

FIRST PERIOD OF CONTEST ENDS TOMORROW NIGHT

EXTRA VOTE VALUES SLIPPING AWAY—HEAVY VOTES BRING MANY MORE SURPRISES—VOTE STANDING CHANGES IN SEVERAL PLACES TODAY—HAVE YOU VOTED YET?

Miss Jennie Cox has captured the first district leadership over the four candidates who were apparently comfortably ahead of her yesterday.

Miss Whitley, who had the lead, drops to third position, while Miss Campbell retains second place with a heavy vote.

Miss Thompson still holds the lead in the third district, with Miss Gullford a close second and Miss Duguid third.

Tomorrow night at nine o'clock sharp the first period of the News' big European tour contest will draw to a close and first period vote values will be the things of the past.

Out-of-town candidates will be given an opportunity to receive first period values on coupons and subscriptions received at this office from them in Monday's mail.

means the ending of the first part of the contest only. It means that if you hope to get the extra vote value of the first period you will have to give your favorite candidate your subscription at once so she can turn it into this office before 9 o'clock tomorrow evening.

REALLY, THE CONTEST HAS ONLY JUST BEGUN, SO THE VOTE STANDING AS IT APPEARS IN THE PAPER MEANS VERY LITTLE.

Heavy voting has been the rule all along, and yet there are many, many thousands of votes that have not yet been cast.

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FRANK LUPTON TAKES LIFE

New York, Oct. 6.—Frank M. Lupton, a millionaire publisher, and the owner of the Lupton building at 23 City Hall Place, Manhattan, killed himself in his mansion at 223 St. Marks Place, Brooklyn, today, by cutting his throat with a razor.

The cause of Mr. Lupton's act was dependency due to ill health. It is believed that Mr. Lupton committed suicide during the early hours of today as he had been dead some time when his body was found by members of his family.

PAYETTEVILLE WOMAN WIFE OF VICTIM OF RACE TRAGEDY

Payetteville, Oct. 6.—The remains of Mr. Milton R. Bacon, who so tragically met his death in the Vanderbilt cup race on Long Island Saturday, will be held in New York until the arrival from Europe of his wife, who was Miss Kate Hawley of this city and his mother, Mrs. Hoffman of London, Eng., and then brought to Fayetteville for interment.

Mr. Bacon was a nephew of Senator Bacon of Georgia.

STEPPED ON MATCH GARAGE DESTROYED

Richmond, Va., Oct. 6.—Manager Wilson Meek stepped on a match, gasoline being poured into an automobile flashed up, and in an hour ten cars and the Richmond Motor Company's garage were destroyed. Loss \$20,000.

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TROUBLE IN SPAIN

KING ALFONSO CONFERS WITH MINISTRY ON A PROGRAM OF DEFENSE—TROUBLE LOOKED FOR ON ANNIVERSARY OF EXECUTION OF FERRELL.

Madrid, Oct. 6.—Spain today is making desperate efforts to erect a bulwark of troops strong enough to withstand the tidal wave of republicanism that threatens to engulf the monarchy.

King Alfonso, Premier Canalejas and others of the ministry conferred today upon the program of defense.

The government continued massing troops and artillery at the strategic points—mainly about Madrid, upon the Portuguese border and in the northern mountain provinces where, it is reported, Don Jaime the pretender is planning temporarily to make common cause with the republicans and lead his warlike Carlist followers of the northern provinces in revolt.

The leaders of the disaffected parties declare today that the action of the Spanish minister at Lisbon is hastening to pay his official respects to the new republic of Portugal, was inspired by fear.

It is believed that the Spanish minister acted upon direct orders from Madrid and that King Alfonso hoped, by this action, to ally somewhat the feelings of his subjects who are clamoring for the same consummation that has befallen in the sister nation.

Even without the stimulus of successful revolt in Portugal, it is conceded that Spain would face a grave crisis in the demonstrations throughout the kingdom on the Ferrer anniversary.

Ferrer who was universally beloved by the people as a republican and

SENATOR TAYLOR MAY BE "REGULAR" NOMINEE

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 5.—The state convention of "Regular Harmony" Democrats meets here tomorrow for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor and a candidate for state railroad commissioner of Western Tennessee.

Large delegations have been appointed in the various counties, mainly composed of former followers of Governor Patterson, with a few independents.

It appears to be the general opinion that United States Senator R. L. Taylor will be the nominee, although he is said to be anxious to have the nomination conferred upon some other man.

Judge Jos. E. Jones and State Senator John Randolph Neal are talked of for Governor.

It is reported that the platform will declare for local option, either county, unit or city unit, and the repeal of the law which prohibits distilling and brewing of intoxicating liquors.

MOB CLAMORS FOR NEGRO WHO KILLED POLICEMAN

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 5.—A large crowd surrounded the jail tonight trying to get a negro John Adams, who killed Policeman T. W. Berry and wounded policeman L. A. E. Houghton today.

