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EXTRA SESSION TALK IS ENDED

BY CONFERENCE OF MR. PAYNE WITH PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT YESTERDAY.
Reciprocity with Cuba Treaty is to Be Effected at Next Session of Congress.

ALMOST UNANIMOUS CONSENT IS EXPECTED

WILL BE EFFECTED BY TREATY, IN WHICH HOUSE MUST CONCUR, AS QUESTIONS OF REVENUE ARE INVOLVED.

Washington, July 3.—Chairman Payne, of the house committee on ways and means, today conferred with President Roosevelt in regard to Cuban reciprocity. Upon leaving the executive quarters, Mr. Payne, in response to questions on the subject, said he was satisfied that reciprocity with Cuba would be effected at the next session of congress with almost a unanimous vote in both houses. The method by which this will be attained, he said, will be by the treaty. Under ordinary conditions, he said, a treaty is ratified by the senate only, but in matters of this kind, involving questions of revenue, under the Dingley law, the house under the constitution has equal jurisdiction with the senate.
The conference of Mr. Payne with the president and his subsequent utterances effectually put an end to extra session talk.

AMNESTY TODAY AND CIVIL GOVERNMENT

Washington, July 3.—The war department made public tonight the proclamation of amnesty to be issued tomorrow in Manila by direction of the president. It declares the insurrection in the Philippines at an end and peace established in all parts of the archipelago except Moro country. Complete amnesty is granted to all persons in the Philippines who participated in the insurrection against Spain and the outbreaks against the American army. It extends a pardon to natives who may have violated the laws of warfare but not to persons already convicted of criminal offenses. Orders are to be issued tomorrow withdrawing all military control and to place the Philippine government entirely in the hands of civil authorities.

Washington, July 3.—The president will promulgate to the army tomorrow the Fourth of July address expressing appreciation of the work of the land forces in the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico. Simultaneously an official order will be promulgated by Root, announcing termination of insurrection and relieving General Chaffee from his military governorship. The office being discontinued by the turning over of the government to the civil authorities. The president's address will be read as a general order at parade tomorrow in every military post in the country, the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico.

MURDER AND SUICIDE COMMITTED IN TEXAS

Former Chattanooga Chief of Police Kills Self and Wife.

Fort Worth, Texas, July 3.—A telephone message tonight from Bowie gives particulars of a horrible tragedy committed in that town between 2 and 3 o'clock this afternoon and as a result J. P. Kilgore and his wife are dead.

For 10 days we will give special prices in our picture framing department. Those having pictures to frame will do well to come and get prices. A large and well selected stock of mountings to select from.
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It was murder and suicide. The tragedy took place just as the funeral of Dr. D. O. Mitchell, the family physician of Kilgore, was being preached across the street from the scene. Two pistol reports rang out in quick succession and there was a stampede of the attendants of the funeral who rushed into the Kilgore cottage. In the rubbish room in the rear of the building was found the bodies of both Kilgore and his wife, lying in pools of blood. The woman had been shot through the head, while the husband had sent a bullet through his brain by putting the muzzle of the gun in his mouth. A portion of the head was torn away. No cause is assigned for the deed. Mrs. Kilgore was arranging to leave for Chattanooga, Tenn., their former home, next week. Two grown sons were the only other members of the family.
Kilgore was formerly chief of police in Chattanooga.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT IN PHILIPPINES

IS NOW EXTENDED OVER ALL THE CIVILIZED PEOPLE.

Washington, July 3.—Secretary Root has received the following reply from Acting Governor Wright, of the Philippines, to his congratulatory cablegram sent yesterday:
"Provisional government was inaugurated in Laguna on July 1, thus completing the establishment of civil government over all the civilized people of the archipelago. Acceptance of American authority and general pacification complete. I beg to offer congratulations to you and through you to the president on the success of wise and humane policy inaugurated by President McKinley and continued by President Roosevelt."

