

COOK GLINCING
CLAIM TO TITLE OF
POLE DISCOVERER

Takes President of American
Geographical Society
Into Confidence

HE WILL LECTURE
ON MONDAY NIGHT

Dr. Huntington Says He Has
Perfect Confidence
In Cook

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—For the first time since his arrival here Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Arctic explorer took into his confidence today one of the leading American geographical authorities, Archer M. Huntington, president of the American Geographical society, with whom he had an hour's private conference.

Whether Dr. Cook submitted some of his data to Dr. Huntington, or amplified his previous statement regarding his trip, could not be ascertained, for upon leaving Dr. Huntington refused to comment upon the meeting. Dr. Cook's friends, however, announced that just before his departure Dr. Huntington had expressed perfect confidence in the statements of the explorer.

Dr. Cook also had an agreeable chat with his financial backer, John R. Bradley, whose liberality enabled him to make his Northern dash and to share the fame of that expedition. Last night Dr. Cook paid an eloquent tribute to Mr. Bradley and said that half the glory belonged to him.

But most of Dr. Cook's waking hours today were devoted to preparing the literary steps which lead to the future platform, which he will mount next Monday at the Carnegie Institute. So carefully is the explorer assembling the material for his first public appearance that he declined many invitations today for his writing table high up in the Waldorf-Astoria swept over a vast sea of waving flags and decorations.

HE RISKS MILLIONS TO
WED, BUT IS FORGIVEN
WHEN KNOT IS TIED

Son of Wealthy Magnate
Elopes with Bride of
His Choice.

HAVE WEDDING

PITTSBURG, Sept. 24.—"I am more interested in the girl I love than in any prospects I may have," said young Stanley Kann, when he learned that his father, M. M. Kann, millionaire president of the Pittsburgh Pressed Steel company and director of the American Window Glass company opposed his marriage.

He spoke of Miss Beatrice Lewin, the seventeen year old daughter of Robert Lewin, a wealthy wholesale liquor dealer of this city. Then follow a plan for an elopement.

Stanley waited near the Lewin residence with an automobile driven by his father's chauffeur, who was sworn to secrecy. It was two hours before Miss Lewin found opportunity to leave the house surreptitiously. Then she was quickly bundled into the auto by her daring fiance, rushed to the Lake Erie station, and a few hours later she was a blushing bride in Youngstown, O.

Parental reluctance followed, but the bridegroom's father insisted on another ceremony besides the civil one before he would forgive his son. They will be married next week with all the appointments of wedding music, flowers and wedding guests by the Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy. Kann is a student at the Pennsylvania state college.

JUDGE TURNER DYING.

BURGLAR ON ROPE
SHOT TO DEATH BY
INTENDED VICTIM

W. A. Roffe, Civil Engineer.
Kills Man Who Was Try-
ing to Enter

HE HAD VISITED
THE ROOMS BEFORE

Thief is Identified as Man Who
Came in Auto to Look
at Apartments

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—After taking the trouble to hire an automobile and in the guise of a prospective tenant go through the apartment he intended to rob George Reigel, burglar, was shot to death yesterday morning by William A. Roffe, a civil engineer. At the time of the shooting Reigel was hanging on a rope at the bathroom window, having lowered himself from the roof.

Mr. Roffe, whose office is at No. 45 East Forty-second street, lives on the top floor of a five-story house at No. 18888 Bathgate avenue, the Bronx. As he has devoted much of his leisure time to shooting he is an expert marksman.

Shortly after three o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Roffe was awakened by the breaking of glass. He lay awake in bed for a few seconds and then heard another noise, which led him to believe that there was a man in the bathroom. With-out awakening his wife he went cautiously to the bureau, got his revolver and went to the bathroom, where he threw open the door. As he did so he saw a man whose body was about half way through the window. Without a word Mr. Roffe fired two shots, and the man dropped back and disappeared. Running to the window Mr. Roffe looked out and saw the man sliding down. He fired three more shots as the man reached the bottom and disappeared in the darkness of the alleyway.

