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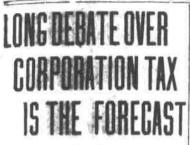
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Democrats Will Support Income Tax With Aid of **Few Republicans**

PRESIDENT IS SURE **OF ITS PASSAGE**

Southern Senators to Make Strong Fight on Cotton **Bagging Schedule**

WASHINGTON, June 27 .- The cor poration tax question will receive the attention of the senate during the present week. Just when the subject will be taken up depends upon the There were strong evidences of mor time devoted to the few schedules yet to be considered in connection with the tariff. Friends of the bill are optimistic about disposing of these few schedules in short order. They, however, embrace the questions of colton ties, cotton bagging and binding a drunken orgy at the bungalow and all these items. The Southern sena- who acknowledged his guilt by snuff- seeped into the grave over night. tors will make a determined, though ing out his life when it seemed that probably a losing fight in favor of the hands of the law were about to free bagging and ties, contending that be laid upon him. f binding twine is to go on the dutable list to satisfy the farmers of the Northwest the other articles should

be given the same treatment to gratify the farmers of the South. Other articles still requiring attenrails and structural steel.

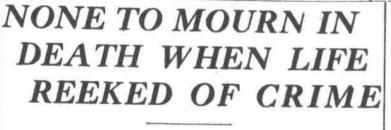
Lively Debate Promised. from the scene of the crime which sman. With these items disposed of, the led him to his death. Eastman's body "Yo senate will take up the corporation was laid away in the early hours of Sutton," sai dthe undertæker. "Won' tax question which will come up in today. No man of the church was you say it?" connection with the income amendment previously offered

Senator Balley. Many speeches are promised on a little band of newspaper men and these two subjects and they will be jointly considered. The corporation fax provision of President Tatt will consider the only persons at the be presented as a substitute for the grave. With bared heads they repeat-Balley amendment and the light will ed the familiar words of the Lord's turn largely upon the comparative prayer. Mrs. Eastman, stopping marits of the two provisions. The twelve miles away, at Easton, expresssupporters of the administration are confident of success. They say that but eight votes for the corporation provision will be lost from among republican senators. The democrats generally will vote for the income

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BY NEGRO BURGLAR AND

GIRL GAGGED AND BOUND



Body of Mrs. Woodill's Slayer Laid Away With Barely a Re luctant Prayer Near Scene of The Recent Tragedy.

(By Associated Press.) Michaels on the seven mile trip to ST. MICHAELS, Md. June 27 .- the bungalow.

The theory that Edith May Woodill Notwithstanding the early hour to was lured to "Lame Bob" Eastman's day there were many people abroad lonely bungalow without knowledge in the streets of St. Michaels and of where she was going and that she along the way to witness the passing was drugged and detained there of the strange cortege. No church against her wishes, was advanced toor church yard of the vicinity day when a further search of the open its doors or gates to the deashack which the superstitious folk of Superstitions negroes who or man. the neighborhood forever more will shun as hauntedraevealed a small butyesterday could not be induced to dig the which a hasty examination shows the grave, stood awe-stricken today contained a mixture of narcotic drugs on the outskirtr of the funeral party No more lonely spot could well be phine in the nearly empty bottle. This discovery tends to bear out the magined than where the isolated bun theory which the people of the com-munity who knew the girl long have galow stands. When the hearses had drawn up alongside the grave, four wanted to believe. They never listened men lifted the casket from the vehi to the idea that she was involved in cle and placed it temporarily on two a drunken orgy at the bungalow and plank supports, stretched across the twine and there are possibilities for much discussion in connection with in repulsing the advances of the man ready been lowered. Marsh water had

Hesitated to Pray. The undertaker drew back the slid-ing lid of the casket in order that all might see that if was Eastman who was being consigned to his last Today's investigations led the authorities still further away from the resting place and closed it again. idea that anyone other than Eastman the casket rested above the grave

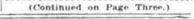
had a hand in the murder. It is in- ready to be lowered, there was a conceivable that Eastman could have awkward pause. Other articles and cotton waste, ar-tion are cotton and cotton waste, ar-senic, clays asphaltum and feldspar. There will also be a further effort to place, only half completed, offered no one of you?" His glance fell upor In a new made grave, not fifty feet James Sutton, a merchant, of Bera-

"You are a church member.

tax there to offer a last word for the Sutton hesitated a moment, they asking all to join him, began to re by dead; no friend or relative came near. The undertakers and their assistants. peat the Lord's prayer with solem earnestness.

