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Officers and Others

HERRMAN ELECTED GERMANY DENIES GREAT CROWD AT EXALTED RULER THE UGLY REPORT

Allen and Manning Mana- Led by Manager Foushe with Two of His Cabinet Largest Elk Grand Lodge No Interference With U. Many People Prominent Town Overwhelmed by Meeting Ever Held S. in Nicaragua

ATLANTIC HOTEL

Socially Are There Wind-Driven Holocaust

statement in Which He Figures Out Allen's Nomination as a Certainty, in His Opinion-Manager Foushee and the Durham County Delegation Arrive on the Scene as Confident as Ever-And There You

(Special to News and Observer.) Charlotte, July 12.-The militant Democracy of North Carolina is assembling here in great numbers to-

the night is unloading delegates, and the friends of the two men who will figure in the principal contest in the is very close, Senator Foushee declares convention.

Many of the most prominent party men from all over the State are all. The city is quite as much interested ready on the scene, and the augury is in the outcome of the Corporation that the balance of them will land nature of the judicial, as anything here within the hours left between else. There will not be the delegation, now and the assembling of the con- however from Durham that w

the home county of Justice Manning marked yesterday the mixth this evening, led by Manager Foushee, work, was an event in the Manning contingent and the friends of the Associate West Durham, whose daugnter died West Durham, whose daugnter died from the same cause a week ago. He was 16 years of age and had been afflicted several seasons. The body was

tablished at the Hotel Buford. His three daughters survive him. ters, and in an interview tonight Mr.

of votes to be cast in the convention Baxley. is 947-necessary to a choice, 483 and a fraction of a vote. Of the instructed vote, Judge Allen has a majority (Special to News and Observer.) The President of fifty (\$0) over his opponent, Judge Selma, N. C., July 12.—The W J sary lately to re Manning. The uninstructed vote is Green Manufacturing Company will Alaskan officials.

"PRAISED," BUT FOR WHAT?

ALABAMA

Pellagra Is Causing Much Anxiety-Six Deaths in One Week from the Fatal Malady-Tuberculosis Exhibit at Durham-Equaliting Taxes and Other Developments of the Day in

(epecial to News and Observer.) Durham, July 12 - Many of the Durham delegates to the State Conrow morning for Charlotte, while not a few went this afternoon to secure rooms and to get together with the

saued a statement in which he reiterates his confidence in Judge Manning's lead. While admitting that the vote that Judge Manning has a clear lead

Commissioner's fight, barring the local tained. the sweltering convention in 1908.

Manning Boosters Arrive.

The coming of the delegates from number this sammer from pellagra. work, two of which were in the same visitor at the

Allen's Hendquarters - Dorich's Claims sent to Duke, where his daughter was . The President was reported tenight buried last week. Three sons and to be well satisfied with general con-

manager, Mr. W. T. Dortch, and save the fact that most of the patients this case, all slong the line eral of Judge Allen's admirers and year have been whites, and the dissupporters, are now at his headquar-ters, and in an interview tonight Me Dortch gave the following statement:

"After viewing the situation and a given him. Dr. Joe Graham regards thorough canvas of the returns, I am of the opinion that Judge Allen's and it was his experimentation that nomination is assured. The number cured the Hillsboro lady, Mrs. R. M.

Maning. The uninstructed vote is 204.10."

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Mr. Dortch says he has reliable information that Judge Allen will receive at least 130 of the uninstructed vote, giving a majority of 106 over Judge Manning in the whole vote of the State.

Green Manufacturing Company will Alaskan officials. Several of the men feet the majority of the street in the near future. In the near future failed of confirmation, and made it necessary for the President to resort to reverse appointments. Mr. Taft wants as much first hand information not offer the proper facilities for this new department.

TION, FAVORING A COMPRO-PEET ALTITUDE—WHAT NAVAL away The trip will consume between ments of United States regulars from two and three months.

Post Wayne gave an exhibition drill, and the entertainment program was pallagra's First Victim in Rhode MISE -TEDDY IS WELCOMED BACK HOME AND TAFT IS

(By the Associated Press.)

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Birmingham, Ala., July 12.—The
Alabama Republican convention here

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Aliantic City. N. J., July 12.—Glenn
H. Curtiss tossed oranges as mimic bombs within three fest of the decks of the yacht John E. Mehrer H. used of Lawrence county.

Treasurer, J. F. Suterer, of Cullicials and passengers gathered on her decks. Visiting experts agreed that attorney-General, Alexander C. the experiments showed that a fleet of acroplanes armed with bombs of high Birch, of Birmingham.