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT LEAVES FOR PITTSBURG

Washington, July 3.—The president left Washington tonight at 7:45 for Pittsburgh where he will deliver the Fourth of July oration at Schenley park. Attorney General Knox, Secretary Cortelyou, Dr. John F. Urie and Mr. A. Latta of Elkhart accompanied the president. The party occupied a car attached to the regular Pittsburgh express on the Pennsylvania road.

ASHEVILLE WILL CELEBRATE FOURTH WITH UNPRECEDENTED ELABORATENESS

The biggest Fourth of July that ever took place in Asheville will be seen, enjoyed and welcomed today. Preparations that have been on hand for a month, involved their finishing touches last evening and with brilliant display and deafening noises the city will revel the entire day. For some unaccountable reason, the spirit of celebrating seized the whole community about three days ago. Joy will reign supreme. From 10 o'clock this morning until 12 tonight there will be enough to satisfy the hardest to please person that may be within the city's limits. Enterprise and activity have been a predominant feature of the unselfish ones who have sacrificed time and money for this day.

At 10 o'clock the clerks will play a game of baseball with the Royal Arcanum. The friends of these two organizations should alone guarantee a good crowd.

The B. P. O. E. will hold a business session at 10:30. At 3 p. m. the most elaborate and expensive parade ever given by any local organization will gladden the hearts and delight the eyes of the thousands that will view the procession in all its glory.

White duck suits and green caps will be worn by the Elks and a brass band will furnish bright, lively music to lighten the foot-steps and cheer the soul of every parader.

The route will be as follows: Church street to Willow, Willow to South Main street, South Main street to Court square, thence circling the court house to Patton avenue to Haywood, Haywood to North French Broad, North French Broad to Patton avenue. The parade will be headed by six mounted police, followed by carriages containing Grand Exalted Ruler C. P. Pickett, President C. F. Tomlinson, Past Director General N. W. Wilson and Director General Harvey M. Dickson.
Next in line will be the First Regiment band, the Asheville Light Infantry, Capt. F. B. Hearn; the Blue Ridge Rifles, Capt. F. M. Lindsey, and the various lodges of the state in the following order:
Charlotte lodge, Salisbury, Greensboro, Raleigh, Winston, Wilmington, Durham, Winston, Newbern, Goldsboro, Six blanket tossers in costume, Asheville lodge, visiting Elks.
The marshals will be Dr. J. A. Gorman and D. G. Noland, chiefs, Dick Weaver, J. G. Stickleather, C. C. Millard, Dr. Paul Paquin, W. N. Cooper.

Charlottesville lodge, Salisbury, Greensboro, Raleigh, Winston, Wilmington, Durham, Winston, Newbern, Goldsboro, Six blanket tossers in costume, Asheville lodge, visiting Elks.

The offerings in that popular residence section are getting few and far between (that is at bargain prices), but we have one residence and large lot on Montford owned by a non-resident on which we have a price that we consider very low. We will be pleased to give you full particulars.

Flags Flags

For Decorations. Also
Fireworks at
HESTON'S.
28 So. Main.

REWARD FOR FAITHFUL MEN

ERIE COAL COMPANY GIVES ALL EMPLOYEES A TEN PER CENT BONUS.

Other Coal Mining Companies are Expected to Follow in Suit.

SMALL RIOT LEAD TO THREE MORE ARRESTS

Wilkesbarre, July 3.—The Erie Coal company today gave all its employees, including those who returned since the last pay day, a ten per cent. bonus as a reward for their faithfulness during the strike. Other companies are expected to follow suit.

President Mitchell returned home from the west this afternoon. A small riot at Drifton led to three more arrests. All the coal and iron guards at the William Colliery of the Lehigh Valley Coal company, where there was rioting yesterday, were withdrawn from the mine or placed in building away from sight, to be taken out during the night. The change appeased the Italians.

FIERCE WIND STORM IN AND NEAR BALTIMORE

Baltimore, July 3.—A great wind storm this afternoon did much damage. Several were injured by flying missiles. One man was killed in Green Springs valley by a tank being blown on him.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEES PREPARING FOR BUSINESS

Washington, July 3.—A conference is to be held Monday between Chairman Griggs of the democratic congressional campaign committee, Ben. T. Cable, chairman of the democratic executive

committee and Lewis Nixon, chairman of the democratic finance committee to get things in working order for the fall campaign. Griggs left for his Georgia home last night after firing a parting shot at the republicans. Secretary Edwards of the congressional committee has asked the democratic senators and representatives how much time each can spare for speeches. The campaign material will be ready in a few days including Hoar's and Mason's anti-Philippine speeches.