Following the funeral there was an other thorough search of the bungs low and concealed beneath the floo was found the small drug bottle.

The search revealed further the fact that the murder had been com mitted there. At the place where the head of the bed rested, a part of the older flooring had been ripped up and new planks laid loosely down. Beneath these planks the floor had been newly scraped with a chisel or some other sharp instrument. But



SIGEL MURDER MYSTERY

Who Slayer Was but Not

Where He Is Now

NO NEARER SOLUTION OF



A relief expedition in behalf of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the lost Arctic ex plorer, will be started in a short time. An appeal for funds for the expedi-tion has been made by the Arctic club of America, of which Rear Admiral Schley 's president.



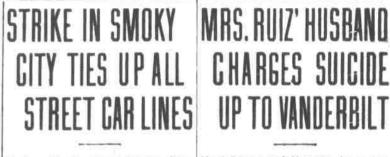
Photographs Made of Hands and Feet Cut Off Are for Purpose of Influencing Public Opin-

ion Against the Rulers.

LONDON. June 27 .- It is strange; in the west end, "that the black peothat an American should be the only ple are more sinned against than sinwoman member of the Royal Geo- ning. I went into the country men graphical society of England. Mrs. pared to meet with real cannibal French Sheldon, formerly of New Or. tribes and I even took with me a polleans, occupies this slogular position, away with myself in a certain emer-She is not alone the only female "fel- gency. But I did not meet with a sin low" but the last. After electing Mrs. gle act of hostility, or, 1 might say, Sheldon to membership the commiteven of rudeness

tee of the Royal Geographical so- "I was the first white woman" she clety seemed to repent of their action continued, "who ever visited many vilin letting a woman join their sacred tages, and I went right through the circle and a rule was passed that in Free State anattended by a single future no woman could ever again white man, accompanied only by na-become a member. So this clever tice porters and few native personal American boasts the disfinction of he- acroants.

ing the first and last woman to belong "In all the important villages I pass to the organization whose members to the organization whose members have pushed their way into almost every nook and cranny of this old world of ours, seeking the hubble reputation not only in the cannon's Natives Good at Heart. Natives Good at Heart.



Only Mall Cars Were Run Had Divorced Her on Account Yesterday by Pittsburg St. Rallway Co.

ARRANGE TO IMPORT STRIKE BREAKERS

Very Little Disorder Has Mark- This With Realization That ed Progress of The Strike Up to This Time

(By Associated Press.) PITTSBURG, Penn., June 27 -Freater Pittaburg walked today amidst ntermittent thundershowers and orrid sun. Since five o'clock, this norning, only one street car carrying he United States mail has moved in lomat in the service of his country. the city or suburbs, Persons living Cuba, did not mince words nor try n outer Allegheny county used the hastily provided shuttle trains of the Pennsylvania railroad and the Baltimore and Ohio. On these trains that travel was extraordinarily light, 89 much so, that at noon the rallways hanged the five minute for hourly a rvice.

At union headquarters the strikers ongregated early. The men unitedly reclared for a long and hard fought trike

At the offices of the Pittsburg railways company the executive officers consulted all day, planning their campaign to break the strike. . Only One Clash.

The entire day was marked with once my wife and I am inexpensibly but one clash between union and grieved that she was brought to such would-be strike-breakers. Two ne groes who applied for employment. were net upon by alleged union strikesympathizers and chased from the district.

At many of the churches today services were dispensed with. Rev. Dr. A. Fisher of the Wylie Avenue Baptist church, an aristo-

cratic congregation in the Herron Hill district, referring to the strike situation said: formen and conductors are only ask ing what these wealthy street rail nakway operators could have granted without straining a point."

