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Friday, June 11, 1915.

SECRETARYSHIP "BRYAN'S RETROSPECT."

flaying Mr. Bryan for deserting the ship of state in time of peril, seeing foreign policy is to be, records that called softly. "Tommy! Come here! believe his ears! He looked at Mrs. in his retirement an inconsistency in policy on his personal typewriter and Vou'll be killed! I saw that shell Tommy and she looked at him and note to Germany, but refused to sign another of like tenor. But the Greens- and more especially for the signature An awful shiver of fear ran down boro News points out that Mr. Eryan of Mr. Eryan. We doubt whether signed the first note under some signed the first note under some misapprehension, understanding that misapprehension and misapprehension are misapprehension. a supplementary document was to be the signature of men like Olney and pered to her when he got his breath, sent.

Hay and Root, Mr. Bryan is a man "isn't it a shell? Shells don't move. corner and got acquainted with their

The Gazette-News has taken the position that Mr. Bryan's retirement was forced by circumstances over which he apparently had no control. equipment Mr. Bryan will compare The Greensboro News goes deeper favorably with any of the admittedly than that; and finds in Mr. Bryan great men who have held the position an "exemplification of a fairly well of Secretary of State, an may portend great things in an national morality. This, every development." Says The News:

his post had to be. The student of wholly aimiess and automatous posimodern history will have a realizing tion very long. sense of this Speculation at this mo-ment upon what the act portends fall the Democratic party, as a politiwill be largely profitiess. We are only cal organization, as a result of the permitted to view the situation retrospectively. There is the circums of the man who has for years done not explain the conduct of Mr. Bryan, may portend great things in an in-

fication of a fairly well understood velopment. philosophy of life. At this moment there are English statesmen well and favorably known in America, who MUNICER MARKET MERE have since this world war began dedicated themselves to this same ideal-broadly speaking, the ideal of universal peace. There are English statesmen who are today demanding the democratization of the foreign policies of their government, . who demand that there shall be no more MMMM secret alliances which lead inevitably to war, and to the shedding of 1815the blood of people who have no voice in these conspiracies against neighboring nations.

Mr. Bryan was not alone in the belief that the course being pursued by the President would lead to war. Those most active in the support of 1540 the Administration freely admit that the policy may so eventuate. Mr. Dryan signed the first note to Germany with reluctance, and under some misapprehension; he had been led to believe that the Fresident would send 1868a supplementary note to Berlin which would lessen the chances of a misunderstanding. To have signed the second note would have meant self-stultification to Mr. Bryan. He found the government, of which he was an important part, leading in one 1890 direction, and his convictions and his conscience leading in the opposite direction. Mr. Bryan has views as to how the lives of individuals, and of nations, should be ordered. He had been instrumental in negotiating 20 peace treaties with that number of RR foreign governments; and even Ger-many had accepted the treaty in principle. The principle upon which all those treaties rest provides for consideration of all disputes by an investigating commission, and for ample time for consideration before there shall be any resort to force. The REEL United States initiated those treatles. Mr. Bryan of course harbors the hope that the United States will not take the iniative in rendering the treaties, or the principle upon which they have been bottomed, nugatory, lish novelist, born at Ho That is why we think students of nia, 64 years ago today. modern history will readily understand how atterly impossible it would poser and for many years conductor have been for Mr. Bryan to remain at the Royal Opera house in Berlin, in the cabinet.

Mr. Bryan did a great deal for Mr. Wilson in the salvage line at Balti- Governor of Manitoba, born at more. Millions of people no doubt Hawkesbury, Ont., 61 years ago today.

ASHEVILLE GAZETTE-NEWS Bryan understood that a successful Administration meant another term for the President without to his interpretion of the one term plank in the Baltimore platform, Mr. Wilson may now be able to go it alone—the Baltimore convention being a thing of the past now-but just as likely as not the retirement of Mr. Bryan may mean a loss. The late Secretary of State was a tower of strength at times when the outlook for the legislative program of the Adlooked be protected in the right to travel in through the log. Any matter offered for publication that is not classified as news, giving notice or appealing or project where men have already been in touch with danger threatens from in front," said Mr. Bryan, and there can be little doubt where Mr. Bryan will stand "That's well enou is advertising and will be accepted at doubt where Mr. Bryan will stand "That's well enough to plan for." regular rates only. The same applies when his moral support is sought by she replied visely, "but we must first the fates were at all kind to the peo-ple of this country when Mr. Bryan to finish a job-he liked to begin bet-ter than to finish. finally concluded that he would have cession might have been made which front of the new home.

been on the side of peace. tion had come to be purely clerical about it all the time.
in character. Men of outstanding intellect and force have held the pre- they were through and settled down to miership in the American cabinet, admire it all, Mrs. Tommy happened and heretofore it has been the custom to look up! Right there in the doorto hold them largely, if not chiefly, way was a strange, queer-looking responsible, for the successful admin-shell! istration of our foreign affairs. In proceeded upon the assumption that there? Didn't I just finish clearing up and waited. And while they watched, there is wisdom in a multiplicity of our muss? And anyway, there was no two hair-like prongs peeped out of the The press supporting President been assured, Mr. Wilson invariably of that. How did that get there?

