Nov. 27.—Members of the Szechenyi family declare that the postponement of the wedding of Count Lasso Szechenyi to Miss Chladya Szechenyi is due only to the desire of the bride's brother to attend the ceremony his entire willingness to stand...

TRIED TO KILL SLEEPING SON

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 27.—Mrs. Elizabeth D. Smith, a widow suffering from mental trouble, slayed to-day the throat of her 23-year-old son Philip with a razor as he slept with blood streaming from the gash he made in his mother's arm as she was about to jump into a cistern. Assistance arrived just as he was fainting from loss of blood. He is expected to recover...

PLEADS GUILTY TO MURDER CHARGE

Columbus, Ga., Nov. 27.—In the superior court to-day Frank Reed, a young white man, pleaded guilty to murder, and was given a life sentence in the penitentiary. Reed was charged with the murder of a young man named John Bellamy, another young man, who subsequently died at his home at Swainsboro, Tenn.

ENVOY ARRIVES

New Orleans, La., Nov. 27.—William E. Arms, night editor of the New Orleans Times-Democrat, arrived here to-day. He was operated on two days ago for a complication of diseases. Mr. Arms, who was a native of Alabama, had been identified with Southern newspapers for more than 30 years...

LEVER BOARD INVESTIGATION

Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 27.—A bill providing for investigating the finances of State levee boards was passed by the House of Representatives to-day. Charges have been made that some levee board finances have not been properly administered...

WILL SAIL DECEMBER 16th

"You Can Bet Your North American Life on the Fleet," Says Admiral Evans—Life on a Fleet, Says Admiral Evans—At the Bureau of Navigation it is called there may be possibly a trifling delay in the arrival at Hampton Roads of the battleships Minnesota, Kentucky and Virginia, which yet have to be docked and their sea valves overhauled before they are ready for a long trip. Admiral Evans will be at home as usual at the White House to-morrow night...

ELECTED BY NINE VOTES

Providence, R. I., Nov. 27.—Ralph C. Watson, of Warwick, Republican, was elected Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island by a plurality of 9 votes over Charles H. Sisson, the Democratic nominee, at a recent State election, according to the official count which was completed by the State returning board to-day. The vote was: Watson, 31,218; Sisson, 31,207...

ON THE UNOFFICIAL RETURNS

The Democrats claimed a plurality for Sisson of 1,163. The Republicans claimed a small plurality for Watson.

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