Returning to his bedroom Mr. Roffe quit his wife, who had been awakened. Then he telephoned to the Tremont avenue station, and Police-man Riser was sent to the house. In the meantime the occupants of the house as well as adjoining houses were awakened, and many ran to the street, where search was made, but no trace could be found of the man. Investigation showed that the man (Continued on page four.)

MEN ACCUSED OF THE
MURDER OF SIX FOUND
GUILTY OF CRIME

Bloodhounds as Usual, Took
the Wrong Trail and
Found Wrong Men.

NO NEW DETAILS YET

ROANOKE, Va., Sept. 24.—A telephone message tonight from Grundy, the county seat of Buchanan county, Virginia, says no developments have occurred today in the murder mystery at Hurley in which six persons were killed and their bodies burned on last Wednesday. Investigation and search are still in progress, but aside from the liberation of Silas Justis and his two sons, who were thought to have been implicated in the murder, nothing has been brought to light. The Justises proved their innocence at a preliminary hearing this morning. Silas Justis is no relation of the persons of the same name who were murdered. He and his two sons were arrested yesterday at their home after bloodhounds had led to the house where they lived. They stoutly denied that they knew anything of the tragedy.

OUR TAFT TO MEET
PRESIDENT DIAZ

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 24.—The Mexican end of the program for the meeting between President Taft and Diaz at El Paso has been completed and was today sent to Washington by the Mexican state department.

President Diaz, with his staff, several cabinet members, a battalion of presidential guards and a number of government officials will leave Mexico city on the morning of October 12.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 24.—L. R. Sires, express messenger on the Central of Georgia, was fired upon in his car near McIntyre, Ga., this morning early by some person on the top of the car. The shots were fired through the transmission, robbery doubtless being the motive. Sires summoned help from the mail car but the man escaped.

NUMBER OF DEAD
PILING UP WITH THE
LATER REPORTS

Sloops And Launches Lie
Wrecked Along Shores
of Louisiana

STEAMERS ARRIVE
WITH REFUGEES

List of Dead From Monday's
Hurricane Is Now Above
One Hundred

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 21.—With the list of dead from Monday's tropical hurricane well above a hundred tonight every indication points to a much larger increase of the number of perished. Many small sloops and launches are lying wrecked on the gulf shores of Louisiana and Mississippi and there seems to be little doubt but that at least some of their occupants were lost. Anxiety for the safety of steamers bound for New Orleans during the hurricane period on the gulf has been relieved. Nearly all of these vessels were many hours late, but finally arrived at this port with the exception of the Utstein. The Utstein four days overdue from Puerto Cortez, was reported by incoming vessels today, to have gone aground off Seahorse Light, near the mouth of the Mississippi river. No loss of life is reported.

News of the loss of the oyster lugger Washington, and the drowning of her captain, Dominic Bondy, was received here today. The boat went down in Lake Pontchartrain. Many other vessels of this class are reported missing.

The steamboat Williams, arrived at Morgan City, La., late today towing five disabled luggers and bringing in a number of refugees from the coast-swamp sections. The rescued families report having buried many bodies in the marshes.

SHIPWRECKED SAILORS.
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—Eleven Norwegian sailors, shipwrecked on August 25, off the coast Yucatan, arrived here today on the steamship Nor, from Progreso. Their vessel, the Segal, went ashore at Cayo, Yucatan, and was a total loss. All on board escaped with their lives.

STATE AND FEDERAL
TAUDDLE AT ATLANTA
COMES TO A CLIMAX

Collector of Internal Revenue
Rucker Is Placed
Under Arrest.

UNDER BOND OF \$1,000

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 24.—The clash between the state and federal authorities growing out of the trouble over collection of internal revenue taxes in Dade county, came to a climax today in the arrest of H. A. Rucker, collector of internal revenue in Atlanta. Rucker was served with a warrant of arrest for contempt of the Superior court of Georgia, by Sheriff Thurman of Dade county, but was later liberated on a bond of \$1,000.