Wilson in this international crists is communes with himself, withdraws Mrs. Tommy didn't answer; she had mates, personally concludes what our safety. notes to the cabinet for ratification, about!" of convictions, which are a part of I've seen them in the house many a strange new guest. his life. Many people have not liked those convictions, but we venture the opinion that in point of intellectual

Mr. Bryan was asked to sign state understood philosophy of life." The papers whose contents could not be News also thinks the act of Mr. Bry- harmonized with his ideas of interinternational sense and that "as the was quite enough to render imperative his removal from Mr. Wilson's head of an American peace party council chamber. But that was not Mr. Bryan would become a factor in all. Mr. Bryan was not invited to perform the customary functions of his office, with its high and manifold responsibilities, at ail. One can The retirement of Mr. Bryan from not imagine Mr. Bryan occupying that

American peace party Mr. Bryan

A DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY June 11.

Hablet Knight Browne ("Phiz"), who became distin-Dickens' novels, born in London. Died at Brighton, Eng.,

Seventy-five years ago today .-The navy of the United States you want my services."

comprised 11 ships of the line. As the young man or 12 first-class frigates, 2 secondclass frigates, 21 sloops of war, 8 schooners and 4 brigs.

-Fifty years ago today .- The

-Twenty-five years ago today.-Henry M. Stanley, the famous explorer of Africa, received the freedom of the city of Edin-

OUR DAILY BIRTH.

DAY PARTY

Grand Duchess Tatiana. daughter of the Czar of Russia, born 15 years ago today.

Mrs. Humphry Ward, famous Eng-

lish novelist, born at Hobart, Tasma-Richard Strauss, celebrated com born in Munich, 51 years ago today, Sir Douglas Cameron, Lieutenant

Bed Time Tales

Clara Ingram Judson.

Tommy Tittle-Mouse and his little mate were so busy getting settled that anything but they had no time to look around and promising. Right now there is talk of get acquainted with their new home a great peace movement among the or to see their new neighbors. They labor interests, to be led by several cleared out the crack in the log that members of congress who believe the garden toad had pointed out to that the United States should avoid them, till it was broad and deep. And out. the European sea of blood, and who they found to their delight, that a tiny doubt whether Americans ought to little streak of a crack ran clear

the advocates of peace. We are by finish this front part." She very well no means satisfied, therefore, that knew how hard it was to get Tommy

So Tommy, like the good little Titto return to private life, with his tle-mouse that he was, worked faithconscience. It seems that some con- fully and together they finished the would have kept him at his post. If there such a wide smooth floor! Never he had erred at all it would have was there such a safe sheltered entrance! Tommy and Mrs. Tommy No doubt Mr. Bryan found his post- were so proud and happy they wanted tion personally distasteful. His post- to sit down and look at it all and talk

But there was no time! Just as

"Now how in the world!" exclaimed practice, at least, Mr. Wilson has not Tommy Tittle-Mouse, "did that get counsel. At critical stages, we have such thing there to clear up! I'm sure

even from the society of his inti- run back deep into the new home for "Tommy! Come here!" she that he had signed the first Lusits via then, with the draft of notes virtual- move and I'm sure it's some strange ly in shape for the cables, carries the new enemy that we know nothing

Tommy Tittle-Mouse Has a Visitor. | time, and they don't move-they're

"Then this isn't a shell," whispered back Mrs. Tommy fearfully," because I surely saw it move. Wait, now, and watch.

"If only we had made that other entrance!" cried Tommy under his breath, "then we would have a way

"Well, we didn't," said Mrs. Tommy, 'so let's stay right here and see what that thing is-maybe it will go away



The little creature in the shell laughed softly.

The two frightened little creatures crouched back into the farthest corner shell, two tiny bright around, and a tiny soft voice said, 'don't be afraid, it's only me and I won't hurt you."