STATE ELECTIONS BOARD HELD MEETING YESTERDAY

COUNTY BOARDS TO CONSIST OF TWO DEMOCRATS AND ONE REPUBLICAN.

Special to the Gazette.
Raleigh, July 3.—The state board of elections met today, all the members being present. Secretary Robert T. Claywell of Morganton was ordered to notify the state chairman of the republican and democratic parties to procure the names of persons desired to serve on county election boards and to report at the next meeting of the state board, August 4. County boards will consist of one republican and two democrats. The populists will be ignored.

Governor Aycock today announced the appointment of state directors of the North Carolina railroad. They are the same as for the past year.

At Smithfield today the democratic convention of the Sixth district nominated W. R. Allen of Goldsboro for judge, and Armistead Jones of Raleigh, for solicitor.

Auditor B. F. Dixon and Treasurer B. R. Lacy went to Morganton tonight to deliver patriotic and educational addresses tomorrow.

PRESIDENT WILL TALK CUBAN RECIPROCITY

Washington, July 3.—The president during his western trip the coming summer and fall will strongly argue the policy of Cuban reciprocity in the very districts whose republican senators and congressmen were active in opposing the administration's Cuban policy.

SENATE COMMITTEE TO VISIT PHILIPPINES

Washington, July 3.—Senators Mitchell of Oregon, Foster of Washington, Bacon of Kansas, Cockrell of Missouri, Clark of Montana, the subcommittee of the committee on Pacific islands and Porto Rico appointed to visit Hawaii in the recess of congress met today and decided to leave San Francisco for Hawaii on August 1.

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New Program for 4th of July Week

Corned Beef Hash... 15c
Ham Omelette... 25c
Eggs, Any Style... 10c
Norfolk Deviled Crabs... 10c
Corned Beef Sandwich... 5c
Chicken-Ham Sandwiches... 5c
Tongue and Egg Sandwiches... 5c
Cold Milk and Pie, each... 15c
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Parlor: Room 17 Paragon Building, Phone 425.

CONFIDENT OF KING'S RECOVERY

SIR FREDERICK TREVES, ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, WATCHED FOR SEVEN DAYS.

London, July 3.—The following bulletin was issued regarding King Edward's condition at 10 o'clock this morning from Buckingham palace:
"The King has slept well, and nothing has occurred to mar the excellent progress his majesty is now making."
7 p. m.—"His majesty had a comfortable day. His general condition is still further improved and the wound now causes him comparatively little pain."

London, July 3.—Discussing the king's uninterrupted progress, the Lancet says:
"It has been necessary to remove the drainage tubes as they could not be tolerated and gauze plugs are now used instead. The wound is granulating satisfactorily, the discharge has diminished and is perfectly inodorous. His majesty's temperature has been normal since June 28. His constitutional condition is admirable."

The British Medical Journal, in expressing a similarly satisfactory view of the king's condition, says:

"At no time has it been necessary since the operation to use sedatives to induce the king to sleep. To medical men who have read the daily bulletins it has been obvious that the statements therein were entirely frank. There was great anxiety at first. Sir Frederick Treves did not go to bed for seven nights. But the load of anxiety is now lightened, if it has not entirely disappeared. The rumors regarding the king's general health are altogether unfounded and confidence is now felt that, thanks in an unusual degree to his sound constitution, the king will make recovery."

DR. LAMBERT HAS SOLD HIS PAINTING DEPARTMENT

Dr. G. H. Lambert has sold his carriage painting and upholstery department to Charles B. Gray of Knoxville, and Mr. Gray has taken charge. Dr. Lambert will devote his entire attention to the wood-working department of his business.

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1-4 OFF Muslin Underwear
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