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THE GRAY EAGLE WITH GOVERNORS WENT ASHOR

Taft Ahead of Fleet

The Boat Carrying Twenty-Six Governors Goes Aground on Mississippi-Both Behind the Schedule On Trip.

PRESIDENT VERY HOARSE

Litte Rock, Ark., Oct. 27.—The teamer Gray Eagle, of the presidential fleet, carrying a party of governors, went aground tonight on a bar

in the Mississippi. The delegation aboard the stranded boat was transferred to the steamer Hinois, and the voyage down the river was continued. The accident occurred near Helena.

Helena, Ark., Oct. 27.-Presider Taft's river schedule went all to pieces today, owing to the inability of the vessels following his flagship. the Oleander, to maintain the design nated speed. The President delayed his arrival in Memphis three hours this morning so that the boats carry-ing the 26 governors and the 117 congressmen, as well as other vessels carrying delegates to the waterways convention in New Orleans, might dock at the same time.

Leaving Memphis an hour and half late this afternoon, the Oleander had to see a forward at top speed to reach been at 8 o'clock, two hours behind schedule time. She left all the fiest ar astern.

Leaving Helena nearly three hours late tonight, the President will not reach Victorius.

reach Vicksburg, the next stop, until after dark tomorrow.

President should be welcomed to Ar- A. J. Cox and E. Jeffers kansas by Gov. Donaghey, but the From all reports this governor's boat was an hour behind.

dition of his voice did not offer fav-orable circumstances for a longer address. He is still very hoarse.

J. R. WALSH SELLS ROADS.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Facing the possibility of being placed behind prison bars tomorrow, John R. Walsh today made final arrangements which will
not only insure the payment of his
flebts, but will leave a handsome competence for himself. He closed an option with the United States Steel

Gorporation for the sale of his fall road properties for approximately \$27,000,000.

was decided instead of a barbecue, that an oyster roast would be more appropriate and more enjoyable, and plans were made to propare an oyster roast for three thousand people, which is the estimate the convention.

ing house banks, which amounts to ing house banks, which amounts to style and will then have three months to close up the details of the whether they come to trade or to partransfer of his properties. transfer of his properties.

Government officials were alert when they discovered that Mr. Walsh had practically closed the deal, and redoubled their efforts to prevent his possible escape.

The sale of Mr. Walsh of his rail-

read properties for a sum that will not only free him from debt, but will also enable him to pay into the coffers of the Chicago National Bank sufficient money to declare a dividend of 100 per sent upon that stock, and still leave him a comfortable fortune is considered by financiers a marvel-ous achievement.

They Saw Man

Whirl in Air

New York, Oct. 28.-Two men standing at the base of the Sedwick entire estate to his mother, who is avenue arch of Washington Bridge S4 years old, saw a man's body turning in the air A settlement will show, it is said, as it sped-downward from the bridge that though the senator held many saw a man's body turning in the air to the roadway shortly after 5 p. m. stocks and bonds, his debts will leave yesterday. So far as is known, none a residue but little in excess of yesterday. Se far as is known, none \$50,000, saw, the mair when he leaped. He was instantly killed.

Peter Ward of 1121 Lind avenue In Charge of and James Gallo, who keeps a fruit stand under the arch, caught sight of the body after it had fallen more than half the total distance of about 175 feet from the bridge to the

He was about fifty years of age, 5 the young men who are expected to feet v inches in height, weighed 150 make five minute talks. The services pounds, had partly gray hair and will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock. mustacke, wors a gray sack suit light

Lest night Rev. M. T. Plyler spoke

MEMORIAL SER-VICE BY RED MEN

Takes Place Sunday Afternoon at Opera House-All Invited.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock e Improved Order of Red Men will hold a memorial service in memory of their dead that have passed away during the past ten years. The exerises will take place in Brown's opouse. The following program has een arranged and will be rendered:

Anthem. Choir. Roll call of deceased members Tribute. By Sachem. Music. Quartette. Eulogy of deceased members. B

hief N. L. Simmons. Selection. Choir. Exercises. Stump chiefs and m

Prophet. Solo. Tribute. Sen. "America. Chief Solo, Miss Gary Boyd. Tribute. Senior Sagamore Oration. Chief Edward L. Stew

Solo. Mrs. D. M. Carter. Tribute. Junior Sagamore Choir

Benediction. Prophet. Everybody is cordially invited to witness these most impressive and in eresting services

OYSTER ROAST JUDGING DAY

Tuesday, November 10, to Be Memorable in Wash-

ington.