The sheriff dispersed the crowd and a company of militia is now patrolling the streets.

Cotton Market.

Sold cotton, 5.30.  
Lint Cotton, 15.50.

LIST OF CANDIDATES

Nominated in the Daily News Mammoth Tour-of-Europe Voting Contest

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MARY ANN WAS IN TOWN

Ex-Senator Marion Butler spoke at the courthouse yesterday. If it had not been for the Hag circus being in town the number to hear him would have been considerably smaller but those from outside of the city took advantage of the opportunity and killed two birds with one stone.

A private message, said to be from Madrid and received here today, gave rise to the rumor that Don Jaime, pretender to the Spanish throne, would head a Carlist revolt, and that republicans in provinces on the Spanish border would be invited to ally themselves with the Spanish movement and make liberty a common cause in both nations.

Two generals and five admirals, formerly in the king's army and navy today head the fighting forces of the Portuguese rebels.

MALE QUARTETTE SUNDAY AT Y. M. C. L.

The Presbyterian church male quartette will sing next Sunday afternoon at the Y. M. C. L. services at 3 p. m.

Mr. Huntington of the Charlotte Y. M. C. A. will make the address. Ladies are especially invited to this service.

Choir Practice.

The members of the M. E. Church choir are requested to meet at the church this evening at eight o'clock for their usual weekly practice.

KING DISAPPEARS REWARD FOR CRIPPEN PAID

London, Oct. 6.—The reward of \$1,250 offered for the capture of Dr. H. H. Crippen, was today turned over to H. G. Kendall, of the steamer Montrose upon which Crippen and his typist, Miss Ethel Clara LeNove fled to Canada, Captain Kendall was the first to notify the authorities of Crippen's whereabouts.

The check for the reward was presented to Captain Kendall by Inspector Dew of Scotland Yard who congratulated the seaman upon his effective ability.

JURORS FOR OCTOBER TERM

The Board of County Commissioners at their meeting this week selected the following to act as jurors for the October term of Beaufort county superior court:

W. J. Mayo, J. K. Hoyt, John W. Asby, L. A. Watson, R. C. Hollida, C. H. Bateman, H. H. Hardison, M. J. Hodges, Eugene Bennett, John T. Congleton, A. B. Beacham, J. W. H. Windley, Samuel Whitaker, J. W. Hudnell, L. T. Houston, W. H. Lodge, M. B. Cuthrell, R. T. Cratch, Sr., Rubin Williams, F. T. Baynor, F. E. Judson, J. M. Litchfield, C. C. Cox, C. R. Galloway, G. F. Adams, J. F. Tyer, J. R. Boyd, Jr., L. E. Paul, C. G. Chaucey, Surry Parker, G. K. White, G. G. Gabriel, E. J. Edwards, J. B. Campen, G. F. Slade and E. H. Jones.

INFANT DIED ON YESTERDAY

Little Elsie Nelms, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Racco Nelms, passed away yesterday morning at 2 o'clock. The little one has been a long, patient and intense sufferer. At times her life was despaired of during the summer. She rallied, however, and hopes were entertained for her ultimate recovery. But a few days ago she was taken much worse and continued to sink until the end came as a relief to her suffering.

The funeral was conducted by Revs. R. V. Hope and J. A. Sullivan from the residence on Telfair street yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment was made in Oakdale cemetery.

MAYOR TRIES SEVERAL CASES

There were several cases tried before the mayor this morning. The following were disposed of:

State vs. Frank Nobles, drunk, fined \$1.00 and cost.  
State vs. John Cherry, drunk, fined \$1.00 and cost.  
State vs. M. Beacham, drunk, fined \$1.00 and cost.  
State vs. J. F. Tayloe and Claud Cherry, affray, fined each \$3.00 and cost.  
State vs. Tom Carrow, drunk, fined \$3.00 and cost.

A laugh is a good thing — if it is on the other fellow.

SATURDAY'S SPECIAL

\$2.00 Crepe Kimonos, big assortment of Patterns, on sale this day only at 98c.

See window display.

Bowers-Lewis Co.

Biggest, Best, Cheapest Store. Watch Tomorrow's Ad.

IMPORTANT MEETING

The City Aldermen are to hear the committee's report on paving sidewalks tonight. If you are interested attend this meeting.

Advertisement for James E. Clark Co. featuring gloves. Text: 'This well known make of GLOVE is considered by those who know, to be the best made. Colors \$1.50, Black \$1.65. Capital Gloves black and colors \$1.00. THE HIGH-ART CLOTHIERS.'

Advertisement for a car. Text: 'New Auto. Mr. S. F. Freeman has just received an automobile called the "Orient." It is built especially for road work and those who have seen it pronounce it a most excellent machine. Do good to thy friend to keep him to the enemy to gain him. — Frank L.''