Auditor, John B. Shields, of Walker explosives could wreck any warships before guns could be trained on them. Secretary of State, Thomas Bingham, of Montgomery.
Commisioner of Agriculture, B. B.
Cox, of Mobile.
Superintendent of Education, J. C.
Walker, of Randoiph.
Railroad Commissioner, J. T. McEnery, of Bessemer, and Frank Lathrop, of St. Clair.
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Railroad Commissioner, J. T. McEnery, of Bessemer, and Frank Lathrop, of St. Clair.

The platform endorses the Chicago
national platform and praises the administration of President Taft. It extends a warm welcome to Theodore
Roosevelt to America once more.

On State issues a compromise on
the liquor question was inserted endorsing the action of the Montgomery
conference and favoring ropeal of the
present laws if they are found unsatisfactory.

Foolish Girl and the Bad Man.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Bessie
Robertson, aged 15, and Tom Whelan,
aged 30, of Petersburg, Va., who the
police of this city were asked several
days ago to look out for, were arrested teday as they stepped off a train
at the union station here. The girl
was sent to the House of Detention,
and the man held at police station
bending the arrival tonight of a detective from their home city, who
took them back with him. They said
they had not been married.

When the guns were fired at the aeroplanea. Curties was flying about 45
miles an hour when he dropped the
bombe" and officials on the deck of
the yacht declared that he was within
accurate distance for ritle fire less
than a half minute.

Curties also dropped oranges over
a fortification marked out on the
beach, making practically every shot
a "hit." although the trajectory was
cometimes thirty degrees, because of
the wind and his speed.

Walter Brookin's last flight here foday was sensational, the aviator gliding his machine toward the occan until its runners were submorged in a
breaker. He rose safely and glided
to the bench. Both Curties and
Brookins also made exhibition flights
over the occan
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to Brookins for breaking the altitude
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The Alarming Number of Cases of President Taft Held a Conference setts, Secretary Nagel and Attorney Wickersham-Then Expressed Himself to Be "Well Satis-

fied With General Political Condi-Wickersham Goes to Alaska With (By the Associated Press) Beverly, Mass. July 12 -- President elected Grand Exsited Ruler at

night, preparatory to holding the Manning forces for ante-convention ator Winthrop Murray Crane, of Mass. Elks ever held. As the inst strugglers such users.

State Convention Thursday.

Manning Fronthee before leaving sachusetts; Attorney General Wicker- reached the require nearly sachusetts; Attorney General Wicker- Grand Lodge went into executive seaof twenty votes and should capture was displayed by everybed; and re with a statement, other than that the reneral vote.

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President during the inst session of looking forward to the coming campaign, which it is admitted on all aldes will be a hard one it was patural that Mr Taft should the senator from

ditions and hopeful of Republican suc-

It was definitely determined that Attorney General Wickersham shall accompany Secretary Nagel to Alaska The attuation President much concern. there for several years. Extreme bit. erness has been displayed. been carried to The lights have

Washington from time to time. The delegate from Alaska, Mr. Wickersham, who, by the way, is no relation of the attorney general, is at Loggerheads with the administration. The President has found it neces-

mary lately to remove a number of tered in the selection of a grand sec-Mesers Nagle and Wickersham so as to shape bis future course with reference to Alaskan affairs.

The two cabinet officers will sail

MEDDLES WITH LIQUOR QUES. GLENN CURTISS TOSSED OR- treal next Monday morning.

Island,
(By the Associated Press.)

Be-Elected Grand Treasurer and Tiler, Respectively-The Between Three Aspirants Was So Close That It Could Not Be Ascertions All Along the Line why twined whether the Vote Last Night

(By the Associated Press.) Detroit, Mich., July 12 August Hermann, of Cincinnati, was today inrgest meeting of the Grand Lodge Benevolent and Protective Order of



NEW GRAND EXALTED RULER.

The sharpest election contest cen-Several of the men retary. Fred : Robinson, of Dubuque George D. Bostick, of Grand Rapids Mr. Tart The largest vote ever cast for an off-formation cet of the order, it is said, was polled in this contest, completely swamping for the time, the election committee It is not known whether today's bal-

from Vancouver on the fish commission steamer Albarross. They will go West through Canada, leaving Montreal next Monday morning.

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Providence, R. L. July 12.—The dreaded disease Pallagra has claimed its first victim in this State in the death today of Wm. Riley, aged 55, tary. This result was ascertained late which he forwarded to the United

Appear Antagonistic to Uncle Sam's Program in South America-Letter Madria Which Was Only a Formal One Acknowledging Receipt of No-Presidency, Was Mininterpreted and Caused the Erroncous Report.