The committee on ways and means for providing harbecue on Corn Judging Day, met at the Chamber of Conmerce hall yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Those present were Joseph it had been intended that the F. Tayloe, chairman; E. T. Jeanette,

From all reports this Corn Judging sovernor's boat was an hour behind. Day is to be a grand occasion, such a day as Washington has nover before stand erected in the center of the city. The night air and the bad contition of his voice did not offer the city. more and better corn will be grown and this sifted down means thousands more dollars to Beaufort ounty.

Mr. Jean Potter, representing the Norfolk and Southern, came from Norfolk to meet with the committee to let them know what the Norfolk

With the indicate paid for this op-tion, said to be \$100,000, Mr. Walsh tomorrow will pay the interest on the note of \$7,121,887, held by the clear-ing house banks, which we will be a supported by the clear-ing house banks, which we will be a supported by the clear-

take of the city's hospitality, that they will all ays find a hearty wel-come here. There is no better way to get the people to think well of us than by giving a good bounteous spread, so lets not be stingy with our outlay on this occasion. Sive the committee a good substantial amount when they call upon you, and help to make this day a succ

make this day a success.

This event is for the crop growers, and Washington gives a cordial invitation to, and wants every farmer in, Beaufort, Hyde, Pitt and Martin countles to come with the rest and look, learn and eat. It is all free.

M'CARREN ESTATE \$50,000.

New York, Oct. 27. State Senate October 15, on his deathwed, has not yet been filed for probate, but close friends said tonight that it leaves the

· the Young Men

The Yeang Men's Christian Leag tround.

The man had removed all papers the First Methodist Church this evenfrom his pockets which night lead to ling. The subject for discussion will identification, but his watch fob was be "What Can I Do to Helpf" This insertion with the initials "I" had took will be answered by several of

SMALL SUPPER PARTY.

OWN SISTERS VICTIMS OF HIS TRIPLE MURDER

Crime Was Planned

McMahon Admits He Killed Two of His Kin and His Brother-in-

Time and again he has gone over the scene of the crime with the detectives, never faltering in his original

searched, although \$500 and more diplomatic adviser to the Korean government, at Sam Francisco in 1908. The newspapers here comment on the his victims was drawn from the fact that Mrs. Van Royen was shot three convicted marders of Mr. Stevens.

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When McMahon offered a reward of \$500 for the murderer suspicion pointed toward him more strongly.

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pointed toward him more strongly. He had never possessed \$500 before. In his confession tooks he admitted that he had stolen the money from his dead sister's cupboard savings. ...Yes, I killed my two sisters and

my brother-in-law, and I was crazy when I did it," he finally confessed today. "It took me three months to plan it."

JURY TO GET THE CASE SATURDAY

The Defendant Sanders on the Stand in His Own

Behalf.

Beaufort, Oct. 28.—The Sanders rial which was continued from the previous day was called this morning at 3:30 o'clock. The defense had not faished giving their evidence which was started on the previous afternoon and several new witnesses were placed upon the stand.

Jack Sanders, the defendant, was Jack Sanders, the defendant, was the first person put on the stand. He said that he was in his room when the shot was fired, and denied ever threatening the deceased; life. He also swore that he never fired either of the shells that he had bought, that two of the shells were in his room and the others were at his store.

Clyde Murdock, a deputy sheriff, was next placed on the stand. He testified that he investigated and

and two at his home.

The next witness called was Louis Cowell, who coroberated Sandow statement in regards to using one of the shells in killing a bird.

The evidence lasted until about 3 o'clock. The arguments were then begun. Messra. Ward for the State. made very forceful speeches in be-half of their respective interests: This took up the remainder of the afternoon and court was adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Measrs. C. L. Abernethy, D. L. Ward, L. I. Moore, Paul Wheatley and Ed Hill will speak temorrow, and it is probable that these speeches will consume the entire day, Judge Guion will probably charge the jury Saturday morning and the case be put in

BODY GUARDED

PRINCE ITO'S

Will Be Given a State Funeral November 4-Honors of the Highest.