Tommy Tittle-Mouse could hardly then together they said, "who's me?" The little creature in the shell

laughed softly and replied, snail, and, if you don't object, I may

corner and got acquainted with their

Day By Day In New York

New York, June 11 .- Mary Austin, theatrical district. the novelist, has made a tour of the calarets and cafes on Broadway by season an army of wreckers began gaslight and is convinced after a to demolish the interior. It was supstudy of the situation that only the posed, however, it would appear bigfoolish are hired by the night life, ger and better than ever under the

young fools and freshness and charm agement of Sam Rothapfel, who of young women. She believes that the way to reform Broadway is to resigned in a huff, so the rumor teach it that it is just as exciting to goes. be good if you know how to take it. He immediately selected the Vic-that way. As a matter of fact the torla and Oscar Hammerstein finally immov- so much to fashion Democratic des. idle and vicious are first cousins of consented. Rothapfel was once a coal able intellects had met, but that does thinker but the act of that gentleman one another, and Brondway is the miner in Pennsylvania and reached of a large number of people at each efficiency.

> voice that Broadway has never been "Oh, Mr. Allison," reduced to a minimum.

duced to a minimum.

Down on lower Broadway a bright er.

"He said: 'Hello Maisie, this looking young man introduced a "He new method of attempting to get a Cutey." tob. He marched in the middle of fread:

education and art a married man of Cutey.' guished as an illustrator of family. I want work, I held my last job for ten years and got an increase in salary each year. The war closed of roses with a note in it asking me down the business. For two months to go to dinner with him tonight" I have sought work. See me now, if Allison turned on his heel and As the young man only appeared O'Reilly But You Are Lookin' Mighty

for one day on the streets, it is as- Fine."

United States was preparing to take a hand in the affairs of ing pictures. The Victoria has fur- for the actor folk who rarely sum-Mexico, which was rent by bit- nished the sinews of war for the re- cer in the country. The country is too ter war between the republicans doubtable Oscar so that he could far away from the bright lights. and the imperial forces of Max-

land and America with grand opera, Special Correspondent of The Gazette- It was formerly a car barn and for years has been an eye-sore to the When the house was closed this

She says the adventure on Broadway Hammerstein management, but in-by night has but one real objective. It is nourished on the coin of rich theater and will be under the man-

in its larger and more significant as ternational sense. As the head of an efficiency ment world through sheer determi-

While Mrs. Austin and others are nation.

| ampooning the White Way, the hotel and restaurant men-scared by hotel was in a flutter of excitement the turn of events-are defending it. when Jimmy Allison, the correspond-They declare without a dissenting ent, stepped in to call up a friend, she giggled, 'I so decent, that women are very rare- just made a dreadful mistake. A man ly molested and mashing has been weighing 250 pounds called up a woman. I didn't disconnect the receiv- gish at rousing thee, let this thought

"Can you imagine a big guy like came out of the booth and paid me I "I am 28 years old. I have a college said absent mindedly 'Thanks Mr.

"What happened?" "Why the fat rascal sent me a box walked away whistling "Bi'me Mr.

sumed that he landed the job. The exodus to the resort hotels has Hammerstein's Victoria—the most given New York a vacant look. The exodus to the resort hotels has profitable vaudeville house in the Broadway presents a changed appear-

Echoes From The Past:

An interesting meeting of the Southern Young Women's Christian association conference was held at Kenilworth Inn.

Announcement was made that the Central Methodist church would be completed in between 60 and 90 days.

The Winston-Salem Y. M. C. A. won the \$1,000 privilege tax.

born at Lepeer, Mich., 47 years ago

Wilson in the salvage line at Baltimore. Millions of people no doubt
more doubt
Mexical server below the city this morning started
more doubt

from the Asheville association the 3rd match in the 5 match bowling tournament.

One hundred expensive fowls were stolen from Dr. Carl Ve Reynolds in The Saturday Music club met with

Miss Linda Schartle on Orange street. Three "near-beer" places took out

orn at Lepeer, Mich., 47 years ago SOCIETY WOMEN SELL Brig. Gen. William L. Marshall, U. SOCIETY WOMEN SELL S. A., retired, born at Washington Ky., 69 years ago today.

that Mr. Bryan, to outward appear- per publisher, born in St. Louis, 36 object lesson to foreshadow the work now going on in heaven. Come and will visit the Majestic all next week, in making the Democratic Adminis- Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of tration a success, and of course Mr. Massachusetts Agricultural college, important.

Ralph Pulitzer, New York newspages goat from the camp of israel are an induce purpose.

It is expected that large crowds now going on in heaven. Come and will visit the Majestic all next week, hear. Something new, interesting and as the play, "Alias Jimmy Valentine," tration a success, and of course Mr. Massachusetts Agricultural college, important.

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