Wild rumors of strike-breakers arriving and being hidden in Water ront houses poured into the police the New York apartment where Mrs.

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She Was Deserted by all Friends, Led to Act PARIS, June 27 .--- Antonio A. Ruis, the former husband of Mrs. Mary Agnes Ruiz, who recently killed herself in London, made a very plain

of The Attentions of The

Millionaire

HIMSELP BEFORE HER

HER FATHER KILLED

statement today. Ruis, once a dipto hide his feelings, says a correspondent of The New York World. He said emphatically that he holds Alfred G. Vanderbilt responsible for his maritial unhappiness and attriborced to her unhappy -nanociation with the younw New York millioanire. "Heretofore I have refused to talk to the newspapers." Mr. "Ruis) explained, "but as you have discovered my residence here I accept the opportunity to make a clear statement, the first I have made publicly, about

this series of unfortunate events "Although I divorced Mrs. Ruiz, I have never forgotten that she was

an end by that man." "What man," blu bluntly asked the

orrespondent. "I mean Vanderbilt, Alfred Gwynno Vanderbilt," exclaimed Ruis, with emotion.

"Did you name Mr. Vanderbilt as co-respondent in your suit for divorce ?" Not-Named in Suit.

"It was not recemary to specify the name of the co-resondent," answer-ed the Cultan, who is himself wealthy, "Vanderbilt was the man meant and everybody knew it. His wife had divorced him a few months before my suit was heard. There was no diffculty in geting evidence to prove my case. The janitor and elevator boy of

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ed no desire to attend the funeral.

Isolated Grave, It was 6.30 o'clock this morning when the casket containing Eastman's body was placed in the roughly fashloned country hearse and th cunder-takers and others making up the little funeral party started from St.



Dastardly Crime Committed in Broad Daylight in the City of Charlotte.

MAKES HIS ESCAPE

(Special to The Citizen.) CHARLOTTE, N. C. June 27-One

of the most daring crimes ever por petrated in the history of this city w that of an unknown negro, who est-tered the home of Mr. W. B. Kaudman at No. 306 East Seventh street his morning and after roughly hand ling Miss Mildred Kauffman, ransacked the premises for valuables.

Miss Kauffman was left alone in the house for an hour this morning When her mother feturned she found her daughter lying on a bed in the bedroom with two heavy towels sesurely bound about her face and neck and her hands tied behind her. The young lady was in an unconscious condition when found, Burt was soon resus itated, and upon examination was through a crevass into the sea. Bjorfound not to have been injured in any manner seriously beyond being badly frightened.

Miss Kauffman states that her mother went out for a short while leaving Warope, Johnson's body had disap-her departure, a middle aged negro Biorvig has spent many winters in tame to the front yard gate and inquired of her If her mother was at home. On being told that she was not the negro entered the yard and "ame to the screen door. The gird ran back into the house and the negro and her into a bedroom. Before ship its climax on the night of December Sing, the restaurant keeper did as that time to summon help, the negro 26, when it entirely destroyed the air in his place for twelve hours althout wized her, bound two heavy towels about her face and neck and three ber on the bed. With the towels he choked her into unconsciousness.

Her mother returned after an hour' sisence and found her daughter un Coma-Jous

That f motive of the negro was robbery was clearly evidenced on a has already t search of the house. Eevry room had "in entered and all drawers ransack ed and their contents thrown on the

Chief Christenbury was told by the zirl that the negre was very black, thick set, middle aged, clean shaven, wearing a light hat and a blue shirt. The police are on the lookout for him. None of the neighbors saw him. necessary to attain success.

Explorer Doubts Whether He Will Be Able to Make Dash to Pole This Year.

ONE OF WELLMAN'S MEN

LOST IN ARGTIC CAMP:

Sulcide-Murderer Buried.

CITY IS SEARCHED WILL GO SOMETIME

(By Associated Press.)