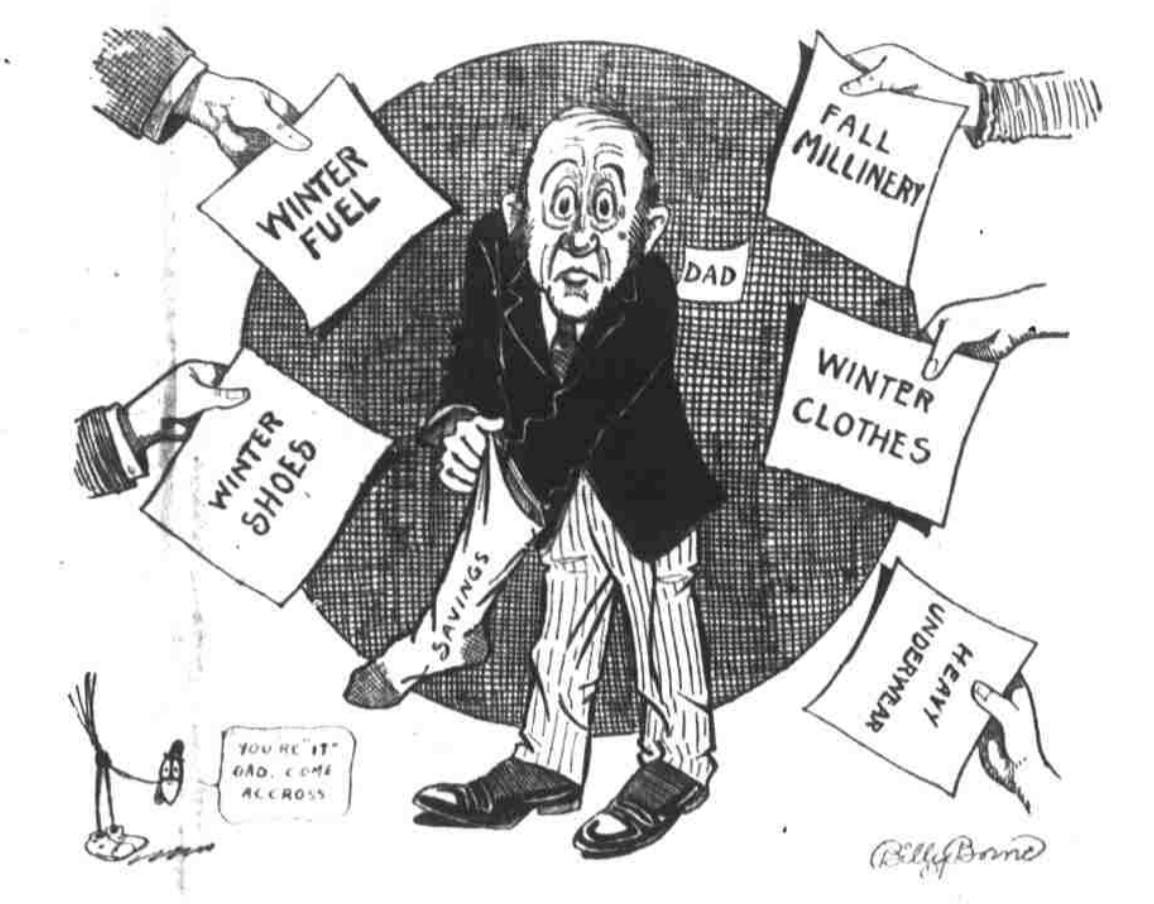
At the same time he was ordered to produce Rucker, Sheriff Thurman was given another writ ordering him to produce Charles E. Staggall, government store-keeper and gauger, who had refused to answer questions in court on the advice of Collector Rucker.

TWO KILLED IN AN
AUTO ACCIDENT

AMERICUS, Ga., Sept. 24.—One person was burned to death, another instantly killed and a third seriously burned, when an alcoholic automobile, driven by John McLendon, ran off an eight foot embankment here early today. McLendon and Miss Viola Herman, one of his companions were pinned beneath the wrecked car which caught fire. Ethel Hill, another member of the party, although severely burned, ran screaming to this city, two miles distant and gave the alarm.

Miss Herman's neck was broken by the fall and death was instantaneous and McLendon was literally roasted alive.

Melancholy Day For Dad.



AFFAIRS OF THE WATERS
PIERCE OIL COMPANY TO
WOUND UP BY THE COURT

Judge Wilcox Issues Decree
to That Effect and Prop-
erty Will Be Sold.
VALUE IS \$1,750,000.