Berlin, July 12 distingly has taken no stand in opposition to the, United States in the squire of central sham and Secretary Nagel, of the De-partment of Commerce and Labor. Grand Labor dreds of delegates by arclamation prosued no statement that . I be con- S Their conference lasted until after six claimed the new leader Edward strued into antagonism the Americal Conference Leach New York, grand treasurer, loan government, in what that government to what the structure and P B. Shields, Clarksburg, West or ment has done, is doing a may do made at the German become Office

Special despatches formed here from Washington and other American cities reported that the Grimany forsign office had issued a statement to day that Germany reluct to recog nize any right on the part | the U B to supervise her diplomatic relations. with other countries in central and M. and Nicaragua In particular

When this report was post Lefter the foreign office it was given an em-phatic denial. No such statement, an official declared, angriis had been leaued by the department or by any other department of the government. He affirmed that no declaration of such a nature could be made, because there was absolutely no necessity for that and that anything published in

German government officials are greatly wrought up by the attempts made to have this country appear in a role of antagonism to the United Mrs 8: It Morton entertained has returned from a successful fishing trip bring. Many of the men who attempted ing in a six foot shark and several to star the conflagration were obliged for alternative made to have the contrary it has develop both the commercial and by Mrs Capenart of Avoca

dent of the de facto government parently the significance of this letter has been miajudged, and it became necessary today in order that a wrong construction might not be placed upon it, to issue a statement through the foreign office explaining that the letter was merely a formal acknowledgement of a notice received from lot would decide the contest. edgement of a notice received from
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Fort Wayne gave an exhibition drill, made to Germany. Of late, so flagrant has been the

abuse of privileges, accorded in the foreign office to certain correspondents the advisability of expelling

Exercisedy Having Lots of Enjoyment in Various Ways-Dr. Battle's. Splendid House-Boat Party-Sailing Partice Military Ball Last Night-Mrs. Morton's Eachre Party-Visits

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by the sea Westray Battle of Asia hal Guard noted for his his of his daughter, Mrs. Hay, who is in America of a more taken to the

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Mrs. McCarthy, of Atlanta enternecessity for tained a large surf party this after-

Mr John Morehead has returned Fire Fighters Fled for Their Lives.

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week is the Japanese was night.

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to Over Two and Half Millions-On this There Was \$1,000,000 Insur-New Brunswick-Traffic Interrupted for 24 Hours Resumed.

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The present situation has resulted from the publication of a letter from Emperor William to In Madriz, press.

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(Special to News and Observer) Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N., July 12.—The directors of the A.

OPTOMISTIC LABOR LEADER.

SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF ONE MUCH HERALDED CONFERENCE AND HALF PER CENT DES TOOK PLACE LAST NIGHT-CLARED-CONDITIONS UNDER ALSO TALKED WITH SPEAKER PRESENT MANAGEMENT CON- WADSWORTH ABOUT DIRECT NOMINATIONS.

(By the Associated Press.)

Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N Conster Bay, July 12.—Theodore C., July 12.—The directors of the A Rousevelt and Chas E Hughes, Govart the Atlantic Hotel and declared a ernor of New York, spent the evensemi-annual dividend of one and a log at Sagamore Hill in their long half per cent, payable on the 20th The expected and much heralded conferstock books will close on the 15th. once on New York State politics. They Besides President Ferebee, the directors present were: Messrs, Wood,
Foy, Chadwick, Bagley, Tapp, Grainbeyond the fact that the entire polithed in secret and newed to become known
beyond the fact that the entire polithed situations in this State was
Resolutions of respect to the memger, Creech and Richardson.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late director and former president. J. W. Grainger, who was succeeded by his son, W. H. Grainger, were adopted. Conditions under the Norfoik Southern management were considered satisfactory.

Service of the main topics of discussion. Whether the question of a Republican candidate for Governor came up is not known. Col Roosevelt will have more pollcians at Sagamore Hill tomorrow, per-Says He Believes Next Congress Will haps the most conspicuous of whom He Pavorably Disposed Toward will be Timothy L. Weedruff, chairman of the Republican State Commit-

Alabama Republican convention here tonight nominated a full list of candidates for State officers, except for Justices of the Supreme Court. The licket is as follows: Governor, J. O. Thompson, of Birmingham. Leubenant-Governor, G. O. Chenalt, of Lawrence county. Treasures, J. F. Supreme Court. Treasures, J. F. Supreme Court. The state officers, despit for the state alms House. Its first victim in this State in the No. 291, was re-elected Grand Secrebeen barred on sensational death today of Wm. Riley, aged 55, tary. This result was ascertained late which he forwarded to the United an inmate of the State Alms House. State of the Supreme Court. The bonds were dropped from a height of about 290 feet and Curtiss purpose of Lawrence county. Treasures, J. F. Supreme Court. Treasures, J. F. Supreme Court. The sup **CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION**

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