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## ST. LOUIS CONVENT'N OPENED AT NOON

MORE THAN 2,000 AT OPENING SESSION OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL MEETING.

### DANIELS FOR SUFFRAGE?

Is Seriously Considering Leading the Fight for a Suffrage Plank and Endorsing a Constitutional Amendment, Favoring Woman Suffrage.

By PERRY ARNOLD, (United Press Staff Correspondent)

St. Louis, June 14.—More than 2,000 persons assembled in the Coliseum at noon today at the opening of the Democratic National Convention. Chairman McCombs started in an oratorical way toward renominating Wilson and Marshall.

Twenty-five thousand totally silent suffragists lined the streets from the Jefferson hotel to the Coliseum in an appeal for votes. Secretary Josephus Daniels is seriously considering leading the fight for the suffrage plank and endorsing a constitutional amendment, favoring woman suffrage.

The Democratic platform will also contain a bid for the Progressive vote. Secretary Baker, Secretary Daniels and Senator Kern are supporting the movement of Representative Taggart, opposing this plan, together with many other southern politicians.

Frank P. Wilson, chairman of the committee on industrial relations of the American Federation of Labor, and President Gompers, are asking for a resolution on the Government ownership of railroads, telegraph and telephone plank.

## BAD SMASH-UP WHEN TRAIN HITS WAGON

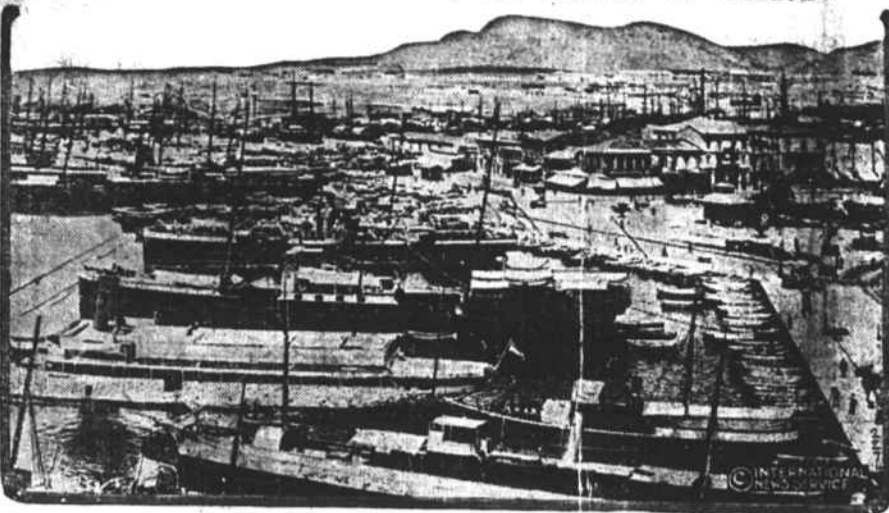
Wagon Demolished, Horse and Dog Killed, Boy Driver Escapes.

An Atlantic Coast Line freight train, backing into the station, yesterday afternoon ran into one of Dr. Dave Taylor's dairy wagons, dragged the wagon for some distance, completely smashing it, killed the horse, also a dog, which was inside of the wagon and slightly bruised a young negro boy who was driving the outfit.

The boy's escape was miraculous. The wagon was of the closed type and both the boy and dog were inside. How the dog was killed and how the boy escaped without injury is a mystery.

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## PATRAS, THE MOST IMPORTANT HARBOR OF GREECE



Since the occupation of Saloniki by the allies, Patras has become the most important port of Greece. Part of the city and harbor are shown in the photograph.

## Dr. Thos. Green Lectures Tonight

A lecture by Dr. George H. Turner on "Democracy and Moral Disturbance" and a concert by the Schubert String Quartet this afternoon, and a lecture of "The Burden of the Nations," by Dr. Thomas E. Green and another concert by the quartet tonight, form today's program at the Chautauqua. It is expected that the largest audience of the week will be present to hear Dr. Green tonight. His lecture is one of the features of the program and is extremely interesting, dealing with questions and problems of today.

## BERRY WILL LIVE: IS NOW AT HOSPITAL

Doctors Say He Is Not Yet Out of Danger, But Will Recover From Injuries. W. T. Berry, of Swan Quarter, who was stabbed by Tom Long, also of that city, arrived here on the Mot yesterday afternoon and is now at the Washington hospital, undergoing treatment. Dr. Taylor, when seen this morning, stated that while Berry was not yet out of danger, he felt confident that the injured man would recover. He is conscious and able to talk.

## WILLIAMS-RHODES

Marriage of Popular Young Couple Occurred Early This Morning. Miss Nina Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rhodes, and Sam Williams, a prominent young business man of Washington, were married at the home of Miss Rhodes' parents on West Second street early this morning. Rev. E. M. Snipes, pastor of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony. The couple left immediately afterward on the Atlantic Coast Line for Norfolk, Baltimore, Washington City and other northern points. They will make their home in Washington upon their return. Miss Rhodes is well known throughout the city and has many friends to wish her every happiness in her married life. Mr. Williams is bookkeeper for the Pamlico Chemical Company and is universally popular with all who know him.