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 24.—An order was issued this afternoon by Judge C. A. Wilcox, of the twenty-sixth district, directing that J. B. Eckhardt, receiver of the Waters-Pierce Oil company proceed without delay to advertise for sale at public auction and to the highest bidder all the property of every kind and character of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, with a view of speedily winding up the affairs of the company in Texas. The order provides and directs the sale of the property on the first Tuesday in December, 1909, in Austin. The sale is to be made without further right of redemption and without further valuation or appraisal.

The property is valued at \$1,750,000 and is to be sold in bulk. The terms of the order was agreed upon between the attorneys representing the company and state attorneys at an all day conference. Coincident with the issuance of this order, an order was issued this afternoon continuing until November 29 the case of H. Clay Pierce.

HUSBAND KILLS HIS WIFE
IN CHILDREN'S SIGHT

While She Was Asleep He
Crept Up and Blew Her
Head off.

GREENVILLE, S. C., Sept. 24.—One of the most brutal murders ever committed here occurred this morning at the Woodside mill village, a suburb of Greenville when Whit Galloway shot his wife dead and then killed himself in the presence of his three small children. Galloway got his shot gun and carefully loaded both barrels, then went to the side of the bed, aimed at his sleeping wife's head and discharged the gun, blowing off her head. Then placing the gun on the side of his head and pulled the trigger, blowing his head completely off.



WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Forecast for North Carolina: Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, with probable showers in east portion; cooler in extreme east portion Saturday; brisk north winds.

WIDOW IS CHARGED WITH
BEING AN ACCESSARY TO
MURDER OF HER HUSBAND

She Will Have to Stand
Trial with Man Who
Shot Her Lord.
FINALLY COLLAPSES

HINESVILLE, Ga., Sept. 24.—For a few minutes today Mrs. Helen Faulling faced the members of the Liberty county grand jury and when she left them it was to return to cell in the county jail here charged with being an accessory in the crime that made her a widow.

She will stand trial next Tuesday with Charles Gordon, who is charged with the murder of her husband, William N. Faulling, Jr. Hitherto the young widow has not betrayed any emotion in the case but today when the grand jury had taken its action she was near collapse, sobbing in her cell.

The arrest of Gordon and Mrs. Faulling is on the theory that Gordon killed the husband fearing that punishment might be meted out to himself.

TORNADO BUSHY.

MONTEKEY, Mexico, Sept. 24.—Report was received in this city that a tornado had struck the town on Montemorels, in this state and doing considerable damage to property and crops in that vicinity. There was no loss of life.

SAYS THAT HE HAS READ
THE REPORTS OF PEARY

General Thomas Hubbard
Looks Them Over and
Finds Them Interesting.

BAR HARBOR, Maine, Sept. 24.—"I have read the records submitted by Commander Peary on the question, 'Has Cook been at the pole,' and found in them much that Dr. Cook has not stated. They are very interesting."

Commander Peary is expected here Monday afternoon and will remain until Tuesday, during which time he will be a guest at the home of General Hubbard.

INQUEST REVEALS NEW
POINT IN STRANGE AND
BAFFLING ISLIP CASE

Nurse Says That Nelson
Planned to Go Shooting
With Schwartz.
CLEARS UP MYSTERY

CENTRAL ISLIP, N. Y., Sept. 24.—At the coroner's inquest held here today to determine if possible, the person of persons who on last Thursday morning murdered Irving J. Nelson it was brought out that Nelson on the morning he met death had planned to be a member of a deer shooting party. These facts District Attorney Furman learned during the examination of Miss Gertrude Lipke, a nurse at the State Hospital for the Insane, who was escorted to and from a dance at Bayshore by Nelson.

Miss Lipke was called after the district attorney had questioned other witnesses who brought the series of events up to the time when she and Nelson departed from a dance hall at Bayshore and started for Central Islip. It was then about half-past one o'clock on Thursday morning.

"During the ride home, asked District Attorney Furman, 'did Nelson say anything about his plans after he left you at the hospital?'"