Oct. 27.—The body of rince Ito, the murdered elder states man of Japan, will be taken aboard rabip Iwato at Dairen, the coffin covered by a simple quards surround the white pall.

Law—Shot All of the Victims
Repeatedly.

HELPED POLICE IN SEARCH

Kansas City, Det. 29—After having worked side by side with the police for seven days in their hunt for the slayer of Miss Rose McMahon, Mrs. Alonzo Van Royen, victims of an atrocious murder, James McMahon, a brother of the two workeds, as brother of the two workeds, as many that the emperor is deeply affected by the

Wan Royen, victims of an atrocious murder, James McMahon, a brother of the two women, confessed yesterday afternoon that he himself was the murderer.

While the murder was unique in its exposition of flendish rage—the victims being shot repeatedly after they had fallen dead—the behavior of McMahon during the week since the discovery of the triple tragedy on the little farm five miles from this city has been extraordinary for a man tortured with the thought of the or Japan, as well as to Princess Ito at Olso. at Oiso.

The assassin probably will be tried at Dairen. Nine alleged accomplices story that a strange man dressed as a laborer whom he saw the night of the murder scurrying away from the Japanese authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assination of Prince Ito is believed that the University of the pibt was hateled at Seoul. The Japanese authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assination of Prince Ito is believed to have been planned by the same that the Van Royen homestead showed that the Van Royen homestead showed that the Van Royen homestead showed that the investigation will show that the pibt was hateled at Seoul. The Japanese authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assistation of Prince Ito is believed houser that the investigation will show that the pibt was hateled at Seoul. The Japanese authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assistation of Prince Ito is believed that the investigation will show that the pibt was hateled at Seoul. The Japanese authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assistation of Prince Ito is believed to be piblined to have been planned at Seoul. The Japanese authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assistation of Prince Ito is believed to pibline authorities are determined to unearth the source, because the assistation of Prince Ito is believed that the investigation will show that the piblic was hateled at Seoul. The

expressing satisfaction at the assassi-nation of Prince ito. It says:
"Now is the time for our 20,000,-000 people to secure their indepen-dence. Ito is dead. He brought to our country the rule of the Japanese and enslaved the people. His settishness has received its reward. His crimes were unpardonable, and what happened to him was a fitting re-ward for his trickery and just punishment from our country."

Official Condolence Sent.

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to the wood tissues and absorb or
seventy-five cents.

Season tickets can still be obtained
of the idea. The intercy of his tent Official Condolence Sent.
Mr. O'Brien, American ambassador

Harbin, Manchuria, Oct. 28.—The seassin of Prince Ito was identified today as Inchan Angan, a former ed-

itor of a newspaper at Seoul.

He said that he was one of an or ganization of twenty Koreans who had taken an oath that they would

kill the Japanese statesman. The assassin used dumdum bullets which had been poisoned with cyan-

National Chairman Picks Out Gaynor

Washington, D. C. Oct. 28.-Northe Dem eratic National Committee. found five shells at Sander's store who arrived in Washington yesterday, after a short stay in New York and a careful sounding of the rela-, tive chances of the mayorality can didates there, says that it looks more and more like a Gaynor victory.

According to Mr. Mack, Hearst will

o'clock. The arguments were then draw, outside of his personal support. The Chain Gang largely from the Republican vote and Fowle for the defendant, both and little, if any, from the Democratic party.

Mr. Mack denied the report that by the publication of Gov. Harmon's tecent speech in Texas in his paper, the National Magazine, he had repudiated Bryan as a future candidate

THE RIVER STILL RISING AND POOR ARE STARVING

Damage \$5,000,000

Dispatches From San Juau, Bat uista, Says the Grijilivia River is Still Rising and Villages Arc Bxing Destroyed.

MANY HOMES ARE LOOTED

Mexico City, Oct. 28.-X special despatch from San Juan Batulsta says that the Grijilivia river at that point

have been logted.