TROMSOE. Norway, June 27 .- The Sigel's body and presumably th teamer Arctic, of Walter Wellman's eighteenth day after the crime north pole expedition, returned here committed, the New York police ar-obliged to admit tonight that if any today from Spitzbergen with her flags at half mast, bringing the news that thing they are a little further from any clue to the whereabouts of Leo Knud Johnson, of the two men who Ling, the man who is thought to have remained at the Wellman camp this killed her, than on the afternoo winter had perished in the pack les when her body was found wedged in

when his airship had been destroyed a trunk in the rooms of a Chinaman On May 19 Johnson went with his however, that He is sure to be run by a heavy storm.

fellow watchman. Paul Bjorvig on a the case is that there is absolut-1 hunting expedition over the pack ice nothing to indicate when or how Leon The ice was moving and Johnson fell Ling left the city. If, it is argued he still pemains here, hidden in the rooms of some friend, it can be an vig held out a long stick for Johnson swered that every house in Chinatows to grasp, but he was unconscious. When Bjorvig returned from Camp and every wall and floor sounded

heen overlooked.

Splitzbergen and has been with Mr. trunk in a restaurant there has been Wellman on every arctic expedition substantially confirmed, with slight since 1894, says he has never seen since 1894, says he has never seen it only makes the case more puzzling such a fierce storm as that which be-It appears today from the books of gan last Christmas day and reached the Lawrence Cab company that La ept the trunk and that he kept ! in his place for twelve hours, although ship shed. The whole roof, which was seventy feet wide and 215 feet But police investigation shows that long was carried one hundred meters the truck was taken to Newark on away and broken to pieces and the tween midnight June 9, and 1 a m remaining portions of the building col-

lapsed. The work of re-building the house places the time of the murder a day has already begun. It will be a stron- ahead of the time previously fixed b Mr. Wellman and Chief Engineer the girl disappeared from home

Mr. Wellman and Chief Engineer the girl disappeared from home Vaniman are uncertain whether it will be practicable to make the voyage northward this summer. If it is found imposible to make the voyage this summer, Measrs, Well-trunk in which the body was found was the are in the are in the sum i

mouth but in the mouths of wild "Of course there has been a great beasts, on the edges of precipies, or agitation taised concerning atrocities in the tangles of impenetrable jun-gles. but most of these reports are exagger For some little time Mrs. French deliberates faked. I will not deny

Sheldon has remained more or less that occasionally outrages do occur silent as to the Congo, but recently but they are during tribal wars, when Sighting of Details Proves she has been invited to give a course, the natives are wrought up to a great of lectures on this subject, and has pitch of excitement. Outrages of excited great interest in London, par-coundar character have often occurred ticularly in view of the fact that she among battons far more advanced holds extremely novel views on the graphs of hands and feet several from whole question. hodies are offen exhibited, but I hav

Never Met With Rudeness, Frown these to have been cut off bod "I assure you," she said in the perfectly natural death and ourse of an interview with her of her isimply for the purpose of making a London home, 36. Pembroke square a photograph



PARIS, June 27. The report of the of PAUL Mone Jane 27 - Anto parliamentary commission which in (pating a flood of Christian Endeavora estigated the 12.10 . 14.1 scapital-France has been torned it. It is a seathing condemnation of the pass? from all parts of the world that will awamp the combined to differ of all administration for the past ten years of St. Paul's hotels, arrangements have and makes an automoting exposure of been completed for a tenter cits where the deplorable condition of the float the surplus of the 25,000 expected

for which France has spent \$799. gnests will be satisfactorily cared for Its toestion will be only a bloch

free in the magnificent new Minnesot state capitol building and it will be ed with details of the inefficiency resulting from the confusion and not proupl d. during the international condition that make French meetings which open two weeks here and continue from July 7 to 12. For all the army 6d delegates then



WASHINGTON June 27 .-- Fure-North Carolina weather with local showers one wedding several will probably

Viceroy Protests Against Action of Officers in Tak ing Law in Own Hands.