"He said that he was to meet Schwartz near his home and they were going out for deer after he had obtained his gun and a pair of overalls at his home."

STOLEN AUTO THE MEANS
OF DEATH OF YOUNG LAD

Discharged Chauffeur Ad-
mits Driving Car That
Killed Louis Doremus.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Sept. 24.—James Hannon, a chauffeur, was arrested here tonight and when arraigned before a police justice admitted he was the driver of the automobile that ran over and killed Louis Doremus at Fairfeld yesterday. Hannon was arrested by Mr. Boutiller, state automobile inspector, and Cornelius Holly, a patrolman.

Hannon was committed to jail without bail, charged with violating the provision of the automobile laws regarding "joy rides." He is in the employ of George P. Schmidt, a New York broker, who has a handsome place here. Schmidt is in California and before going he discharged the chauffeur and sent the car to a garage for repairs. Hannon went to the garage yesterday and took the car out without the knowledge of the manager.

END OF THE WORLD
SHIFTED UP TO SIX
O'CLOCK THIS EVE

Sitting Sedately on The Neigh-
boring Dunes The Faith-
ful Are Now Ready

THE BOSS MAN HAS
NEW REVELATION

If Trick Isn't Turned Tonight
no More Baths For
One Year

WEST DUNBURY, Mass., Sept. 24.—Awaiting the end of the world, which they believe will come before six o'clock tomorrow night, the three hundred or more members of "the latter reign of the Apostolic church" who call themselves "Trine Immersionists" and are popularly known as "Holy Rollers," re-assembled tonight for a long watch meeting in their Bethel at Ashlod, on the main turn-pike between Boston and Plymouth.

Hundreds of curious people from the neighboring villages lingered outside to note the progress of events, but, as curtains at the windows of the Bethel were all drawn close, little of what occurred within was evident to outsiders. Apparently there was a praise service and exhortations and occasionally a voice pitched high in prayer was heard exclaiming: "O Lord, come soon; don't disappoint us."

Changed the Date.
Although ten o'clock this forenoon was originally set as the hour of the coming of the end of all things, the faithful showed little disappointment when one of the elders announced that he had had a new revelation, that the world would not be destroyed until some time during the twenty-four hours beginning at six o'clock tonight. At four o'clock this afternoon the meeting, which had continued all day, was adjourned for supper. Later the members of the sect returned for the watch service.

Throughout the meetings almost unprecedented enthusiasm and fervor have been manifested. Those participating come from every section of New England, while some have journeyed from as far as Virginia.

As the forenoon passed the devout company decided, for reasons not announced to close the chapel, and move across the road to the "Bethel," a large frame structure belonging to the society, there to await the end. All but "believers" were carefully excluded, the doors were closed and the curtains in the windows lowered.

CITY OF GOTHAM WAITS
ANXIOUSLY FOR OPENING
OF HUDSON-FULTON FETE

Two Weeks' Celebration
Begins Today with Roar
of One Hundred Guns.
MILLIONS WILL GO

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The stage tonight is set for the great historical pageant on land and water which opens here tomorrow and will continue for two weeks the length of the stream that Hudson discovered and Fulton first navigated by steam. All day long the preparation ashore and afloat went on behind a curtain of driving rain and mist, but the weather bureau promises fair skies for tomorrow.

Wilbur Wright was busy on Governor's Island preparing for his aerial flights. The great elevated battery of forty searchlights of 500,000 candle power each, which at night will play up and down the Hudson and throw colored patterns of a screen of smoke and steam, is in place and needs but the touch of a button to blaze into blinding brightness. The streets, shops, theatre and transit facilities of the city are filled to overflowing with the greatest limited—that has ever been attracted—than has ever been attracted to New York.

ANOTHER AUTO IS THE DEATH OF TWO

TAMPA, Fla., Sept. 24.—Mrs. Lee Steele was killed and Mrs. Alfred Mooney and Chauffeur Walter Beeman were probably fatally injured tonight when the rear fire of the large touring car in which they were riding burst, causing the car to dash into a telephone pole, "reeking it" and throwing the occupants out with great force. The car was making fifty miles an hour and it is charged that the chauffeur had been drinking. Mrs. Steele's head was crushed.