Timber Decay Costs Millions

Millions of feet of timber and fin-Millons of feet of timber and finished lumber ret every year in ratiroad ties, bridges, trestles, piles, farm

By purchasing a season ticket, a sible to shoot the masts away. She
buildings, tences, poles, and mine
the attractions, at the low sost of
props. The lumber consuming public
of the United States pays perhaps
to take season tickets must pay serthirty to forty million dollars a year
to make good the losses from wood
decay.

And steel wire cables. Tests in Hampton Roads proved that it was imposton Roads proved that it was imposto equipped with two submerged torpedo subses. She has a water line armor belt from stem to stern eleven
inches thick flong the engine room,
fire room and magazine spaces and
steeped down at bow and stern.

more and more concern each year. Cluxion's company are amateurs or Chemists and engineers who have to cheap artists. His own prominence do with the uses of wood are work-insures the merit of his supporting last day to secure your needful wants at money-saving prices in the cloth-tots their whole time-to it. The importance of the problem can not be inferior production under his name, overestimated. Millions of dollars are annually saved by preservative are annually saved by preservative treatment of timbers, but much yet remains to be lexified.

Wood dacay is caused by fungus, have only to produce their tickets in minister show by real Soulbern dark. Allen's big ministred under can-

emperor and to the Japanese govern-like minute nairs, love the ment, the sincere sympathy felt by to the wood tissues and absorb or the President and by this government upon hearing the shocking news of lapse which results is tailed decay. The coltism is artificially preserved by the assassination of Prince Ito.

Timber is artificially preserved by erintendent of the graded school. substances which prevent the growth of fungi. As long as this substance is present in sufficient quantity, the germs of decay—the threads and spores of fungus-can not enter, and the wood is preserved. This often means doubling and sometimes treb-ling the life of the timber.

The United States government con-siders the investigations of the pre-servative treatment of timber of such sionary Society, Roanoke Association, was held in the Baptist Church on Market street. The meeting was permedicipal department of the City of Washington, are hereby notified to only furnish such supplies upon precorporations and individuals in profounding the life of railroad ties, mine props, bridge timbers, fence posts and Miss Wiss.

transmission poles.

The lengthening of the life of timber means the savings of thousands of dollars annually through doing away with the heavy expense of Inbor and cost of material for renewals.

Is Composed of 37 Convicts

puddated Bryan as a future candidate of the party.

"It is loo early in the game to make any predictions," he said, "and as chairman of the national committee I can hardly go on record as a supporter of any prospective candidate.

"The deputy sheriff C. E. Rieks return-red from Plymouth yesterday, seter-random as chairman of the national committee I can hardly go on record as a supporter of any prospective candidate. Harmon and Masshall are both

The deputy sheriff C. E. Rieks return-red from Plymouth yesterday, seter-random Routhern Tarboro.

Secretary—Mrs. G. P. Harrell, of Jas. E. Clark Co.—Hosiery.

Tarboro.

Following are names of delegates J. H. Harris Plumbing & Supply co.—Cole's Rot Hiest Stoves.

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Washington county.

The deputy sheriff informed a Sociland Neck; R. E. Powell, of Whit.

Big men in the party, and their names it all the chain game now was come son Greenvilles Geo. J. Dowell, S. J. Sorvan's Propagation. Deputy Sheriff C. E. Ricks return

Washington county. When the naw The meeting adjourned until 5:20 * J. L. O'Quile country are put to work the number working the reads with be 37.

HER AMERICAN HUSBAND COMING

Will be First Attraction of Lyceum Course Next Tuesday Night.

The first attraction of the Lycen-ourse at the school auditorium wi-se next Tuesday evening. Novembe 2d, being the Cluxton Musical Cor pany in the famous musical comed "Her American Husband"

Supported by a group of goodayers and singers. Waiter Cluxton who has starred in a number of lead ng plays on the American stage, will present at the school auditorius next Tuesday night, the musical con edy, "Her American Husband," write ten especially for him by George Tot ten Smith and Richard Legrand Special scenery and elegant costup

the effect that the Mescalapa river is slowly receding, but the north part ever appeared in Washington. He of the town is yet inundated.