## Wilson Marches In Big Parade In Washington

By Y. P. YODER, (United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, June 14.—For the first time in history, a President marched down historic Pennsylvania avenue on foot. President Wilson established the precedent today when he marched in the gigantic parade being held here as a tribute to the American flag and a plea for preparedness. A marine band preceded Wilson. The President walked jauntily. He wore a blue serge coat with white dock trousers and white shoes and socks. A straw hat topped his costume. In his right hand he carried a silk flag.

## COL. ROOSEVELT SUFFERS FROM PAIN IN SIDE

FREQUENTLY SEEN TO PRESS HIS HAND OVER HIS HEART WHILE MOTORING. CLAIMS NOT SERIOUS. Daughter Says Ligament Was Strained While Colonel Was Coughing. X-Ray Examination to be Taken This Afternoon. (By United Press) Washington, June 14.—The call of State militia will be the government's first step to provide additional troops that are needed on the Mexican border, according to army officers. Only 1,500 troops of the regular army are left in the continental United States, exclusive of 10,000 coast artillery. The latter cannot be used for border duty. Officials insist that no special instructions have as yet been sent to the national guard but admitted that the war department was working in the effort to have the troops, supplies and equipment in condition so that the men might be able to move at a moment's notice when called upon.

## MR. LONG'S FUNERAL TOMORROW AT 4 P.M.

Deceased Leaves Long List of Relatives and Friends to Mourn Their Loss. The funeral of Edward Long, who died early yesterday afternoon, will be held at the First Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. E. M. Snipes will officiate. Interment will be in Oakdale Cemetery. The active pall bearers will be E. R. Mixon, J. P. Buckman, George T. Leach, John Gorham, F. C. Kugler and J. B. Sparrow; Honorary, Thomas J. Latham, A. W. Styron, A. W. Thomas and Mr. Fleming.

## FOREMAN-WICKS

Marriage Occurred This Morning at Home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrison. Miss Margaret Wicks and Patrick H. Foreman were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrison on East Main street this morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. H. V. Hope, formerly pastor of the local Christian church, now of Rocky Mount, officiated. The couple left on the morning train for northern points. Upon their return they will make their home here.

## ENGLAND HAS LOST 130 NAVAL VESSELS

Long List of Ships Has Been Destroyed Since the Beginning of War. (By United Press) Berlin, June 14.—England has lost 130 naval vessels during the war, totaling more than 600,000 tons, it was semi-officially announced today. Before the war, Great Britain had 1,300 naval vessels, 150 of which were armored cruisers, sixteen other cruisers, thirty torpedo boats, twenty gunboats and twenty submarines had been destroyed.

## DELIGHTFUL WASHINGTON PARK

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A reception was given at the home last night, at which a large number of friends of the couple were present. Many were also present at the railroad station this morning to shower the bride and groom with rice.

## DRUNK'N NEGRO WITH SHOT GUN: EXCITING TIME

SPREAD TERROR INTO HEARTS OF CROWD ON THIRD AND McNAIR STREETS.

## WENT FOR OFFICER

Was Finally Captured, Trial Yesterday. Fined \$5 and Costs for Being Drunk and \$10 and Costs for Assaulting an Officer.

Loaded with some especially strong brand of monkey rum and armed with a double-barrelled shot gun, Solomon Perry, colored, brought terror to the hearts of about two or three hundred residents in the vicinity of Third and McNair streets, threatened to shoot several, including Policeman Traylor, attempted to make his escape and was finally caught by Chief Roberts and Officer Hardison at the East Main street bridge.

## WASHINGTON LOST TO KELFORD: 9-4

Kelford Pitched Fanned Fourteen of Local Batters. Team Has Returned. The Washington baseball team returned from Kelford this afternoon, rather sad and downcast. They played Kelford yesterday afternoon and were defeated by the score of 9-4. According to accounts of the game that were received here this morning, Shields, the Kelford pitcher, fanned fourteen of the local batters.

## PLANS BEING MADE FOR NEW HIGHWAY

Will Connect New Bern and Washington With Other Points in This Part of State. New Bern, June 14.—C. E. Foy a few days ago wrote to Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, secretary of the North Carolina Good Roads Association, in regard to a public highway from New Bern to Wilmington and points further south and also from New Bern to Washington and Norfolk, Va.

## BELHAVEN MILITIA IS MUSTERED OUT

Members of the Company Would Not Pay Attention to Their Duties. Due to the fact that the members of that division of the North Carolina Naval Militia did not pay attention to the duties assigned to them, the Belhaven division of the North Carolina Naval Militia has been mustered out.

## URGENT PROHIBITION PLANK

St. Louis, June 14.—Professor Fisher of Yale said that the late J. J. Hill would have made public a statement endorsing national prohibition, had he lived. Fisher is going to urge the prohibition plank to the convention resolutions committee.

## GAS BILLS DUE

All gas bills are due and payable at our office on or before the 15th of each month, (positively no discounts will be allowed after the 10th of each month.)

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