OTHERS ARE SAFE

(By Associated Press.)

streyor in the India service and Mr. with Haratz up, today won the Grand Fowerby, interpreter, both attaches of Prix de Paris over the Longchamp's Sowerby, interpreter, both attaches of course in a driving finish, with Mme, the instear ological expedition under $N_{\rm e}$ (1) the xemeterff's Rebelle, second, Lieutenant Clark, an American offi and Edmund Blanc's Union, third, The er were attacked June 21 by natives value of the stake was \$74,155, and twenty miles south of Lanchow, the distance of the race one mile and oppital of the produce of Kan Su, seven forlongs Hazrah All was pursued three miles and killed.

und by Lieutemant Clark, Mr. Dougar of the India Bervice, Measure Grant and Coltman, interpreters, Mr. Del-Sir J. N. Jordan, the British min. French blue ribbon, oter here asked the Chinese foreign

June 23 because of his inability to promote reforms, protests against the nembers of the expedition taking the tingent, as second choice, and Union, low into their hunds to rescue their a popular French entry third choice omrade. This protest has been autoatted to the British minister The members of the expedition are attended by the Vanderbill entries sets having sent messages from Ant and Union broke in front and set a ing Kan

ATLANTA, Ga., June 27-Mr+ fullding in Atlanta Saturday after, manguration of Napolson IIL

Ailliam Jenning- Bryan is coming dreas on the train an route at the Mrs Jobson's companion in the roun. While returning to the Elysees welding of any two Endeavorers who via was locked up in connection with palace the president's carriage was mader on a charge of disorderly surrounded by a large number of conder on outsidy right-ous aus-

hospital today. It is said that he will angry chizens. Ten of them were institute proceedings for divorce.

American's Horses were Favorites in Betting; Stakes Were Enormous.

PRESIDENT MOBBED

PARIS, June 27.- Baron Maurice PERING June 27 - Hazrah Au & de Ruthschild's chestnut colt. Verdue,

The classic event was contested over a mold-u track in a drenching The following day Sowerby was restrain in the presence of three hundred thousand persons, among whom wera thousands of Americans who had come here from England and all parts of o, a draughtsman and another Indian. Europe to witness the race for the

W. E. Vanderblit, who with his bay colt. Northeast won the Grand Prix office to protect the members of the colt. Northeast won the Grand Prix expedition and to investigate the at- last year, was represented in the stake expedition and to investigate the ast today by Negotol and Oversight, the tack, and today the report of the today by Negotol and Oversight, the viceroy of Kan-su was received. The forverites in the belling, with Lord viceroy of Kan-su was received. The forverites in the belling, with Lord ushed third in the English derby, heavily backed by the English con-Eleven herics faced the startor, and when the flag fell William IV, closely terrific parts. He made the running to the head of the stretch, where Verdun HURT ESCAPING FROM and Rebelle the latter a rank ontaider, same through finishing in that or-JEALOUS HUSBAND der, with Faion third, all out under dip-whip-

Barat the lackey who piloted Ver-Philip N. Jobison, who fell from the dun to sectory was the first French second story window of an office rider to win the Grahd Prix since the

norm in attempting to evade her hus. Today's Grand Prix was the largest band who had trapped her in the betting event in the history of the room with another man, was removed Erench turf. \$280,500 heing wagered trom the hospital this atternion to in the Paris-Mutuels. The Americans her father's home with prospects backed the Vanderbilt horses to a favoring her recovery. Harry Wolford, man. Today's Grand Prix was the largest

While returning to the Elysees late this afternoon on hall in the sum manifestation against him. The police finally rescued the manifestants Johnon did not visit his wife at the who were glad to encape from the placed under arrest.

of June 10, and remained there un! the afternoon of the tenth Thi the police, and on the same day that

cast.

WHTIN winds.

has denied it.

has been searched room by room No isolated laundry or restaurant has The information coming from New Bjorvig has spent many winters in ark yesterday that Leon Ling left the

000,000 since 1899 The 250 pages of the report are fultape.

naval construction cost twenty due pe cent more than Engly 5 or German.

sill be international incidquarters a one of the loading bot to wait no win gle hotel can care for even a fractio t the attendance indicated by the ap dications for reservations. Practi-alls all the space of the St. Paul ho tils, and in addition large reservation in prilate homes at boarding house and other places were secured months and has promised to deliver an ad

> pires. He has more applications than Continued the can take care of and instead of 1708