Tenosique, Usumacinta, Eatapilla, Cerro and Carmen are all flooded and the inhabitants have taken to high lands in boats. Crops are a total loss in this region. The maximum height of water in Cerro and Carmen is 32 inches, while in Pomocina the water stands sixhand a half feet in the main.

The management of the season's breech loading rifles mounted in course of attractions have used the utmost care in the selection of an unusually fine series, the finest given in any town in the South of this size, and their efforts should be appreciated, and our people avail themselves.

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of make good the losses from wood performance, and fifty cents for general admission.

These great drains are a source of core and more concern each year.

Cluxton's company are amateurs of cheap artists. His own prominence of with the uses of wood are work.

The combany as one who has made a last many and a last man

Opening Meeting Woman's Society

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock the first meeting of the Women's Mis-sionary Society, Roanoke Association, Miss Wiswall. Mrs. Dowell, of Williamston, replied most graciously to these *welcomes, and Mrs. Everett made a very earnest and impressive address which was enjoyed by all

On motion, the visiting sisters were services will begin in carnest and will given full privileges as members of the convention; committees were ap- sibly longer. pointed, officers elected, and other matters of importance transacted: The following officers were elected: President-Mrs. S. J. Everett, of Williamston

Vice President Mrs. R. C. Josey, of Seotland Neck Secretary-Mrs. G. P. Harrell, of

date. Harmon and Marchall are both Name. Sancasania ver this manufacture in the party, and their named that the chain gang now was comundoubtedly will cemie up for the posed of 15 and that 22 more would Everett, Williamston; W. N. Horton be added at once. Twenty of these and Geo. P. Harrell, Tarboro; Misses folk—Jeweiry.

Referenced at the term of court Lawrence and D. Doughty, Green. Lorreign Hotel, Nortell.

THE GREATEST SEA FIGHTER FOR THE U. S. NAV

Ready For Commission

Battleship Delaware, the Original Dreadnaught's Superior-In Appearance She Differs From Ordinary Type.

SISTER SHIP'S TRIAL TODAY

Newport News, Va. Oct. 27.—W is still rising and the poor in that city and throughout the flood region are is said to be full of amusing situations and good music, many catchy sending out provisions. The total damage will exceed \$5,000,000.

Reports from Huima Guillo are to the effect that the Mescalapa river is slowly receding, but the north part of the town is yet inundated.

Tenosique, Usumacinta, Eatabilla Cerro and other than the said of the commission and other than the said of the commission.

The play itself, a musical comedy, the new battleship Delaware returnations and good music, many catchy structure of here today from her successful standardization tests of Portland, Me., where under 30,000 horse-power to the effect that the Mescalapa river is slowly receding, but the north part of the town is yet inundated.

Tenosique, Usumacinta, Eatabilla and other than the played leading parts in New York.

of water in Cerro and Carmen is 32 "Pig, Paff, Pouff," the big Cavino high and broad, calculated to keep inches, while in Pomocina the water stands six and a half feet in the main streets. Trees and driftwood are tremendous reputation as the Merific floating through villages, destroying senger, in the great Hippodrome such bouses and forcing families into the From Mars."

The management of the season's Petty thieves have taken advantaged attractions have used the pairs in electrically controlled ellipse.

ated and our people avail themselves
of this opportunity to see and hear
the best things ever brought to Washington, for the price usually charged
for ordinary attractions.

Two akeleton masts set off her supcratricture in place of the steel tube
masts in use in other ships. The
new type is made of small steel tubes
and steel wire cables. Tests in Hampton Roads proved that it was invocations.

Tomorrow (Saturday) will be the

of the dide. The instruction of the idea. The interior of his tent is arranged with a mammoth stage and scenery, the same as an opera ouse, but of course on a much large scale. Owing to the large seating capacity of the tent, which is two thousand, the company is enabled to show for the extremely low price of 25 and 35 cents, thus guaranteeing Held Yesterday the largest minatreal product the world at the lowest price of ad-

W. B. Windley, City Clerk.

NO SERVICE SATURDAY NIGHT. There will be no preparatory serve at the Methodist Church Satur

evening, but Sunday the Union ontinue through next week and pos-

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