

WASHINGTON ENTERTAINS THE FARMERS

Over Two Thousand Here Yesterday—Barbecue was Given at the New Tobacco Warehouse, and was a Conspicuous Success.

Washington on yesterday sustained its well-earned reputation as a host for the barbecue to the farmers was a conspicuous success in every detail.

The Daily News wishes to congratulate the committee of arrangements on the admirable way the occasion was conducted.

The day was planned with the idea in view of getting the farmers together to discuss farming, exchange views on tobacco culture, etc.

On account of Mayor Sterling being out of the city there was no session of the court this morning at 10 o'clock.

ANNUAL VACATION.

Rev. H. B. Searight, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, is in the Western part of the State spending his annual vacation.

WORK TO START.

The work of remodeling the store of Spencer Bros. will start without delay.

CHOLERA VICTIMS

One Thousand Reported Dying Daily in Russia.

INVADES HIGHEST CIRCLES.

The Spread of the Disease is Unchecked—Over Sixty Thousand Have So Far Been Victims of this Horrible Scourge—Went Upper Classes Safeguarded.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 11.—The cholera epidemic has invaded high circles. The Countess Zuccato and a noted army officer, Colonel Shalshar, died today of the plague.

The spread of the disease is unchecked and the death toll continues around 1,000 a day, the total number of victims now being more than 80,000.

Officialdom is today besieged by persons of importance demanding that special efforts be made to safeguard the upper classes.

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THE MONEY NOW

Indian Witness Flays Government for its Methods.

WORKING FOR FIVE YEARS

Says the Government Has Been Working on the Matter for Five Years and He Could Have Disposed of it in Half That Time—Statement Causes Discussion.

Sapulpa, Okla., Aug. 11.—"If the government has such high and lofty notions about conserving the Choctaws' coal for future generations let the government buy it and pay us our money."

In 1902 I went out and told my people to vote for the supplementary treaty under promise that everything would be wound up by March 4th, 1906, and they rathed it.

Chairman Burke, after listening to the criticism of Congress, said: "Congress has appropriated out of the general treasury half a million."

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FRANCE STILL LEADS

The French Aviator, Leblanc, Distances Rivals.

A REGULAR DARE-DEVIL.

The Race is for a Purse of \$52,400 and the Distance is 489 Miles Across Country—Weymann Has Become a General Favorite Because of His Pluck.

Mexieres, France, Aug. 11.—Leblanc, the daredevil French aviator, today maintained his lead in the 489 mile cross-country race for \$52,400, when after a 98-mile dash through a storm at 60 miles an hour, landed here in the van of the six racers.

With the arrival here the aviators had completed more than half of the 489 miles of the great course that is swinging them around northern France.

The army officers who are following the race today declared that they are convinced the monoplane has proven its supremacy as a machine for military scout work.

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WILL THE CONCESSION BE GRANTED?

Board of Aldermen to Consider the Matter of Railroad Crossing Main Street, Monday Night—Citizens Should be Present and Express Themselves.

State Library

An important matter will come before the Board of Aldermen at their meeting on next Monday night.

Our people will remember the serious objection that was made and the bitter fight that took place when they laid the first track across Main street.

It is to be hoped that a large number of citizens will be present, and insist that the streets of the town be left open, and as free from obstructions as the needs of the people require.

A FAITHFUL FAILURE.

To look back upon the past year, and see how little we have striven and to what small purpose; and how often we have been cowardly and hung back, or temerarious and rushed unwisely in; and how every day and all day long we have transgressed the law of kindness.

DOWN LOCAL BARACAS BY A SCORE OF 5 TO 2.

The Wilson Methodist Baraca Baseball Club defeated the local M. E. Baracas yesterday afternoon in a swift game at Fleming's park.

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